

COMPRADORISM,  
TIMES OF INDIA  
AND M.F. HUSAIN.

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to

Kishor Thakkar,  
lifelong enemy of comprodorism in every sphere,  
bosom friend,  
comrade-in-arms,  
internationally reknowned strongman and gymnast,  
world-tour-cyclist of 1930s,  
Subhash Bose's youth activist,  
trained pilot of the Japanese Air Force,  
founder of "Peoples' Mobile Hospitals," Bombay,  
my cellmate in Worli DD Chawls Jail in 1943.

How dearly I wish  
Kishor were alive to day  
to read this humble dedication  
to the indomitable spirit  
of an unsung hero of  
our national liberation movement.

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