

## PICK OF THE WEEK



## Our Choice

50 First Dates (IMDb rating 6.8) on HBO, February 25 at 09:30pm  
 Directed by Peter Segal  
 Genre: Comedy/Romance  
 Adam Sandler, Drew Barrymore, Rob Schneider, Sean Astin, Lusia Strus  
 Henry Roth is a veterinarian living in Hawaii who enjoys the company of vacationing women. He leaves the playboy life behind after he falls for Lucy, who suffers from short-term memory loss. Since she can never remember meeting him, Henry has to romance Lucy every single day and hope that she falls for him.



## The Sport

Sri Lanka Tour of Bangladesh

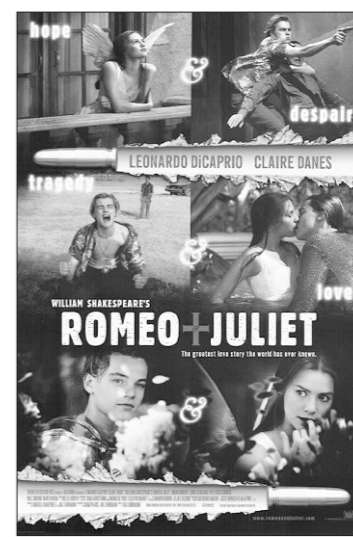
Live on Star Sports

3rd ODI from Chittagong

February 25 at 08:45am

1st Test begins

February 28 at 09:15am



## The Movie

Romeo + Juliet (IMDb rating 6.8) On Star Movies, March 01 at 09:05pm  
 Directed by Baz Luhrmann  
 Genre: Crime/Drama/Romance  
 Leonardo DiCaprio, Claire Danes, John Leguizamo, Harold Perrineau  
 Classic story of Romeo and Juliet, set in a modern-day city of Verona Beach. The Montagues and Capulets are two feuding families, whose children meet and fall in love. They have to hide their love from the world because they know that their parents will not allow them to be together. There are obstacles on the way, like Juliet's cousin, Tybalt, and Romeo's friend Mercutio, and many fights.

## Satellite TV



Fatal Attraction (IMDb rating 6.7) On HBO, February 27 at 09:30pm  
 Directed by Adrian Lyne  
 Genre: Drama/Thriller  
 Michael Douglas, Glenn Close, Anne Archer, Ellen Hamilton Latzen  
 Happily married New York lawyer Dan Callagher has an affair with his colleague Alex, and the two enjoy a love weekend while Dan's wife and kid are away. But Alex will not let go of him, and she will stop at nothing to have him for herself. Just how far will she go to get what she wants?



The Day After Tomorrow (IMDb rating 6.2)

On Star Movies, February 25 at 08:40pm

Directed by Roland Emmerich

Genre: Action/Drama/Sci-Fi/Thriller/Adventure

Dennis Quaid, Jake Gyllenhaal, Emmy Rossum, Dash Mihok, Sela Ward

The movie takes a look at what the world would look like if the greenhouse effect and global warming continued at such levels that they resulted in worldwide catastrophe and disaster, including multiple hurricanes, tornadoes, tidal waves, floods and the beginning of the next Ice Age.



Six Days Seven Nights (IMDb rating 5.6)

On Star Movies, February 26 at 09:25pm

Directed by Ivan Reitman

Genre: Action/Adventure/Comedy/Romance

Harrison Ford, Anne Heche

Taking a romantic tropical island week off with her boyfriend, an ambitious, decisive New York girl agrees to help her magazine out by covering a story on a neighbouring island. The only plane available is piloted by a laid-back heavy drinker with whom she shares a mutual dislike. But she has no choice and he can't refuse the money.



Cube 2: Hypercube (IMDb rating 5.6)

On Star Movies, March 02 at 10:30pm

Directed by Andrzej Sekula

Genre: Horror/Sci-Fi/Thriller

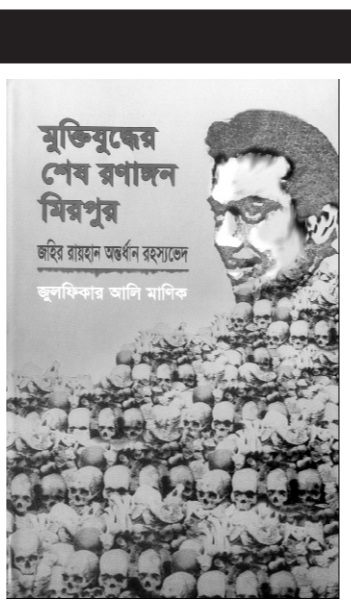
Kari Matchett, Geraint Wyn Davies, Grace Lynn Kung, Matthew Ferguson

In this sequel to the 1999 cult hit, eight more strangers wake up within a bizarre cube in which every door leads to more cubes just like the last, some of which are equipped to kill. As they explore their strange habitat, the prisoners come to realise that they are now inhabiting a strange dimension where the laws of everyday physics no longer apply.

