

UMATILLA COUNTY'S Most Wanted

Saturday, Jan. 30, 2016

Umatilla County Community Corrections and the *East Oregonian* are cooperating in this weekly publication of descriptions of people who are wanted. The persons below have criminal warrants. If you see any of these people, do not attempt to apprehend them yourself. If you know where these people may be, contact dispatch at (541) 966-3651 or Community Corrections at 276-7824.

Askins, Anthony Lawrence
Felon with weapon

Espino, Antonio Pete
Assault, burglary, felon with weapon

Ibarra, Juan Manuel
Sexual abuse

Ortega Jr., Jose Raul
Delivery/manufacture of controlled substance. (3 counts)

Salinas, Andrew Jacob
Assault, riot, selling marijuana

For more information about Umatilla/Morrow County Community Corrections and additional wanted offenders, check out our website at: www.co.umatilla.or.us/corrections

UMATILLA COUNTY'S Warrants

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The *East Oregonian* receives a list of warrants on the Friday before publication of the weekend edition. The warrants below are outstanding as of Jan. 29, 2016.

Ochoa, Martin Richard
Failure to appear
No bail

Patee, Whitney Jo
Theft
Bail: \$5,000

Phillips, Jason Bradley
Failure to appear
Bail: \$20,000

Poitras, Nicholas Lawrence
Theft
Bail: \$5,000

Sendlinger, Alexander Robert
DUII, reckless driving, recklessly endangering another

Bail: \$10,000

Smith, Trevor Wyatt
Criminal trespass, theft
Bail: \$5,000

Taylor-Fuentes, Alberta Lynn
Theft
No bail

Tomlinson, Robert Eugene
Driving while suspended
Bail: \$5,000

Watts, Cameron Henry
DUII
No bail

Weatherford, Desirae Lynn
Theft
Bail: \$10,000

Please call dispatch at (541) 966-3651 if you know the location of any of the above subjects.

LOTTERY

Thursday, Jan. 28	4 p.m.: 8-2-9-1
Lucky Lines	7 p.m.: 4-8-5-0
03-06-10-14-FREE-18-21-28-30	10 p.m.: 2-0-3-8
Estimated jackpot: \$51,000	
Pick 4	Friday, Jan. 29
1 p.m.: 5-3-6-6	Pick 4
	1 p.m.: 8-3-8-7

SUITS FILED

PENDLETON — The following suits have been filed in Umatilla County courts:

- Midland Funding LLC vs. Gerald Detrick; seeks \$904.87 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Stephanie Graham; seeks \$888.10 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Shayler Hoffman; seeks \$805.70 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Loyd Studer; seeks \$488.91 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Cenlar FSB vs. Jerry Harshman, personal representative of the estate of Larry E. Harshman, and all others claiming right, title, lien or interest; seeks \$23,408.24 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Mark and Ruth Easley, Kris Mize and Michael A. Gallegos vs. Volkswagon Group of America Inc.; seeks \$93,910
- Capital One Bank vs. Amanda M. Cohn; seeks \$3,245.13 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Wilberto Garcia; seeks \$979.61 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Capital One Bank vs. Kacie E. Hemphill; seeks \$2,493.19 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Synchrony Bank vs. Denise Medlock; seeks \$5,075.19 plus interest, costs and fees.
- National Collegiate Student Loan Trust 2007-3 vs. Kimberley Koeller; seeks \$26,802.37 plus interest, costs and fees.
- First National Bank of Omaha vs. Curtis R. Blankenship; seeks \$14,420.42 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Beneficial Oregon Inc. vs. Joseph Merritt, Sandra Merritt, Credits Inc., Ford Motor Credit Company LLC, State of Oregon, Capital One Bank, United States of America and parties in possession; seeks \$202,641.04 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Alder Grove Service LLC vs. Hillary M. Kennedy; seeks \$1,291.10 plus interest, costs and fees.

JUDGMENTS

PENDLETON — The following judgments have been rendered in Umatilla County courts:

- Credits Inc. vs. Randall S. and Carol A. West; judgment for \$10,000 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Christine Wizer; judgment for \$6,864.71 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Discover Bank vs. Scott W. Feigner; judgment for \$2,201.08 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Discover Bank vs. Kimberly Hudgins; judgment for \$1,376.37 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Monica McConnell; judgment for \$866.37 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Leland Quinn; judgment for \$4,596.93 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Ralph Thompson; judgment for \$1,934.97 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC vs. David M. Alatorre; judgment for \$7,690.14 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Atlantic Credit & Finance LLC vs. Francisco Casillas Jr.; judgment for \$1,520.37 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC vs. Maia S. Underwood; judgment for \$1,283.08 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Collection Bureau of Walla Walla Inc. vs. Luis Alberto Martinez; judgment for \$6,289.02 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Kyle Williams; judgment for \$9,810.43 plus interest, costs and fees.
- Credits Inc. vs. Ronald W. Paris; judgment for \$9,183.55

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Morrow County DA moves to disqualify judge in infant manslaughter case

By PHIL WRIGHT
East Oregonian

Morrow County District Attorney Justin Nelson is seeking to disqualify Circuit Judge Eva Temple from presiding over the infant manslaughter case of Travis Martin.

