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No on Measure 9 backers followed advice from Portland police and recently erected a security fence around their headquarters.

Police set election night protection

■ The bureau will give special security to 30 persons and 70 locations to head off violence when the returns come in on Measure 9

By HOLLY DANKS
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In an unprecedented action, the Portland Police Bureau is trying to head off possible election night violence by giving special protection to more than 30 persons and 70 locations associated with Ballot Measure 9.

They have been identified as potential targets in the furor over the anti-gay initiative.

"We know that when the election results are known that there will be people that are pleased and displeased," Police Chief Tom Potter said Monday at a news conference.

"We're not going to tolerate massive grouping and the destruction of public or private property as some kind of statement," added Deputy Chief Charles Moose, incident commander for election planning.

Measure 9, which would amend the Oregon Constitution to bar the state from extending civil rights protections based on sexual orientation, "is by far the issue that generates the most hostile feelings, generates fear," Potter said.

Members of the Oregon Citizens Alli-

ance, sponsor of the measure, and measure supporters, as well as anti-9 activists, and gays and lesbians — or those perceived as homosexual — have received threats and been harassed. A Catholic church in Hillsboro was defaced with anti-gay graffiti, and another church in Portland was set on fire.

"We certainly hear there's a lot of fear in the community, and we're trying to be responsive to that," Moose said. By being pro-active and more visible than usual, police hope to keep the community safe for everyone, he said.

"We don't think we want to see happen in Portland what happened in Los Angeles, regardless of what the igniting factor might be," Potter said, referring to a report that found the Los Angeles police were not ready last spring to deal with the public's reaction to the verdicts in the Rodney King police brutality case.

"If we weren't prepared I think we wouldn't be doing our job," Potter said, noting that the precautions being taken for the election are unprecedented in his 26 years with the Police Bureau.

The contingency plans include these actions:

- Giving extra protection to 76 locations identified citywide as potential targets of violence.
- Meeting with more than 30 persons police think might be harmed, giving them advice on what precautions and security measures to take.
- Calling in extra patrols for election

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night and alerting police agencies in outlying areas that Portland may need help.

• Forming a Police-Community Response Team to foster communication and quick action. Twenty-five persons from all segments of the community have telephone pagers so they can be reached during a crisis.

• Setting up a "rumor control" hot line so the public can find out about the accuracy of reports of civil disturbances or acts of violence. The number is 823-INFO. It will be staffed by information and referral specialists 24 hours a day until 8 a.m. Wednesday. They will take phone numbers, which can be given anonymously, and return

■ SENATE RACE:
Les AuCoin and Bob Packwood spent the last day before the election trying to pry voters away from their opponent. Page D8

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Ballot Measure 9 creates climate of fear

Both proponents and opponents of the initiative have received threats

By BRIAN T. MEEHAN
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Voter apathy is not a problem this election season. Oregon's wrenching debate over Ballot Measure 9 has seen to that.

The emotional argument has created fearful camps, torn by suspicion and mistrust, punctured by violence.

Proponents say their opinions are censured at work; many are afraid to wear "Yes on 9" buttons or show support for the Oregon Citizens Alliance, sponsors of the measure.

ANALYSIS

Terror gripped gay and lesbian circles after a Salem firebombing killed a gay man and a lesbian.

Last week's indictment of four suspects included allegations that the victims' race and sexual orientation played a role in their deaths.

For many gay men and lesbians, the indictment confirmed their worst

fears — that Measure 9 has put their lives in jeopardy.

"People were absolutely horrified," said Donna Red Wing, leader of the Lesbian Community Project. "Whether they were killed because she was African-American or because she was a lesbian or because he was a gay man, these people were killed because of who they were," she added. "I think it had a profound impact on the community."

Measure 9 has eclipsed front-line races for mayor, Congress, even president. But dread has choked nor-

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Anti-gay, racial graffiti sprayed on church

Vandals who broke into St. Matthew's Roman Catholic Church in Hillsboro paint the hate slogans on walls and set a fire

By TOM HALLMAN JR.
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Vandals broke into St. Matthew's Roman Catholic Church in Hillsboro early Sunday and painted anti-homosexual, anti-Semitic and anti-Hispanic epithets in the church before setting a small fire in the rectory.

