
LANE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
NEWS RELEASE



CASE NUMBER: 11-3258
DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 05/08/11 - 1843
DATE/TIME OF RELEASE: 05/09/11 - 0400
NATURE OF STORY: Barricaded Subject/Assault IV APA
LOCATION: 27866 Briggs Hill Road - Eugene
ARRESTED: Burgess, John Thomas 02/28/52
VICTIM: Gregory, Travis Lynn 07/02/78
INVOLVED: Gregory, Ellen Claire 09-20-59

DETAILS:

On 05-08-11 at approximately 1843 hours, Lane County Sheriff's deputies responded to 27866 Briggs Hill Road, Eugene, regarding a physical dispute. Information reported to the Lane County Sheriff's Office was that Travis Gregory had been assaulted by his step-father, John Burgess. John Burgess had also reportedly struck Travis's mother, who is Burgess's wife, Ellen Gregory, during the dispute.

Upon arrival, deputies contacted the victim, Travis Gregory, at the end of the driveway. Travis told deputies he had been assaulted by his step-father, John Burgess, and had received minor injuries to his face and head from the assault. Ellen Gregory, who's physical condition was unknown, was still inside the residence with John Burgess and both were refusing to exit the residence. Deputies were aware there were firearms inside of the residence so the Eugene Police Swat Team responded to provide mutual aid.

At approximately 2330 hours, Ellen Gregory exited the residence. It was determined that she was not injured during the dispute with Burgess. At approximately 0030 hours, John Burgess exited the residence and was taken into custody without incident. John Burgess was lodged at the Lane County Jail for Assault IV APA.

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