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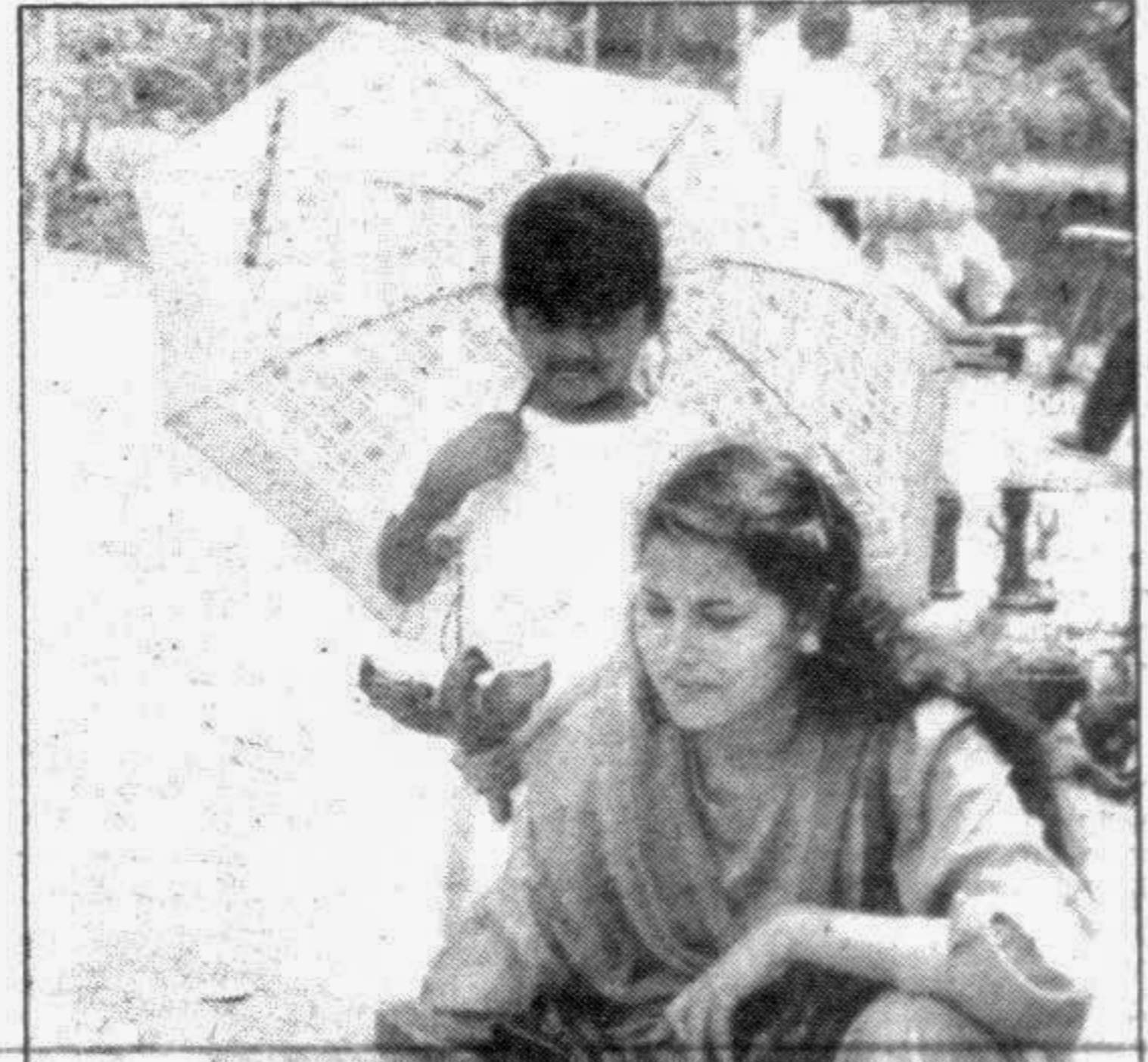
A view of the massive crowd milled around the Ramna Park, Suhrawardy Uddyan and Shahbagh areas on the occasion of Pahela Baishakh Wednesday.



Birds, masks and what not lent variety to the various processions.



Members of Chhayanaut presenting their traditional Pahela Baishakh musical soiree.