A fire alarm awakened an assistant pastor who was sleeping in a bedroom. He escaped without injury.

The 2 a.m. fire damaged a downstairs office, said Mary Koehler, a member of the church's social justice committee. She did not have a damage estimate, but said a desk, the curtains and papers on a desk were destroyed.

She said vandals appeared to have entered the church by prying open a door.

"We were targeted earlier in the week when someone spray painted some things on the outside of the rectory," Koehler said.

"I don't know what the motives are," she said.

Sunday morning's messages included: "Yes on 9" and "We hate gays."

Services went as scheduled Sunday morning. As parishioners arrived, some were visibly shaken by the damage that greeted them and the news of the near disaster only hours before.

The Rev. Jim Galluzzo, assistant pastor, during his homily declined to com-



ment on the spray painting. It was visible on the wall only a few yards from where he spoke.

Instead, he repeated information the Archdiocese of Portland included in its recent letter to Portland-area Catholics, urging tolerance.

Galluzzo, speaking later Sunday at an anti-Measure 9 rally on the grounds of the Washington County Courthouse, made no reference to the attack. He

said he opposed what he described as an attempt by the Oregon Citizens Alliance to "keep us divided" with Measure 9, the anti-homosexual ballot measure.

The ballot measure, sponsored by the OCA, would change the Oregon Constitution to declare homosexuality abnormal, ban certain human rights guarantees for homosexuals as a group, and require schools and govern-

ments to discourage homosexuality.

When people realize their common humanity, Galluzzo said during the anti-Measure 9 rally, they "will not tolerate what has happened throughout our history to blacks, to women, to gay men and to lesbians," he said.

TOM ROYD
The Rev. Jim Galluzzo delivers a homily Sunday in a church that was attacked by vandals.

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Springfield police investigate theater vandalism as hate crime

By DANA TIMS
Correspondent, The Oregonian

SPRINGFIELD — The spray painting of a Springfield theater where gay and lesbian choirs performed last weekend is being investigated as a hate crime.

Police said they had no witnesses or suspects in the vandalism, which was reported at 7:45 a.m. Tuesday by David Gibson, the owner of the McKenzie Theater on Main Street.

Gibson, who is Jewish, found ra-

cial epithets directed at him and his wife, who is Asian, painted across the windows and front door of his theater when he arrived there Tuesday morning.

In addition, the vandals had painted the word "yes" across a window sign urging voters to reject Ballot Measure 9, which appears on next Tuesday's ballot.

The precedent-setting initiative would amend the Oregon Constitution to prohibit the state from establishing civil rights protections based

on sexual orientation. It would ban government units from encouraging homosexuality and would require public agencies and schools to help set a standard that would brand homosexuality as abnormal and perverse.

The spray painting is being investigated as both criminal mischief and a hate crime, said Springfield police Sgt. Steve Egeter.

"For very obvious reasons, we're considering it a hate crime," Egeter said. "And from all we can gather,

it's most likely linked to the musical performances held at the theater last weekend."

Gibson offered the free use of his theater to artistic groups performing gay and lesbian material after Springfield voters in May approved an initiative prohibiting the city government from giving civil rights protections to homosexuals. The Portland Gay Men's Chorus and the Portland Lesbian Choir brought their "We Sing Out!" tour to the theater last Saturday.

While no incidents or prof were reported, Gibson said he is tain the vandalism is linked to singers' appearance.

"At the time I said to myself, 'it's amazing no one's doing anything,'" he said. "I should I known better."

Gibson said he planned to wait at least a week before removing paint.

"I want to let the people of Springfield know what they're in for. Measure 9 passes," he said.

■ Emotions about Measure 9 — both for and against — are running high, and are resulting in a rash of stolen signs and defaced property in the Salem area.

