

Pick of the week



The Movie

Mouse Hunt
 Sunday night premiere on Star Movies on 27 Aug at 10 PM
 Starring Nathan Lane, Lee Evans
 Two brothers inherit a string factory and a decaying country home after the death of their father. After moving in, they learn that the house has historical architectural importance and is valued in the millions. However, they are constantly tormented by a mouse within the walls.



The Show

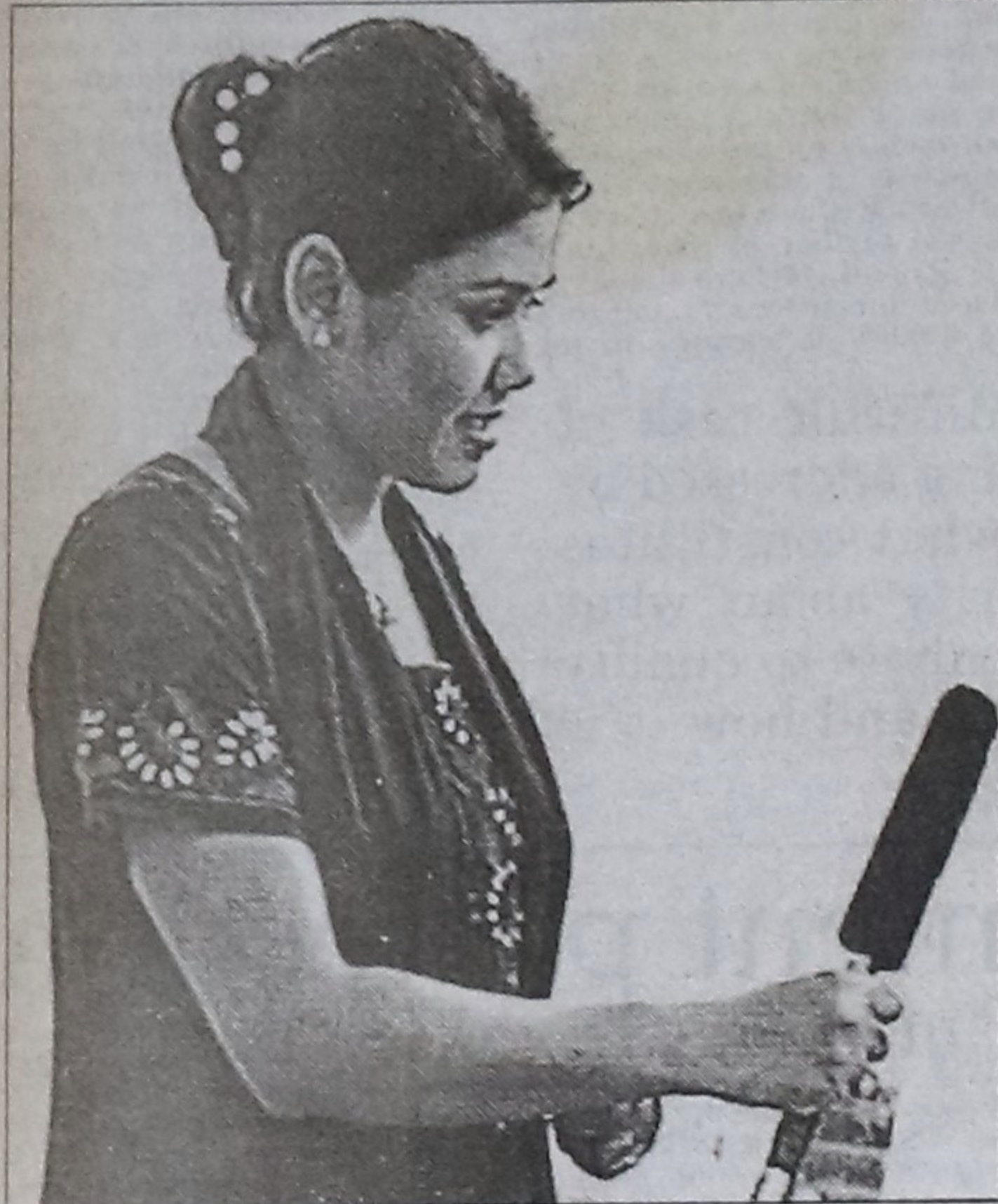
First Solo
 From 19- 27 Aug at Gallery 21 at Dhanmandi
 Atia Islam Anne is quite a familiar name in Dhaka's art circle. She has been participating in many national and international exhibitions since late 70s, but the present show is her first solo. Naturally this show is important for personally and interesting for the viewers in general.



