



Ten Persons Injured in Bus-Car Collision

Accident Occurs Near Fort Mill

FORT MILL, S.C. (AP) — At least 10 persons were reported injured near here today in the collision of a bus and an automobile.

First reports said four adults and a child in the car were taken to a Rock Hill hospital, along with five or six passengers from the bus.

There was no immediate report on the extent of their injuries.

The bus and car collided at an intersection about a mile west of Ft. Mill.

Dick Dunlap, who operates a filling station near the scene, said he was told that the bus's brakes failed as it was going into the intersection.

The accident occurred shortly after noon.

Fighting Rages In Gaza Area

JERUSALEM (AP) — Fighting flared furiously along the Gaza front today, Israel said two of her jets shot down two Egyptian fighters.

A Cairo broadcast said the Egyptian planes crashed during a reconnaissance flight.

And the fighting and disputed claims, an Egyptian spokesman declared Egypt had received an Israeli message urging an end to hostilities all along the tense border line.

The spokesman said the message was delivered through U.N. Truce Supervisor Maj. Gen. Edson L. B. Burns and came from the Israeli Foreign Ministry.

The air action came a few hours after Israel's Foreign Office disclosed that tanks and troops blundered into the battle-scarred coastal area.

PLANE STORY

An Israeli army spokesman said the Egyptian Vampire jets were patrolling over the Israeli coast when the Israeli pilots engaged them near the Jewish settlement of Yot Mordechai, three miles north of the northern boundary of the Egyptian-held Gaza strip.

He said one Egyptian plane blew up and the other crashed.

But a Cairo broadcast quoted an Egyptian spokesman as saying the two Egyptian planes collided in heavy clouds during a dawn reconnaissance. The spokesman denied that the warplanes were shot down.

The Israeli army spokesman claimed that the Israeli pilots attacked after the Egyptians "entered Israeli air space."

He said the wreckage of both planes near the Gaza strip territory. Both pilots were killed.

WALKOUT BRIEF

The settlement was modeled closely after Ford and General Motors agreements reached in early June. It completed the line-up of the auto industry's "big three" companies on revolutionary new layoff pay plans.

Like the Ford and GM plans, the Chrysler agreement will guarantee laid-off workers 60 to 65 percent of regular take-home pay for up to 26 weeks of idleness.

It also provides wage increases of six cents an hour to all employees for each of the three years in skilled classifications.

OTHER TERMS

Also included in the new agreement were clauses to:

1. Boost pension benefits up to a maximum of about \$250 a month, including social security.
2. Eliminate wage differentials between the Detroit and Chrysler workers and other parts of the country.
3. Chrysler said it thus became the first big auto company to do this.

HIT SNAGS

A dispute over the effective dates of the layoff pay plan and other economic benefits snagged the settlement beyond the midnight strike deadline and into dawn.

This is how that dispute was settled:

Chrysler will begin paying into a layoff pay plan trust fund as early as next June 1, the same as at Ford and GM.

The first of the 6-cent "annual improvement factor" raises will be payable as of today, the second



Pinewood School First Graders Get Their First Sample Of School As Parents Look On

Reporting Instructions Given For City Schools

By DICK YOUNG

Charlotte News Staff Writer

Marching orders for Charlotte's army of school children were issued today.

The 1955-56 term gets under way next Tuesday, Sept. 6 when the city's 47 schools re-open. Time for assembly is 8:30 a.m. with the second bell at 8:45 a.m.

Approximately 27,000 students are expected to show up for the opening bell.

This will be nearly 2,000 above last year's first day enrollment when 25,100 students were registered.

Enrollment steadily increased in the first month last year with

a total enrollment at the end of September of 26,295.

The enrollment reached 28,540 by the end of the 1954-55 school year on June 3.

Final preparations are under way for the term beginning and the approximately 1,150 teachers are in readiness to begin instruction.

An orientation program for all new teachers will be conducted Monday at 9 a.m. at the Elizabeth School auditorium.

Welcome will be extended to the new teachers by Dr. E. H. Garinger, city schools superintendent, and Dr. James H. Lyles Jr., assistant superintendent in charge of instruction.

All teachers will meet with principals at their respective schools at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon for last-minute instructions.

ROOM ASSIGNMENT

John Otis, assistant superintendent, said students who are returning to the schools they attended last year will receive their new room assignments by first reporting to their former rooms.

