

Pick of the week



The Show

Sovon Som's Retrospective

Inauguration June 9, Gallery 21

Sovon Som's—art-critic, painter and former Professor, History of Art, Rabindra-Bharati University, India—retrospective exhibition will be inaugurated by Professor Kabir Chowdhury at 5:30 pm.



The Sport

World Cup Football

The greatest show on earth kicks off at 9:30 pm Bangladesh time on BTV

Brazil vs Scotland

Venue: St-Denis



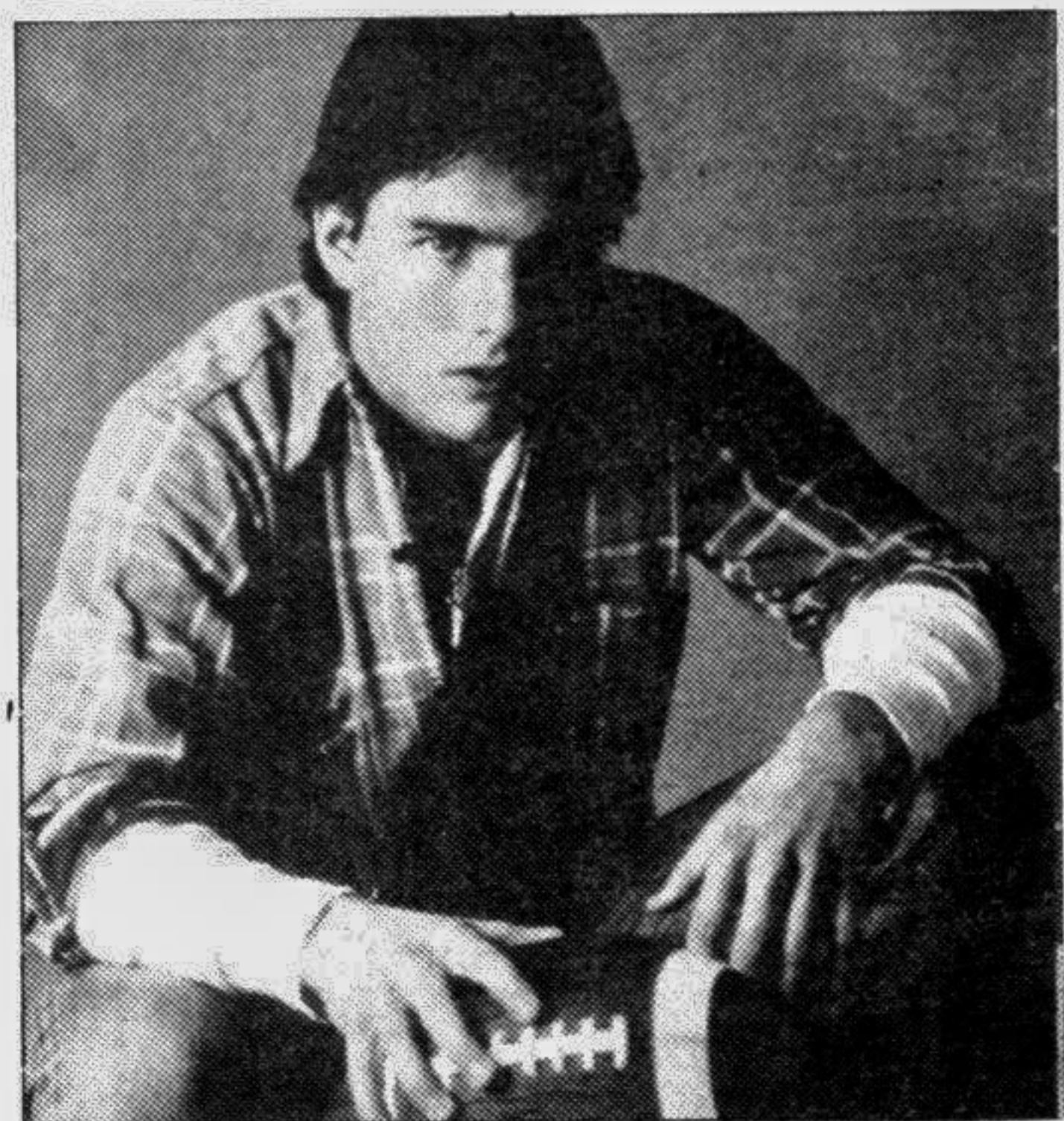
The Movie

Mega Movie: Major League

June 6th at 10:00 pm on Star Movies

In this hilarious comedy, the baseball team, the Cleveland Indians, find themselves headed for oblivion when the new owner, a former showgirl, decides to put together the worst possible team in a bid to move the franchise to Miami, where the weather is better and she can get a better stadium deal. Starring Charlie Sheen, Corbin Bernsen, Tom Berenger and Rene Russo.

Satellite TV



Action: All the right moves

June 9th at 10:00 pm on Star Movies

Tom Cruise stars in this realistic drama as a high school football player from a small steel town who struggles to achieve a college athletic scholarship.

