

Pick of the week



The Musical

[V] Mainstage: Abba  
July 12th at 9:30 PM on Channel [V]  
Abba blazed like a supernova at the end of the seventies, but their hits are still alive. Abba in Concert was shot in 1979 mainly at London's Wembley Arena where Abba provided their audiences with one hit after another.



The Serial

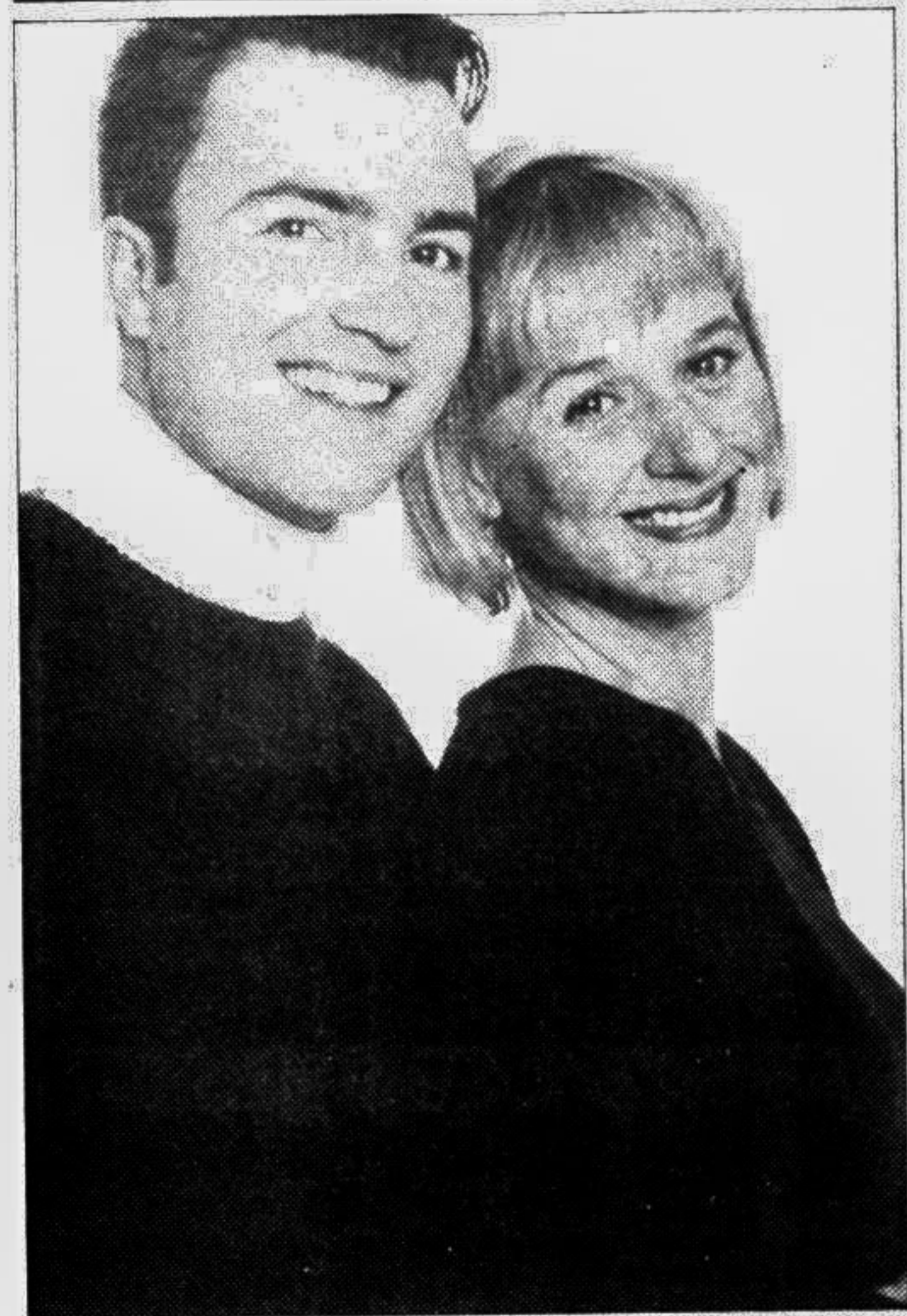
The Knock  
July 8th at 7:00 PM on Star World  
Tim Danson, staying at Eddie Davies' while his father deals with an incoming consignment of tobacco on the Suffolk coast, secretly phones his mother before Eddie cuts off the call. Meanwhile, the Germans have tracked Danson to Suffolk but an attempt to assassinate him fails and Danson again escapes. When Mrs. Danson phones the police, they find Danson's Suffolk house, and Customs are alerted.



