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Police and security men inspect damage from bomb that exploded at bank in New York's financial district.

N.Y. Bank Damaged by Pipe Bomb

NEW YORK, July 27 (UPI)—A pipe bomb wrapped in what resembled a Vietcong flag exploded outside an office of the Bank of America in Wall Street early today, shattering the glass entrance doors but injuring no one.

Police said a six-inch pipe bomb was wrapped in a red, white and blue flag with a white star. The debris was cleaned up by the time the bank opened and workmen replaced the doors.

About five minutes after the 3:45 a.m. blast, a male called the Daily News city desk: "This is a Weatherman. Listen

close. I'll only say it once. We have just bombed the Bank of America. We left a Vietcong flag. We did it in honor of the Cuban revolution and our brothers who died on the Isla Vista. Tell (Attorney General) John Mitchell that no matter what he does, we cannot be stopped."

Sunday was the 17th anniversary of the Castro revolution. The Isla Vista, Calif., branch of the Bank of America was burned by young demonstrators Feb. 27. One non-demonstrator was shot during the disturbance.

Earlier this month, a Bank of America branch in San Diego was damaged by fire.

Time Bomb Damages S.F. Army Garage

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27 (AP)—A bomb exploded at the Armed Forces Police office garage in downtown San Francisco today, blowing a five-inch hole in the commanding officer's wall but causing no injuries, police reported.

Boilertender I.C. Leroy Ruark, station supervisor, said investigators found a piece of clock in the debris, indicating the bomb was a time device.

He said the garage's overhead door was left open and the bomb was placed in or on top of a large portable steel trash bin. The blast at 12:50 a.m. blew out windows, and

shrapnel peppered the concrete block wall.

Training to Continue Despite Base Bombing

SPARTA, Wis., July 27 (AP)—The Army says summer training programs will continue uninterrupted at nearby Camp McCoy despite a series of explosions that shook the base Sunday.

"Our job is to train troops, and we will continue to operate Camp McCoy as usual," said Col. Richard A. Crecelius, the base commander.

Electric service was interrupted for 90 minutes, and telephone communications were curtailed by the three pre-dawn explosions. About 6,000 Army reservists and National Guard trainees are at the base.