

Pick of the week



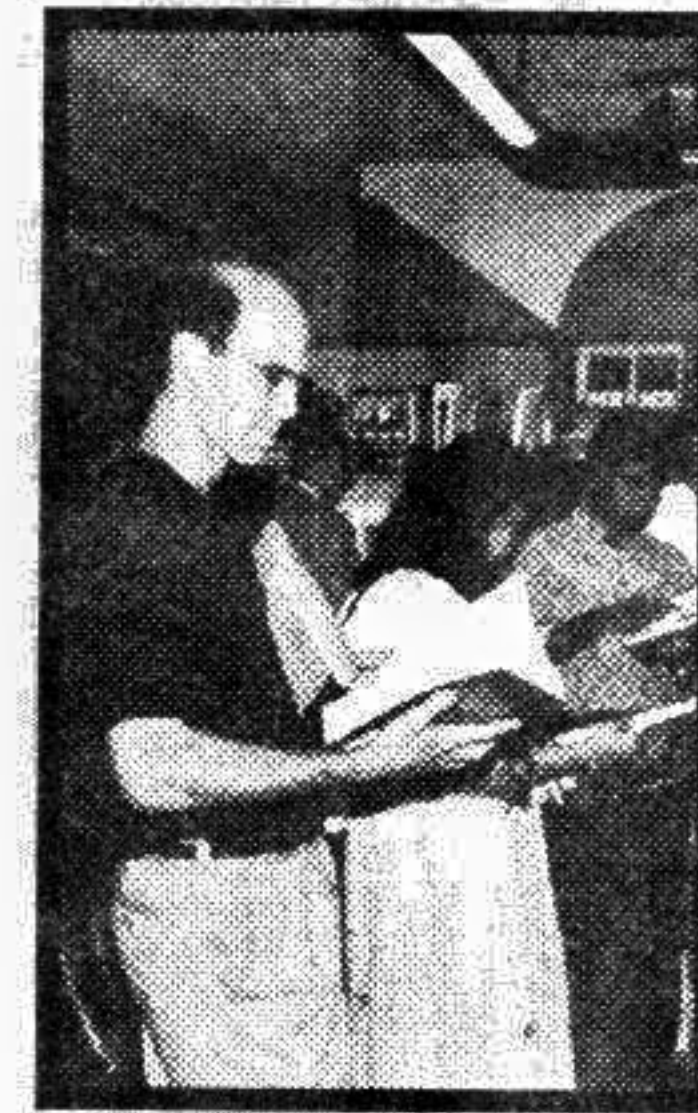
The Movie

The Island of Dr. Moreau
Apr 24 at 10:00 PM on Star Movies
The balance of nature is put to the ultimate test in this science-fiction thriller when a marooned stranger stumbles across an out-of-control experiment that fuses man with animal. Based on the haunting novel written by H. G. Wells, the explosive storyline fuelling THE ISLAND OF DR. MOREAU has been updated and set in the near future to incorporate more recent developments in genetic engineering. Starring Marlon Brando, Val Kilmer, David Thewlis, Fairuza Balk and Temuera Morrison.



The Serial

Mr Bean
Apr 26th at 6:00 PM on Star World
In *The Trouble With Mr Bean*, Mr Bean realises he is late for the dentist and gets dressed as he drives there. When his consultation renders the dentist unconscious, Mr Bean attempts first—self dentistry. Relaxing later in the park, he takes control of a wheelchair—without knowing it—and finds that killing a wasp is no piece of cake.



The Event

World Book Day
World Book Day is on 23 April; the anniversary of Shakespeare's birth and death and St. George's Day. The tradition of giving a book and a rose to loved ones began in Catalonia, Spain where people celebrate St George's Day. This Day aims to emphasize the importance of reading for both learning and pleasure and to encourage children to enjoy books at school and at home. It also seeks to remind adults of the importance of books in our everyday lives. Observing the day NSU Book Shop at the Main Campus of North University at "Star Tower", 12, Kemal Ataturk Avenue, Banani (Phone: 9882426) and ELT Book Shop at the British Council Teaching Centre, 754B, Satmasjid Road, (Phone: 9116171 & 9116545) are offering special discount between 10 and 50 per cent on a very wide range of books. Beginning on 23rd April the offer stays open till 30th June 1998.