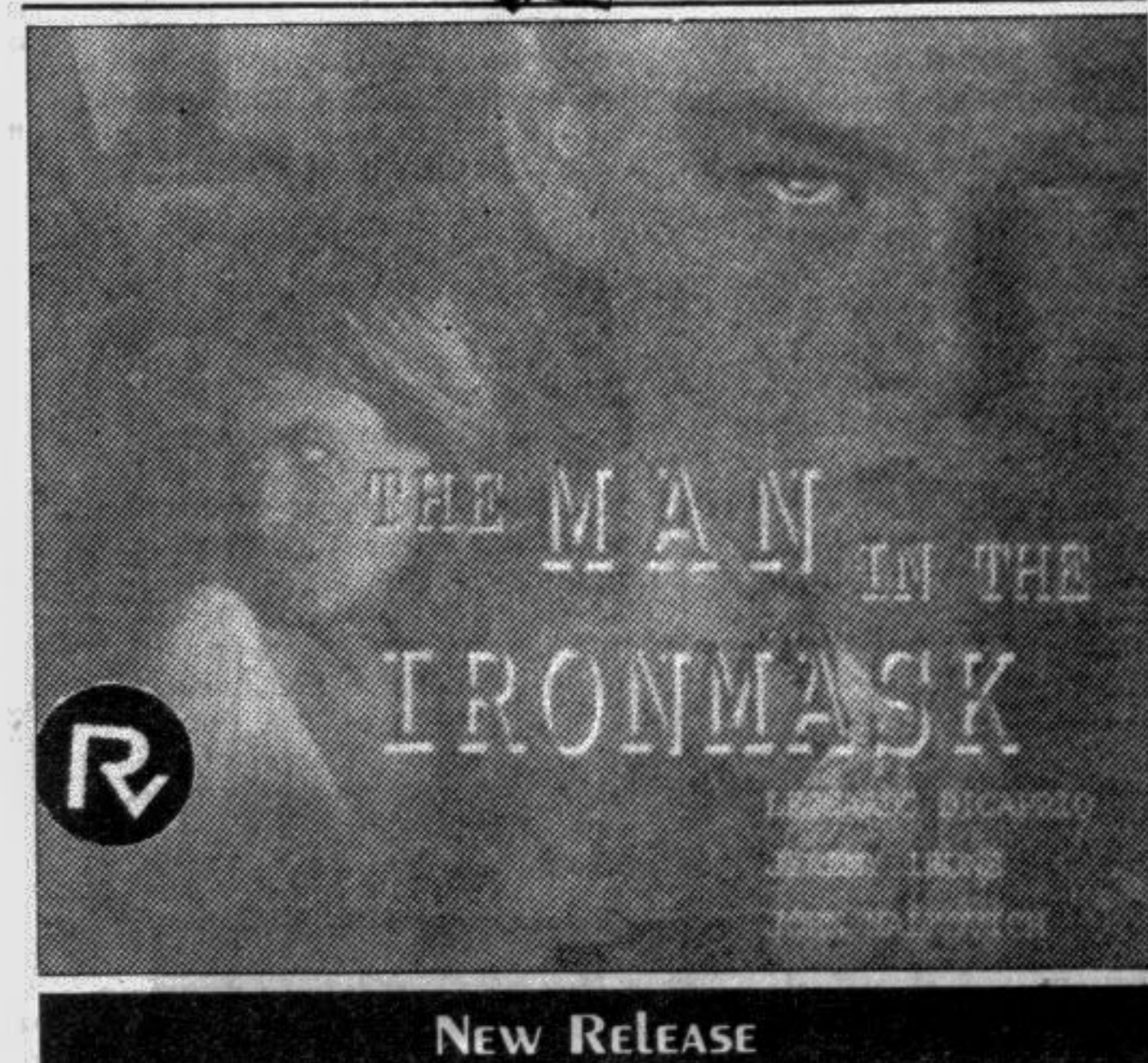


Independence Day

June 10 at 11:45 on Star Movies

In this mega blockbuster, Jeff Goldblum is a computer genius, who, along with Will Smith, sets out to save the world when powerful aliens look set to destroy the globe. The film broke box office records when it debuted in 1996 and catapulted Smith into a multi-million dollar star.

Video/CD



NEW RELEASE

Dusmon—Sanjoy Dutt/Kajol  
Sham Ghan Sham—Arbas Khan/Chandra Chore/Puja  
The Man in the Iron Mask—His/Act—Leonardo Dicaprio/Jeremy Iron  
City of Angels—Rom/R—Nicolas Cage/Meg Ryan  
Scream-2—Hor/R—Dabit Arquette

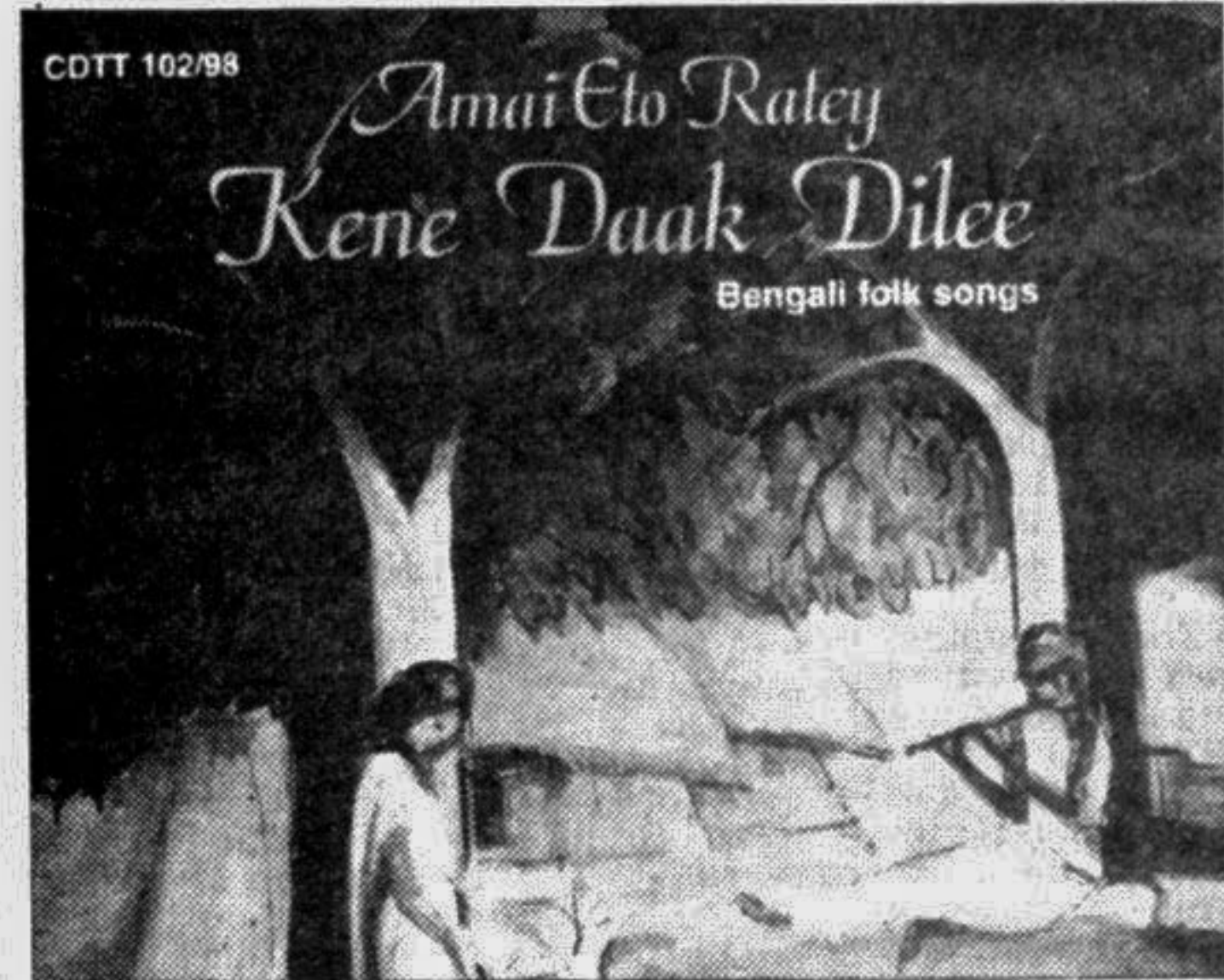
Top-10 (Hindi)

