

exhibition

Providing a Platform for Future Artists

5th Berger Young Painters Award 2000 ends

By Nafid Imran Ahmed

SINCE 1996 Berger Paints Bangladesh Limited has been organising painting competitions to encourage and promote the young painters of the country. As a yearly event Berger has successfully finished its fifth young painters art competition, and the works of the selected artists were put up in an exhibition held at the Zainul Art Gallery, Institute of Fine Arts, University of Dhaka on November 29.

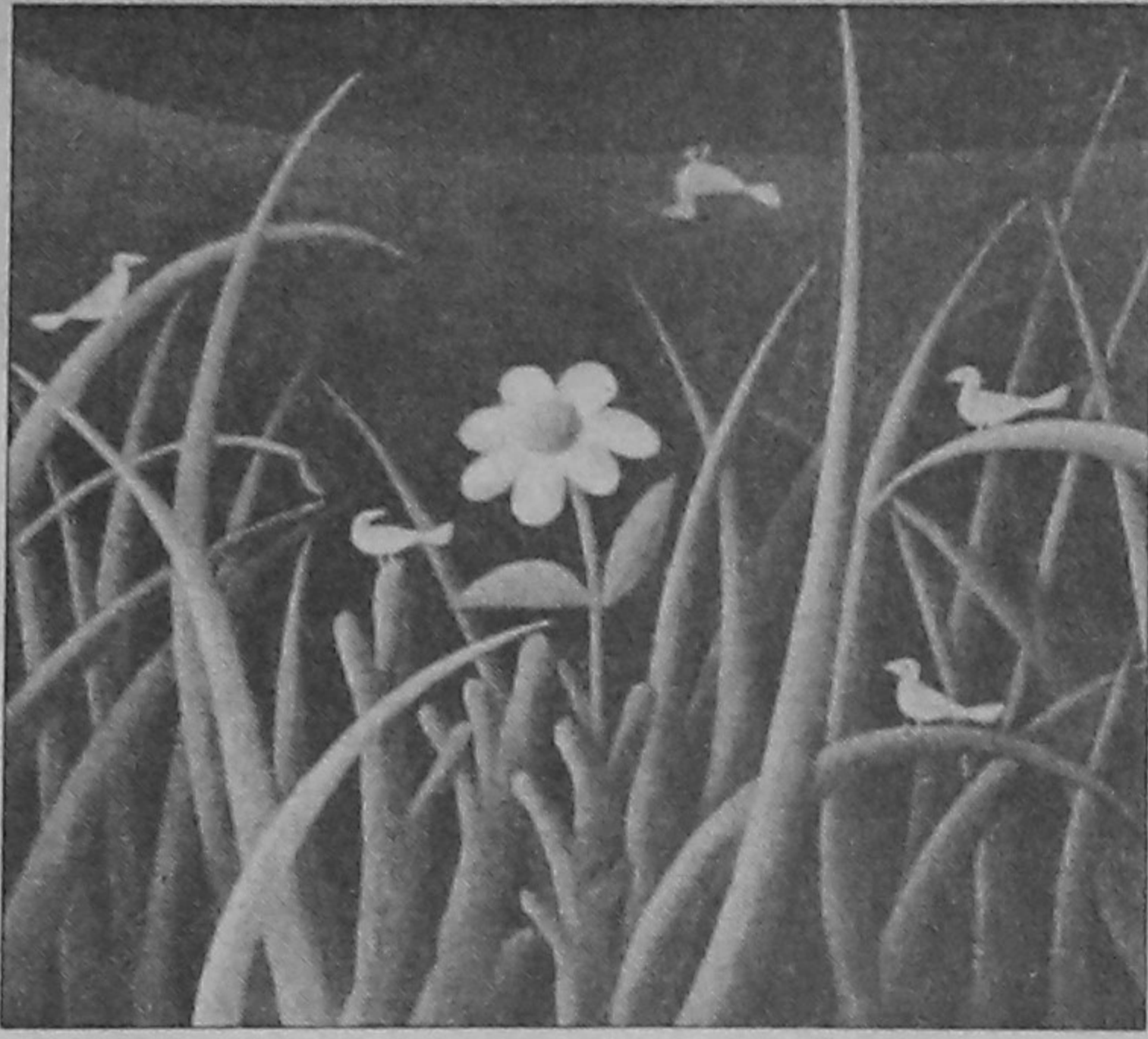
Any Bangladeshi artist aged between 18 and 35 years is eligible to take part in this competition.

This year the jury for the competition was made up of eminent artists and intellectuals of the country including Professor Rafiqun Nabi as chairman and the other four members were Professor Abdus Shakoor Shah, Mahmudul Haque, Abdus Sattar and Abul Mansur.