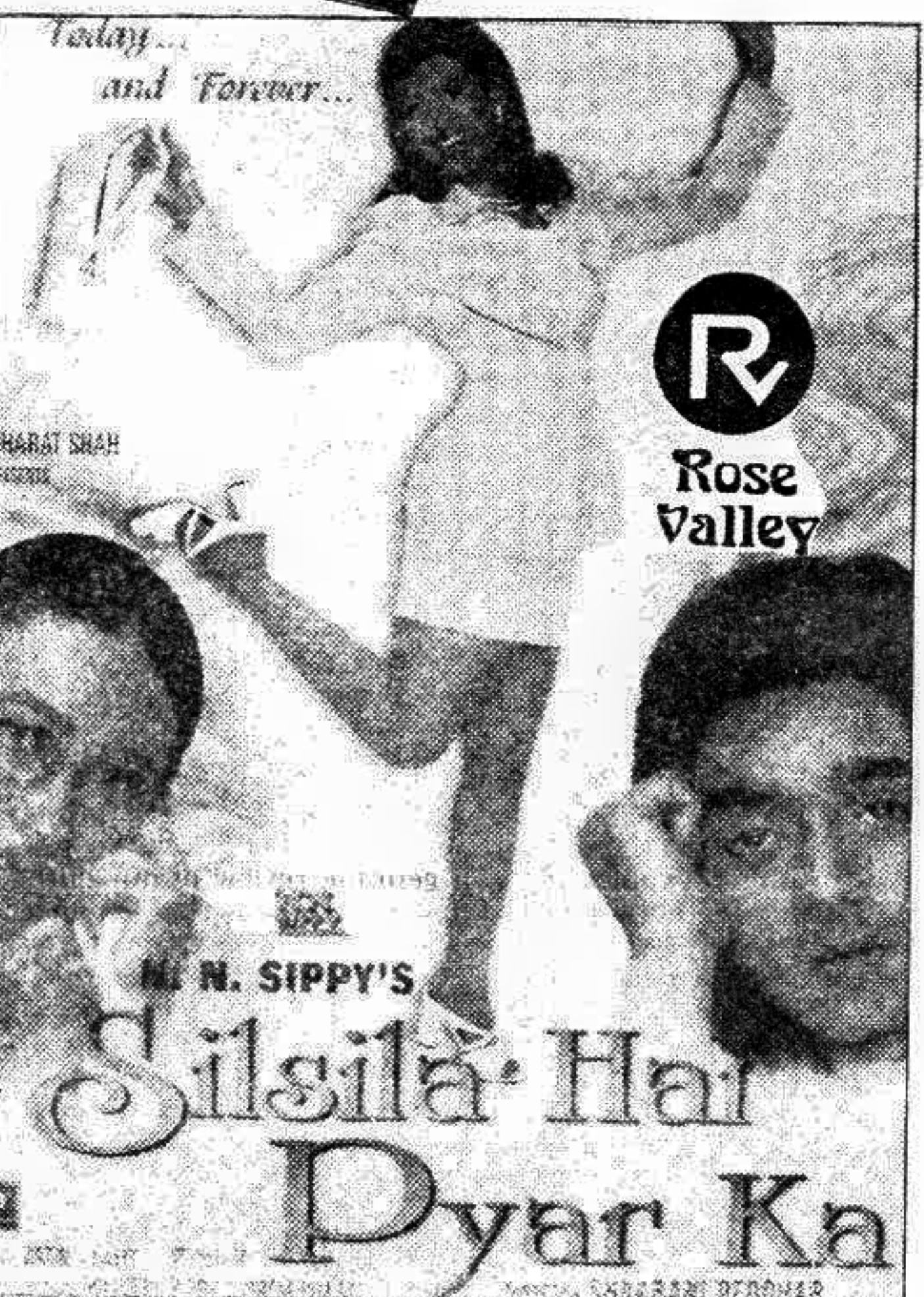
Satellite TV



The Game

Apr 25th at 10:00 PM on Star Movies
There are no clues in 'The Game' and that will make life very difficult for Nicholas Van Orton, a shrewdly successful businessman who is always in control. Well-bred and well-schooled, Van Orton lives a well-ordered life until an unexpected birthday gift from his brother destroys it all. Starring Michael Douglas and Sean Penn.

Video/CD



NEW RELEASES

VCD/VIDEO CASSETTE

- Straw Bullet - Act/R — Fred Dryer/Robert Carradine/Rebecca-Staab
- Wild Justice - Thr/Act
- Royal Deceit - Thr/R — Gabriel Byrne/Helen Mirren
- The Pack - Hor — Jack Vogle/Ted Prior
- Sil Sila Hai Pyar Ka - (Hindi) — Karisma Kapoor/Chandra Charu Singh
- Zul Mi (Hindi) — Aksay Kumar/Twinkle Khanna

Top-10 (Hindi)

- Sil Sila Hai Pyar Ka — Karisma Kapoor/Chandra Charu Singh
- Zulmi — Aksay Kumar/Twinkle Khanna
- Jaanam Samjha Karo — Salman Khan/Urmila
- Kache Dhage — Ajay Devgon/Monisha Koirala/Salf Ali Khan
- Aarzo — Aksay Kumar/Madhuri Dixit
- Laawarish — Aksay Kumar/Monisha Koirala
- Kuch Kuch Hota Hai — Shahrukh Khan/Kajol
- Lal Badsha — Amitabh Bachchan/Monisha Koirala/Shilpa Shetty
- International Khiladi — Aksay Kumar/Twinkle Khanna
- Anari No-1 — Govinda/Raveena Tandon

