Kent Slayings Echo Throughout Nation

The echo of Monday's National Guard rifle fire at Kent State University reverberated at hundreds of colleges and universities across the nation today. The president of Ohio State University shut down the Big Ten campus today and ordered students to go home until further notice.

OSU President Noffke announced late Wednesday that the school would be closed indefinitely. Gov. James A. Rhodes recommended that no state university have student unrest stop functioning.

The head of the Ohio Highway Patrol has said the recent disturbances at Ohio State University were "well planned" and resulted in injuries to 97 officers.

Patrol Superintendent Robert E. Chiarazano said the number of injured was the highest than any in the history of the patrol.

No other state university in Ohio closed down indefinitely, but classes were canceled for the day and Friday at the University of Akron and Miami University as students, faculty and administrators sought out each other's advice about the situation at Kent State and other anti-war demonstrations.

Rhodes, in his statement, said each university would be responsible for any decision to close and he recommended that "all state universities in Ohio experience unrest and shut down immediately.

About 1,500 students participated in an all-night candlelight vigil in front of the administration building at the University of Toledo. The vigil was to continue through Monday.

The University, acting on its own, turned away students, agreed not to remove ammunition kept at the campus and to refrain from using Army trucks. A peace march to the war memorial downtown was planned by students.

About 100 students slept in the University of Cincinnati administration building, accompanied by a few faculty members. Wednesday night. They agreed to vacate the building early today.

Five damaged bays and Denny halls at Ohio State Wednesday and students picked up buildings. Guardsmen cleared students from the area of the OSU administration building Wednesday.

After the governor's state of emergency order, the state police and National Guard entered campus. At least 14 other students were injured.

Texas Rangers guarding the state Capitol in Austin against threatened attacks from the University of Texas announced Wednesday that they were issued new supplies of tear gas. They closed off supplies Wednesday.

California's 221 state colleges, universities and junior colleges shut down Monday. The order was released at the request of Gov. Ronald Reagan.

Seven students were arrested and a curfew was imposed at the University of Kentucky in Lexington after the second day of demonstrations by 1,000 students.

Illinois Gov. Richard J. Dolefsky mobilized 5,000 National Guardsmen around the state following disturbances at the University of Illinois.

About 1,000 faculty members from the University of Massachusetts resigned en masse, saying they would not return to classes until the school closed.

Several schools in the Deep South added their voices to the protest. About 200 students took over the Navy ROTC building on campus.

District of Columbia police fined dozens of tear gas missiles at rock-and-rolling American University in Washington. One student suffered a broken leg and two policemen were injured and at least 14 other students were injured.

Additional police and National Guard units were brought in to reinforce the campus.

A group of 80 students from Wilmington College was on its way to campus, a 45-mile trip. The students carried with them a petition to the governor expressing concern over the Kent State violence.

Police and National Guardsmen pumped tear gas through dormitories at the University of Wisconsin-Madison Wednesday and Thursday to flush out demonstrators. Police used tear gas and other gases to disperse hundreds of protesters after a rally by 21,000 students. Twenty persons were arrested.

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