## Are there any more animal fights?





water-tanker scene in our locality. Govardhan: Interesting. Did you enjoy it?

Ramesh: Enjoy? I cursed them. Govardhan: Whom?

Ramesh: The women involved in a fight. Govardhan: Why was there a fight?

Ramesh: There was a long queue. Govardhan: Quite natural.

Ramesh: The queue lengthened and lengthened before the tanker arrived. Govardhan: The queue grew longer and?

Ramesh: One woman suddenly came from the rear to the front. Govardhan: Jumped the queue?

Ramesh: She brought her pot over the head of a woman in the front. Govardhan: Did the pot break or the head?

Ramesh: The woman in the front protested. The invader retorted. Govardhan: Ok.

Ramesh: A verbal fight ensued. Govardhan: No wonder.

Ramesh: This led to pushing and shoving and scratching. Govardhan: Anticipated. Ramesh: And that led to hairpulling and fisticuffs.

Govardhan: The fight intensified. Ramesh: They swore at each other. They tore at each other's dress.

Govardhan: My God! Ramesh: The 'rear' woman spat at the 'front' woman.

Govardhan: An ugly thing to do.

Well you have

described it!

Ramesh: The 'front' woman spat into the pot of the 'rear' woman.

Govardhan: That was a catfight. How well you have described it!

## Ramesh: Catfight?

Govardhan: Catfight. Also called a fishfight. Bullfight, cockfight are other 'animal' fights.

Ramesh: Of course I know about the crazy cockfight.



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Ramesh: What a combat between our aircraft and their aircraft! Govardhan: Our aircraft has done incredible manoeuvres.

pot of the 'rear,

Woman.

Ramesh: Such a close-range combat. Govardhan: We were good at attacking.

Ramesh: They were not good at evading. Govardhan: Were they good at attacking?

Ramesh: Not at all. We were good at both attacking and evading. Govardhan: It was a breath-taking dogfight.

Ramesh: Dogfight? Govardhan: Yes. An aerial battle like this is called a dogfight.

Ramesh: Interesting! Are there any more animal fights? Govardhan: Animal fights?

Ramesh: I mean fights named after animals. Govardhan: Oh, yes. Do you remember the water-tap scenes in the lanes and bylanes?

Ramesh: Yes. And yesterday I witnessed a