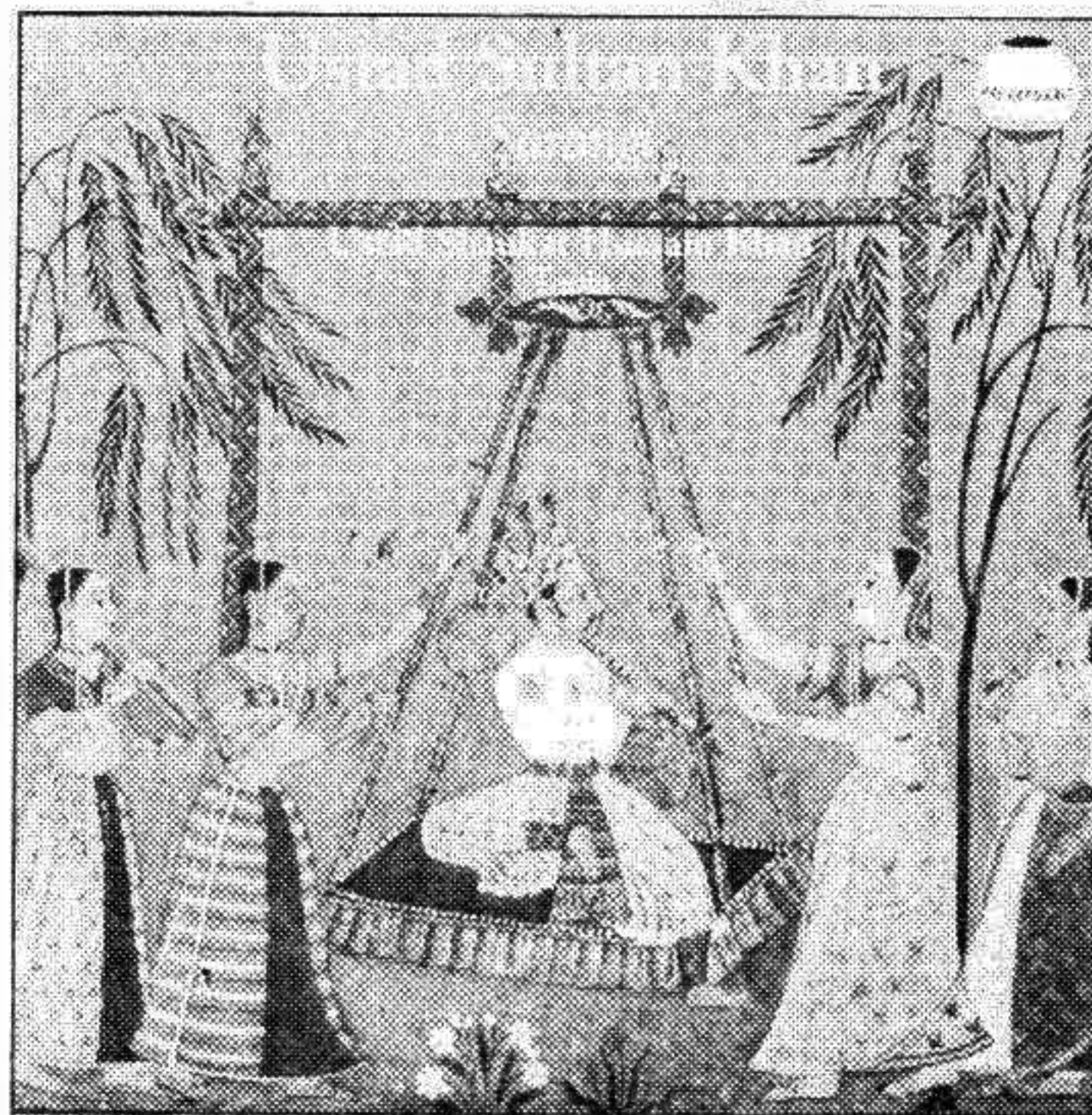
Top-10 (English)

- Straw Bullet - Act/R — Fred Dryer/Robert Carradine/Rebecca-Staab
- Alien - V (Arsenal) - Scf — Josh Hammond/Danielle Hoover
- Wild Justice - Thr
- Royal Deceit - Thr/R — Gabriel Byrne/Helen Mirren
- The Pack - Hor — Jack Vogle/Ted Prior/Jim Patulla
- 8 MM - Act — Nicolas Cage
- Shakespeare in Love - Rom — Joseph Feennes/Gwyneth
- Elizabeth - Rom — Cate-Bianchett/Joseph Fiennes
- Saving Private Ryan — Tom Hanks/Tom Sezemore
- Bravo Two Zero — Act — Sean Bean/Jamie Bartlett

Kids' Movie

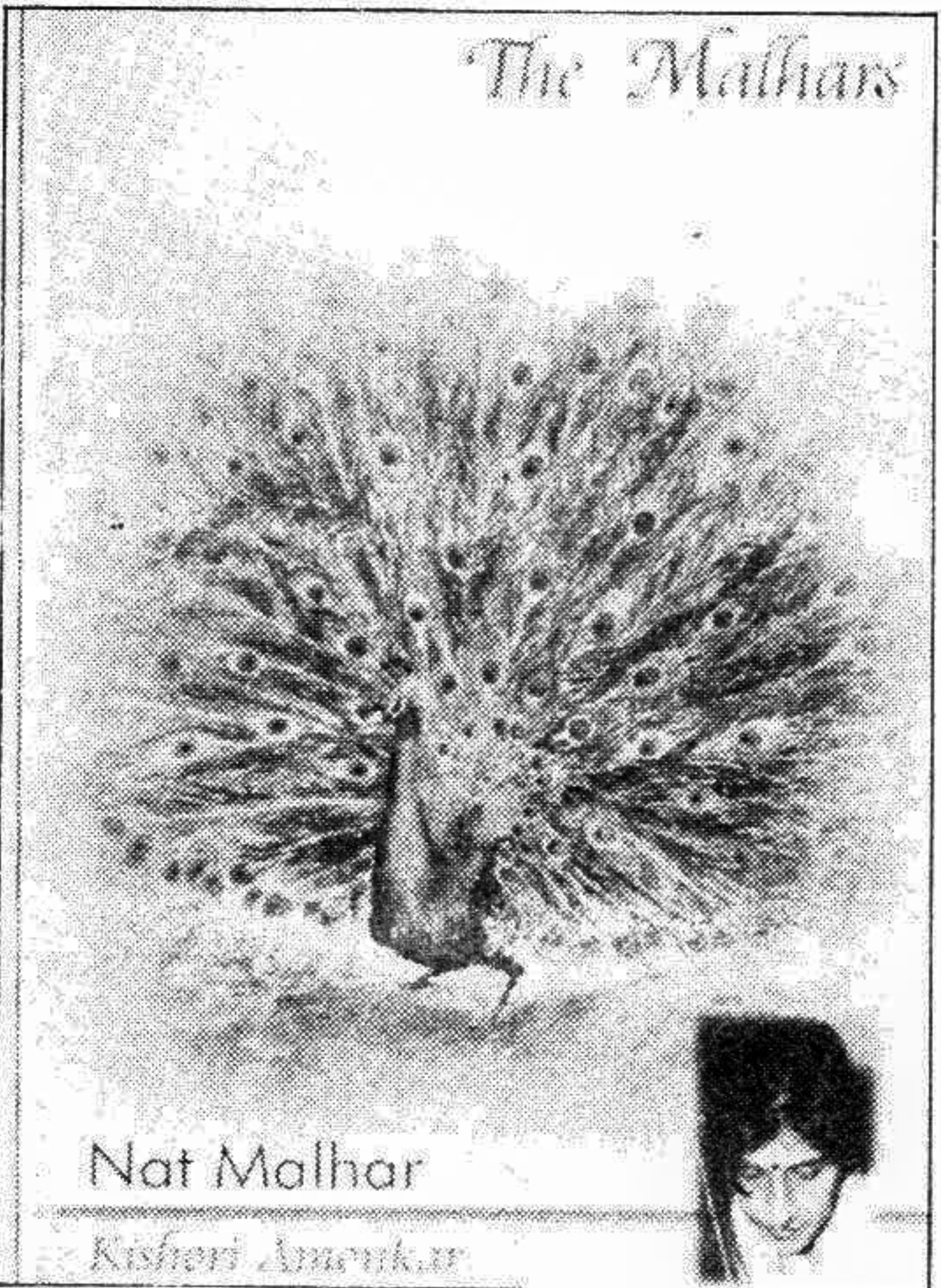
- Alien - V Arsenal - Scf — Josh Hammond/Danielle Hoover
 - A Bugs Life — Cartoon
 - Pterodactyl Woman
- From Beverly Hills-Dra-Beverly d'Angelo
Courtesy by Rose Valley — Phone: 608265/603065

