

Ruttonchund Master

Rukhamani Mahal,
Saraswati Bagh, Jogeshwari,
BOMBAY-42.

1794

16-7-59.

Dear Sir Dorn,

our P.M. remains quiet
at Masobra due to Huala affairs.

I have ask him to
read books of Nepolian Bonapart,
Hitler and massolini, how these stars
took him up and afterwards brought
it down.

In this world political
life, speculation and racing are always
a gambling period on human passions.

During last 70 years of my
life, I have seen up and down of many
passions including my own life.

The next 6 years from
1959 to 1964 are my last years and
hence I am moving up both in wealth
and public reputation.

In my adversity I learn
much, which gave me experiences how
people had behave with me.

I never keep secret of
my life and late Sir Sassoon David
has taught me when I was his
pet from 1913 to 1924. I was meeting
him three times a day and every
Friday we use to go to cinema.

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In those days Sir D. G. Tata, Sir R. J. Tata, R. D. Tata, Sir Cowasjee Jehangir, Sir Ibrahim Rahimtulla, Dadiba merwanji, Ramnarayan Ruia, Khelji Khisi, were waiting in his office and I as well as Sir Tannuljee Nariman were allowed to visit him up even when he was taking his bath. Lady Sassoon David use to receive me, offering me a chair. When Sir Sassoon David came in his parlour room the first word "well master what is the news".

"I will answer to him my answer to him" "Facts so many are waiting down to meet".

After dressing up, we both by stairs came down.

Sometime Sir Sassoon finishing his "kutia" use to come down.

When Sir Sassoon David use to lend Rs 40 lacs to Tata iron and steel Coy Ltd for 3 months at 7% in 1917. I use to bring cheque of the Bank of Bombay before Sir D. J. Tata and he then gave to Mr Tadivala and ask me to take the deposit receipt.

It was in 1919 Sir

Sirapoorji Broachia gave me

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a cheque for Rs 50000 to give it
to Sir P.M. Mahla.

This was my life
when I was young under 30.

I was a J.P. as well
as Honorary Presidency Magistrate from
1918 to 1929.

I was a member of the
Willingdon Sports Club, Grint
Club, S.S.T. Club.

I have seen high life,
low life and now coming up again
due to my powerful starts.

It is no joke to write
P.M. 117 letters during last 4 years
without fear or favour.

With esteem & respect
Yours Sincerely
Ruttonchund Master