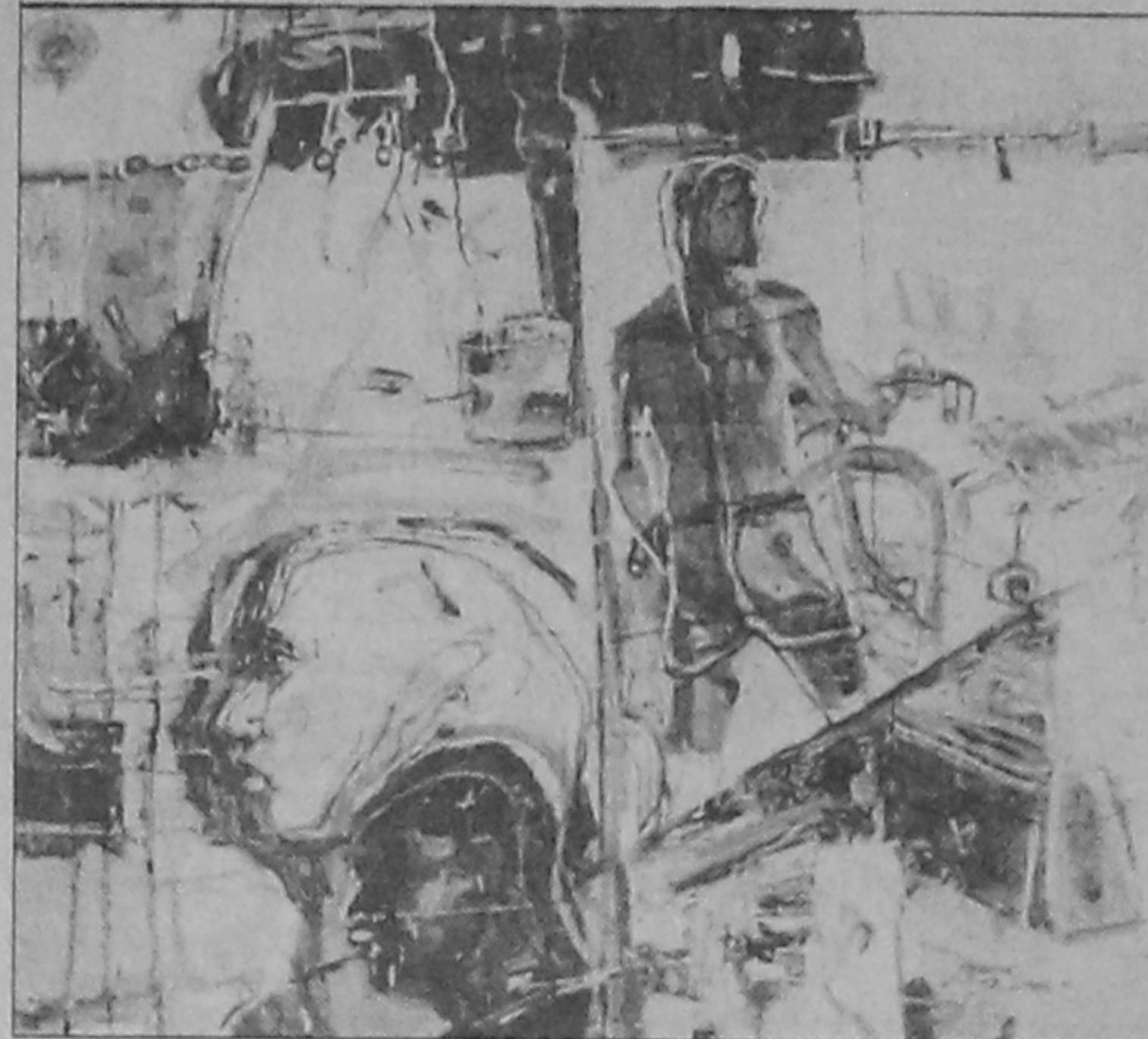
After the preliminary selection 40 paintings were short-listed from which 6 works were awarded through a ceremony on November 14.

The awards include Tk. 25,000 for the first prize, Tk. 20,000 for the second, Tk. 15,000 for third and Tk. 10,000 each for three honourable mentions.

Then Berger in association with Institute of Fine Arts, Uni-



Rhythm to Rhythm Zahir Hossain Newton



When Situation Happens Firoz Mahmud



Experience of Mutable Time-6 Mohammed Wahiduzzaman

versity of Dhaka organised the painting exhibition, which began at the Zainul Gallery on November 25 and continued until November 29.

Mohammed Wahiduzzaman won this year's first prize for his outstanding work titled Experience of Mutable Time 6. Done in oil, the painting depicts the

inconsistency of time. Wahiduzzaman also has a number of awards to his name including the 1st prize in Bangabandhu art Competition organised by Graphic Arts, Dhaka, 3rd prize in the First Tone International Miniature Art exhibition. He has a diploma in printing technology from the Institute of Graphic Arts and a diploma in Fine Arts from

BAFA. He thinks that a man has to pass through a series of antagonism, to fulfil the hope, desire and to reach the target of human life, which helps create warps and wools in his subconscious oscillated mind. And the theme of his painting is this experience of mutable time in human life.

The second award winner is Tassadduk Hossain Dulu for his painting titled Moroger Duk. This talented artist obtained a first class in Fine Arts from Chittagong University and is a recipient of many awards. In the award winning painting he represented his innermost thoughts, which are the recording of the tormented social condition and

the unrest of souls. He uses faded and opaque colours. Zahir Hossain Newton won the 3rd award for his dazzling work Rhythm to Rhythm. Describing his work he says that, for a thing to be beautiful, it must possess rhythm. Nature thrives on rhythm and harmony and he likes to capture the essence of

harmony. The excellent colour combination of this talented painter makes his work different from the others. He uses deep blue and different shades of blue and draws his inspiration from the elements of nature flowers, birds, and grasses.