## Books



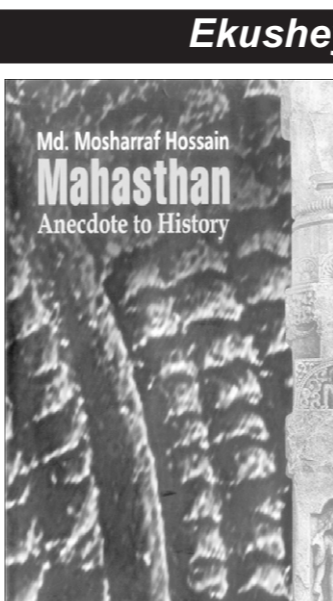
**Zia Hotyakando: Neel Nakshar Bichar**  
 (Zia Killing: A Blue Print Trial)  
 Price: Tk 75.00  
 Published by Somoy Prakashan



**Mahasthan**  
 Anecdote to History  
 Md Mosharrar Hossain  
 Price: Tk 100.00

Here are two books by veteran journalist Julfikar Ali Manik, presently a reporter of The Daily Star. The two books deal with two important incidents in the history of the country: the killing of military ruler Ziaur Rahman and the mysterious disappearance of eminent filmmaker-writer-journalist Zahir Rayhan.

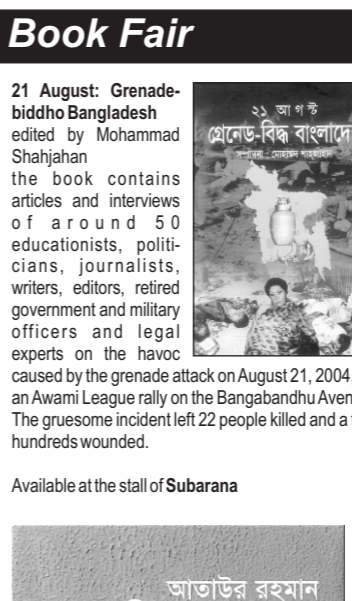
*Zia Hotyakando: Neel Nakshar Bichar* delves deep into the conspiracies following the murder of Lt Gen Ziaur Rahman in a military coup. Manik investigates into the court martial that hanged 13 army officers, sent 10 more behind the bars and awarded other punishment to others. And his investigation brings out the true nature of this trial as basically based on a blue print. *Zahir Rayhaner Antardhan Rahashyabhed* documents the last battle of our Liberation War in which the army and police freed Mirpur which, even after more than a month of victory, was still under the capture of some Pakistani army personnel, some Biharis and their collaborators—Razakars and Al Badars. Zahir Rayhan was martyred in that battle. Manik's interview with many witnesses constitute a sad tale of how this great personality dedicated his life for the country.



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The book deals with the art and archaeology of Mahasthan, the earliest historic site in Bangladesh, its ruins lying sprawling over at least 16 square kilometres area. Some of the findings of its heyday have been coming out both in accidental and excavated forms since the late 19th century, while a vast area of the site still remains uncovered. However, the discovered movable findings are also lying in a straggling disposition in different museums both at home and abroad. The book attempts to introduce most of these scattering artefacts chronologically.