Our Choice

The Singapore Challenge Cup
 Triangular ODI cricket tournament live on Ekushey TV and Sony Max at 8AM
 25 Aug New Zealand vs South Africa
 27 Aug Final Pakistan vs winner of Aug 25 match

Satellite TV



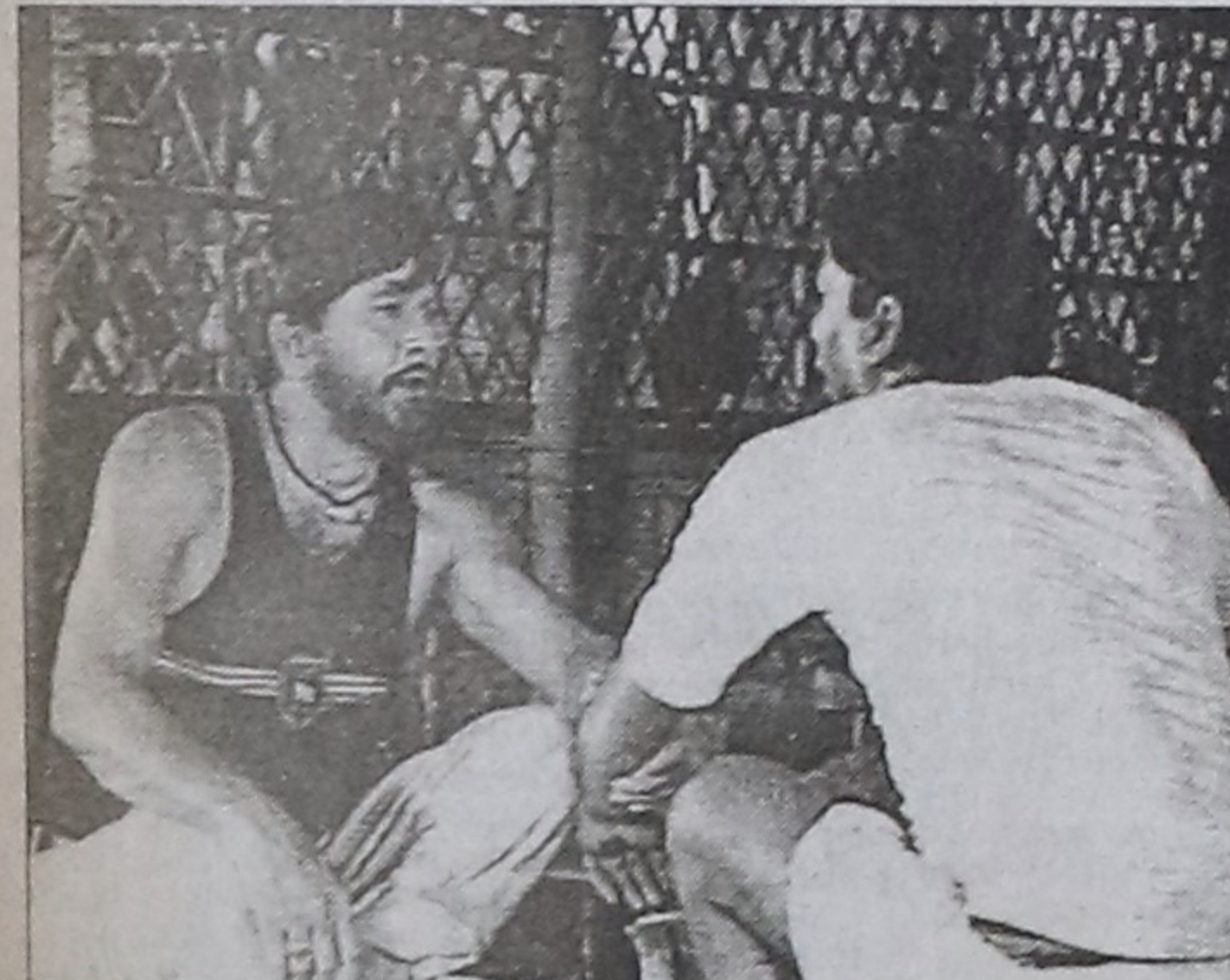
The programme Charidike highlights the TSC of Dhaka University, considered to be the hub of our all intellectual and cultural movements. This programme will be aired tomorrow at 6:30 PM on Ekushey TV.



The talk show Balte Chai on Ekushey TV this week focuses on eve teasing at 7:20 PM tomorrow.



Babu Kothai features top band groups of the country tomorrow on Ekushey TV at 8:30 PM.