The Sport

Quarterfinals  
The World Cup '98  
July 3 Italy vs France, 8:30 pm BST  
July 3 Brazil vs Denmark, 1:00 am BST  
July 4 Argentina vs Holland, 8:30 pm BST  
July 4 Germany vs Croatia, 1:00 am BST

Satellite TV



HEARBEAT

July 6th at 10:30 on Star Plus  
In *The Frighteners*, Greengrass complains to Nick that he has been shot at, while on a public right of way, by a local landowner, Raymond Walker. Nick follows the matter up, and urges Walker not to take the law into his own hands. Later he arrives at Ashfordly Police Station to find that Walker has complained to Blaketon about Nick's attitude. In any dispute, Blaketon is bound to take Walker's word against that of Greengrass... Meanwhile, Kate is approached by Jennifer, who is worried about her recently-widowed mother, Jane. Jane lives alone in a charming cottage, but Jennifer doubts whether she should for much longer; for a start she talks to her dead husband, Charlie, incessantly. Kate visits Jane, and learns that she has been receiving menacing telephone calls late at night, and since she stopped answering the phone, people have been banging on the doors and windows... While there is a possibility that Jane imagined this, Kate mentions the matter to Nick.

Video/CD



MAJOR SAAB  
IN DEFENCE OF LOVE  
New Release

Major Saab — Amitab B/Ajoy Devgiri/Sonal B  
Fix Day Seven Night — Act-Harrison Ford  
Beretta's Island — Adv/Act

Top-10-Hindi

- Major Saab — Amitab B/Ajoy D/Sonal B
- Ghulam — Amir Khan/Rani Mukherjee
- Jab Pyar Kisise Hotahai — Salman Khan/Twinkle Kanna
- Duplicate — Shahrukh Khan/Uhul/Sonal
- Gharwali Baharwali — Anil Kapoor/Ravina Tendon
- Pyar Kya to Daamkya — Salman Khan/Kajol
- Salaakhen — Sunny Deol/Ravina Tendon
- Jeans — Aishwaria Roy/Parsant
- Dushman — Sanjoy Dutt/Kajol
- Yugpurush — Nana P/Monisha/Jacky

Top-10-English

- Knock Off — Act — Vandamme
- The Glimmer Man — Act — Steven Seagal
- As Good As Its Gets — Com. — Jack Nicholson/Helen Hunt
- The Man in the Iron Mask — Hist/Act — Lenardo Dicaprio
- City of Angels — Rom. — Nicolas Cage/Megryan
- Black Jack — Act — Jhonwoo
- Home Alone-3 — Com
- Fix Day Seven Night — Act — Harrison Ford
- Mouse Hunt — Com/PG — Lee Evans
- Beretta's Island — Adv/Act

