

Pick of the week



The Serial

Grace Under Fire

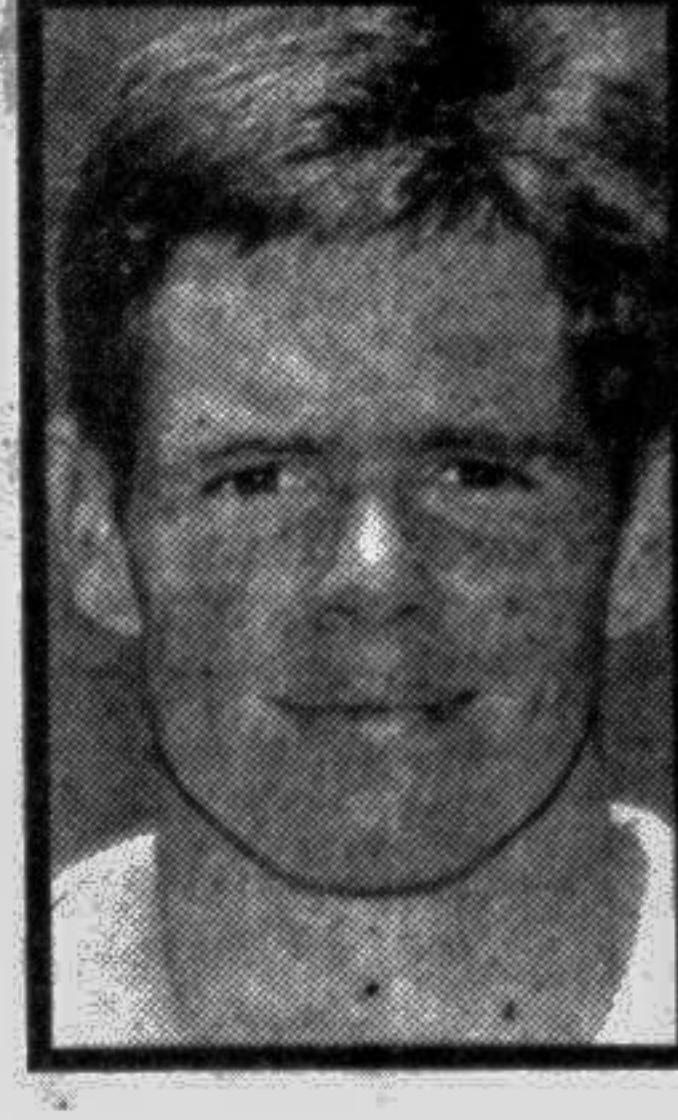
Dec 14th at 7:30 pm on Star World
In *Matthe's Old Lady*, when Matthew shows up at Grace's and announces he's about to marry Joan, a woman old enough to be his mother who also happens to be pregnant, Grace tries to keep her cool, especially when Matthew tells her his adoptive mother has no objections. But when Grace speaks to Emily, she learns that the only reason she didn't object was that Matthew seemed so adamant about marrying this woman.



The Movie

Trapped in Paradise

Dec 16th at 10:00 pm on Star Movies
Nicolas Cage is part of a trio of small-time crooks who are spending Christmas holidays in the small town of Paradise. This moral comedy sees the crooks trying desperately to skip town by employing their street-smarts but ultimately they are outwitted by the townfolk's kindness. Also starring Dana Carvey and John Lovitz.



The Sport

2nd Test

Dec 10-14th at 2:00 PM on Star Sports

West Indies
vs
South Africa

Satellite TV



Dalziel & Pascoe

Dec 16th at 9:30 am on Star Plus

In *An Autumn Shroud* Pt. 1, the wedding bells ring out as Peter Pascoe finally walks down the aisle with Ellie. An Autumn Shroud sees the happy couple off on their honeymoon-leaving Detective Superintendent Andy Dalziel with no one to torment.

Video/CD



VCD

Drive — Act — Marc Dacascos
Fifty Four (54) — Rom/R — Salma Hayek/Ryan Phillippe
Jhooth Bole Kawa Karte — Anil Kapoor/Jhui Chawla
Dole Saja Ke Rakha — Akshay Khanna

Top 10 (Hindi)

1st — Jhooth Bole Kawa Karte — Anil Kapoor/Jhui Chawla
2nd — Dole Saja Ke Rakha — Akshay Khanna
3rd — Soldier — Bobi Deol/Prenithi
4th — Mehndi — Rani Mukerjee
5th — Bandhan — Salman Khan/Rambha
6th — Kuch Kuch Hota Hai — Sharukh Khan/Kajal/Rani Mukerjee
7th — Pardesi Babu — Govinda/Raveena/Shilpa Shetty
8th — Satya — Urmila/New Cast
9th — China-Get — Nasir Uddin Shah/Mamta Kulkarni
10th — Karib — Bobbi Dowl/Neha

Top 10 (English)

