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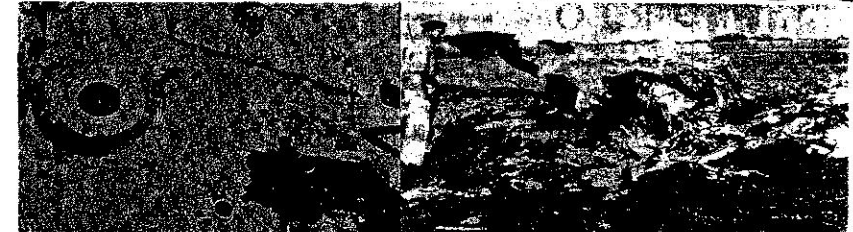
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DAWN KILLS THE BOAT



(Right) The wreckage of an IAF MIG-21 shot down by the PAF near Deesa Airport on Saturday. (Left) Wreckage of an Indian Hunter shot down by PAF Sabre near Ferozpur—AFP radiophotos.

Nixon lauds Yahya's peace moves

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6: President Nixon today praised President Yahya Khan for his efforts to find a political solution to the East Pakistan problem and reduce tensions in the Indian sub-continent.

95th IAF jet downed

RAWALPINDI, Dec 6: An Ossa-type missile boat of the Indian Navy was sunk today by the Pakistan Air Force planes, while giving support to the Pakistan Navy, an official spokesman said here tonight.

He said this Soviet-built boat weighs 200 tons when fully loaded.

Ties snapped with India

ISLAMABAD, Dec 6: Pakistan today broke off diplomatic relations with India with immediate effect.

An official hand-out issued here this afternoon said that the relations were broken off following the recognition by the Government of India of the so-called "Bangla Desh" government.

The State Ministry in India has been entrusted to look after Pakistan's interests in India.

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Word of God

The believers fight in the way of Allah and the disbelievers fight in the way of the Devil. So fight against the friends of the Devil, certainly the struggle of the Devil is ever weak. (Al-Quran, IV: 76).

I.A.F. KILLS 183 CIVILIANS

In indiscriminate strafing and bombing by Indian war planes over Pakistan caused at least 183 fatalities while 228 persons injured, some of them very serious.

The area which became the target of the warring Indian air force included Adiyala, Nagar (Dacca), Sialkot, Lahore, Rawalpindi, Bahawalpur, Bahawalnagar, Lodhran, Pakistan and Hyderabad.

At least 150 persons including women and children were killed and 100 others seriously injured by the warring Indian air force in the raiding Indian warplanes in Adiyala, Nagar, about nine miles from Dacca, on Saturday last.

US SUSPENDS BIG AID TO INDIA

WASHINGTON, Dec 6: THE UNITED STATES TODAY SUSPENDED CREDITS TO INDIA TOTALING \$16 MILLION DOLLARS, FOR FINANCING IMPORT OF AMERICAN PRODUCTS.

US slates India

UNITED NATIONS, Dec 6: The United States yesterday slated India as the aggressor in the Indian sub-continent.

Expressing his regret to reply to Indian Ambassador Mr. Ghanar Sethi's attack on the United States for blaming India for the outbreak of hostilities, the Indian Subcontinent, the US chief delegate, Mr. George Bush said his country insisted that the invading forces go back to their soil.

Where Pakistan troops were on the Indian soil, they also had to go back, he added.

"There has been a massive invasion of Pakistan and it is aggression," he added.

Mr. Bush said President Nixon had tried hard to keep the peace.

FAILURE OF WAR PLANS CAUSES PANIC IN DELHI

From NARIM AHMED

LONDON, Dec 6: India's war lady Indira Gandhi was worried in India Government and military high command are believed to be in panic over major Indian military reverses in Kashmir and along the West Pakistan borders along with India's military setbacks in the ongoing victory in East Pakistan.

Citing "Western intelligence sources" in India, correspondent United Press of "Daily Telegraph" said on Monday that in East Pakistan "Indian forces have all but withdrawn, despite the best of their efforts."

Former India Gandhi's announcement of formal Indian recognition of puppet Government of "Bangla Desh" is a symbol of the panic gripping the corridors of power in Delhi as the Indian Government's decision to cover up the Mahal in Agra with heavy fog.

