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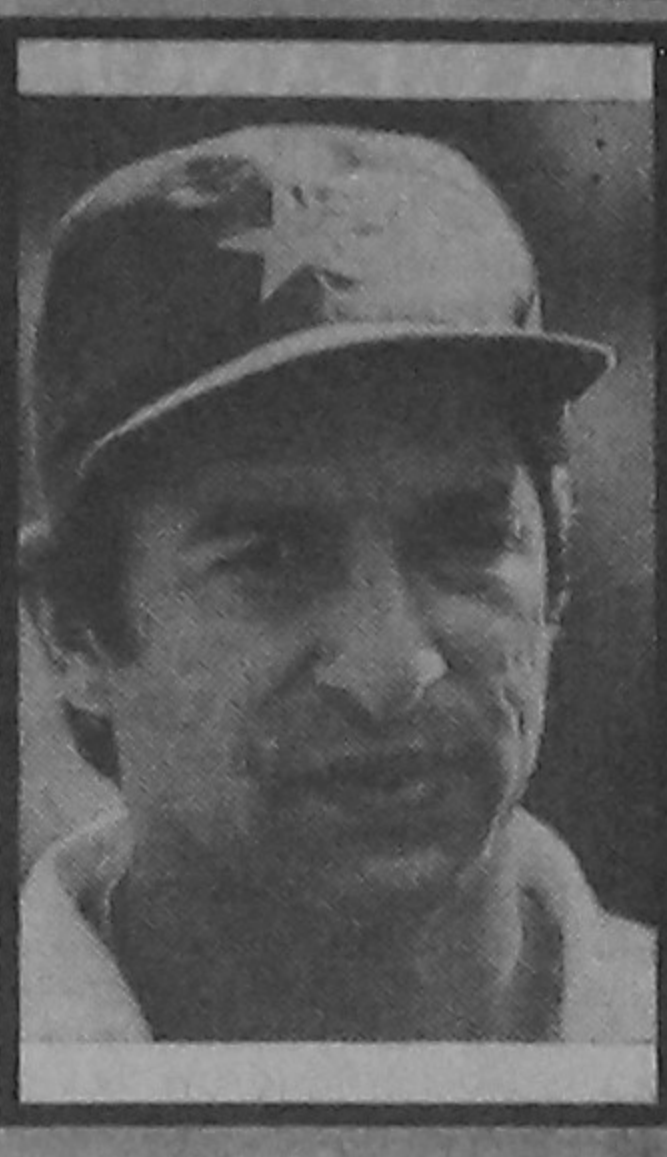
Pick of the week



The Movie

A River Runs Through It
 Jan 23 at 10:00 PM on Star Movies
 Starring Brad Pitt, Craig Sheffer, Tom Skerritt, Brenda Blethyn and Emily Lloyd

Oscar-winning cinematography, a top notch director in Robert Redford and a superb cast headed by Brad Pitt combine to make this a moving and poetic tale of childhood in Montana. Spanning the years 1910 through to 1935, the film reveals the love and stability within a proud family, but also the inability to transform that love into the help the youngest member of the family needs to save his life.



The Sport

Triangular ODI cricket series on Star Sports on Jan 21 at 6 am

India vs Pakistan



Our Choice

The 27th American Music Awards
 Jan 21 at 10:00 PM on Star World

The 27th Annual American Music Awards special will be telecast from the Shrine Auditorium in Los Angeles, California. A virtual who's who of contemporary music stars will serve as performers and presenters on the show. Nominations for the "American Music Awards" are in eight categories. In the Pop/Rock, Country, and Soul/Rhythm & Blues categories, awards will be presented for Favorite Male and Female Vocalist, Favorite Group, Favorite Album, and Favorite New Artist. In the Rap/Hip Hop, Latin Music, Adult Contemporary and Alternative Music categories, awards will be presented for Favorite Artist. An award will also be presented for Favorite Soundtrack. In all, a total of 20 awards will be presented.