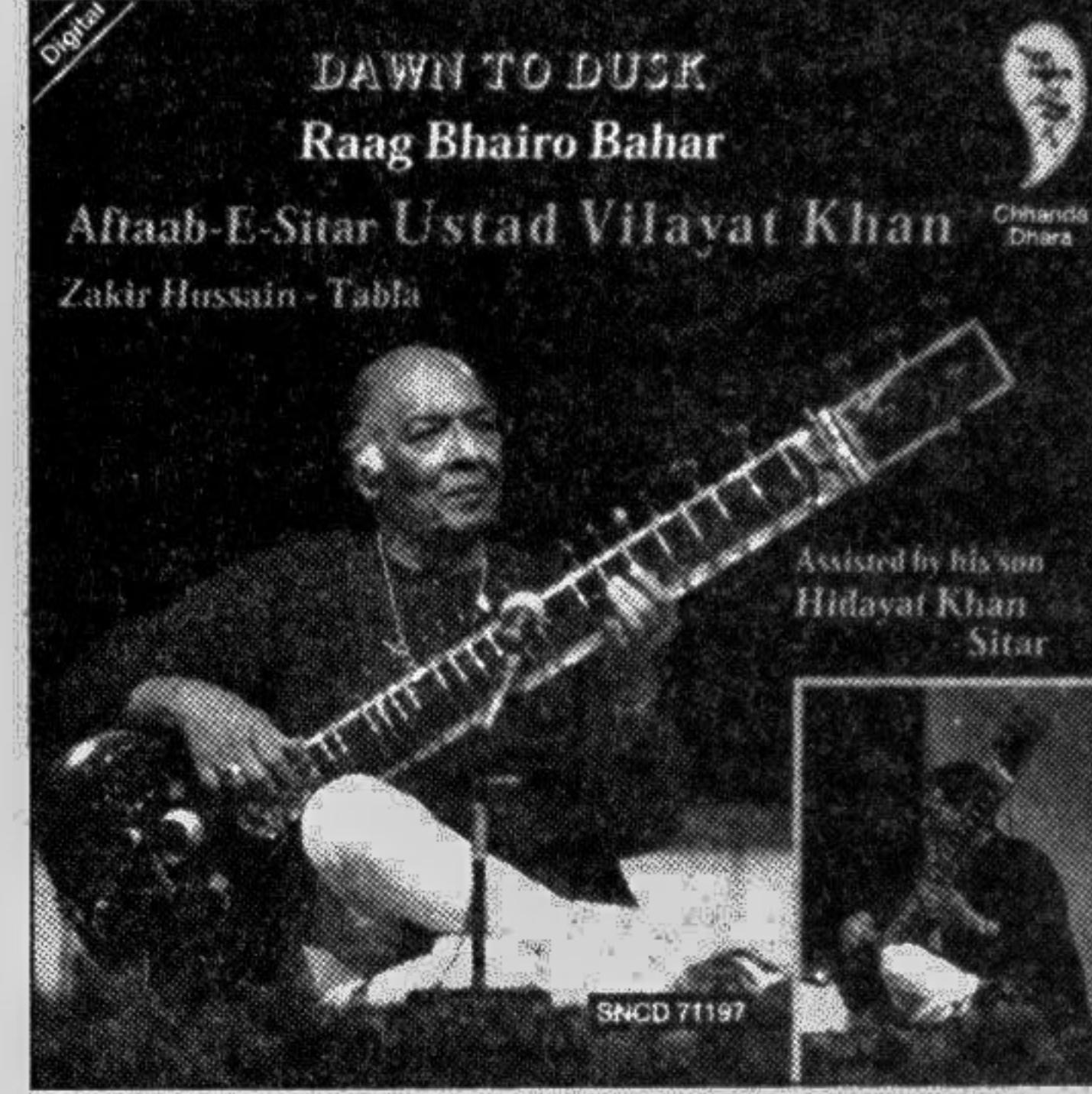
Fifty Four (54) — Rom/R — Salma Hayek
Drive — Act — Marc Dacascos
Dragon Forever — (Act) — Jacky Chan
Soldier (Sd/Act) — Kurt Russel
Holy Man (Com) — Eddie Murphy
Universal Soldier-III (Act) — Matt Battaglia
The Mighty (Funny) — Sharon Stone
There's Something About Mary (Com) — Mary Jenson
I Know What You Did Last Summer (Thr) — Jennifer Lopez
Killing Time (Act/R) — Craig Fair Brass

Kids Movie

Home Ward Bound — Adv/Funny
The Mighty — Funny/Classic
Halloween Town — Hor/Com
Small Soldier — Act

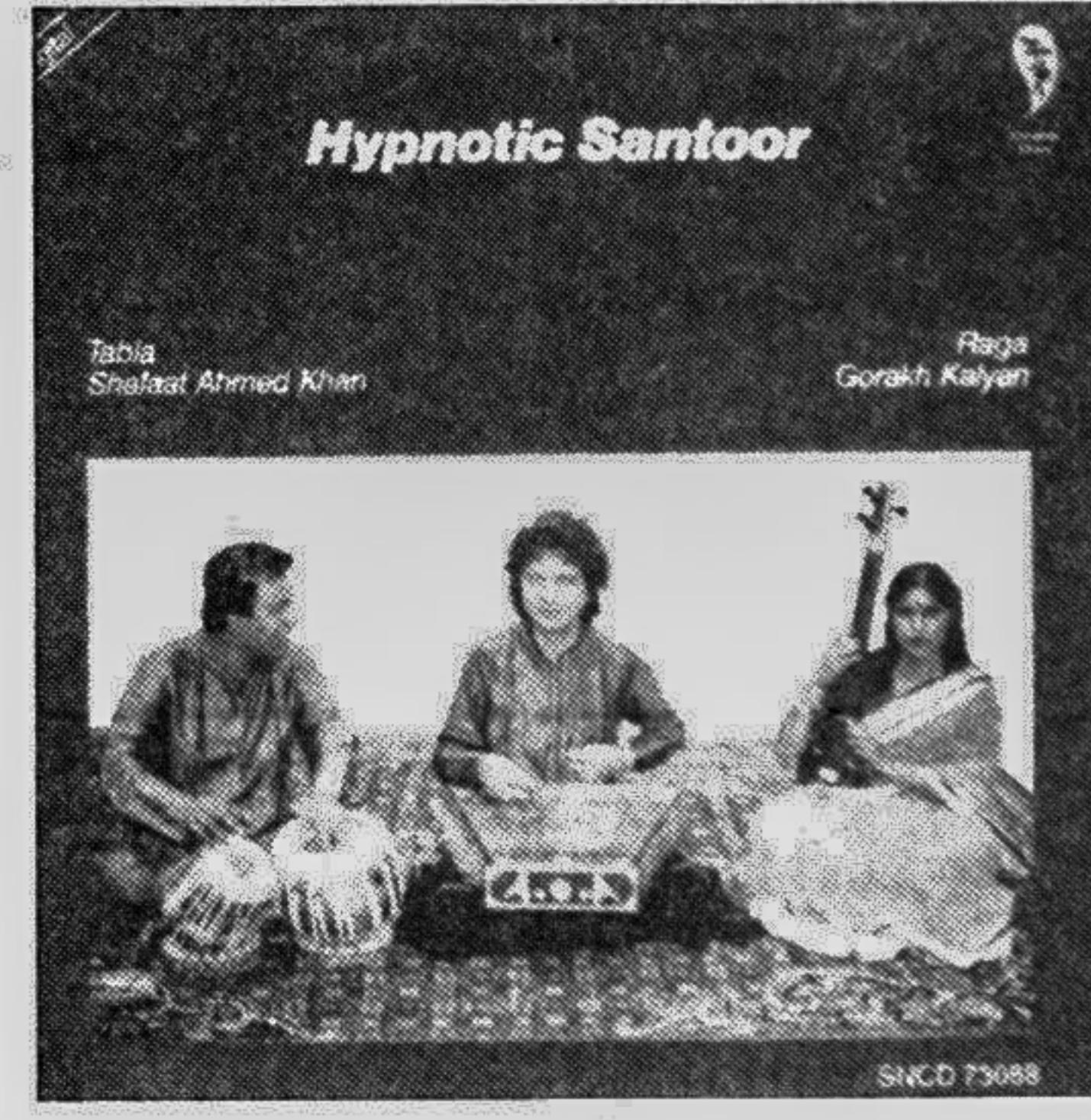
Courtesy of Rose Valley — Phone: 808265/603065

