

Pick of the week



The Movie

**The Edge**  
 Sept 19 at 10:00 PM on Star Movies  
 Starring Anthony Hopkins, Alec Baldwin and Elle McPherson  
 A harrowing film about two very different men—one an intellectual billionaire, the other a hotshot fashion photographer whose hidden tensions are unleashed when they engage in a desperate struggle for survival after their plane crashes in the hostile Alaskan wilderness. One man eventually learns that the greatest danger comes not from nature, but from fear, treachery, and possibly, murder.



Our Choice

**Double Team**  
 From Sept 24-30 at Modhumita Cinema all four shows morning, matinee, evening & night  
 Though he's the nation's top counter-terrorist, Jack Quinn (Jean-Claude Van Damme) wants to get out of the spy game. But on the eve of his final mission, he misses his target—the dangerous, enigmatic terrorist Stavros (Mickey Rourke) — and loses everything in a split-second. Quinn wakes up in the Colony, a think tank for spies who are too dangerous to roam the world, but too valuable to be killed.



The Serial

**The Adventures of Sinbad**  
 On Star World Sept 26, at 9 pm  
 In *The Gift*—Sinbad and crew meet up with old friends and an old enemy at a wedding feast. The victim of a past injustice, Bakbuk the tinker sends his army of killer dolls to seek revenge.

Satellite TV



Rendezvous with Simi Garewal, guest Hema Malini Sept 28 on Star Plus at 10 pm



Water Rats on Star World Sept 25 at 8 pm



Star Bestsellers: First Kill Sept 25 at 10 pm

Video/CD



VCD/Video Cassette  
 Hello Brother — Salman Khan/Rani Mukherji  
 God Mother — Shabana Azmi/Milind Gonaj/Sharad Kapoor

Top-Five (English)

- Eyes Wide Shut—Rom/R — Tom Cruise/Nicole Kidmann
- Inferno—Act — Vandame
- She's All That—Rom — Freddie Prinze/Rachaelle Cook
- Notting Hill—Rom — Julia Roberts/Hugh Grant
- Star Wars (Episode-1)—Sci/Act — Lian Neeson/Ewan McGregor

Top-Five (Hindi)

- Hello Brother — Salman Khan/Rani Mukherji
- God Mother — Shabana Azmi/Sharad Kapoor
- Baadshah — Shahrukh Khan/Twinkle Khanna
- Sangharsh — Aksay Kumar/Preti Jiyanta
- Taal — Anil Kapoor/Aishwarya Roy