Jab Pyar kisi se Hota Hai—Salman Khan/Twinkle Khanna  
Duplicate—Sharuk Khan/JuhiChawla/Sonali Bendra  
Pyaar Kya to Dama Kya—Salman Khan/Kazal  
Dil to Pagal Hai—Sharuk Khan/Madhuri/Karisma  
Jeans—Aishwaria Roy  
Sham Ghansham—Arbas Khan/Chandrachore/Puja Bhatta  
Keemat—Aksay K/Saif Ali K/Rabina/Sonali  
Aunty No-1—Govinda/Ravina Tendron  
Zor—Sunny Deowl/Susmita Sen  
Qila—Dilip Kumar/Rekha

Top-10 (English)

As Good as it gets (Osker)-97—Comd—Jack Nicholson/Helen Hunt  
Titanic (Osker)-97—True Story—Leonardo Dicaprio/Kate Winslet  
The Man in the Iron Mask—His/Act—Leonardo Dicaprio/Jeremy Iron  
City of Angels—Rom/R—Nicolas Cage/Meg Ryan  
Scream-2—Hor/R—Dabit Arquette  
Black Jack—Act—Johnwoo  
Face off—Act/R—Nicolas Cage/John Travolta  
Mouse Hunt—Com/PG  
Home Alone-3—Com/PG  
Tomorrow Never Dies-007—Act—Pierse Brosnan  
Courtesy by Rose Valley: Phone: 608265/603065