Satellite TV



Mere Sapno Ki Rani
 Jan 23 at 2:40 pm



Friends on Star World, Jan 24 at 5:30 pm



Cutthroat Island on Star Movies, Jan 27 at 10 pm

Video/CD

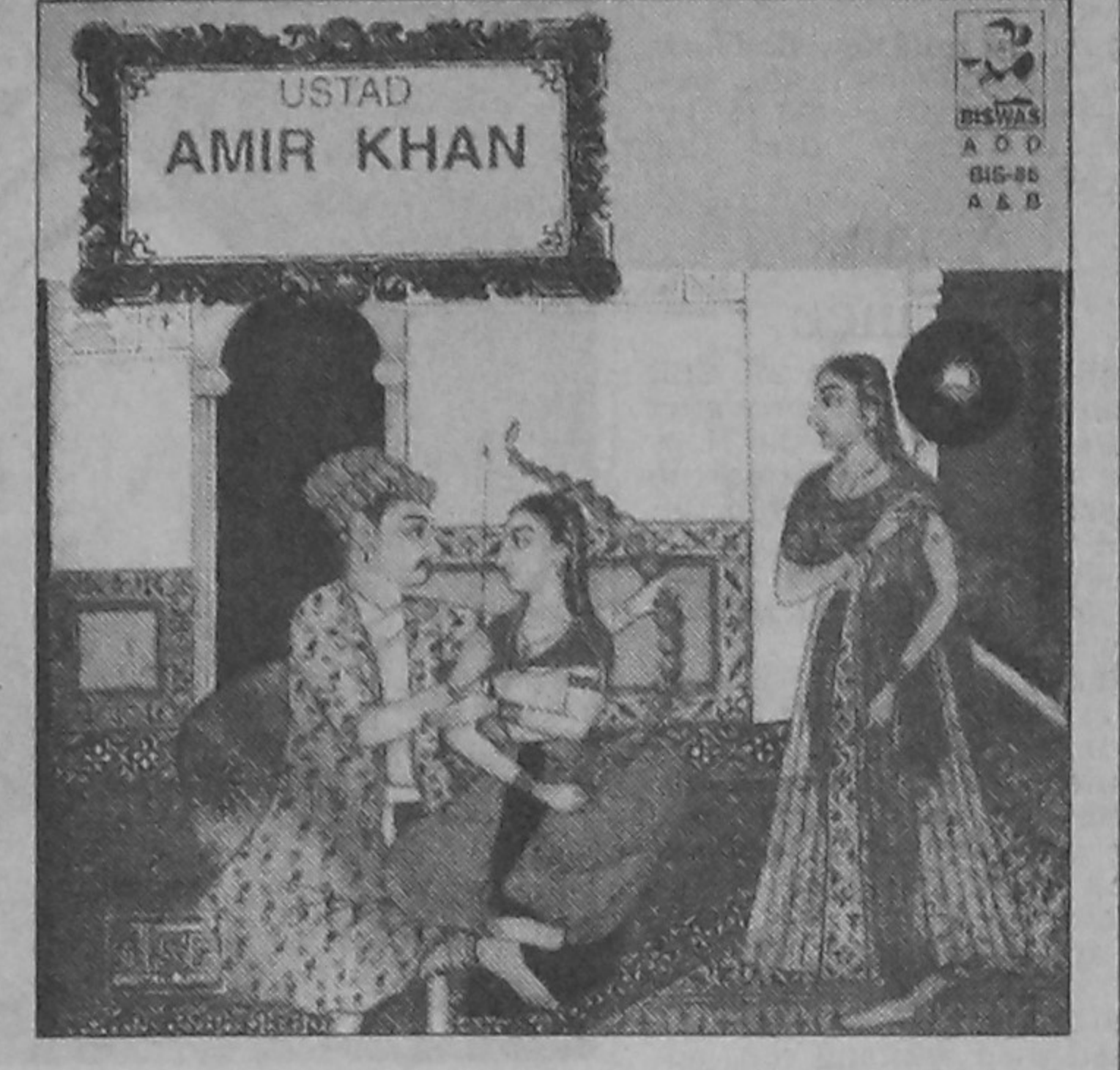


Bulandi — Anil Kapoor/Ravina Tandon

Top Five (Hindi)
 Mela — Amir Khan/Twinkle Khanna
 Bulandi — Anil Kapoor/Ravina Tandon
 Jarwar — Akshay Kumar/Karishma Kapoor
 Thakshk — Ajay Devgan/Tabu
 Khoobsurat — Urmila/Sanjay Dutt