Cassettes & CDs



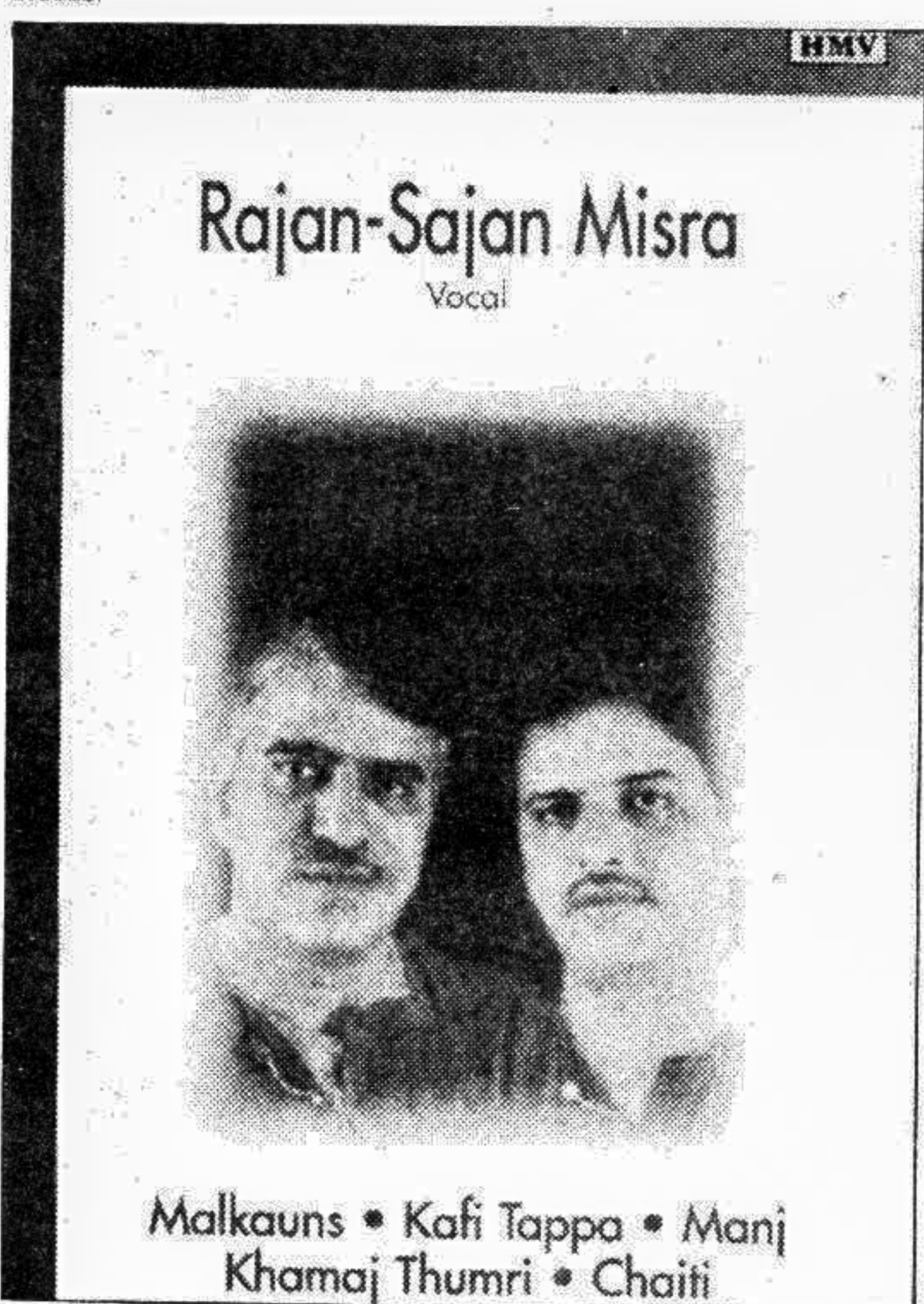
Ustad SULTAN KHAN

Sarangi
Ustad Shaukat Hussain Khan
Tabla
CD Price: Tk 550/-
Sultan Khan began his initial training with his father Ustad Gulab Khan and by the age of eleven, gave his first solo performance at the All India Conference. In 1974, he joined Beatle George Harrison and Pandit Ravi Shankar's "Dark Horse" world tour. Since then, he has been taking his music to concert halls all over the world.