Cassettes & CDs



DAWN TO DUSK

Raag Bhairo Bahar
Ustad Vilayat Khan
Zakir Hussain in Tabla
Price: Tk 450/-



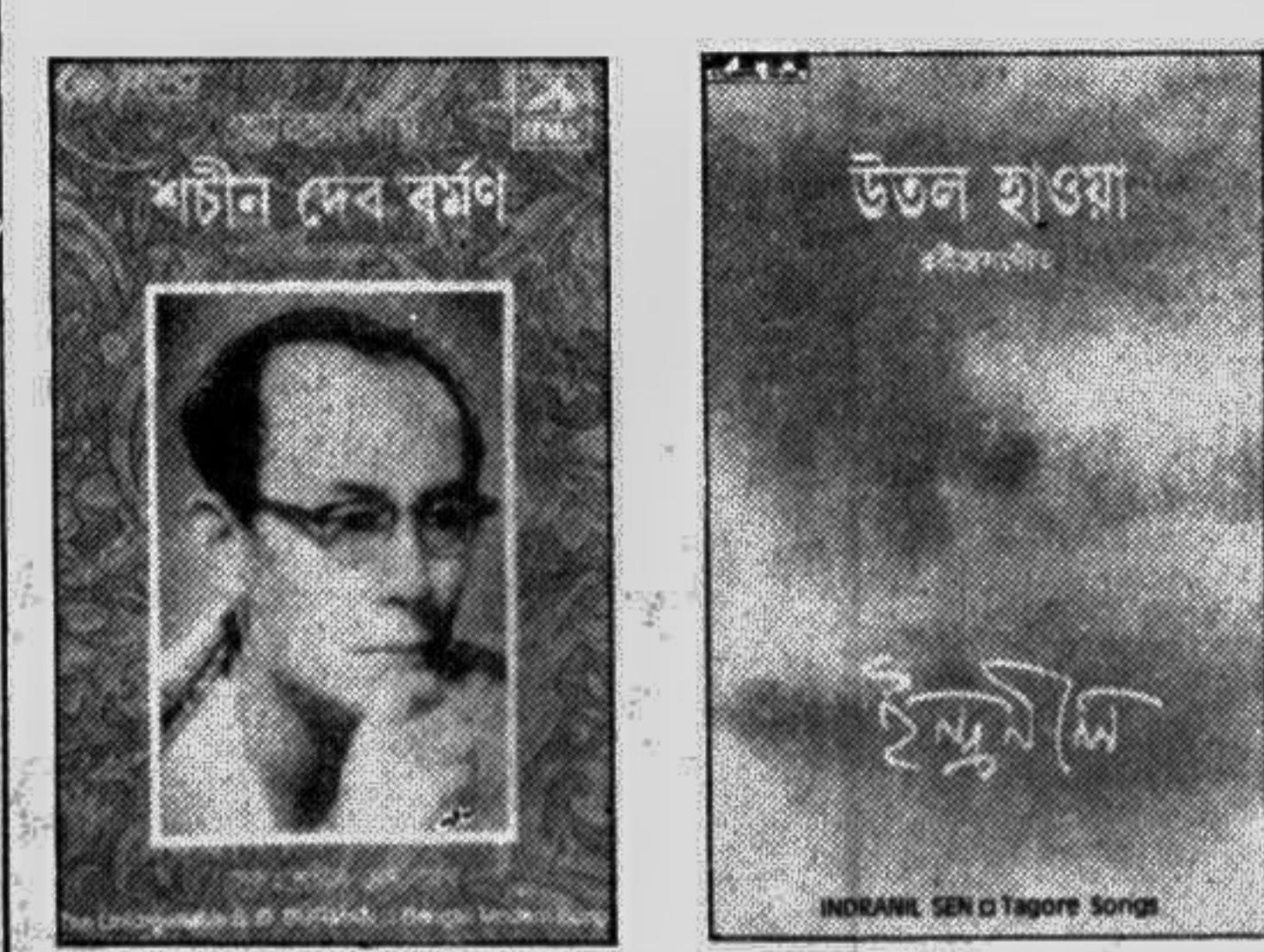
HYPNOTIC SANTOOR

Shafat Ahmed Khan
Raga Gorakh Kalyan
Price: Tk 450/-



SWAPAN CHAUDHURI

Tabla Lahara
Vilambit-Taan Taal-16 Beats, Drut Rupak Taal-7 Beats, Vilambit-Jhamptaa-10 Beats, Drut Taal-16 Beats
Price: Tk 450/-



THE UNFORGETTABLE

Sachin Dev Barman
Modern Bengali Songs
Price: Tk 70/-

Available at Ganer Dali, Yeakub Super Market, Elephant Road, Ph: 500388, Fax: 863376, VISA, Master, Vanik card accepted

Kids Corner



Whizz Kids

Author: Leonor Concar, Fernanda Hirsch, Ursula Krieger, Joanie Urrestarazu
Publisher: Heinemann
Price: Tk 390/-
Whizz Kids boosts children's confidence by introducing, practising and recycling language in ways they can enjoy.



