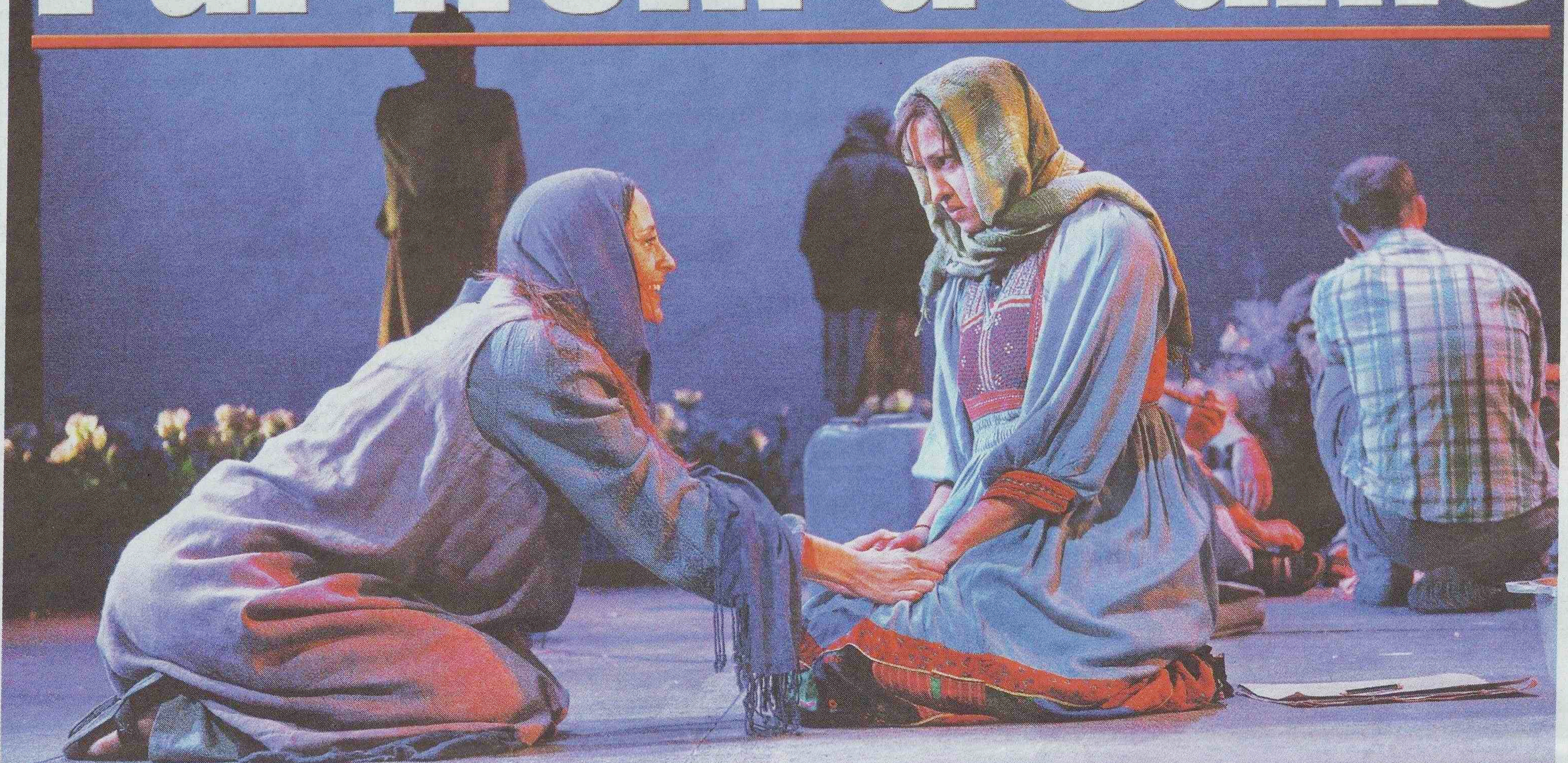


Far from a Game



PAIN OF AFGHANISTAN TOLD THROUGH NEW PLAY

ACTRESS Sheena Bhattessa will return to America to perform in *The Great Game: Afghanistan* for officials from the Pentagon. In this exclusive article for Eastern Eye, she describes how their original US tour and her own role in

Award in 2009 and due to its popularity, it was brought back in 2010.

"Fun, terrifying and stimulating are words that explain the emotions of most actors, and most definitely yours truly. When a play like this comes

"With focus, tons of research and talks from soldiers, journalists and Afghan victims, we found out as much as possible about the culture and our characters. Before this project, I knew

hope that the story you have been given to tell makes an impact on your audience.

"I initially took on this project as an exciting career move, but its im-

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