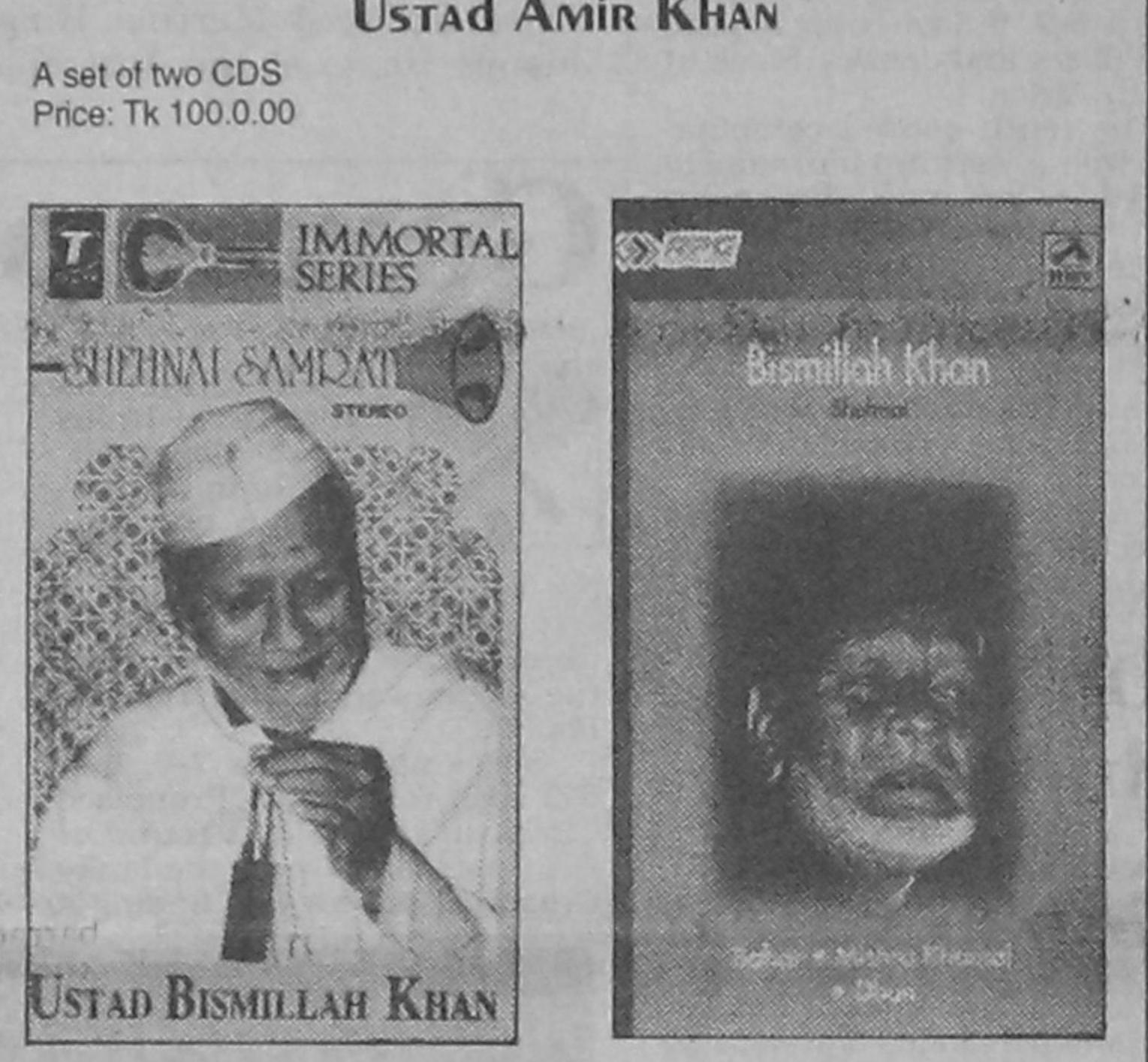
Top Five (Eng)
 Supper Cop-2 — (Act) Michella Yooh/Jackie Chan
 Shoot Fighter — (Rom/Act) — Tom Cruise/Philip Seymour H
 The World is not Enough — (Rom/Act) — Spohie Matr/Roberto
 Run Way Bridge — (Rom) — Julia Roberts/Richard
 End of Days — (Hor/Act) — Schwarzenegger

