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The Elephant and the Skipping Rope

(original title unknown)

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Winchester's Screen Encyclopedia (1948) note:

"Fantasy. How an elephant teaches a little girl to skip. (English version, with commentary, of a Russian children's film.)"

[no listing in "Halliwell's Film Guide", "Leonard Maltin's Movie and Video Guide 2001", "Speelfilm Encyclopedie", "Bloomsbury Foreign Film Guide", "The Critics' Film Guide", "The Good Film and Video Guide", "Movies on TV and Videocassette 1988-89", "Rating the Movies (1990)", "The Sunday Times Guide to Movies on Television", "The Time Out Film Guide", "TV Times Film & Video Guide 1995", "Variety Movie Guide 1993", "Video Movie Guide 1993" or "The Virgin Film Guide"]

No further information currently available. Conceivably an animation, but equally possibly a blend of animation and live action, which would bring it within the archive's remit. It seems that commentary was used with foreign language imports as a cheap alternative to dubbing.

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