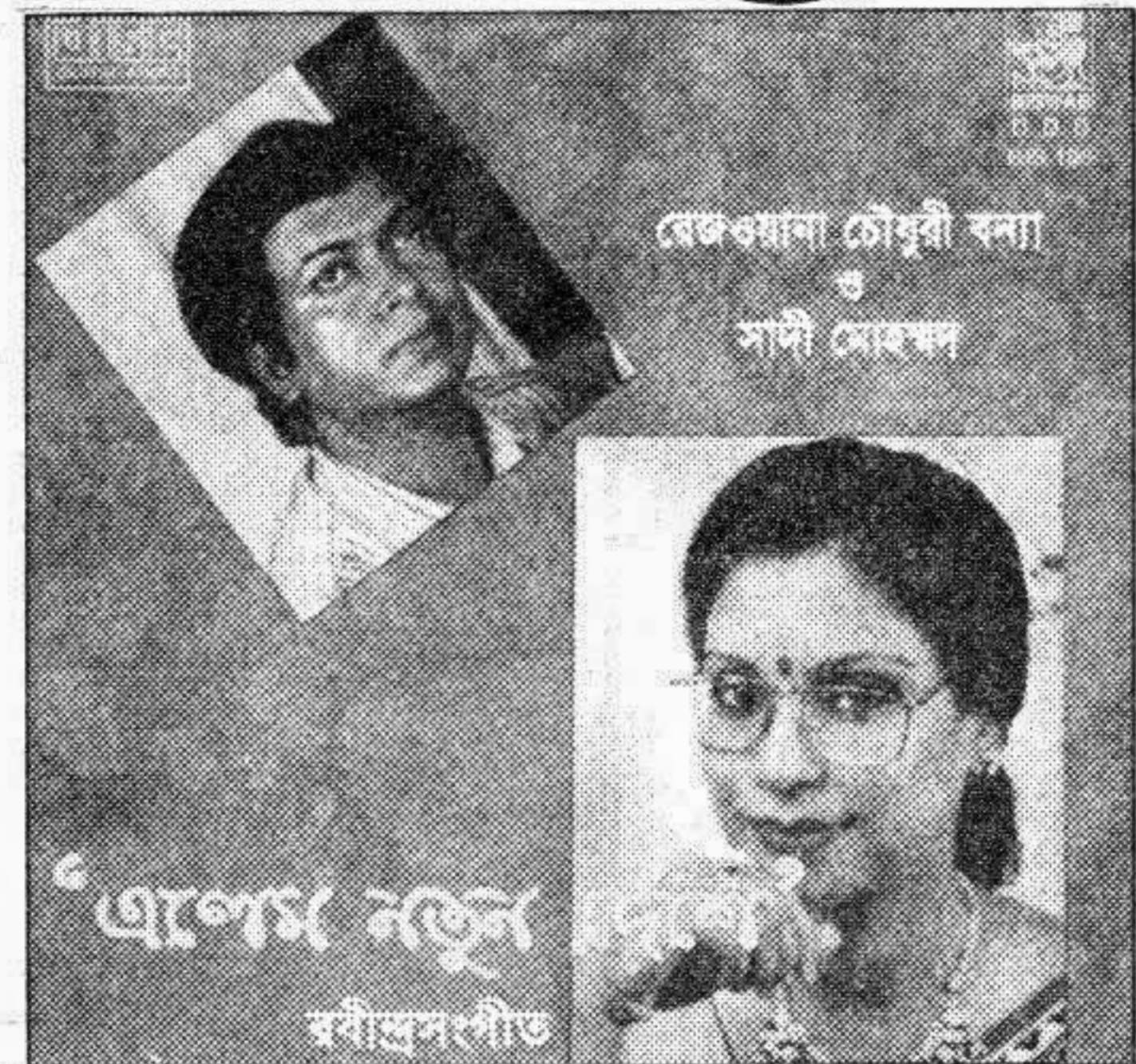
Kid's Movies

- The Matrix — Sci-Keanu Reeves/Laurence Fishburne
- Mr Bean—Com — Series
- Tom & Jerry — Cartoon-Series
- Oliver & A Company—Walt Disney-Cartoon
- Lion King 1 & 2—Cartoon

