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## Detroit's 100 Hours Of Rioting--National Shame

Detroit's 100 hours of rioting, looting and arson are a national shame---President John addressing the nation on T.V. announced "Let there be no mistake about it---the looting, arson, plunder and pillage which have occurred are not part of a civil rights protest. There is no right to loot stores, to burn buildings, to fire rifles from rooftops---That is crime---and crime must be dealt with forcefully, swiftly, certainly---under the law. . .fear and bitterness have been loosed which will take long months to erase.---Johnson proclaimed Sunday as a National Day of Prayer for reconciliation in his proclamation Johnson stated "I call on every governor, every mayor, every family in the land to join in this observance---call on all our citizens to go into their churches on this Sunday and pray for peace in the land we love.

We deplore the few who rely upon words and works of terror.

We mourn the many who have suffered from violence in the cities.

We dedicate ourselves once more to the rule of law, in whose absence anarchy is loosed and tragedy is born.

We pray to Almighty God, the author of our liberty, for hearts, free from hate, so that our national can be free from bitterness.

We pray for strength to build together so that disorder may cease progress steadily continue and justice prosper.

This is all well and good but the recent riots point out some facts which may be hard for a few to digest---some police officers believe that all out war against law enforcement has already begun---there is proof that certain negro elements will engage in outright warfare---there is proof that orders have been issued to kill every policeman on sight---knock out the control stations---the main riot

will take place in California it is believed---during the first ten or fifteen minutes of the uprising the mob will try to kill as many police as possible---hit at main communication centers of the police department---knock out local power stations---the National Guard as it has already been pointed out is not equipped or trained to handle the snipers on the rooftops---calling up Federal troops would mean several hours of open-warfare would take place---look at Detroit for an example---the largest death toll in recent history following the Civil War---over 1,700 stores burned and looted---hundreds of persons homeless---homes destroyed by fire---lowest estimates of damage place it at 500,000 Million dollars--- food supplies are scarce bread is being sold for as much as 60 cents a loaf while scotch is being sold for 25 cents a fifth by looters---a color T.V. set can be purchased for as little as \$25---what has the real damage amounted to---no one can answer---insurance rates nationally will be on the increase---the damage in Detroit may never be rebuilt---the situation in the nation is not settled---riots have broken out in other communities---there seems to be a definite pattern in the rioting---there appears to be a small hard core of persons who possibly have already had some sort of military training, openly or secretly---no one really knows where it started---there are no negro leaders that can halt the carnage---there are many negro leaders that can incite the riots, arson and pillage---but none can stop it---several years ago this newspaper was criticized for predicting the present situation---we wish we could have been wrong---we wonder what ever happened to the dream of Martin Luther King---he made a beautiful speech in Washington D.C. a few short years ago---but what ever happened to the dream---of love---of peace---of equal rights---of understanding?

### Hits At Board Policy

Despite the efforts of Board of Education member Richard Pine, who seems to be the only board member to care, the local school board refused to pay a small tuition fee amounting to \$15. for each of 27 students who are forced to take a summer course at Sayerville H. S. Parents who attended the meeting of the board protested strongly and one parent said that the board might be discriminating against the youngsters, all whom attend St. Mary's H.S., South Amboy.

The students must attend a laboratory science course at Sayerville because a fire destroyed St. Mary's High last year. The board paid the small fee for the same purpose last year. Board attorney Alfred J. Hill ruled that the board could legally pay the bill as they did last year.

The board defeated the request 5-2 with Pine and Mrs. Henry Kosobucki voting for it. Those who voted against it were Joseph Capelli, Donald Bates Edward Gardner, Lindley Huggins and Mrs. Francis White, vice-president, who chaired the meeting because of the absence of Board President William Rice. William Kerr was also absent.

Pine made a last minute effort to change the decision in favor of the youths of St. Mary's by moving to rescind the earlier defeat. This time, his ally, Mrs. Kosobucki, who voted for paying the fee the first time, left Pine alone and would not support his action to rescind the earlier defeat. Because Mrs. Kosobucki would not second Pine's motion it died. Mrs. Kosobucki, the second time around, sided with the majority in depriving the boys and girls of St. Mary's their rights as residents of our town. Richard Tobin, a resident of

Sayre Woods South, asked Mr. Brust, superintendent of schools, how much it cost to educate a student. Mr. Brust said that the cost was about \$650. each.

If the 27 children had been attending Madison Township H.S. it would cost the school system over \$17,500. By the 27 children attending St. Mary's, the local tax load is \$17,500 less.

"We are sure saving the Board of Education a lot of money, aren't we?" said Tobin.

Robert Lupo, also of Sayre Woods South, one of the many protesting parents, said that he would contact Rep. Thomas Howard, D-3rd District to look into the tuition fee ban and ask federal officials to check on the board's action, since board attorney Hill ruled it legal to pay the \$405. laboratory fee. Lupo also urged all parents of Catholic school students, and there are thousands of them in Madison, to write to Washington, D. C.