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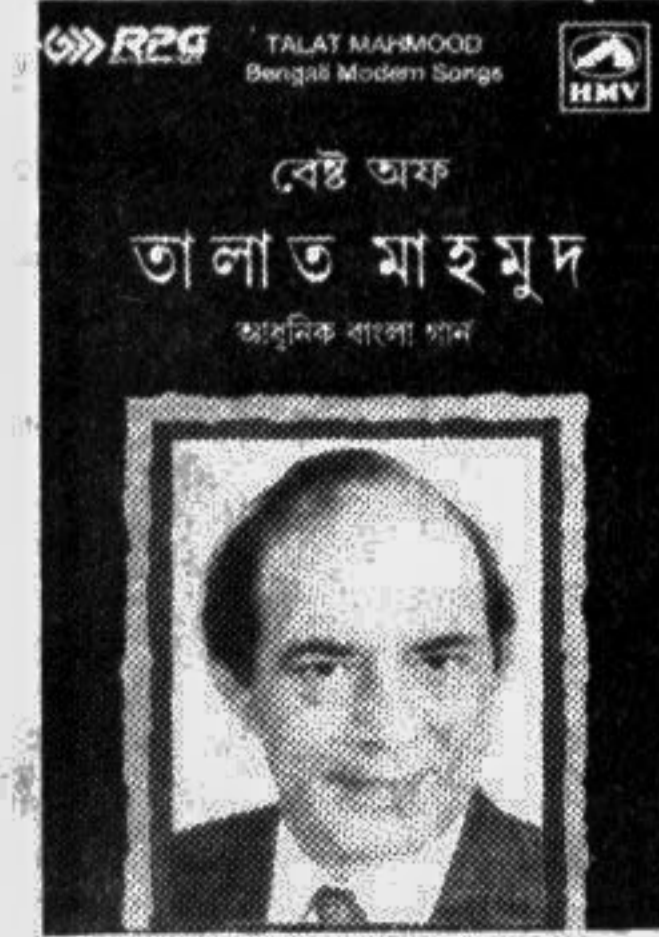
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