

Pick of the week



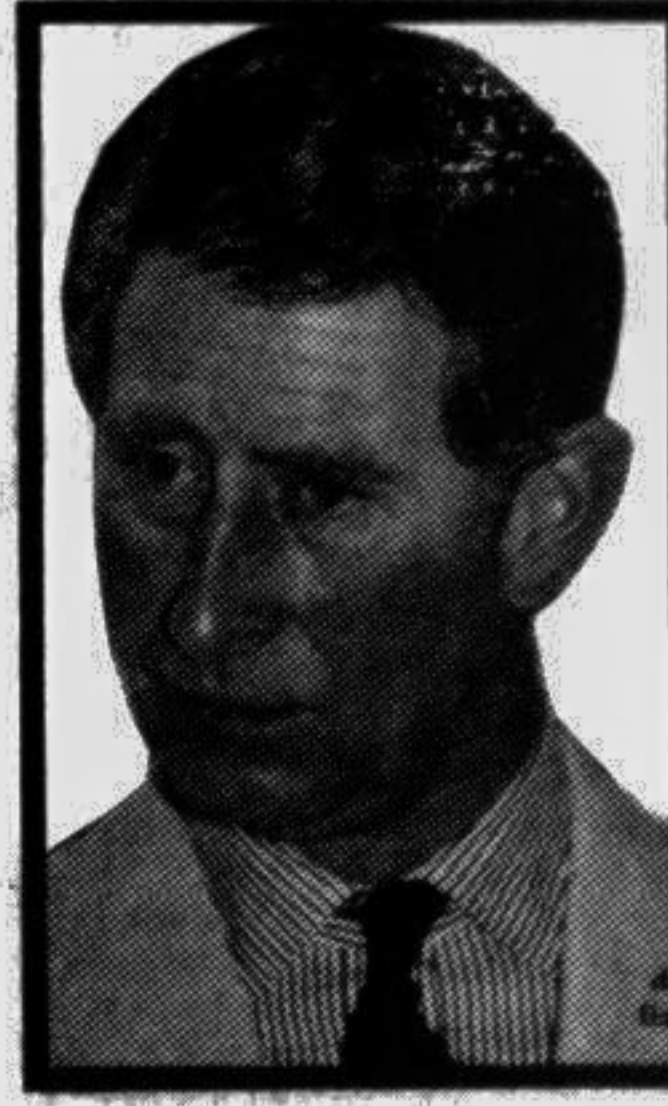
The Serial

Hercules: The Legendary Journeys Nov 14th at 4:00 pm on Star World In As Darkness Falls, when Hercules attends the wedding of his friend Penelope, uninvited guest Nemis the Centaur crashes the party and kidnaps the bride...



The Movie

The Truth About Cats and Dogs Nov 14th at 10:00 on Star Movies Uma Thurman and Janeane Garofalo star in this delightful romantic comedy. Garofalo plays Abby Barnes, a successful veterinarian and radio talk show host...



The Documentary

Prince Charles at Fifty Nov 13th at 11am and 2:30 pm on BBC World There is a view that the Prince's standing has improved significantly over the last 12 months. Around the time of his divorce from Diana, Princess of Wales, doubts were expressed about his suitability to become King...

