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I was lucky to be in the amazing city of Rio, called cidade maravilhosa, gifted with the fantastic Ipanema and Copacabana beaches. I was sitting in the VIP area in the Estadio Rei Pelé.

Wow! I was gazing at the gauge showing the total medal count. The total count for

India was rising like crazy. It sped past China and the US. The feeling was unbelievable. It was exhilarating. I was on cloud nine. The gauge was comparable to the outdoor thermometer I have seen in Baker, CA

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on a hot summer day.

Suddenly there was a big noise. The Indian medal count was rising so fast that the gauge blew up. The noise woke me up. I had just taken part in a

triathlon. I was sitting on my recliner with India Journal in my hand. The big noise was from the breaking of a glass in the kitchen. By the way the triathlon I took part was in the dining room eating idli, vada and dosa!

We will have better luck in 2020!

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