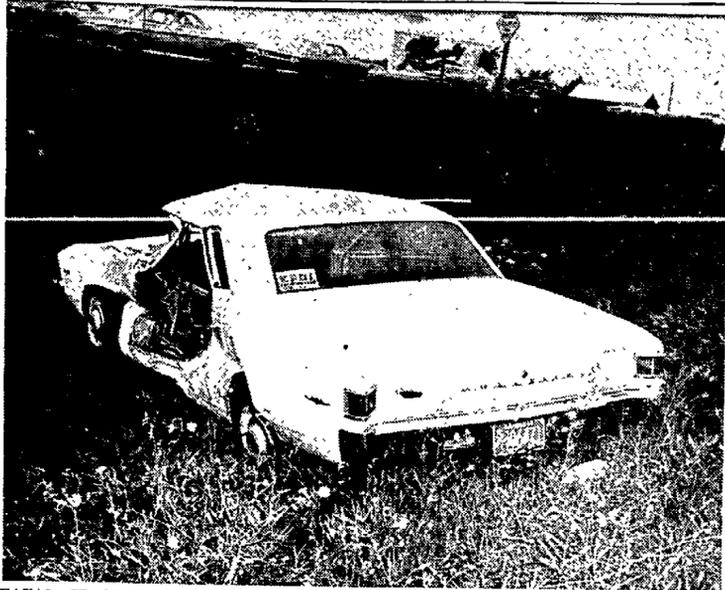


## Kansas Boy Killed in County Accident



**FATAL CRASH** — A vacation trip for a Wichita, Kas., family ended in tragedy Sunday when one of its members was fatally injured in a two-car crash just west of Manitowoc. Victim of the mishap was Gerald Ashworth Jr., 6, who died several hours later at a local hospital. Seven other persons were hurt in the accident. The Ashworth car above was heavily damaged about the left side where the boy was sitting. (Photo by County Police Officer Robert C. Herrmann)

### 19 Deaths Hike Highway Count to 609

#### Two Fatalities Chalked Up in Pepin County

(By The Associated Press)

Wisconsin's 1967 highway toll rose to 609 today, five ahead of last year's record pace, with 19 deaths recorded during the weekend period.

Pepin County, along the state's northwestern edge, reported two fatalities Sunday night in separate accidents.

Duane Stein, 16, of rural Stockholm, was killed about 7:15 p.m. when his motorcycle and an automobile collided at a curve on a Pepin County highway between Lund and Stockholm. About two hours later, Michael Wiskuchen, 21, of Pepin, a sailor who had arrived home on leave earlier in the day, was killed when the car he was driving hit a tree.

Thomas B. Owens, 21, of rural Oshkosh was killed early today when his car left U.S. 45 north of Fond du Lac and plunged into a ditch.

Frederick Westerman, 17, of West Bend died late Sunday when a car in which he and two other teen-agers were riding crashed beside U.S. 141 north of West Bend.

A Milwaukee man, Emil Giese, 46, died early today in a Hartford hospital of injuries suffered Sunday night when his car struck a utility pole beside Highway 175 near Theresa.

A Marshfield youth, David Wright, 18, badly burned early today (Turn to page 2-M Col. 4)



**LOSES HOME**—A South Vietnamese woman weeps as she holds her daughter in a refuge staging area after they were evacuated from their home in the Kylo Valley near Tuy Hoa, South Vietnam. South Korean troops on Operation Hong Gil Dong, evacuated the villagers to a camp at Song Cau. (AP Wirephoto)

### Manitowoc Woman Dies in Collision

FOND DU LAC — A Manitowoc woman died at St. Agnes Hospital here Sunday of injuries received earlier in the day in a two-car crash on Highway 41 in Dodge County.

She was identified as Mrs. Lester Pew, 67, of 1121 Windate St.

Her husband, age not immediately known, was listed in critical condition Monday.

The accident occurred during a light rainstorm about 2:45 p.m. 4 1/2 miles northeast of Theresa.