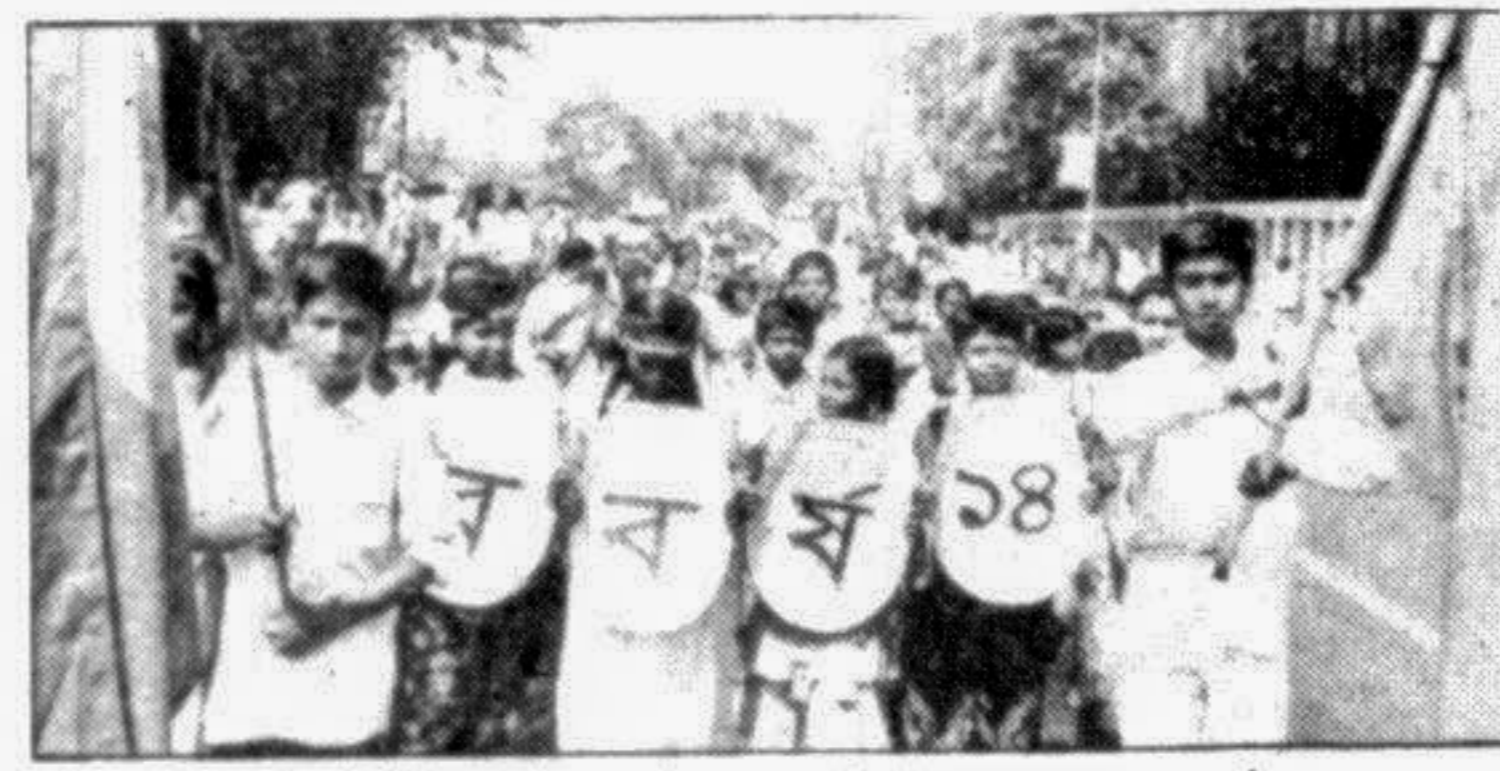
Clay toys and pottery on sale at the BSCIC mela.



Portraits of some luminaries of Bangla literature and arts were carried by some processionists.



A typical Bengali village wedding scene.



School children brought out their own procession.

Photographs by The Daily Star staffers AKM Mohsin and Enamul Haq.



Scene from a traditional jatra at the Ramna Batamul.



Bengali culture takes a ride on the familiar vehicle of rural Bangladesh.



Agitated youths pull down part of the Suhrawardy Uddyan fencing.