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Disturbance At The Donald E. Long Juvenile Facility

There was a disturbance at the Donald E. Long Juvenile facility on July 15, 1998 involving incarcerated juveniles housed under the authority of the Oregon Youth Authority. Officers from the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office, the Portland Police Bureau and the Oregon State Police responded to the facility at approximately 7:30 a.m.

The facility is a Multnomah County owned juvenile corrections facility that is located in the East Precinct area of Portland. The Sheriff's Office provides security and Enforcement for the facility and investigates crimes committed there. The area in which the incident occurred is leased from the county, by the State, and houses juveniles who are under the Oregon Youth Authority. The section is staffed by state of Oregon Youth Authority staff. There were fourteen youth being detained in the section in which the incident occurred.

During the breakfast time in this section a detainee was asked to quite causing a verbal disruption at which pint the detainee escalated his disruptive behavior. The four staff members working the section began locking down those detainees who would return to their rooms voluntarily. Ten detainees were locked down when one of the staff members attempted to escort one of the remaining four to his room and was assaulted. The remaining three assaulted the other three staff members who eventually were able to reach a secure office and call for help. The staff members were attacked with weapons the detainees fashioned from items within the facility such as pieces of furniture and staff radios. Two of the staff members were treated at Providence Hospital and released. The other two were treated at the center by on sight medical personnel.

The detainees attempted to break out

windows of the facility to escape and were unsuccessful. They then apparently decided to ransack the office that they barricaded themselves into and while doing so found the location of over the counter medications kept in the facility to be dispensed to the detainees in the section by staff. During this time period the detainees observed the police arriving and decided to continue in a rioting type behavior until they were eventually taken into custody.

There is some indication that the detainees had been involved in a plan to escape and/or riot earlier in the week.

The Multnomah County Sheriff's Office Cell Extraction Response Team (C.E.R.T.) along with the Portland Police Bureau's Special Emergency Response Team (S.E.R.T.) worked with the cities Hostage Negotiation Team (HNT) in containing the situation and eventually resolving it. Attempts at negotiating with the detainees failed and eventually the response teams entered the office area and took all four into custody with out incident.

The East County major Crimes Team is conducting the investigation with Oregon State Police detectives as the lead investigators. The four detainees were taken to the Sheriff's office and interviewed by task force and State Police detectives and booked into MCDC.

The four detainees are being charged with measure 11 felony offenses because of the nature of the assault and other charges.

The individuals arrested and charged in this incident are identified as:

- #1 Roberts, Jeremy Wayne Dec. 26, 1980
- #2 Nelson, James George May 13, 1982
- #3 Cavan, Gary Dylan March 17, 1982
- #4 Dodgin, Kodi Trayle Oct. 21, 1982

These individuals have prior juvenile criminal histories that are described by the Oregon Youth Authority as not extensive.



Donald E. Long Juvenile facility.

Breakthrough In Sickle Cell Anemia

After 10 years of conclusive testing in Brazil, a newly formulated product for the alleviation of the adverse symptoms of sickle cell anemia is being introduced in the United States. A.U.S. patent has been awarded to the product, developed for Nutritional Bionix, Inc., at Ft. Lauderdale-based phyto-pharmaceutical company. According to an announcement made by Fernando D'Avila, president, "this product has been clinically proven to reduce the symptoms of sickle cell disease, an illness that afflicts one out of every 400 African-Americans."

Based on both laboratory and clinical testing, more than 80% of those taking the product, called Healthy Red, have experienced measurable changes in blood chemistry in 45 to 60 days. "Healthy Red has proven to inhibit the sickling of red blood cells and the sickled cells revert to normal shape," said D'Avila. "The sickling of the red blood cells is the primary factor resulting in the problem-causing effects of the disease."