Campaign spurs vandalism

By Scott McFetridge
The Statesman Journal

Theresa Pantalone thought she was prepared.

One of her Yes on 9 lawn signs had been stolen, but Pantalone thought no one would budge the other one. Her husband, Mike Pantalone, had anchored the second sign with underground wooden supports.

"It was secure, but they just chopped it down with an ax," Pantalone, of Salem, said. "My husband heard them chopping, but they were gone by the time he got outside."

For Pantalone, it was an annoying signal that some people want to squelch her right to free speech.

But she's not the only one getting frustrated.

Salem police report a rash of minor vandalism connected to Measure 9.

Sgt. Jules Martino of Salem police said most of the problems were confined to damaged and stolen signs — on both sides of the measure. However, there also have been serious incidents.

Despite confusion about motives, many people think a Sept. 26 Salem firebombing that killed two homosexuals was tied to their sexual orientation.

Other recent incidents are less serious but more obviously tied to Measure 9.

Last Saturday, someone painted "Yes on 9" and "Lesbian's live hear!" on the side of a Dallas woman's house. Before the van-

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N.Y. rally blasts 9

NEW YORK — City officials and gay activists on Thursday vigorously denounced Oregon's Ballot Measure 9.

They urged New Yorkers to send checks to Oregon to help defeat Measure 9 and announced several actions against the initiative.

"We think of Oregon as a progressive and enlightened state. Yet, next Tuesday on the ballot will be a piece of legislation reflecting the ugliest emotions," City Comptroller Liz Holtzman said during a news conference. "What happens in Oregon can happen anywhere," New Yorkers will protest Measure 9 at a rally today and in a four-day vigil beginning today. The vigil will honor two people killed in a Salem firebombing

Special to the Statesman Journal
On Saturday, vandals defaced the home of a Dallas woman, who had placed signs in her yard opposing Measure 9.

dalism, the woman, who asked not to be named, repeatedly had replaced No on 9 signs that were stolen from her lawn.

"Something like this happens, and it makes you feel so small and vulnerable," she said.

That same weekend, Dean Epperly of

Salem discovered that a Yes on 9 sign in his pickup had prompted someone to scratch "No on 9" into the side of the vehicle and puncture one tire.

"I'm not hurting anyone, but someone has chosen to hurt me financially," Epperly said.



Homosexuals are a rich class demanding "special rights" at the expense of true minorities

ECONOMIC INDICATORS	HOMOSEXUALS	National Average	Black Americans with 1-3 years of high school	Hispanics with 1-3 years of high school
Average annual household income	\$55,430	\$32,144	\$12,166	\$17,939
College Graduates	59.6%	18.0%	—	—
Professionals/Managers	49.0%	15.9%	>1%	N/A
Overseas travelers (1987)	65.8%	14.0%	>1%	N/A
Frequent Flyers (1987)	26.5%	1.9%	>1%	N/A
Percentage voting in last Presidential election	87%	57%	N/A	N/A

Sources: Wall Street Journal, 7/18/91, page B1; 1991 U.S. Statistical Abstract; Colorado for Family Values; San Francisco Chronicle. "N/A" means Not Available.

Sodomy, fisting, rimming, mudwallowing.... The truth about homosexual behavior

What exactly is the behavior that liberals want to equate with ethnic heritage?

Editor's Note: The material in the following article and accompanying graph is intended for adults only. If you are offended by frank descriptions of perverse sexual behavior, please skip to another article.

This material is not intended for children. However, parents should be aware that this kind of material is now being freely distributed to children at schools and public locations by homosexual organizations.

What Homosexuals Do

While most Americans understand that homosexual behavior contributes to the spread of the AIDS virus, few realize the extent of the unhealthy nature of homosexual behavior.