Helpless and confused sense of direction may lead one to commit suicide that is how Uttam Kumar Roy feels and tries to portray in his award-winning work titled Cause of Suicide. In this work he uses a cobweb and a spider to indicate a life entangled with problems, and uses the rope as the symbol of suicide.

The other two award winners are Firoz Mahmud, for his painting When Situation Happens and Mohammed Imran for Shabdokalpa.

Berger will publish their annual corporate calendar for the year 2001 with the works of 6 award-winning works.

The exhibition also showcased the short-listed young painters of the competition. All of these works are interesting in their individual and own way. They may not have won any awards, but they all are worth looking at.

Berger did a great job in bringing all these young painters together, and on the top of it generating tremendous inspiration among the young painters and made an excellent platform available to them to express their creative self. The competition will also help scout latent talents from different regions of the country.

Recommendations



Bangla Faces

The Goethe Institut, Dhaka and Drik gallery have jointly organised a workshop on photography with renowned German photographer Thomas Lüttge at the Goethe Institut.

This is the second workshop of this kind by Lüttge in Dhaka. This year he will be conducting the workshop within the framework of the 'Chobi Mela', the first photography festival in Asia. The workshop will come to an end on December 11.

Exhibition on Liberation

On the occasion of the 30th anniversary of the Liberation War, the Liberation War Museum has organised a month long exhibition titled Gaurabmoy Atmadan Chitro-Jagoruk. On this occasion the remaining found in the killing fields of Jalladkhana and Nur Masjid and some photographs will be exhibited.

The exhibition will start on December 1 at 3.00p.m. at the museum.

