



Clara Peoples finds her seat in a restored 1927 Chevrolet belonging to Paul Knowles, known as the unofficial "Mayor of Northeast Portland." Peoples, who sits on the Oregon Juneteenth Committee, is one of Portland's original organizers of the annual Juneteenth tradition.



A horse and carriage carrying Kelci-Rae Flowers, Miss Black Oregon USA 2007, and Mariah Taylor, a nurse practitioner and community advocate, moves down Northeast Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard.



Parade organizer Ora Lee Green joins business owner and community leader Bruce Broussard for the annual Juneteenth Parade commemorating the abolition of slavery in Texas on June 19, 1865.

Juneteenth Parade a Hit

PHOTOS BY MARK WASHINGTON/THE PORTLAND OBSERVER

Group Sprayed with Bullets

Five young men were victims of a spray of bullets Friday night.

Police said an unidentified car with an unknown number of assailants used at least two weapons to shoot at the group inside an open garage in the 9600 block of North Clarendon around 11:15 p.m.

Three of the victims were identified as Lexington Boswell, 20, Daniel Graham, 29, and Christian Kulju, 19. The other names were withheld because they are juveniles.

Police said Boswell and a 17-year-old suffered life-threatening injuries but are expected to survive.

Police don't suspect gang-related activity, as none of the victims were ever involved in gangs. No arrests have been made.



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Tagger Wanted in Alberta Arsons

The Portland Fire Bureau Investigation Unit, in cooperation with Crime Stoppers, is asking for the public's help in identifying and locating a person of interest in the investigation of arson fires on Northeast Alberta Street.

In the early morning hours of Saturday, April 14, Portland Police responded to a series of intentionally set fires in the area of Alberta between Northeast 14th Avenue and Northeast 31st Avenue.

The most significant fire involved an occupied apartment complex at 5026 N.E. 31st Ave. where occupants had to flee for safety.



A police sketch of a person of interest in the Alberta Street arsons investigation.

Fire and related damage to the complex was placed at approximately \$500,000.

The person of interest has been described as a white male, 26 years old and 6-foot-2 to 6-foot-3 inches tall, with medium build, blond hair, a gap between his teeth and a dimple in his chin. He was wearing a black hooded sweatshirt and identified himself to witnesses as being a "political tagger".

Crime Stoppers is offering up to \$1,000 for information that leads to an arrest in this case. You can remain anonymous. Call Crime Stoppers at 503-823-HELP(4357).

ABC Apologizes for Video Mix Up

ABC News has apologized for mistakenly running a picture of former Washington Mayor Marion Barry when it was promoting a "World News" story about a man suing a dry cleaner for \$54 million for losing his pants.

The June 11 mistake happened

because both men were in a Washington court that day and ABC got video of both, ABC spokeswoman Natalie Raabe said. Both Roy L. Pearson, who filed the lawsuit, and Barry are black. Barry was acquitted this week of drunken driving charges.

It was the second such case of mistaken identity this month involving newsworthy black men. Fox News Channel apologized for running tape of House Judiciary Chairman John Conyers while reporting on the indictment of Rep. William J. Jefferson on bribery charges.

Sizer Expands Police Hiring Eligibility Pool

In an effort to boost recruitment, Portland Police Chief Rosie Sizer has made it easier for people with a military background or who work inside the Portland Police Bureau to become police officers.

Those with two years of active service in the military or four years in the military reserve will no longer need a two-

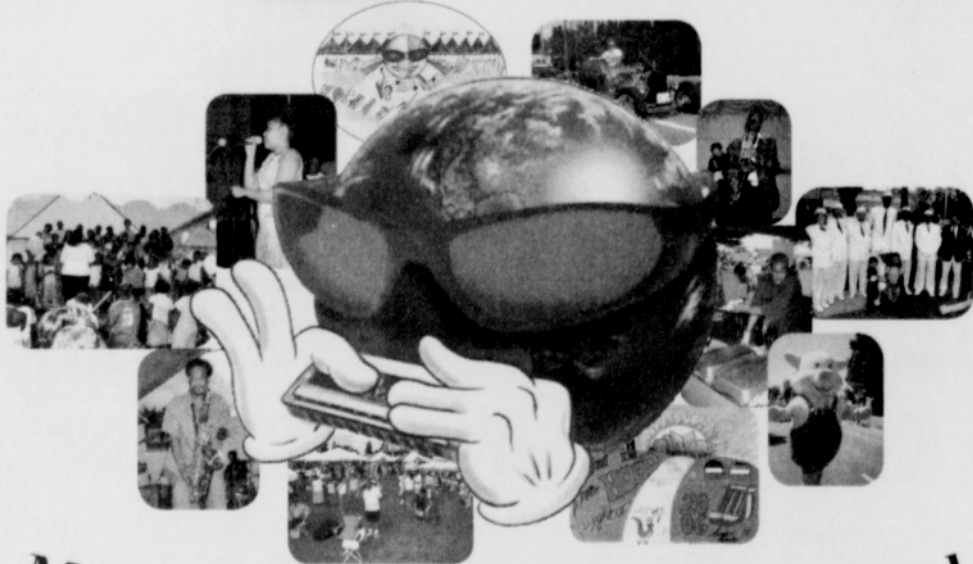
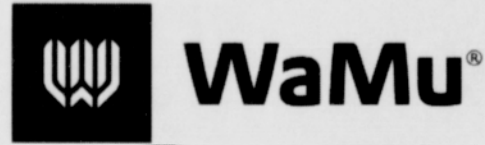
year associate's degree.

The education requirement will also be relaxed for people who have worked for two years as an employee of the Portland Police Bureau or the Bureau of Emergency Communications; two years as a police cadet or reserve with at least 500 hours; or two years as a police officer with another agency.

Story Clarification:

Bridget B. Sullivan is new audience development manager for the Oregon Shakespeare Festival and Bill Rauch is the festival's new artistic director. We regret that Sullivan's job title was incorrect in our June 6 story titled "Shakespeare Festival Spotlights Diversity."

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