

EMERGENCY STATE ENDED IN DETROIT

Romney Reports 'a Return to Normalcy'—Death Toll in Rioting Rises to 43

By United Press International

DETROIT, Aug. 6—Gov. George Romney lifted the state of emergency from the Greater Detroit area today, just two weeks after the city was plunged into the bloodiest and most costly Negro riot in modern United States history.

The death toll from rioting grew to 43 late yesterday with the death of Albert Robinson, 38 years old. The police said that he had died of gunshot wounds received July 26 when he was shot by a National Guardsman during a sniper incident.

Mr. Robinson, the 34th Negro to die in the violence, was shot in his West Side home and another man with him was hurt.

"Recent days and nights have indicated a return to normalcy in the metropolitan area," Mr. Romney said in lifting

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the emergency orders at noon. "After consultation Sunday with state and local authorities, I have concluded that the state of emergency should be lifted."

The state of emergency was declared two weeks ago for Detroit, Highland Park, Hamtramck, River Rouge and Ecorse. The city police were to return to enforcement supervision while National Guardsmen returned to their homes.

The 42d victim of the rioting died earlier yesterday. He was wounded 12 days ago by a National Guardsman. George Tolbert, 20, the 33d Negro to die in the conflict, was shot when he allegedly ignored a "halt" order from two Guardsmen on a West Side street.

Charges of police brutality continued to swirl around city officials. Complaints alleged that houses had been illegally entered and that some of the more than 4,000 prisoners had been mistreated or denied their constitutional rights.

Mayor Jerome P. Cavanagh, who admitted that there may have been some mistreatment, promised a thorough investigation of each complaint, but he said that he was "not going to indict the whole department for the actions of a few."

William L. Cahalan, a prosecutor, has also promised a report this week on charges that a National Guard officer gunned down three Negro youths in cold blood in a West Side motel.

Melee in Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 6 (AP)—Scores of Negro teen-agers, angered because there were no buses to take them home from a late ending rock 'n' roll show at Forbes Field, went on a rock-throwing and window-smashing spree early today.

The teen-agers, mostly boys judged to be between 11 and 17 years old, hurled rocks and soda bottles through the windows of all-night diners, ripped a cigarette machine from a wall and rifled it and jammed a cash register while attempting to steal the money inside it.

The youths moved up Forbes

and Fifth Avenues in the Oakland section in groups of five to 25, venting what Superintendent of Police James A. Slusser said was their "frustration" at not having any transportation.

"I never saw anything like it," said the owner of a hot dog stand hit by the rampage. "These kids threw bottles at each other, threw food around the place, and they were like that, out of control, all over the neighborhood."

The authorities called in K9 Corps and extra policemen and brought the melee under control in about 90 minutes.

Two juveniles were arrested and charged with malicious mischief and turned over to Juvenile Court. Eight persons were injured, mostly by flying glass.

"There were no racial overtones to the incidents," Mr. Slusser said.

After midnight, bus service in the city generally drops off from one bus every few minutes to one each hour.

Wichita Tension Eases

WICHITA, Kan., Aug. 6 (AP)—Tension in Wichita eased today after flames had consumed a dry goods store and the police arrested 19 curfew violators.

The police said that a firebomb had caused the fire that destroyed the small Trend store, causing a loss estimated at \$50,000 to \$100,000.

The police also blamed arsonists for fires that had damaged the Holy Savior Roman Catholic Church and a drug store warehouse.

The fires were in the predominantly Negro section in northeastern Wichita.

In the only incident reported tonight, an unidentified man was wounded in the leg apparently by a sniper. Col. Paul Prowse, acting chief of police, said a sniper had apparently been shooting at a policeman.

An Appeal in Milwaukee

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 6 (UPI)—The Most Rev. William E. Cousins, Archbishop of Milwaukee, today urged hundreds of thousands of Roman Catholics

under his spiritual care in this racially tense city to do everything within their power to dispel prejudice.

More National Guard units, ordered here during the week of racial violence, left the city, and Mayor Henry Maier again lifted the city-wide curfew until midnight tonight following what he called a "night of peace and quiet."

Calm Restored in Kansas

GREAT BEND, Kan., Aug. 6 (AP)—A fight and a firebombing early here today was followed by a meeting of white and Negro civic leaders tonight at which a spirit of cooperation was pledged.