

Pick of the week



The Musical

Speakeasy: Lucky Ali
Oct 3rd at 7:00 PM on Channel [V]

This week Speakeasy interviews Indian artist Lucky Ali. Ali, who won the Viewers Choice Award at the 1997 Channel [v] Music Awards, talks about his latest album Sifar, and its first single Dhaka Hai Aise Bhi.



The Movie

Commando
Oct 3rd at 10:00 PM on Star Movie

In the exciting action-adventure, Arnold Schwarzenegger stars as a retired special agent Colonel John Matrix who's forced to go back into action when a vengeful gang kidnap his daughter. To save her life, Matrix, along with a reluctant ally, must return to the South American country of Val Verde where he once fought to oust the evil dictator General Arias (Dan Hedaya).



Face to Face

An Audience with Elton John
Oct 4th at 7:00 PM on Star World

Superstar Elton John appears in front of a star-studded audience for a night of songs and light-hearted banter with his showbusiness colleagues and friends. The Spice Girls, Sting and The Pet Shop Boys join Elton on stage for duets of Don't Go Breaking My Heart, Come Down In Time, Song For Guy and Believe and Elton sings more of his old favourites as well as tracks from his latest album. Claudia Schiffer helps him stage an impromptu fashion show with victims from the audience and Elton chooses his sporting rock band.

Satellite TV



My Ghost Dog

Oct 3rd at 2:30 PM on Star Movies
The delightful story of an eight-year-old boy and his best friend, a golden Labrador called Lucky.

Video/CD



NEW RELEASE

Sar Utha Ke Jiyo — Nasiruddin Shah — Aksay Kumer/Sunil Shetty
Sher Khan — Dhamindra/Joya Proda
Tirchi Topi Wale — Chanke Pandey
Hum Do Anmol Ratan — Arbas Khan/Chandra Chure

Top-10 (Bengali)

Seema Badho — Uttam Kumer/Suchitra Sen
Nishpaap Ashamee — Avisheck/Indrani Halder
Daneb — Tapas Pal
Lathi — Victor Banerjee
Chandra Grohon — Prosonjit/Sotabdi
Lal Dharja — Raisul
Bhal Amar Bhai — Prosonjit/Rojina/Ritu Poma
Asha — Somila Tagore
Best of Uttam Kumer — Geetmalla
Sur Jhanrar — Geetmalla

Top-10 (Hindi)

Pyaar Kiya to Dama Kya — Salman Khan/Kazol
Pyaar Tho Hona Hai Tha — Ajay Devgon/Kazol
Ghulam — Amir Khan/Rani Mukerjee
Dhulak Raja — Rabina Tendori/Govinda
Kareeb — Baby Dowel/Neha
Dilse — Sharuk Khan/Monisha K
Tirchi Topi Wale — Chanke Pandey
Mere Do Anmol Ratan — Arbas Khan/Chandra Chure
Satya — Urmilla

Duplicate — Sharuk Khan/Uhji Chowla/Sonali

Top-10 (English)

Fugitive-2 (US Marshal) Act — Tommy Lee Jones/Wesley
Armageddon-Sci/Act — Bruce Willis
Lethal Weapon-4-Act — Mel Gibson
City of Angel-Rom/Act — Nicolas Cage/Meg Rayan
Great Expectation-Dra — Robert Denerio
The Mask of Zorro-Act — Antonio Banderas
Rush Hours-Act — Jacky Chan
Deep Impact-Sci/Act — Elijah Wood
Sphere-Sci/Act — Sharon Stone/Dustin Hoffman
Viper-Crim/Act — Doran Hare Woo

