

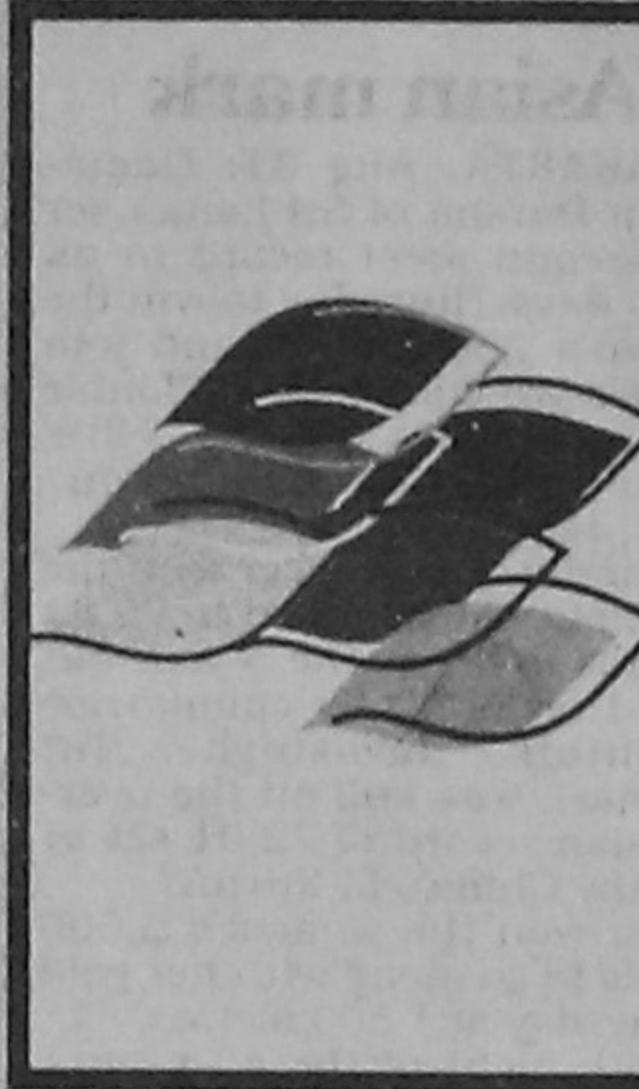
entertainment

Pick
of the
week

Our Choice

1st Biennale Art Exhibition
The 10-day long show will remain open from 10am to 7pm everyday until Sept 15.

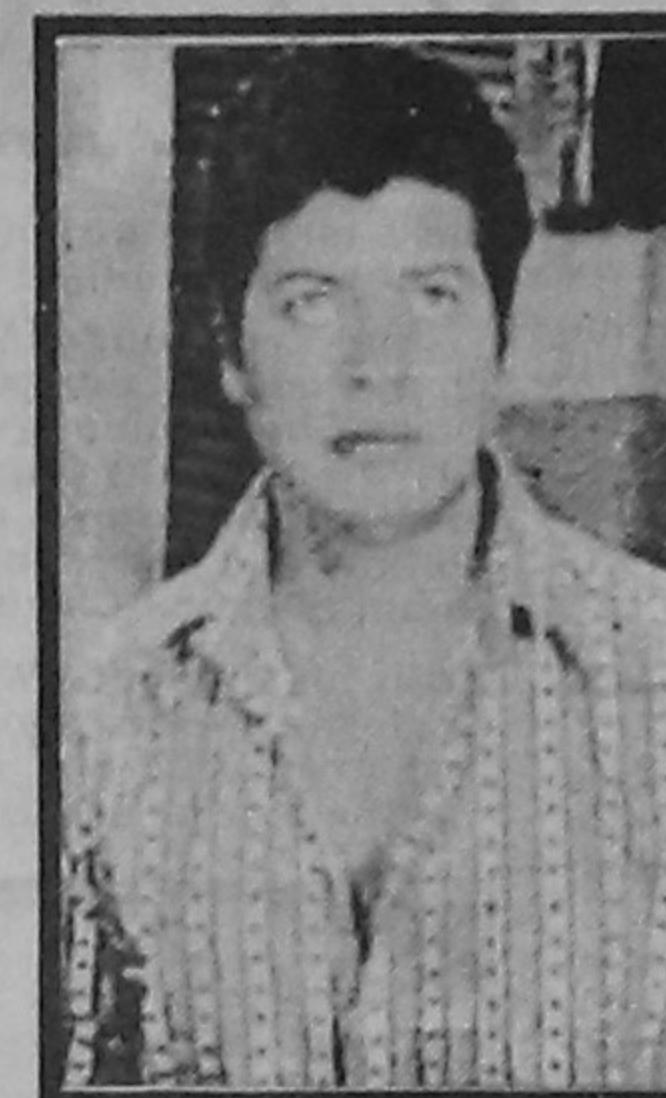
This is the biggest programme Bangladesh Charushilpi Sangsad, the one and only national organisation of the country's artists, has ever undertaken. There will be a grand award and best awards in different categories. The prize-awarding ceremony will be held on Sept 5 at 4:30 pm at National Museum Auditorium.



The Show

Shilpito Darshan

A group show featuring some of the top-ranking Bangladeshi artists of the 60s at Bengal Shilpalaya at Dhanmandi. The 20-day long show opens today and will run until Sept 21 from 12 noon to 8 pm.



The Movie

Shahib

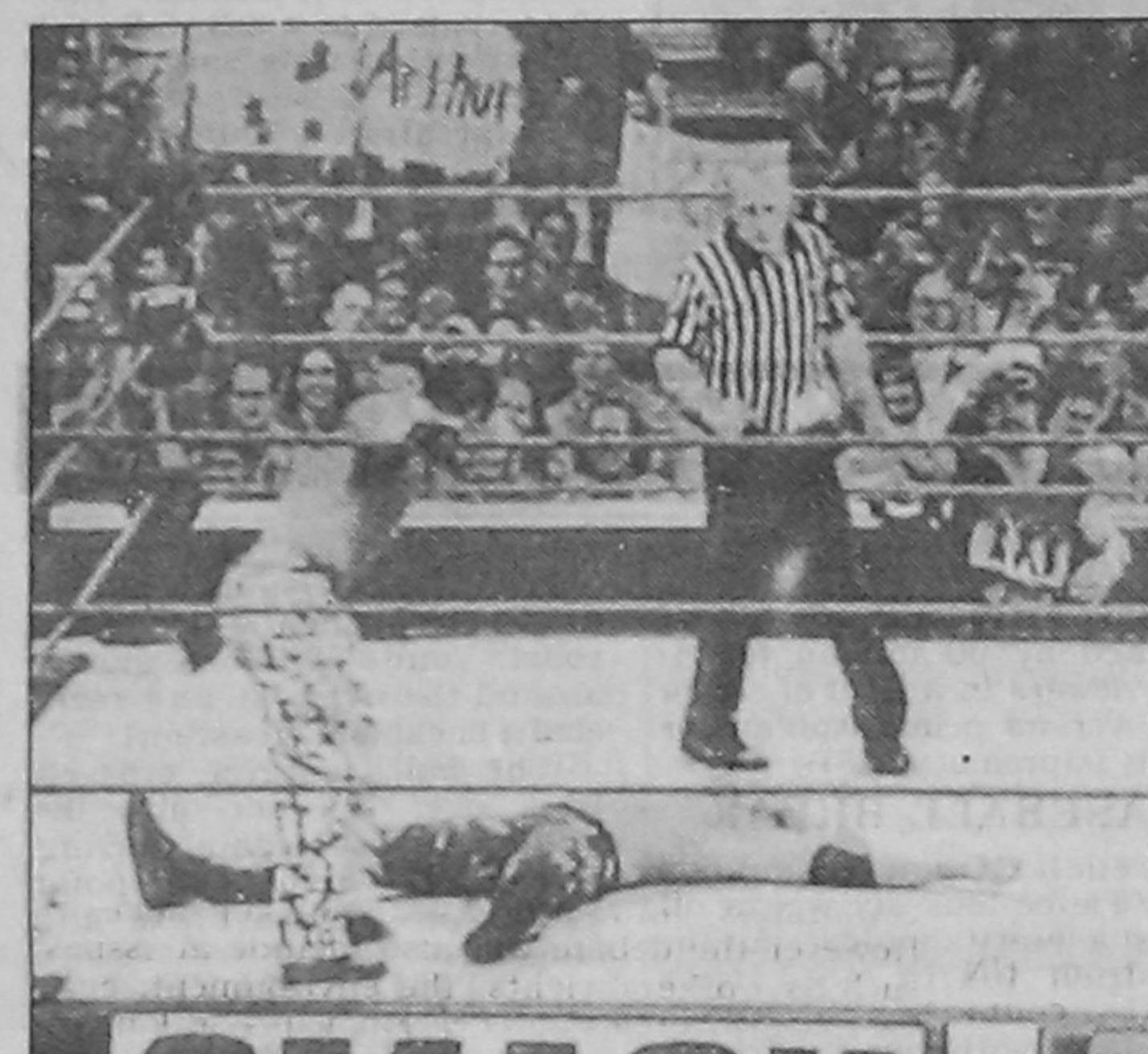
Full-length Bengali feature film on Ekushey TV at 3pm today.