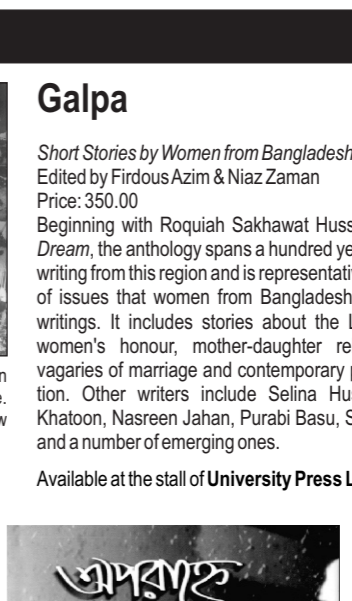
Available at the stall of Dibyaprabash



**Galpa**  
 Short Stories by Women from Bangladesh  
 Edited by Firdous Azim & Niaz Zaman  
 Price: 350.00

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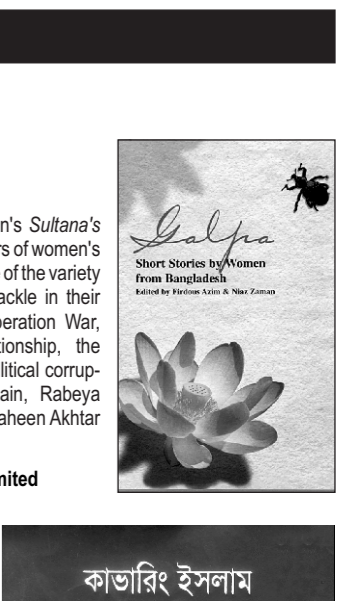
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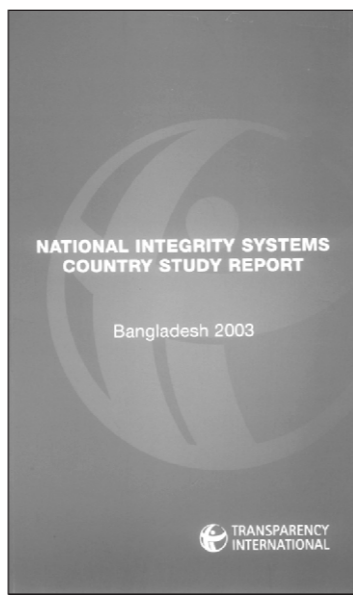


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Available at the stall of Sangbed at the Ekushey Book Fair

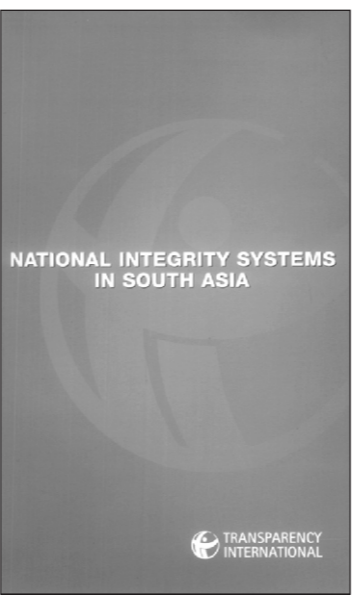
## National Integrity Systems Country Study Report



Available at Transparency International Bangladesh, House # 1, Road # 23, Gulshan 1

*Bangladesh 2003*  
 Divided in four chapters, the book deals with the causes, nature and consequences of corruption, executive branch of the country, parliament, Election Commission, political parties, the judiciary, various strategies and initiatives of the government for curbing corruption and the role of donor agencies.

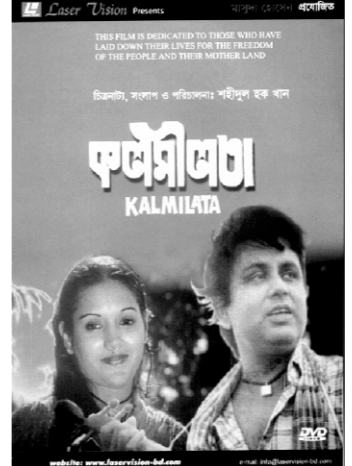
## National Integrity Systems in South Asia



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The book is intended to facilitate dissemination of the findings of the country studies on the National Integrity Systems in Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka carried out in 2003/4. It provides a summary of the findings covering the main issues, challenges and recommendations contained in the original Country Studies.

## CDs, DVD



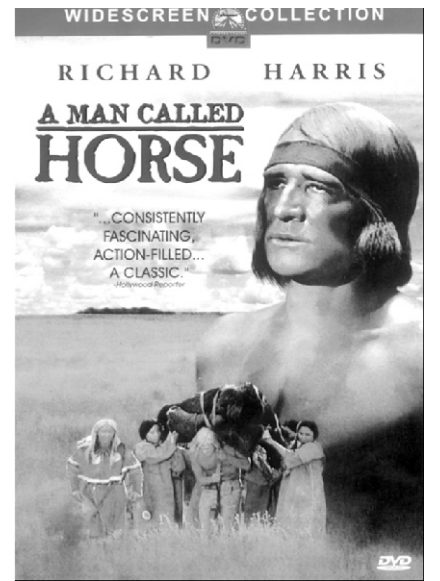
**Kalmi Lata**  
 Directed by Shahidul Haque Khan  
 Cast: Kabori, Bulbul Ahmed, Ilias Kanchan, Ariful Haque, Rani Sarker

Source: Laser Vision, 32 Sonargaon Road, Panibagh; Ph: 8622425, 9676191, 0189490959

## A Man Called Horse (1970)

Directed by Elliot Silverstein  
 Cast: Richard Harris, Judith Anderson, Jean Gascon, Manu Tupou, Corinna Tsopei  
 Price: Tk 120.00  
 In 1825, John Morgan, an English aristocrat, is captured by a tribe of Sioux Indians. Hoping to save his own life by proving his worth, Morgan undergoes the long, painful Sun Vow ritual, where he is hung in a tree by the flesh of his chest. This film, which paints a very detailed portrait of the Sioux customs and lifestyle, spawned two sequels: *Return of a Man Called Horse* and *Triumphs of a Man Called Horse*.