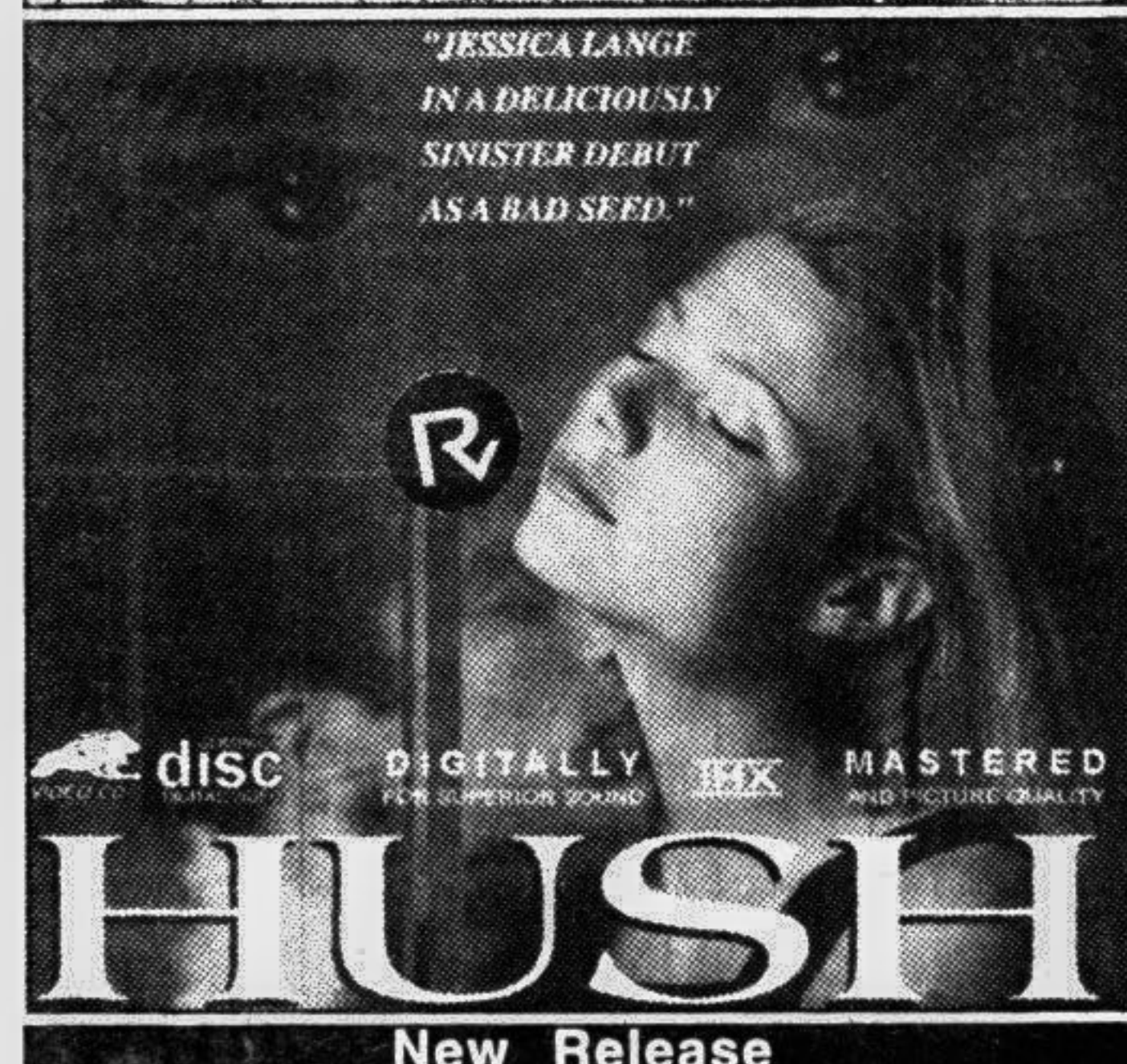
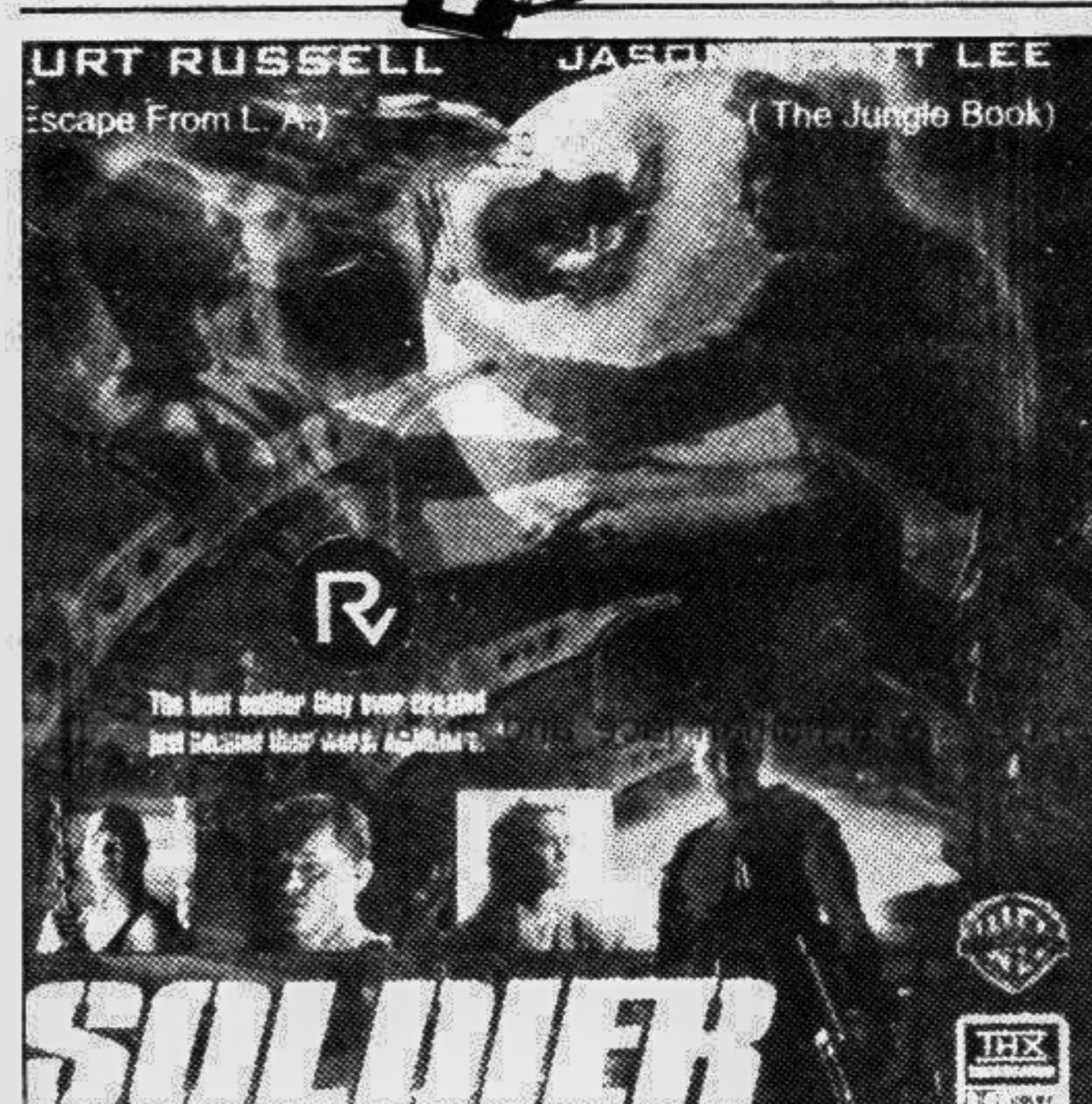
Satellite TV



SUPER SUNDAY

Earnest Scared Stupid on Nov 15 at 10:00pm Lovable know-it-all Ernest P. Worrell is in for a devil of a time when he accidentally unleashes an evil demon from its sacred tomb...

Video/CD



VCDD Soldier - Act: Kurt Russell/Jason Scott Lee Hush - Rom/Dra: Jessica Lange/Gwyneth PalRow

Top-10 (English)

- Soldier - Act: Kurt Russell/Jason Scott Lee Hush - Rom/Dra: Jessica Lange/Gwyneth PalRow There's Some Thing About Mary - Dra/Rom: Mary Jensen The Saving Private Ryan - War/Act: Tomhanks/Tomsizemore I Know What You Did Last Summer - Thr/Act: Jennifer love Heritt/Shrah Michcal

