

PAUL JONAS ESCAPES IN AIRPLANE CRASH

Paul Jonas, sports arranger for the Mutual Broadcasting System, who is well known in Greenville, escaped with minor injuries late Saturday in an airplane crash near Columbus in which the pilot was killed and two others injured, one seriously.

Mr. Jonas, who is the husband of the former Mae Frances Kolp, this city, was hospitalized in Columbus over night Saturday but was able to leave for his home in New York City Sunday afternoon.

Roger Shook, of Columbus, piloted the two-engine light plane which crashed shortly after a takeoff from a small airfield on the farm of realtor-sportsman John Galbreath, 10 miles west of Columbus. Shook was trapped in the wreckage and burned to death. Galbreath, owner of the plane, was not aboard.

Joe Williams, Scripps-Howard sports columnist, may be released today from a Columbus hospital where he is reported to be recovering from shock, multiple bruises and head lacerations suffered in the crash. Hospital attendants described his condition as good.

Along with Mr. Jonas, Lester Scott of the Madison Square Garden publicity staff escaped with minor injuries. Scott, Jonas and Williams had attended the Ohio State-Southern Methodist football game Saturday afternoon and were en route home when the plane crashed.

Joe Williams, N. Y., Hurt In Plane Crash

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 3 —(AP) —Joe Williams, New York sports columnist injured in a plane crash Saturday night, was scheduled to be released from White Cross Hospital Monday afternoon.

The New York World-Telegram and Sun writer said he would return immediately to New York "in time for the first game of the World Series."

Williams suffered no fractures of serious injuries. The pilot burned to death. Two other passengers, Lester Scott, director of the New York Knickerbockers of the National Basketball Association, and Paul Jonas, manager of the sports department of Mutual Broadcasting system, were treated for minor injuries.

The plane belonged to John Galbreath, president of the Pittsburgh Pirates, who was host to the three men at the Ohio State-Southern Methodist football game. The plane crashed on Galbreath's private field.