Source: Pathak Shamabesh  
 Phone: 9662766; Mobile: 0172590129; e-mail: pathak@bol-online.com



## TV GUIDE

All programmes are in local time. The Daily Star will not be responsible for any change in the programme.

### News Bulletin

**BTV**  
 News Headlines (Bangla) at 8:55 am, 12:10 pm, 2:00 pm, 3:00 pm, 4:00 pm, 7:00 pm.  
 News (Bangla) at 8:00 am 1:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 8:00 pm.  
 News (English) at 3:00 pm, 10:00 pm.  
 Late Night News (Bangla and English) at 11:30 pm.  
**CHANNEL-i**  
 News (Bangla) at 7:15 am, 9:00 am, 2:00 pm, 7:00 pm, 9:00 pm, 10:30 pm, 12:15 am.  
 Telecast of BTV news (Bangla and English) at 11:30 pm.  
**ATN BANGLA**  
 News (Bangla) at 7:00 am, 10:00 am, 2:00 pm, 7:00 pm, 10:00 pm, 11 pm.  
 News (English) 8:20 am, 7:00 pm  
 Telecast of BTV news (Bangla and English) at 11:30 pm.  
**TARA BANGLA**  
 News Headlines (Bangla) at 5:30 pm, 7:30 pm.  
 Tara News (Bangla) at 8:30 pm, 11:30 pm.  
 Tara News Bangladesh (Bangla) at 9:30 pm.  
**BBC WORLD**  
 Every hour on the hour

**BTV**  
 09:05 Sisimpur  
 09:30 Notun Kuri  
 11:45 Alor Dishari  
 12:30 Satellite programmes  
 03:25 Bangla feature film  
 07:05 Apuruj Bangladesh  
 07:30 Alif Laila  
 08:40 Drama Serial: Shei Koreche Bhul  
 09:25 Cine Magazine  
 10:25 Teknat Theke Tetulia  
 10:30 Talk Show: Laal Golap  
**CHANNEL-i**  
 09:50 Tritiyo Matra  
 10:30 Tele Shomoy  
 11:30 Islam Ki Bolei  
 12:05 Talk Show: Kora Alaap  
 12:30 Rang Berang  
 01:05 Bashundhara Amader Gaan  
 01:45 Public Reaction  
 02:40 Special Programme  
 04:20 Ekushey Book Fair (Live)  
 05:15 Janapader Khabor  
 05:30 Shamoiki  
 06:00 Music Plus  
 06:20 Bubble Up Music Net  
 07:50 Weekly Drama: Babarey Baba  
 09:35 DRockstar  
 10:00 Drama Serial: Shei Tumi Ei Turni  
**ATN BANGLA**  
 10:30 Islam Ki Bolei Amra Ki Kori  
 11:05 Islamic Programme  
 03:40 Binodon Jummabar  
 04:45 Ispahani Pure Snax Quiz Time  
**Rtv**  
 07:45 Shukhi Thakun Deho Money  
 09:30 Antorongo Alap  
 10:30 Amar Desh

05:00 Gram Ganjer Khabor  
 05:10 Shesh Akkhor  
 06:20 Amra Korbo Joi  
 Drama Serial: Neel Dongshon  
 08:30 Drama Serial: Choturhu  
 Drama Serial: Lal Neel Beguni  
 Drama Serial: Ek Jonomey  
 10:35 Gondhoraj Samsung Cine Aha  
**ntv**  
 08:35 Aajker Shokal  
 09:30 Biz Week  
 10:05 Shangskriti Ei Shoptaho  
 11:30 Ekhaney Amar Desh  
 12:30 Nn Amar Shodhan Kori  
 12:30 Mukhtangan  
 01:05 Smritir Janalay  
 01:30 Darse Hadees  
 02:35 Siddiqua Kabir's Recipe  
 03:15 Bari Char ThikThak  
 04:25 Cartoon: Fardi  
 05:20 Tiffiner Phankey  
 05:20 Shubho Shondhya  
 06:50 Ki Kolha Tahar Shathey  
 08:25 Drama Serial: Kachher Manush  
 Drama Serial: Urey Jai Bokpokkhi  
 Dindarpan  
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## PICK OF THE DAY