Cassettes & CDs



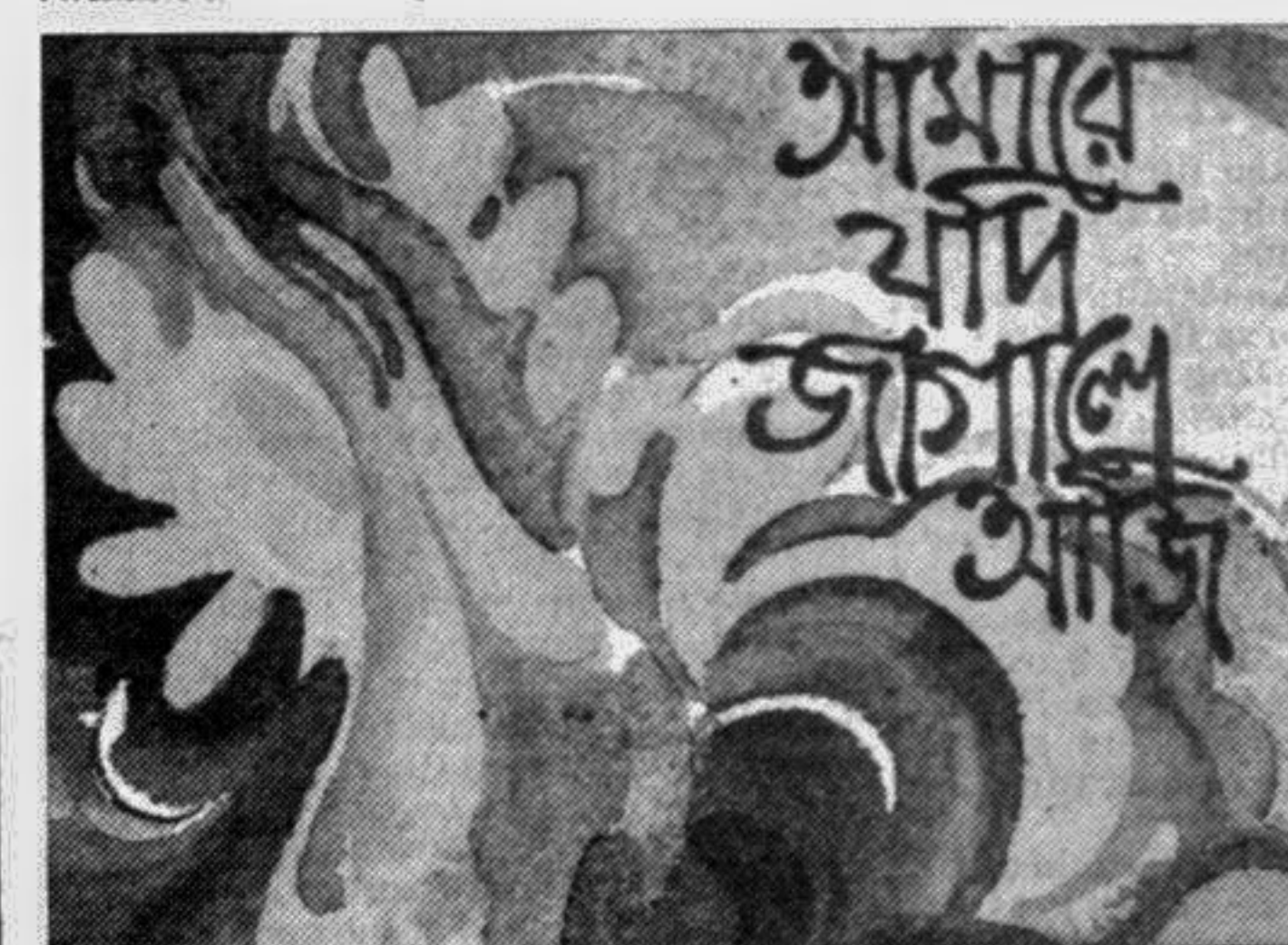
AMAI ETO RATEY KENE DAAK DILEE

Bengali folk songs  
A Tona Tuni production  
Tk 425/-



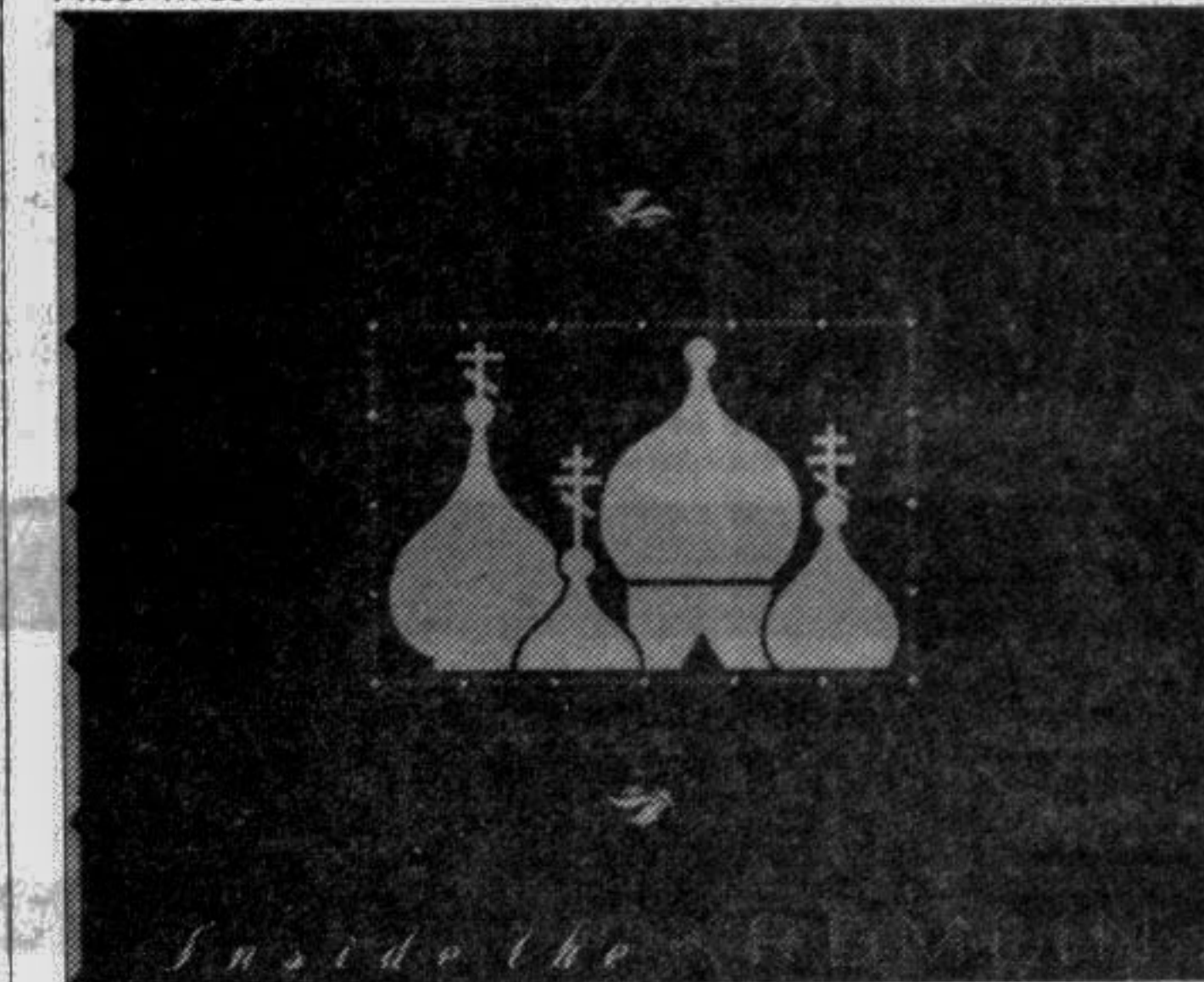
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Bengali folk songs instrumental  
A Tona Tuni Production  
Tk 425/-  
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AMARE JODI JAGALE AJJI