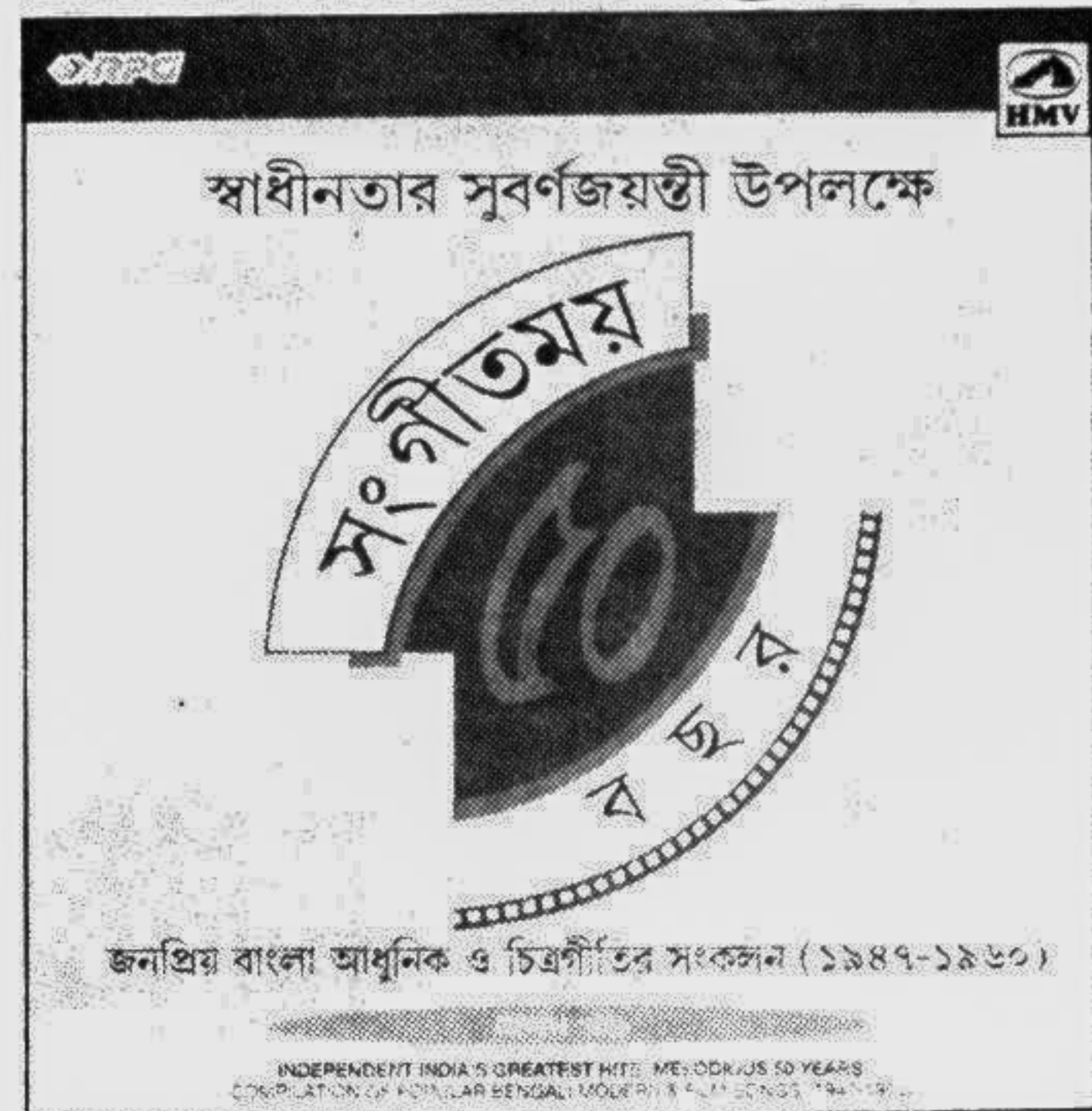
Top-10 (Hindi)

- Kuch Kuch Hota Hai - Shalman Khan/Sharuk Khan/Kajal/Rani Mukerjee Bode Miyan Chote Miyan - Amitab B./Govinda/Rovina/Romiya Ghulam - Amir Khan/Rani Mukerjee Bandhan - Salman Khan/Rambha/Jackie S Pyaar To Hona Hi Tha - Ajoy Devgon/Kazol Hero Hindustani - New Cast Dilse - Sharuk Khan/Monisha K Kareeb - Bobby Deol/Neha Dhulrah Raja - Govinda/Rabina Tendon Prem Aggan - Fardeen Khan

Top-10 (Bengali)

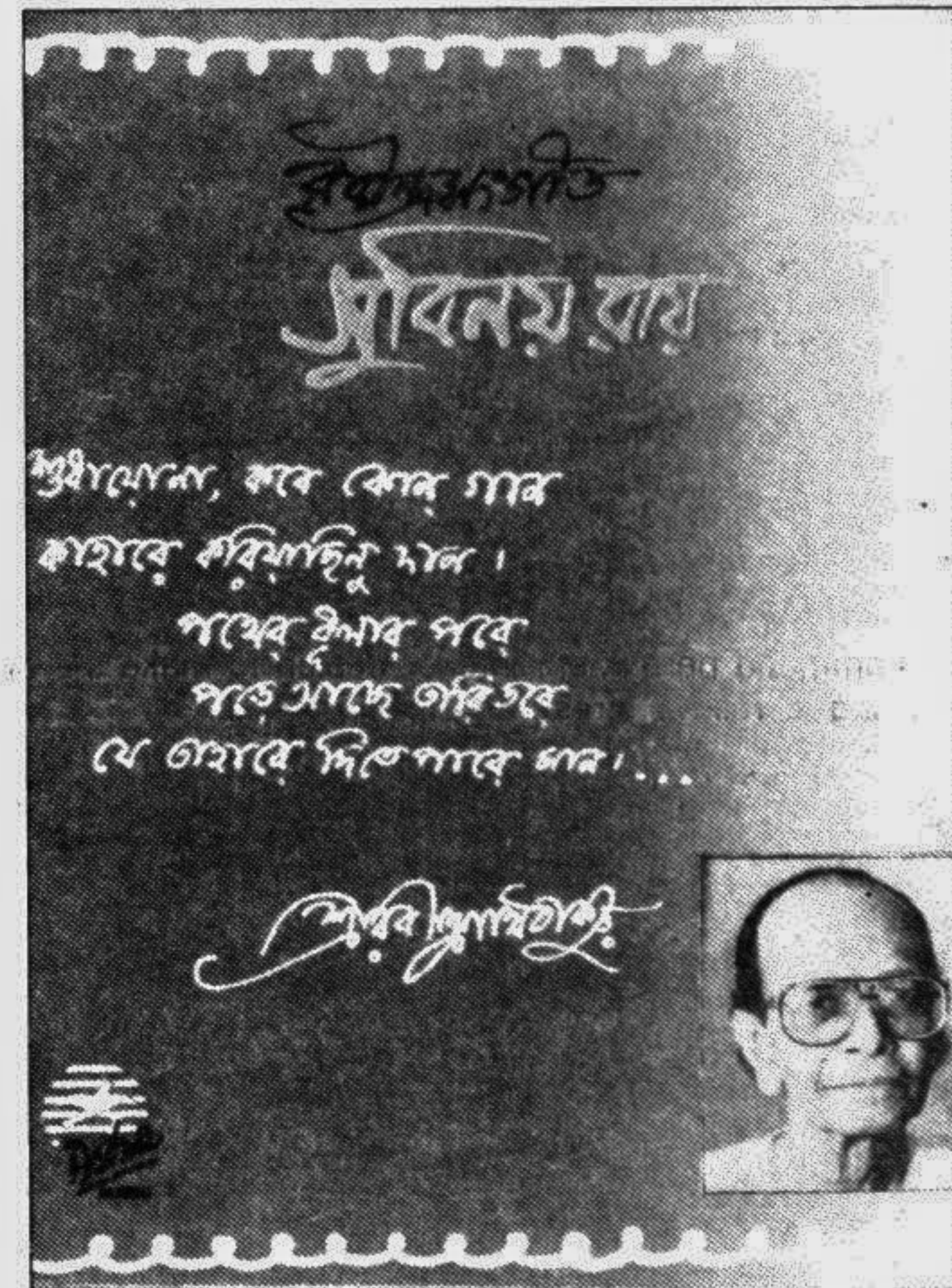
- Bhalo Basha - Prosenjit/Silpa/Indrani Haldar Chandra Grohon - Prosenjit/Shatabdi Ray Seema Bandho - Uttam Kumer/Suchitra Sen Best of Uttam Kumer - Prosenjit/Shatabdi Ray Lal Dharja - Raisul Islam Ashad/Champa Samadhan - Prosenjit/Ritu Poma Lathi - Victor Benerjee Moner Moto Mon - Victor Benerjee/Mohini B. Donab - Tapas Pal Lofar - Ranjeet Mullick Courtesy of Rose Valley - Ph# 608265/603065

