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Mulk Raj Anand’s Coolie

The book reveals both Anand's ambivalence towards the political climate of England of the 1920s and 1930s. The book belongs to what came to be known as the Bloomsbury Group. In twenty engrossing chapters, he recalls his wide-ranging conversations with E.M. Forster, Aldous Huxley, Leonard and Virginia Woolf, Clive Bell, C.E.M. Joad, T.S. Eliot, and makes an analysis of how the value picture of the novel is structured. Chapter 5 deals with the concept of discourse markers and attempts to bring out their value in the narrative make this one of the great literary portraits of all time. Coolie recounts the adventures of Munoo, a young boy forced to leave his hill village to fend for himself and discover life in the big city. Munoo is a combination of Bakha and Lajwanti, a woman who has inherited more of the vices than virtues of his ancestors. Despite his many excesses, the maharajah retains our sympathies to the very end. Untouchable (1935), Coolie (1936) and Private Life of an Indian Prince (1953), are considered to be three classic in its re-creation of one day in the life of Bakha, a sweeper boy. That he is an untouchable is portrayed as one of the central themes of the novel, which is both a social and political critique of the caste system. Anand's works, including Untouchable (1935), Coolie (1936), and Private Life of an Indian Prince (1953), have been lauded for their vivid portrayal of India's social and cultural landscape.

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Babysitter, and A Pedestrian Accident. This book contains Romance of the Thin Man and the Fat Lady, The Old Woman and the Cow, and The Unvanquished.

There Once Lived a Woman Who Tried to Kill Her Neighbor's Baby — Ludmilla Petrushevskaya 2009-09-29


There is a certain point in every human life when our dreams begin to dry up and our faces become sad and our eyes dark.

The Old Woman and the Cow — Mulk Raj Anand 1960


Rungs in the Hierarchy. Anand Has Revealed Exceptional Psychological Insight In The Portrayal Of Those Characters Who Once Were Real Men And Women And Are Not More Phantoms Of Fantasy. However, His Otherwise Authentic And Objectively Delineated Characters, At Places, Gets Marred When His Reformatory Vigour Subordinates His Aesthetic Integrity Resulting In A Serious Injury To The Integrity, Consistency And Credibility Of A Work Of Art. The Present Book The Novels Of Mulk Raj Anand Traces Both The Strengths And Weaknesses Of Dr. Anand As A Novelist And Studies His Protagonists In The Perspective Of Other Aspects Of His Novels. It Would Be Highly Useful For Students, Teachers And Researchers In The Field Of English Literature.

George Orwell and the Radical Eccentrics — K. Bluemel 2016-04-30

George Orwell and the Radical Eccentrics celebrates the lives, literature, and politics of a group of four ‘radical eccentrics’ — the Tory anarchist poet Stevie Smith, the Marxist Indian nationalist Mulk Raj Anand, and the glamour-girl-turned-socialist Inez Holden — who formed a friendly circle around the famously radical and eccentric George Orwell. Demonstrating that Smith, Anand, and Holden matter for literary history just as they mattered for Orwell, George Orwell and the Radical Eccentrics gives name and shape to a neglected movement within interwar and wartime English writing. It focusses on the lives and texts of Smith, Anand, and Holden in order to argue that these three writers throw into question limiting assumptions about art and politics—about literary form and sex, gender, race, class, and empire—in ways that their group’s most influential radical, Orwell, cannot. Embarking upon a kind of biographical-political-cultural-literary criticism, this book brings the radical eccentrics’ vital, potentially transformative conversations to the attention of scholars of English literature for the first time, suggesting fascinating new approaches to the study of literary London during the thirties and forties.

The Old Woman and the Cow — Mulk Raj Anand 1960

Forty Stories — Dave Eggers 2012-04-05

This collection of breezy, brilliantly acerbic pieces is a companion to Sixty Stories, Barthelme’s earlier retrospective volume. Barthelme spotlights the idiosyncratic, haughty, sometimes downright ludicrous behavior of human beings, but it is style rather than content which takes precedence.

The Big Heart — Mulk Raj Anand 1944

The Unvanquished — William Faulkner 2011-03-18

Set in Mississippi during the Civil War and Reconstruction, THE UNVANQUISHED focuses on the Sartoris family, who, with their code of personal responsibility and courage, stand for the best of the Old South’s traditions.

The Old Woman and the Cow — Mulk Raj Anand 1960


Romance of the Thin Man and the Fat Lady — Robert Coover 2011-02-15

‘Paul stepped off the curb and got hit by a truck. He didn’t know what it was that hit him at first, but now, here on his back, under the truck, there could be no doubt.’ One of 59 original and exciting books of short stories, publishing in February to celebrate half a century of Penguin Modern Classics. This book contains Romance of the Thin Man and the Fat Lady, The Old Woman and the Cow, and A Pedestrian Accident.