Starring Rozina, Faroque and Anwar Hossain. Shahib has been directed by one of our star director Mita.

Satellite TV



Bengali movie *Bhai Bandhu* on Ekushey TV on Sept 2 at 8:30 pm. Directed by Darashiko. *Bhai Bandhu* is being starred by Zafar Iqbal, Sunetra and Ilyas Kanchan.



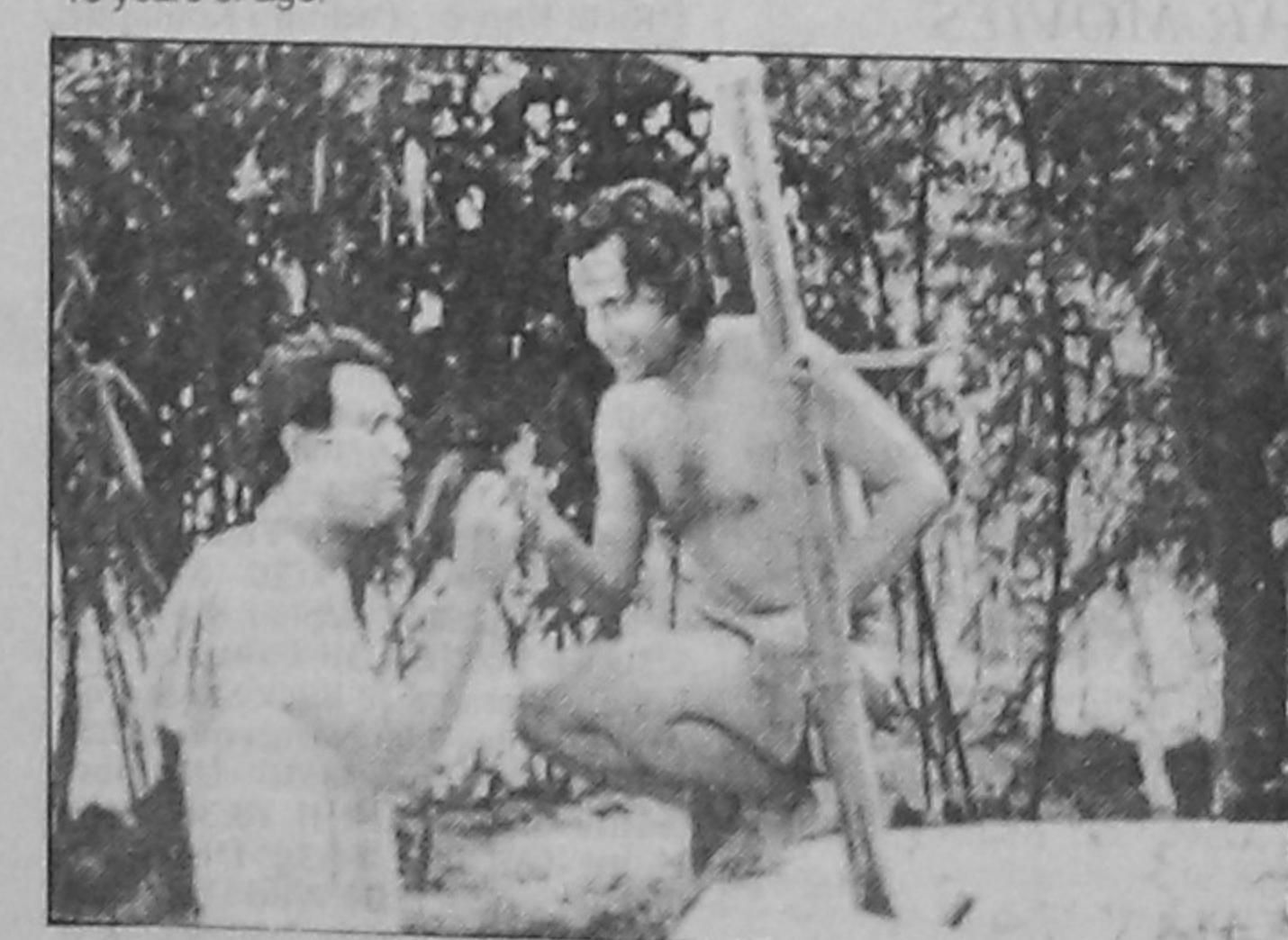
The Big Fight on Ekushey TV on Sept 1 at 6 pm.



Bengali movie *Pratishodh* on Ekushey TV on Sept 2 at 3 pm. starring Razzak, Suchanda, Baby Zaman and Sultana. *Pratishodh* has been directed by Bulbul Chowdhury.