Authorities said a car driven by Patricia Roussiou of Teaneck, N. J., was traveling north when it crossed the median strip and collided head-on with the southbound Pew vehicle.

The Roussiou woman and a passenger, Katherine Azverze of Old Bridge, N. J., were also hurt critically.

Ambulances from the Fond du Lac County Traffic Dept. and Campbellsport, also in Fond du Lac County, transported the injured to the Fond du Lac hospital.

Funeral services for Mrs. Pew are being arranged by Urbanek and Schlei Funeral Home, Manitowoc.

### Crash Occurs at Interchange of Highways

#### Seven Others Injured as Cars Collide in Rain

MANITOWOC — A two-car crash just west of the city in the rain Sunday killed one person and injured seven others.

Gerald W. Ashworth Jr., 6, of Wichita, Kas., a hemophile, was the victim. He suffered severe head and abdominal injuries and died of internal hemorrhaging shortly before 9 p.m. at Holy Family Hospital.

The Ashworth boy was the second person in as many days and the 14th so far this year to die in a county traffic accident. Henry Petersohn, 17, of Rt. 2, Manitowoc, was struck and killed by an automobile while walking along a highway in the Village of Mishicot early Saturday morning.

The crash involving the Ashworth boy occurred a half mile west of the city limits at the interchange of Highways 151 and 141 at about 3 p.m. The cars were driven by his father, Gerald W. Ashworth, 29, and Donald E. Schwoerer, 25, former rural Newton resident now living at Milwaukee.

Injured in the Ashworth car were the boy's father, who suffered a face laceration and complained of pains to the left hip, leg and shoulder; his wife, Jo Ann Ashworth, 27, serious head injuries; their children, Shelby, 7, and Katherine, 5, and Ashworth's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Suktus, 61, Milwaukee. Schwoerer had a laceration to the lower lip and complained of injuries to the left knee and shoulder. His passenger, Kenneth Roberts, 24, of Rt. 1, Manitowoc, had an injury to the forehead.

All the injured were taken to Holy Family Hospital for treatment. The Ashworth boy was rushed to the hospital by Officer Robert Popp of the Wisconsin State Patrol at his father's request.

Sitting in Back County police reported that Schwoerer was traveling east on Highway 151 and ran into the left side of the Ashworth vehicle proceeding north on 141 in a single lane. The report indicated that Ashworth failed to yield the right of way at the interchange.

Investigating officers said there was a stop sign for northbound traffic on 141 at the interchange. Both cars were damaged extensively in the accident.

The Ashworth boy was sitting in the left rear seat of the car next to his mother.

The Ashworths were visiting Mrs. Suktus at Milwaukee while on vacation, it was learned.

Dr. Theodore Teitgen, county coroner, indicated there would be an inquest into the accident. Funeral arrangements are incomplete for the Ashworth boy, who was born Dec. 9, 1960, at Great Bend, Kas. The body was to be removed from Pfeffer Funeral Home, Manitowoc, to Kansas.

### Phone Workmen Demand Protection

NEW YORK (AP) — Telephone installers and repairmen in New York State walked off their jobs today to join New York City strikers in demanding better protection for workers in high crime areas. The shooting of a phone booth coin collector touched off the dispute.

A union spokesman in Albany said his men struck the New York Telephone Co. at 7 a.m. and were picketing its headquarters.

The walkout came after negotiations between union and management broke down in bitterness late Sunday night. Management had directed the suspension and disciplining of three local presidents Saturday.

### Jet Kills Deer

PITTSBURGH, Pa. (AP) — A deer was killed Sunday when it ran in front of a jet airliner landing at Greater Pittsburgh Airport. The plane, flight 69 from New York, landed safely, though it had to have a hydraulic line replaced in its landing gear.

## Hijacked Plane Released; Plot to Kill Castro Fails

HAVANA (AP) — Five partisans of Fidel Castro hijacked a Colombian airliner with more than 70 persons aboard to take them to Havana Sunday. Meanwhile, the Cuban government displayed his captured invaders from Florida whom it accused of planning to kill Castro.