THE MALHARS

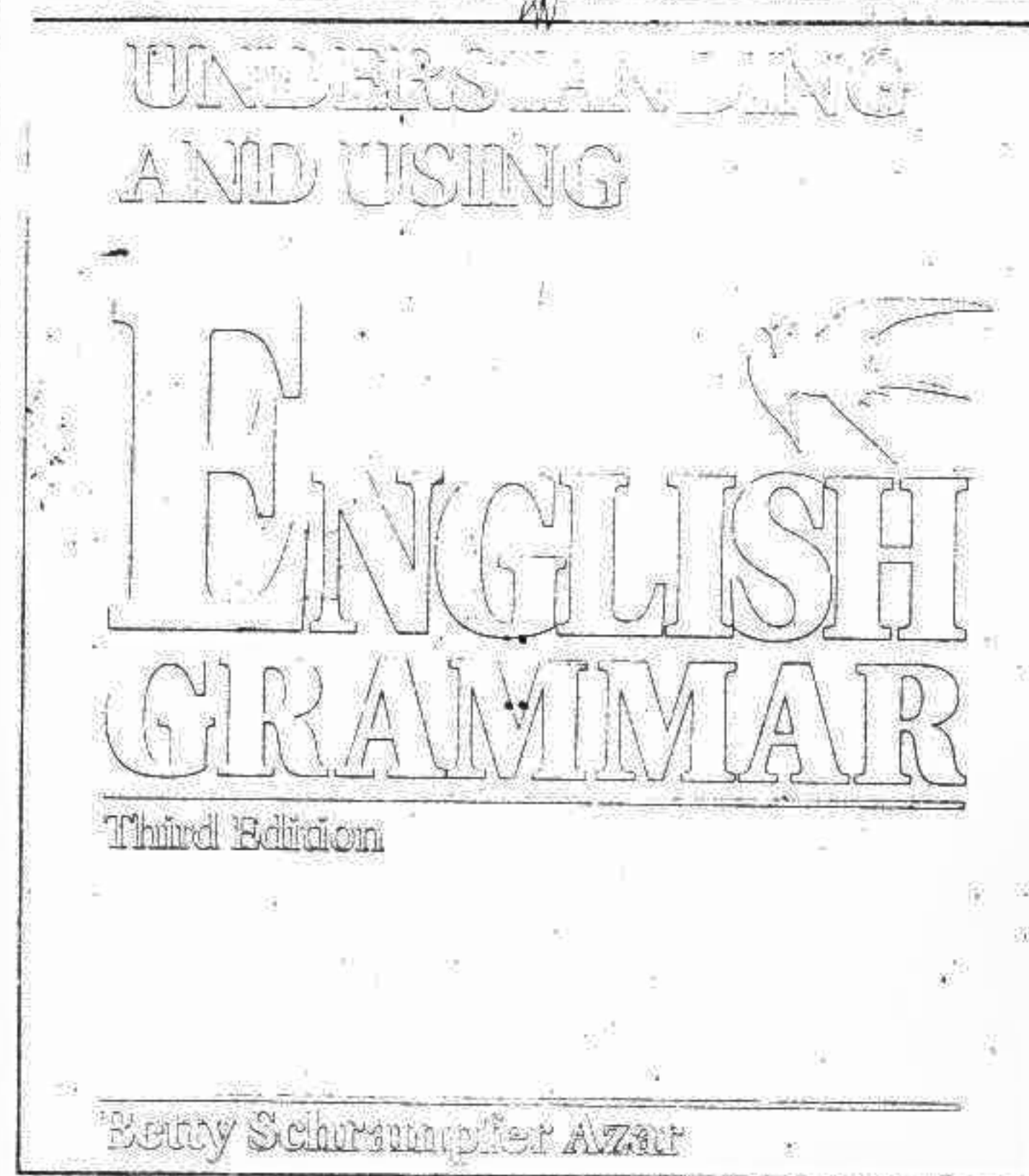
Nat Malhar
Kishori Amonkar
Price: Tk 120/-
Nat Malhar is a combination of the raga Nat (which is also extended into a group) with the Malhar style. The critical cadence in raga Nat is the slow, searching upward phrase 'Sa-Re, Re-Ga, Ga-Ma'. Nat has a majestic and languorous quality tinged with a mysterious and misty character of distance. Nat-the actor-is symbolised by the beautiful peacock dancing to the call of romance in the rain-washed mountain breeze.