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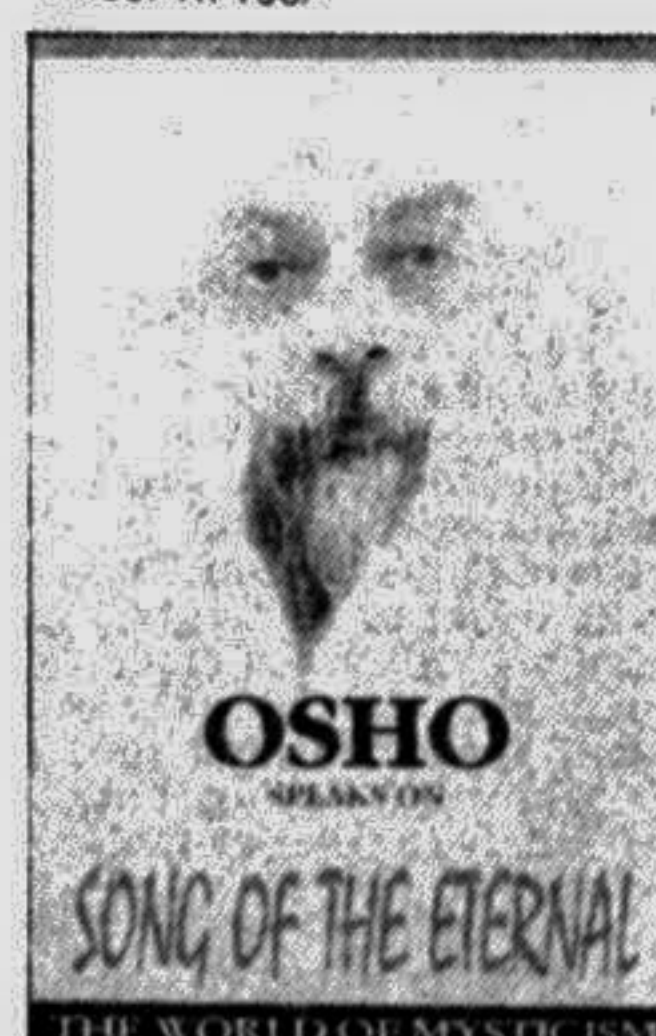
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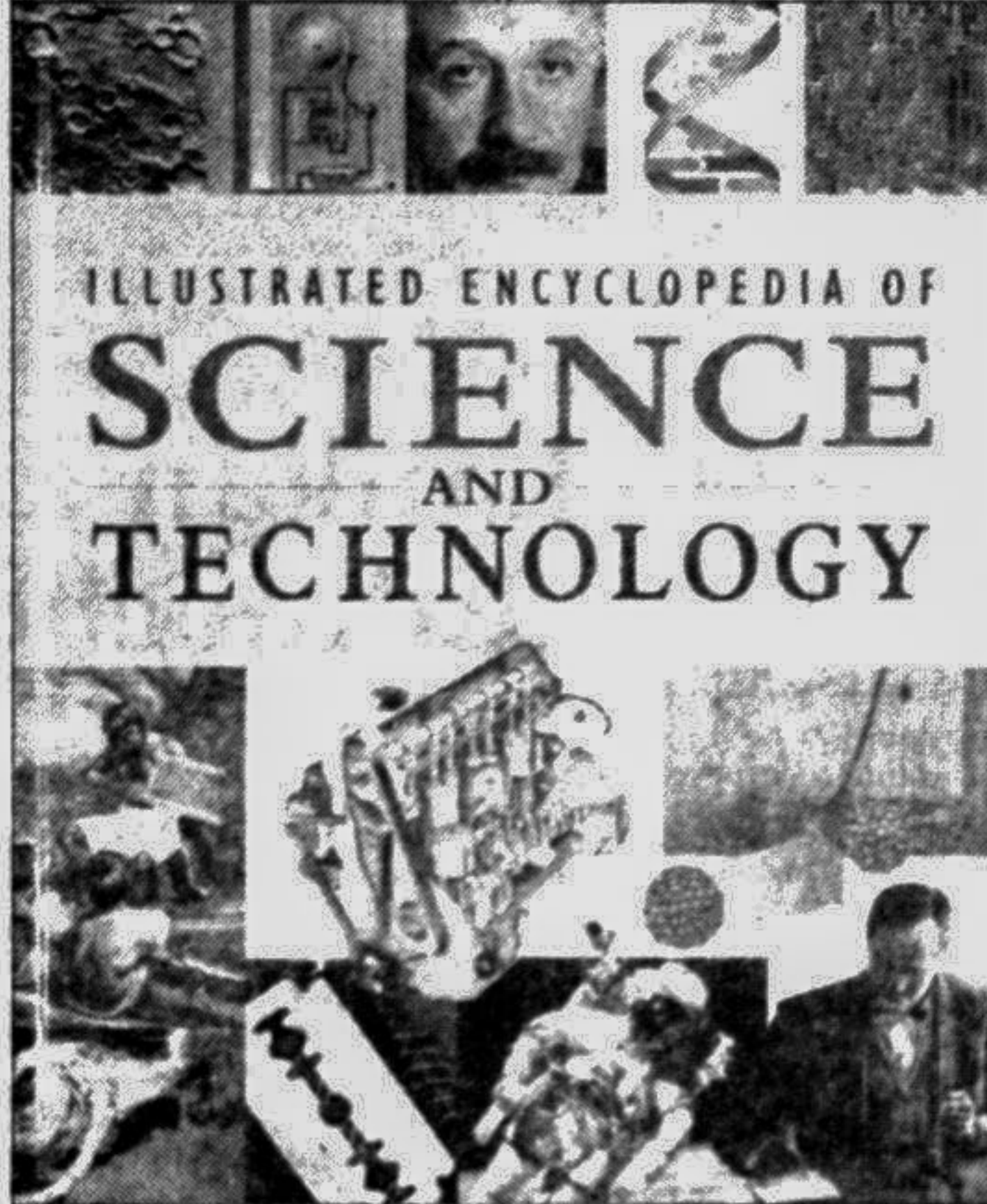