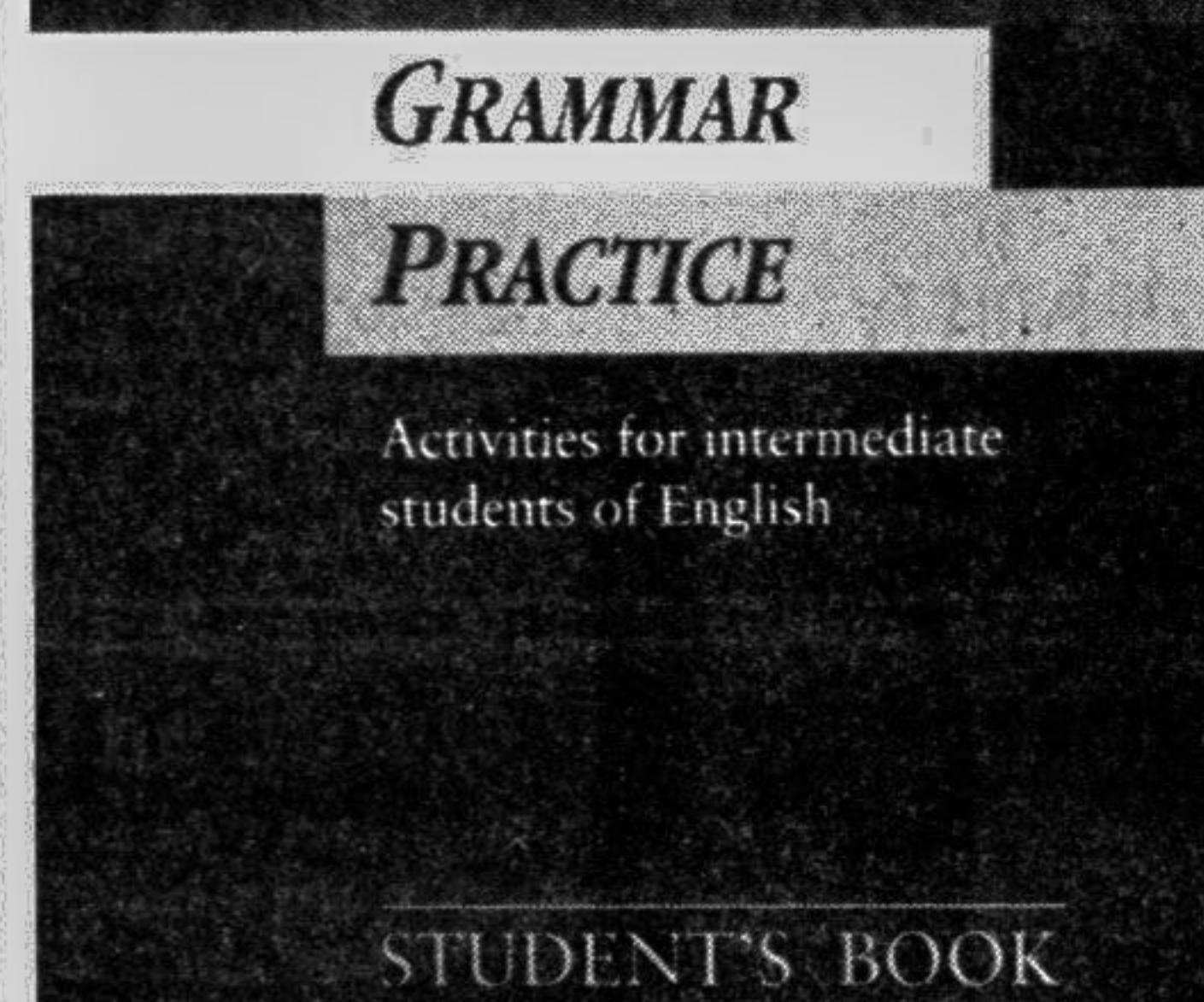
PICTURE GRAMMAR FOR CHILDREN

Author: David Vale
Publisher: Macmillan Heinemann
Price: Tk 350/-
Picture Grammar for Children is a lively and colourful grammar practice series for young learners. It's fun to use and easy to teach and is compatible with any course. Grammar is presented in an original and appealing way through vocabulary-rich topic-based spreads which are followed by a range of grammar practice activities.



