

Family Of Five Escapes Bombing In White Area

Crude Bomb Rocks Home Of Negroes

TULSA — (ANP) — The equilibrium of a Negro family of five, occupants of a house in a predominantly white neighborhood in North Tulsa for two months, was upset here last week when a crude bomb exploded in their front yard.

Victims of the bombing were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gamble and their three children, Peggy, 14; Larry, 12; and Patsy, 10. There were no injuries. Patsy, however, was treated at the hospital for hysteria and later released.

That it was the work of terrorists was evident when several local radio stations reported that an unidentified person had telephoned asking if there had been any explosions. The county sheriff's office also received a call from the unknown person, who said "there will be more blasts." However, no others were reported.

The blast cracked the wall and broke out most of the windows in the Gamble residence.



ESCORTED FROM JAIL. — Deputies Warren Spruce, rear left, and Rhett Hill, far right, are shown escorting the four remaining defendants in the Claud Cruell beating case in Greenville, S. C., from the county jail to the court house where they were sentenced last Thursday morning. Left to right and sentences are: Marshall Rochester, 6 years; Jack Bentley, 1 year; Wade Howard, 3 years; and Robert Waldrop, 1 year. (UNITED PRESS TELEPHOTO.)

Baptist Leaders Hail Shaw Campaign

BY R. IRVING BOONE

Stirring impetus was given the recently launched fund raising campaign for Shaw University, currently sponsored by the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, last week when some fifty odd Baptist leaders, representing a cross-section of the state, assembled in a three-hour session in the West Campus auditorium of this historic Baptist institution and enthusiastically hailed the plans of the steering committee for the \$250,000 drive on behalf of Christian education.

Characterized by harmony, earnestness of purposes, and a spirit of keen interest, this meeting was prophetic of far-reaching results toward the realization of the campaign goal, and in furtherance of the

great Cause of which Shaw University is a living symbol.

Promptly at 11:00 a.m., Convention President P. A. Bishop, general chairman of the steering committee, sounded the gavel, and the meeting was underway.

Brief and impressive devotionals were led by the Reverend R. M. Pitts of Winston-Salem, chairman of the convention's executive committee.

The Reverend R. Irving Boone of Wilmington, director of public relations, and author

of the Master Plan for the Campaign, presented in detail, the Convention's proposed program of action for this concerted effort, with an analysis of the same.

A spirited address by the Reverend J. W. White of Asheville, general director of the campaign, pointing out the importance of the drive and appealing for full-fledged cooperation, was next heard and warmly received.

A motion by the Reverend H. C. Dixon of East Wilmington, president of the North-East Cape Fear S. S. Convention, endorsing the plans as presented, was accorded enthusiastic reception and unanimously adopted.

N. Y. Teachers Union Announces Negro History Week Supplement

NEW YORK—The Teachers Union of New York announced today the publication of the seventh annual Negro History Week supplement of its weekly newspaper TEACHERS NEWS. The dedication in this year's issue takes the form of a "Salute to Teen Ageds", written by the Union secretary, Miss Lucille Spence, who pays tribute to the young people for their role in the fight against segregated schools.

The 4-page supplement is published to help in the celebration of Negro History Week, which takes place this year during the

week beginning February 9th, and also to inspire further study of Negro History and the contributions made to our country by the Negro people.

Among the articles featured in this year's issue are a series of ten original drawings depicting "Great Negro Scientists", an original crossword puzzle based on the theme of Negro History, "What's Your Negro History Quotient?", containing questions and answers on Negro history and current events; brief sketches on 25 "Negroes of the Year"; and an article

on "Negro History in the Curriculum All Year Round".

The issue also contains a full page of historical material ranging from the earliest days of America to the present on the Negro people's "Battle for the Ballot" and their fight to win "The Right to Knowledge".

More Weeks Of Winter Driving Hazards Ahead

"We'll have another three or four weeks of winter driving hazards no matter what our friend Mr. Groundhog predicts on February 27," Motor Vehicles Commissioner Edward Scheidt declared this week.

"Without a shadow of doubt, there'll be some rough days and nights—weatherwise—for the drivers of motor vehicles all through February and perhaps into March," he warned.

The vehicles official added, the amount of daylight is perceptibly a bit longer now than a few weeks ago, but still much of our driving is done during hours of darkness. When bad weather is combined with darkness, visibility is reduced sharply for drivers.

dition. Wiper blades that streak are a threat to safety."

Commenting on the use of "fog lamps," the commissioner said such lamps should be used sparingly. They should not be used in lieu of headlights unless absolutely necessary in case of rain, snow or fog.

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Fisk Prof In Recital At St. Aug.

Saint Augustine's College will present Anne Gamble, Concert Pianist and Associate Professor of Music at Fisk University in Recital on Friday Evening, January 31, at 8:00 P. M. in Taylor Hall on the campus.

Her repertoire has the kind of Musical Variety that audiences enjoy and that critics acclaim. She has been lauded for her superb musicianship, well-developed technique and pianistic mastery.

Her program will include compositions by such composers as J. S. Bach, Beethoven, Chopin, Scriabin, Rachmaninoff and Debussy.

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Paul Robeson Accepts Bid To Give England Concert

LONDON, England — (ANP) — Baritone singer Paul Robeson, beset with passport woes because of

his political opinions, particularly concerning communism, last week accepted an invitation to make a concert tour of Britain and appear on commercial television there.

The announcement was made by Robeson's London agent, Harold Davidson, who said the famed singer was confident he would be able to get a passport in time for the tour scheduled in April.

Robeson, who has often criticized American relations with Soviet Russia, lost his passport seven years ago, when the U. S. State Department lifted it because of his political opinions.

Robeson recently filed a new appeal for a passport.

Phillipa Scuyler, Pianist, Plays In Lagos, Nigeria

LAGOS, Nigeria — (ANP) — Miss Philippa Scuyler of New York, celebrated pianist, gave a concert here last Wednesday under the auspices of the Lagos Musical Society.

Miss Scuyler gave a program which ranged from works of the 17th Century Italian harpsichord composer, Scarlatti, to German Romanticism, to the Spanish de Falla and others were presented.

Miss Scuyler began her tour in Europe and now has come into Africa. Her next appearance will be in Jos.

She is traveling under the Federal Ministry of Information and the State Department Exchange of Persons program.

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