SONG OF THE ETERNAL

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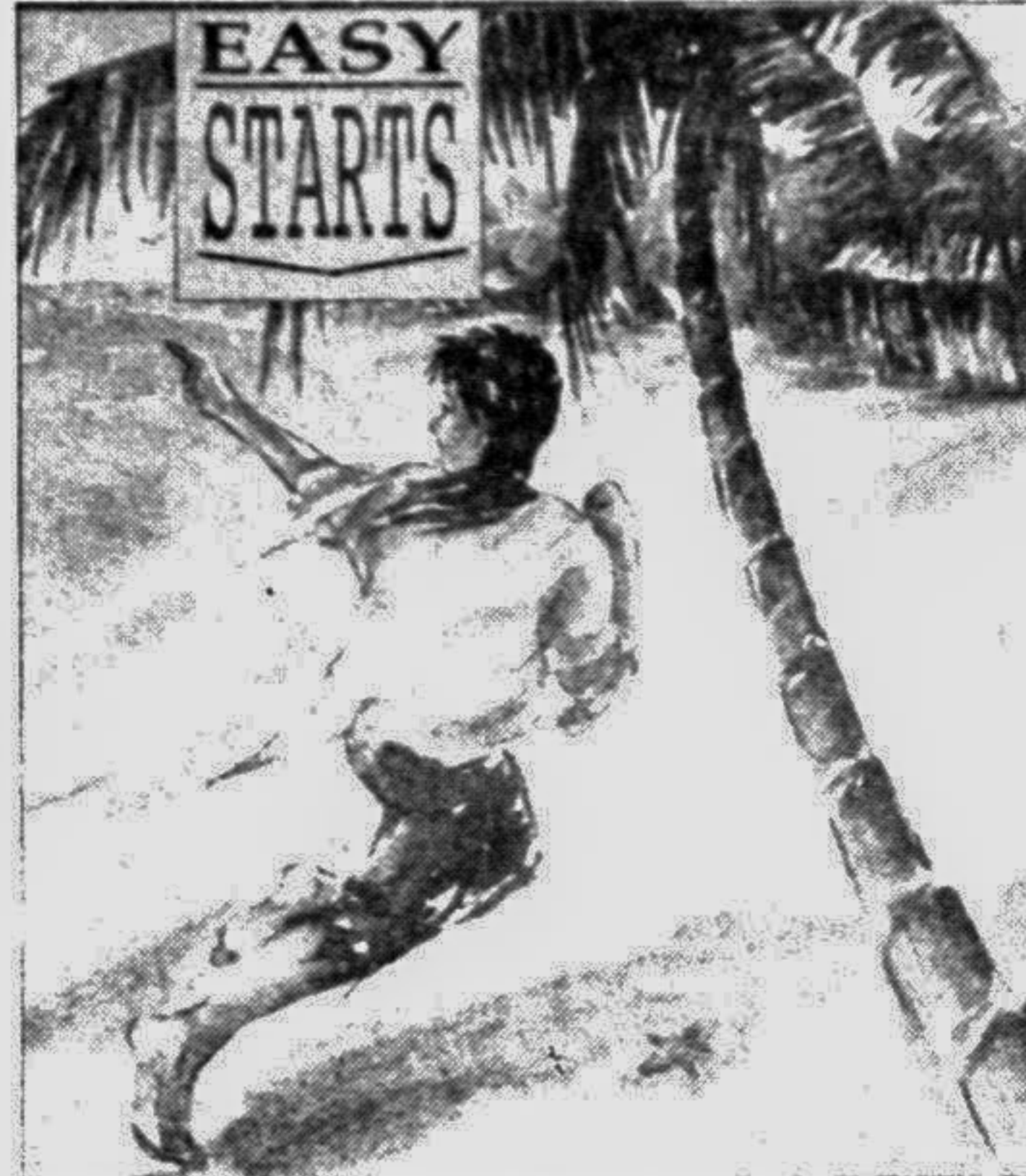
Kids Corner