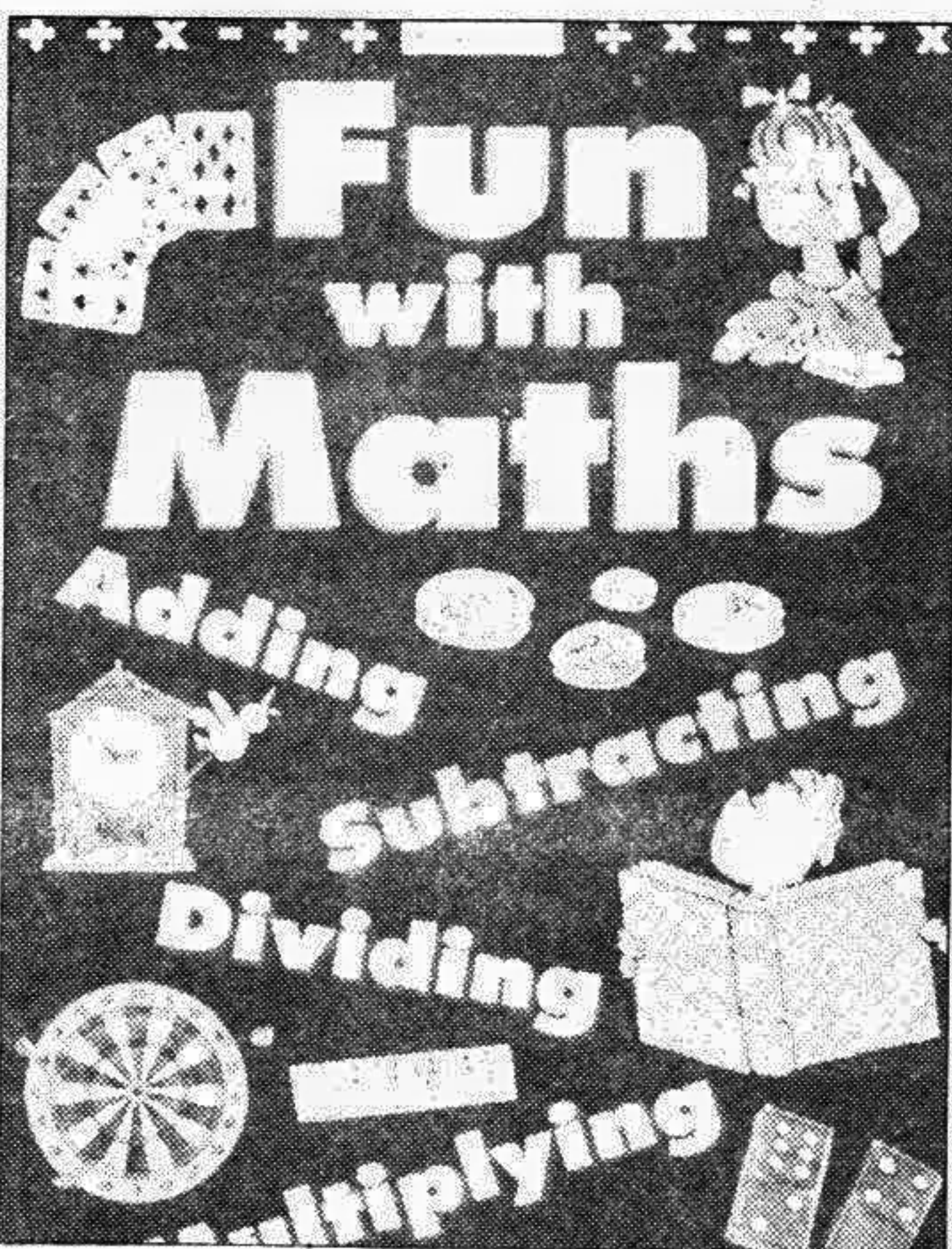
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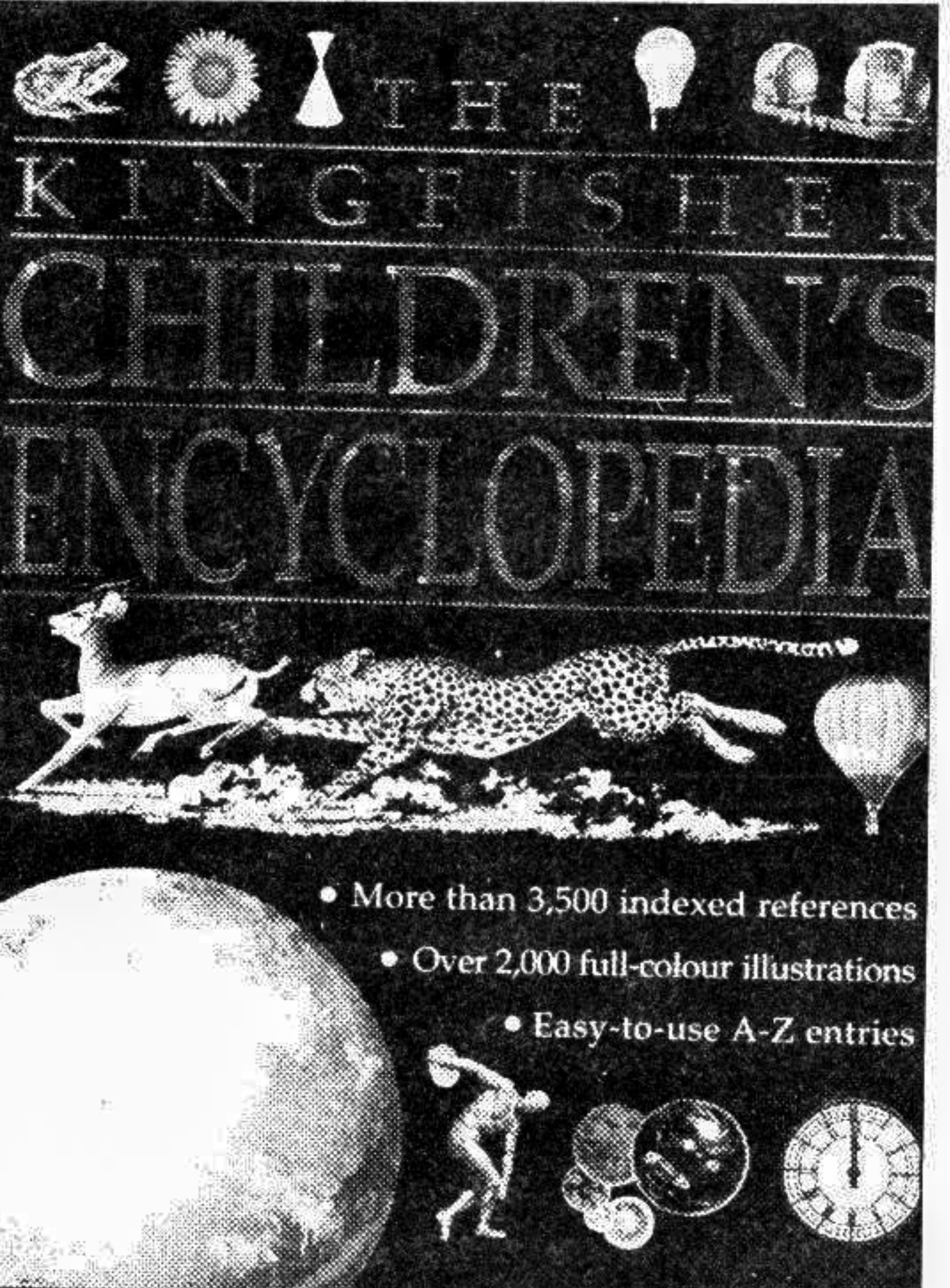
Kids Corner