Cassettes & CDs



USTAD AMIR KHAN

A set of two CDS
 Price: Tk 100.00



USTAD BISMILLAH KHAN

Price: Tk 200.00

Shennai

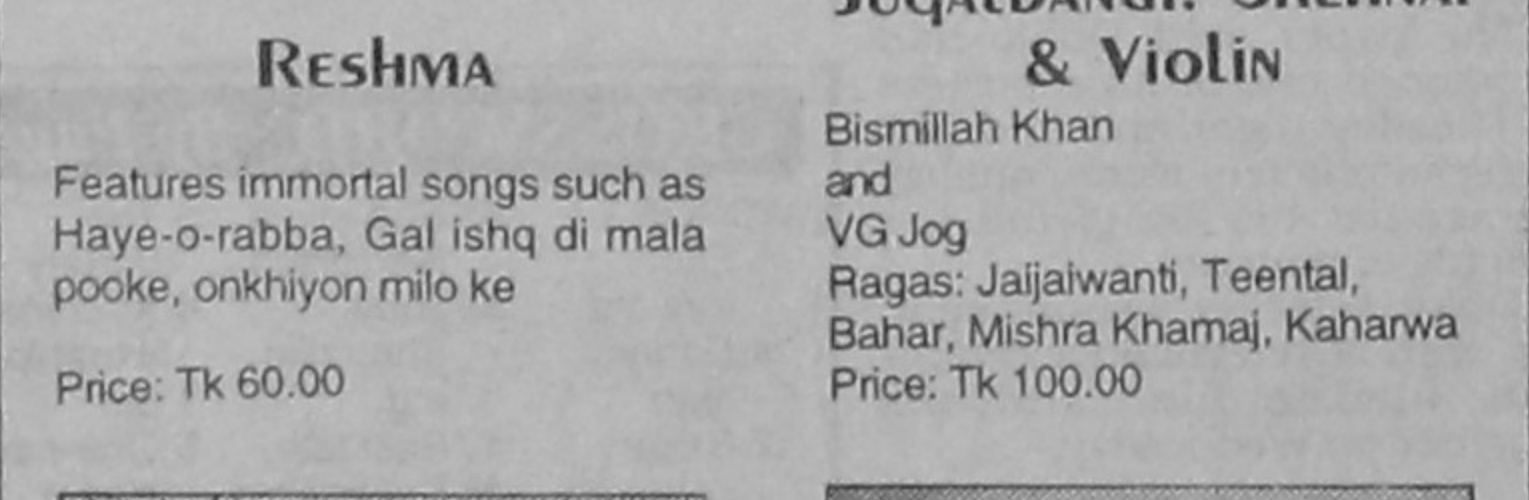
The most outstanding shennai player in India, Bismillah Khan, is now the most venerated artiste in India. By sheer precision and an astute artistic sense he has made for himself this place in the domain of Indian classical music. He claims descent from the Paigambar Bux lineage and married the daughter of Mian Bilatu, the veteran shennai player. Moreover, he received advanced training from Mohammed Hussain, son of Natthan Khan of the Agra gharana. As a result, the shennai player had two-fold training that served well in perfecting his style of rendition to a degree unconceived by any other shennai player of his time.



Reshma

Features immortal songs such as Haye-o-rabba, Gal ishq di mala pooke, onkhiyon milo ke

Price: Tk 60.00



JUGALBANDI: SHEHNAI & VIOLIN

Bismillah Khan and VG Jog
 Ragas: Jajaiwanti, Teental, Bahar, Mishra Khamaj, Kahanwa
 Price: Tk 100.00




TUMI DAAK DIYECCHHO KON SAKAAL

Songs of Rabindranath Debabrata Biswas
 Price: Tk 60.00

Available at Ganer Dali, Elephant Road, Yakub Market, Ph: 500388, Mastercard, Visa, Vanik, ReadyCash accepted.

New Books



RABINDRANATH TAGORE IN GERMANY

Four Responses To a Cultural Icon

Rabindranath Tagore in Germany
 Author: Martin Kampechen
 Publisher: Indian Institute of Advanced Study
 Price: Tk 272.00

Tagore enjoyed a special relationship with Germany. The enthusiasm with which the German people welcomed the poet in 1921 was tumultuous and unprecedented. Tagore believed that India and Germany can play a joint special role in our times as both of them were idealistic peoples. The book focuses on four Germans who were probably the most important figures for Tagore during his visit to Germany. The well-known philosopher Hermann Keyserling became a friend, Kurt Wolff was Tagore's German publisher. Helen Meyer-Frank, a teacher by profession, became Tagore's most devoted interpreter.