ILLUSTRATED Encyclopedia of Science AND Technology

Author: Tim Furniss, Douglas McTavish, Ron Taylor
Publisher: Dean
Price: Tk 450/-
This is a really comprehensive background book for the young General Scientist. There are 8 topics: the Physical World — from the nature of matter to nuclear fission; Chemistry — elements and compounds; the Science of Life — evolution to modern innovations and genetic engineering; Mathematics, the Industrial Revolution — the surge of iron and steel and agriculture; the Electric Age from discovery to the latest on computers; Spacecraft — rockets and satellites and Space Travel — the space race and living among the stars.

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TINKERS ISLAND

Author: Stephen Rabley
Publisher: Longman
Price: Tk 60/-

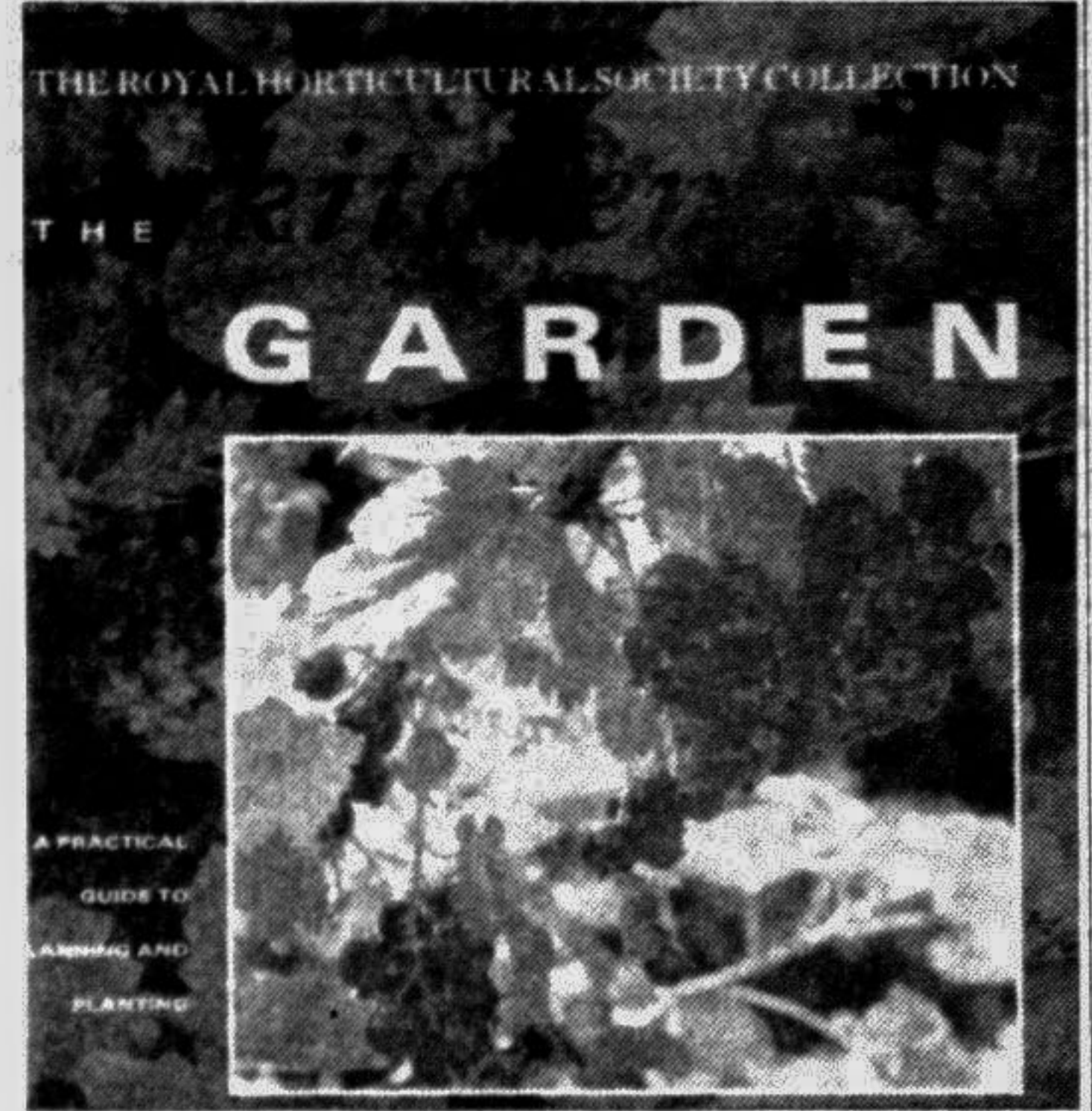
The year is 1798, and Jenny and her father, Sam Tinker, are working in the market. Sam gets mistaken for a thief and finds himself on a ship full of criminals. They are on their way to Australia. Jenny has her own plans to rescue him.