### Receives Promotion

Marine Lance Corporal Lawrence Gleason, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gleason of 4 Diana Court, South Amboy, was promoted to his present rank at the Marine Corps Air Station in Chu Lai, Vietnam while serving with Marine Attack Squadron Two Hundred and Eleven, a unit of the First Marine Aircraft Wing.

His promotion was based on time in service and rank, military appearance, and his knowledge of selected military subjects.

As a part of the Marine Corps air-ground team, his squadron utilizes the A-4 "Skyhawk" jet aircraft to attack enemy personnel and installations and fly close air support missions for U. S. and allied ground forces engaged in combat operations.

### With Marines

Aerographer's Mate Third Class John R. Campbell, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Campbell of 54 George Ave., Old Bridge, helped to land and provide support for Marines fighting near the Demilitarized Zone in Vietnam, as a crewman aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Tripoli.

The ship was one of several from the Seventh Fleet's amphibious force which took part in operations "Bear Claw" and "Beaver Track," along with Leathernecks of the First Battalion, Seventh Marine Regiment, and the Second Battalion, Third Marine Regiment.

Both operations lasted a total of eight days, and throughout the action, his ship continued to supply the Marines ashore with whatever they needed. The supplies, which included hot meals, munitions, medicine and other requirements, were ferried by helicopters and small craft.

Marine helicopters were kept busy evacuating wounded ground-force Marines, as well as delivering supplies.

### With Coast Guard Academy

Coast Guard Cadet David L. Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard L. Edwards of 1502 Woodmere Drive, Cliffwood Beach, is one of the more than 300 newly appointed cadets of the fourth, or freshman, class at the U. S. Coast Guard Academy in New London, Conn.

As there are no congressional appointments to the Coast Guard Academy, he was named to its Class of 1971 after competing against other applicants through the College Entrance Examination Board tests, and a review

of his high school and other credentials.

He and his classmates are already involved in a military, academic and physical conditioning program designed to prepare them for the start of the fall semester in September. Throughout the summer, the new cadets will be issued uniforms, taught the customs and traditions of the Academy, and drilled in military formation. They have already received the traditional haircut, and were given a physical examination and the necessary "shots." Academic refresher courses in mathematics and English will help the cadets begin the four-year college curriculum which, when completed, bestows a Bachelor of Science degree, and a commission as a Coast Guard officer.

The new cadet is a 1967 graduate of Matawan Regional High School in Matawan.

### In Vietnam

Marine Corporal Robert F. Lang, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lang of Route 34, Madison Gardens, Old Bridge, was presented his second and third Air Medal at the Marble Mountain Air Facility near Da Nang, Vietnam while serving as a member of Marine Observation Squadron Three, a unit of the First Marine Aircraft Wing.

He received the award for "meritorious achievement in flight" while participating in helicopter flights supporting U. S. and allied ground forces engaged in combat operations.

As a part of the Marine Corps air-ground team utilizing the UH-1E "Huey" helicopter, his squadron attacks enemy personnel and emplacements providing escort for troop transport helicopters and makes aerial observation flights.

### \$1,650 Fine Metered Out

After a three hour trial, Klune Kennels of Englishtown Road, Old Bridge, operated by Mrs. Lena Brauer was fined on Monday, July 24, in Municipal Court, Township of Madison, the Honorable Judge John J. Mullane presiding. A total of \$1650. was metered out. The Kennel operation, a long sore spot in the Township, was given 30 days to close the operation. In the event the Kennel is not out of business within 30 days, the \$1650 fine plus court costs will be imposed. The complaint was signed by Madison Township Health Officer Edward P. Godleski who testified that Mrs. Brauer had failed to obtain a Kennel License as prescribed by the local ordinance and that fecal matter was allowed to accumulate and the height of the fence did not conform to the local ordinance. James E. White, sanitary inspector testified against Klune Kennels on inspection made on March 14 and a follow-up inspection on July 10. The Dept. of Health was represented by Attorney Marc J. Gordon of the firm of Margolis, Margolis, Turak and Gordon of Newark.

### Completes Training

Army Private Thomas Dobrowski, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dobrowski, 8 Chelsea Drive, Old Bridge, completed eight weeks of advanced infantry training at Ft. McClellan, Ala.

He received specialized instruction in small unit tactics and in firing such weapons as the M-14 rifle, the M-60 machine gun and the 3.5-inch rocket launcher.

Dobrowski received his B.S. degree in 1965 from Seton Hall University, South Orange.



# Do You Remember???

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Write Correct Answers To Madison American, P.O. Box 131, Laurence Harbor.