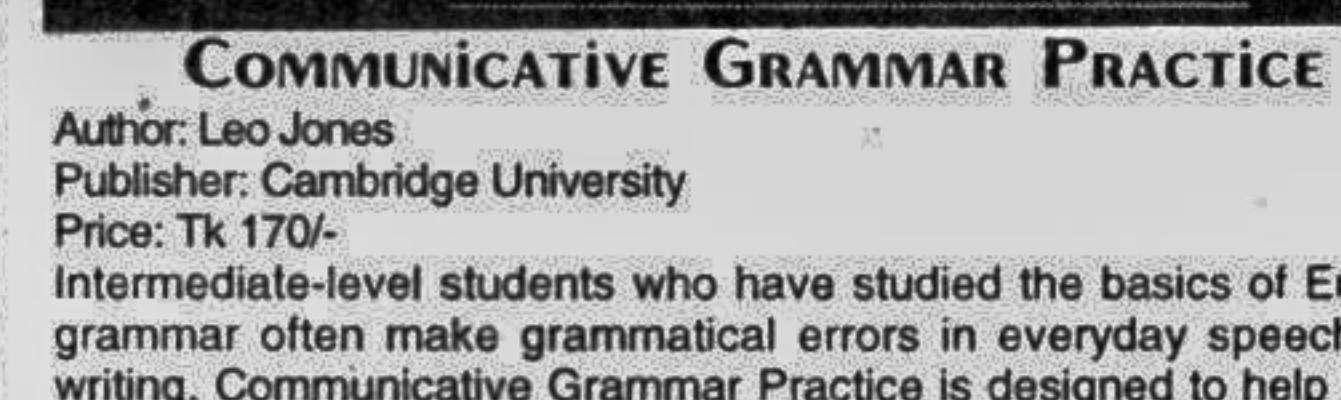
BRAVO!

Author: Judy West
Publisher: Heinemann
Price: Tk 375/-
Bravo! makes learning fun through an enjoyable range of characters such as Miss Electro, the fantastic machine Electrobox, as well as cartoon characters Annie Rabbit and Bill Owl. Bravo! has a variety of activities including songs, rhymes, games, class surveys and dialogues which ensure the pupil's active involvement.



GRAMMAR PRACTICE

Activities for intermediate students of English

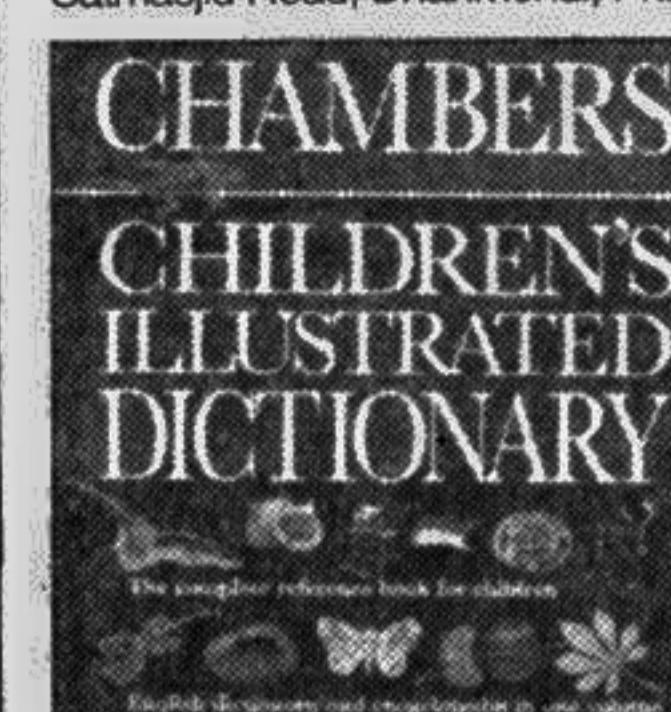


STUDENT'S BOOK

COMMUNICATIVE GRAMMAR PRACTICE

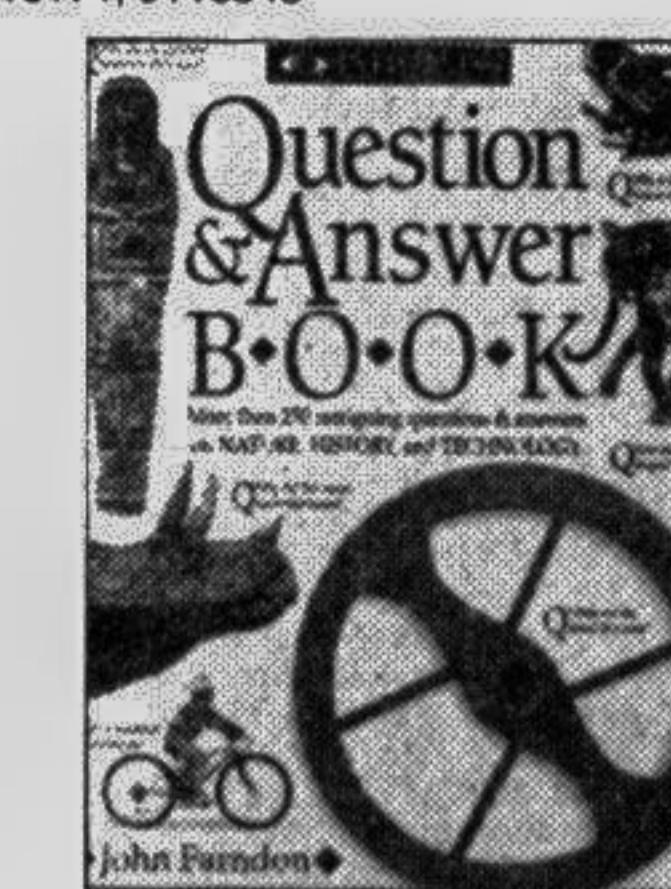
Author: Leo Jones
Publisher: Cambridge University
Price: Tk 170/-
Intermediate-level students who have studied the basics of English grammar often make grammatical errors in everyday speech and writing. Communicative Grammar Practice is designed to help those students improve their accuracy, use English more creatively, and extend their range of expression.