THE LAST PHOTO

Author: Bernard Smith
Publisher: Longman
Price: Tk 60/-
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New Books

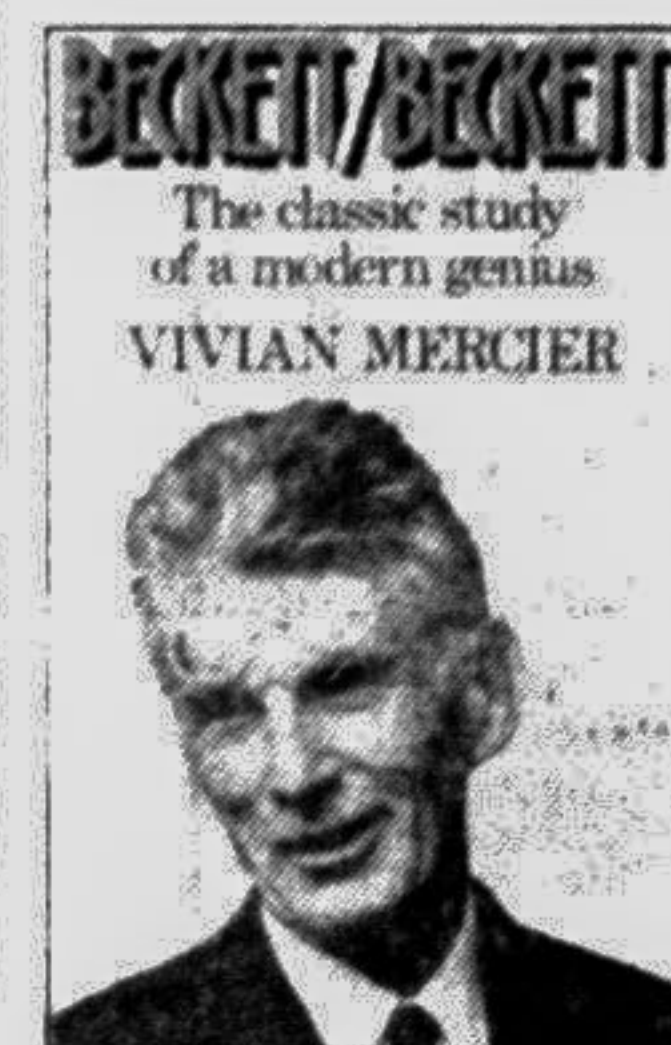


THE KITCHEN GARDEN

Author: Andi Clevely
Publisher: Conran Octopus
Price: Tk 975/-

The pleasure of creating a successful kitchen garden with fresh vegetables, fruits and herbs, tender and full of flavour, is within the reach of even the novice gardener. And although complete self-sufficiency requires a large area of ground, a small garden planted with a few favourite crops can be just as exciting and rewarding.