New students including first-graders will in most cases report to the auditorium or cafeteria for announcements and assignments.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

Mr. Otis said first-day activity will be limited to enrollment and students will be excused after this brief session. Wednesday's schedule will be equally brief, devoted exclusively to necessary business. A full schedule will follow on Thursday.

School Opens For 18,500 In County

By HARRY SHUFORD

Charlotte News Staff Writer

Over 18,500 school children poured through the doors of Mecklenburg County Schools today to begin what will be a record-breaking year for the county system.

Superintendent J. W. Wilson said that within a few days it is expected that total attendance will climb to 19,000, an all-time high for the system and over 1,000 above the 17,870 enrollment last year.

Two new schools were put into operation for the first time today, giving the county the largest network of schools in its history.

The new plants are McClellan and West Junior high schools.

MORE TEACHERS

School personnel figures have also climbed to a new high with 28 new teachers, principals and supervisors being added to the system.

The increase of 28 is the same as the increase in staff for the 1954-55 year.

This gave the schools a total of 392 personnel for opening day today, but even with that staff and the additional schools the system continued to have some crowded conditions as in prior years.

The students are being eased back into their study habits gradually this year, with only half-day classes being held today and tomorrow, Monday, Labor Day.

Will be a holiday and regular schedules for full days of classes will begin Tuesday.

Opening times will be staggered throughout the school system because of the varied school bus schedules. The buses each serve two schools if they serve a high or junior high school. In that case they go to elementary schools first usually and unload before proceeding on to the high schools.

Although final class schedules have not been completed in all cases, Mr. Wilson said several cases of shifting classes will be observed.

These include attendance of grades three through six in Nations Ford Homes to Steele Creek School; shifting 200 students from Pinewood School to Sharon School; shifting 50 pupils from Newell School to Oakhurst School; and shifting grades one and two from Nations Ford Homes to Pinewood School.

What's Inside

Business	12A
Classified	10-12B
Comics	10C
Editorials	8A
Features	14C
FT. SNAGS	14B
Radio-TV	7A
Serial	15A
Sports	6-8B
Theater	10A
Women	2-3B

Evening Prayer

O God, our heavenly Father, teach us to practice self-sacrificing love for our fellow men. May we find in Thy companionship the strength for practicing this Christian love today. In our Saviour's name. Amen.



(News Staff Photo by Tom Franklin-Walters)

Legionnaires Want To See Flags Flying

By EMERY WISTER

Charlotte News Staff Writer

It Charlotte isn't a sea of flags the next time a holiday rolls around it won't be the American Legion's fault.

The Legionnaires are out to sell every business establishment on the idea, and they've got the flags to do the job.

Flags ranging from the three-by-five foot model to the huge 9 by 15 size for big buildings. It's a project of the Mecklenburg County Council of Legion Posts, Marvin Burton commander.

750 FLAGS

"We want to see 750 flags flying on Veterans Day, Nov. 11," said Mr. Burton.

And he makes it plain that the Legionnaires want to do more than just sell flags. They want to see them used.

"We sold 200 flags several years ago," he added. "Some of them were never put up."

He just doesn't happen to be, he insists, because a complete installation job comes with every sale.

PACKAGE DEAL

The sale price not only includes the flag but cord, staff and gold eagle at the top.

"And we'll put 'em in the sidewalk in front of the buildings," said Mr. Burton. "The City says it's OK."

The Legionnaires decided to re-open their flag campaign after only two flags were observed during a recent holiday.

"We want to do something about it," Mr. Burton explained. First thing the Legionnaires

See LEGION on page 16-A

TAKE THE ARMY'S WORD: NO METAL IN FERDINAND

HEIDELBERG, Germany (AP) — The U. S. Army certified today that Ferdinand, a two-year-old circus camel, did not contain any metal.

In response to an emergency call from a German veterinarian, the Army sent a mine detector to sound out Ferdinand for a piece of metal he might have swallowed two weeks ago. Of late he's been having trouble with his digestion.

A three-man crew examined Ferdinand from every angle. The detector did not register a thing. The German veterinarian called off plans for surgery but ordered a special diet pending further diagnosis.

Mississippi Case

'Wolf-Whistle' Preceded Slaying

GREENWOOD, Miss. (AP) — The wolf-whistle slaying of a 15-year-old Chicago Negro boy deep in Delta plantation country goes to a Mississippi grand jury Monday.

Death came to Emmitt Louis Till from a bullet wound behind his ear soon after he was kidnaped from the tenant farm home of a white storekeeper in revenge for the two notes he rounded at a white storekeeper's wife.