Understanding and Using English Grammar
Author: Betty Schrammfer Azar
Publisher: Prentice Hall Regents
Price: Tk 550/-
A classic developmental skills text for intermediate to advanced students of English as a second or foreign language, Understanding and Using English Grammar is a comprehensive reference grammar as well as a stimulating and teachable classroom text.
Available at ELT Book Shop, British Council Teaching Centre, 754B Satmasjid Road, Dhanmondi, Ph: 9116171, 9116545



FUN with MATHS
Author: Peter Patilla
Publisher: Kingfisher
Price: Tk 520/-
This lively book has been written with the aim in mind to show children that mathematics is about much more than just doing sums, and through exploration, investigation and practice, they will discover that numbers are interesting and, above all, FUN.

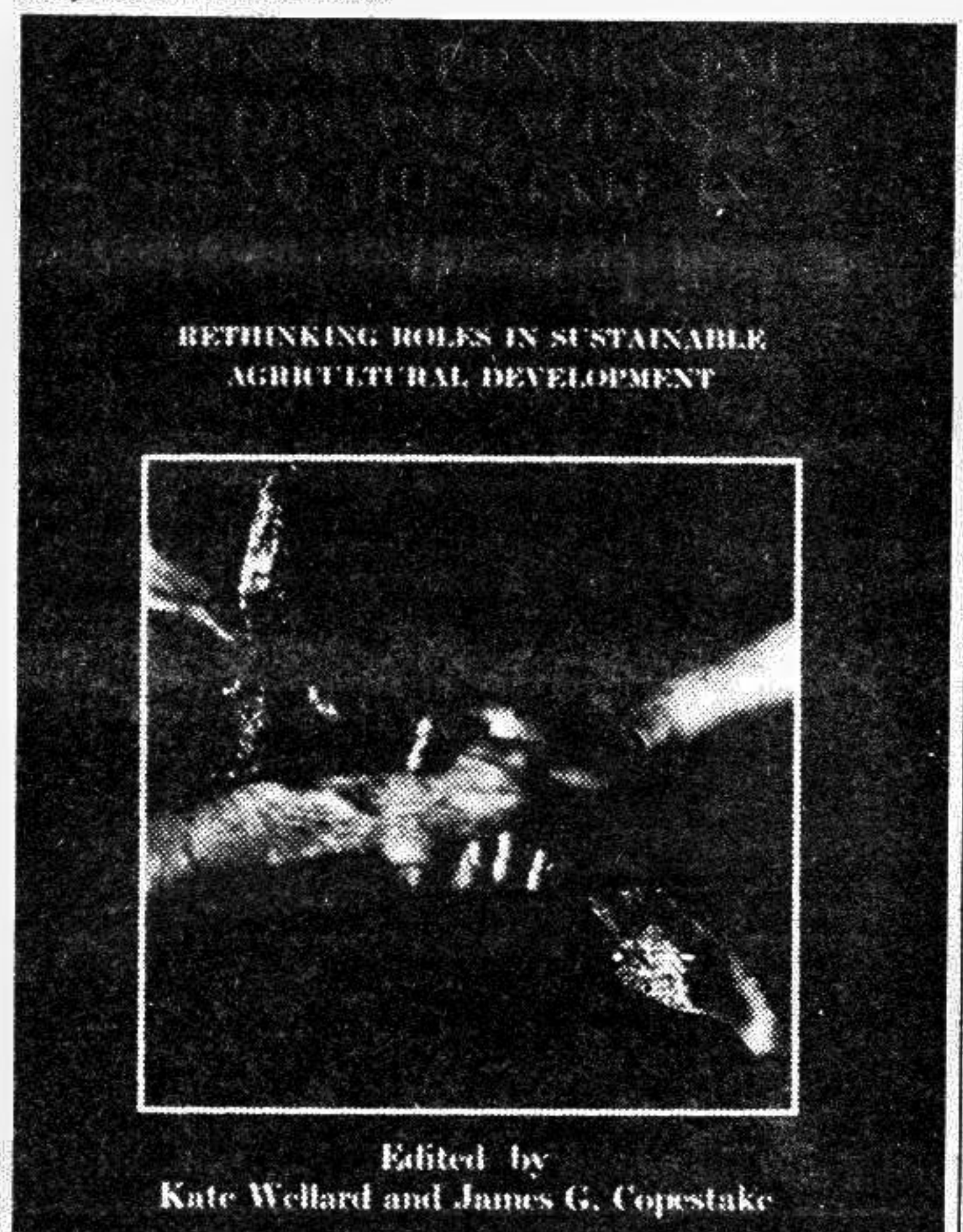


Children's Encyclopedia
Publisher: Kingfisher
Price: Tk 1950/-
The encyclopedia has been meticulously researched, compiled and checked by a team of over 50 writers and consultants, each of them specialists in their field. Packed with lavish illustrations, high-quality photographs and detailed maps, the pages are brought to life, beckoning the browser to find out more. The text is clear, concise and informative, written in small manageable chunks for the younger reader, but presented as a continuous narrative.
Available at N.S.U. Book Shop, 12 Kamal Ataturk Avenue, Banani, Ph: 9882426 Visa/Master card accepted