Available at ELT Book Shop, British Council Teaching Centre, 754B Satmasjid Road, Dhanmondi, Ph: 9116171, 9116545



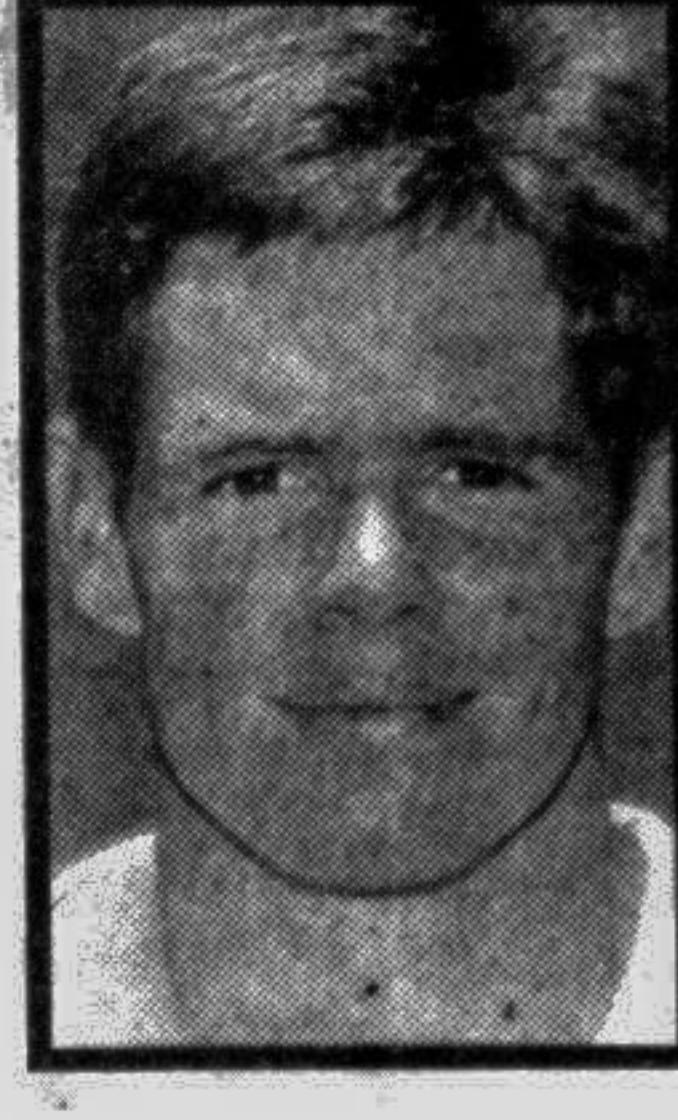
CHILDREN'S ILLUSTRATED DICTIONARY

Author: John Grisewood
Publisher: Chambers
Price: Tk 1595/-
The Chambers Children's Illustrated Dictionary is an authoritative, up-to-date dictionary combined with a carefully compiled encyclopedia of essential information for today's inquisitive young reader.



QUESTION & ANSWER BOOK

Author: John Farndon
Publisher: Dorling Kindersley
Price: Tk 450/-
Packed with intriguing questions, fact-filled answers and superb full-colour photography, the Eyewitness Question & Answer Book will entertain and educate readers of all ages.



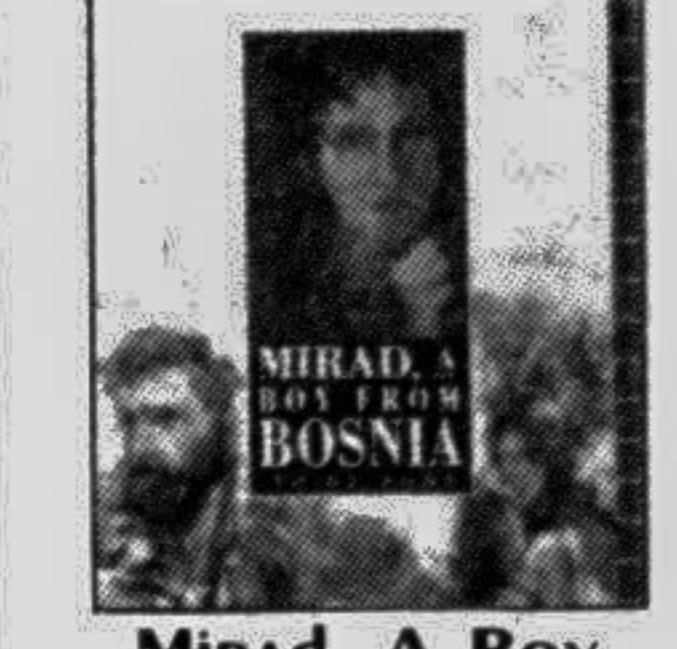
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New Books



MIRAD, A BOY FROM BOSNIA

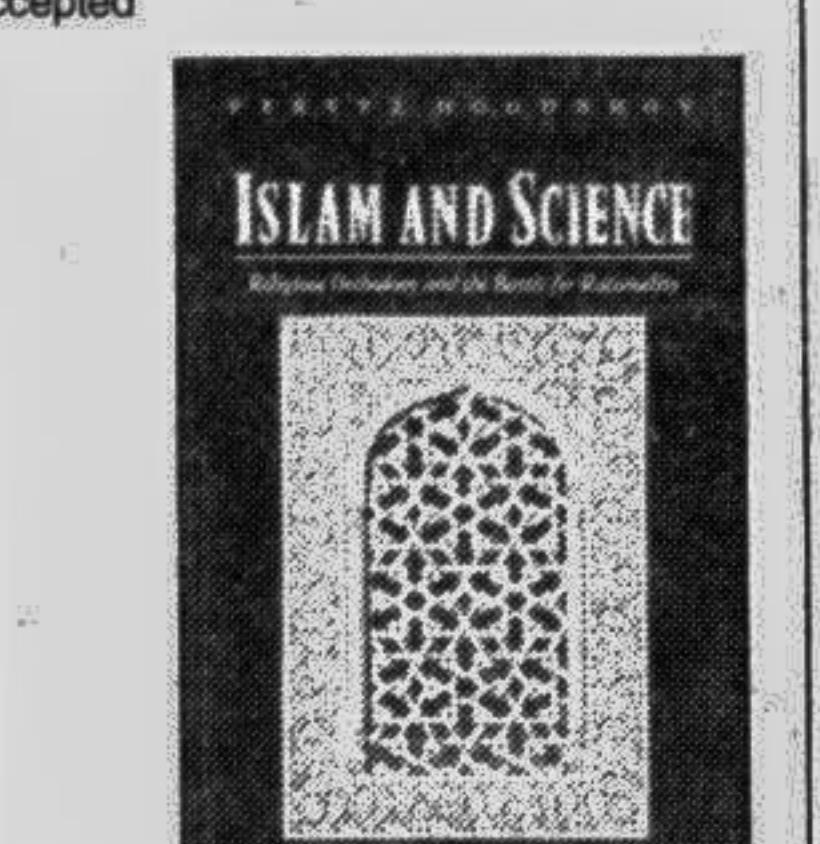
Author: Ad De Bon
Publisher: Longman
Price: Tk 250/-
Refugees don't exist. Only blown-away people exist, people blown by the wind all over the world. Set in the indescribably savage Bosnian civil war, this new play is the moving tale of one boy's search for his missing parents.