Bengali movie Mala Mati will be aired on Ekushey TV on 27 Aug at 8:30 PM. Starring Razzak, Natun, and Kabita. This film has been directed by Razzak himself.



Telefilm Tepantar Rupkatha will be screened today at 8:30 PM on Ekushey TV.

Cassettes & CDs



Megher Pare Megh Jomechhe
 Songs of Rabindranath Tagore
 Rendered by Sharmila Meera
 CD price: Tk 300



Jugalbandi
 Sarod and Sarangi duet
 Aashish Khan in sarod and Sultan Khan in sarangi. The tabla accompaniment provided by Ustad zakir Hussain Ragas Sbi, Maru Behag and Maand
 CD price: Tk 600



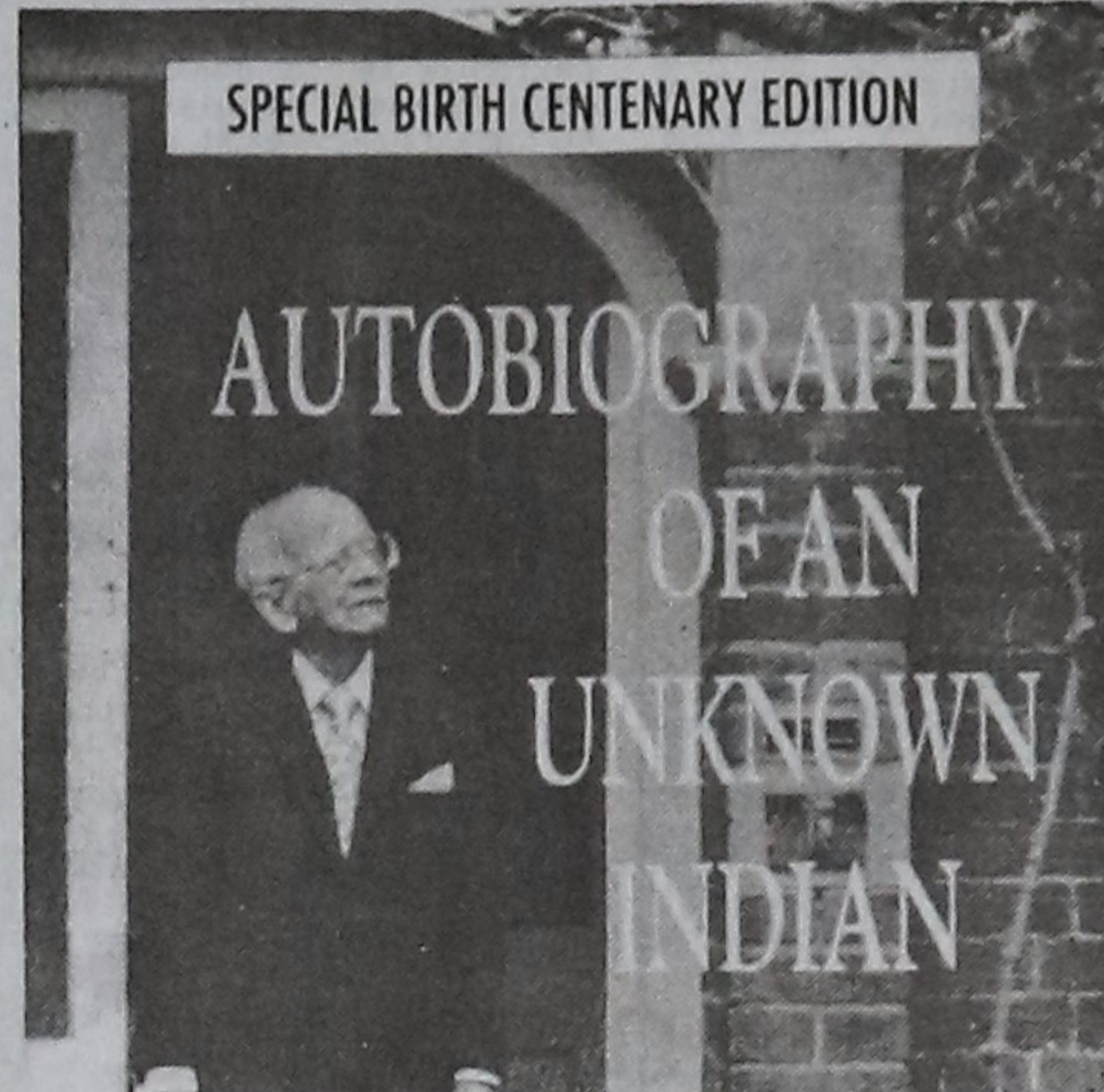
Pratidhwani
 Thumris in memory of late Ustad Bade Gulam Ali Khan
 Sung by Pandit Ajay Chakravarty
 Cassette price: Tk 90



