

# 6 Killed in Auto-Track Collision At Raeford

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# ANAL ROTC STUDENTS



After withdrawing to new positions, these 185 ROTC students set up in the open and went right to work against advancing Chinese Communists on the East Central front in Korea. The litter of empty shell casings testify to their activity. (AP Wirephoto)

### HELPING STOP COMMUNIST DRIVE

### Cross Kumsong River

### Reds Slow ROK Counter-Drive

By GEORGE MACARTHUR  
South Korean forces today, across the Kumsong River today, stalled the Communist advance to the river, and the Communists were forced to retreat. The Communists had been advancing for several days, but the South Koreans, backed by American forces, have now slowed their advance. The Communists are now in a position to cross the Kumsong River, but the South Koreans are now in a position to cross the Kumsong River. The Communists are now in a position to cross the Kumsong River, but the South Koreans are now in a position to cross the Kumsong River.

### A.C. Efrid Killed, Four Hurt in Crash

WALLACE — One Mecklenburg, Wallace, was killed and four others were injured early today when the car overturned three miles north of here. Adam Cornelius Efrid, 33, of Rt. 10, the driver of the car, died a few minutes after he was taken to the Burghess Hospital some four miles from here. The injured: Francis S. Lowrance of 416 Mercury St., who suffered many cuts from shattered glass. Mrs. F. S. Lowrance, seriously injured, partially paralyzed. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pope of Rt. 7, Charlotte, minor injuries. Mr. and Mrs. Pope and Mr. Lowrance were released from the hospital at Burghess today. "We were on our way to Jacksonville, N. C., to do some fishing," Mr. Lowrance said. "We left Charlotte about 9 o'clock last night. Then, this morning about 7 o'clock, we were just a little way

### Reds Request Another Delay

MUNSAN (AP)—A possible show-down meeting of Allied and Communist truce negotiators was postponed for 24 hours today at the request of the Reds. The recess put off until 2 p. m. tomorrow (midnight EST today) an expected Red reply to reported Allied demands that the Communists make an armistice now or face the prospect of a breakdown in the negotiations. The second consecutive 24-hour recess requested by the Reds was arranged during a 1-minute meeting of liaison officers at Panmunjom. North Korean Col. Jo Yun said the delay was needed for "technical reasons" and the U. N. quickly agreed, an official spokesman said. The extra day gives the Red high command more time to arrive at what may be a momentous decision vitally affecting the chances for a quick end to more than three years of fighting.

### OUR WEATHER

Partly cloudy and continued hot today, tonight and Sunday. High temperature expected today, 87 degrees. Low temperature expected tonight, 70 degrees. High temperature yesterday, 92 degrees. Low temperature this morning, 72 degrees. Sunrise 6:22 A. M.; sunset 7:36 P. M. More Weather Data on Page 3-A

### 5 Teen-Age Youths Among Wreck Victims

### Vehicles Hit Head-On; Survivor In Hospital

RAEFORD (AP)—Six persons, including five teen-agers, were killed about midnight in a head-on collision of a car and a 1½-ton truck on Highway 15-A, three miles south of here. A seventh person, believed to have been driving the truck, is in critical condition in a Laurinburg hospital. He is listed as William Emory Lassiter, Rt. 3, Smithfield. Killed were: Fenius Alfonso Olive, about 20, Rt. 3, Smithfield, a passenger in the truck; Billy Joe Clark, 14, son of Mrs. Luther Clark; Robert Neal Currie, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowland Currie; James William Blue, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Blue; John Archie Blue, 14, his brother, and Robert Easterling, all of Raeford. Coroner James C. Lentz, who identified the bodies, said an inquest would be held later. The youths had attended a Presbyterian youth fellowship meeting and afterward went to a theater before starting home. The accident occurred on a straight stretch of highway in sight of the Easterling home. A mass funeral service for the boys will be held Sunday at the Bethel Presbyterian Church near Raeford.

### SWERVED INTO PATH

Highway Patrolman L. M. Brown, said the car in which the boys were riding apparently was traveling at a high rate of speed. The car ran onto the right shoulder of the road, he said, then swerved head-on into the path of the truck, he said. An acetylene torch was used to free three of the youths' bodies from the wreckage. It was believed that the car was driven by one of the Blue brothers, Lentz said. A mass funeral service for the boys will be held Sunday at the Bethel Presbyterian Church near Raeford.