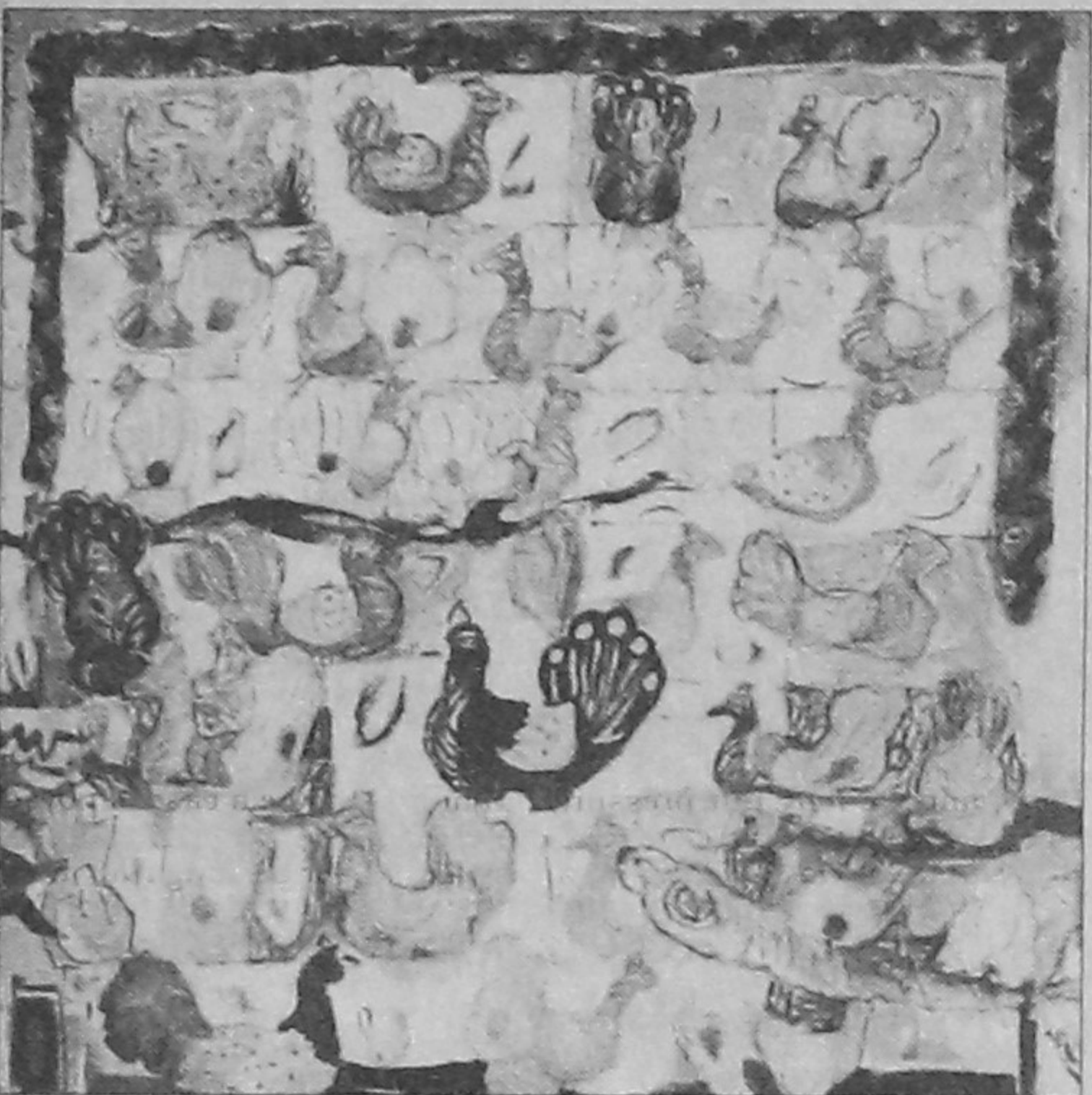
Krishti

The preview of their apparel exhibition of uniquely Deshi fabrics steeped in heritage for both men and women started at the Drik gallery.

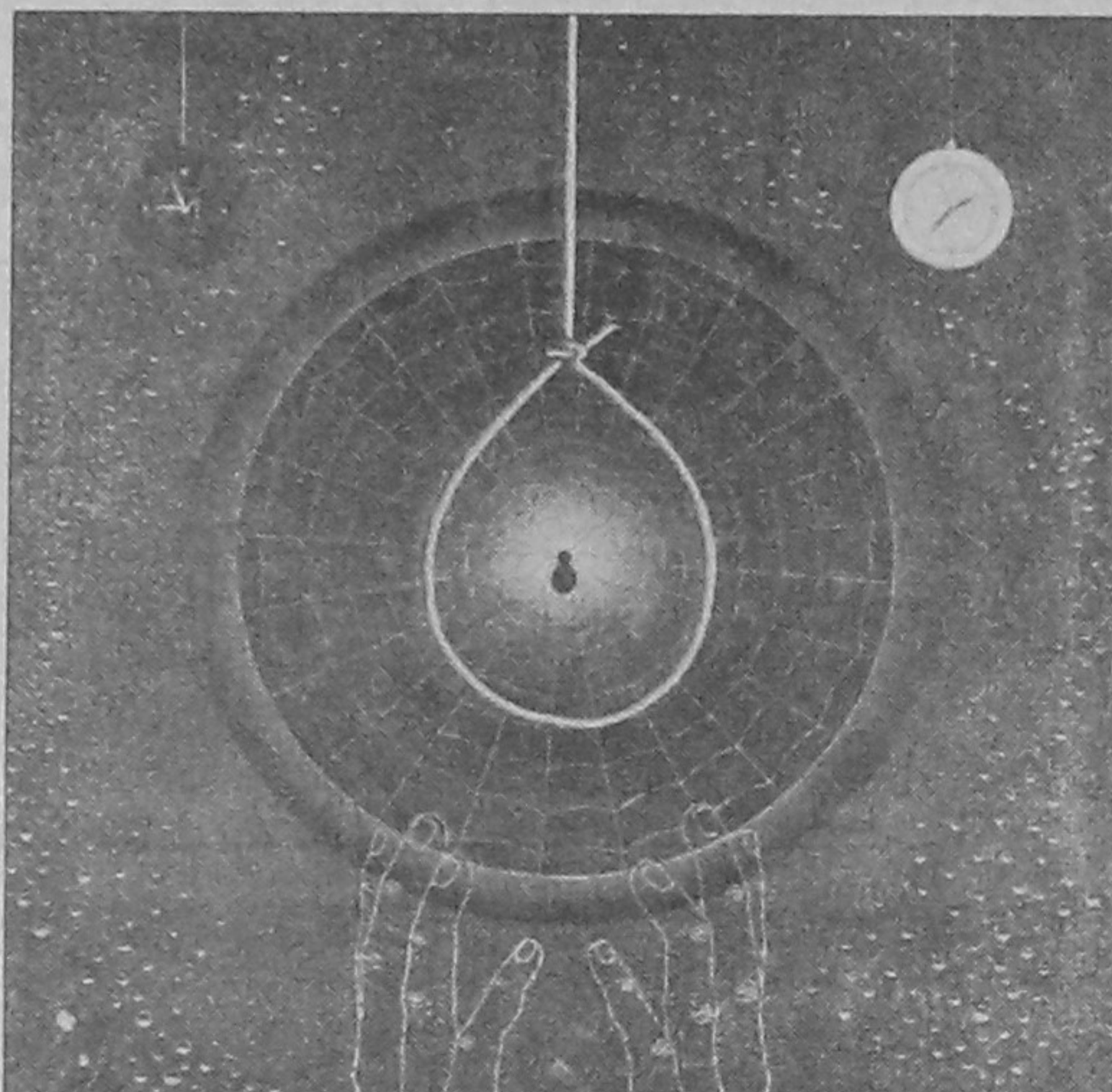
The exhibition will remain open for all from 3 pm every day till December 2.