The Indian officials have told Western correspondents that the dome of the Taj Mahal is being shrouded in fog since the night of Shah Jahan and his beloved Queen's shining in moonlight and rain waves of mortars were all-India radio stations in Delhi and other cities which were shut down at night) have been guiding attacking aircraft of Pakistan Air Force.

Under a story titled, "suburban Bangalore in East Pakistan," "Daily Telegraph" correspondent declared that India will be hard put to dislodge Pakistani troops despite its use to one numerical superiority.

Disturbed by this situation the Indian Government has stepped up its psychological warfare based on phantom victories reminiscent of "Till of Lahore" in '46 and other false stories, Indian claim to have achieved "control over East Pakistan since" Dacca correspondent, Clare Hollingworth reported that "spectacular" daylight air battles over Dacca airport and military Cantonment in which (manned by "aircraft") represented what "Daily Telegraph" report from East Pakistan capital described as "high morale" of Pakistan's Armed Forces.

Correspondent John Sherman of BBC who "drove several miles" into what was Indian Occupied Kashmir, reported on Sunday night that Indian gunfire in Jullundur indicated rapid advance by Pakistani forces in this sector. Both he and correspondent David Hopwood of the "Times" confirmed that after attacking Indian aircraft PAF planes were now supporting the advancing Pakistani Army.

SHIPS NOT SUNK

RAWALPINDI, Dec 6: An official spokesman of the Pakistan Navy today described as "ridiculous" the Indian claim that two Pakistan destroyers were sunk in an action near Karachi the day before yesterday.

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Pakistan Army in full control in East Pakistan

From MAHMOUD ALAM

DACCA, Dec 6: The Pakistan Army is in full control of the entire East Pakistan, with the exception of a few enclaves here and there.

Major-General Rafiqul Karim, Adviser to the Provincial Government, said foreign and local news items that only in the north have the Indians been able to make some gains in the Thakurgaon area with the help of the heavy armour which can be effectively used in this area.

He categorically denied the Indian claim that strategic places like Lakhimpur, Atkhar, Penn, Jhila and Jessore have fallen to the enemy. He said the fact is that the Indian threats have been effectively contained in all sectors.

General Pannik All said although East Pakistan was cut off at the moment, it was like a bullet which was held in check because it held on to the last. He also disclosed that the

15-mile push in Kashmir

From M. A. Mansuri

RAWALPINDI, Dec 6: The Pakistan Army has penetrated 15 miles into Indian-held Kashmir, where heavy fighting is going on beyond the Cease-fire Line.

All official spokesmen that down in the Rajasthan area, the Indians launched a sizeable divisional attack and made some progress into the Jammu area, where the enemy was in the Kishoregarh sector in areas south-west of Muzaffar.

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ISSUE FOR ASSEMBLY USSR stalls UN action

UNITED NATIONS, Dec 6: Russia, with its second veto in less than 24 hours, has again paralyzed Security Council efforts to set a cease-fire between India and Pakistan.

The UN Council adjourned shortly after the Soviet action and the members were planning a final bid today at 20:30 GMT to obtain the Council's consent on a resolution.

Plans to transfer the problem to the General Assembly where there is no veto, were held in abeyance while delegates consulted on a last-minute draft introduced by India. This would have the UN Council call upon the Government concerned forthwith, as a first step for an immediate ceasefire, leaving other questions—impunity, withdrawal—until later.

The Indian draft would also have the Council urge that effective

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was identified to bring about conditions necessary for the voluntary return of the East Pakistan refugees to their homes.

The resolution which Russia vetoed last night was submitted by Argentina, Belgium, Burundi, Italy, Japan, Nicaragua, Sierra Leone and Somalia. China voted for the resolution. It also vetoed along with nine other members.

Britain and France abstained, expressing their decline that a resolution which did not condemn the Soviet veto came abruptly after the US and others have let it be known that they would veto any resolution calling for a cease-fire that would not also re-

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Faisal mobilising Muslim aid for us

BEKING, Dec 6: King Faisal of Saudi Arabia is holding a special conference of Islamic countries to declare their solidarity and support for Pakistan, competing Saudi sources reported here today—DPA.

CHINESE MOTION

A Chinese resolution, bearing prominently the name of Premier Zhou Enlai, was introduced at the UN Conference on the Indian sub-continent, without being put to a vote.

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History was made in September, 1965. History will repeat itself. The nation stands pledged to live up to its glory.

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