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BECKETT/BECKETT

The classic study of a modern genius
Author: Vivian Mercier
Publisher: Souvenir Press
Price: Tk 600/-

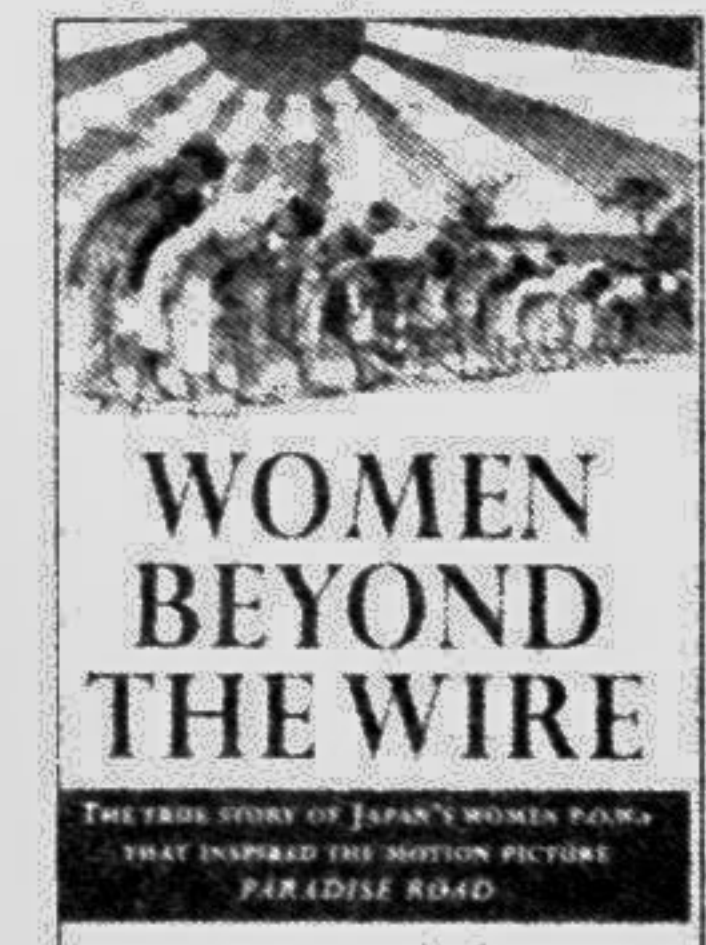
This classic study of the novelist and playwright Samuel Beckett has never been surpassed. Written by an outstanding scholar and critic who was one of the first to recognise Beckett's genius, it was originally published in 1977, and was praised for its refreshingly personal approach and its many new insights. Here was a writer who not only understood Beckett from the shared knowledge of a similar background, but who was not afraid to temper admiration with criticism.



PAUL DIRAC

The Man and his Work
Edited by Peter Goddard
Publisher: Cambridge University Press
Price: Tk 895/-

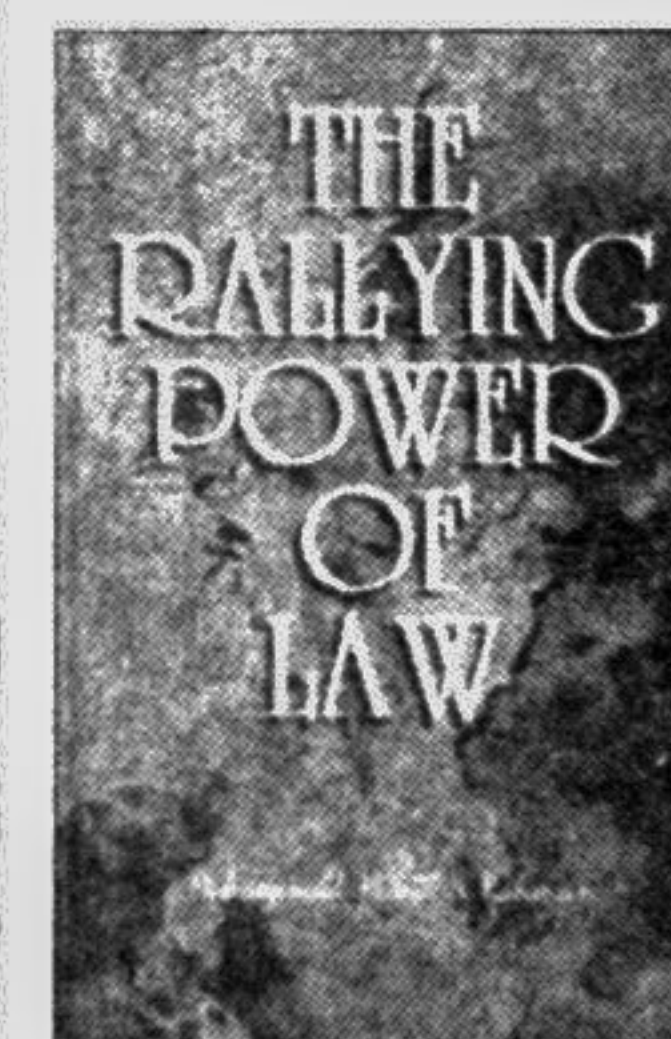
Paul Adrien Maurice Dirac was one of the founders of quantum theory and the author of many of its most important subsequent developments. He is numbered alongside Newton, Maxwell, Einstein and Rutherford as one of the greatest physicists of all time.



