

Cairo bus bombing injures 14 tourists

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CAIRO, Egypt — A bomb apparently aimed at a tour bus exploded Tuesday on the road to the Giza Pyramids, killing an Egyptian and wounding 14 people, including five British tourists.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility, but the blast appeared to be the work of Muslim extremists who have targeted tourists and Egyptian officials in a 11/2-year campaign against the secular government.

The attack occurred as a state security court held a second session in the retrial of radical Sheik Omar Abdel-Rahman and 48 others on charges stemming from a 1989 demonstration that turned violent.

The cleric is the spiritual leader of al-Gamaa al-Islamiya, or Islamic Group, which has been blamed for much of the recent violence. He has been in the United States since 1990. Some of his followers there have been implicated in the

Feb. 26 bombing of New York's World Trade Center.

Police said Tuesday's bomb was thrown from a railroad overpass on the road leading to the Giza Pyramids, 5 miles away.

Salah el-Derwy, a Tourism Ministry spokesman, quoted police as saying the dead Egyptian was in a car ahead of the bus, which authorities said was the apparent target. Both the bus and car were heavily damaged.

The state-run Middle East News Agency quoted Interior Ministry experts as saying the bomb consisted of a metal container packed with explosives and nails.

One of the injured tourists, John Cook, told London's Independent Television: "There was a blast and all the windows caved in. The coach driver stopped, the young Egyptian courier (tour guide) was sitting in front of us ... and she was very badly injured."

Cook said the injured Britons suffered mainly facial cuts.

Dr. Rizk Ahmed Mahmoud, director of al-

Haram Hospital, said the group's Egyptian tour guide required surgery to stop internal bleeding from a lung injury.

He told The Associated Press that four of the tourists suffered only minor scratches and bruises.

The fifth had shrapnel removed from his chest and would require further treatment, he said.

The Interior Ministry said eight other Egyptians were wounded by the bomb. It said one was in serious condition.

Similar bombings have been blamed on the Islamic Group.

A bomb packed with nails exploded at a Cairo cafe Feb. 26, hours before the New York explosion, killing a Turk, a Swede and an Egyptian.

That was the first reported use of such a device by the extremists. Since then, three of the four bombs that have gone off in the Cairo area have been primed with nails to maim and kill.

Reduced alcohol content has pub regulars foaming

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LONDON — Regulars at the corner pub have a new excuse to drink just one more pint before heading home, but they're not happy about it.

Brewers have decided to cut the alcohol in many of their beers to avoid paying higher taxes under laws that came into effect last week.

The new regulations require duty to be based on the volume of alcohol in beer. Previously it had been based on the beer's original sugar content.

Brewers said the the new regulations could have reduced their annual revenue by \$30 million. Consumer watchdogs complained that they were watering down a favored British pastime.

"Brewers are behaving no better than (pub) landlords who use a watering can on their barrels," said Iain Dobson, chief executive of the populist Campaign for Real Ale.

Bass, Britain's biggest brewer, said Monday it would reduce the alcohol content in 19 of its 63 brands, but won't change the 4.1 percent volume of Carling Black Label, the country's best-selling lager.

Most reductions are slight — Worthington Best Bitter's alcohol content is being reduced from 3.8 percent to 3.6 percent, and canned Tennents Pilsner will drop from 3.5 percent to 3.4 percent alcohol.

Courage, the second-biggest brewer, plans to cut the strength of nine brands.

The National Consumer Council said big brewers should tell customers of their plans to cut the alcohol content of some beers.

"They should be advertising this fact widely — not trying to slip weaker beer past their customers without telling them," director Ruth Evans said.

'Agent of God' kills WWII Nazi Vichy chief assassinated

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PARIS — Rene Bousquet, the Vichy police chief who sent thousands of Jews to their deaths in World War II, was shot to death in his apartment Tuesday. Police arrested a man who said he acted as "an agent of God."

The assassination occurred on the verge of an expected trial for the 84-year-old Bousquet, accused of persecuting Jews as an agent of Marshal Philippe Petain's collaborationist regime.