Commemorative discussion

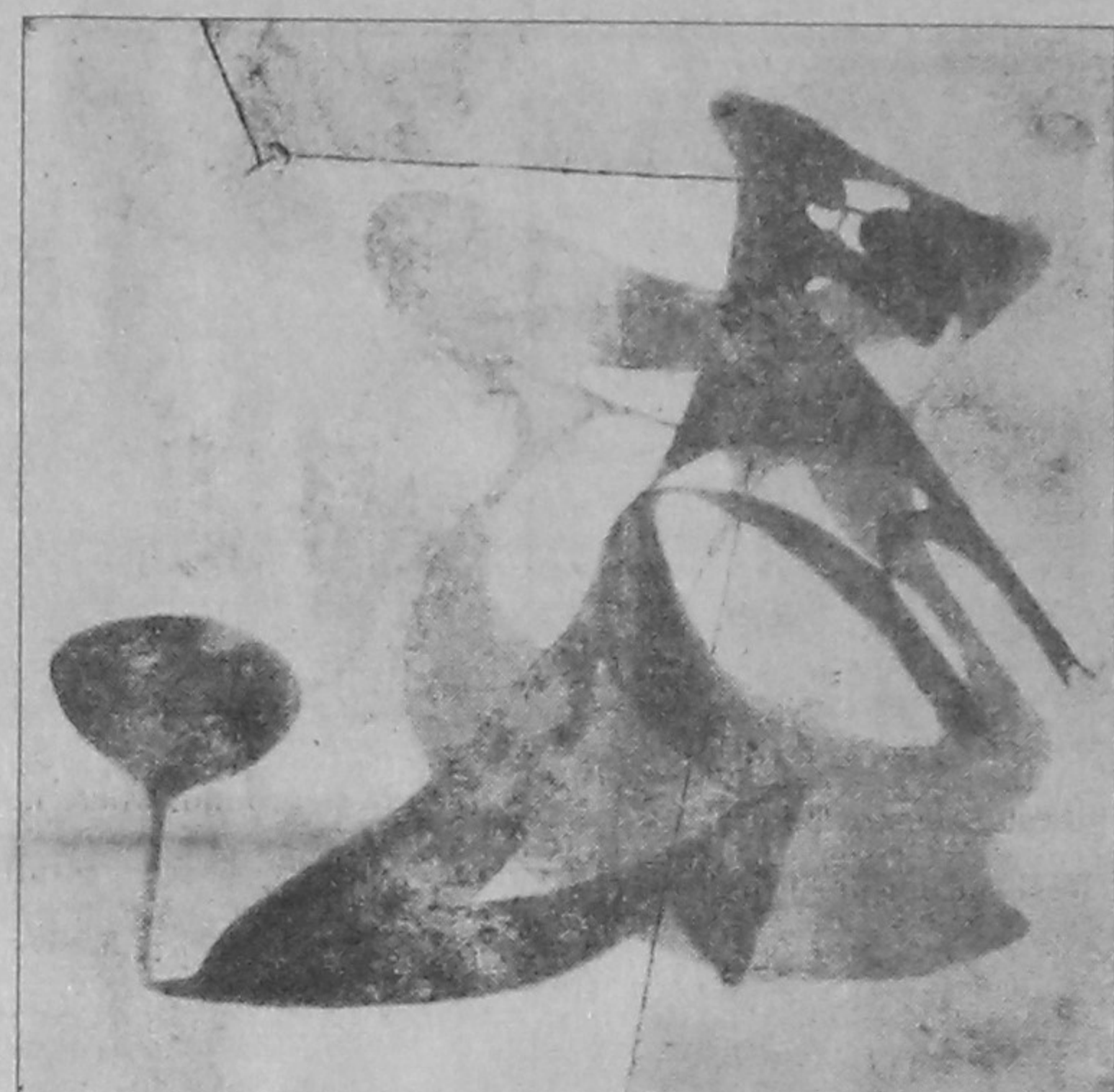
A commemorative discussion will be held on late Professor Abdur Razzak and his life and work on December 1 at 10 a.m. at the T.S.C of Dhaka University. The chairman of Abdur Razzak Foundation, Justice Muhammad Habibur Rahman will preside over the programme.



Moroger Duk Tassadduk Hossain Dulu



Cause of Suicide Uttam Kumar Roy



Shabdokalpa Mohammed Imran

TELEVISION

2:00 Ekushey News Headlines 2:05 Aaker Potrikay 2:15 Meizan Roshonar Bashona 2:40 Bangla Movie: Moroner Pore 5:00 Religious Musical

News 11:15 Ei Shoptaho 11:30 Ekushey News Headlines CHANNEL-i Morning 5:40 Addar Table 6:15 Artho O Nithi 6:50

Az Robibar 2:00 Sayia 2:50 I Focus 3:00 Bangla Tele Film Evening 5:00 Reciting from Holy Quran 5:10 Ramazanul Mobarak 5:25 Islam of Biggan 6:10 Addar Table 7:15 Ajana Gathoke 7:30 Akattorer Dinguli 12:00 Drama Everyday: Joar Vhata-episode-61 8:40 Drama: Grinya Bibi 10:50 I Focus 11:00 Bangla Cinema

Medicine Woman 11:00 Goodness Gracious Me 11:30 Blackadder Goes Forth 12:00 3rd Rock From the Sun 12:30 French and Saunders 1:00 Murder Call 2:00 Goodness Gracious Me 2:30 Blackadder Goes Forth 3:00 Morris Cerullo 3:30 Exalted World 4:00 Creflo Dollar, Changing Your World 4:30 World News 5:00 Outback Adventure 6:00 Batman 6:30 Jack Hanna's Animal