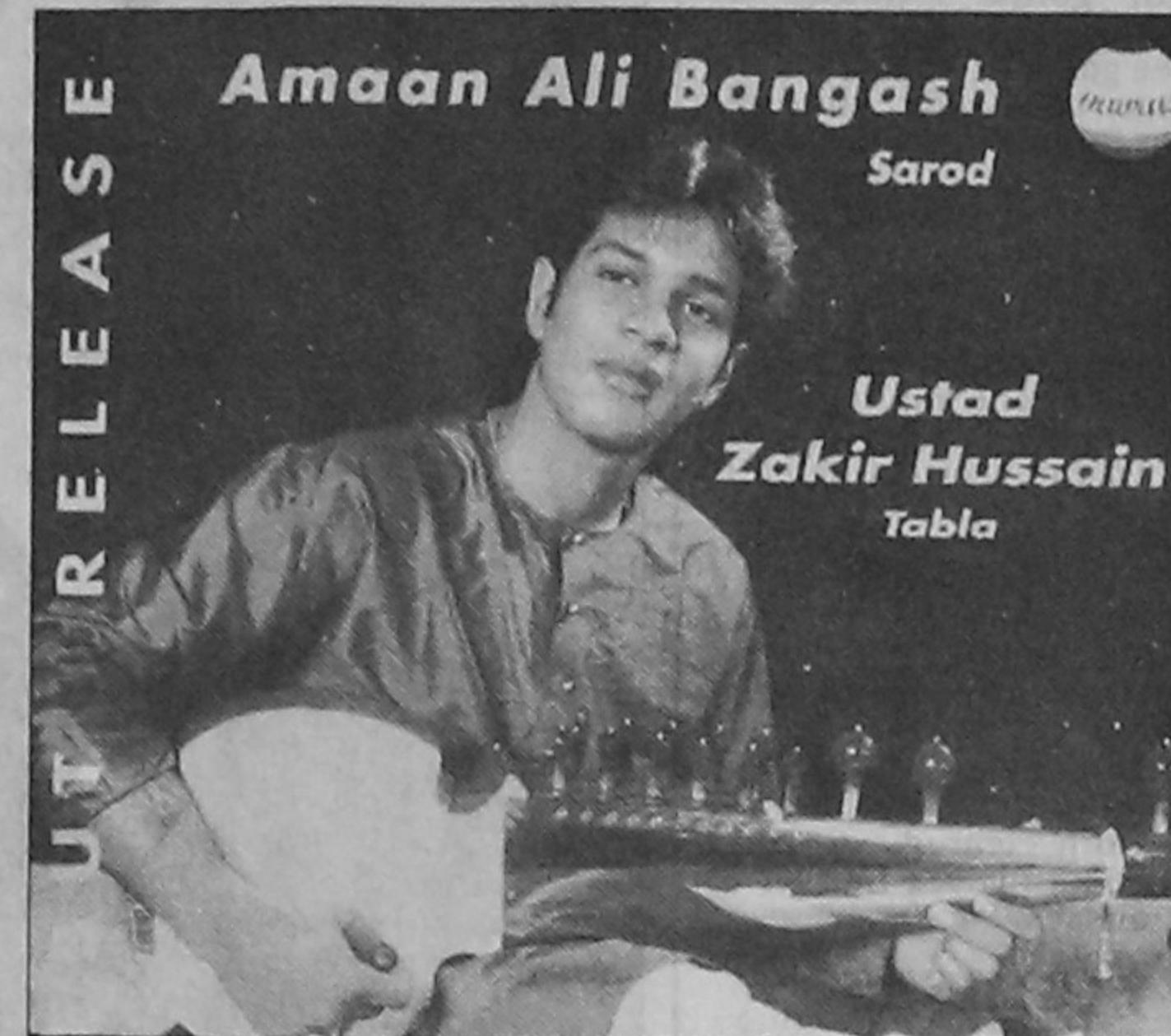


Mukta Khabar will be premiered on Ekushey TV on Sept 2 at 7:20 pm. The show will be designed and presented by youngsters between 11 and 16 years of age.



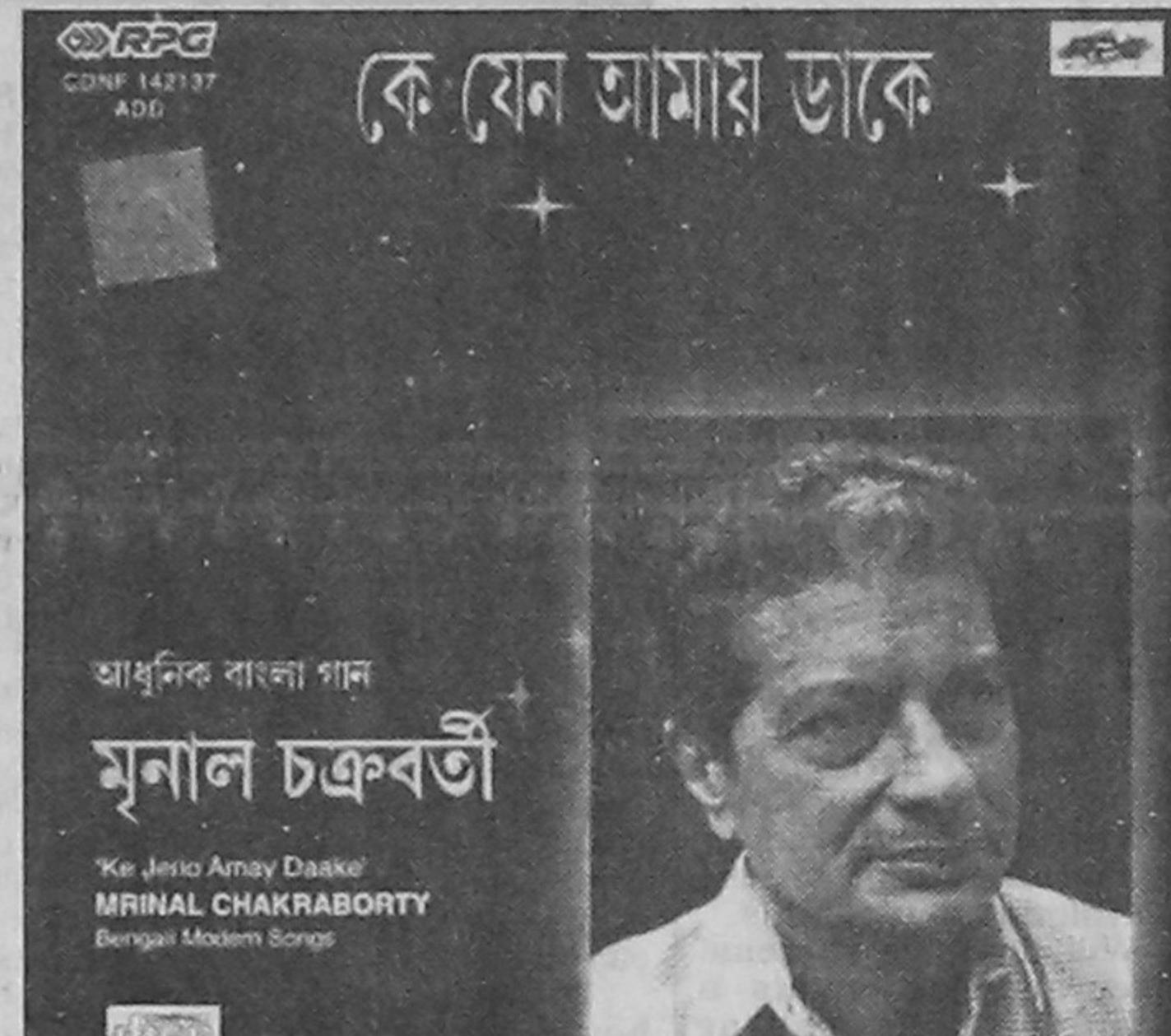
Friday drama: Written by Masum Reza and directed by Chaka fame Morshedul Islam the Friday drama *Kup or the well* is being starred by Aly Zaker, Raisul Islam Asad, and Dilara Zaman.

Cassettes & CDs



AMAAN ALI BANGASH IN SAROD

and Ustad Zakir Hussain on tabla
raga: Puriya Kalyan
CD price: 580
As the name suggests, rag Puriya Kalyan is a combination of two other ragas. The melodic features of rag Puriya can be difficult to delineate, and care must be taken to distinguish them from the closely related and more popular rag Marva. The word Kalyan refers to a group of ragas, among which rag Yaman is by far the commonest. The scale, which includes all seven notes is natural, making it equivalent to the Lydian or F-mode of the Western music. This recital makes the public solo debut of Amaan Ali Bangash.