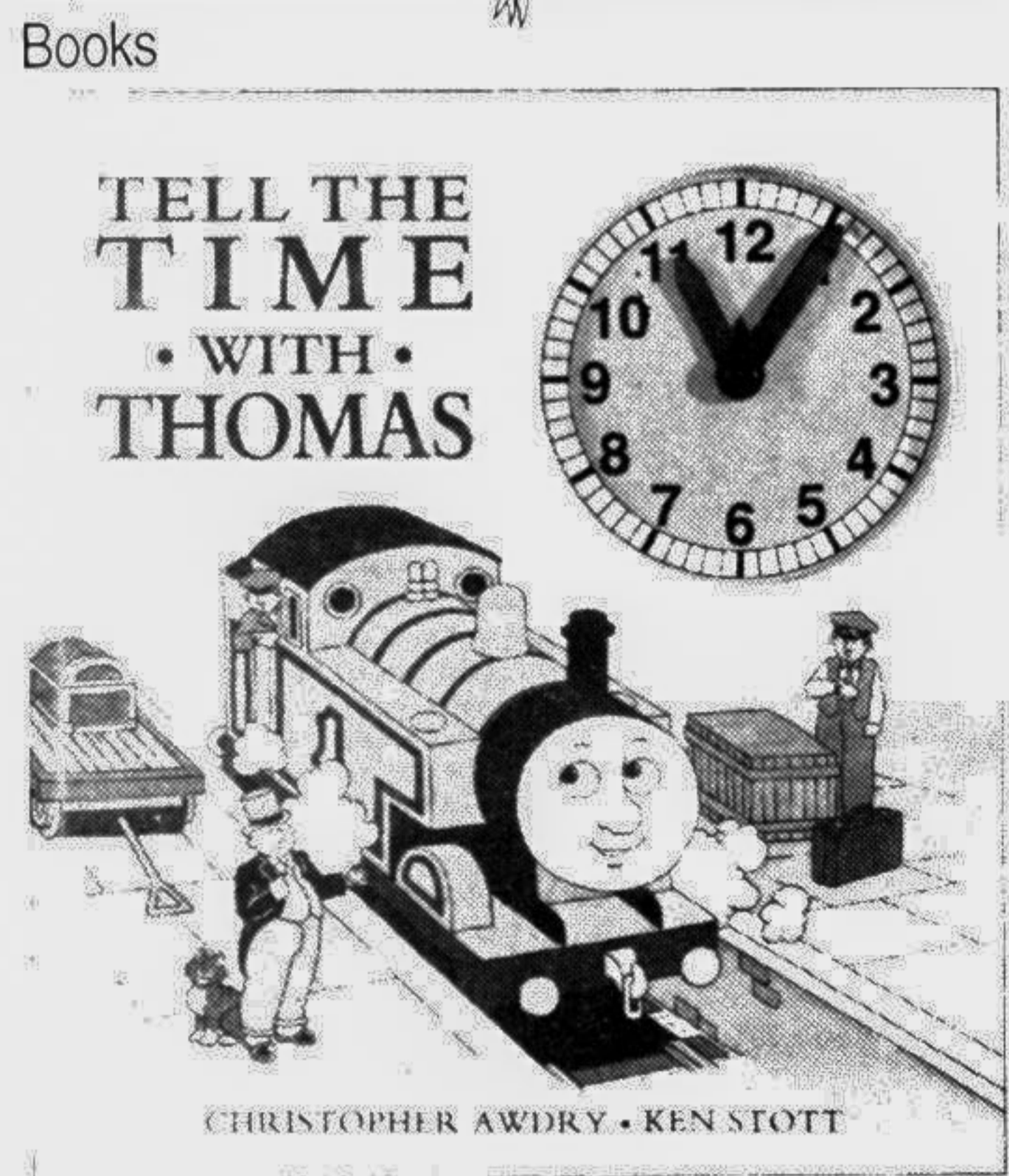
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