

Royal Hotel  
1/13 Nabha House  
Simla W.C.

ES/2/91  
19/2/53

I have seen all your films  
Ashok Kumar, Freddie Noyce,  
Nirupa etc etc.

I had read in the 'Illustrated weekly'  
and 'Filmfare' that you had been responsible  
for helping many a person like Ashok  
Kumar, Dilip Kumar etc finding a career  
in films. M/S Industrial Investment and Cine  
Finance Corporation (Cine India International)  
116, Ghodbunder Road, Kher, Bombay who  
had advertised for Actors and replied to  
my letters and acknowledged my photographs  
etc sent subsequently didn't inform me  
further to the news that they were building  
up a unit in Jullundur, although I have  
sent them reminders. Could you kindly help  
me either these or in any other sound film  
concern? I compare favourably with Ashok  
as regards height, personality, features, voice



etc and I met him last year when  
he came to Srinagar on Basant Panchami  
Day and stayed at the Cecil Hotel in connection  
with the shooting of the film "Poonam",  
with Kamini Kaushal etc, in which  
there are scenes of Kulu Valley etc also.  
I saw recently that you had shaken  
hands with the President of India in  
connection with the inauguration of the Dance  
Natak Akademi, in Delhi. While I  
had been to Allahabad in Dec '52 I  
learned that your son is studying at  
Mayo College, Ajmer - a boy of 10/12 yrs  
etc - from Sri Bhabani Charan Guin who  
held painting exhibition there. A youth of  
32 Summers I stood second in the varsity of  
Allahabad in B.A Exam. in 1942, qualified in written  
test of U.L. Civil Service and am employed in  
Normal Dept of Govt of India, Ministry of Finance  
for the last 8 years. I am known to Tagores,  
Nehrus, Mountbatten, Governors, ambassadors,  
Ministers, Speakers, Commanders in chief, Vice-presidents,  
Sri C.V. Raman, General Managers, Govt of India.



Maharajas, Mrs Roosevelt - 2  
Secretaries, Commissioners, Judges, Awtalpal  
Doctors, Barristers, Professors, Painters,  
Dancers, sportsmen etc. My father is  
Abani Nath Roy, famous author, Journalist  
and retired Deputy Controller of Military Accounts  
is related to late Raja Ram Mohan  
Roy. I know English, Bengali, Hindi,  
Urdu, Marathi, Sanskrit and Punjabi  
languages and <sup>have some foundation, public speaking etc</sup> my photo with President,  
Governors, Ambassadors etc came out in  
papers - many of them correspond with  
me and even visit my residence.  
In the circumstances it is strange that  
Ashok Kumar is introducing his brothers  
to films and not replying to my letters  
although his maternal uncle and aunt  
visited my residence. Would you kindly  
help me - at least reply to me, for which  
thanks in advance.  
Truly yours all day well - yours Sincerely  
Ashok Kumar Roy