The self-professed gunman said he feared Bousquet would never be brought to trial. At a news conference he called shortly before his arrest, Christian Didier compared Bousquet to "a cockroach, a serpent."

Police officials, speaking on condition of anonymity, named Didier as the killer, saying his gun fired the bullets that killed Bousquet and that he was identified by workers in Bousquet's apartment building.

Didier, 49, had no reported connection to Bousquet. He served four months in jail for trying to smuggle a revolver into a Lyon prison in 1987 to kill Gestapo officer Klaus Barbie, the notorious "Butcher of Lyon."

Many French had wanted Bousquet to divulge, for the courts and history, Vichy's role in deporting some 76,000 Jews. Only 2,500 survived.

Justice Minister Pierre Mehaignerie said a ruling was expected in a few days that could have led to prosecuting Bousquet for crimes against humanity.

Jewish leaders who fought for years to bring him to court said the shooting robbed Holocaust survivors of justice.

"Perhaps the killer believed he was exercising the will of the victims," said lawyer and Nazi hunter Serge Klarsfeld. "But their will was to see him brought to court. This is a distressing event."

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Tues. June 15, 22, 29
6-9pm

Video Camera Methods and Techniques

Thurs. July 1, 8, 15, 22
7-9pm
\$15/student \$20/nonstudent

Wines of America

Tues. June 8, 15, 22, 29
7-8:30pm
\$25/student \$30/nonstudent

International Wines

Wed. July 7, 14, 21, 28
7-8:30pm
\$25/student \$30/nonstudent

Social Phenomenon of Spiritualism

Thurs. June 24 - July 29
7:30-9:30pm
\$18/student \$23/nonstudent

Common Sense of Diamond Buying

Wed. June 16, 23, 30
7-8pm
\$14/student \$19/nonstudent

Star Gazing

T/Th. July 6 - July 29
7:30-10:30pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

Electronics

Wed. July 7, 14, 21, 28
6:30-9:30pm
\$22/student \$27/nonstudent

Billiards

Sat. July 10 - Aug 7
11am - 1pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

Fins, Feathers and Fur for Fun

Thurs. June 17, 24, July 1, 8
6-8pm
\$22/student \$27/nonstudent

Backyard Wildlife

Tues. June 15, 23, 29, July 6
6-8pm
\$15/student \$20/nonstudent

Bike Maintenance

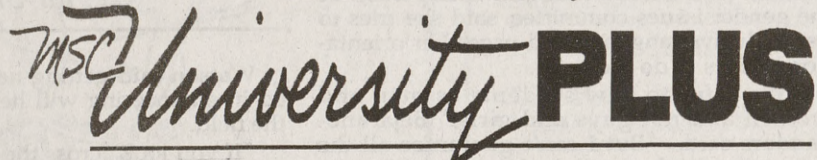
Tues. June 8, 15, 22, 29
7:30-9:30pm
\$20/student \$25/nonstudent

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6-7pm
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6-7:30pm

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6-7:30pm
\$20/student \$25/nonstudent

Ballroom Dance

Wed. June 9, 16, 23
6-8pm
\$18/student \$23/nonstudent

Jitterbug

Wed. June 16, 23, 30, July 7
7:45-9:15pm
\$20/student \$25/nonstudent

Bellydance

Mon. June 14 - July 26
7-9pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

SELF HELP

Assertiveness

Thurs. July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
7:30-9pm
\$18/student \$23/nonstudent

Emotional Wellness and Self Esteem

Tues. June 15 - July 27
7-9pm
\$22/student \$27/nonstudent

Tae Kwon Do

Tues. June 8 - July 13
7-8:30pm
\$22/student \$27/nonstudent

Self Defense

Thurs. June 10 - July 15
7-8:30pm
\$22/student \$27/nonstudent

Aikido

Thurs. July 15, 22
8:30-10pm
\$10/student \$15/nonstudent

CPR

M/W. June 7 & June 9
6-10pm

First Aid

M/W. July 12 & July 14
6-10pm
\$18/student \$23/nonstudent

Stress Management

T/Th. June 15 - July 1
6:30-8pm
\$15/student \$20/nonstudent

ARTS & CRAFTS

Jewelry Casting

Sat. & Sun. July 24 & July 25
9am-12 & 1pm-4pm each day
\$40/student \$45/nonstudent

