

# POLICE NEWS

## Fatal Motor Vehicle Accident SE 62nd Avenue/SE Powell Boulevard

Friday afternoon, December 26, 1997, a 55-year-old Portland man was fatally injured when the car he was riding in was struck by a stolen vehicle attempting to flee from the police.

At approximately 3:30 p.m., Portland Police Bureau Sergeant Bob Gross observed a stolen 1990 Toyota 4Runner traveling southbound at SE 52nd Avenue and Foster Road.

Sergeant Gross attempted to stop the vehicle which was northbound on SE 62nd Avenue

when it ran a stop sign at Powell Boulevard, striking a westbound car containing three occupants.

One individual was dead at the scene, two others were transported to University Hospital where they are reported to be in critical condition.

The driver of the stolen vehicle, 26-year-old Richard Roy McKenna Jr., was examined for injuries at Portland Adventist Medical Center.

McKenna is to be lodged in the Justice Center jail on a number of different charges.

## NE Portland Man In Critical Condition

On Wednesday morning at approximately 2:45 a.m., Portland Police Officers were called to the 5000 block of NE Going in regards to a shooting with multiple rounds of fired. Police responded to find two people shot.

Kae Saechao, male Asian, 53 years, was shot in the head and is in serious condition a local hospital. His daughter, Mae Saechao, female Asian, 26 years, was shot in the leg and grazed in the head. She is in fair condition recovering in a local hospital.

It appears that a suspect or suspects drove down a long flag lot driveway to a

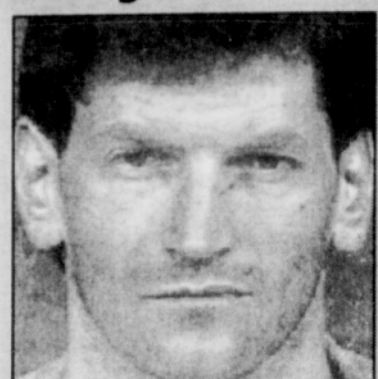
single story ranch house. Approximately 50 feet from the front of the house the suspect(s) fired approximately 20 semi or fully automatic bullet rounds into the front of the house. The victim's, both asleep in separate bedrooms in the front of the house were struck while sleeping. No one else was injured. The victim's are not believed to be the intended target. There have been links to gang activities by members of this location in the past. It is believed to be a gang related crime.

Police are looking for a light blue Toyota, possible 4 door, possible Cressida, the year of the vehicle is unknown.

## Crime Stoppers: Wanted Subject

Portland Police Bureau investigators, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, are asking for your help in locating and apprehending John Gunether Gault. Warrants are on file charging Gault with Parole Violation and Possession of a Controlled Substance.

John Gunether Gault is described as a 31-year-old white male, with a date of birth of November 23, 1965. Gault is 5'11" tall, weighing 200 pounds, with brown hair and blue eyes. His last known address was in the 5800 block of NE 12th Avenue in Portland.



Crime Stoppers is offering a cash reward of up to \$1,000 for information, reported. Call Crime Stoppers at (503) 823-HELP.

# Observing

## City Council Approves Four New Members For Salary Review

Four Vancouver residents have been appointed to serve on the city's five-member Salary Review Commission. The four new members are: Edward Lynch whose term will expire January 1999; Geri Gans Combs, whose term will expire January 2001; Tom Burkholder whose term will expire January 2002; and Dennis

McLachlan, whose term will expire January 2002. The new members begin their terms immediately.

The fifth member of the commission is Elizabeth Perry.

The Salary Review Commission was created by the Vancouver City Council in November, 1994. It determines and

establishes salaries for the Mayor and City Council. The Commission consists of five members who are registered voters and residents of the City of Vancouver.

Members of the commission are appointed by the Mayor, subject to the approval of City Council.

## Register Soon for Spring Bazaar

Vendors seeking a spot at the popular Spring Bazaar at Luepke Center can mark their calendars to register on Tuesday, Jan. 13 starting at 8:30 a.m. The Spring Bazaar is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, May 1 and

2, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Luepke Center, 1009 E. McLoughlin. Vendors can register in person for a \$10 space or \$12 table. Registration is at Marshall Center, 1009 E. McLoughlin

The Spring Bazaar traditionally features antiques and crafts by senior. Concessions will be available and admission is free.