Hari Dhvani
 Pt. Hariprasad Chaurasia
 Flut recital
 CD price: Tk 500.00

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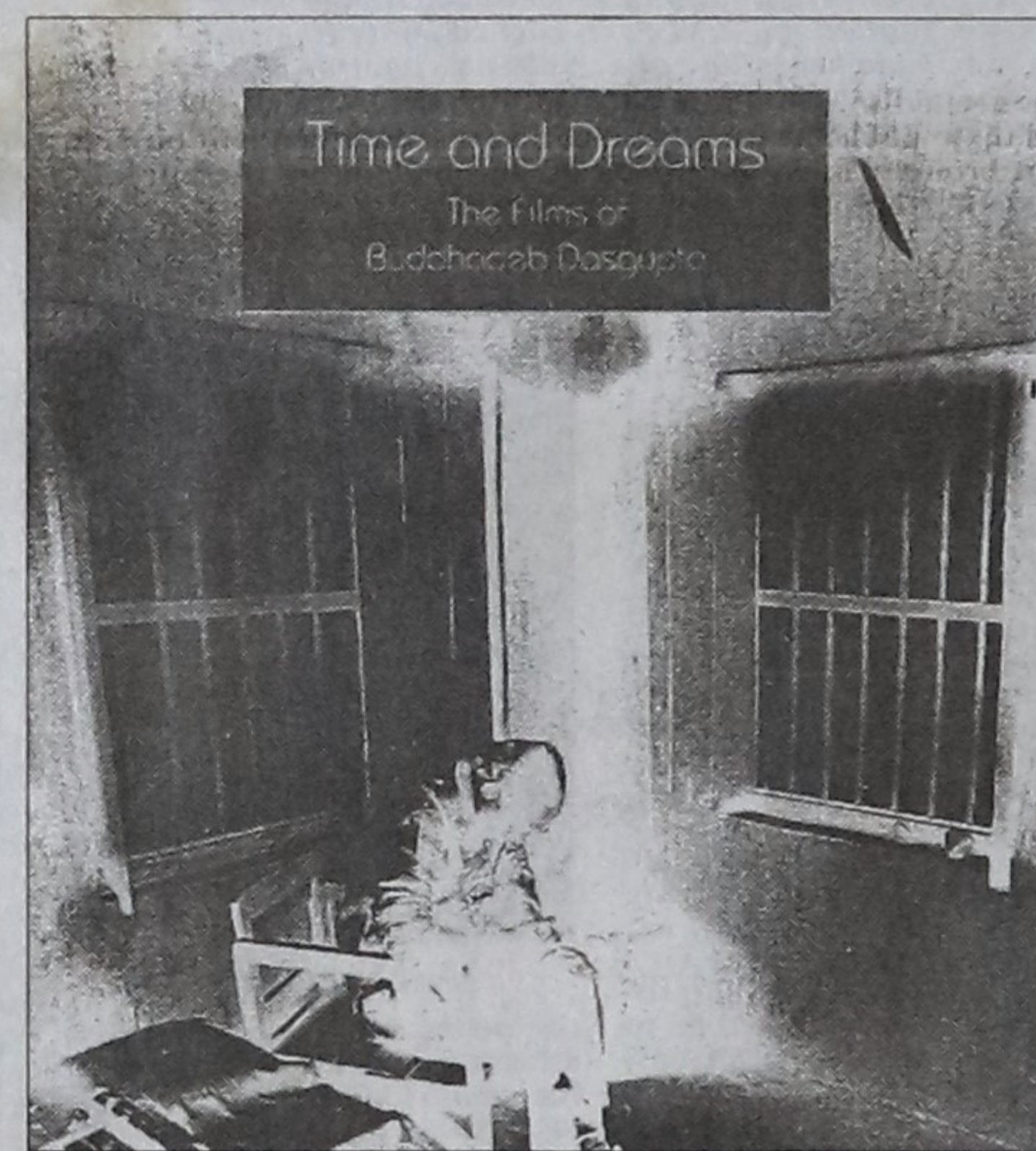
New Books



Autobiography of An Unknown Indian
 Author: Nirad C. Chaudhuri
 Publisher: Penguin India
 Price: Tk 750

