

INDIAN PUNCH

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In addition to pioneering journals such as Oudh Punch, several other vernacular Punch magazines, including Indian Punch, emerged across India. These publications were inspired by the British Punch magazine and adapted its use of satire, humour, and caricature to comment on colonial rule and Indian society. By blending British comic traditions with indigenous political and cultural perspectives, they played a significant role in the growth of early Indian cartooning and the development of vernacular satirical journalism.