## Mayor Pollard To Deliver State Of City Address

Mayor Royce E. Pollard will deliver Vancouver's first State of The City address Monday, Jan. 12, at noon at the Heathman Lodge, 7801 Greenwood Dr.

The event will acknowledge 1997 accomplishments and acquaint the community with major projects planned for the coming year. The mayor hopes to announce the preferred developer for the live/work housing on the

two blocks north of Esther Short Park.

Topics to be covered include the city's financial health, the status of major ongoing projects and future economic development projects such as the convention center proposal for the Esther Short Park area.

Tickets can be purchased by calling Marie Day at 735-8870. Part of the \$20 ticket price will be donated to United Way.

## Clark County's Telephone Directory Has Your Number

Have a question about a Clark County service or program? You can probably find the right number to call in the latest edition of the Clark County Telephone Directory of county government services,

now available from the Communications Resource Center. To receive your free copy, please call the Clark County Communications Resource Center at 737-6012 (press 3).

### A NEW DENTAL RESEARCH STUDY AT RUSSELL STREET CLINIC

## ARE YOU HIV POSITIVE? Do You Have Tooth Pain?

### Do You Have These Symptoms?

Do you have a persistent tooth ache, intermittent tooth pain, or swelling in your mouth or face? Have you been told your tooth needs a root canal?

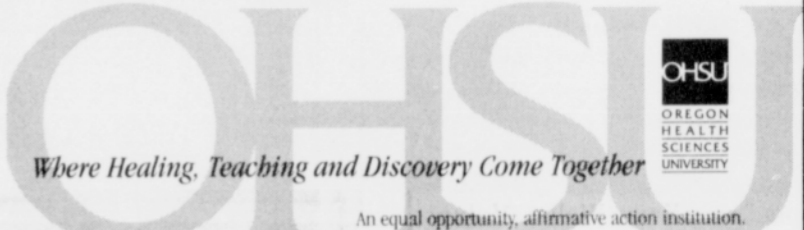
### Participate In A New Free Research Study

You may qualify to participate in the *Oral Health Enhancement Study* being conducted by the Russell Street Dental Clinic, a part of OHSU. Volunteers must be HIV positive, 18 to 65 years of age and have at least 15 teeth.

### Benefits

Participants will receive free root canal treatment, free CD4 counts and viral load blood tests, free check-ups, and \$125 for participation. Participants will also be helping to improve the quality of life for people with HIV.

For more information, call: (503) 494-6300



# "Keep Living the Dream"

## 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Tribute to Martin Luther King, Jr.

Monday, January 19, 1998

Jefferson High School  
Performing Arts Center  
5210 N. Kerby

12:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Live Broadcast/Simulcast

Portland Cable Access  
Channel 11

Jefferson High School Television Department  
Channel 53

KBOO 90.7 FM

### ADMISSION

\$1 donation or 2 cans of non-perishable food.

A Production of World Arts Foundation, Inc.

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For Information Call 222-1457



### SENIORS & FIRE

- 1 The kitchen is a high danger zone for fire, so be extra cautious when cooking.
- 2 Remember not to leave food unattended on the stove.
- 3 Don't use the oven to heat your home. In addition to being a fire hazard, it can be a source of toxic fumes.
- 4 Double-check the kitchen to be sure the oven and all appliances are off before going to bed.
- 5 Don't wear loose clothes or have curtains hanging near a hot stove.
- 6 Never smoke in bed. Replace mattresses made prior to the 1973 Federal Mattress Flammability Standard.
- 7 Keep flammable materials at least three feet away from your heater.
- 8 Don't overload electrical outlets with several appliances.
- 9 In case of a fire, stay low to the ground, beneath the smoke, and have an escape plan already worked out.
- 10 Install a smoke detector on every level of your home. Check the batteries every month and change them at least once a year.