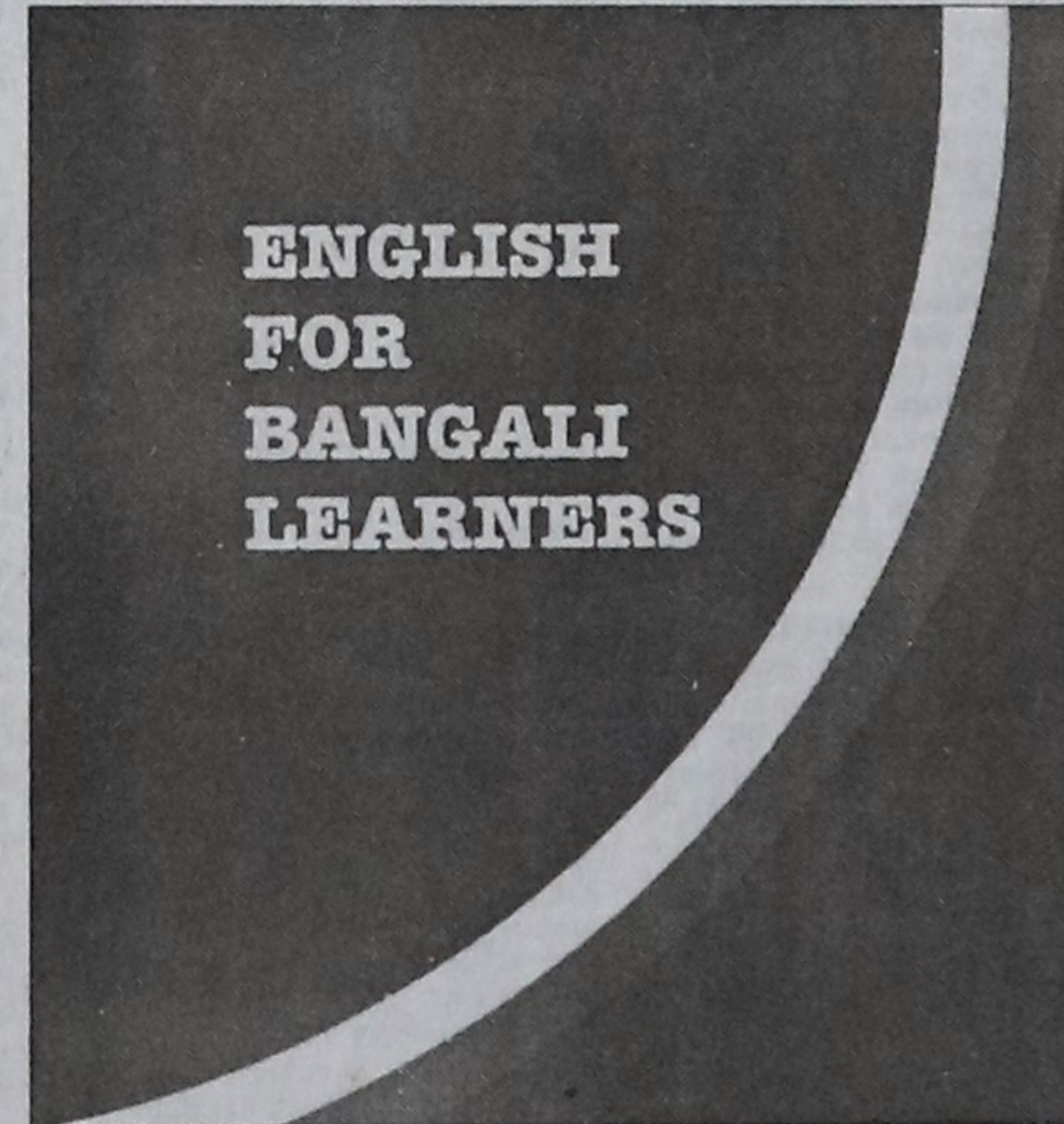
Nirad C. Chaudhuri's autobiography is one of the classics of contemporary Indian literature. When it was first published in 1951 it was instantly acclaimed, and provoked a furious debate for its controversial insights into Indian and European history. This limited collector's edition of 1000 numbered copies has been published by Penguin India to commemorate the author's hundredth birthday in November 1997.