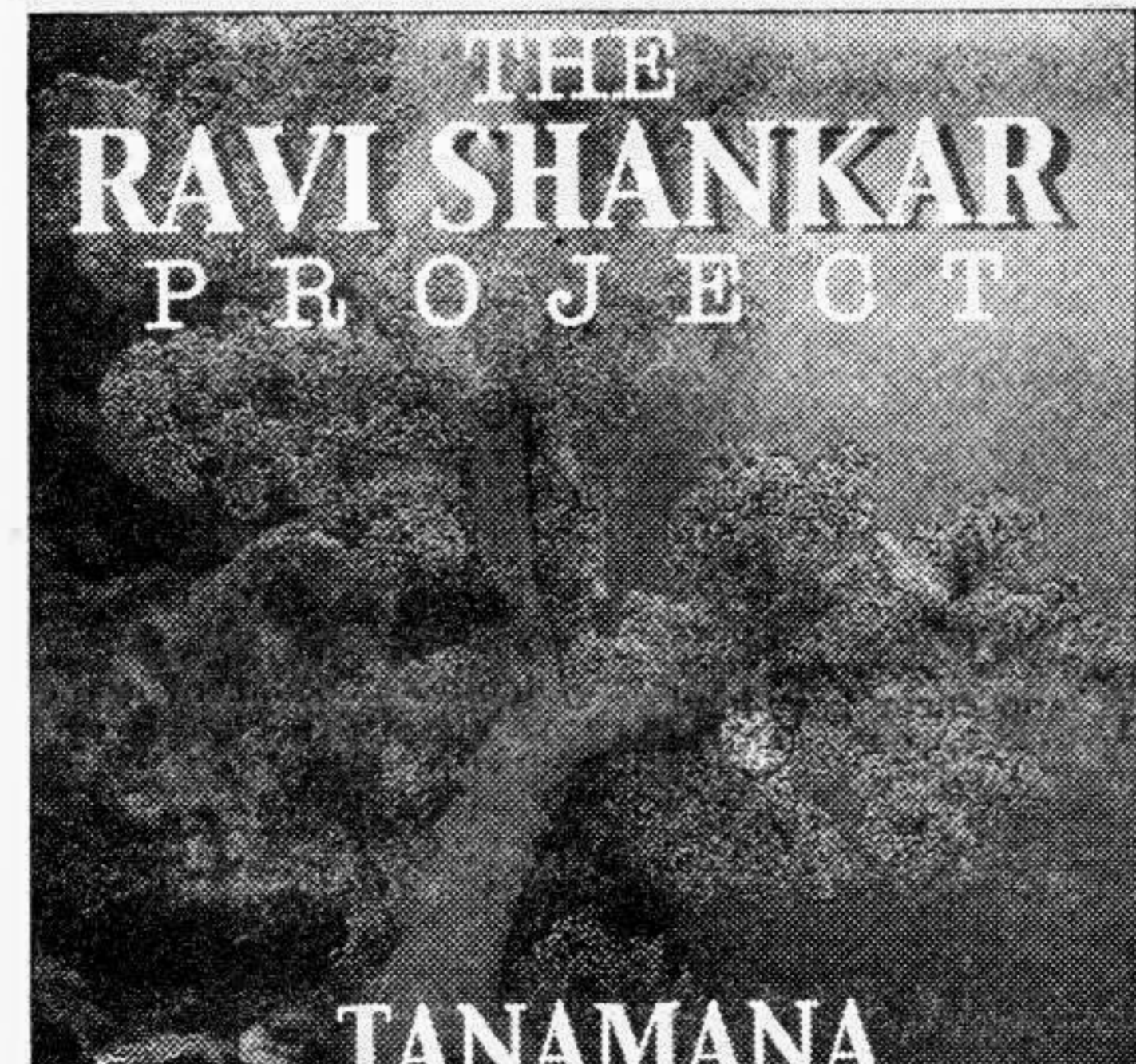
Audio & Video

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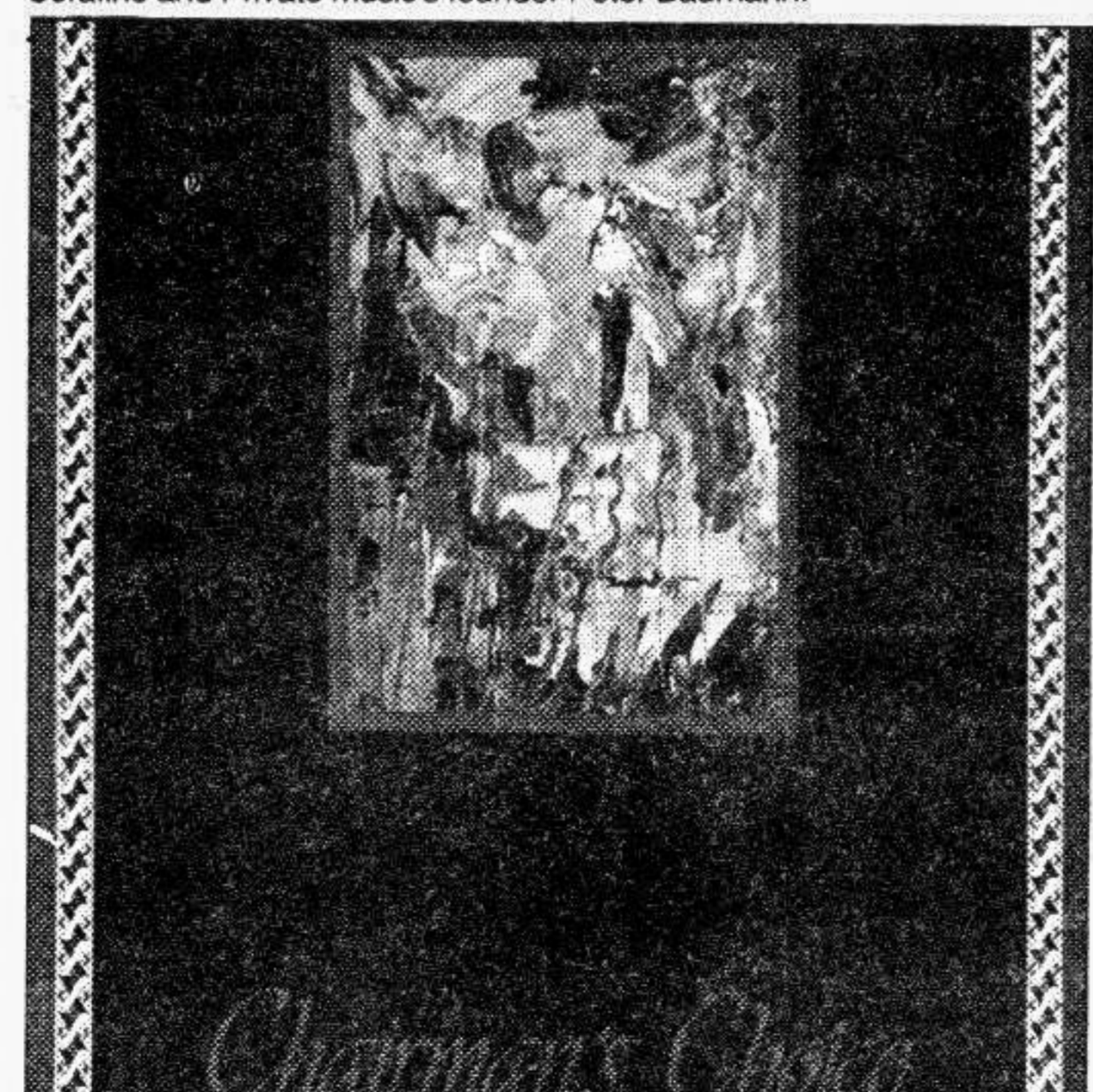
Cassettes & CDs



**ELEM NATUN DESHE**  
 Songs of Rabindranath Tagore by Rezwana Chowdhury Bannya and Sadi Mohammad  
 The most gifted singers of contemporary Rabindrasangeet firmament Sadi and Bannya team up to bring out another volume of enchanting music.  
 CD Price: Tk 350/-



