

# Youthful Lobbyists Push For Ban on War Funds

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Tens of thousands of city one student, and classes continued. high school students continued to stay out of classes yesterday as antiwar demonstrations and other protests took place in and around many schools here.

Some principals said that the striking students, already upset over United States intervention in Cambodia and the fatal shooting of four students at Kent State University, had been further aroused by the deaths Monday night of six Negroes during disorders in Augusta, Ga. The High School of Music and Art, at 135th Street and Convent Avenue, was forced to shut down shortly after noon when a group of 200 to 300 students from the school of Performing Arts raced through corridors, smashing glass and created chaotic conditions.

Several hundred Music and Art students then went to the performing arts school, at 120 West 46th Street, and forced its closing, although there was no disorder. The performing arts school is a division of the High School of Music and Art.

Classes were also called off in the morning at Thomas Jefferson High School in Brooklyn. School officials said that about 1,000 students had participated in an antiwar demonstration in the auditorium and that after the students left the hall there was general confusion in the building.

Unsigned leaflets distributed to students at Thomas Jefferson said: "If you can strike when four white students are killed, I know you will strike when your brothers and sisters are killed in Augusta, Ga., for rioting because a brother was killed in jail and the blame was placed on his cell mates."

At Francis Lewis High School in Queens, demonstrators took over the lunchroom. Policemen later evicted them, arresting

Smoke bombs, firecrackers and false fire alarms were set off during the day at Andrew Jackson High School, also in Queens, but classes continued.

Roving bands of students, shouting "jail break" and "schools out" went from school to school to rally support for the student strike.

Students from other schools ran through the corridors of De Witt Clinton High School in the Bronx early in the morning, but were out by policemen and security aides. One youth was arrested.

Meanwhile, a group of striking Clinton students attempted to march on the nearby Bronx High School of Science. They were intercepted by the police and dispersed.

In the morning bands of students from Washington Irving and Seward Park High Schools demonstrated outside Stuyvesant High School in Manhattan. A heavy rain broke up the demonstration. Stuyvesant was plagued by false fire alarms, but classes continued.

About 250 students staged a demonstration outside Board of Education headquarters in Brooklyn to demand that students be given access at will to school public address systems.

Two hundred students, mostly black and Puerto Rican, walked out of Central Commercial High School in Manhattan at 9 A.M. to spend the day mourning the deaths in Augusta. They also took part in memorial services held at the United Nations Church Center for the four Kent State students shot last Monday and three black students killed in Orangeburg, S. C., in 1968.