Available at Ekushey Publications, Aziz Super Market, Shahbagh, Dhaka, Tele: 9664825, Fax: 9660372, Email: lcomm@bol-online.com



Time and Dreams
 The Films of Buddhadeb Dasgupta
 Author: John W. Hood
 Publisher: Seagull Books
 Price: Tk 260

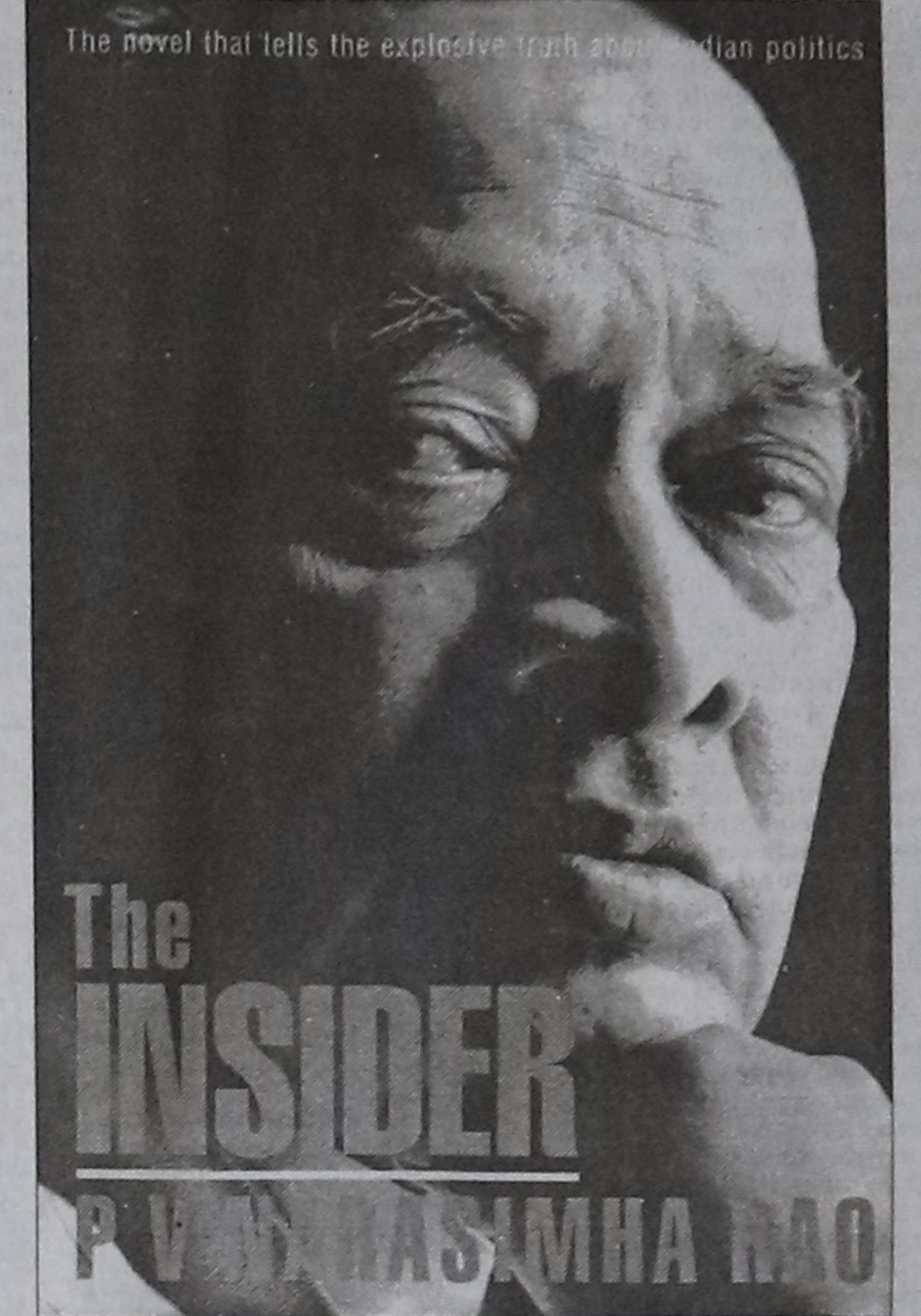
This book takes a closer look at the feature films of Buddhadeb Dasgupta, considered to be one of the most significant film-makers of the post-Tagore era. His films continue to win recognition at film festivals establishing his reputation as a sensitive and serious film-maker.



