Islamabad’s urgent call to Bhutto
Civilian Govt. under new constitution

RAWALPINDI, Dec 17
An official announcement was made today that the President had asked a message to Mr Bhutto. An important message is to return home immediately.

Amin urges unity, self-discipline at hour of trial

NEW DELHI, Dec 17
Prime Minister suggested immediate trials of war criminals as a step towards national reconciliation. He said that the military had to ensure that people did not lose hope.

Nodemonetisation of Rs. 50 note, says State Bank

Lahore, Dec 17
The State Bank of Pakistan has announced that it will be releasing Rs. 50 notes as an emergency measure.

Major violations of ceasefire by Indian forces

The Indian army has been violating the ceasefire agreement by shelling villages in the border area. The Pakistan army has retaliated with equal force.

Bhutto for political settlement, not military solution

Lahore, Dec 17
Bhutto has called for a political settlement to the current crisis, emphasizing the importance of dialogue and negotiation.

Lawlessness in Dacca

The situation in Dacca has been marked by lawlessness, with reports of gangsterism and violence on the rise.

Word of God and hope at home

A message from the President encouraged the people to remain hopeful and see the situation as an opportunity to create a better society.

A large crowd gathered at the main bazaar of the city today, calling for stricter measures to control lawlessness.