The Cuban government said the plane, whose passengers included four U.S. citizens, was free to resume its flight today. All the passengers were reported safe.

The six captive Cuban exiles, paraded at a four-hour news conference, all said they were recruited and trained by the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency in Florida.

Poisoned Bullets Two said they carried poisoned bullets intended for Prime Minister Castro. Two others said they were CIA agents. Cuban authorities declined to say whether the captives would be shot.

Guests at the news conference included delegates to the meeting of the Latin American Organization of Solidarity—OLAS—a gathering of revolutionaries from 27 nations. Cuba apparently aimed to use the captives to offset Venezuelan charges that Cuba landed guerrillas near Caracas in May.

The Colombian government said the DC4 plane, flying from Bogota to the Colombian islands of San Andres and Providencia in the Caribbean, carried 71 passengers and four crewmen. It said the pilot, Rafael Madero, telephoned from Havana to report that a group of pro-Castroites had forced him to fly there.

### Car Bombing Kills Official

JEFFERSON, Ga. (AP) — A bomb exploded in Solicitor Gen. Floyd Hoard's automobile early today, killing him instantly, Sheriff L.G. Perry reported.

The sheriff said the prosecutor was leaving his home for work when the explosion occurred.

After the blast, Mrs. Hoard and her four children ran into the yard to find the automobile demolished and Hoard dead.

Perry said he was unable immediately to determine any cause for the bombing.

"We have sent up a number of people for car theft in this county in recent months," he said. "But I don't know of anyone who hated Mr. Hoard enough for this."

The sheriff said Mrs. Hoard was unable to shed any light on the bombing.

Hoard, 40, became solicitor general in the Piedmont Circuit in December 1964, filling an unexpired term. He had been elected to begin serving the following January.

meeting. One passenger, U.S. Army Capt. Harris Wheeler, 25, honeymooning with his wife, Helga, 19, of Modesto, Calif., said the pilot announced the plane was being diverted to Panama.

"I didn't know we were coming to Havana until I saw a MIG over the airfield and I was sure I wasn't in Panama," Wheeler said.

The Wheelers were married Saturday. His parents live in Barranquilla, Colombia, where the plane made a stop. Along with the rest of the passengers, they were taken to a downtown Havana hotel by bus. The other U.S. citizens on the flight were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Estrada of Chicago.

The passengers said they never saw the armed men, but Enrique Mendez, a Bogota doctor, and his wife said they were sitting near the crew's quarters and knew something unusual was going on. The flight from Barranquilla to Havana took about 4 1/2 hours.

In Miami, Maj. Armando (Turn to Page 2-M, Col. 2)

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Skies cleared slowly in the lakeshore area Monday morning following showers Sunday afternoon and evening that were beneficial to parched lawns but less helpful to planned picnics and other summer outings.

Two Rivers reported .27 inch of precipitation while Manitowoc received .22 inch. High temperature for the weekend was 71 recorded at both Manitowoc and Two Rivers. The weekend low was 51.

The rain and cloudiness caused lower temperatures throughout the state Sunday with Milwaukee's 76 degrees topping the list.

The Hurley-Ironwood area with a 56-degree reading had the coolest temperature during the night.

### Dies of Wounds

SHEBOYGAN (AP) — Marine Sgt. Arleigh Felch, 23, husband of Mrs. Nancy Jean Felch of Sheboygan, died Saturday in a Da Nang hospital of wounds suffered Wednesday in action near that Vietnamese military base, his family said today.