Cassettes & CDs



Melodious 50 YEARS

A four part CD set aims to capture and present post-Independent India's greatest hit numbers from Bengali films and modern songs. A collectors item. Price: Tk 1400/-



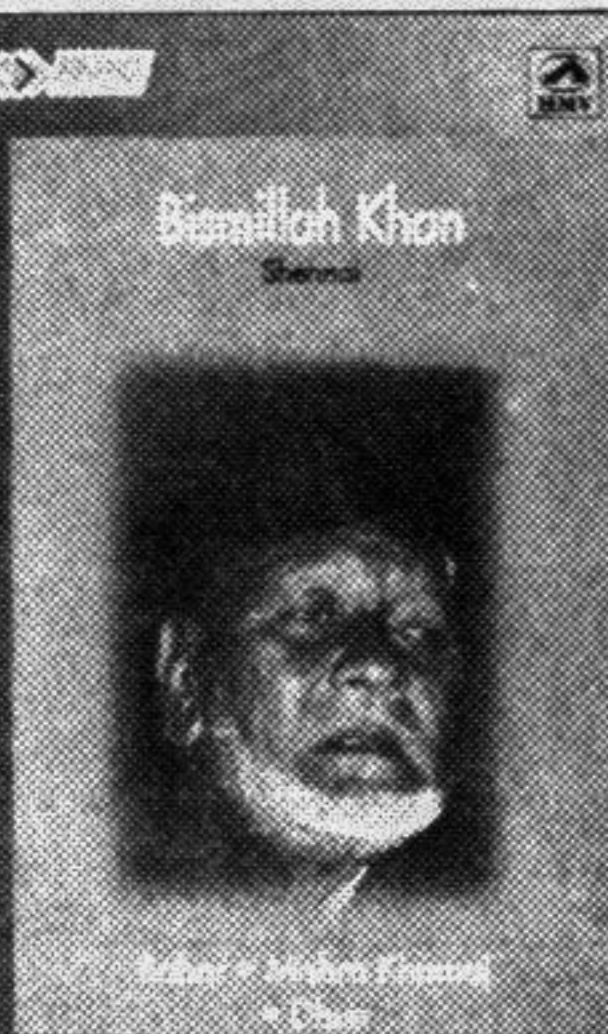
SONGS OF RABINDRANATH TAGORE

Subinay Roy One of the most respected Tagore song exponents of recent time. Subinay's 19 celebrated numbers recorded live for this album. The set of two cassettes is available at Tk130/-



DRUMS OF INDIA

Ecstasy Ustad Zakir Hussain Tabla Price: Tk 120/-



BISMILLAH KHAN

Shahnai This album commences with the raga of spring, Bahar. The maestro also plays light classical pieces in this album. Bahar/Mishara Khamaj/Dhun Price: Tk 120/-



SMRITI

Suderna Ganguly The prodigious talent who was awarded the first prize in the Golden Talent Search by H. M. V. and lifted first prize in Zee TV's Sa Re Ga Ma all India competition, has given her rich melodious voice to old hit numbers like bada sadih jage and o chand samle rakho Tk 80/-



HRIDAYA-E-KUL-O-KUL

Songs of Tagore Sung by Chitra Sing Price: Tk 70/-

Available at Ganer Dali, Yeakub Super Market, Elephant Road Ph: 500388, Fax: 864980