KE JENO AMAY DAAKE

Modern Bengali songs of Mrinal Chakraborty
CD price: Tk 430

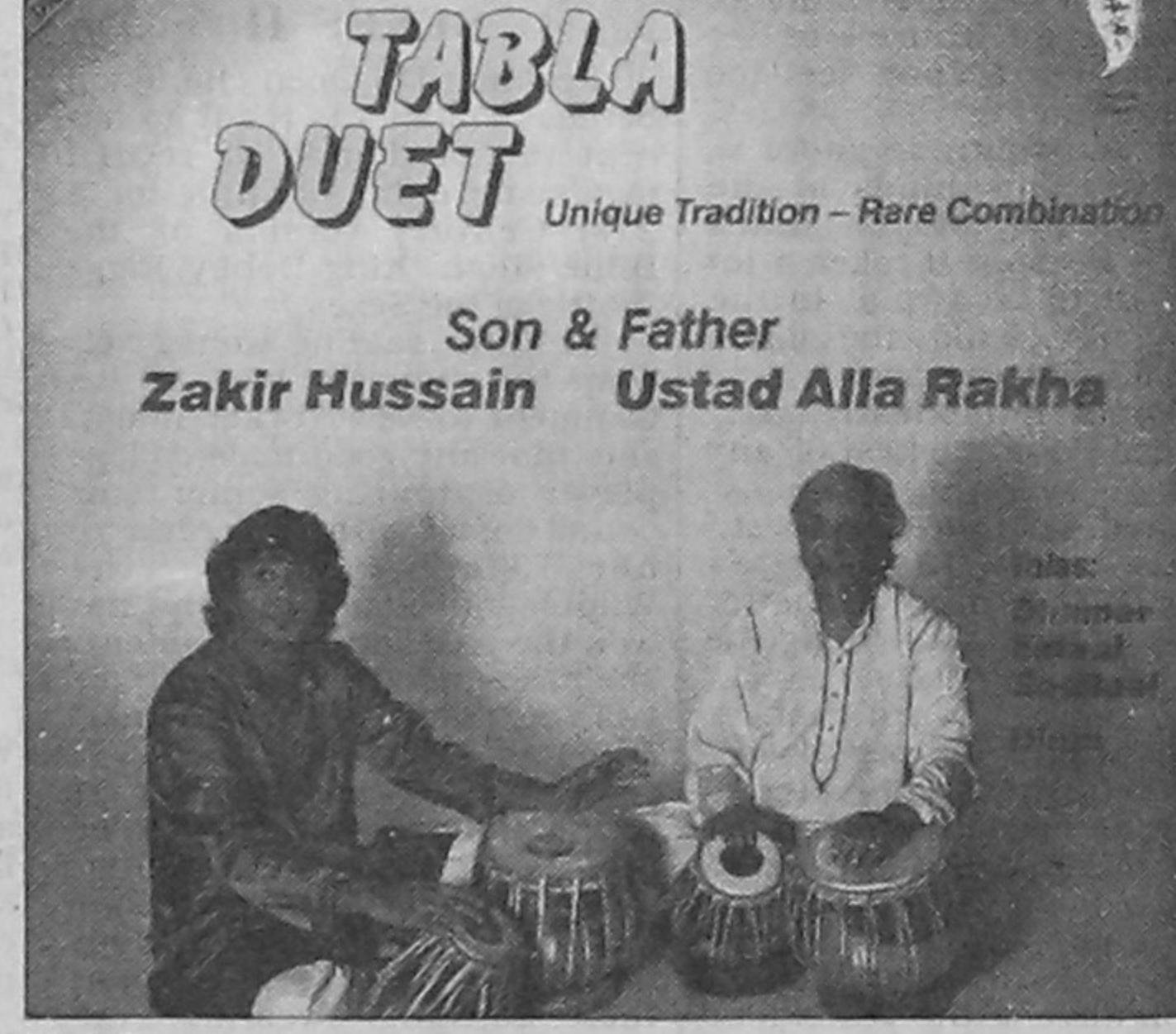
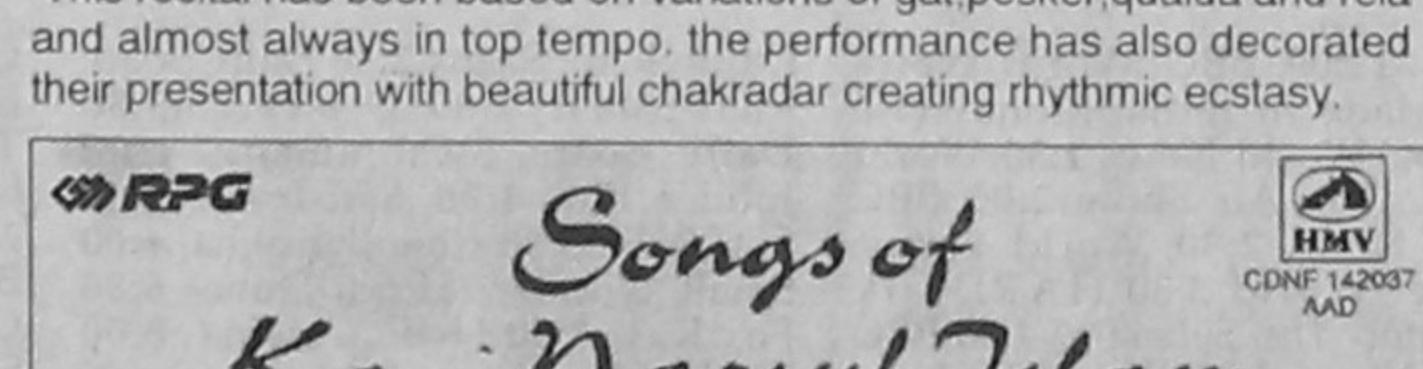


TABLA DUET

Son & Father
Zakir Hussain Ustad Alla Rakha



Songs of Kazi Nazrul Islam

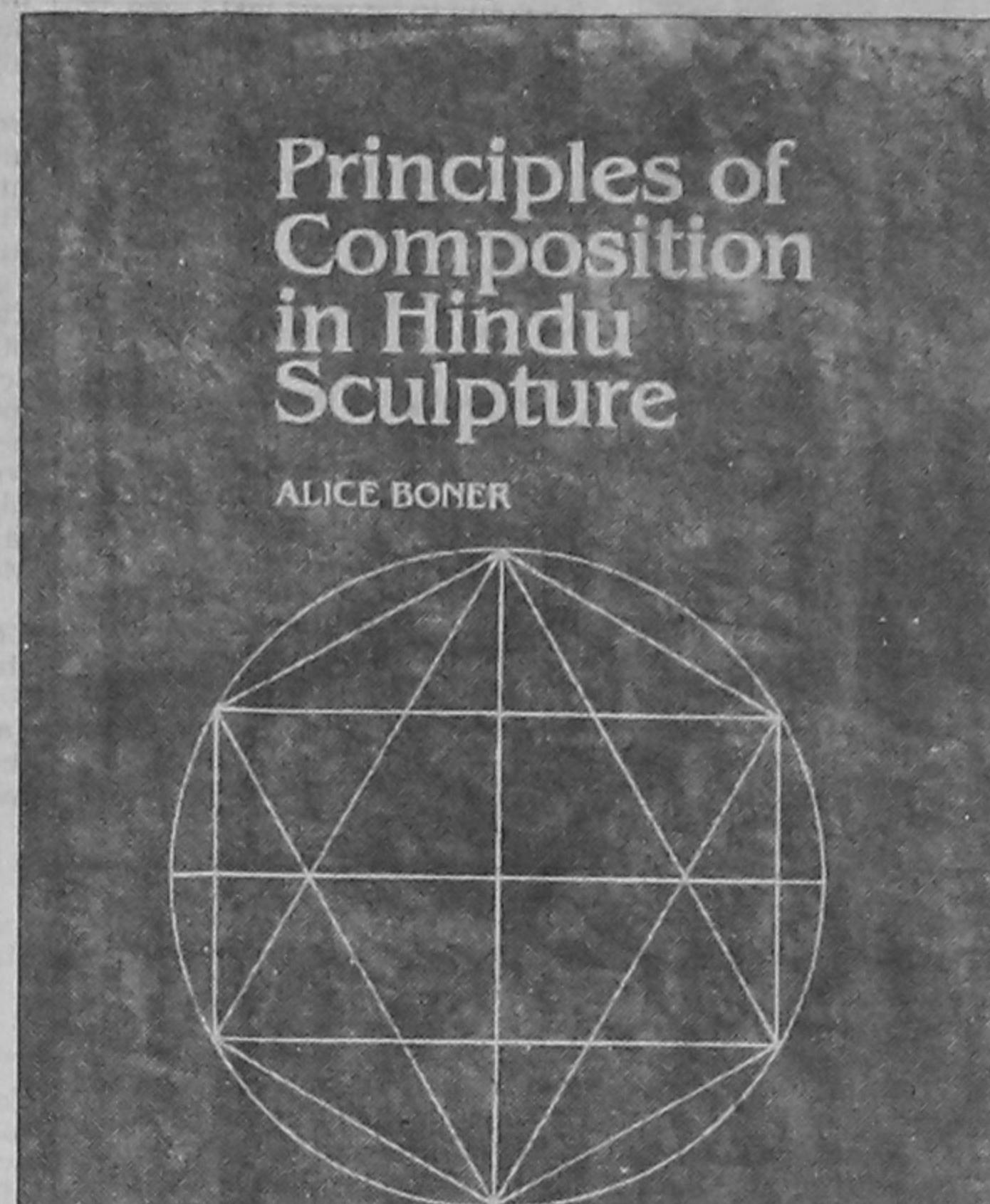
FIROZA BEGUM • MANABENDRA MUKHERJEE • HAIMANTI SUKLA
ANUP GHOSAL • INDRANI SEN • AJOY CHAKRABORTY



