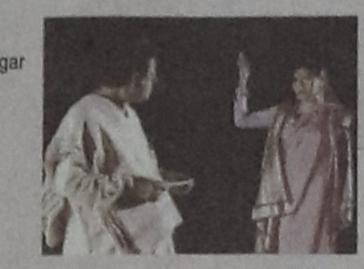
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Theatre Play: Ebong Bidyasagar Troupe: Aranyak Natyadal Venue: National Theatre Hall, BSA Date: April 24 Time: 7pm



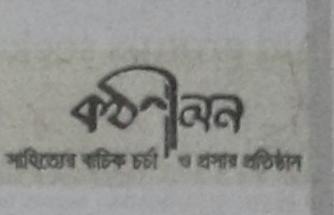
Dance Festival Featuring Classical and contemporary dance Organiser: Srishti Cultural Centre Venue: National Theatre Stage, BSA Date: April 25-26 Time: 7:00pm



Solo Photography Exhibition Title: Symphony of Nature Photographer: Khan Rezaul Hog Bulbul Venue: Bengal Gallery of Fine Arts, H 275/F, R 27 (old), Dhanmond! Date: April 24-30 Time: 12-8pm



Recitation On 26th anniversary of Kanthoshilan Title: Agey Chal, Agey Organiser: Kanthoshilan Venue: Shawkat Osman Auditorium, Central Public Library, Shahbagh Date: April 25, Time: 5pm



Of Longing and Denial

Fokhrul's solo exhibition in Delhi



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TAKIR HOSSAIN

Artist Mohammad Fokhrul Islam came to prominence in the mid '90s. His works are exhibited often. As an experimental painter, he delves into dots, points, monochromic images and architectural lines. Glow, simplicity and straight lines are noticeable features of Fokhrul's works. His solo exhibition, titled "Of Longing and Denial," is now

on at Art Heritage, a reputed gallery in New Delhi, India.

Fokhrul started off as a ceramic artist in the early 1990s and suddenly decided to switch to painting in the mid '90s. His voyage through the world of paintings has experienced a spiritual and meditative world, producing uninhabited landscapes. His works appear fresh and new because he has created a work process, which is quite unique. He wishes to establish a personal language in his works and feels that it is not necessary for an artist to explain or define his/her work.

When one looks at his works more intimately, innumerable

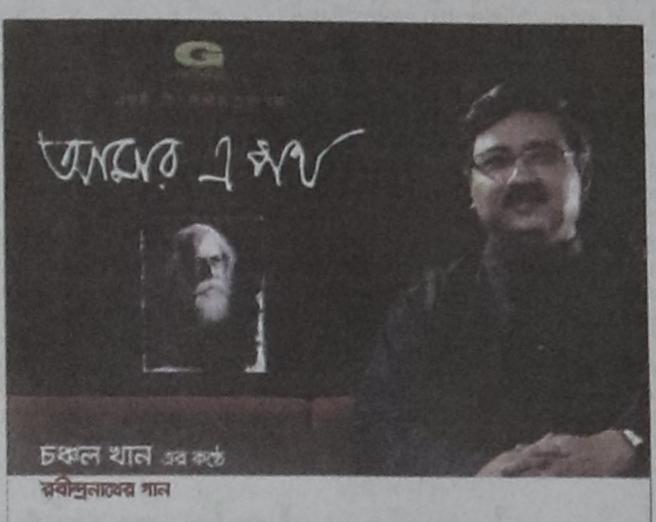
combinations of lines and tones are noticeable. But the interesting thing is that the lines and tones do not have a chaotic or monotonous impact on his works. Fokhrul's monochromic images give the viewer a dreamy vision. The artist likes to paint gloomy sunsets, silent woodlands, enormous deserts, thick forests, whirlwinds and other facets of nature. The images linger in mind for their pure forms and

unusual appearance. Fokhrul's work reflects an introspective mind. The images are done on paper with printing ink. The artist uses printer's ink and mustard oil to create his inscrutable cosmic subjects and metaphysical landscapes.

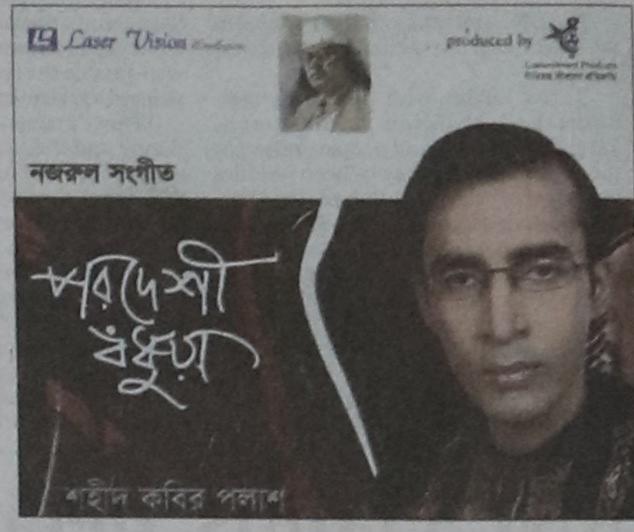
A number of his works reveal silence and emptiness. After viewing the works, one can appreciate the beauty of simplicity. Some works show a combination of modern geometric forms and broken lines. Vertical and horizontal lines are admirably presented in some of Fokhrul's works.