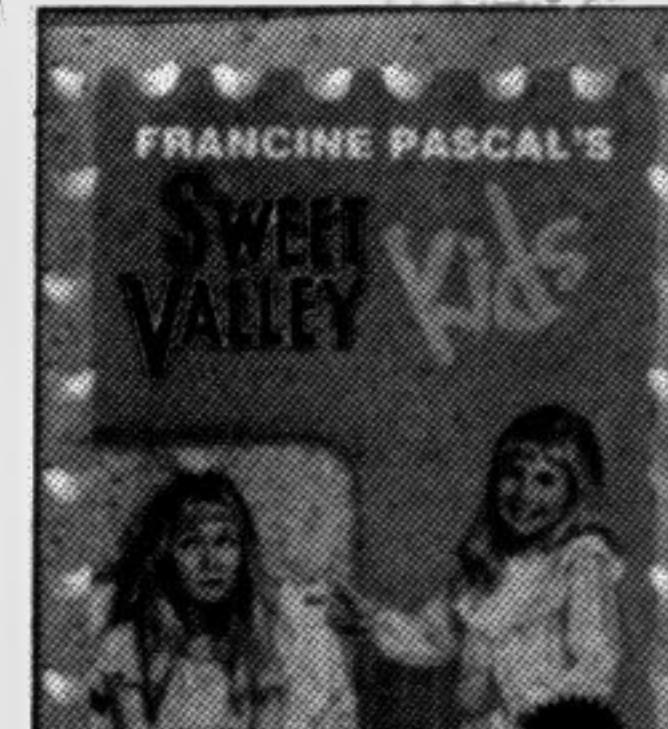
Kids Corner



THE ADVENTUROUS FOUR

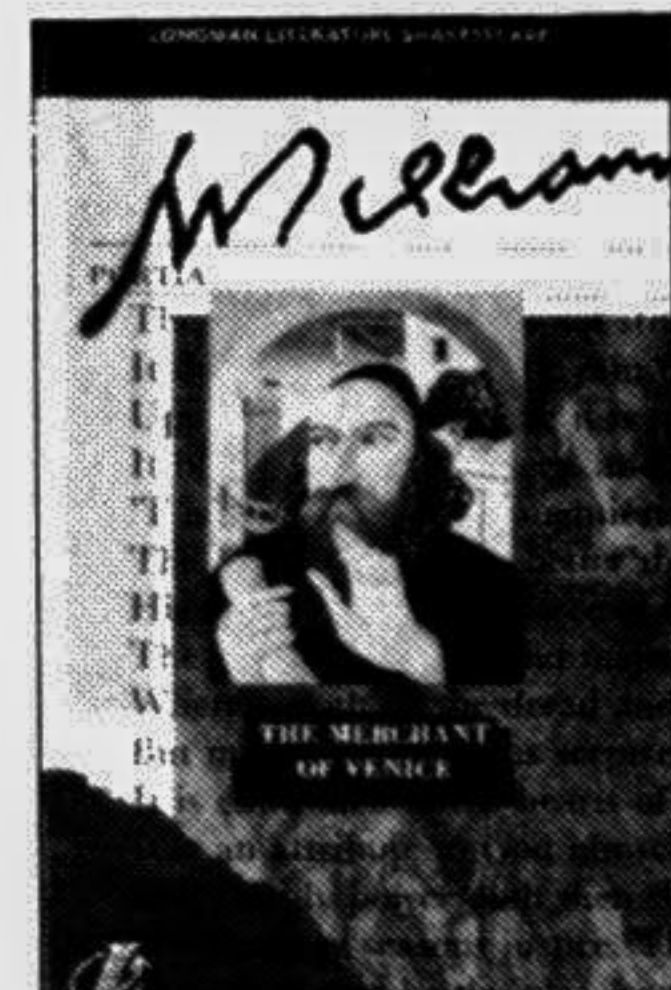
Author: Enid Blyton Publisher: Collins Price: Tk 110/- With Andy's new boat to take them to Smuggler's Rock, Pippa, Zoe and Tom set off for a trip which turns out to be a big adventure! By Chance they see a strange man who mysteriously disappears, and when Tom follows him and is spotted, all four children get into terrible trouble.

Available at Book Corner, Sobhanbagh, Ph: 9111350



SWEET VALLEY KIDS

Elizabeth Hatches an Egg Publisher: Bantam Books price: Tk 110/- Easter eggs are so much fun! I had the prettiest one in Mrs. Otis's class - even won a prize. So of course I didn't want my klutzy twin sister, Jessica, to play with my egg. I hid it under my pillow one night so she wouldn't find it.



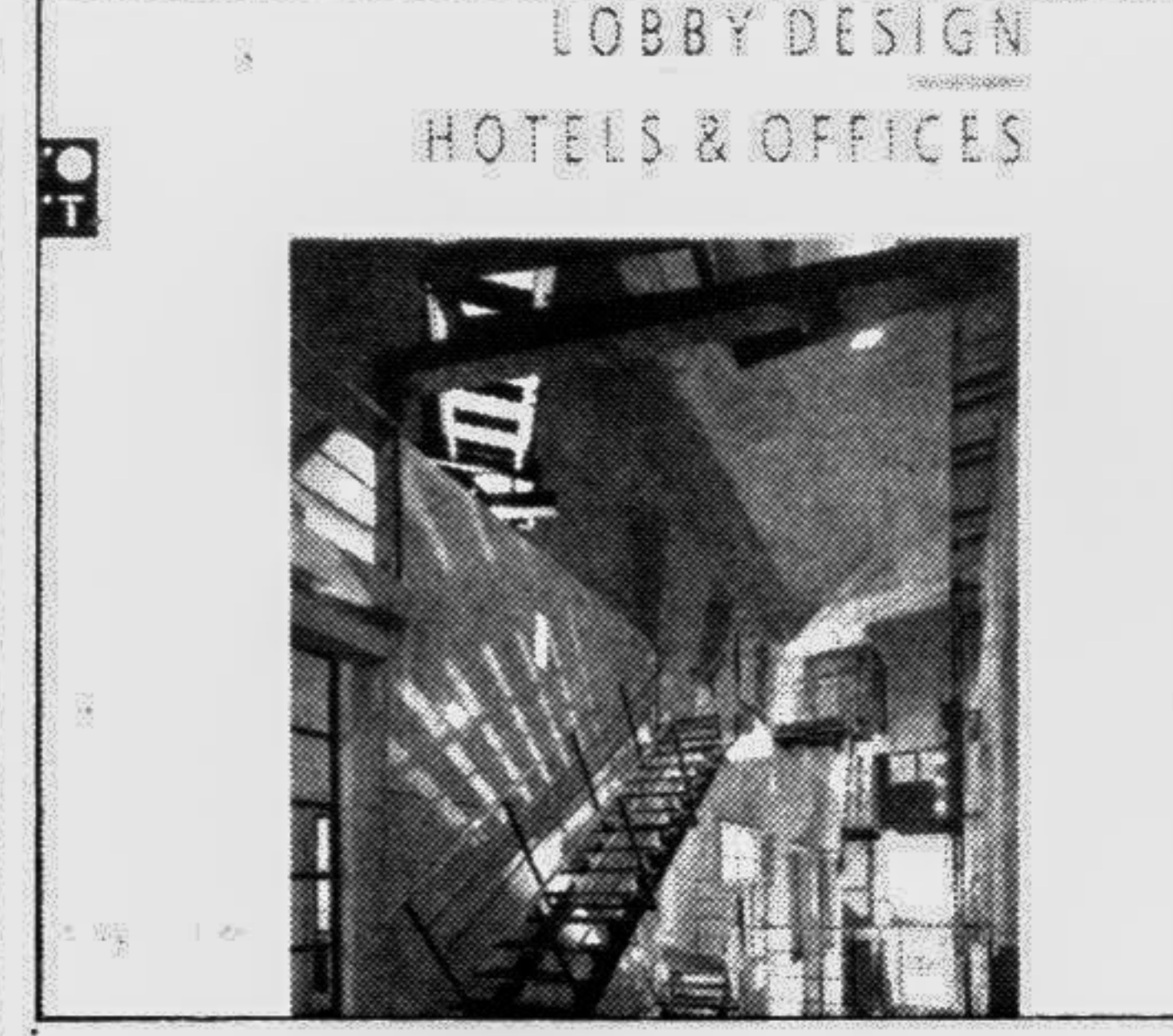
THE MERCHANT OF VENICE

Longman Literature Shakespeare Author: William Shakespeare Publisher: Longman Editor: Laura Hutchings Price: Tk 175/- Available ELT Book Shop, British Council Teaching Centre, 754B Satmasjid Road, Dhanmondi



THE GREAT GATSBY

Author: F Scott Fitzgerald Publisher: Longman Price: Tk 215/- The fabulous parties at Gatsby's mansion are legendary... guests dance until dawn at the home of their mystery host. But whose face is he searching for in the crowds? What secret sorrow lies behind his great fortune?