Glazing Techniques

Thurs. July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Aug 5
5:30-7:30pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

Pottery

Tues. June 8, 15, 22, 29, July 6, 13
5-7pm

Wed. June 9, 16, 23, 30, July 7, 14
2-4pm

Thurs. June 10, 17, 24, July 1, 8, 15
7:30-9:30pm

Thurs. July 8, 15, 22, 29, Aug 5
2-4:30pm

M/W. July 19, 21, 26, 28, Aug 2, 4
5-7pm

M/W. July 19, 21, 26, 28, Aug 2, 4
7:30-9:30pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

Hand Building

Mon. June 7, 14, 21, 28, July 12
6-8pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

Pottery II

Tues. June 8, 15, 22, 29, July 6, 13
7:30-9:30pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

Quilt Making

Mon. June 14, 21, 28
6-9pm
\$16/student \$21/nonstudent

Indian Bow Making

There will be an in class fee of \$40 for specialized bow materials.
Tues. June 22, 29, July 6, 13, 20, 27
6-9pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

Woodworking I

Mon. June 7, 14, 21, 28
6-8pm
Sat. July 10, 17, 24, 31
9am-12noon
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

Woodworking II

Sun. July 11, 18, 25, Aug 1
6-8pm
\$30/student \$35/nonstudent

MUSIC

Beginning Guitar

Mon. June 7 - Aug 2
7-8:30pm

Tues. June 8 - July 27
7-8:30pm

Wed. June 16 - Aug 4
7-8:30pm
\$40/student \$45/nonstudent

Intermediate Guitar

Tues. June 8 - July 27
8:30-10pm
\$40/student \$45/nonstudent

Voice Training

Tues. June 8, 15, 22, 29
6:30-8:30pm

Tues. July 13, 20, 27, Aug 3
6:30-8:30pm
\$22/student \$27/nonstudent

Drum Training

Tues. June 15 - July 20
7-8:30pm
\$18/student \$23/nonstudent

BUSINESS

Job Interviewing

M/W. June 21, 23, 28, 30
6:30-8pm

M/W. July 19, 21, 26, 28
6:30-8pm
\$12/student \$17/nonstudent

Public Speaking

Mon. June 14, 21, 28
6-8pm

Mon. July 12, 19, 26
6-8pm
\$12/student \$17/nonstudent

Basics of Investing

Tues. July 6, 13, 20, 27, Aug 3
7:30-9pm
\$15/student \$20/nonstudent

Student Financial Aid and Banking

Mon. July 12, 19, 26, Aug 2
7-9pm
No fee required - Registration only

Emotional Wellness and Self Esteem

Tues. June 15 - July 27
7-9pm
\$22/student \$27/nonstudent

Strategic Marketing for Business

Mon. June 28
6-9pm
\$10/student \$15/nonstudent

LANGUAGES

French

T/Th. June 15 - July 22
6:30-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

German

T/Th. June 15 - July 22
6:30-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

Italian

M/W. June 14 - July 26
6:30-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

Spanish I

M/W. June 21 - Aug 2
6:30-8pm

Spanish II

T/Th. June 8 - July 15
6:30-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

Japanese

M/W. June 14 - July 26
6:30-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

Russian

M/W. June 21 - Aug 2
6:30-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

Sign Language I

T/Th. June 8 - July 8
6-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

Sign Language II

T/Th. July 12 - Aug 4
6-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

English as a 2nd Language (ESL)

M/W. June 14 - July 21
6:30-8pm
\$35/student \$40/nonstudent

COMPUTERS

Intro to DOS/IBM PC

M/W. June 7, 9, 14
7-9pm

Intro to Macintosh

Sat. June 19
9-12am
\$20/student

WordPerfect 5.1

T/Th. June 15 - July 1
7-9pm

Pagemaker 4.0

M/W. Sat. July 10, 17, 24, 31
10am-12noon
\$25/student \$30/nonstudent