Originally developed in Brazil, where sickle cell anemia is a major health problem, as it is in the United States, the original clinical studies were conducted by Dr. J. T. Araujo, director of the Hematology Department of the Tropical Medicine Institute of the University of San Paulo. Dr. Araujo's studies showed that im-

pressive overall improved health conditions were reached after the first two months of taking Healthy Red and usually after one year, the sickle cell symptoms decreased by 80% and in some cases, 100%.

D'Avila pointed to the reports in the Abstracts of the International Society of Hematology, published after its 24th Congress in London, England, that stated the compounds in this new product "well indicate that it corrects the immune system in a yet undermined manner, though possibly by changing the genetic structure, specifically modifying the gene of the immune system." The Abstract further reported that "over a three year period, sickle cell patients needed no blood transfusions, their hemoglobin remained between acceptable ranges, patient's appearance improved, and they did not develop any chest syndrome nor ulcers in lower limbs."

This product is specially formulated from a rare natural herb grown in the Amazon basin in the heart of the famed rain forest. During the past ten years, it has become recognized as the "oxygen tablet" as a result of its effectiveness in helping the oxygenation of the red blood cell.

Additional information can be obtained from Nutritional Bionix at 1-877-444-4415.

The African American Program



Carl Goodman, the founder of the African American Program.

BY JOY RAMOS

On July 9th, a group of men gathered at a home in NE Portland to be recognized for their successful completion of a long and difficult struggle toward rejoining their community as productive citizens, husbands and fathers. These men are parolees, and members of the African American Program developed by Multnomah County's department of Adult Community Justice, many having spent a significant part of their adult lives in prison, these man proudly stepped forward to be presented with individual certificates of achievement by Jim Rood, deputy director of the department, on behalf of the parole officers and corrections counselors whose efforts have shown remarkable results in breaking the cycle of recidivism for this group of men.

Less than two years ago, parole supervisor Carl Goodman and a select group of officers and counselors laid the groundwork for a new program aimed at an old and frustrating problem, the fact that far too many African American men released from prison on parole were being revoked and sent back for new criminal activity. The

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THE WEEK IN REVIEW

Thrill Kill

An arrest was made in Texas of one suspect that had committed a "thrill kill" on a Seaside beach last summer. The murderer, Jesse Carl McAllister was arrested as he tried to cross into the United States from Mexico. He faces aggravated murder charges.

Ex-Secret Service

Chief Justice William Rehnquist is allowing the testimony of President Clinton's security detail. A retired Secret Service agent has begun testifying before a grand jury in the Monica Lewinsky investigation. The possibility of perjury, witness tampering and obstruction in this case will also be investigated.

Thalidomide Returns

The drug Thalidomide will be available for use to treat a small number of leprosy patients. The drug was removed from the market because it caused birth-defect horrors worldwide. Women must take a pregnancy test before getting the drug, and men and women must use contraception.

9,000 Inmates Freed

South African President Nelson Mandela granted freedom to 9,000 prison inmates as part of his birthday celebration.

The government had allowed any prisoner with six months or less to serve except for the mentally disturbed - eligibility for parole.

Gateway Urban Center

East Portland's Gateway District will undergo a transformation that will make it a second urban center to downtown. The strategy is to make the area a walkable showpiece for Portland's east side and capitalize on its unmatched accessibility by freeway, bus and light rail.

Garbage Merger

A merger between two of the nation's largest garbage haulers has resulted in the possibility of lower garbage rates for households throughout the Portland region. Metro is trying to negotiate a new contract to dispose of Portland's garbage at the Arlington landfill.

Airport Line

The cost of a 5.5-mile extension of light rail from the Gateway Transit Center to Portland International Airport would be about \$125 million. The estimate was determined by Tri-Met. The actual amount may differ greatly with the additional cost of rail cars, terminals, an overpass and a commercial development.

OHSU Research Site

Oregon Health Sciences University is creating a research area that will become a mecca for science and technology. Plans are underway for this 20-year project. The name of this facility will be Star Park, or Science, Technology and Research Park.