SONGS OF KAZI NAZRUL ISLAM

CD price: 450
The album features Firoza Begum, Manabendra Mukherjee, Haimanti Sukla, Anup Ghosal, Indrani Sen and Ajoy Chakraborty
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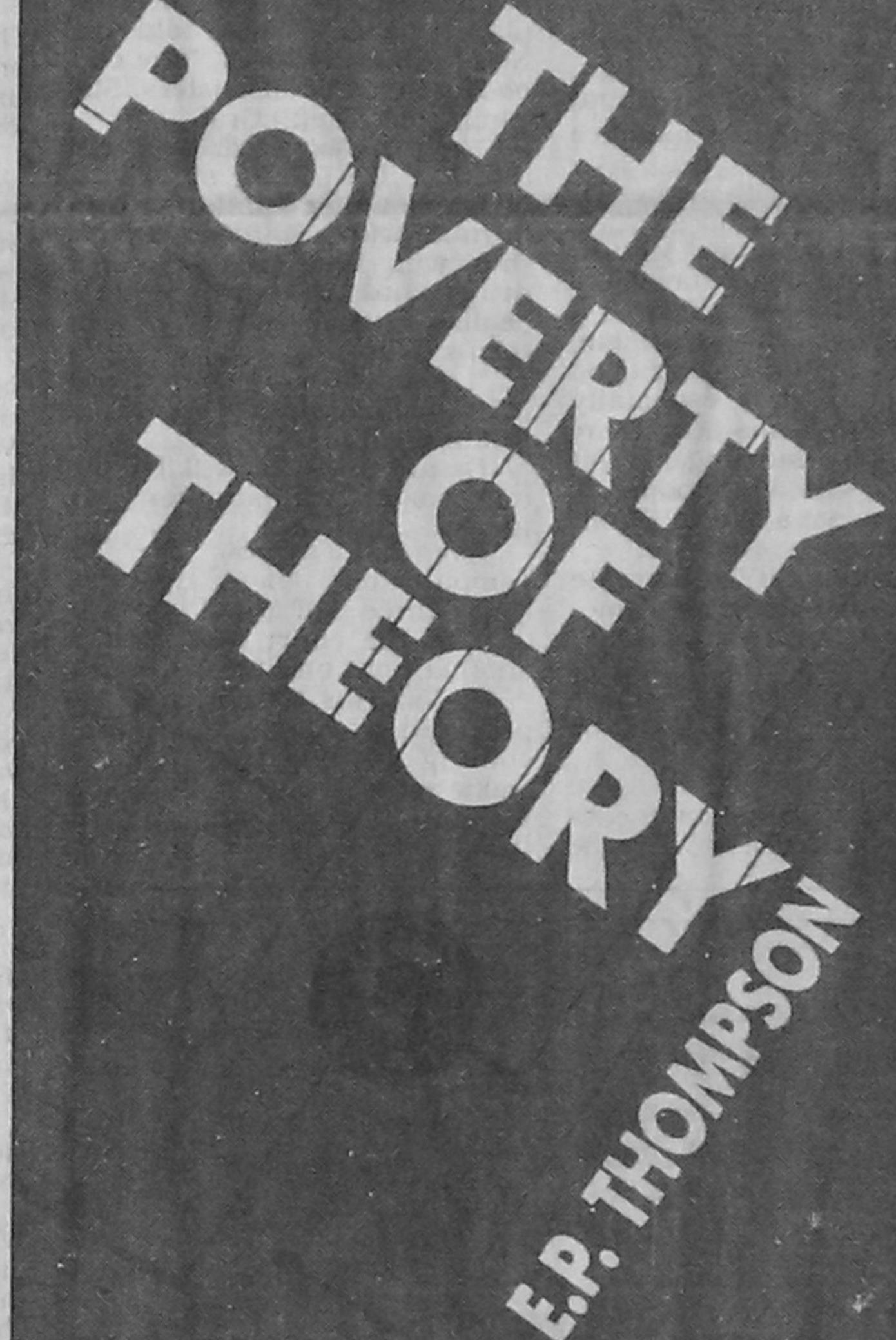
New Books



PRINCIPLES OF COMPOSITION IN HINDU SCULPTURE

Alice Boner
Author: Alice Boner
Price: Tk 600

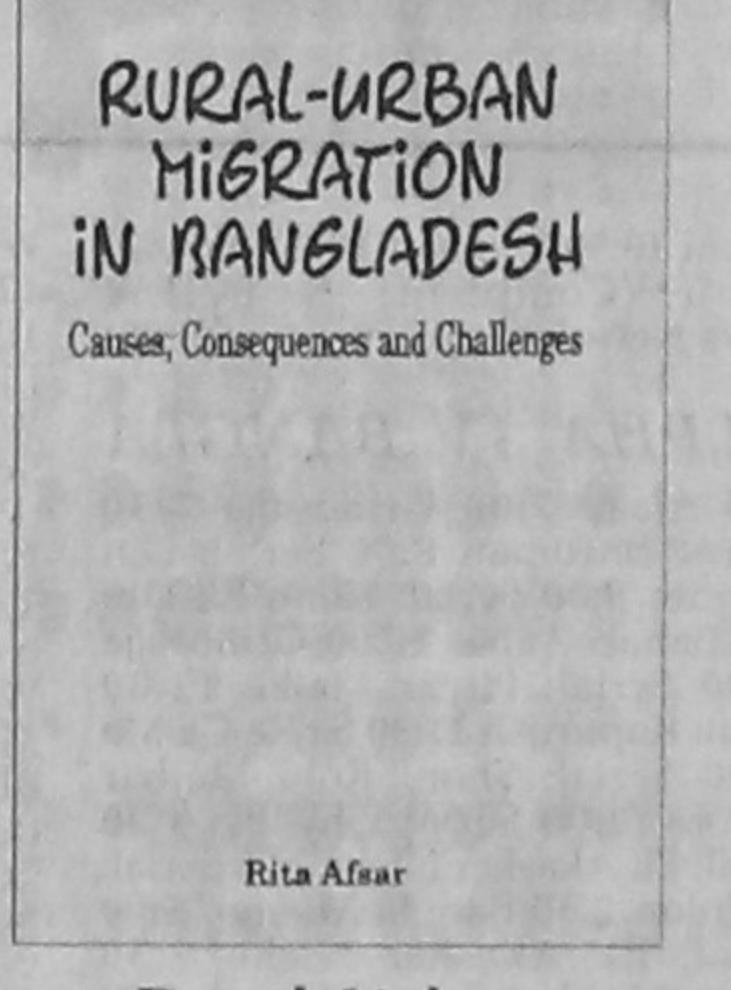
The present work represents an approach to a hitherto unexplored aspect of Hindu sculpture. It deals with pre-medieval sculpture and, leaving aside the historical, the doctrinal and the aesthetic aspects of this art, it concentrates exclusively on the question of composition.