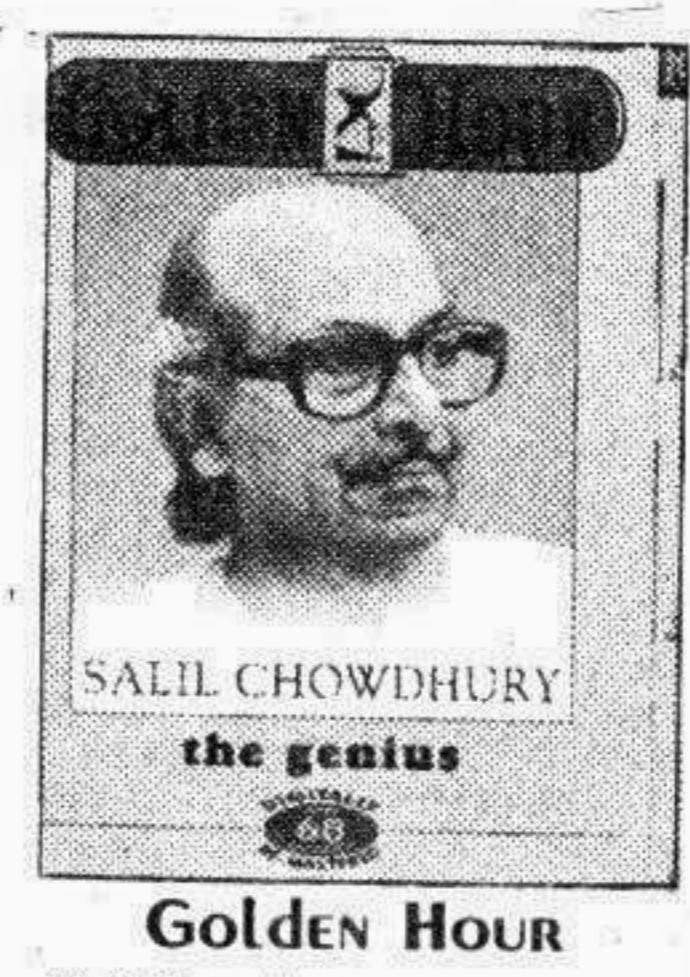
**TANAMANA**  
 THE RAVI SHANKAR PROJECT  
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 CD Price: Tk 550/-  
 Ravi Shankar needs no introduction as a performer of classical Indian music on the Sitar and as a versatile composer. In "The Ravi Shankar Project," he joins in a unique collaboration with co-producers Frank Serafine and Private Music's founder Peter Baumann.