I'm for the Hippopotamus PG 7:30 Action: Hostile Intentions 15 9:30 Romance: Only You 15 11:30 Western Comedy: I'm for the Hippopotamus PG 1:30 Middy Movie: Dr Dolittle PG 3:30 Comedy: Three Men And A Baby 15 5:30 Family: 101 Dalmatians 7:30 Comedy: Dr Bhaskar Ghose Show 10:00 World Aids Day: Elizabeth Taylor: A Musical Celebration PG 12:15 Friday Fury: Lady Reporter 2:00 Action: Maximum Force 15 4:00 Western: Genius 15

STAR GOLD 8:30 Bollywood News 9:00 Paras (Rakhee, Sanjeev Kumar, Shatrughan Singh) 12:00 Geet Bahar 12:30 Daadi Maa (Ashok Kumar, Bina Rai) 3:30 Bollywood News 4:00 Jai Santoshi Maa (Ashish Kumar, Anita Guha, Kanan Kaushal) 5:30 Geet Bahar 7:30 Shandara Shukrawaar Film Show: Geet Gaaya Pattharonne (Jeetendra, Rajshree) 10:30 Bollywood News 11:00 Daffa 302

TV GUIDE

PICK OF THE DAY



The Mirror Has Two Faces

To night on HBO at 10 Barbra Streisand Jeff Bridges Can friendship replace sex? What's more important, beauty or brains? Oscar-winning actor, producer, director Barbra Streisand asks herself these questions in this tender romantic comedy. She plays a Columbia professor who enters into a unique marital agreement with her colleague Jeff Bridges (The Muse). The terms being intellect and camaraderie supplant sexual passion. But Barbra complicates life by undergoing a makeover that transplants her into a ravishing beauty. Poor Bridges is now attracted physically to her. A high-powered supporting cast, including Pierce Brosnan, Lauren Bacall, Mimi Rogers and Elle Macpherson, charge the proceedings. And yes, Barbra sings!

(Randhir Kapoor, Rekha) 12:30 Daffa 302 (Cont) 2:00 Geet Bahar 2:30 Jai Santoshi Maa (Ashish Kumar, Anita Guha, Kanan Kaushal) 5:30 Daffa, 302 (Randhir Kapoor, Rekha) STAR PLUS 6:00 Cine Jharokha 6:30 Star Geetmala 7:30 Good Morning India 8:30 Cine Jharokha 9:00 Hit Ya Fit 9:30 Star Morning Show Kasam Vardi Ki 12:30 Hit Ya Fit 1:00 TSN 1:30 Shrimati Sharma Na Kehi Thi 2:00 Meri Saheli 2:30 Saans 3:00 Hasna Mat 3:30 Small Wonder 4:00 Jubilee Plus 4:30 Cine Jharokha 5:00 Hit Ya Fit 5:30 Chupa Rustom 6:00 Small Wonder 6:30 Fox Kids 7:30 Hellow Cinema 8:00 Tu Tu

Main Main 8:30 Kalash 9:00 Star Superhits: Stardust Millennium Honours 11:30 Aaj Ki Baat 11:45 Stardust Millennium Honours (contd) 12:30 Hit Ya Fit 1:00 Small Wonder 1:30 Saans 2:00 Meri Saheli 2:30 Sewala 1 Mewawala 3:00 Tu Tu Main Main 3:30 I Love My India 4:00 Kuchha Papad Pucca Papad 4:30 Janata Ki Adalat 5:00 Pal Chhin 5:30 Kalash

Machine 9:00 [V] Junglee Jukebox 9:30 [V] First Day First Show 10:00 [V] Hit Machine 10:30 [V] Late Night [V] 12:30 [V] Hit Machine

ALPHA TV BANGLA

8:00 Serial: Din Protidin 9:00 News Bulletin/Bharati Bhroman 9:30 Bahari Aahaar 10:00 Griha Sajja 10:30 Chokher Bali 11:00 Kapurush 11:30 Sa Re Ga Ma 12:30 Serial: Amra Probasi 1:00 Serial: Shyaola 1:30 Serial: Ek Akasher Niche 2:00 Serial: Nayantara 2:30 Feature Film 5:00 Video Preview 11:00 [V] Hit Machine 12:30 [V] Junglee Jukebox 1:00 [V] First Day First Show 1:30 [V] Hit Machine 2:30 [V] Oye 3:00 [V] Hit Machine 4:30 Tea With [V] 5:00 Virtual [V] 5:15 Tea With [V] 8:00 [V] Hit

BBC WORLD

6:00 BBC News 6:30 World Business Report 7:00 BBC News 7:30 Asia Today/Asia Business Report 8:00 BBC News 8:30 Asia Today/Asia Business Report 9:00 BBC News 9:30 Asia Today 9:45 Asia Business Report 10:00 BBC News 10:30 Hardtalk 11:00 BBC News 11:30 Click Online 12:00 BBC News 12:30 IT: India Tomorrow 1:30 BBC News 1:30 Hardtalk 2:00 BBC News 2:30 Panorama Cutting 3:00 BBC News 3:30 Hardtalk 4:00 BBC News 4:30 Talking Movies 5:00 BBC News 5:30 Panorama Cutting 6:00 BBC News 6:30 IT: India Tomorrow 7:00 BBC News 7:15 World Business Report 7:30 Talking Movies 8:00