THE POVERTY OF THEORY

E.P. Thompson
Author: E.P. Thompson
Publisher: Merlin Press
Price: Tk 1200

The author develops a constructive view of an alternative, socialist tradition, empirical and self-critical in method, and fully open to the creative practice evidenced by history, a tradition sharply opposed to much that now passes as 'Marxism'.



RURAL-URBAN MIGRATION IN BANGLADESH

Causes, Consequences and Challenges

Author: Rita Afasr

Publisher: The University Press Ltd

Price: Tk 385

This book makes an innovative attempt to generate greater understanding about the rapid growth of Dhaka city, the deeply entrenched class hierarchy and offers a socio-economic analysis of the slum and non-slum households.

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Metaphysics of Experience in Advaita Vedanta

A phenomenological approach

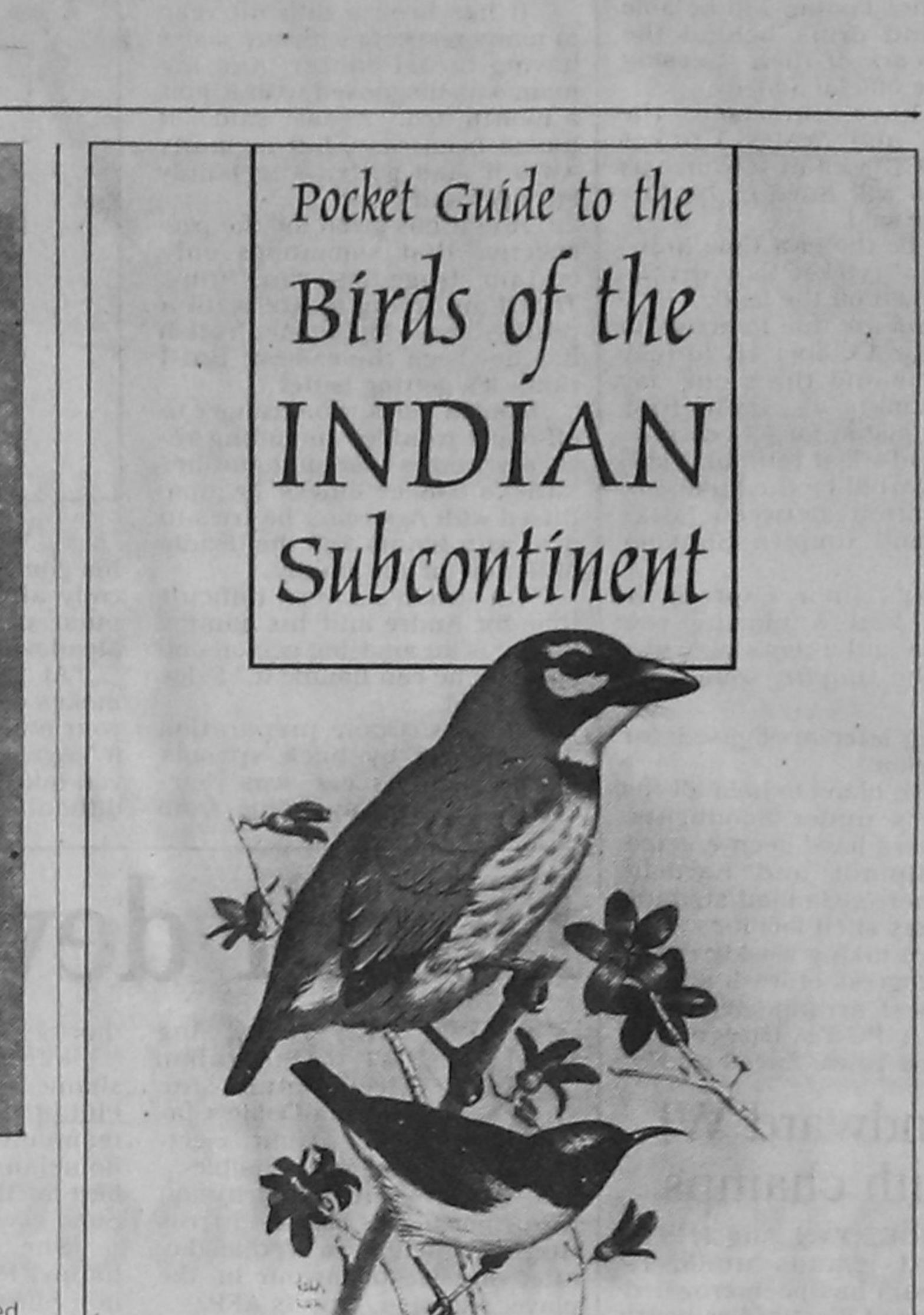
Author: Debrajita Sinha

Publisher: Motilal Banarsi Dass

Publishers

Price: Tk 225

The central thesis of Sankara's Advaita Vedanta is embodied in the unique doctrine of C or pure consciousness. But the authentic significance of the latter is often overlooked in the stereotype of a metaphysics of Brahman, combined with an 'illusionistic' philosophy of the world.