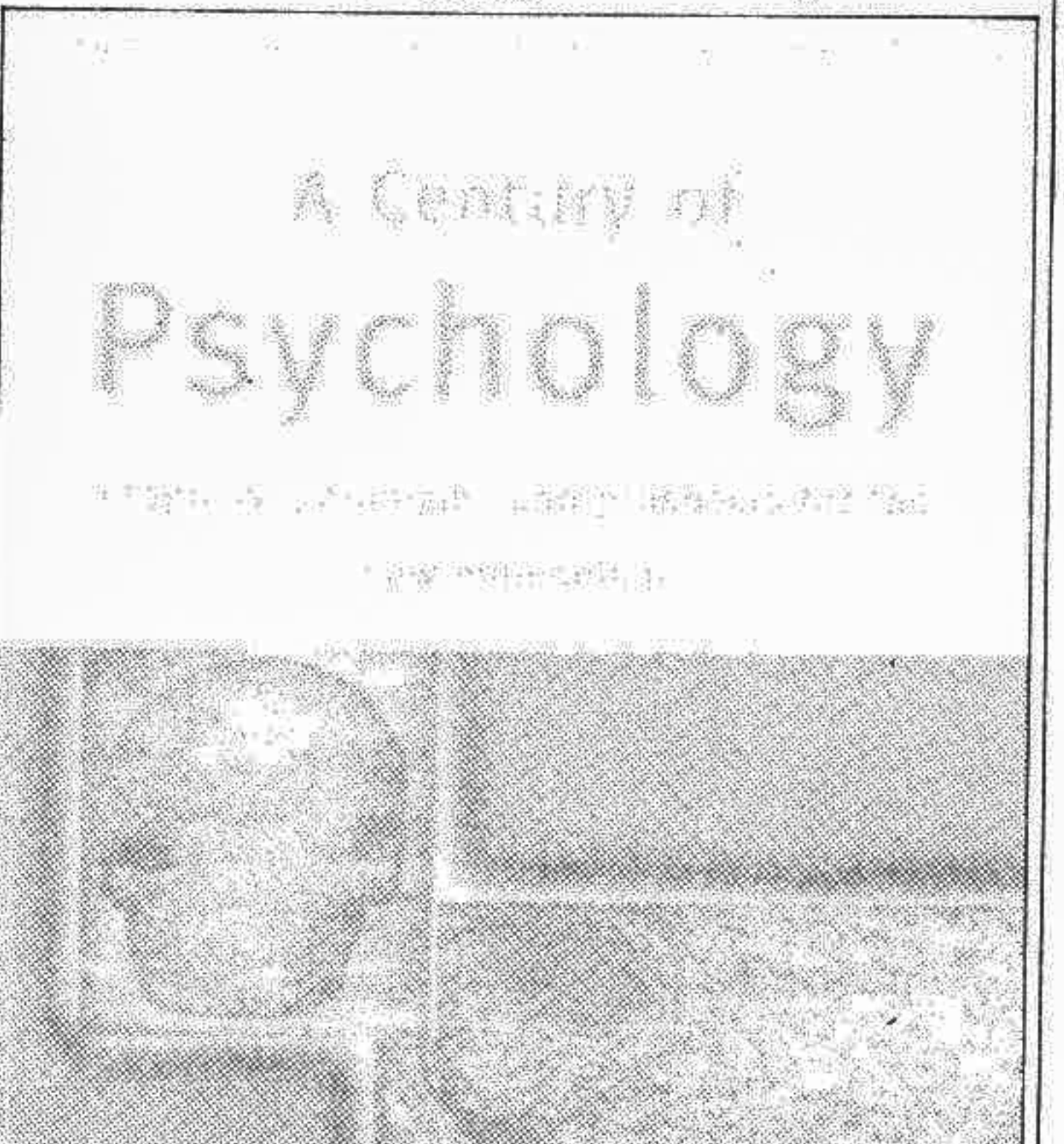
New Books



Islam in Britain
Author: Nabil Matar
Publisher: Cambridge
Price: Tk 2200/-
This book examines the impact of Islam on Britain in the period from the accession of Elizabeth I to the death of Charles II. Professor Matar provides a new perspective on the transformation of British thought and society by demonstrating how influential Islam was in the formation of early modern British culture.



Non-Governmental Organizations and the State in Africa
Edited by Kate Wellard and James G. Copestake
Publisher: Routledge
Price: Tk 1584/-
Non-Governmental Organizations and the State in Africa analyses over twenty specially commissioned case studies of farmer-participatory approaches to agricultural innovation initiated by NGOs and state institutions in Africa. Beginning with a broad review of institutional activity at the grassroots, the authors set the case material within the context of NGO relations with the state and their contribution to democratization and the consolidation of rural civil society.



A CENTURY of Psychology
Edited by Ray Fuller, Patricia Noonan Walsh and Patrick McGinley
Publisher: Routledge
Price: Tk 1808
Psychology has influence in almost every walk of life. *A Century of Psychology* is a timely review of where the discipline came from, where it is at and where it may go.
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