### 120 MIGs Fall In 71 Days

SEOUL (AP)—The Air Force said today 120 U. S. Sabre jets have shot down 120 Communist MIG jets in the past 71 days, when one Sabre being lost in aerial combat. The last Sabre was shot down on May 17, the Air Force said. The weekly Air Force summary showed that 15 MIGs were shot down during the past week and seven more were damaged. Six F-100 Air Force planes were lost—three in Sabres. Red ground fire shot down two F-84 Thunderjets and one Marine F-4 Phantom jet in addition, one Thunderjet, one twin engine B-26, and one propeller-driven Corsair were lost to "other causes," probably engine failure. The French and Soviet governments announced yesterday they have signed a 3-year commercial pact—their first since 1934.

### HEY, THAT'S FOR HORSES!

ASPCA  
An unidentified youngster in New York dips into a tub of cooling water thoughtfully provided by the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for thirsty horses as the temperature Friday climbed to 95.8, hottest for that date in New York since 1905. (AP Wirephoto)

### SIGHTSEERS AT PANMUNJOM



Sunday strollers at Panmunjom, Korea, were these two young Chinese girls who appeared from the Communist side of the line and calmly looked around the truce conference site. They failed to identify themselves, giving rise to considerable speculation but no solution among Allied observers. (AP Wirephoto)

### Children Enroute To Pool

### Five Hurt When Cars Collide

By TOM FESPERMAN  
Charlotte News Staff Writer  
Three children and two adults were injured early this afternoon in a two-car collision at Barringer Drive and Shuman Ave. City police said that Mrs. W. K. McKinley, 2108 E. 7th St., was driving one of the vehicles and was carrying seven children for an afternoon outing at Municipal Pool nearby. The children suffered lacerations and abrasions, but none was injured critically. The driver of the other car, George Reid, a Negro of 317 S. 143rd Avenue, was being treated at Memorial Hospital.

### Russia Signs Trade Treaties

LONDON (AP)—The Soviet Union—with new trade pacts signed with France, Denmark and other Western European nations—appeared today to have launched in earnest her long expected trade offensive. The trade maneuvers part of the entire peace offensive—are believed aimed at relieving the economic ills of the restive satellite nations now suffering from lack of consumer goods. They are also obviously part of the Kremlin's plan to win Western nations from the economic and military ties of the United States. The French and Soviet governments announced yesterday they have signed a 3-year commercial pact—their first since 1934.

### Dragon Lady Lures Yanks With Offers Of Romance

By JOHN RANDOLPH  
WESTERN FRONT, Korea—(AP)—For the past ten months a warm, romantic woman's voice frequently has drifted across the Korean battle front, appealing to U. S. troops to give up the fight and join her in a good time. U. S. Marines dubbed her the "Dragon Lady" and jokingly claimed she was the only woman in the world who could be sure to win only with artillery. She speaks English with an attractive, slightly Oriental lisp, and the things she sometimes says would make a statue blush. "No one can write just like I can," she says. "I'm in love with somebody else." "Surrender now. What's your girl doing back home?" Then she may invite the boys over to the Communist side, describing in earthy language the pleasures awaiting them. On occasion the Dragon Lady will go all out and in heartfelt words tell the Marines "I don't want anyone to get hurt. I love you all." "You are fighting for the U. S. Government—not for peace." Another time she told the Marines: "You will be relieved on May 8—if you can walk off the hill. She was only a few days off. They were relieved on May 8 and they walked off the hill. Once she got her wires crossed and announced on July 8 that the "peace treaty is signed." Five days later they heard an admission of her error, she broadcast "peace within a few weeks—possibly within a few days. Spend Cherry Xmas (she pronounced it ex-mas) at home." Often the Dragon Lady will play music, then broadcast: "If you hear these records fire two shots. If you like the music fire two shots." Usually the shots aren't fired, and if the music is good the dough-boys may leave her on the air for a while. The only thing to date that has shut out the Dragon Lady is a few well-placed artillery shells. Her position is quietly spotted by sound, and then the gunners take over. The original Dragon Lady, incidentally, is a beautiful Chinese girl named "Gloria" who as yet "Terry and the Pirates."