## Under The Fence

**FEUDING AND FUSSING:** Well the feud continues in the ranks of the GOP it's quite possible that the local GOP will practically hand the November election over to the Democrats. Some of the Borst troops feel that this would be the best way of getting rid of "Dickie" and "Donnie" is to drop them in the November election. Many of the GOP feel that the big election year is in 1969 when control of the township Council is up for grabs. Democrats are reported to be mending fences all over town.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT:** Madison Township police were well represented at the recent "disturbances" in New Brunswick. The police from Madison were well armed and equipped. Their presence along with the presence of other police units from other communities helped keep the disturbances in New Brunswick down. Police Chief Charles Boice has been gathering riot control equipment for the past several years in the event that it was needed---once again his patient planning paid off the equipment was there when needed---P.S. Boice has since attained additional equipment.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION:** Ho-Ho. Well we see reports that bulldozers are busy working on the site of the new high school. The Board of Education propaganda machinery is already out to work for another new school building fad---We'd still like to know where they are going to tie the sanitary sewer line and how much off the construction of the school was made. We see they are going to build tennis courts over at the Madison Park School site what they really need is additional class rooms. Earl Rapp, Transportation co-ordinator is really having ulcers trying to make arrangements for bus transportation, understand that Madison will be paying transportation for students to attend schools in Scotch Plains,

Jamesburg, Keyport and several other areas where transportation was never supplied.

**ROAD DEPARTMENT:** Township Road Department Superintendent "Tatter" Bastedo is having problems with various washouts. With the recent heavy rains some of the roads in the township were undermined the road department is handling the situation on a first come first served basis. The road department is still trying to get some of the roads surfaced but heavy rains have been delaying the operation. Quite a bit of improvement has been made on some of the roads in the township---back a few years ago some of the roads presently being used were practically impassable because of washouts, ruts and crater sized holes---we are still a long way from being in first class condition with the roads but improvement is being made.

**GET WELL SOON:** Madison Township Clerk Mary M. Brown is home sick with some sort of virus. We certainly wish you a speedy recovery Mrs. Brown and hope that you soon will be behind your desk at the Townhall. Mary must really be sick, cause we've seen her at work, even when she should have been home in bed. She's been at work when the snow was four and five feet deep and she's had a sore throat so bad that she could hardly talk. Everybody misses her at the Townhall. Get well soon.

## Off Thailand

Machinist Mate Third Class George W. Fraser, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Fraser of 181 Princeton Road, Parlin, is participating in a 16-day anti-submarine and convoy protection exercise named "Sea Dog" off the coast of Thailand, as a crew member aboard the anti-submarine warfare aircraft carrier USS Hornet.

A 36-ship armada from six Southeast Asia Treaty Organization (SEATO) countries will face air and submarine attacks by an

"enemy" who is attempting to cut off supplies to the combat area.

The exercise force includes two aircraft carriers, 12 destroyers and escorts, 13 minesweepers, three mincraft command ships, five submarines and two fleet oilers.

More than 100 carrier and shore based aircraft from five of the participating nations will perform air strike, reconnaissance, anti-submarine patrol and mine laying missions.

## Picnic Set

The Friendly Sons of the Shillelagh of Old Bridge, announced their annual picnic to be held on Saturday, August 5 at Roosevelt Park, Grove 2, on Route 1, Menlo Park.

The agenda includes all you can eat and drink: hamburgers, hot dogs, steaks for adults, corn, clams, watermelon, ice cream, beer and soda. Also on the agenda are games and prizes for all ages.

The admission is \$12 per family. A happy time will be had by all. Tickets may be obtained by contacting the ticket chairman, Jim Callahan at CL 7-4174 or for Sayrewoods South area by contacting Jim Fennessy at 679-6679, for East Brunswick area contact Joe Pettit at 545-4043 or for Woodbridge area contact Pete Riley at 549-9572.

## Completes Training

Army Private Edward K. Gunderson Jr., 18, whose parents live on Brookside Ave., Old Bridge, completed an engineer assistant course at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the eight-week course, he was trained to operate and maintain air compressors, engines, crane shovels and tractors.

## Reading Class Held

Sixty-five children attended the "Tall Paul" Reading Club and Story Hour at the Free Public Library of Madison Township, which is sponsored by the Women's Club of Laurence Harbor, and heard guest speaker Reinold Shubert, author of children's stories.

Mr. Shubert told of some of the hospitals and other children's groups which he had visited in Hawaii and other parts of the country, and told some stories.

Included in the group at the Library was Nancy Anderson, of Laurence Harbor, and her dog, Toy, who are characters in one of Mr. Shubert's books.

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**"Uncle Walt"  
Wins Scholarship**

Walter Farmer, of Sayre Woods South, known throughout the Township to his many friends and associates as "Uncle Walter," has won a scholarship to Princeton University where he is presently studying United States History on the doctoral level.

He now holds the Bachelor of Arts Degree in Philosophy and in History, the Master's Degree and Doctor's Equivalence.

Mr. Farmer has studied at St. Peter's College, Catholic University, Seton Hall University, and presently at Princeton.

He has a well broadened background in teaching having taught at St. Cecelia's High School, Lincoln High School, Ferris High School, Snyder High School and Dickinson High School.

Mr. Farmer is presently employed by the Madison Township Board of Education and teaches Senior History at the Madison Township High School.

He is a parishioner of St. Ambrose R. C. Church, member of the Friendly Sons of the Shillelagh and of the K. of C., 4th Degree.

Upon his completion of studies at Princeton, Mr. Farmer will return to the Madison Township school system in September.

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