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Price: Tk 350/-



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Price: Tk 700/-  
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Vocal Recital  
Price: Tk 90/-  
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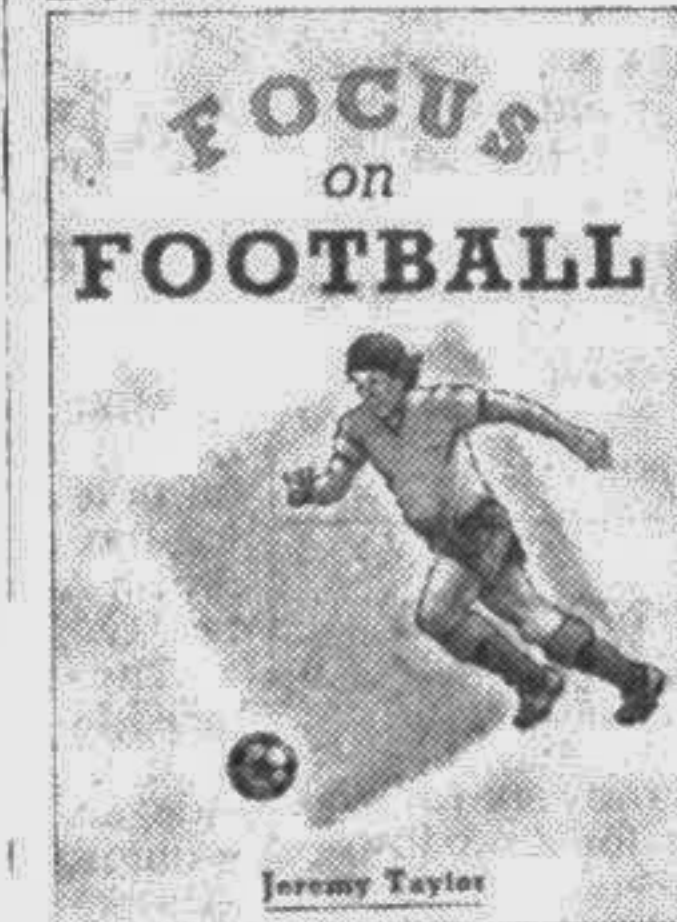


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Series  
Ulhas Kashalkar  
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Price: Tk 110/-  
Available at Dhruvadee, Aziz Market, Shahbagh

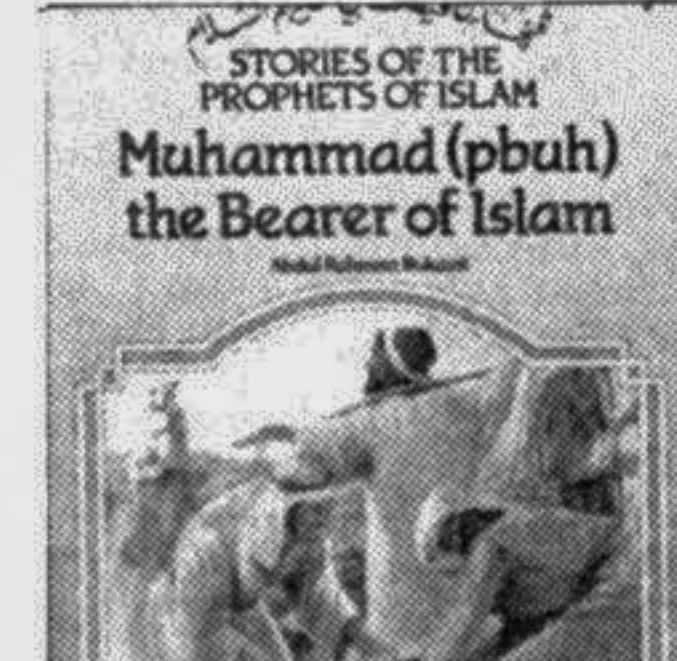
Kids Corner

Books



FOCUS ON FOOTBALL

Author: Jeremy Taylor  
Publisher: Elias-Hoopoe  
Price: Tk 216/-  
Focus on Football is your book on football in Egypt and the world. When did a battle stop for a game of football? Where did Mokhtar el-Titch get his name from? Who scored more than 1,200 professional goals? What must a referee carry in his pocket? Which is the biggest stadium in the world?  
Available at NSU Book Shop, Star Tower, 12, Kamal Ataturk Avenue  
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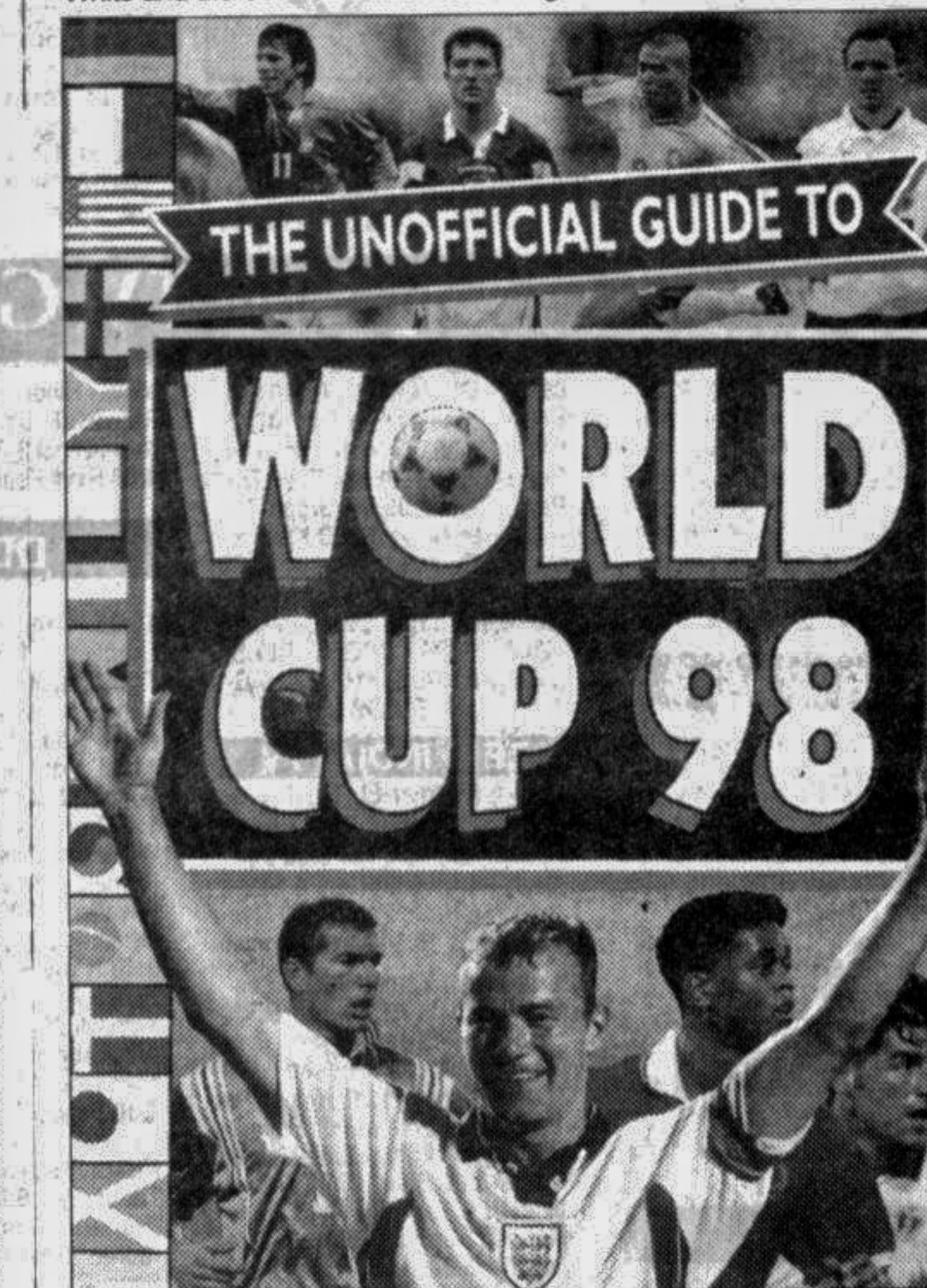
MUHAMMAD (pbuh) THE BEARER OF ISLAM