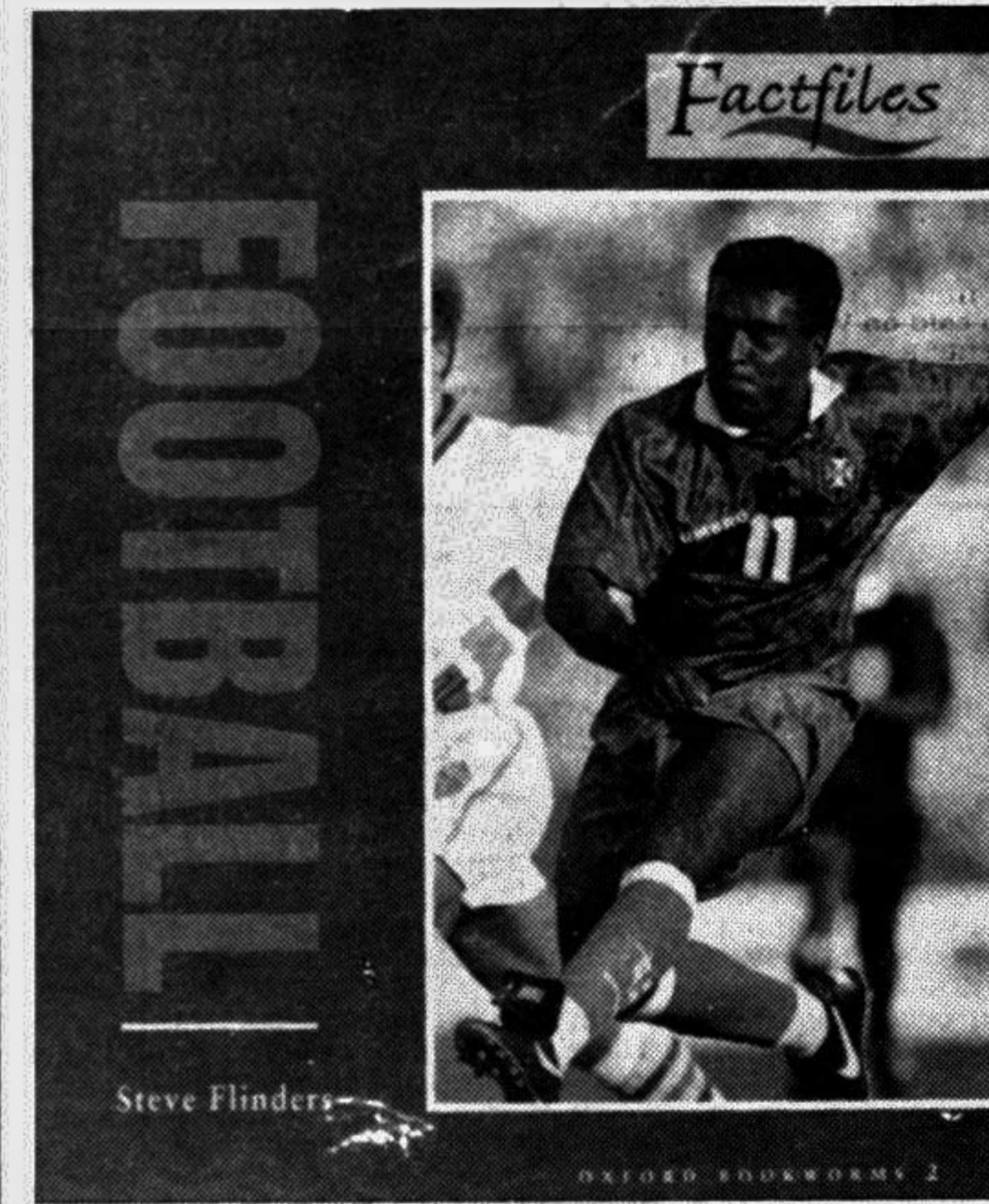
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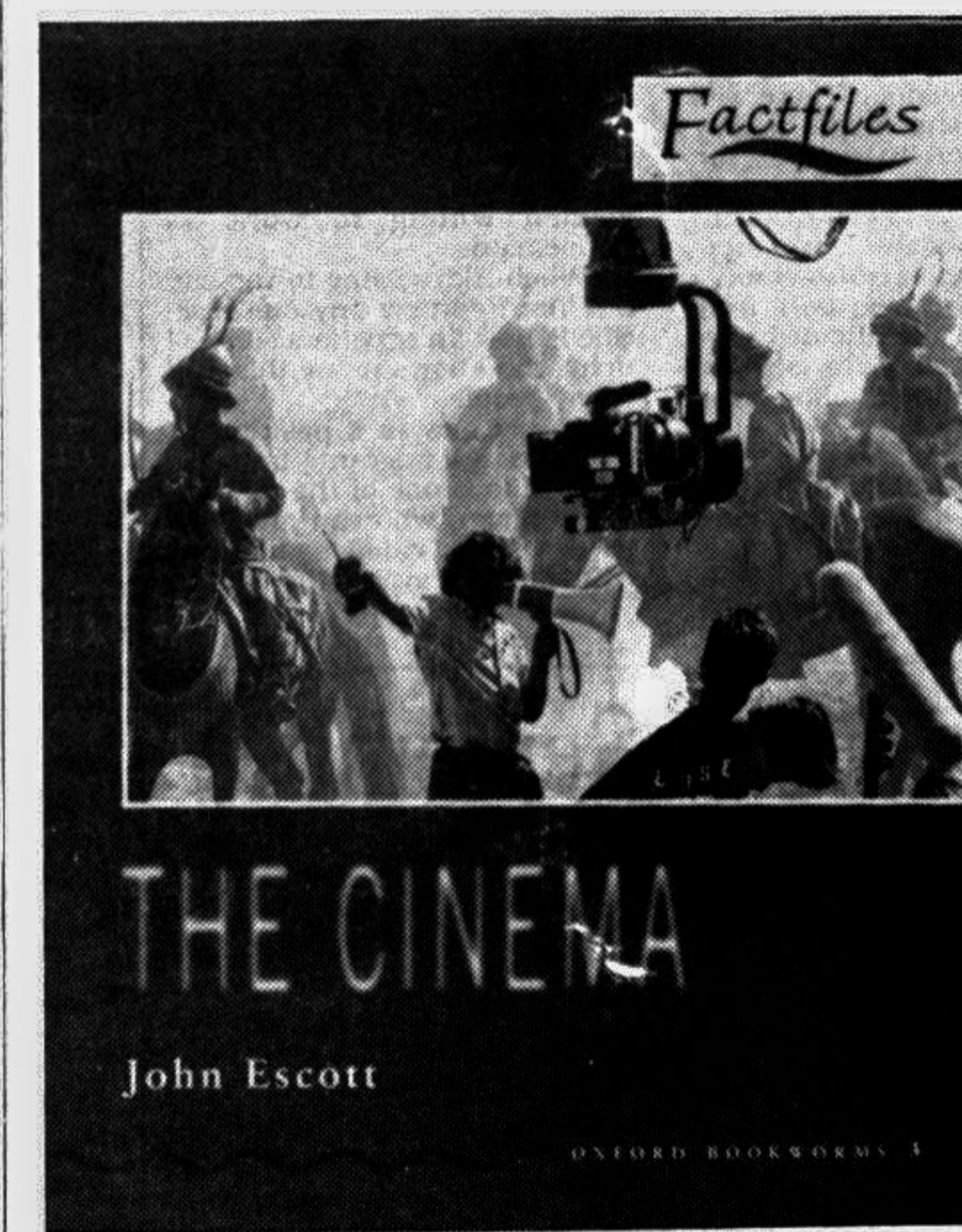
Kids Corner