Nelson filed the motion Friday morning with the Umatilla County Circuit Court in the wake of a Thursday pretrial hearing in the case. Defense attorneys often disqualify judges, but prosecutors rarely do.

Court records show defense attorney Robert Klahn of Pendleton told the court during the hearing he was going to file a motion to suppress, and Temple set a hearing for Feb. 28 to

consider the motion.

But Klahn did not say what he wanted to suppress, Nelson said. Temple also ordered Nelson's office to write a response to the motion while not giving Klahn a deadline to file it. Nelson said that order is a central reason he wants to disqualify her.

Attorneys usually respond to motions after the court has received them, not before. Nelson said trying to write a response to a motion he does not have would be a waste of resources. Klahn, for example, could ask the court to prohibit statements Martin made, a common defense tactic. But a defendant telling a friend something requires one kind of legal argument while a statement to police requires a different legal argument.

Nelson said at this point he has no idea what Klahn wants to suppress, and would have to guess at his tactics rather than file a specific response.

And just because Klahn said he would file the motion does not mean he will or even has to. He made similar statements in December about seeking a court order to suppress. Nelson said it would not make sense for his office to make a response and show up in court if Klahn did not make the motion.

Judges do not usually fight disqualification requests, and the five circuit judges of the district already rotate in hearing Morrow County cases. Nelson said while Temple has been presiding, some of the other circuit judges have handled proceedings as well.

The state has accused Martin, 22, of killing his 10-month-old daughter, Savannah, in May 2015. He faces multiple counts of manslaughter, assault and criminal mistreatment. The court set his trial for April 26-29, but Nelson and Klahn during Thursday's hearing also agreed to hold a settlement conference.

Nelson said settlement conferences allow a defendant the opportunity to give their perspective to a judge that will not oversee their trial, and that judge also conveys the state's position. The conferences have become more common in recent years and are less expensive than trials.

They also are less formal than other court proceedings and are not open to the public.

BRIEFLY

Craigien found guilty of having shiv in county jail

HERMISTON — Convicted murderer George West Craigen of Milton-Freewater lost another trial in Umatilla County.

Craigen waived his right to a jury trial, according to Umatilla County Circuit Court records, and Judge Russell West of Union County heard the case Tuesday in Hermiston.

The state accused Craigen, 53, of having a shiv in 2013 in the Umatilla County Jail, Pendleton, while his murder trial was pending. West found Craigen guilty of supplying contraband and sentenced him to two-and-a-half years. That will be on top of the 27-years-to-life he is serving for murder and possessing explosives.

Craigen last week tried to kick West off the case. West resided over Craigen's murder and explosives trials in 2014. And Craigen sought to represent himself in the contraband trial. Circuit Judge Dan Hill denied both motions.

Craigen for now remains at Snake River Correctional Institution, Ontario.

M-F kidnapping trio heading to prison

The third defendant in a 2015 Milton-Freewater kidnapping and assault took a plea deal.

John Adam Phillips, 33, of Walla Walla, pleaded no contest last week in Umatilla County Circuit Court, Pendleton, to second-degree kidnapping and second-degree robbery. The court set the sentencing for Friday, Feb. 5.

Co-defendant Skyler Ian Glasby, 27, of Dayton, Washington, lost at trial in mid-January. A jury convicted him of first-degree kidnapping, second-degree kidnapping, second-degree assault, second-degree theft, third-degree escape and possession of the drug Hydrocodone. The jury also determined Glasby was the primary actor in the assault and a helper in the kidnapping.

Circuit Judge Lynn Hampton sentenced him on Monday to 15 years in prison.

The third defendant, Samantha Noethe, 23, of Kennewick, pleaded guilty in October to one count each of second-degree robbery and kidnapping. Hampton sentenced her on Thursday to five years.

The state accused Noethe of luring Andrew Litchfield, 31, of Walla Walla, into her car in Milton-Freewater for a trip to Wildhorse Resort and Casino, then taking him to Glasby and Phillips, who beat and robbed Litchfield before dumping him on the outskirts of Walla Walla. Glasby at trial claimed Litchfield paid to have sex with Noethe, but she backed out after he made her nervous.

The jury did not buy the story.