Author: Abdul Rahman Rukaini  
Publisher: Macmillan  
Volume 10  
Price: Tk 300/-  
Each of the ten volumes of the series contains stories selected from the Quran, from the time of adam to the time of the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) and great care has been taken to ensure that the language level is appropriate for young readers while maintaining the beauty of the Islamic text. The stories include many quotations from the Quran.  
Available at NSU Book Shop, Star Tower, 12, Kamal Ataturk Avenue  
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3 BEDTIME TALES

Author: Maureen Spurgeon  
Publisher: Brown Watson  
Price: Tk 120/-  
This beautifully illustrated collection of Fairy Tales contains three of the most popular children's stories. Goldilocks and the Three Bears Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs Red Riding Hood.



THE UNOFFICIAL GUIDE TO WORLD CUP 98

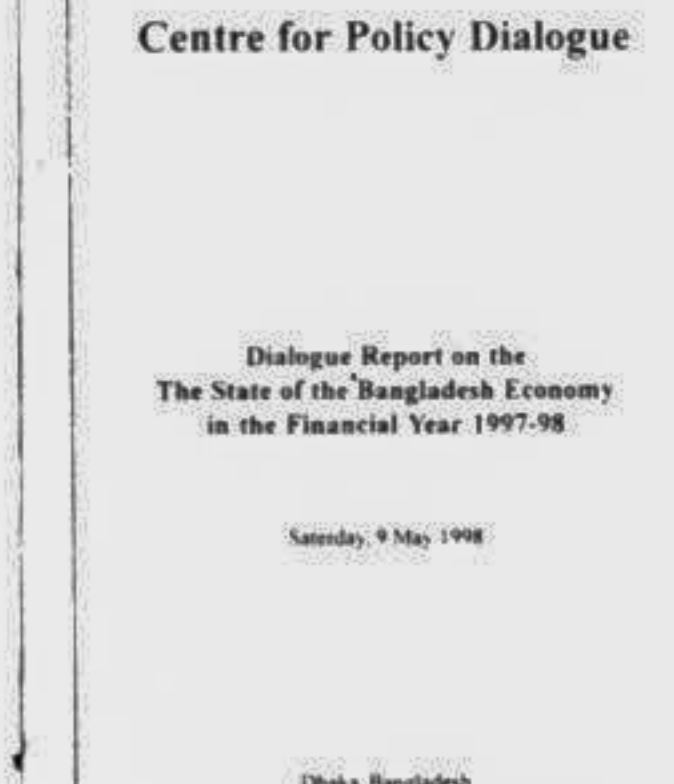
Author: David Prole  
Publisher: Ladybird  
Price: Tk 159/-  
This complete championship guide includes: \* the lowdown on all the top teams and star players \* a day by day guide to the important fixtures \* a quiz to test how hot you are on World Cup trivia \* the chance to pick your own dream team \* tables to record results and stats, match by match.  
Available at Pathak Samabesh, Aziz Market, Shahbagh. Ph: 9662766

New Books



PLAY ROCK GUITAR

Author: Mike Clifford  
Publisher: Salamander Books  
Price: Tk 982/-  
Rock has always been dominated by one instrument: the electric guitar. From '60s giants such as Jimi Hendrix, to modern masters like Eddie Van Halen, rock guitar is the most potent sound in music—and skilled guitar players are more in demand now than ever.