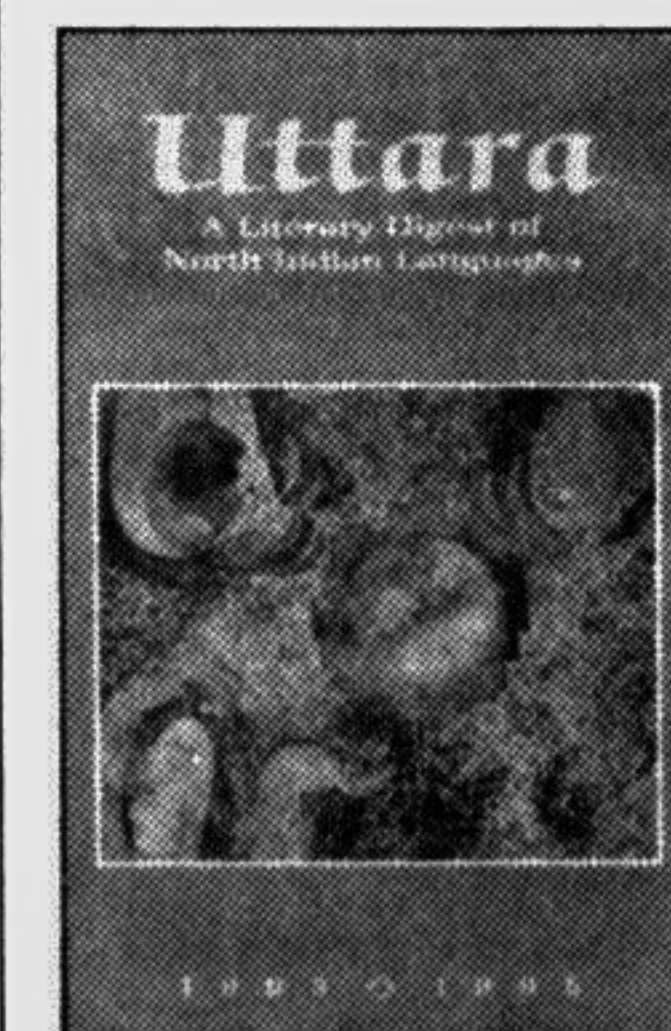


THE BEST IN LOBBY DESIGN HOTELS & OFFICES

Author: Alan Phillips Publisher: Rotovision Price: Tk 3000/- The Best in Lobby Design: Hotels and Offices offers a scrupulously edited contemporary review of the best work in this area, citing examples from architects worldwide. An introductory essay explains the philosophy and function of the lobby; subsequent chapters are devoted to essays on four major expressions of style that preoccupy contemporary architecture and design.

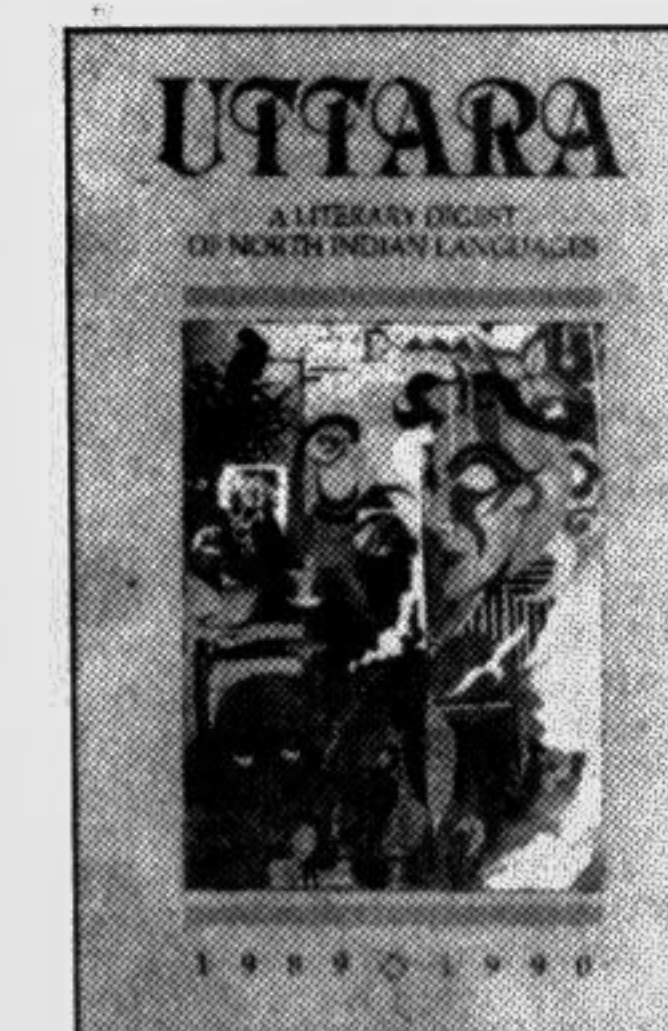
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Magazine & Journal



UTTARA

A Literary Digest of North Indian Languages Chief Editor Bhisham Sahni Publisher: Sahitya Akademi Price: Tk 224/-

