



Grant Whitney (left) and Sam McElroy, Billy Graham crusade accountants, wait at Southern Railway station here as Billy's train is delayed.

Police Seize Anti-Castro Men, Arms

HAVANA, Cuba (AP)—Widespread troop movements were reported today in Cuba with Fidel Castro's government showing concern over mounting counterrevolutionary activity.

Secret police seized an arms cache in Havana suburb Thursday. They arrested eight men in a case they described as having "the most important counterrevolutionary implications."

Troop reinforcements are reportedly moving into eastern Cuba, where 41 persons have been arrested for acts of sabotage, and into western Cuba, where guerrilla bands are operating in the mountains.

Much of the unrest stems from form program breaking up big estates.

Among the eight men seized in the Havana raid were six police described as "former military men." The implication was they served in the forces under former dictator Fulgencio Batista.

Behind the plot, police said, were ex-Sen. Rolando Masferrer, now in Miami, Fla., and Jose Pedraza, a former general who now shares Batista's exile in the Dominican Republic.

The upsurge of anti-Castro activity during the past month, with a rash of minor explosions and acts of sabotage, has brought a government order decreeing the death sentence for counterrevolutionary acts.

The arrest shook the revolutionary armed forces when Air Force commander Pedro Luis Diaz Lanz resigned, charging Communist infiltration of both the armed forces and the government.

Prime Minister Castro told a television audience that Diaz's resignation was a "traitorous act," timed to coincide with a period of difficult international relations for Cuba.

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Obscenity Law Is Ruled Out

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. (AP)—Pennsylvania's 20-year-old obscenity law has been declared unconstitutional by the State Supreme Court, thus leaving authorities powerless to combat movies and live performances they believe objectionable.

In a controversial 5-2 decision Thursday, the high court voided the provision of the penal code which bans exhibitions of "a lascivious, sacrilegious, obscene, indecent or immoral nature."

The action followed the recent U. S. Supreme Court decision striking down New York state law on the movie "Lady Chatterley's Lover."

Our Weather

For today, tonight and tomorrow, cooler today and night, little change in temperature tomorrow.

Low this morning 70.

Low tomorrow morning 66.

High today 85.

High yesterday 96.

High tomorrow 85.

Sunrise today 5:13 a.m.; sunset today 7:41 p.m.

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Train 4 Hours Late

Faithful Greet Overdue Graham

By JOHN BORCHERT
News Religion Editor

A healthy-looking, smiling Billy Graham stepped off a four-hour late passenger train here shortly after noon today into the arms of his parents.

Accompanied by his wife, Ruth, Billy was greeted by a large crowd.

Dr. Graham will leave here sometime today for Montreal where he will take a "two and a half month rest" before going to New York City Nov. 11 to speak at Calvary Baptist Church, whose pastor "is a friend of mine."

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Here's Why Billy's Train Was Late

Southern Railway's Train No. 29, due here at 8:25 a.m. today carrying Billy Graham and his wife — and 18 cars of July 4 vacationers — arrived in Charlotte just about four hours late.

The train waited in Washington more than two hours for Pennsylvania Railroad cars. That was early in the morning. Then, just south of Greensboro, the train hit a woman who was walking along the tracks.

Preliminary examination showed the suffered only a cut hand when the train struck her.

The other hour and a half delay was caused, railroad officials said, because the engine was pulling more cars than customary and simply was not traveling as fast as usual.

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Driver Was Native Of Cabarrus

(Special To The News)

DURHAM—A young mother—behind schedule on her way to work—and her two children were killed instantly when their car skidded into a tree here this morning.

Dead are Mrs. Rachel Howell Shinn, 23, and her children Jeanette, 2, and Frank, 7 months. Mrs. Shinn was a native of Midland in Cabarrus County.

The accident occurred on a rain-slick road leading from the Shinn residence in suburban Blueberry Heights to downtown Durham. Mrs. Shinn was taking her children to a day nursery.