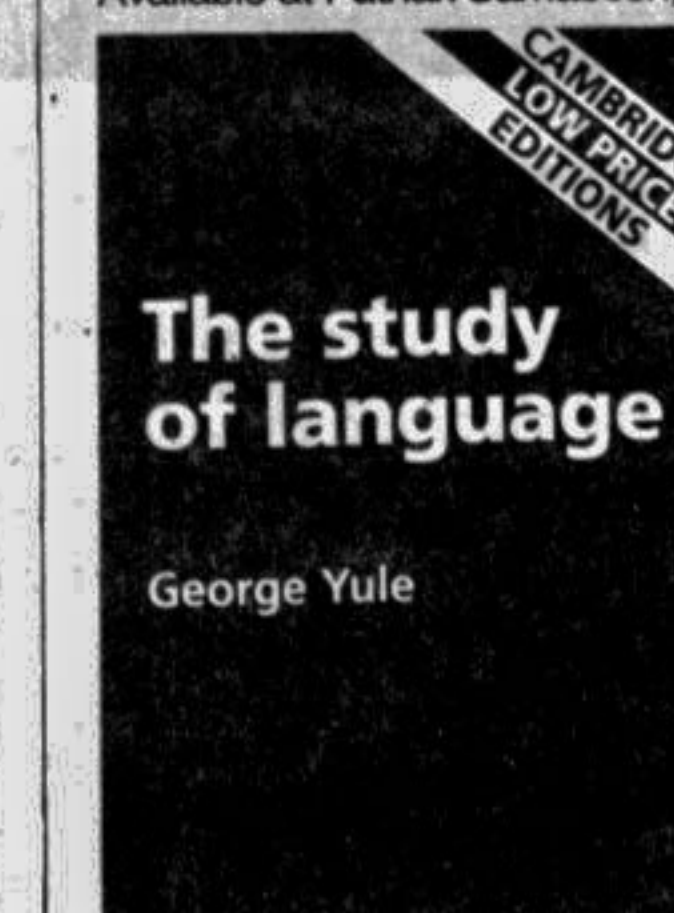
CPD DIALOGUE REPORT

The State of the Bangladesh Economy in the Financial Year 1997-98  
Price: Tk 25/-



DESCRIPTION OF A STRUGGLE

Author: Michael March  
Publisher: Picador  
Price: Tk 639/-  
Description of a Struggle gathers together some of the finest and most arresting prose from Eastern Europe. By focusing on sixteen former communist countries this collection brings to the fore a devastating range of fiction conceived and branded during the Cold War.  
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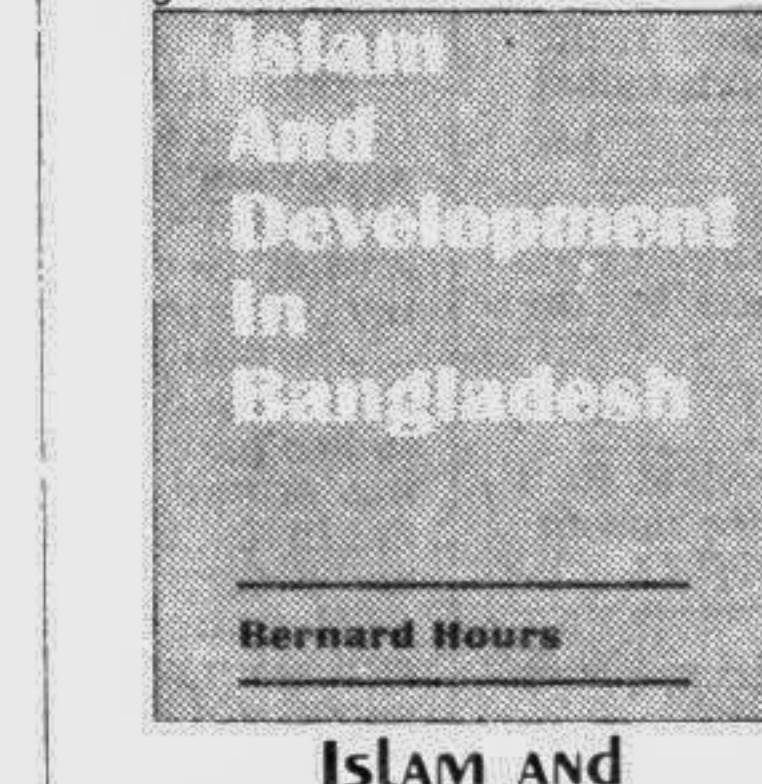
THE STUDY OF LANGUAGE

Author: George Yule  
Publisher: Cambridge University Press  
Price: Tk 130/-  
This classic introductory textbook provides an accessible survey for students of the basic issues and topics involved in the study of language. Its twenty chapters, comprehensively cover ideas about the origin of language, the relationship between language and animal communication, how languages change over time and how language is affected by various social, cultural and regional factors.  
Available at ELT Book Shop, British Council Teaching Centre, Satmasjid Road, Dhanmondi, Ph: 9116545