POCKET GUIDE TO THE BIRDS OF THE INDIAN SUBCONTINENT



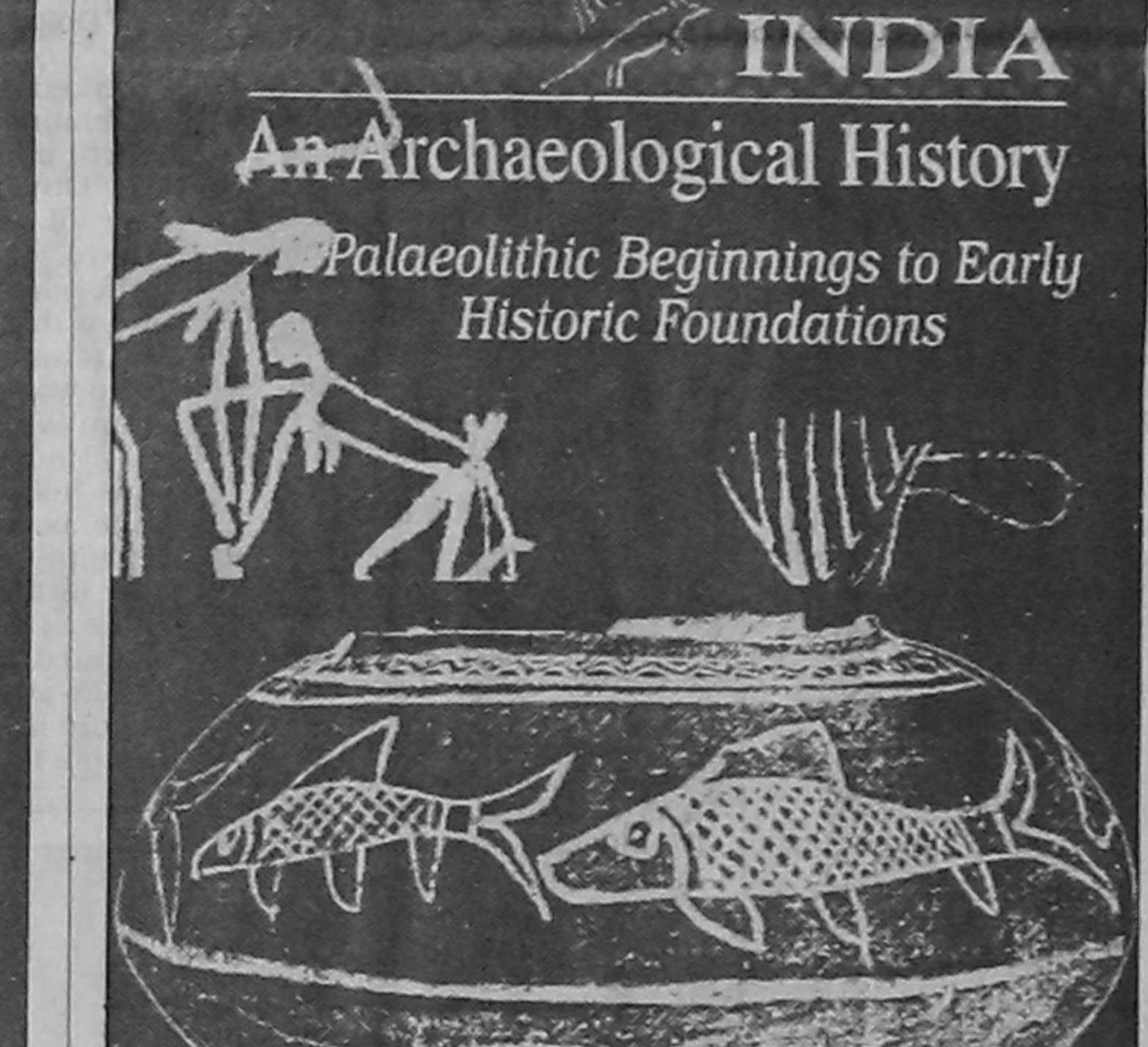
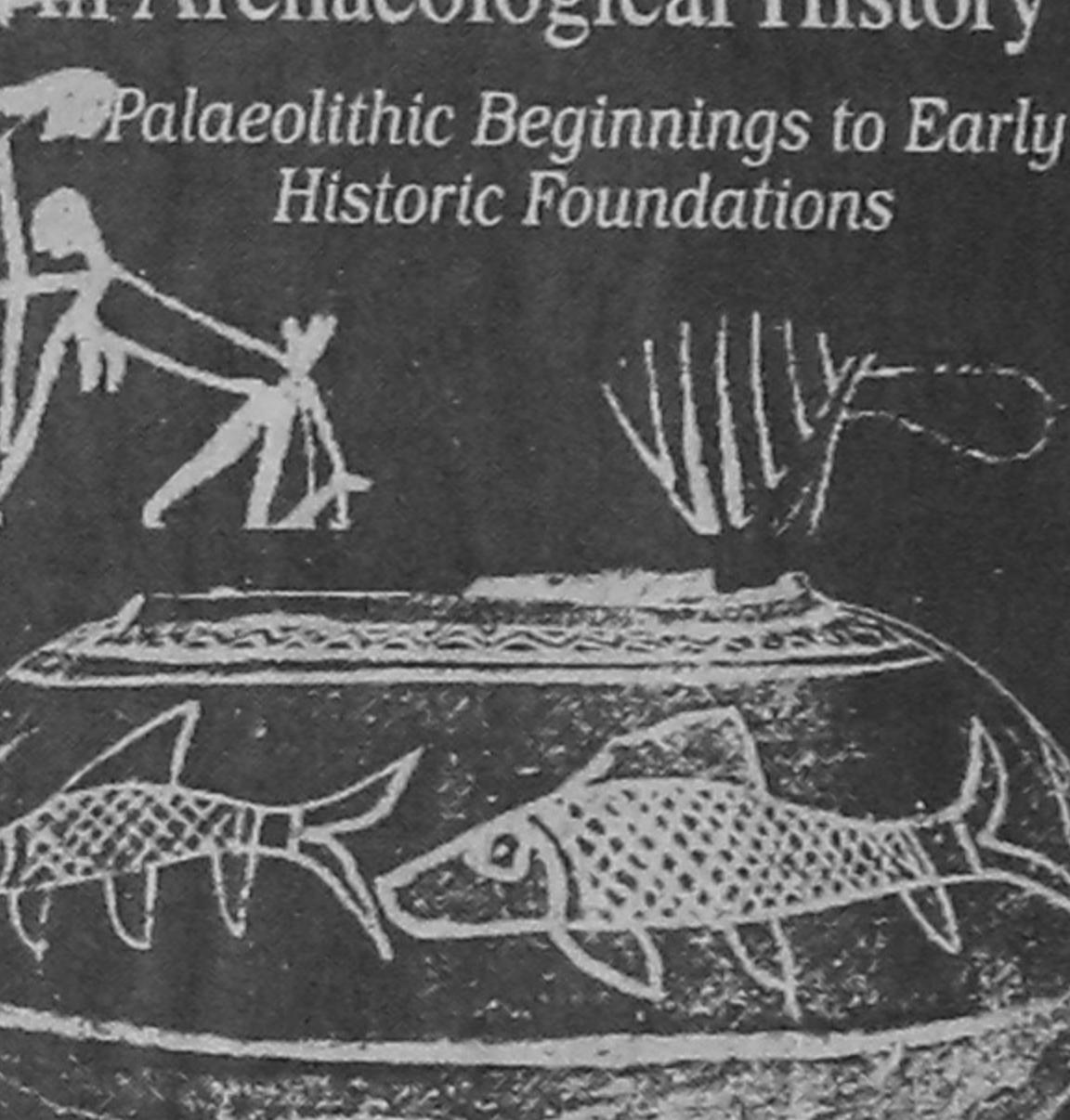
POCKET GUIDE TO THE BIRDS OF THE INDIAN SUBCONTINENT

Author: Richard Grimmett, Carol Inskip and Tim Inskip

Publisher: Oxford India

Price: Tk 1043

This book covers all the species, nearly 1300, found in India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh, and the Maldives.