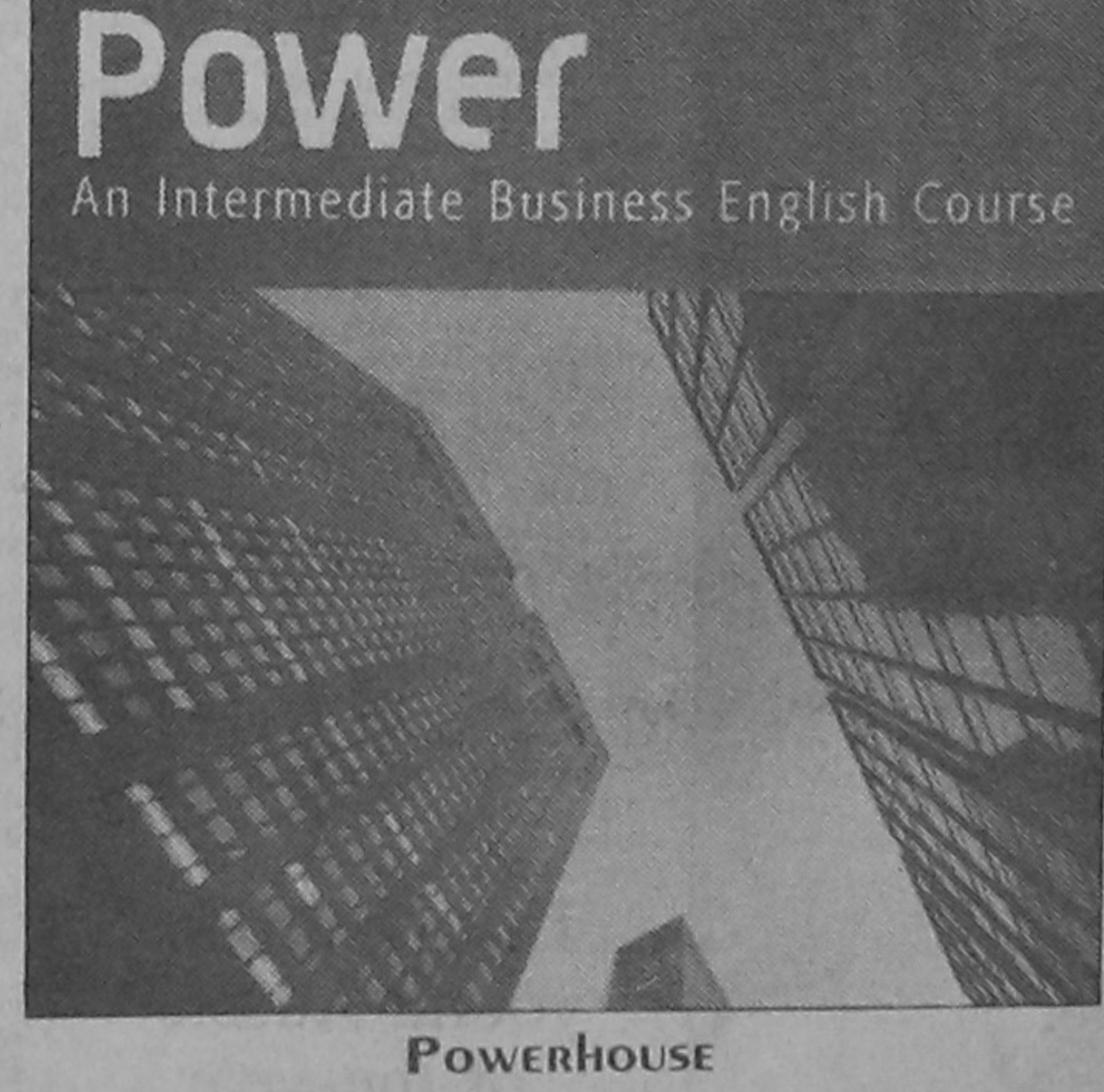
THE PRESENT HISTORY OF WEST BENGAL

Essays in Political Criticism

THE PRESENT HISTORY OF WEST BENGAL
 Author: Partha Chatterjee
 Publisher: Oxford University Press
 Price: Tk 245.00

This is a collection of academic writings, lectures, reportage, and editorial comments on the politics and history of Bengal, a subject both historical and irreducibly contemporary, by one of the most perceptive observers of our time. Is it possible to write history alongside historical events? This is the question the author tries to grapple with in these essays.