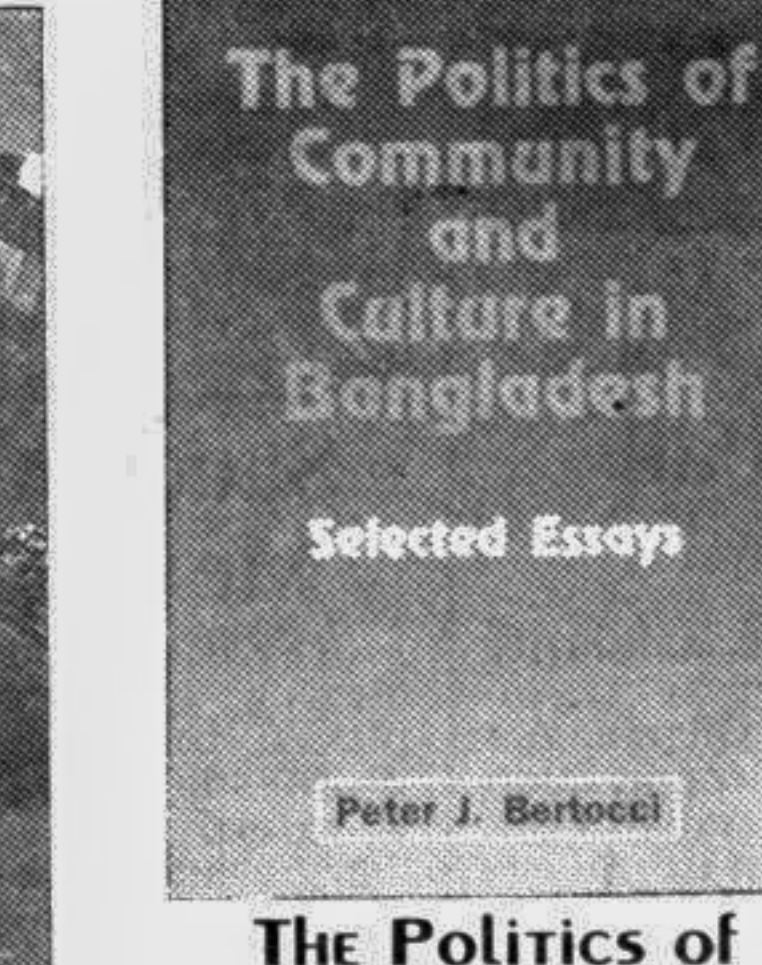
WORLD MUSIC THE ROUGH GUIDE

Editors: Simon Broughton, Mark Ellingham, David Muddyman and Richard Trillo  
Publisher: The Penguin  
Price: Tk 1359/-  
The Rough Guide to World Music spans the music of seventy different countries and regions—everything from salsa to soukous, cajun to calypso, rai to quwwail. The detailed coverage brings together more than sixty expert contributors, whose feature articles take in the music to be seen and heard live around the globe, as well as on record.



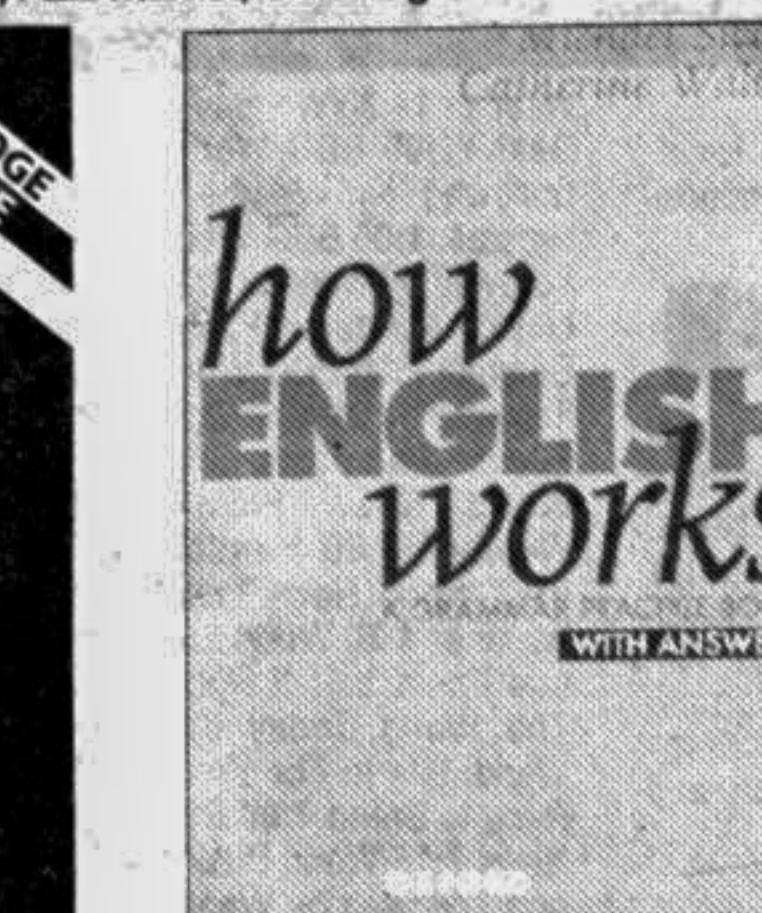
ISLAM AND DEVELOPMENT IN BANGLADESH

Author: Bernard Hours  
Publisher: Centre for Social Studies  
Price: Tk 200/-



THE POLITICS OF COMMUNITY AND CULTURE IN BANGLADESH

Author: Peter J. Bertocci  
Publisher: Centre for Social Studies  
Price: Tk 200/-  
This book is an anthology of essays written by Peter J. Bertocci between 1979 and 1989. The themes are varied: social structure and the peasant society, marriage alliances and cultural constructs, national politics.



HOW ENGLISH WORKS

Author: Michael Swan & Catherine Walter  
Publisher: Oxford University Press  
Price: Tk 760/-  
How English Works makes grammar practice interesting. Rules are easy to understand and remember; exercises entertain as well as teach. Learners who want to use the book for self study are guided in their learning and teachers who want to use the book in class will find extra exercises for group work. If you are an intermediate or advanced learner, How English Works offers you.

Spotlight



Circus Circus

Mahila Samity, June 5, 7 pm  
A circus company arrives at the village Navagram. There are no end of troubles in the group—not all its players are skilled enough and their exists a strained relationship among the members. As if to worsen the situation, some fundamentalist people put obstacle before the company in their attempt to stop the show. Shadhan Das finds himself in a dilemma. Suddenly everything appears to be unfamiliar, strange and threatening. Shadhan faces hostility not only from outside the company but also from within. A female member of the company goes missing, the mother tiger gradually becomes weak, and the other members turn strangely incomprehensible to each other. In such a precarious moment the attack was launched on the group by the local bigots who unleashes a reign of fury and hatred. "The Great Bengal Circus" was totally gutted by the fire along with its three players. Among its ruins somebody is seen looking for the tiger which was expecting cubs.