Available at N.S.U. Book Shop, 12 Kamal Ataturk Avenue, Banani, Ph: 9882426 Visa/Master card accepted



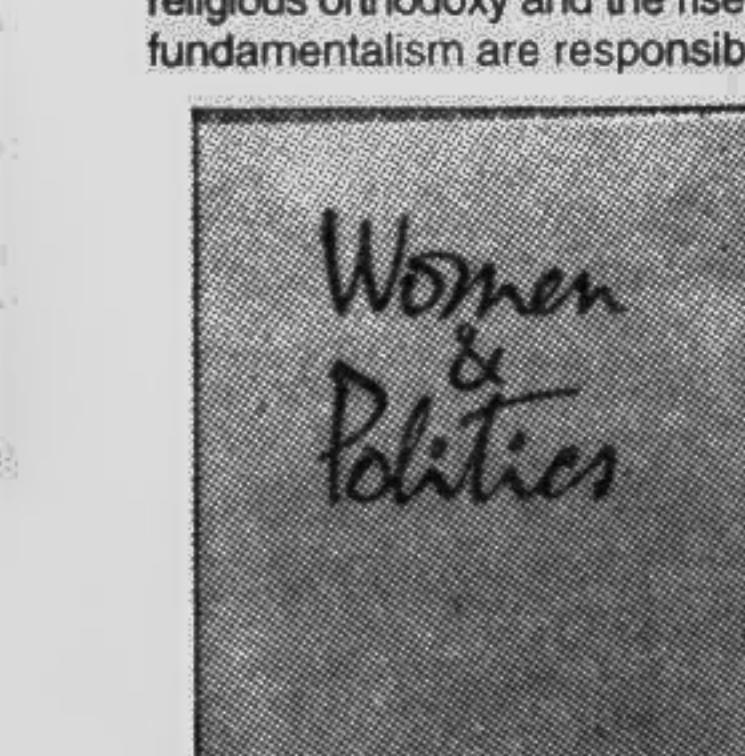
POEMS FROM OTHER CENTURIES

Editor: Adrian Tisser
Publisher: Longman
Price: Tk 240/-
This thematic anthology brings together a variety of poems, some well-known and some that will be new. They are arranged in seven themes.



ISLAM AND SCIENCE

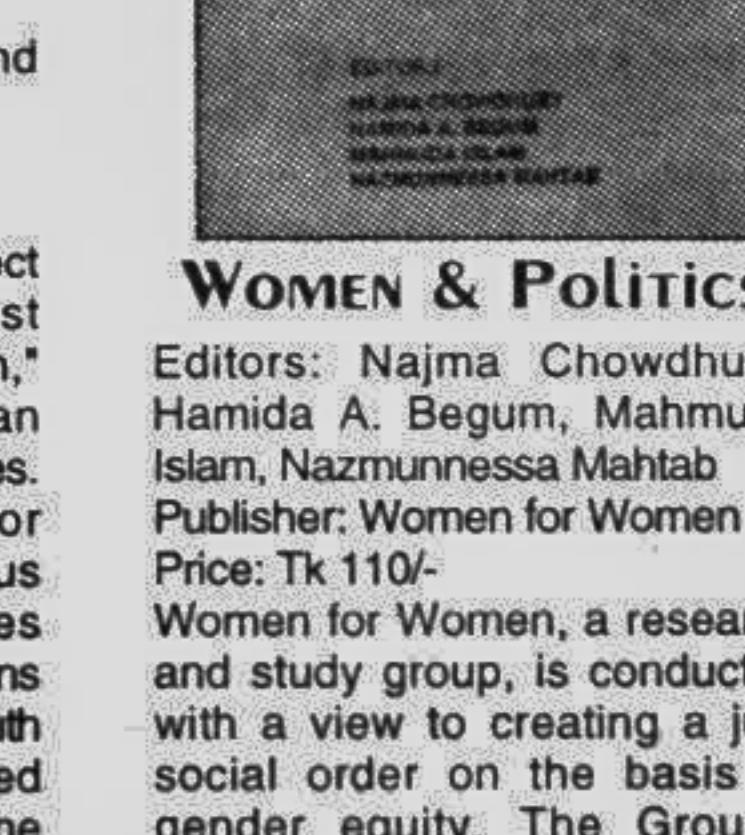
Religious Orthodoxy and the Battle for Rationality
With a preface by professor Abdus Salam winner of Nobel Prize for Physics
Author: Pervez Hoodbhoy
Publisher: Zeb Books
Price: Tk 716/-
Islam and Science explores the relationship between scientific thought and Islamic theory and practice, both historically and in the contemporary Muslim world. The author's controversial, but important, contention is that science in these countries today is in an appalling state, and that religious orthodoxy and the rise of fundamentalism are responsible.