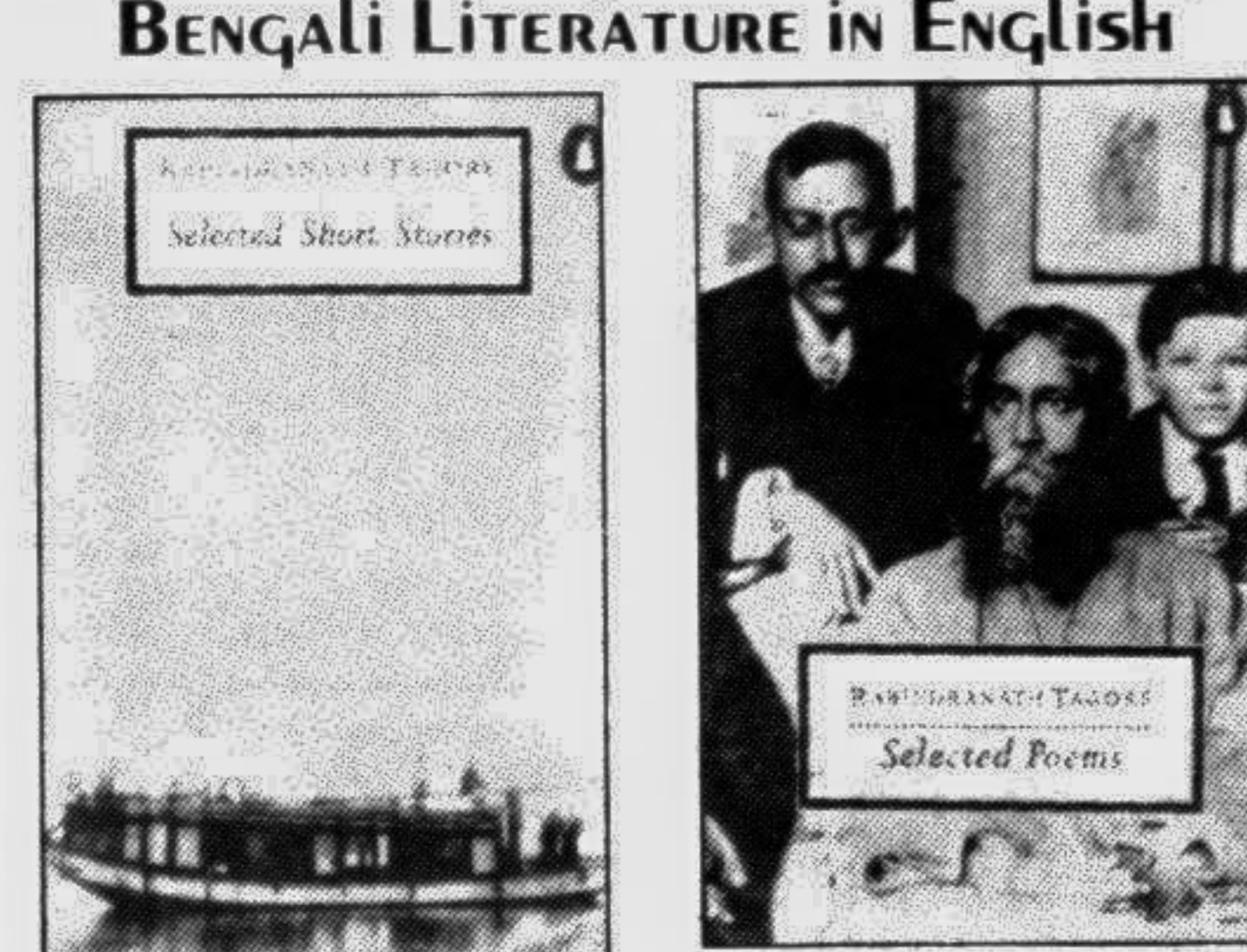


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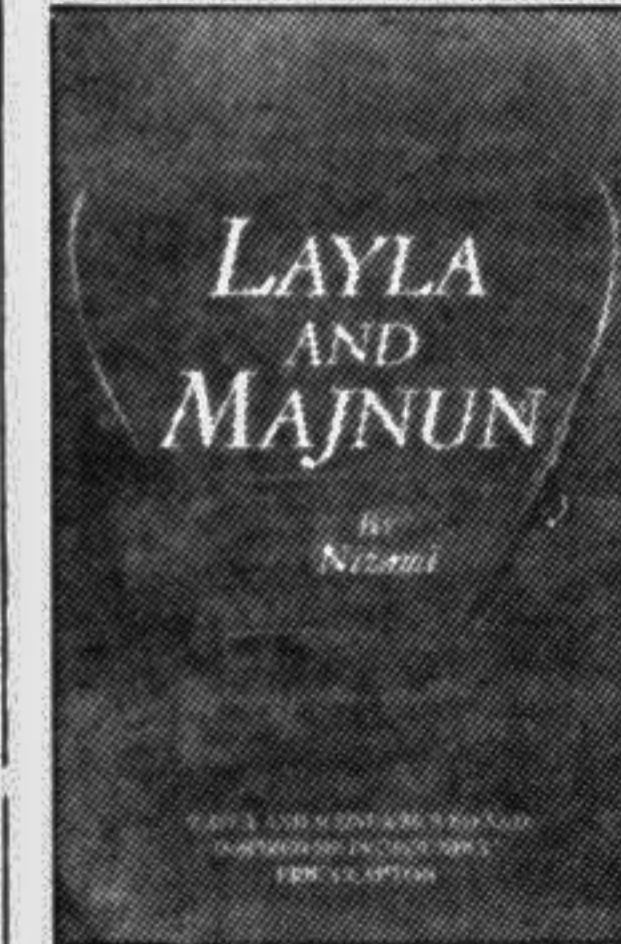
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New Books



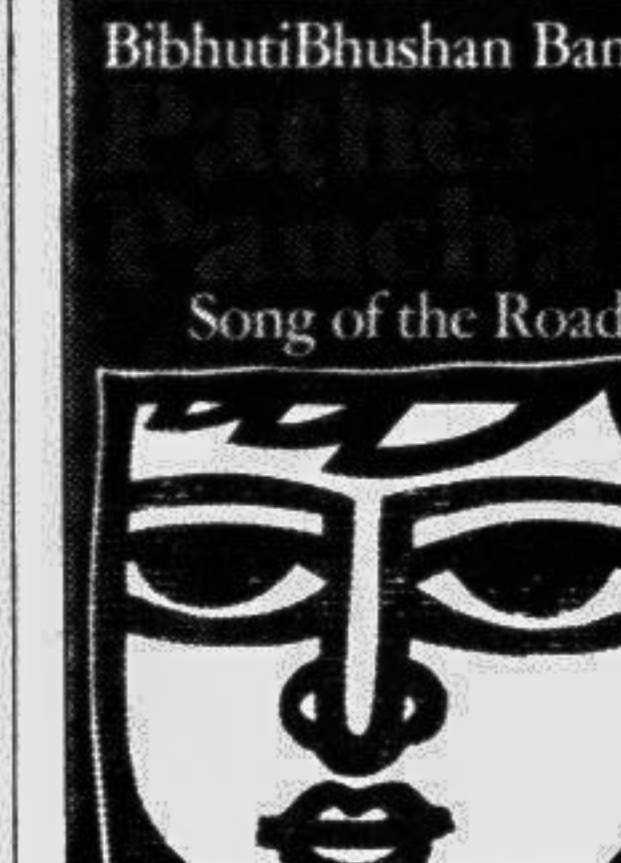
SELECTED SHORT STORIES

Rabindranath Tagore Translated: William Radice Publisher: Penguin Books Price: Tk 320/- 'Lyrical, but powered by intensely vivid, largely natural imagery... The very best of Tagore's verse and short stories convey a great strength and uplifting courage.'