**CHAIRMAN CHOICE**  
 Great Jugalbandis  
 Price: Tk 220/-  
 The Jugalbandi is a unique concept in Indian Music. Indian Classical Music is renowned in the International music scenario as a monodic or solo improvisation system. In this solo-dominated milieu, the Jugalbandi brings a beautiful confluence of the aesthetic ideations of two musical minds, often representing two schools, two Gharanas and even two systems.



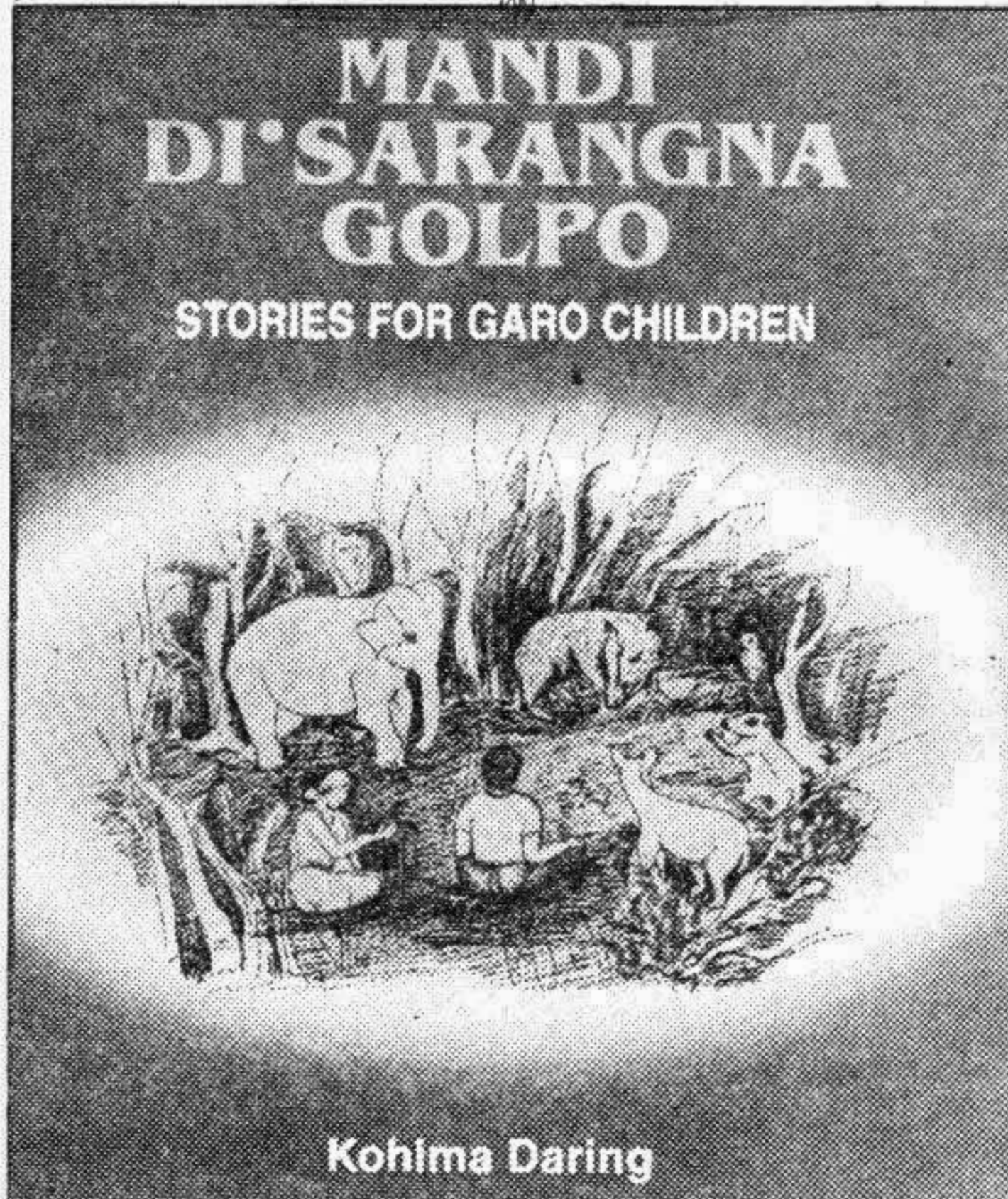
**ANIRBAN**  
 Ajoy Sengupta, Bengali Modern Songs  
 Music and lyrics by Dr Ashrafuzzaman, music accompaniment V Valoara  
 Price: Tk 56/-



