

# One Killed and Five Injured In Weekend Plane Crashes

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One man was killed and a second seriously injured in one of two plane crashes in New Jersey yesterday. In the second one man was reported in serious condition while three others were more fortunate after the crash which enveloped their plane in flames.

Lee Ward, 32, of Wenonah was killed and Dr. H. S. Powell of Williamstown was badly injured when their small monoplane crashed into treetops while making a landing approach to Cross Keys Airfield in Gloucester County.

#### Passenger in Plane

Ward was a passenger in an 85 horsepower Aerocoupe piloted by Dr. Powell.

He died at 4 p.m., about 5 hours after the crash, in West Jersey Hospital's Southern Division at Camden.

Dr. Powell was listed in serious condition in Underwood Hospital, Woodbury.

In the second accident Federal Aviation Agency investigators will interview the four-man crew of a Capitol Airways jet airliner to determine why it ran off a runway and burned yesterday at an FAA airfield in Atlantic City.

The four-engine DC-8 had taken off from New Castle, Del., and was practicing landing approaches at the National Avia-

tion Facilities Experimental Center when the accident occurred.

#### Ran Off Runway

The airliner had just touched down when it swerved off the runways and traveled about 3,500 feet over grass and taxiways, finally sliding to a stop after its landing gears sheered off.

The crewmen escaped before the aircraft was enveloped by the fire which destroyed it.

The airline is an independent concern engaged mainly in non-scheduled charter flights.

Admitted to Shore Memorial Hospital in nearby Somers Point were Thomas Luce, 42, of Willingsboro, in serious condition with internal injuries, and Charles Donahue, 40, of Glen Mills, Pa., a pilot, in fair condition with back injuries and cuts.

Two others, Carl Lewis, 37, of Wilmington, Del., and John John, 45, of New Castle, Del., were treated and released.

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