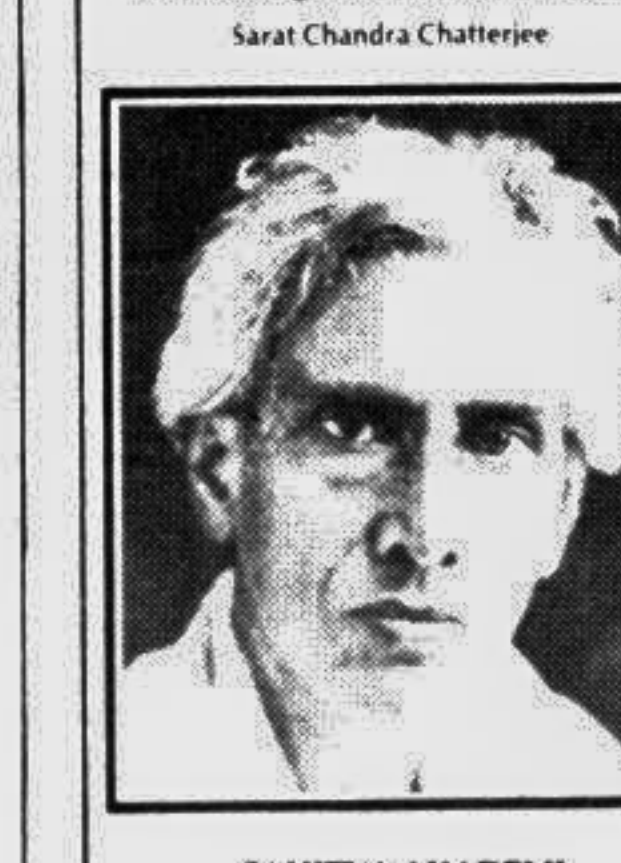
LAYLA AND MAJNUN

Author: Nizami Publisher: Bluejay Price: Tk 472/- Rarely has the East spoken with a more eloquent voice than in the story of Layla and Majnun. Since the dawn of Islam, this exquisitely crafted tale of the ecstasy and pain of perfect love has been told and re-told around the fires of the ancient East.



PATHER PANCHALI

Song of the Road Author: Bibhutibhusan Banerji Publisher: Lokamaya Price: Tk 400/- Pather Panchali is a vivid, moving and authentic portrayal of the life of an Indian household seen through the eyes of two young children of the family, Opu and his elder sister Durga.



THE DROUGHT AND OTHER STORIES

Author: Sarat Chandra Chatterjee Publisher: Sahitya Akademi Price: Tk 80/- Sarat Chandra Chatterjee was in the direct line of literary succession to both Bankim Chandra Chatterjee and Rabindranath Tagore. But he did not have the benefits of education and wealth of either. Right up to his middle age he had to carry on an uphill fight against dire poverty and the neglect and injustice that normally accompany it. He had seen life in the raw, and his novels and short stories are consequently no mere bookish reminiscences but born out of what he had seen and experienced in his own life.

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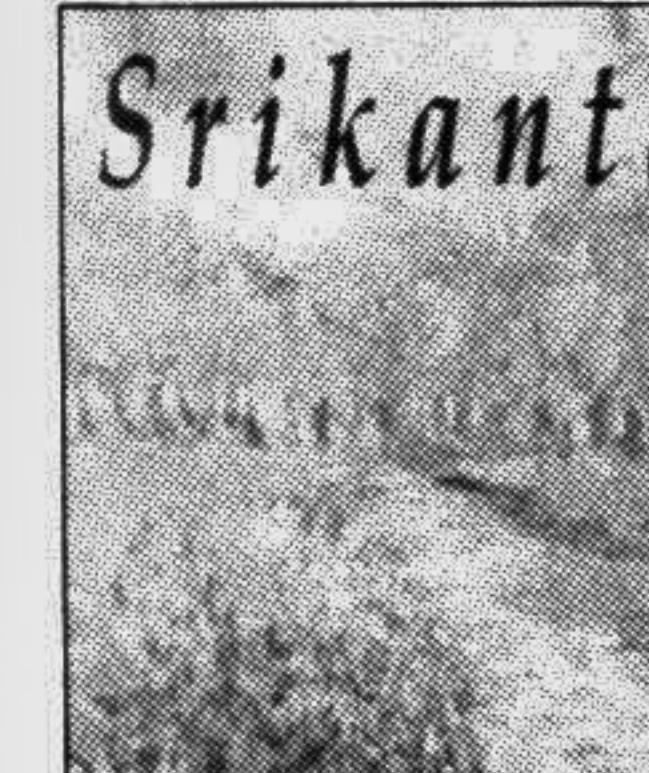
SELECTED POEMS

Rabindranath Tagore Translated by William Radice Publisher: Penguin Books Price: Tk 320/- Acclaimed by Forster and Pound, for Yeats the poet whose poetry 'stirred my blood as nothing has for years', Tagore was and remains India's greatest writer this century.



FASCINATING STORIES

Author: Bibhutibhusan Bandyopadhyay Publisher: Sahitya Akademi Price: Tk 104/- These stories presented here bring to life the face of Bengal as it was at the beginning of this century. In these stories the reader will meet the poverty and the attraction of the quiet countryside - the gentry, the peasants, the women-folk and the boys of a close-knit society.



SRIKANTA

Author: Saratchandra Chattopadhyaya Publisher: Penguin Books Price: Tk 200/- Srikanta, the narrator, is an aimless drifter, a passive spectator who cannot survive without the support of an individual stronger than himself. As a child, he idealizes the chaste Annada Didi - the epitome of selfless devotion to a worthless husband.



KAMALAKANTA

A Collection of Satirical Essay & Reflections Author: Bankim Chandra Chatterjee Publisher: Rupa Price: Tk 80/- In Kamalakanta he created his Indian Opium Eater, who does not however, like his English counterpart, tell us the story of his life and miseries, but gives expression to the many facets of his thought on the human scene, challenging, in the process, accepted norms and practices.

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Spotlight



PEEPING INTO SUBCONSCIOUS

Venue: Alliance Francaise gallery, Time: 5:30 pm Abdu Salam is tall, reticent and loner. His canvas is a window to his cool psyche. Strange shapes and unseen creatures emerge from his subconscious to fill up his murky canvas.