

CRIME STOPPERS

Fraud Suspect

Beaverton Police Department detectives, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, are asking for your help in identifying a fraud suspect.

On April 14, 1994, a man, who claimed to be 29-year-old Frank Gonzales, with a date of birth of 061565, obtained an Identification Card from the Oregon Department of Motor Vehicles. Exactly one week later the subject returned to the Oregon DMV and obtained a driver's license. Using the driver's license and other ID, the subject opened a checking account and began writing "bad checks".

According to investigators, the suspect likes to travel, stay in nice



places, and flies frequently to Las Vegas. He should be operating a leased 1994, 2-door, midnight blue,

Ford Thunderbird, with Oregon plates TVQ 756.

The suspect, "Frank Gonzales", is described as a white male, 5'10", 180 pounds, with brown hair. He may be accompanied by a woman known as "Kay Gonzales", who is believed to be his wife and is reportedly pregnant. She is described as a white female, with blond hair and a thin build.

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Officer Involved Shooting Investigation

5700 Block of SE 122nd Avenue

Portland Police Officers investigating a neighborhood problem were threatened by a woman with a gun, and fired shots at her after she refused to drop it. The woman was fatally wounded, and later died at Oregon Health Sciences University.

East Precinct Officers responded at about 6:12 p.m. to a neighbor's complaint that a woman was camping in her pickup truck/camper on property adjacent to his. The neighbor told the officers that the woman had been living in the trailer for a few months, but had lately been exhibiting strange behavior. Also the neighbor told officers that the woman had told him that she had a gun, and his children had reported seeing the woman with a gun.

The officers talked to neighbors, then attempted to contact the woman. She did not respond to them, so the officers left a note on the

windshield. The note explained that the neighbors wished the woman to leave the property that evening.

The officers walked to their parked patrol car, preparing to leave. At that time, about 6:46 p.m., the woman exited the truck, read the note, then vigorously tore it to pieces. Witnesses said the woman then told the officers to wait, and returned to the truck.

The neighbor then saw the woman walk towards the officers holding what appeared to be a handgun. Witnesses then told officers that they saw the woman point the gun at the officers, who each repeatedly told her to put the gun down. When she did not drop the gun the two officers, one male and one female, fired a total of four shots. The woman was hit, and later died at Oregon Health Sciences University. Identity will be released by the Medical

Examiner's Office.

The gun was found to be a replica of a small caliber semiautomatic pistol, not a functioning handgun. As is standard in all officer involved shooting incidents, the case is being investigated by the Homicide Detail. The case will be sent to the Multnomah County District Attorney's Office for presentation to a Grand Jury of community members.

The two police officers involved in the incident are Kenneth L. Jones, 26, who has four and a half years with the Police Bureau, and Audra L. Espinosa, 28. Officer Espinosa has been with the Police Bureau since April 1994. Prior to that she was an officer with the Los Angeles Police Department for four years.

The officers will be placed on paid administrative leave per Bureau procedure.

Boy Wounded In Drive-By Shooting

800 Block of N.E. Ainsworth Street

A ten year old boy riding his bicycle was wounded when gun shots were fired from one car at another.

The incident happened about 12:15 p.m. Saturday afternoon. Witnesses said that a burgundy colored domestic vehicle was being chased westbound on N.E. Ainsworth St. by a black over grey vehicle similar to a Buick. A passenger in the black over grey vehicle fired shots at the burgundy car.

Ten year old Lamont Hill, a neighborhood resident, was struck in the right calf as he rode his bicycle along N.E. Ainsworth St. He told officers he heard shots then felt numbness in his leg. Neighbors came to his aid, and called police. Hill was transported to Emanuel Hospital. The suspects were not located. Anyone with information regarding this shooting should call the Detective Division at 823-0400.

Class Helps You Live Your Dreams

The Oasis Seniors program is offering a Creativity From Your Dreams Class to be held Sept. 21 - Oct. 26.

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Felony Hit And Run

The Portland Police Bureau's Traffic Division, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, is asking for your help in solving a felony hit and run accident.

On Sunday, Dec. 12, 1993, at approximately 9:30 in the evening, a three car accident occurred at N. Denver Avenue and N. Schmeer Road. Four people suffering from injuries, were taken by ambulance to a hospital. One of the injured had a broken back.

The vehicle responsible for causing the accident, a black vinyl over tan, 2-door 1981 Chevrolet Monte Carlo, attempted to back up and leave the scene. When that failed, the occupants, described as 4 to 5 "teenagers", exited the vehicle and fled on foot.

Shortly after the accident, police located four young subjects, not far from the scene, but they all denied having been involved. The registered owner of the vehicle claimed that it had been stolen.

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Aggravated Assault/Rape

Portland Police Bureau Detectives, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, are asking for your help in identifying and apprehending a subject, who brutally attacked and sexually assaulted a woman in northeast Portland.

On Jan. 1, 1994, sometime after midnight, a 42-year-old white female, who was attending a New Year's Eve party at a tavern at N.E. 29 and Alberta, decided to leave for home.

The woman attempted to get a cab, but due to the large volume of calls a cab was not readily available, so she started walking.

As the woman approached the area of N.E. 15th and Wygant, she observed a man wearing a red ski mask. The man grabbed her and hit her several times in the face so hard it broke her jaw in three places. He then pulled her into a nearby yard where he sexually assaulted her.

The suspect is described as between 5'9" and 6'0" tall, with a thin and lanky build. At the time he was wearing a dark jacket, dark tennis shoes, and a red ski mask.

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Documentary Looks At Gang Influences

Oregon Public Broadcasting airs Moving Targets on Thursday, Sept. 8 at 10 p.m. This unique documentary takes a personal look at the influence of gangs on three Oregon youth.

OPB Producer Claudia Brown and videographer Greg Bond offered three at-risk youth a home video camera to get a personal look at circumstances that lead many young people to become involved with gangs. Robert Monterrosa, Riki Moss and Gihan Ali worked with OPB mentors Greg Bond, Gary Schiedel, Frank Swanson and Todd Sonfleith

to shoot and edit their own stories.

This unique approach to a difficult problem gives views insight into the rough circumstances such as insecure home environments, racism and violence that lead many young people into gangs. However, one of the most significant parts of this documentary is the personal look at the difficulty of starting over after life in a gang.

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These two important documentaries will air on the television stations of Oregon Public Broadcasting: KOAB-TV 3 Bend, KOAC-TV 7 Corvallis, KOPB-TV 10 Portland, KTVR-TV 13 LaGrande and KEPB-TV 28 Eugene.

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Police Career Opportunity

The Portland Police Bureau is looking for dedicated men and women who are interested in serving the community as a police officer.

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Fair Gets Children Ready

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Some of the favorites included Portland Police and the police pig and McGuff the Crime Dog; Smokey Bear from the Forest Service; the Portland Fire Department with a fire truck and Sparky the Dog; and Pacific Power and Light with Kite Man.

Other participants included West Coast Properties, American Red Cross, Oregon State University Extension, Portland Police Sunshine Division, Parry Center for Children, and the Hispanic Access Center.

Generous donations for a raffle were made by the Central Northeast Neighbors with prizes that included bicycles, dinner certificates, hair cuts and clothing.