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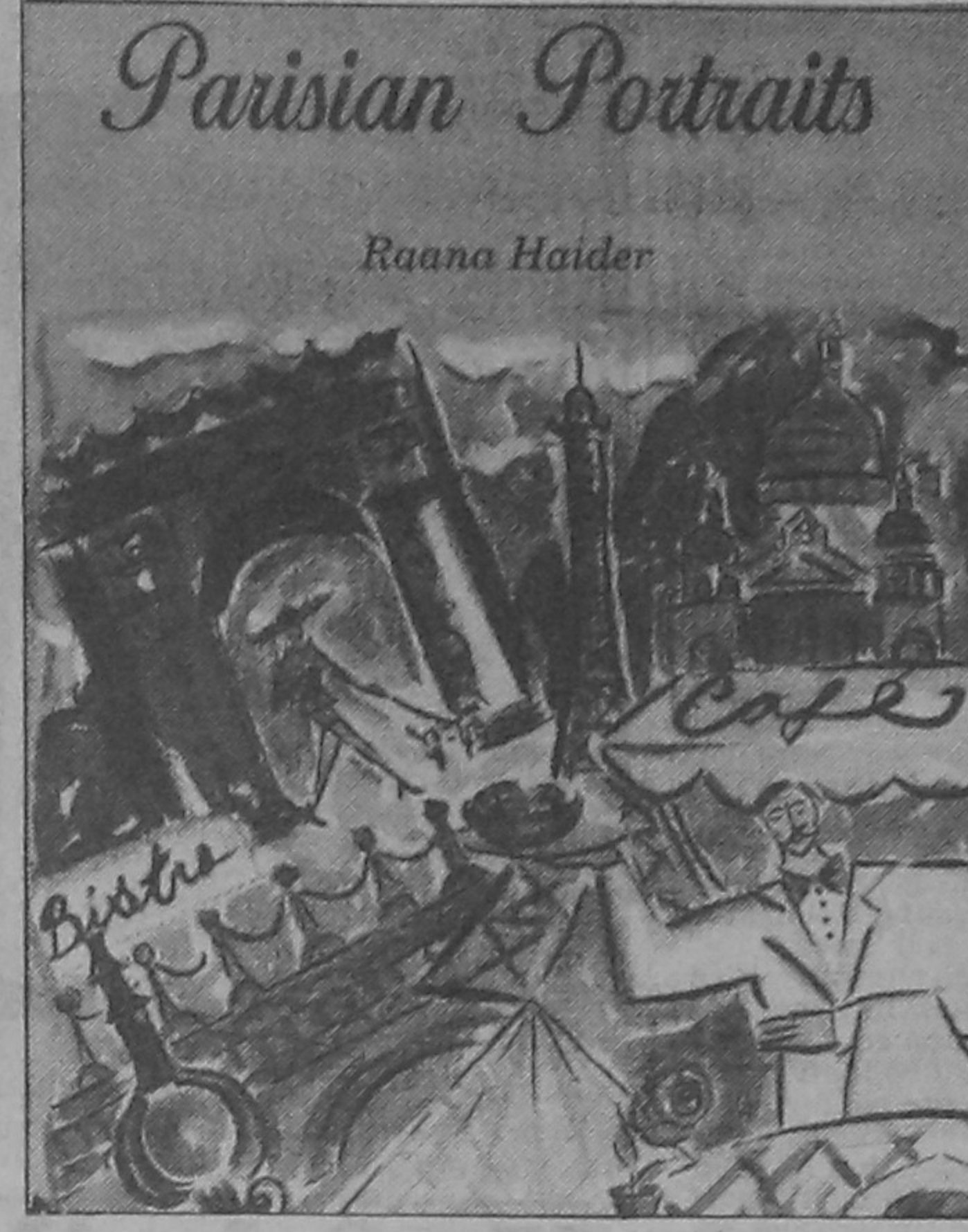


Power
 An Intermediate Business English Course

Powerhouse
 Author: David Evans
 Publisher: Longman
 Price: Tk 575.00

High-impact Business English content
 Authentic materials from highly original sources — not just magazines and newspapers, but also movies, novels, speeches and business books. Coverage of top business stories, gurus and theories. Business skills for the modern world — such as systematic work on vocabulary and social skills, and developing e-mail writing abilities.