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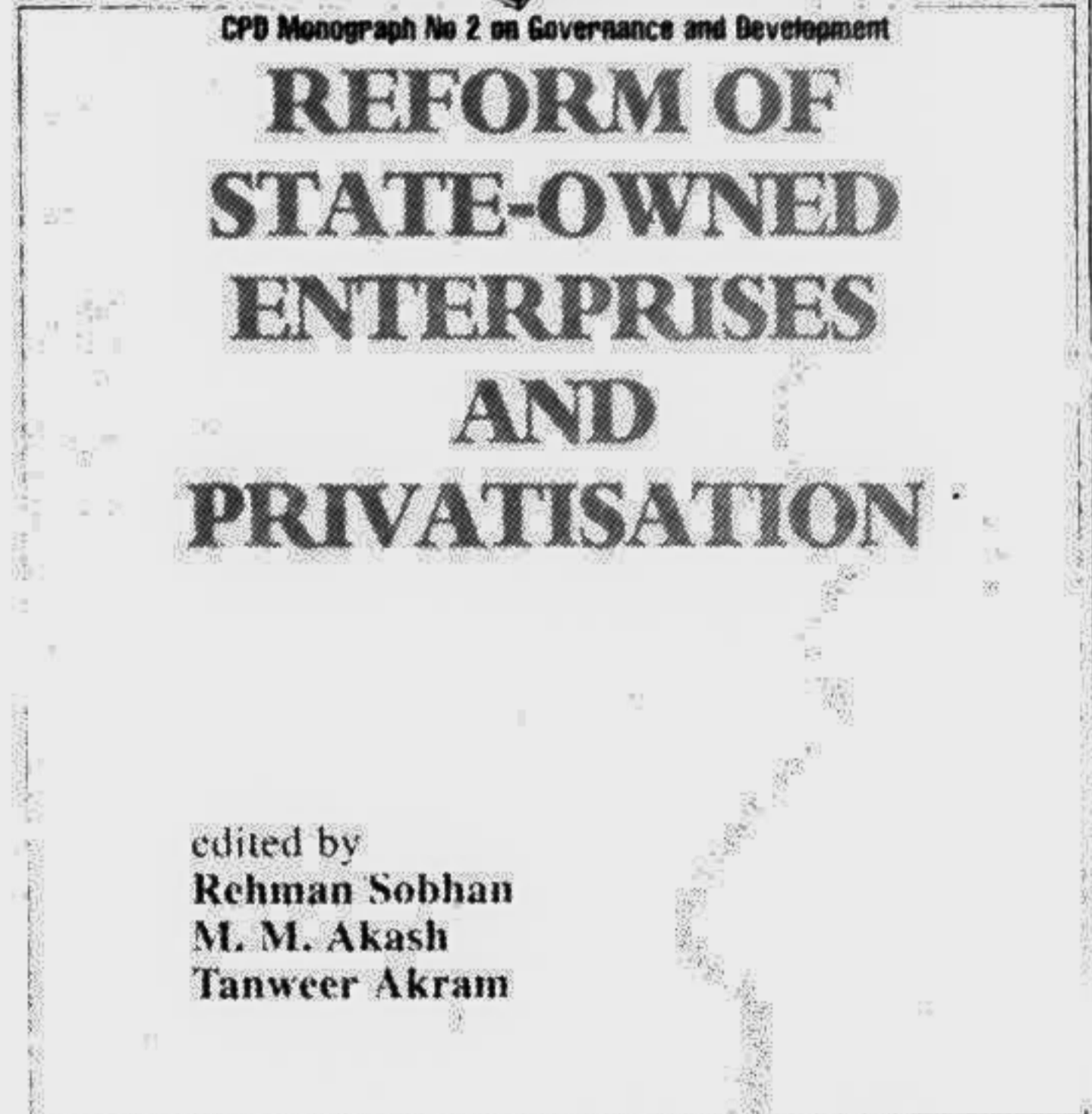


