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JAZZ YATRA



recorded that it was the largest audience to have assembled in one place for a musical event larger than Woodstock of 1969 which attracted a mere 400,000 drop-outs. But a 100% of them understood jazz.

How many of the 1% of this number that turn up night after night at Rang Bhavan, would know that what they're hearing has been cleverly rehearsed hard, to appear not to have been rehearsed hard? The timing, the smoothness of their playing, are intended to hide the tough effort that has gone behind it.

All this talk of jazz takes me back to the days when life was