Violence Against Women in Bangladesh

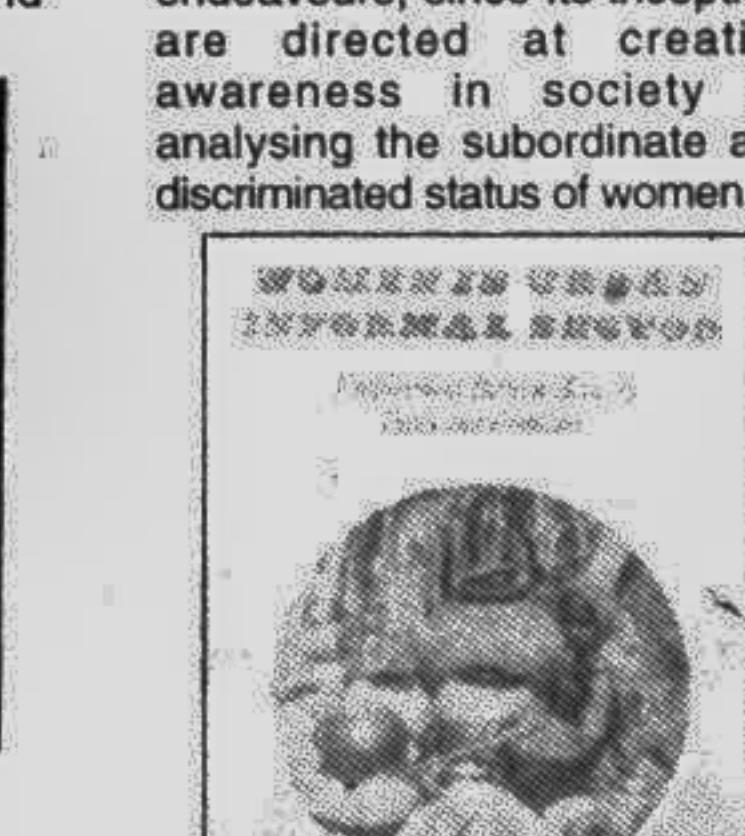
Author: Roushan Jahan and Mahmuda Islam
Publisher: Women for Women
Price: Tk 100/-

The Study is a part of the project entitled "Violence Against Women: Analysis and Action," sponsored by South Asian Association for Women's Studies. SAAWS is a forum for establishing, on a continuous basis, professional linkages among individuals and institutions in the seven countries of the South Asia region who are concerned about and active in changing the situation of the women and particularly the girl child.



WOMEN & POLITICS

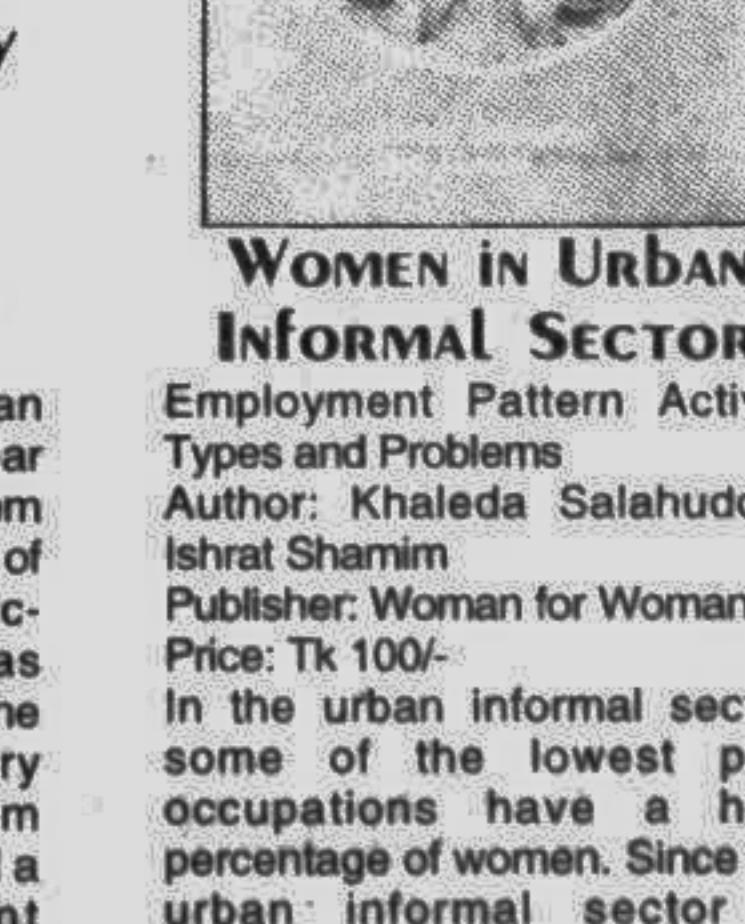
Editors: Najma Chowdhury, Hamida A. Begum, Mahmuda Islam, Nazmunnissa Mahtab
Publisher: Women for Women
Price: Tk 110/-
Women for Women, a research and study group, is conducted with a view to creating a just social order on the basis of gender equity. The Group's endeavours, since its inception, are directed at creating awareness in society by analysing the subordinate and discriminated status of women.



HIDDEN DANGER WOMEN AND FAMILY VIOLENCE IN BANGLADESH

Author: Roushan Jahan
Publisher: Women for Women
Price: Tk 125/-

In *Hidden Danger*, Roushan Jahan has tried to depict a clear and broad picture of the problem of family violence in the context of Bangladeshi socio-economic-cultural scenario. She has presented data collected from the field as well as secondary sources, analysed them scientifically and finally offered a number of pertinent recommendations for reducing the grave social problem of family violence against women.



WOMEN IN URBAN INFORMAL SECTOR

Employment Pattern Activity Types and Problems
Author: Khaleda Salahuddin/Ishrat Shamim
Publisher: Women for Woman
Price: Tk 100/-
In the urban informal sector, some of the lowest paid occupations have a high percentage of women. Since the urban informal sector is unregulated and unorganised, women employed in this sector receive no legislative protection. It seems that Farzana Milky is infatuated with human figure and human postures. For her body language speaks volumes of human emotions and in a way reflection to her personality.



Rhythm of Life

Sculpture show at Alliance

Franchise gallery, from 5 to 8 pm everyday till Dec 14

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