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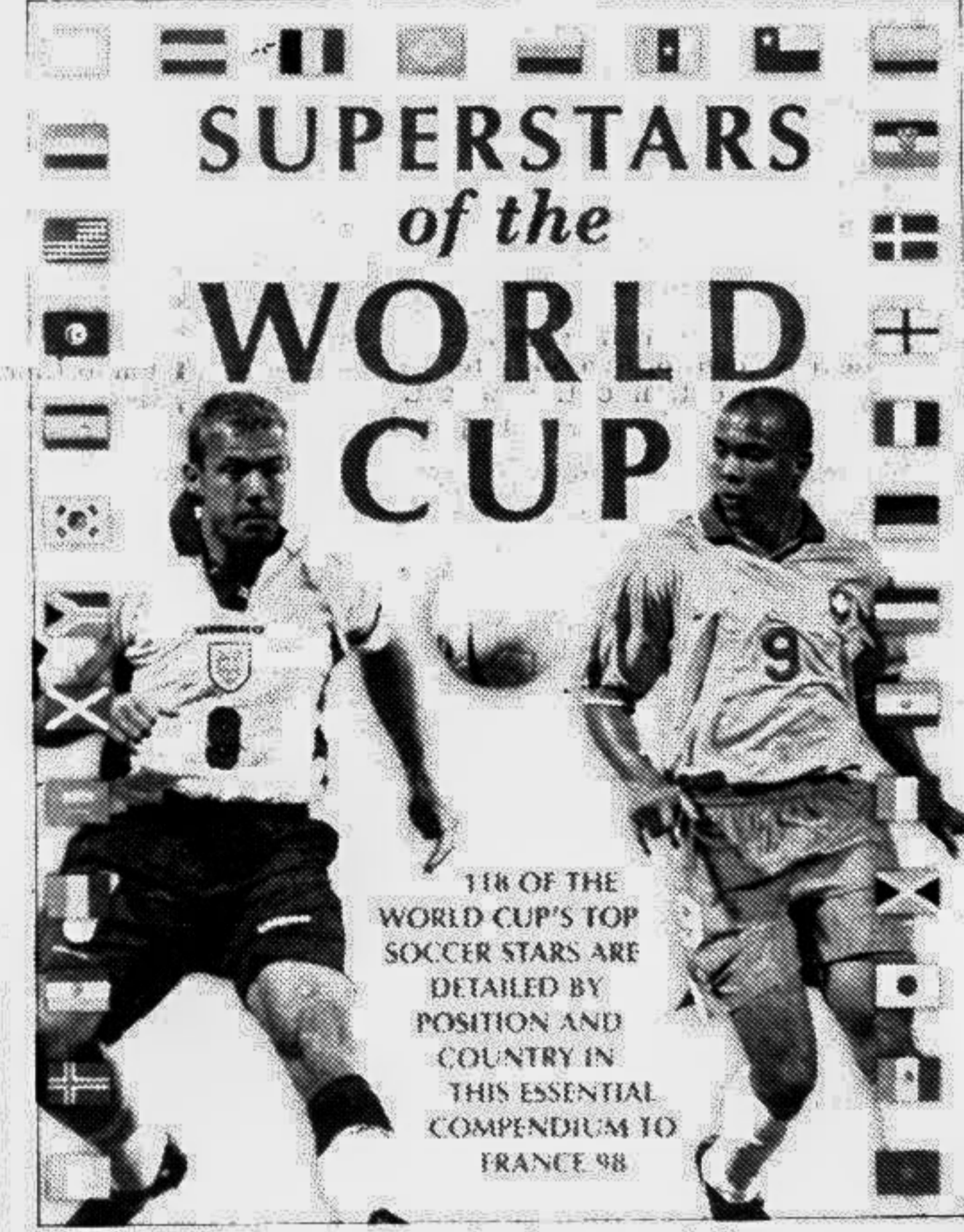