English for Bangali Learners
 Author: M. Harunur Rashid
 Publisher: Bangla Academy
 Price: Tk 120

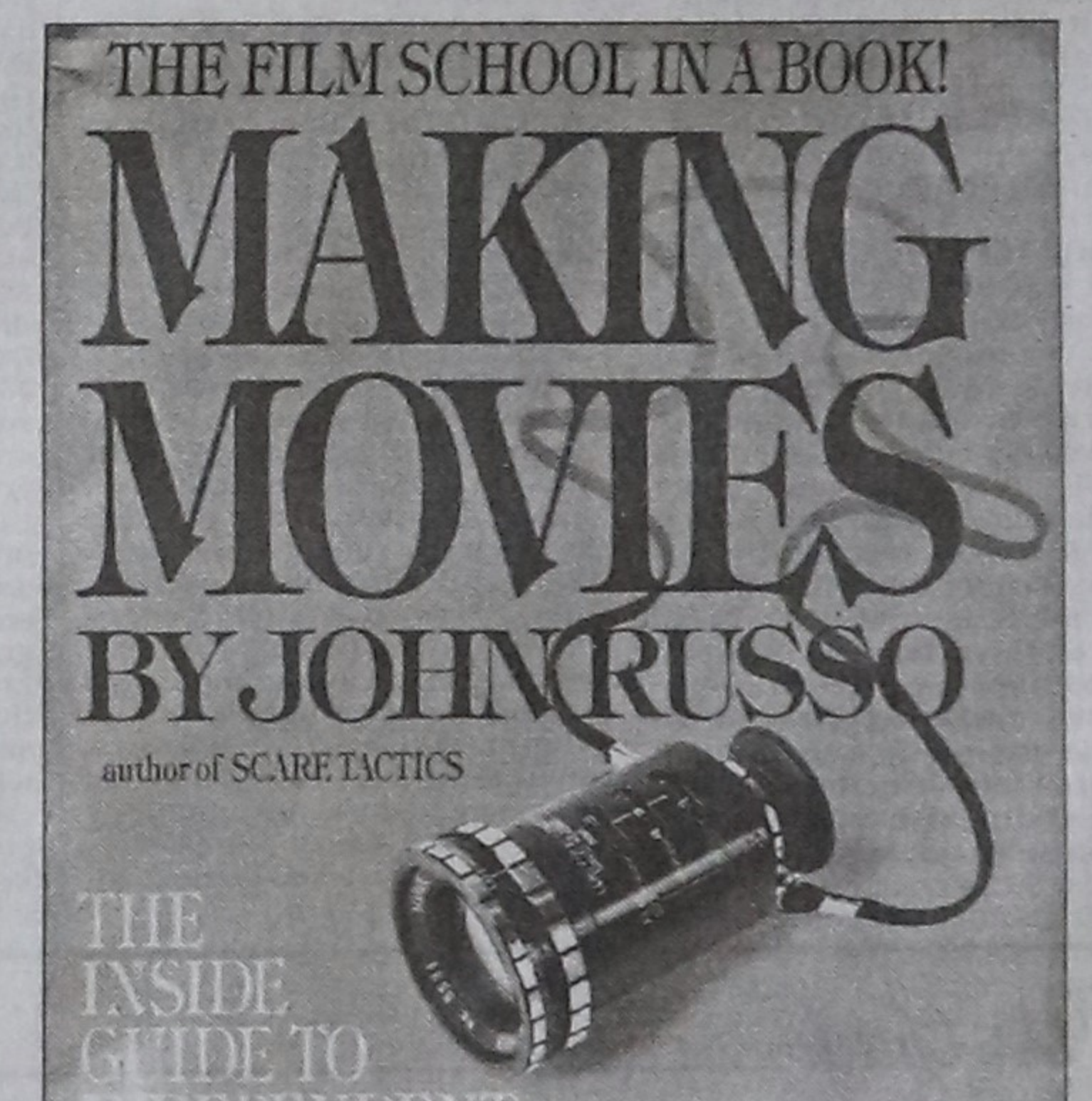
Not basically a grammar book, this volume aims at bringing home to the Bangali learners of English some of the difficulties they encounter while learning English. Analytic as well as entertaining, this book speaks volumes about the renowned professor Rashid's deep understanding of the nature of our problems with English. And he shows us how to get out of the problems.