She was to have reported to work as dietitian at Duke Hospital at 5:30 a.m. The accident occurred at 5:15 nearly two miles from the nursery.

HIT SIDEWAYS
Highway Patrolman John Phillips, who investigated, said the car went into a skid as it rounded a curve. It slammed sideways into the tree, literally wrapping itself around the tree trunk.

It took some 45 minutes to extricate the bodies from the wreckage.

James Shinn, Mrs. Shinn's husband, is an administrator intern at the hospital. Also a native of Cabarrus County, he was notified of the tragedy this morning.

First person to arrive at the scene was 20-year-old Freddie Crabtree who said he was visiting his grandfather who lives at the scene of the accident on Cole Mill Rd.

Crabtree said he was attracted to the scene by car horn blowing steadily.

ENGINE RUNNING
He found the car with its engine racing and the horn blowing, he said.

"I saw three lifeless bodies. The woman was against the driver's door. Two small children were crushed up against the tree and the opposite door."

"I called out... I shook the woman... there was no answer... they were all dead."

He said he reached over the woman and turned off the ignition. He jiggled the horn button an horn stopped blowing.

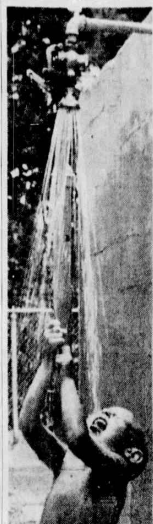
Patrolman Phillips attributed the accident to the wet pavement and to slick tires on the car.

He estimated the vehicle's speed at about 45 miles per hour a speed he termed not illegal but too fast for a rainy wet road.

The accident occurred about a mile from the Shinn's house.

New Look At The Ole Swimmin' Hole

Goggled Kids Splash In Fancy Pools Instead Of 'The Crick'



Shower's Almost As Much Fun As The Pool

By DICK RIGBY
News Staff Writer

Weather conditions will be as near ideal as possible for the holiday, the weather man promises.

Skins will be fair, the nights will be cool and daytime temperatures will be normal or lower.

It is to be fair today — the first day of the July 4 holiday for many — tomorrow and Sunday. It will not be so warm today and tomorrow with high of 85 expected. The mercury will climb upward on Sunday, the bureau at Douglas Airport says. Tomorrow morning it will be 66 degrees.

Last night's thunderstorms cleared the area of rain for the weekend. The tail end of the storm activity will come into the area Monday or Tuesday, bringing with it needed rain.

Many Closed
Today workers in many plants and offices, as well as most city, county and state workers joined the textile and hosiery mill employees who have had the entire week off.

The Friday shutdown will not extend to merchants and grocery stores who, for the most part, will observe their 9 p. m. closing.

Banks will remain open from 3 to 6 p.m., their regular Friday schedule. The ABC stores will not open their doors tomorrow. The Post Office will operate a holiday schedule tomorrow with no window service, home or RFD deliveries except special delivery mail.

Drivers on the crowded highways may expect the worst on Sunday. Workers off Thursday afternoon or Friday afternoon will all be pouring back home.

For the occasion the State Highway Patrol will have its full force of 600 on the roads.

The Carolina Motor Club estimates that 12 persons in North Carolina, eight in South Carolina, will die in holiday accidents.

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Skindiver's View Of Municipal Pool



As Many Sizes And Styles Of Goggles As Sizes And Styles Of Kids

Ideal Weather Predicted For Those Planning Trip

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Safety Officials Fight Road Deaths

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Traffic safety officials across the nation mustered all their strength and ingenuity today to keep motorists from killing themselves on July holiday weekend.

The National Safety Council predicted that 350 persons will die in traffic accidents during the 34-hour holiday period from 6 p.m. local time tonight to midnight Sunday.

The traffic death toll for the three-day July holiday weekend last year was 370.

TROOPERS PREPARE
State patrols prepared for a crushing volume of traffic.

In addition to swarms of patrol cars, plans called for the use of planes, electronic speed detection devices, "ghost" patrol cars strung along highways, roadblocks to watch out for tired or otherwise incapacitated drivers, and, in many instances, arrest instead of warnings for traffic law violations.