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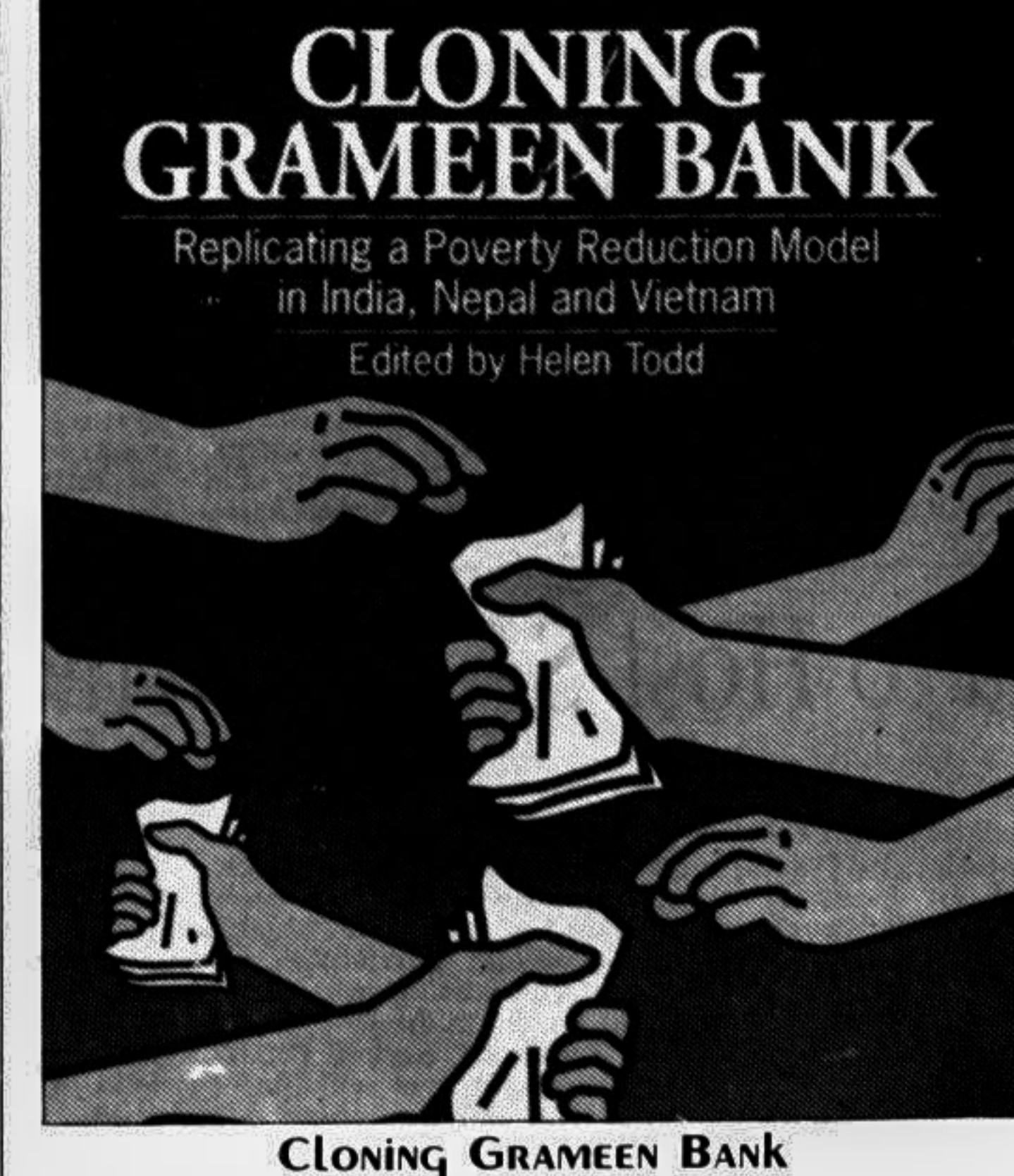
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edited by Rehman Sobhan, M. M. Akash, Tanweer Akram  
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Edited by Helen Todd  
Author: Helen Todd  
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Spotlight

BIZARRE AND WIERD

Zainul Gallery, from 2 pm 8pm  
As you enter the Zainul Art Gallery you would be greeted with bizarre and weird photographs. Of course if you want to call them photographs proper. Blurred and hazy photos, most of them are super imposition, pasted on white boards give a very unpleasant experience. I have nothing against Rowen Aziz's experimental spirit, but to be modern and experimental does not mean you can do whatever you can. In spite of its strange exhibits I would urge everyone to visit the Zainul Gallery to see something uncommon.