Blackadder Goes Forth on Star World tonight at 11:30

10:30 Serial: Football 11:00 Serial: Din Protidin 12:00 Arghya 12:30 Bharat Bhroman 1:00 Serial: Andolon 1:30 Bangla Movie 4:00 Cine News 4:30 Griha Sajja 5:00 Bhalobasa Mondobasa 5:30 Jhara Samayer Upakatha 6:00 Alaap 7:00 Grihasajja 7:30 News/Arghya

World News 9:30 World Sport 10:00 World News 10:30 Showbiz Today 11:00 World News 11:30 Q&A (replay) 12:00 World News 12:30 World Repot 1:00 World News 1:30 World Sport 2:00 World News 2:30 Insight 3:00 Larry King Live (replay) 4:00 World News 4:30 Biz Asia 5:00 Asia Tonight 5:30 World Sport 6:00 World News 6:15 Asian Edition 6:30 Biz Asia 7:00 Q & A Asia 8:00 Asia Tonight 8:30 World Sport 9:00 World News 9:30 eBizAsia 10:00 World News 10:30 Biz Asia 11:00 World News 11:30 Q&A South Asia 12:00 World News 2:00 The Artclub 1:30 World Business Today 2:00 World News 2:30 Q&A News 3:00 World News Europe 3:30 CNN Newsroom

Meril Bichitra Eid Fashion Competition 2000 on Ekushey television tonight at 10:20

Program 5:30 E Shoptaher Bishsho 6:00 Ekushey News Headlines 6:05 The Big Fight 6:30 Gillette World Sports Special 7:00 Pepsodent Braincheck 7:30 Ekushey News 8:00 Shofol Jara Kemon Tara 8:30 Virgin Takdam Takdam 9:00 Shukrobarer Natak: Shukh Shari 10:00 BTN News 10:20 Meril Bichitra Eid Fashion Protejogita-2000 11:00 Ekushey Late Night