**Choturvu**  
 On ATN Bangla at 08:30 pm  
 Drama Serial  
 Cast: Tarin, Mim, Jitu Ahsan



**Urey Jai Bokpokkhi**  
 On ntv at 09:10pm  
 Drama Serial  
 Cast: Shaon, Faruk Ahmed, Dr Ezauul Islam

11:00 Weddings Of The World Drama Serial: Biyer Golpo	12:00 Drama Serial: Biyer Golpo	01:00 Praner Manush Achey Praney	02:30 Islamic Programme Drama Serial: Kala Koitor	05:00 Human Nature	05:30 Children's Programme Shurey Shurey Poth Chola	06:35 Antaranga Alap Drama Serial:	08:00	10:50 Biyer Golpo Drama Serial: Biraj Bou	11:50 Armageddon	12:00 Dying Young	01:40 The Dead Will Tell	03:10 Edward Scissorhands	04:55 King Arthur	07:00 The Village	08:50 Vertical Limit	10:55 Casino	STAR PLUS 11:30 Shanti 01:30 Kambakht Ishq	04:00 Kahiin To Hoga House Of Mouse Hercules 07:00 Kabhi Khushi Kabhi Dhoom 08:00 Sonpari 08:30 Shararat - Thoda Jadu Todi Naz 09:30 Miilee 10:00 Kya Bahoo Aur Baby 10:30 Baaboo Aur Baby 11:00 Kabhi Bahu Thi Kahiin To Hoga	06:30	07:00	07:30	08:00	08:30	09:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
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**STAR WORLD**  
 09:30 Oprah Winfrey Show  
 10:30 American Idol  
 12:30 Scrubs  
 01:00 8 Simple Rules  
 04:30 General Hospital  
 05:00 Desperate Housewives  
 06:30 The Simpsons  
 07:00 The King Of Queens  
 08:30 American Idol  
 09:30 Tna Wrestling  
 10:30 Monk  
 11:30 Seinfeld  
 12:30 Friends  
 01:30 From The Heart  
 02:30 Air Crash Investigation S2  
 03:30 Heaven And Empire- The White Elephant  
 04:30 Backyard Science  
 04:45 Doc Eureka  
 05:00 Serious: Arctic  
 05:30 Planet Wild  
 06:00 Snake Wranglers The  
 08:30 Built For Destruction  
 10:30 Interpol Investigates  
 11:30 Gorillas From Heart Of Darkness  
**ESPN**  
 12:00 Champions Tour Golf  
 The Ace Group Classic  
 Naples Fl Usa Final  
 Round(T)  
 02:00 Uefa Champions  
 League 2005/06  
 04:00 Motorsport Asia (T)  
 05:00 English Premier League  
 Preview (T)  
 05:30 Asian World Cup  
 Qualifiers 2006 Fifa  
 World Cup  
 08:30 Sportscenter India  
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 A1 Grand Prix  
 Highlights South Africa  
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 11:30 Sri Lanka Tour Of  
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**STAR SPORTS**  
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 Highlights(R)  
**NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC**  
 09:30 Frontlines Of  
 Construction  
 The Swenkas  
 11:30

11:30 Golf Focus (R)  
 12:00 Fa Cup Fa Cup 2005/06  
 Round 5(T)  
 02:00 World's Strongest Man  
 Qualifier(R)  
 03:30 Max Power Max Power  
 2006 (R)  
 04:30 Extreme Programming  
 Sports Mania (T)  
 05:30 Pakistan 4th Odi  
 Highlights(R)  
 06:30 Cricket Classics Close  
 Encounters (T)  
 07:00 Nba Inside Stuff (T)  
 07:30 Cricket Classics England  
 Vs West Indies (R)  
 08:30 Tri-Series In Australia  
 Vb Series 2nd Final  
 Highlights(T)  
 09:30 Locker Room (T)  
 10:30 Sportscenter India  
 Sportscenter Update (T)  
 10:32 Tna Ppy Final  
 Resolution (T)  
**TEN SPORTS**  
 10:00 Legends  
 11:30 Hockey: Pakistan v  
 India  
 12:00 Total Rugby  
 01:00 Trans World Sports  
 02:00 Athletics World Show 06  
 03:00 Golf Highlights  
 03:25 Gillette World of Sports  
 05:00 Hockey: Pakistan v India  
 05:30 European Tour Weekly  
 06:30 WWE: Velocity  
 Watsons Water  
 Challenge  
 09:00 Hockey: Pakistan v India  
 09:30 Volvo Race  
 11:00 Indian Golf Show