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20 PERISH IN  
NY PLANE CRASH!

Firemen probe the smoking hulk of what was once an airliner, searching for crash victims. Taking off in a snowstorm from LaGuardia Field in New York, this Northeast Airlines plane stayed airborne only seconds. It hit the earth again here on Rikers Island in the East River.

Of the 101 persons aboard, 20 were killed. These are the others.

Of the more than 60 persons injured, about a dozen remain in critical condition. Actually, it is miraculous that so many escaped, and live.

Next day, Civil Aeronautics Board investigators begin studying the wreckage of the ill-fated DC 6-A. Icing conditions are being considered as one of the possible causes of the crash. Taking off for Florida and sunshine, a crowded airliner ends here, in snow and death.

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