A 16-year-old cousin, Maurice Wright, told today of the incident preceding Till's death.

"When he came out of the store," said Wright, "I told him, 'Boy, you know better than that.' He just laughed."

"He had polio when he was three and he couldn't talk plain. You could hardly understand him."

TWO ACCUSED

Two white men have been accused of the boy's kidnaping and slaying. They are Roy Bryant, the storekeeper, and his half-brother, J. W. Milam, of Glendora.

Bryant steadfastly maintains he released the body was found less than a week after his blood-stained sedan turned up on a parking lot here.

ANOTHER SLAIN

Another mobster named by Huggins and the police in the Clark killing, Cecil Green, 40, was slain in a gangland ambush last May 4 when he and Eggleston drove up to a highway rendezvous. Eggleston shot his way out of the trap and was found, scared and shaking, hours later in a nearby building. He had been reported in hiding until his disappearance but underworld sources said he "was still alive."

Eggleston, the source said, stayed busy milking gamblers, burglars, safe men and others of their loot, giving them the alternative of losing all of their take.

Olimpia Clark was found May 22, 1953, shot to death in his palatial 23-room home. Police first called it suicide but Huggins broke the case wide open in April 1955

with his story of Mrs. Clark's reward offer.

Just 12 days before his body was found, the oilman had petitioned for annulment of his marriage to the shapely blonde, saying she had "lured me into marriage for my money."

ASKED AMENDMENT

Huggins, Eggleston and Green were charged with murder and later indicted. Mrs. Clark was charged as an accomplice. She has maintained she had nothing to do with her husband's death.

Huggins said he went to the Clark residence in the belief that the job was only robbery.

While he searched the house for valuables, he told police, one of his accomplices took Clark into another room. He said he heard a shot and returned to find Clark dead, a bullet hole behind his ear.

"That was part of the job," he said the triggerman-believed by police to have been Eggleston—told him.

Both Huggins and Mrs. Clark are free on bond. No trial date for the case wide open in April 1955 has been set.

Body Of Slain Gambler Is Discovered In Shallow Well

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Police found the body of gunman-gambler Leroy "Tinc" Eggleston, 40, in a shallow well six miles west of here last night. He had been shot in the back of the head.

His death left alive only two of the principals in the slay-for-pay murder of wealthy oilman William P. Clark, 41, found dead in his expensive home May 22, 1953.

The remaining principals are Clark's blonde widow Mary, 46, and Harry Huggins, the 47-year-old mobster-informer who said

Mrs. Clark offered a \$10,000 reward for her husband's death.

Eggleston's body was found less than a week after his blood-stained sedan turned up on a parking lot here.

ANOTHER SLAIN

Another mobster named by Huggins and the police in the Clark killing, Cecil Green, 40, was slain in a gangland ambush last May 4 when he and Eggleston drove up to a highway rendezvous. Eggleston shot his way out of the trap and was found, scared and shaking, hours later in a nearby building. He had been reported in hiding until his disappearance but underworld sources said he "was still alive."

Eggleston, the source said, stayed busy milking gamblers, burglars, safe men and others of their loot, giving them the alternative of losing all of their take.

Olimpia Clark was found May 22, 1953, shot to death in his palatial 23-room home. Police first called it suicide but Huggins broke the case wide open in April 1955

with his story of Mrs. Clark's reward offer.

Just 12 days before his body was found, the oilman had petitioned for annulment of his marriage to the shapely blonde, saying she had "lured me into marriage for my money."

ASKED AMENDMENT

Huggins, Eggleston and Green were charged with murder and later indicted. Mrs. Clark was charged as an accomplice. She has maintained she had nothing to do with her husband's death.

Huggins said he went to the Clark residence in the belief that the job was only robbery.

While he searched the house for valuables, he told police, one of his accomplices took Clark into another room. He said he heard a shot and returned to find Clark dead, a bullet hole behind his ear.

"That was part of the job," he said the triggerman-believed by police to have been Eggleston—told him.

Both Huggins and Mrs. Clark are free on bond. No trial date for the case wide open in April 1955 has been set.

Our Weather

Considerable cloudiness with scattered showers today. Generally high tonight and tomorrow.

High today—88.
Low today—61.
High tomorrow—88.
Low tomorrow—71.

Low tonight—65.
Sunrise 5:55 a.m.; sunset 6:50 p.m.

More Weather Data on Page 16-A