Available at Pathak Shamabesh, Phone 9662766, 8620717, E-mail: pathaksb@bdonline.com



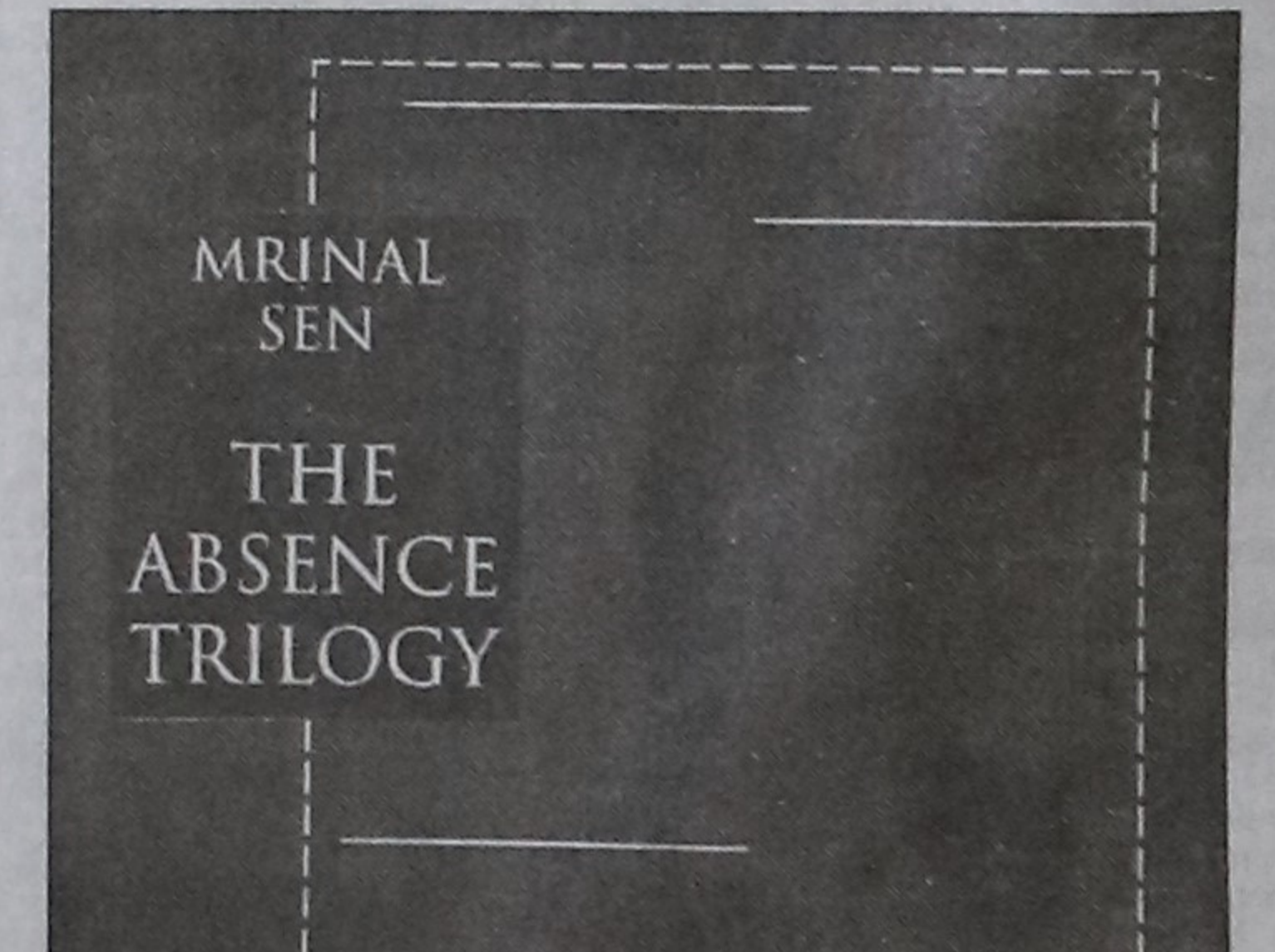
The Insider
 A novel by ex-Indian prime Minister P V Narasimha Rao
 Publisher: Penguin India
 Price: Tk 1100

This book emerges from the hidden heart of Indian politics. Through a deft interweaving of fact and fiction, it tells the compelling, often shocking as well as heart-rending truth about Indian politics. That the author has occupied the highest positions in government and the party invests the narrative with authenticity, verisimilitude and empathy.



Making Movies
 The Inside Guide to Independent Movie Production
 Author: John Russo
 Publisher: Dell Books
 Price: Tk 1395

The author not only provides key insights into producing and directing movies, he expertly takes one into the oft-neglected world of cinematic specialists such as animators, makeup artists, and stuntmen.



The Absence Trilogy
 Author: Mrinal Sen
 Publisher: Seagull Books
 Price: Tk 450

This volume contains shot-by-shot reconstructions of Mrinal Sen's three best known works- *Ekdin Pratidin*, *Kharij* and *Ekdin Achanak*- as well as a comprehensive introductory essay which reads them from the point of view of 'absence' and its impact on the present and future of the people involved.

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