Here is just a sample: An exhaustive study published in the prestigious *New England Journal of Medicine* (1980, 302), indicates that homosexuals lick the rectum, and thereby most likely ingest the fecal material, of an average of 23 different men per year! Another study, published in the *American Journal of Public Health* (1985), demonstrated that of the homosexuals in the study, 5% drank urine, 7% incorporated a fist up their rectum, 33% engaged in behavior likely to result in swallowing fecal material, 53% swallowed semen, and 59% received sperm up their rectum, all within the previous month.

Do African-Americans and other minorities want this behavior legally equated with their ethnic heritage?

Studies by leading researchers show that the following practices are regularly engaged in by many homosexuals. Below are listed the practices, and the percent of homosexuals found engaging in these practices, by a study published in the *Nebraska Medical Journal* (A description of each activity follows in brackets when applicable): fellatio (100%), fisting [inserting fist and arm into rectum] (41%), rimming [oral/anal contact] (92%), water sports [urinating on partners]

(29%), dark rooms [anonymous, multi-partner contact], "glory holes" [contacts through holes in restroom walls] and severe forms of sadomasochism (37%—One estimate is that 10% of San Francisco homicides are result of homosexual sadomasochism).

Homosexual promiscuity

The average American's concept of promiscuity pales in comparison to the reality of homosexual behavior.

A 1982 Center for Disease Control study showed that homosexual men infected with the AIDS virus had averaged 1,160 partners. A study of San Francisco homosexuals demonstrated that 28% of homosexuals have had sodomy with more than 1000 partners. An additional 70% had more than 50 partners.

A 1984 study by the American Psychological Association's ethics committee, published in *USA Today* (November 21, 1984), showed that the fear of AIDS had lowered the homosexual promiscuity rate from 70 different partners a year in 1982 to 50 partners a year by 1984. At this "safe-sex" rate, a homosexual from the age of 18 to 30 would still have had 600 different homosexual partners!

What was the homosexual reaction to AIDS? In his 1985 book *The Plague Years* (Simon and Schuster), homosexual sympathizer David Black writes, "The gay community resisted the idea of a new contagious disease as much as doctors did... Most of all a killer infectious disease would put a damper on the fun, ... And people didn't want anything to interfere with The Party."

The Health Consequences

What are the public health consequences for this unhealthy behavior? Sodomy, and other routine homosexual practices like those listed above, tear and rupture the tissue of the lower bowel and allow for the easy transmission of viral and bacterial infections. Despite efforts by homosexuals to

Homosexual Practice	Description	Percent of gays who participate in activity*
"Fisting"	Inserting hand and arm, sometimes up to the elbow, and other foreign objects, into rectum of another male	41%
"Rimming"	Licking, sucking anus of partner	92%
"Water sports"	Urinating on partner. Also called "Golden Showers"	29%
"Mud wallowing"	Defecating on partner; rubbing feces on partner	17%
Sadomasochism	Beating, piercing, abusing another person for sexual pleasure	37%
Public sex	Homosexual activities in public restroom and other public places.	66%
Pedophilia	Some sexual activity involving minors	46%

*Sources: Statistics are from 1983-84. Trends indicate that the percentage of homosexuals participating in these behaviors has been increasing with time. (*Nebraska Medical Journal*, 1985, 70, 292-299; *Lancet*, June 9, 1984, 1293.)

link AIDS transmission to heterosexuals, the March 18, 1992 edition of *The Oregonian* reports that homosexuals accounted for 86% of all 1991 Oregon AIDS cases. Another 8% were IV drug abusers. 78% of homosexuals have had at least one sexually transmitted disease.

Some homosexual practices bring the homosexual into oral contact with biologically significant amounts of fecal material. Most restaurant infections of hepatitis are a result of improper washing of hands after being exposed to fecal material. Homosexuals experience a greatly disproportionate rate of hepatitis infection, and have potentially more risk of spreading hepatitis. Hepatitis is easily transmitted through fecal material being transferred into food or

direct homosexual contact.