The exhibition in Delhi ends on April 28.

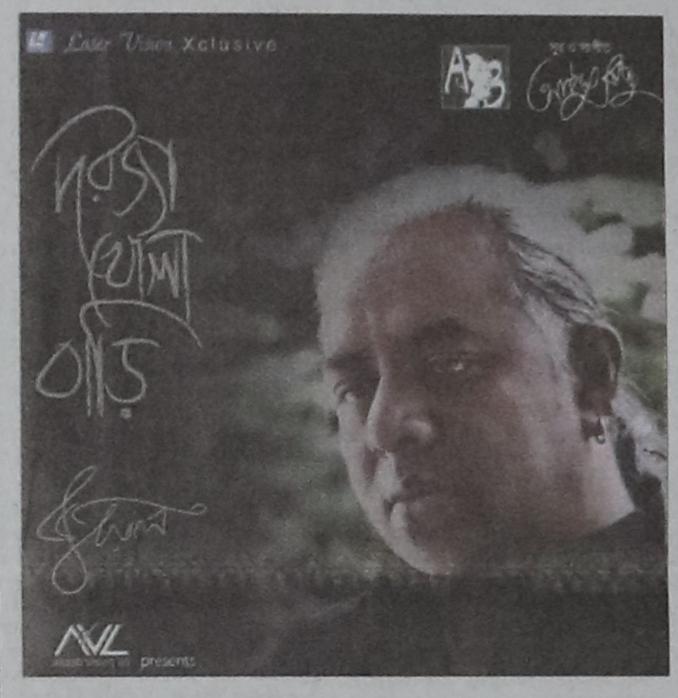
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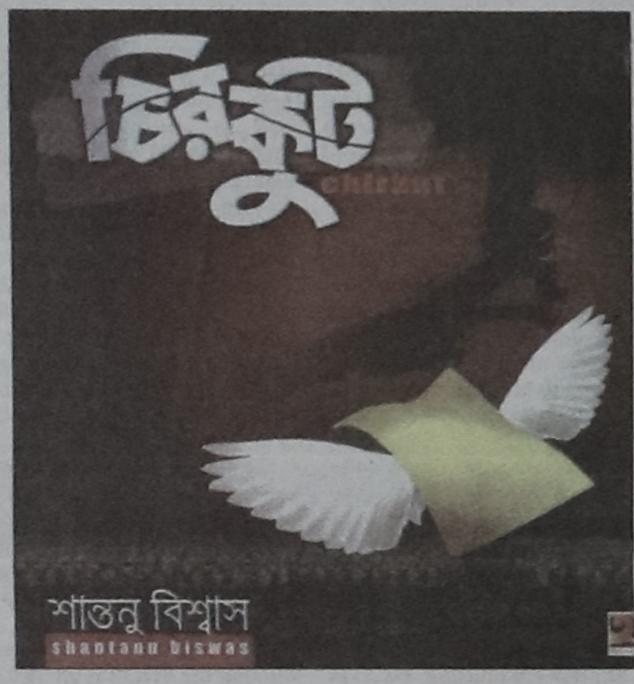
Aamar E Poth Solo album of Rabindra Sangeet by Chanchal Khan Source: G-Series



Pardeshi Badhua Solo album of Nazrul Sangeet by Shahid Kabir Polash Source: Laser Vision



Darja Khola Bari Solo album featuring Jewel; music composed by Ayub Bachchu, Source: Laser Vision



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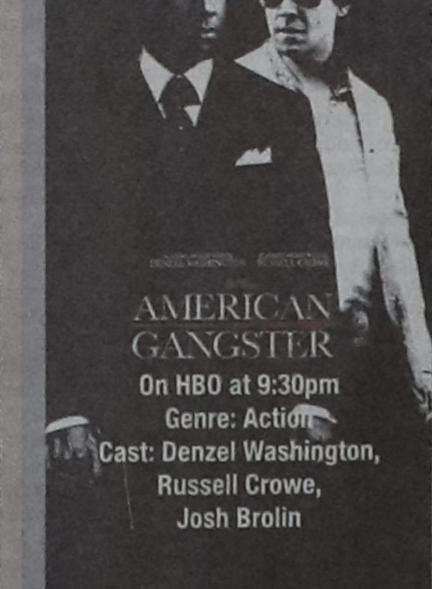
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