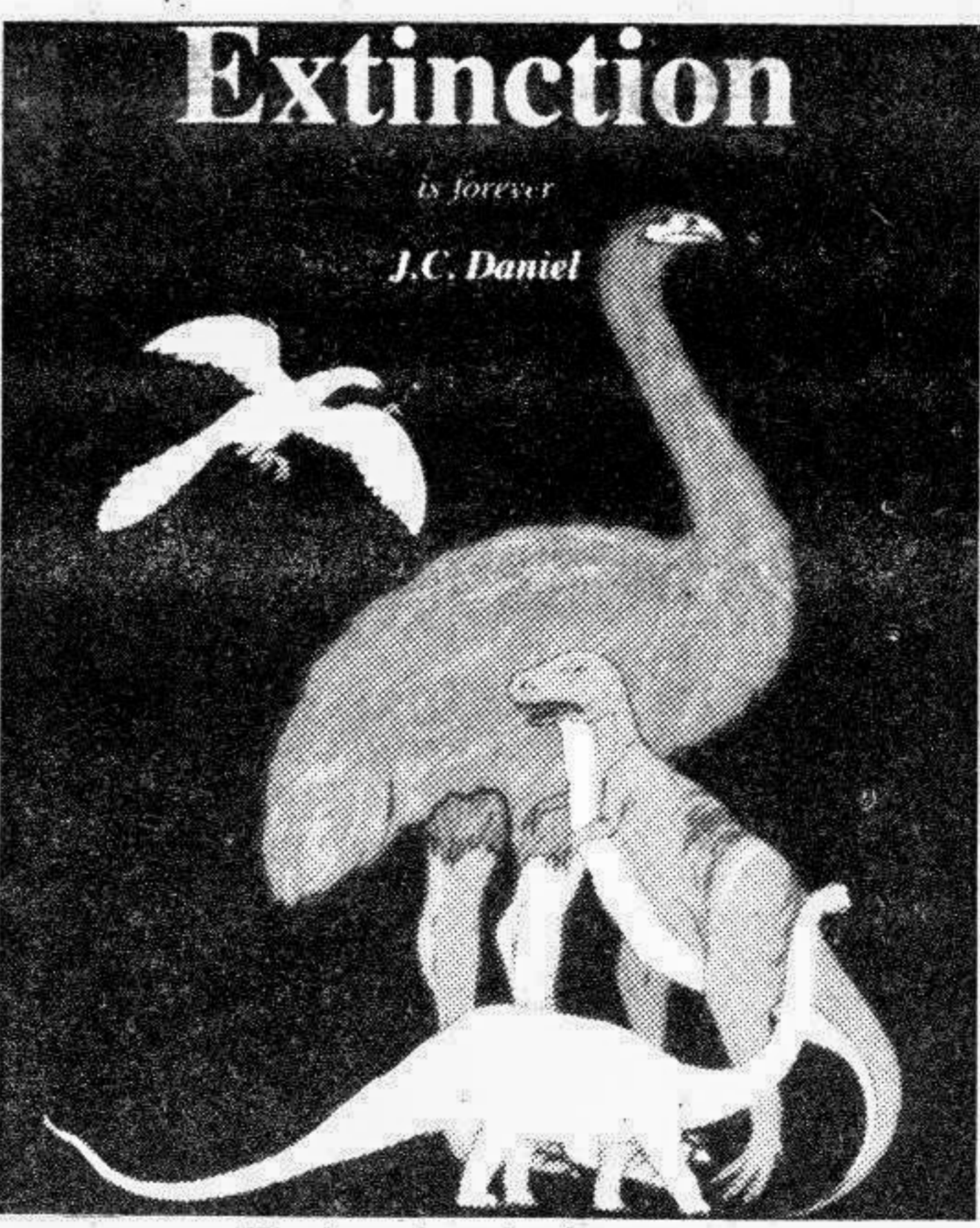
**GOLDEN HOUR**  
 Salil Chowdhury  
 The genius One hour of sheer listening pleasure. The volume features some of the greatest hits by composer Salil Chowdhury such as Jodi Kichhu Amare Sudhao, Keno Kichhu Katha.  
 Price: Tk 88/-

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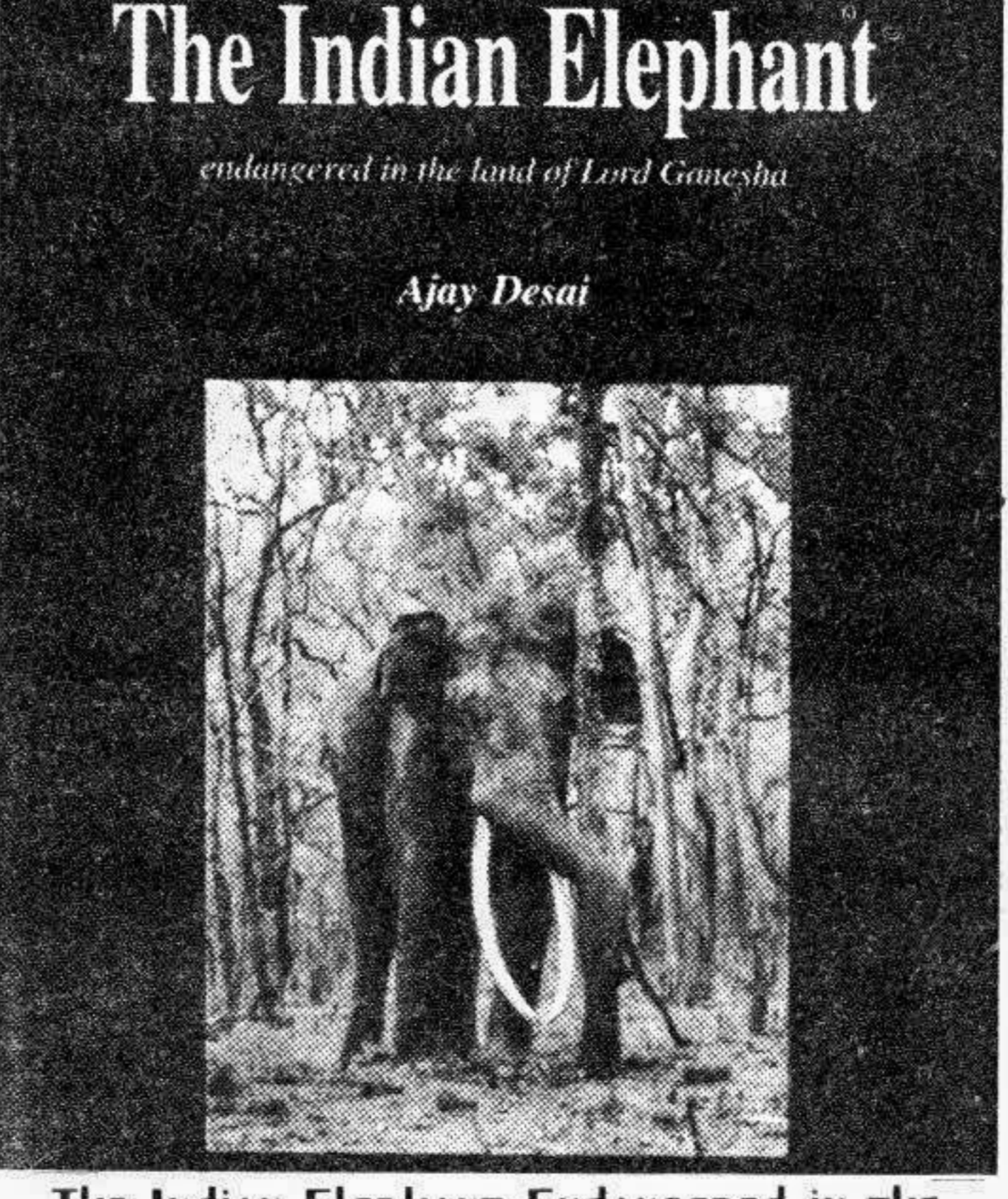
Kids Corner



