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THE WEEK IN REVIEW

World Trade Bomber

The leader of the World Trade Bombing, a New Jersey taxi cab driver, arrested overseas. Others to be arrested.

Day Care Provider Arrested

Douglas Cousin accused of molesting and giving wine to two children, ages 3 and 5.

Supreme Court Backs Petitioners

The Oregon Supreme Court is backing the petitioners with reasonable restrictions in the shopping centers in Oregon.

Craig Walker Undergoes Surgery

Disc Jockey for KKCW-FM "Morning Show" received a liver transplant.

Red Cross Accused of Bad Blood

Bob Jones says the blood given him had the HIV virus because of screening procedures used at that time. Red Cross and he settled out of court.

Olin and Crew's Deaths Shocking

Boating accident costing the lives of baseball players Olin and Crew's left families and friends in a state of shock.

Earthquake!!!!

A whole lot of shaking going on! 5.7 on the Richter Scale. An unusual 5:35 alarm awakening!

Yeltsin Wins

Congressman Ruslan Khabibulin gives Boris Yeltsin a comprise announcement to end power struggle. April proposal of voters saying who would have power canceled.

Lawsuits Involve DENNY'S AND SHONEY'S

Denny's for not serving; prepayment required; birthday meals denied; hostile remarks to black customers. Shoney's for hiring procedures; promotions; demeaning office behavior for blacks.

Drexler Returns

Clyde Drexler missing 13 games because of a hamstring injury comes back to assist the Blazers to a 122-110 win over the clippers.

Another Young Life 'Snuffed'

Standing on the corner of 15th and Alberta, brought down by a drive by shooting we have lost another young life to senseless rivalry.

Clinton Potpourri

Considering proposals to segregate troops by sexual orientation; supporting Yeltsin; Pamela Harriman chosen ambassador to France; proposes tax increase on higher income Social Security recipients; 12 years of anti-abortion laws may be reversed; coming to Oregon in April.

Portland State University And Self Enhancement, Inc., Launch Innovative Partnership For Inner-City Youth

Portland State University (PSU) President Judith Ramaley and Self Enhancement Inc. (SEI) President Tony Hopson announced an innovative program aimed at preparing at-risk, inner-city youth for college.

Through the new Partnership for Progressive College Experience, inner-city children from second grade will have an opportunity to learn first-hand about college and the benefits of higher education. At the same time, college students will put their classroom learning to work helping community children.

"It's critical to direct young people toward college at an early age, particularly at-risk young people who might consider college out of their reach," according to Hopson. "The Partnership for Progressive College Experience teaches and reinforces, over several years, the importance of education and our philosophy that these young people have options."

The partnership takes advantage of Portland State University's commitment to education and SEI's successful teaching and preventive service program. Children as young as seven years will be introduced to higher education through tours and classroom discussions. As the children advance into middle school, they will learn about selecting colleges and majors. By the time they reach high school, they can register and earn college credits for classes they take through Portland State University.

"Portland State University is pleased to be able to participate with Self Enhancement, Inc. in a collaborative program of such high quality and potential," according to Dr. Judith Ramaley, President of Portland



From left to right Tina Alexander, Nokita Merriweather, Darryl English, Charles Denis, Jeffrey Brown, Karl Pavelic and Mario Jackmon.

State University. "The future of Oregon demands a well-educated citizenry and a well-trained work force. SEI and Portland State are committed to giving young people every opportunity to be prepared to share both in the work load and in the vision. This partnership is another opportunity for Portland State to serve the needs of the community."

The Partnership for Progressive college Experience was conceived by Dr. Samuel Henry, executive director of the Portland Edu-

cation Network (PEN) and Portland State University associate professor of education.

"This signing formalizes a special relationship between Self Enhancement, Inc. and Portland State University," said Henry. It is a special relationship that will provide a model for the institution, both in PEN and throughout the region, to cooperate on an intimate level of sharing and nurturing our young people."

While program details are being finalized, the plan is for participating SEI students

to begin visiting PSU this year. Eventually PSU students will work with SEI students at the Center for Self Enhancement at Unthank

Park in North Portland.

A capital campaign is underway to raise the \$15.9 million needed for the center—\$8.4 million for construction and \$7.5 million for the first five years of operation. SEI expects to break ground this year, with completion scheduled for 1994. The center will include class-

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Conference Of Minority Transportation Officials COMTO New Executive Director



Beverly M. Coleman, Washington D.C. based management consultant with over fifteen years of experience as an executive, manager, consultant and practitioner in the areas of finance, management development, public relations, marketing, employee benefits development and employee training and development.

Prior to 1988 when she began her career as a management consultant, Ms. Coleman held positions with the Commonwealth of Virginia, Office of the Governor; Xerox Corporation; Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association; Blue Cross and Blue Shield of New Jersey.

Ms. Coleman lists many noted consult-

ants opportunities to educational institutions, private and public sector organizations and non-profits to her credit including * Howard University, Washington, D.C.; * Virginia Council on Social Welfare, Richmond, VA; * General Electric, Inc. Richmond, VA; * Prince George, Maryland; * Specialty Care Development Corporation, Chicago, IL; * INROADS Greater Washington, Inc., Washington, D.C.; * Association of Black Psychologists, Washington, D.C.; and * The Federally Employed Women's Association (FEW).

Ms. Coleman is a graduate of Virginia Commonwealth University with masters Degrees in Social Work and Business Administration.

Ms. Coleman serves on the national and local board of trustees of the Granville Academy, a non-profit "counseling and coaching" laboratory for inner-city youth. This program provides exposure to the professional workings of business and industry. She is also on the board of directors of Pennvision, a non-profit organization dedicated to developing, presenting and perpetuating dance arts primarily with visually impaired persons.

Ms. Coleman, a Richmond, Virginia native, is married to the Honorable J. Gary Cooper, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force,

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The Private Industry Council Celebrates National Employ An Older Worker Week

In celebration of National Employ an Older Worker Week, The Private Industry Council's Older Worker Training Program hosted and Older Worker Forum on Friday, March 19, 1993.

The following work experience training sight supervisors were recognized for their commitment to the training and employment of older workers (age 55 and over) during an awards ceremony: James C. Nelson, Portland Police Department; Karen Snell, Kaiser Human Resources; Bob Erickson, I.R.S. special Procedures; Sarah E. Carver, Marylhurst College; Ed Medrano, City of Portland License Bureau; Verla Blocker, Columbia River Correction Institute; Michael Malizo, Columbia River Correction Institute; Jean Cochran,

Milwaukie Center; Jim Stewart, Washington County Community Corrections; Torrence L. Royer, Rainbow Adult Living Facilities; Robin Hyatt, Oasis; Gary Knepper, Sandy Community Center; James Paynter, Hollywood Senior Center; Alice Scannell, PHD, Portland State Institute on Aging; Eric Owens, University Park Community Center; Carol Synder, East County Employment and Training Center; Joan Wray, American Red Cross; and Cynthia Hall, Emergency Food Bank. Keynote speaker Pat List, Program Coordinator of the Oregon Senior and Disabled Services Division will speak to the significance of older workers in the labor market.

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MetroLife

"Reach For Success"

UO visitation we invite parents to participate... by offering information regarding preparation of their children for college.

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Food & Nutrition

"Want Designer Soft Drinks?"

We have all heard of designer shoes, shirts, dresses, and furniture. Well what about designer soft drinks.

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Sports

"MyCap Basketball Team Has Skills"

MyCap is coached by Steve Huffman who has helped young people for many years...

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Health

"High Blood Pressure"

Exciting new information gathered in recent years demonstrates that blood pressure can be lowered...

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