INDIA
An Archaeological History

INDIA: AN ARCHAEOLOGICAL HISTORY

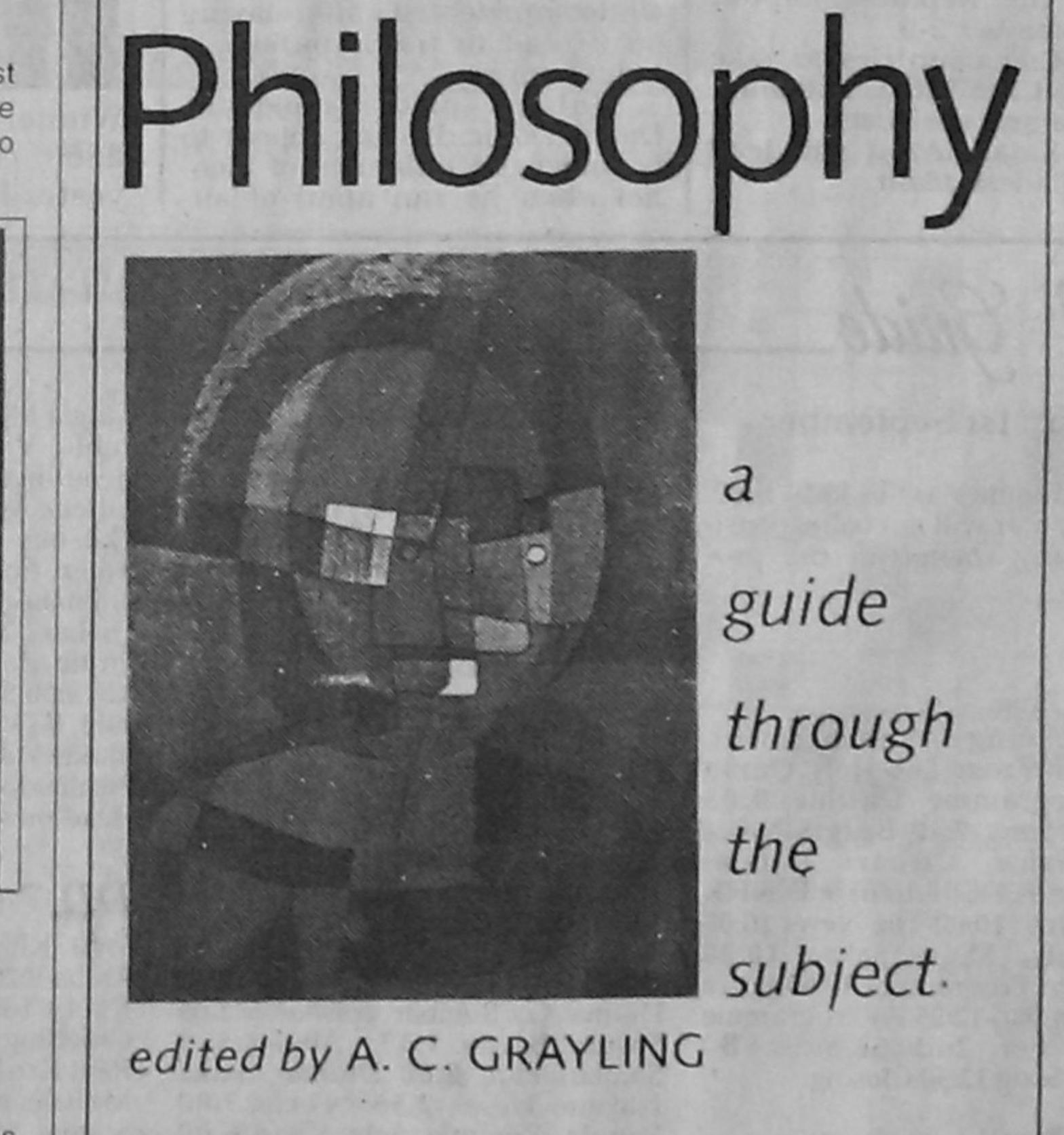
Palaeolithic beginnings to early historic foundations

Author: Dilip K. Chakrabarti

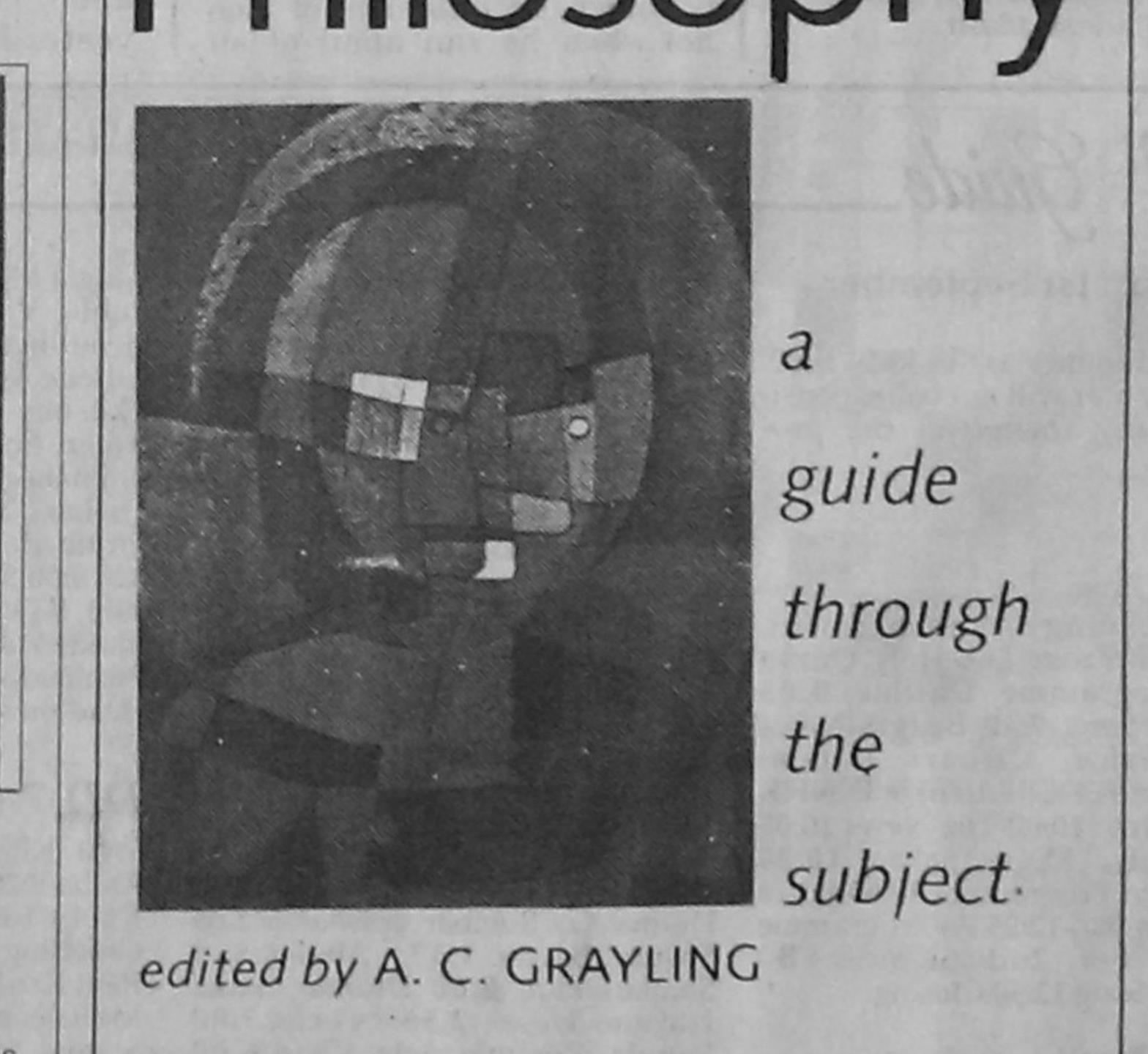
Publisher: Oxford India

Price: Tk 815

This book brings out the flow of India's grassroots archaeological history in all its continuities and diversities from the palaeolithic beginnings when early historic India assumed its basic form.



Philosophy



a guide through the subject

Edited by A.C. Grayling

Publisher: Oxford

Price: Tk 1340

This is an introduction to and guide through philosophy. It is intended to orientate, assist, and stimulate the reader at every stage in the study of the subject. eleven extended essays have been specially commissioned from leading philosophers; each surveys a major area of the subject and offers an accessible but sophisticated account of the main debates.

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