**MANDI DI SARANGNA GOLPO**  
 STORIES FOR GARO CHILDREN  
 Kohima Daring  
 Author: Kohima Daring  
 Price: Tk 250/-  
 Publisher: UPL  
 This book is written for the Mandi children of Bangladesh in the Habeng language. There are many colourful and interesting folk stories that have been told through generations in Mandi history. Many of these have been written in the Hachik dialect spoken in Meghalaya, India. However, this is the first book written in the Habeng language. This book is meant to be enjoyable for the Mandi children with the goal of teaching them some of their cultural stories as well as learning to read the language they speak.  
 Available at UPL, Red Crescent Building, 114 Motijheel Commercial Area, Ph: 9565441, 9565444

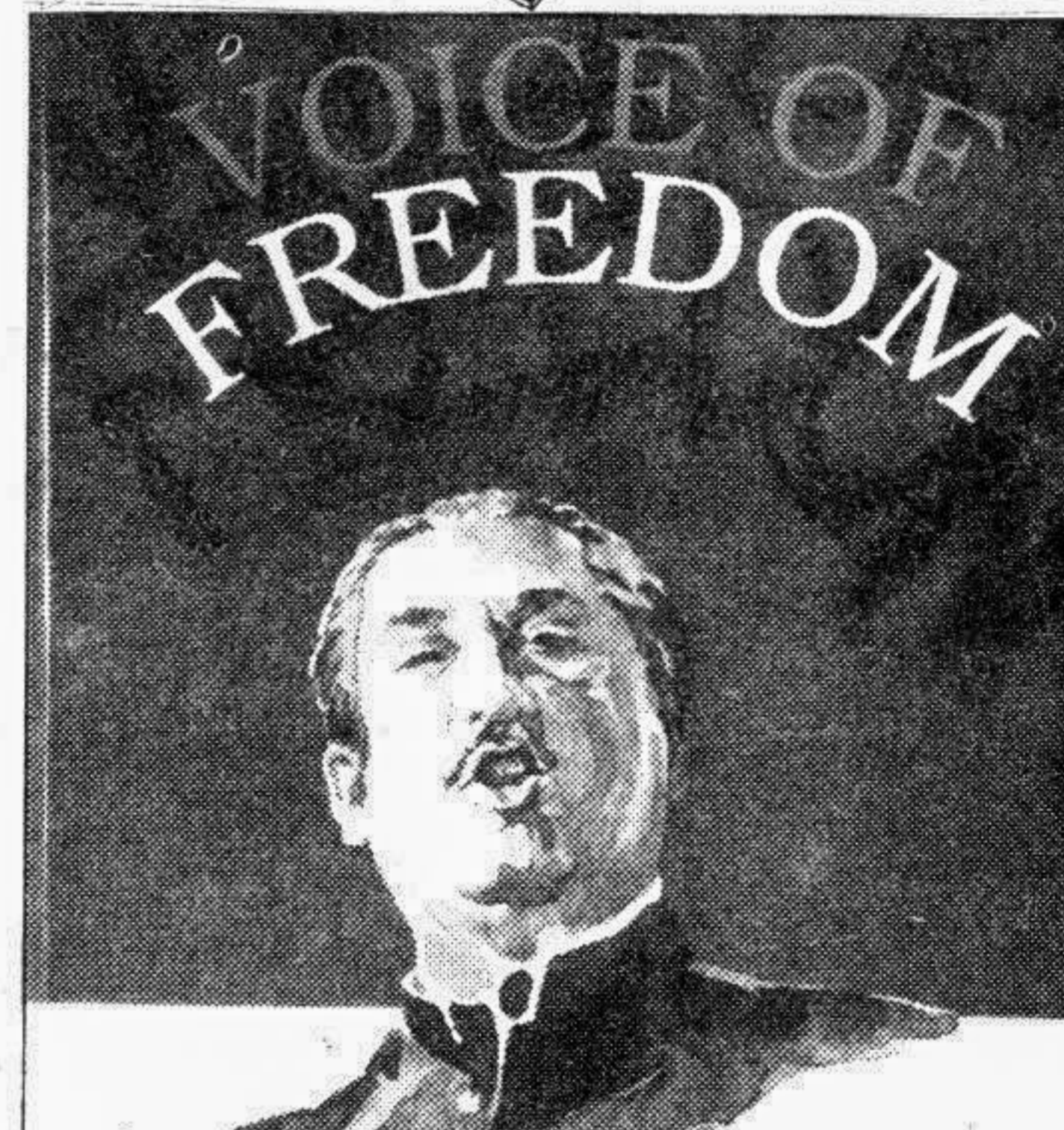


**EXTINCTION IS FOREVER**  
 is forever  
 J.C. Daniel  
 Author: J.C. Daniel  
 Price: Tk 200/-  
 "Mass extinction exhibits a cyclic nature, occurring approximately every 26 or 28 million years during the last 250 million years of earth history," suggests the author, even as he cautions us on the consequences of hastening the pace at which nature intended life forms to fade away.

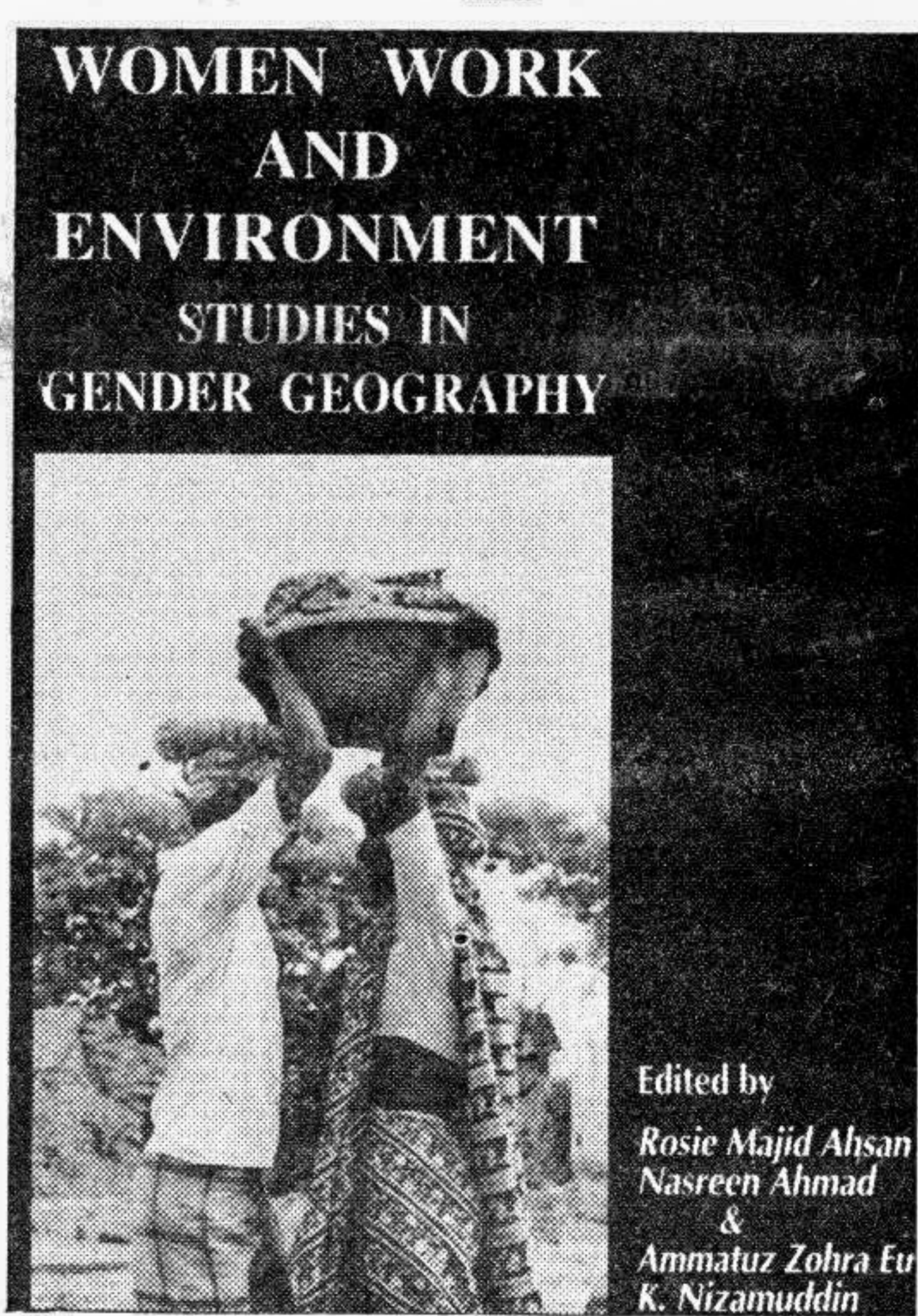


**THE INDIAN ELEPHANT**  
 endangered in the land of Lord Ganesha  
 Ajay Desai  
 Author: Ajay Desai  
 Publisher: Ncsco-Hornbill Natural History series  
 Price: Tk 200/-  
 The author, Ajay Desai, is a field biologist. He has spent long years studying and following the fortunes of elephants in India. While documenting the natural history of these magnificent animals, simply yet authoritatively, he makes a fervent plea for the protection of the gentle giants and their forest home.  
 Available at Pathak Samabesh, Aziz Market, Shahbagh, Ph: 9662766, VISA, Master card accepted