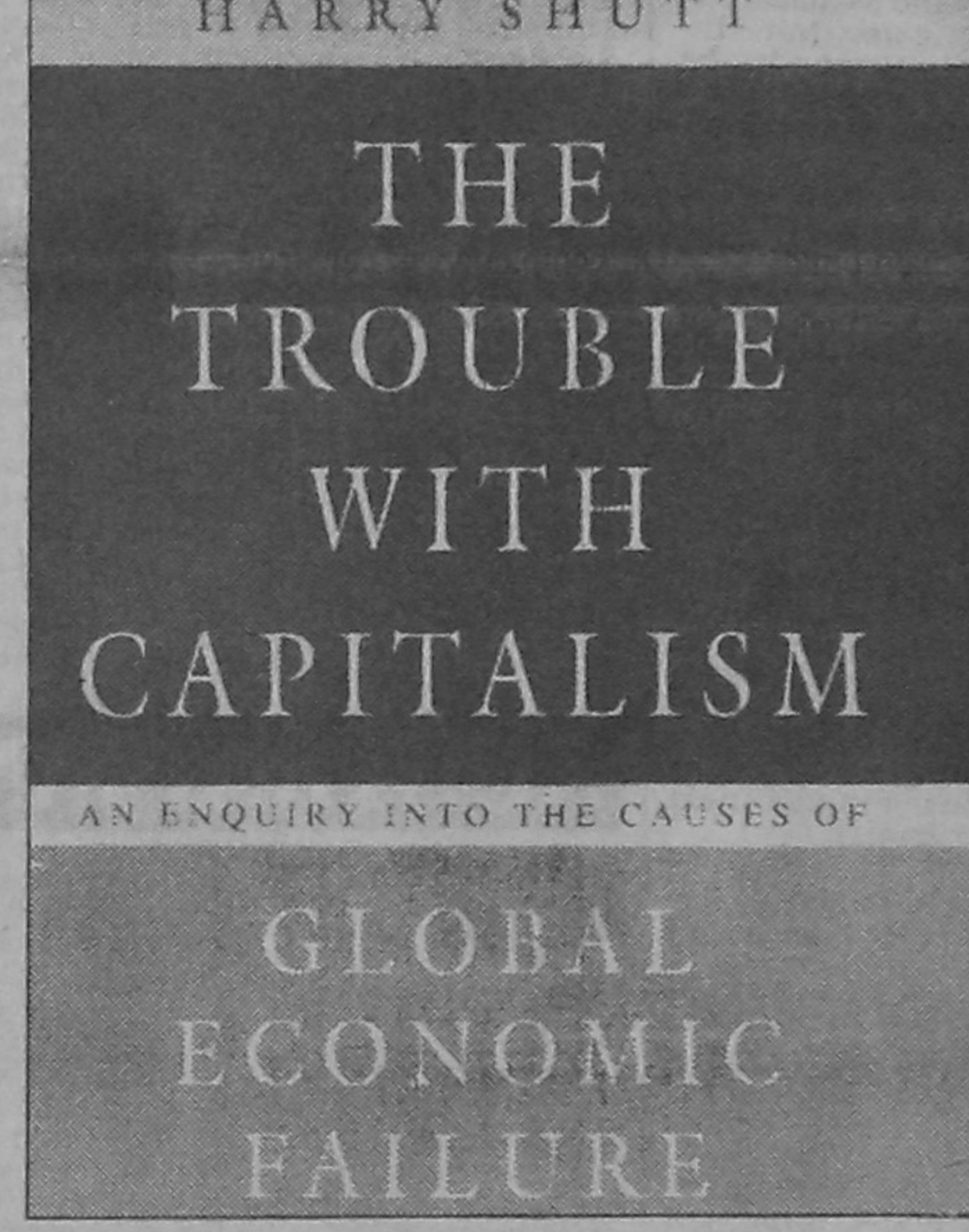
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Parisian Portraits
 Raana Haider

PARISIAN PORTRAITS
 Author: Raana Haider
 Publisher: The University Press Limited
 Price: Tk 375.00

