

Mon: 11<sup>th</sup> May '25

A woman named Dewarkabai who had been admitted in to the Hospital some days ago while of ~~an~~ unsound mind, was marked to have become normal again since yesterday. Contrary to her usual mutterings and shoutings she was quite silent yesterday.

While today she talked with Baba quite sanely and asked for permission to go back to her home with her father.

She was discharged from the hospital after Baba gave ~~her~~ advised her to be free minded and happy.

Her father was also instructed by Baba to look well after the patient, adding Baba said "If you trouble or pain her in anyway mind you, you will be paining and troubling me thereby"

Tue. 12. 5. 25

While Ajoba, (Mr. B. L. Pawar) was as usual, reading some pages from the Holy Bible before Baba, he was given interesting explanations on the deeper significances of some of its ~~contents~~ <sup>contents</sup> which immensely impressed the hearers including a ~~Christian~~ christian, college-student who was also there. Besides bathing the school boys today, Baba asked Rustum and Jamshed to give hot-baths to all the Hospital patients, followed by a personal enquiry and inspection by Baba of both these institutions. Mr. R. R. Keshavnik (a Brahmin) has been appointed a teacher over the untouchable boys.

Dadacharji's and Navals' efforts in continuing to provide open-air Cinema Shows occasionally to the boys and other villagers, <sup>have proved</sup> very successful. Today there was a record rush to such a show in the evening. During the performance a boy was marked to behave indecently. He was slashed and slapped by Baba and then driven away far beyond the 'Kaku-Kaku' (a distance of nearly a mile towards Nagar). During a topic

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on the unseen and unfelt ~~workings~~ spiritual workings  
Baba said " You eat to maintain your body with which  
you do all different works. The food is reduced to juices and  
then turned into blood. You know this but you cannot  
experience it with sight or feeling. Likewise the spiritual  
advancement of the 'connected ones' is going on decidedly  
but the parties concerned do not know it by sight or feeling.  
They are quite unaware of their such advancement but  
still they are advancing with certainty. The more one  
keeps beside a Sadguru the better for any one whether there  
is a 'connection' or not "

14.5.25. Thur:

The first thing in the morning, Baba examined  
all the boys as to how they had washed their mouths and faces.  
Almost everyone of them was individually examined. Those  
who were found with unclean teeth or eyes were asked to ~~wash~~  
go again for a wash and all were enjoined to be very clean &  
tidy. A blind man called Duddhe-Rushi had come for  
Baba's Darshan and gave an entertaining demonstration  
of choice Bhajan recitations and Moordang playing.

The remaining of the guests who had come for  
Inahsraji's birthday celebrations left Inaherabad for their  
respective destinations after Baba had had a separate  
interview with each of them.

Amongst the visitors to Baba, today, The Huzur Deputy  
~~and his family~~ of the District and his family were also included.

Fri. 15.5.25.

~~During the~~ Consequent to the great personal vigilance exercised by Baba, over all the minor and major points about the colony, it was found out by him that the rice were not properly cooked this afternoon for the untouchable boys. Baba became greatly upset over it. The lady, responsible for the cooking department was slapped and severely spoken to, while he ended by slapping and hitting himself with his own hands.

A leper woman was admitted in the Ashram today for whom Baba personally saw that feeding and other arrangements were properly made.

The boys of both the schools were distributed with clothes that were made ready by the staff-tailor.

One of the visitors today included an old man of about 80 years of age known as P. H. M. Gachka. Baba asked him to stay with the mandali till Achadashi after that he ~~was~~ was told he could go to Pandharpur where he is said to go every year since the last 47 years!

Baba played foot-ball for sometime ~~as~~ along with the school boys in the evening. Occasionally Baba takes an active share in the various games that the children play daily in the recreation hours.

Sun. 17.5.25.

In spite of the recent warning, again some of the boys were found not having had a proper wash this morning. They were once again taken to task for it.

Today Bekramji was given the 'privilege of the Razor' i.e. he was asked to ~~shave~~ trim the boy's hairs with a hand machine after which all of them were given a good through bath. In addition to his usual rounds Baba was marked coming to the hospital very frequently ~~now~~

Dec. 19. 5. 25.

Baba and a few of the mandali went to Mr. Mohan Shikhan's house this afternoon for tea in response to the latter's invitation. Arjoon asked Baba for permission to go home. Baba became very cross with him for this and reminded him of his promise of staying here for 4 months.

For a long time nig-nagging in the matter went on between Arjoon and Baba, when in the evening, it was finally decided, that the former should go home for a few days and join Baba ~~again~~ at Poona on his way to Salegaon where he and the party is to go in a few days.

Besides it was further agreed that after joining again Arjoon should not ~~to~~ even talk about going home for the next four months from the date of his return.

During the discussions Baba also warned Dickoo not to bring out the topic of going home at present under the pains of a great disaster. The two are the chief managers and teachers of the 'untouchable' section of the school which duty they carry on with great devotion and trouble.

The parents and guardians of the boys turned away from the school once again mustered strong before Baba, and requested for their re-entry. They were informed that the boys were not at all at fault for their dismissal but they themselves were the cause of the trouble. All showed regret for failing to keep to their promises of attending the Bhajan Kirtans and upon their giving a fresh solemn undertaking to do so in future the boys were taken in

to look after one of the school boys Kamble who was laid up in the hospital with fever. The boy was constantly enquired as to his wants and condition by Baba and once when he said he felt thirsty Baba gave him about 1/4 sec. of milk with his own hands and then asked him to sleep peacefully.

The untouchables and the Marathas were as long having their Bhajans separately in different rooms.

For the first time today, Baba asked the Marathas to recite their Bhajans in the same place where the untouchables were holding their Bhajans and thus both the parties prayed unitedly under one roof!

Mon. 18.5.25.

Owing to 'Akhadashi' today a Kirtan was arranged to take place today by Sw. Hardas and the local villagers were asked to come one and all. In spite of their promise to do so, the majority did not turn in. Upon this Baba became very angry. He sent away all the boys to their respective homes. The small Mandir prepared of Bamboo and Paper with Baba's photo in it for the untouchables boys to recite their Bhajans by was burnt to ashes after taking away the photo. Likewise the second Mandir containing Inehara's photo and made up of decorated cloth against wooden frames was also completely dismantled. Those who were present were asked to go away by Baba, after telling them that since they had no feelings or devotions he did not want anyone from Arunagon to come for his Darshans.