These facts mean that homosexual behavior represents a significant health risk to the general public. Some believe that the dramatic rise in the incidence of virulent strains of hepatitis and AIDS in the general population has its roots in homosexual behavior. Black says, "The pull of the fast-track S-M gay life, which seems to have been the breeding ground—or at least the staging area—for what appeared as a new and mysterious disease, is not a pathology [disease history] that the rest of us can dismiss." (emphasis added) Some medical experts agree that AIDS and hepatitis would not be epidemic among the general population apart from their constant incubation in the homosexual sub-culture.

A five year study of obituaries published in the gay

magazine, *The Washington Blade*, showed that the median age of homosexuals who died from AIDS was 39 years. The median age of those whose cause of death was other than AIDS, or not specified, was only 43 years!

Conclusion

Homosexual behavior presents a real and present danger to the physical and financial health of Oregonians. In addition, homosexual behavior is more perverse than commonly realized. It will be degrading to racial minorities to have their ethnic heritage made equal by law to perverse homosexual practices. Homosexuals are already protected by existing state law. Their perverse behaviors should not qualify them for the same status as ethnic heritage. ■

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Late Edition

New York Today, heavy rain, then showers high 74 Tonight, dense fog Low 66 Tomorrow, low clouds, then some sunshine High 79 Yesterday, high 66, low 61 Details are on page 4.

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Clearer Picture of Bosnia Camps: A Brutal Piece of a Larger Plan

Killings Described as Too Random to Be General

By STEPHEN E. AMY with CHUCY Special to the Times

ZAGREB, Croatia, Aug. 15 — The first images of emaciated men peering through barbed wire in Serbian detention centers in Bosnia and Herzegovina riveted the world's attention. In the week since, a clearer picture has begun to emerge of the scope of the camps and their conditions and the role they play in the larger Serbian military strategy.

Interviews with officials of international relief agencies and dozens of Bosnians — some of them still held in the camps, others living as refugees in Croatia — establish these major points about a conflict that has created Europe's worst refugee crisis since the end of World War II:

1. Conditions at the detention camps were described as brutal, but there is

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2. The existence, and the possibility of executions, were taken from them. They were made known to governments and aid agencies a month before the first press report on the subject appeared on Aug. 2. It was on that report, and the first broad film from the camps four days later, that President Bush announced that ordered American intelligence use "every asset available" to gauge the conditions at the camp. The interviews have shed light on the assertions of the camp

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THE NEW YORK TIMES

Oregon Measure Asks State To Repress Homosexuality

By TIMOTHY EGGAN Special to the Times

It will become part of the national debate in a race in 1993. The issue is a campaign trail in Oregon. Mr. Bush is expected to campaign in Oregon. Mr. Clinton is expected to campaign in Oregon. Mr. Dole is expected to campaign in Oregon. Mr. Perot is expected to campaign in Oregon.

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U.S. SAID TO PLAN RAIDS ON BAGHDAD IF ACCESS IS DENIED

U.N. INSPECTORS SET VISITS Officials Assert Iraq Would Be Provoked to Confrontation as the G.O.P. Convenes

By PATRICK E. TYLER Special to the New York Times

HOUSTON, Aug. 15 — The United States and its allies have decided to provoke a confrontation with Iraq on Monday morning over the right to inspect Baghdad's most closely guarded ministry buildings, American officials familiar with Administration planning said today.

The plan could lead to renewed bombing in Baghdad in coming days and the evacuation of United Nations personnel in Iraq. Some United States Government officials said the timing appeared calculated to give President Bush a boost during the Republican National Convention, which begins on Monday, and could damage the credibility of the United Nations, which is carrying out weapons inspections in the name of the Security Council.

After a series of interagency meetings in Washington this week, and consultations with British, French and United Nations officials, President Bush and his national security adviser, Brent Scowcroft, approved a plan on Thursday calling for United Nations inspectors now in Baghdad to demand access to Baghdad's Ministry of Military Industrialization, Government officials said. The chief of the United Nations special commission that supervises the inspections, Rolf Ekeus, was said to have left for Bahrain, where inspection teams are based.

Weapons-Development Effort The ministry, which was not bombed during the Persian Gulf war, super-

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