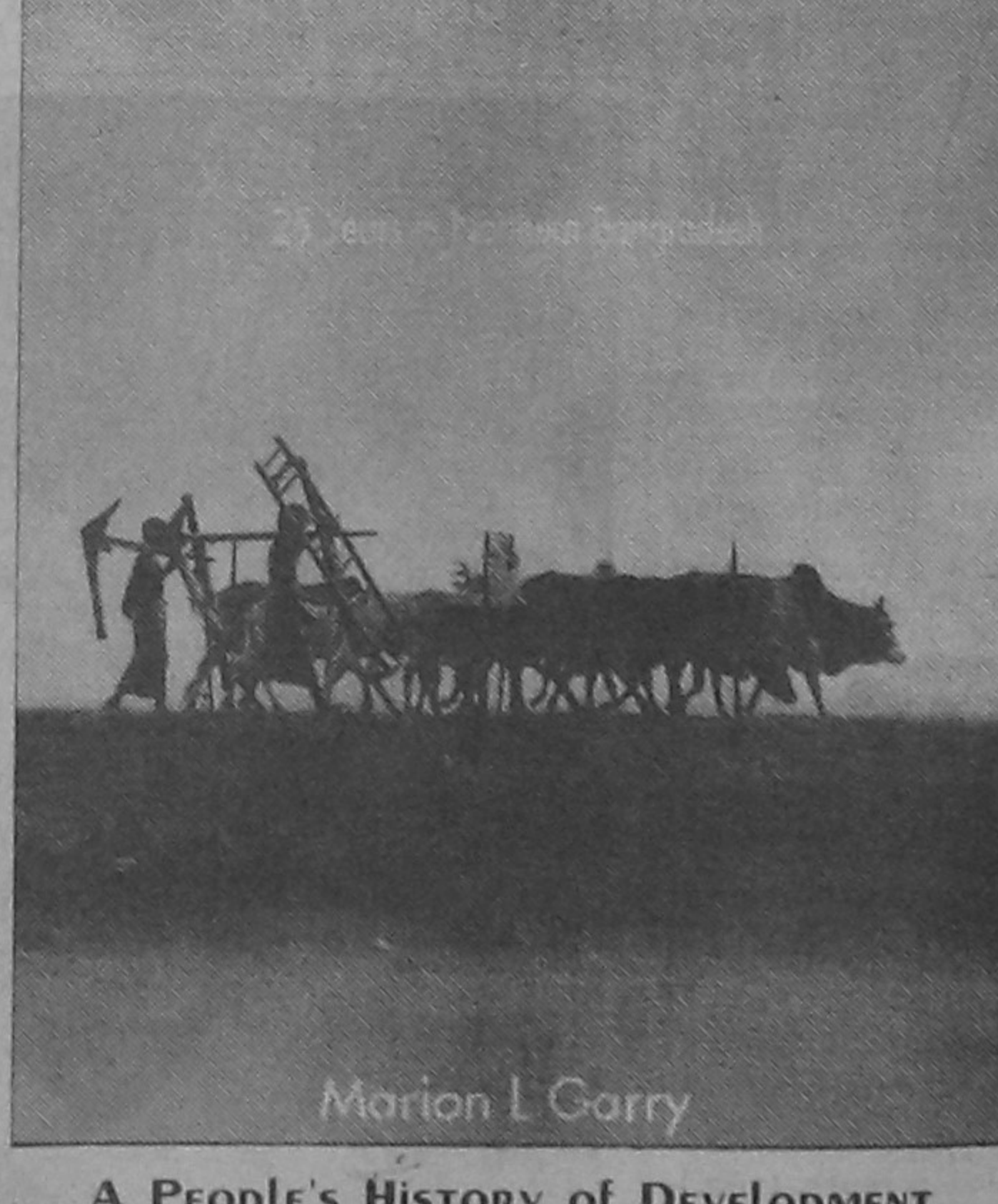
Paris is a feeling and not a city. It is an *cri de coeur* (a call of the heart). "Parisian Portraits" exemplifies the aphorism — plus ca change, plus c'est la meme chose (the more it changes, the more it is the same). Raana Haider explores the yesterday, today and tomorrow of the most beautiful city in the world.



THE TROUBLE WITH CAPITALISM
 AN ENQUIRY INTO THE CAUSES OF GLOBAL ECONOMIC FAILURE

The Trouble with Capitalism
 Author: Harry Shutt
 Publisher: The University Press Limited
 Price: Tk 400.00

Recent instability in the financial markets has shaken confidence in the global economic order. Is the current variant of "free market" capitalism in fact sustainable? This remarkable book explains its underlying economic fragility, as a result of: The growing redundancy of both capital and labour because of changing technologies and chronic slow growth since the 1970s; The desperate struggle of organised capital to prevent its redundancy from being reflected in a 1930s-type collapse in the price of financial assets.



A People's History of Development
 Marion L Garry

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 Author: Marion L Garry
 Publisher: The University Press Limited
 Price: Tk 750.00

This is a story of how disaster and poverty in Bangladesh have been tackled over the past quarter-century from the views of those assisted and those assisting. The book highlights the changing philosophies and practices of one of Bangladesh's leading NGO — the Rangpur-Dinajpur Rural Service (RDRS).

Available at The University Press Ltd, Red Crescent building, 114 Motijheel C/A, Ph: 9565441, 9565444

Spotlight



THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK
 from today
 Starring Leonardo DiCaprio, Jeremy Irons, John Malkovich, Gerard Depardieu, Gabriel Byrne.

THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK
 It has been many years since Aramis, Athos, Porthos and D'Artagnan fought together as the bravest and best of the King's Royal Guards, the Musketeers. Louis the XIII, the great King whose throne they once protected has died and been succeeded by his arrogant and cruel heir, King Louis the XIV. Only D'Artagnan still wears the uniform of a Musketeer, keeping his blood oath to defend His Majesty... no matter what. Now, these brothers-in-arms embark on their most glorious and dangerous adventure. But they soon realize that their mission to save their country from ruin may lead to the destruction of the very throne they serve and the loss of their life-long friendship.