Civic and business organizations joined in to help stop the slaughter.

The Alabama Trucking Assn. planned to operate a 20-vehicle courtesy patrol on major highways during the weekend. The cars will carry signs reading "Safety Patrol. Courtesy Alabama Council of Safety Supervisors." The council is a division of the trucking association.

American Legionnaires at 43 points entry into Iowa will hand out "Slow down and live" pamphlets to motorists. The Iowa Outdoor Advertising Assn. posted 150 billboards listing speed limits and warning of patrol plane and radar enforcement.

Evening Prayer
Dear Lord, help us to be co-workers of others' good fortune, but to rejoice with them. Keep our hearts free from all envy and spite and meanness. Help us to be like Christ in compassion and greatness of heart. In His name. Amen.

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Crossword Puzzle 2B
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Everyday Counselor 2A
Obituary 2B
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Serial 2B
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Sports 2B
Theater 2B
To Your Good Health 2A
Women 67A
Worry Clinic 2A

—MANY DON'T KNOW WHY WE CELEBRATE—

4th Of July? It's The Day After The 3rd!

By BILL GODWIN
News Staff Writer

Why do we celebrate the Fourth of July? You may know, but some people don't.

An elderly man: "Well, it was supposed to have been Independence Day—the end of hostilities. But it ain't been that-a-way."

Man on Independence Square: "Armistice Day. I know one thing: I have a birthday right after it."

The question was popped yesterday afternoon to 50 Charlotteans in the downtown area. Answers received fell into four general categories: "Independence," 62 per cent; "don't know," 18 per cent; completely wrong answers, 18 per cent; and "don't have time," 2 per cent.

For arbitration purposes, I went to Volume 8 of the Encyclopedia Americana. Paraphrasing what it said: On July 4, 1776, in Congress, the Unanimous Declaration of Independence of the Thirteen United States of America was adopted. We celebrated the Fourth of July each year as Independence Day, though the "fact of independence" was on July 2, the amendments to it on July 3, and the signing several months later.

Thomas Jefferson, who wrote most of the Declaration, would have been staggered had he heard some of the answers to our little survey.

An 11-year-old boy said, "It's when we shoot firecrackers. You know, a lot of boys get hurt. I learned in school that it's when the new year is coming up." The youngster was one of nine people who tried—but failed—to establish the reason we observe the Fourth.

HELL GO TO CHURCH

A service station attendant: "Suppose it's a holiday just like Sunday, cause we don't work. We should go to church and I'm going to—from sunup to sundown."

A parking lot attendant: "Well, people are just too lazy to work. I'll rest all day."

On West Trade St., a middle-aged, portly woman shouted: "That's the day the old bells rang independence!"

An interrupted dance instructor said, "Would you mind calling back? I just don't have the time right now. I'm busy."

A young businessman walking briskly up Trade St. kindly stopped and replied to the question, "The Fourth of July is celebrated in commemoration of the signing of the Independence."

College professor: "We celebrate the Declaration of Independence."

the nation we dropped ties with—Great Britain. One gentleman added another foreign touch. His answer: "Independence Day. It represents the same day as our March 29th in Greece." He said he'd been living in the United States for over 40 years.

A waitress took her time getting to the point. "I don't know," she said. "I hadn't thought about it very much. It's not Memorial Day... it's Independence Day."

MANY DON'T KNOW

There were many replies such as these: "Vacation, I reckon"; "Declaration of Independence"; "Independence Day"; "Independence"; "Don't know"; "Beats me."

One lady said, "I don't know." Then to the woman beside her, she said, "Go ask somebody."

A construction worker racked his brain. "It's sun's 'bout the flag. I don't know. I heard 'bout it in school."

One lady really seemed concerned about the matter. "It's Independence Day. It's sort of a political thing. No—we love our country so much and it's democratic, so we remember it."

And two men—unknown to each other—proved their strength in numbers as each reported, "The day the slaves were freed."