### SPECTACULAR BLAZE

Although three passenger cars and a truck were involved in a spectacular fire in the heart of Manitowoc's central business district at 10:53 a.m. Monday, there was a miraculous absence of personal injury. A flat-bed truck driven by Charles Fisher of Cato, had just crossed the Franklin-Eighth Street intersection when William J. Bubolz of Reedsville backed from a parking stall on the east side of the intersection. The rear of Bubolz's car struck the "saddle" gas tank beneath the right side of the truck. The dislodged tank ruptured spraying ignited gasoline against

parked cars owned by John Tuschi Sr. of 710 Woodlawn Dr. and Edward Fronk of 1232 S. Seventh St., Manitowoc. Both of these cars were damaged extensively. However, neither was occupied. Emergency Squad No. 2 of Manitowoc Fire Dept., the only unit that has two 150 pound dry powder extinguishers for such fires, used this type of equipment to extinguish the blaze. Flames towered some 25 feet above the accident scene. Hundreds of downtown shoppers were in the area. (Photo by staff photographer).

## US Army General Wounded by Cong

SAIGON (AP)—A U.S. Army brigadier general was wounded in the leg today when Viet Cong fire hit his helicopter as he was trying to rescue two crewmen from a downed helicopter on the outskirts of Saigon, U.S. sources reported.

There were other reports that three U.S. helicopters burned after being shot down and that two more were badly damaged in action 12 miles north of the capital.

The sources said the general, wounded in the lower right leg, was taken to the U.S. Army 3d Field Hospital in Saigon, where he was reported in good condition. They said his aide, a lieutenant, was wounded in both legs and was also in good condition.

Directing Air Assault The names of the two officers were not disclosed pending notification of relatives.

The U.S. sources said the general was directing an air mobile assault of one American company and a company of

South Vietnamese rangers when he saw that the helicopter had been shot down.

Just as the general's helicopter set down to try to rescue the crew, Viet Cong guerrillas opened fire with small arms and automatic weapons.

The helicopter quickly took off again without picking up the downed crewmen, the sources said. The crew of the general's helicopter was not hurt.

Military spokesmen said (Turn to Page 2-M, Col. 6)

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### Policemen Face Murder Charges

DETROIT (AP) — Detroit police said today that two Detroit policemen have been charged with murder in connection with the slayings of three young Negro men at a motel during the recent riots.

Prosecutor William Cahalan said the officers are Ronald August and Robert Paille.

Cahalan said August is charged in the murder of Aubrey Pollard.

Paille is charged in the slaying of Fred Temple. Arraignments were expected later today, said Cahalan.

### JUSTICE IN HOSPITAL

BANGKOK (AP) — U.S. Supreme Court Justice Tom Clark has been admitted to a U.S. Army hospital in Bangkok with an intestinal disorder.

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The shooting incident occurred about five miles north of the Allenby Bridge, the major crossing for refugees from Israeli-occupied Jordanian territory.

An Israeli army spokesman blamed Jordan for the outbreak of shooting and said the Israelis returned the fire. Several similar incidents were reported along the river last week.

Israel also reported that a civilian truck was fired on Sunday night south of the Sea of Galilee. The army said tracks at the scene led to the Jordanian border.

### Resolve Deadlock

Israel and Jordan meanwhile resolved a deadlock that had been blocking repatriation of an estimated 260,000 Arabs who fled from the west bank of the Jordan River during and after the six-day June war. But Egyptian civilians from the Israeli-occupied Sinai desert into central Egypt.

Cairo newspapers reported an Arab summit conference will be held in Khartoum, the Sudanese capital, starting Aug. 29. The foreign ministers of the 13 Arab nations ended a conference in Khartoum Saturday with a call for the meeting and a pledge to

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### The Weather:

Partly cloudy and a little cooler tonight, chance of showers northwest. Tuesday variable cloudiness, chance of showers and little change in temperatures. Lows tonight in 50s north and central to near 60 south. Highs Tuesday 75-83.

Manitowoc Temperatures 4 p.m. Saturday 69; 8 p.m. 63; midnight 59; 4 a.m. Sunday 55; 8 a.m. 60; noon 67; 4 p.m. 63; 8 p.m. 60; midnight 63; 4 a.m. Monday 61; 8 a.m. 60; noon 68.

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