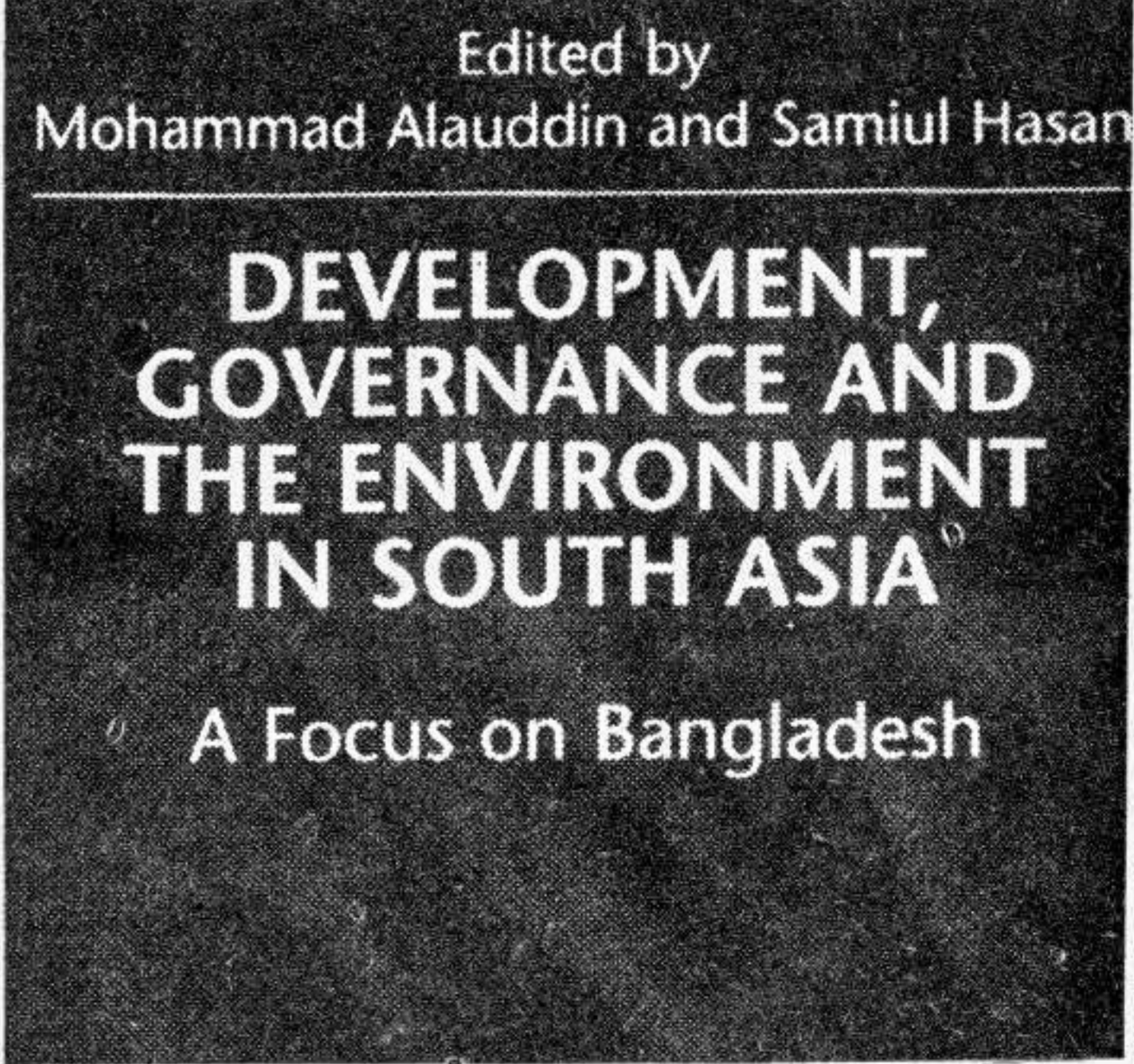
New Books



**VOICE OF FREEDOM**  
 Author: Zahid Hossain  
 Publisher: Tarakalok Complex  
 Price: Tk 400/-  
 Even after long twenty-four years of Bangabandhu's assassination, there is a dearth of proper projection on the life, preaching and contributions of Bangabandhu to the present generation. As a result, the present generation has been kept in the dark as far as the correct history of our glorious struggle for political, cultural and economic emancipation is concerned.  
 Available at all prestigious book shop.



**WOMEN WORK AND ENVIRONMENT**  
 STUDIES IN GENDER GEOGRAPHY  
 Edited by Rosie Majid Ahsan, Nasreen Ahmad & Ammatuz Zohra Eusuf K. Nizamuddin  
 Author: Rosie Majid Ahsan, Nasreen Ahmad & Ammatuz Zohra Eusuf K. Nizamuddin  
 Publisher: Bangladesh Geographical Society and IGU Commission on Commercial Activity  
 Price: Tk 300/-  
 Gender geography is a new subject in Bangladesh, in need of popularity. The Department of Geography and Environment, University of Dhaka started the subject under the name of Women in Development at M Phil level in early 90s and has offered the subject at Master's level as "Gender Development and Environment."  
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**DEVELOPMENT, GOVERNANCE AND THE ENVIRONMENT IN SOUTH ASIA**  
 A Focus on Bangladesh  
 Edited by Mohammad Alauddin and Samiul Hasan  
 Author: Mohammad Alauddin and Samiul Hasan  
 Publisher: Macmillan  
 Price: Tk 1600/-  
 Identifying the interdependence of economics and the environment in the development of South Asian nations, this volume adds a third dimension to the analysis—the institutional analysis or governance issues. The case-studies analyze different aspects of the economics-environment nexus and investigate environmental crisis and rural women, ecotourism, coastal aqua culture and agricultural research and extension.  
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