Weston company pays for environmental failure

WESTON — A Weston company paid a \$7,341 penalty for not monitoring storm water discharge for two years.

The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality issued the penalty to J & J Snack Foods Handhelds Corp. for violations at its facility at 103 Depot St., Weston. The state regulators reported J & J failed to monitor storm water discharge for iron and chromium during monitoring periods 2013-2014 and 2014-2015. DEQ also cited the company without penalty for failing to submit a timely monitoring report in 2015.

The company operates under a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit, which requires monitoring of storm water discharge. The state environmental department relies on the monitoring to evaluate the effectiveness of storm water controls and to protect water quality and public health.

Jenny Root, environmental law specialist with the DEQ, said the company paid the fine in full on Jan. 12.

The environmental agency penalized the company in 2013 for similar reporting violations at the same facility.

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plus interest, costs and fees.

SENTENCES

PENDLETON — The following felony sentences have been imposed in Umatilla County courts:

- Victoria Rose Roark, 19, Pendleton, pleaded guilty to Theft I; sentenced to 3 years probation, 90 sanction units, 30 maximum jail units, 80 hours community service, \$140 fine and \$4,800 fine-suspended, plus court assessment.
- Paige Brooklin Brause, 21, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to two counts of Failure to Appear I; sentenced to 2 years probation, 120 sanction units, 60 maximum jail units and \$140 fine for each count, plus court costs and fees.
- Jordan Delano Crandall, 24, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Assault of Public Safety Officer; sentenced to 3 years probation, 180 sanction units, 90 maximum jail units, 80 hours community service, \$40 fine and \$2,400 fine-suspended, plus court assessment; pleaded guilty to Assault IV-domestic violence; sentenced to 180 days jail-suspended, 3 years probation and \$2,400 fine-suspended, plus court costs and fees; pleaded guilty to Escape II; sentenced to 3 years probation, 180 sanction units, 90 maximum jail units, 80 hours community service, \$40 fine and \$2,400 fine-suspended, plus court assessment; pleaded guilty to Menacing-domestic violence; sentenced to 3 years probation, \$40 fine, \$1,650 fine-suspended and \$622.98 restitution, plus court costs and fees.
- Michael Paul Dames Jr., 45, Pendleton, pleaded guilty

to Theft I; sentenced to 2 years probation, 120 sanction units, 60 maximum jail units, 120 hours community service and \$4,659.85 restitution, plus court assessment.

•Lancen Boyd Malone, 39, Adams, pleaded guilty to Attempt to Elude Police-vehicle; sentenced to 8 months Oregon Dept. of Corrections, 1 year post-prison supervision, \$140 fine and 90 days driver's license suspension, plus court assessment; pleaded guilty to Reckless Driving; sentenced to \$40 fine and 90 days driver's license suspension, plus court assessment.

•Joseph Avery Totten, 24, Athena, pleaded guilty to Possession of Methamphetamine; sentenced to 6 months Oregon Dept. of Corrections, 1 year post-prison supervision, \$140 fine and 6 months driver's license suspension, plus court assessment.

•Stanna Khoury Howell, 49, Pasco, Wash., pleaded guilty to Possession of Methamphetamine; sentenced to 18 months probation, 90 sanction units, 30 maximum jail units, \$440 fine, \$1,000 fine-suspended and 6 months driver's license suspension, plus court costs and fees; pleaded guilty to DUII; sentenced to 2 days jail, 180 days jail-suspended, 18 months probation, \$685 fine, \$1,500 fine-suspended and 1 year driver's license suspension, plus court costs and fees.

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DIVORCES

PENDLETON — Divorce decrees were signed in Umatilla County Courts for:

Kiauna L. Vaughn-Trader and Wyatt Y. Vaughn-Trader; Joel Macias and Tawnya Francine Strickland; Leslie J. Pease and Adam Eugene Odell; Anna Louise Vega Nieto and Jose Benigno Vega Nieto; Eddy Sandoval and Shelby Sandoval.

MARRIAGES

PENDLETON — Marriage licenses have been registered in Umatilla County for:

Sutter Wayne Ball, 18, and Amanda Jean Rhoads, 19, both of Adams.

Jonathan Dale Clark, 22, and Phyllis Dominique Orna, 25, both of Pilot Rock.

Leon James Espinoza, 37, and Barbara Sue Munoz, 42, both of Hermiston.


Daniel Erwin Hood, 36, of Stanfield and Rebecca Joy Nordyke, 35, of Pendleton.

Tyler James Martin-Kestler, 25, and Danielle Marie Spooner, 28, both of Umatilla.

David Rojas Hernandez, 23, of Kennewick, Wash., and MaryClara Hurtado Hernandez, 20, of Hermiston.

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