### Marine Cargo Plane Falls In Florida

MILTON, Fla.—(AP)—A Marine cargo plane carried 41 young naval ROTC midshipmen and crewmen to fiery death when it crashed on a farm and burst into flames after taking off from Whiting Field last midnight. Charred bodies of the victims were recovered by Navy teams which worked at the grim task throughout the night. Five other occupants of the 2-engine plane were rushed to the 2nd Marine Air Station hospital, where two were reported in critical condition and three in serious condition. The plane, transformed into a massive "ball of flames" after plunging into a clump of trees a mile north of the runway, smashed three parked automobiles and plowed into a barn on the farm of Ray Allen. Milton is in Northwest Florida, about 30 miles north of Pensacola. Six survivors were picked up by Navy rescue teams, but one of the men died in the Whiting Field hospital about four hours later without regaining consciousness. The plane was part of a flight of 15 transports which had made a refueling stop at Whiting. They were ferrying 200 naval ROTC men from Corpus Christi, Tex. to Norfolk, Va., for summer phase of their six-week summer training program. One plane already had taken off for Norfolk after being fueled. The second had cleared the runway and was gaining altitude when it ran into some unexplained difficulty and plunged to the ground. "BALL OF FLAMES" Ray Allen, 51, dashed out of his farm home when he saw "a ball of flame about 150 yards long. 'The plane had caught on fire and a boy came walking up to me, his clothes were burning all over and he asked me to pull off his shoes and clothes,' he said. "A neighbor and I put a blanket over the boy and carried him to the side of the house. I got some lard and rubbed it all over him. Then another man came up, with his clothes off, and he said 'I'm hurt.'"

### DESERIES SCENE

Harold Stoker, city editor of the Pensacola News-Journal, said that when he arrived at the scene shortly after the crash he found "scrambled, scorched bodies scattered all over." "They looked as if their clothes were skin tight, stuck to their swollen bodies."

### CHERRY POINT PLANE

There were 41 Naval Reservists and six Marine crewmen aboard the 140 Fairchild Packet plane—Marine version of the C-119 Flying Boxcar—which is regularly scheduled to fly from Cherry Point, N. C. All the reservists were college students, in their sophomore and junior years and from many states. As part of their reserve work they are required to take six weeks summer training at naval installations in Corpus Christi and Norfolk. Another 1,600 naval ROTC men taking part in this summer's program, half of them in the Corps of Christiani, are half at Norfolk. At the end of three weeks, the 800 at Norfolk and 800 at Corpus Christi swap bases for the final three weeks. The group which had stopped at Whiting, a half of the 800 being flown to Norfolk. Rear Adm. J. P. Whitney, chief of Naval Air Station, is heading a special board to investigate the crash. The four children riding in the back seat of the McKinley car, of whom second injury, were Bossey William, 208 Altondale Ave. Ed Crutcheff, 233 Altondale Ave. and Gus and Louis Entas, both of 143 Altondale Ave.

### List Of Dead, Injured Released By Navy

PENSACOLA, Fla.—(AP)—The Navy today released the names of five survivors and 41 killed in the crash of a Marine cargo plane near Milton, Fla., last midnight. The survivors: Thomas P. Maggard, Naval ROTC, critical, son of Mrs. Frank Maggard, Kansas City, Mo., student at University of Utah. Dale E. Scott, ROTC, senior, son of Col. C. D. Scott, East Lansing, Mich., student at University of Michigan. Jay B. Weidner, Jr., ROTC, student, senior, son of J. B. Weidner, Jr., student at Rice Institute. Cpl. J. P. Tuttle, USMC, student at Jackson, W. Va., student at West Point. N. Y., crew member. The dead: Cpl. G. L. Yoder, co-pilot, husband of Martha L. Yoder, 253 Miller Blvd., Haverock, N. C. Sgt. J. L. Farley, husband of Shirley J. Farley, 30 Bofco Court, Fort Marion Village, N. C. (died after crash in Whiting Field dispensary). M-Sgt. D. L. Sabel, husband of Anita Sabel, 333-B Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N. C. Sgt. N. S. Lyons, husband of Christine H. Lyons, 1001 John R. Townshend, Kokomo, Ind. Passengers, all ROTC students: Eldred D. Henson, son of W. H. Henson, Oklahoma City, Okla., student at University of Oklahoma. Edmond E. Fahrenkamp, son of E. E. Fahrenkamp, Fort Worth, Tex., University of Oklahoma. Charles S. Heddeson, son of W. F. Heddeson, Oklahoma City, Okla., student at University of Oklahoma. John P. Hughes, son of W. T. Hughes, son of W. T. Hughes. See NAVY on page 3-A

### EVENING PRAYER

Lord, make our speech like Thine—full of grace and truth. Help us to listen. Then by witnessing to Thee, and help us to share our lives, made abundant in Christ, with those who as yet accept Him not. In His name. Amen.