

# Indian Mining Round Table

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There is more of Coal in your life  
than you know of.....

A photograph showing a cross-section of a coal seam. The coal is dark, almost black, and has a rough, layered texture. The seam is set against a background of a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds. The text "Diamonds are Black" is overlaid in white on the lower portion of the coal seam.

Diamonds are Black

# Take a hard look



At good old coal – The Black Diamond

With COAL we have  
the electricity that lights  
our houses, offices, malls and roads.....



# COAL gives us the Power that Lights up our Lives



# There is COAL



In the Bridges  
that Connect  
US





In the cars that take us  
to our destinations



In the planes that fly us

In the ships & containers  
that ferry our cargo

The Pumps that water our agricultural fields are made of iron & steel with the help of coking coal



And runs on electricity generated from COAL power

# The Wind mills are made of Steel with the help of coking coal




**Even Solar energy cant be generated without using steel/coal**



From a safety pin to  
the tall buildings

**COAL  
influences  
our lives**





Each Tonne  
of Steel that  
we see  
around us

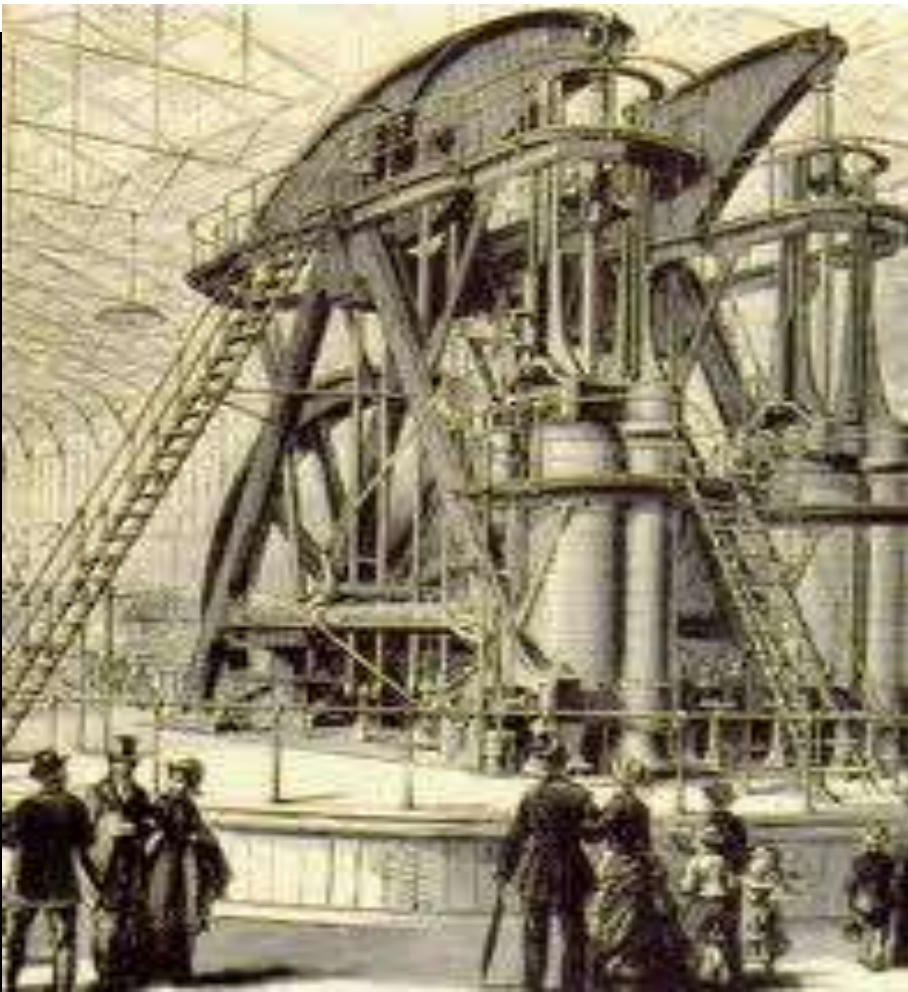
Has one tonne  
of coking coal  
in it



**It is COAL that has powered our  
Industries for ages**



Brought the industrial  
revolution of the West



And is engineering the  
economic growth of China  
and India



Even the tooth paste of our daily use has coal



And soda ash used in making washing powder is made with the help of coking coal



# Without COAL

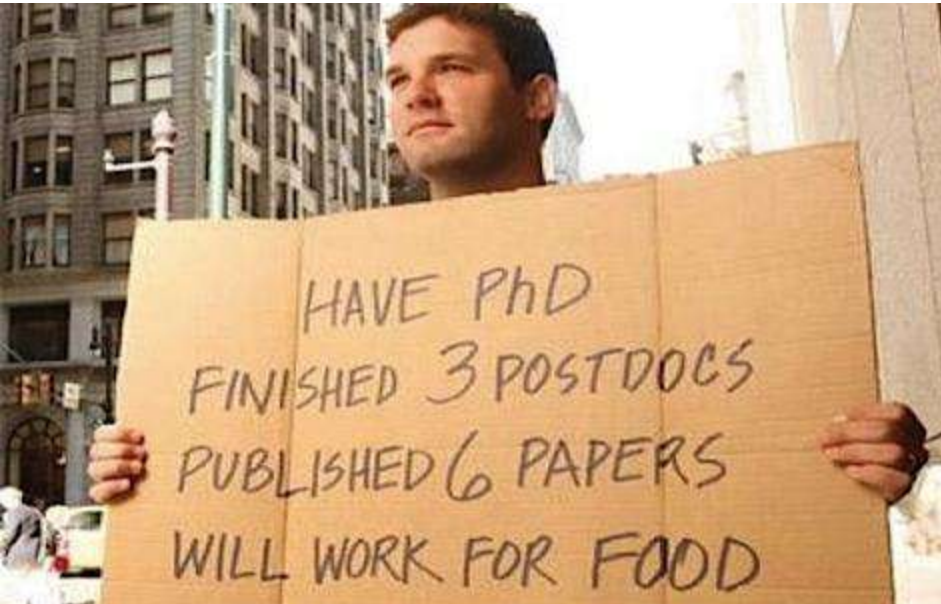


The Items of our daily use would either become unavailable or too costly – beyond the means of ordinary citizen

# Without COAL

Jobs would be lost in thousands

Unemployment would rise to humungous proportions



# Without Coal

Do we want  
to plunge  
into  
darkness ??



And cut  
trees to  
give us  
light ??





**Without COAL**

Do we want to  
Roll Back the  
Wheels of  
Civilization??



**Global Climate Change is a truth that we all must face but we need to ensure that facts and figures are not used to forcefully slaughter the human civilization in a fashion similar to the Y2K scare at the beginning of this millennium which turned out to be one of the biggest hoax calls in the modern era.**

**No Greenmail.**  
**No Eco Pornography.**  
**No sham.**

It is time to be  
more matured  
For the sake of  
Brotherhood of MAN