

THE HOLLAND, MICHIGAN, EVENING SENTINEL

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1972

**Bengalis Reported
Slaughtering Biharis**

DACCA (UPI)—Reliable reports said Monday that revenge-seeking Bengalis stabbed and beat to death 300 to 1,000 Biharis in the southern city of Khulna, tossing their bodies into a nearby river to be washed out to sea.

The reports said the victims included women and children. Another 250 Biharis were reported being treated at Khulna Hospital, mainly for stab wounds and beatings.

The deaths came in the wake of a withdrawal of Indian troops from the new country of Bangladesh, formerly East Pakistan.