WOMEN BEYOND THE WIRE

Author: Lavinia Warner & John Sandilands
Publisher: Arrow Books
Price: Tk 475/-

Women Beyond the Wire is the vivid, moving and harrowing true story of an astonishing group of women who were wrenched from a life of colonial ease in Britain's Far Eastern empire by the ferocious Japanese assault on Malaya in 1942.



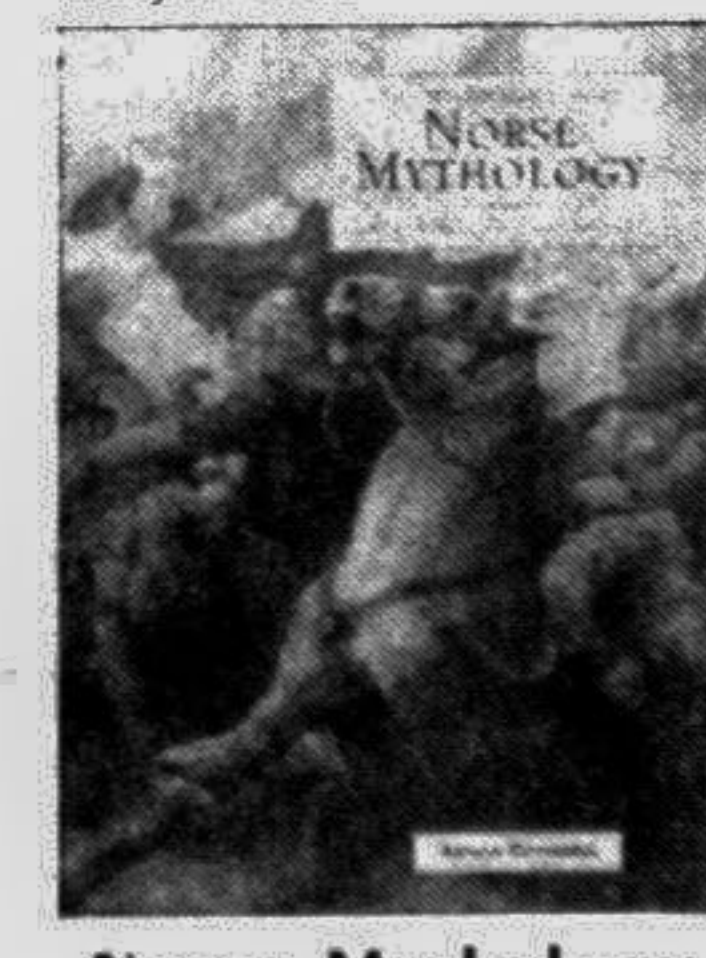
THE RALLYING POWER OF LAW

Author: Muhammad Habibur Rahman
Publisher: Pustaka
Price: Tk 150/-



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Spotlight

Film FUNNY GAMES

Director: Michael Hanke.
Duration: 104 minutes.
Gothe Institut, Dhaka Oct 5 at 5:30 pm.

This is a story of two young psychopathic killers who enjoy torturing and killing people. First they get introduced in a very usual manner and become friendly with their victims. After killing one person in a house they move to kill another person in another house and after killing their second target they return to the first house to see what is going on there.

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