Friday drama Shukh Shari on Ekushey television tonight at 9

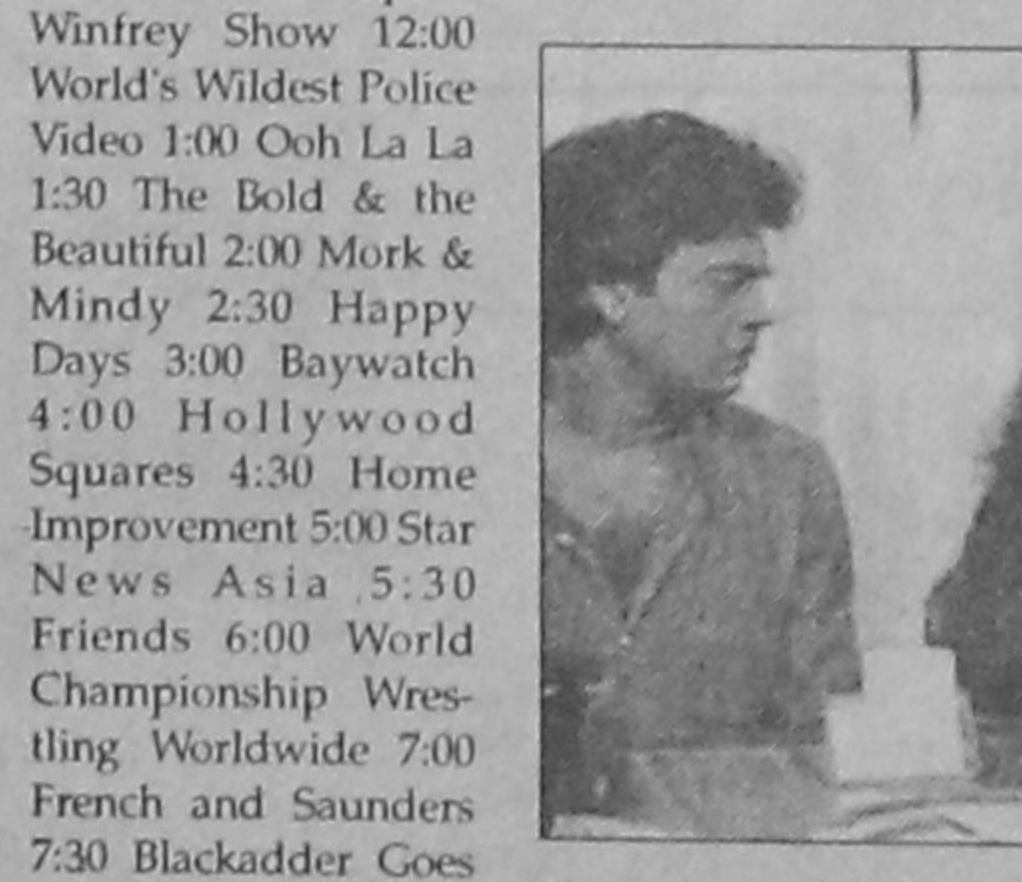


11th episode of Virgin Takdhum on Ekushey television tonight at 8:30

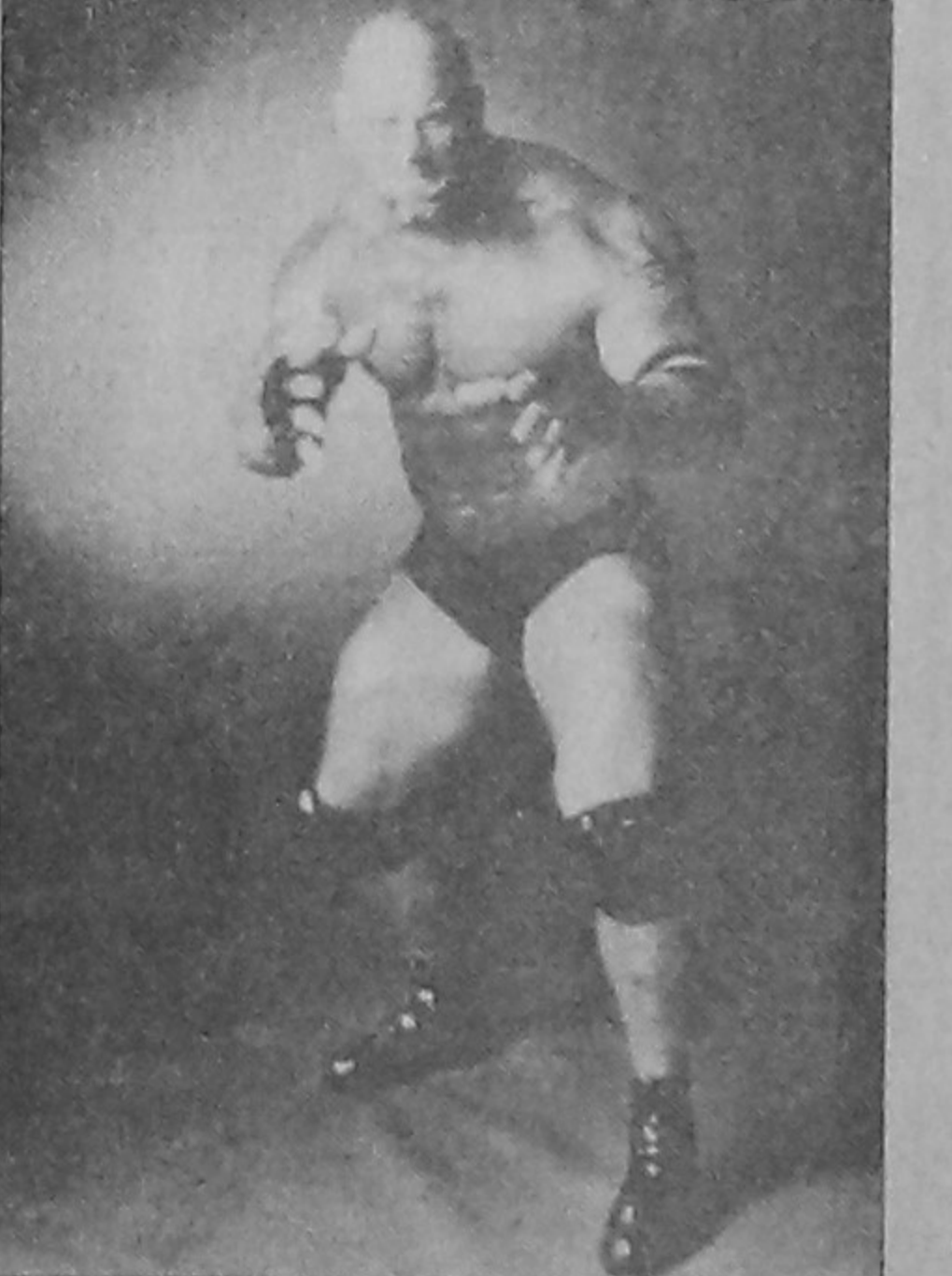
STAR WORLD 8:00 Home Improvement 8:30 Happy Days 9:00 Walker Texas Ranger 10:00 Martial Law 11:00 The Oprah Winfrey Show 12:00 World's Wildest Police Video 1:00 Ooh La La 1:30 The Bold & the Beautiful 2:00 Mork & Mindy 2:30 Happy Days 3:00 Baywatch 4:00 Hollywood Squares 4:30 Home Improvement 5:00 Star News Asia 5:30 Friends 6:00 World Championship Wrestling Worldwide 7:00 French and Saunders 7:30 Blackadder Goes Forth 8:00 Murder Call 9:00 Friends 9:30 Star News 10:00 Dr Quinn

STAR MOVIES

6:45 Western Comedy: Adventure 7:00 Things People Do 7:30 The Simpsons



Champa and Iliyans Kanchan in the drama Anaja Ghatok, today on Channel i at 7:15p.m.



World Championship Wrestling Worldwide on Star World tonight at 6 in the evening