

NEWS RELEASE



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CASE NUMBER: 07-3810

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: May 5, 2007 / 9:59am

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NATURE OF STORY: Home Invasion Robbery

LOCATION: 1757 Grove St. Eugene, OR

INVOLVED: Victim; Callen, Mary Catherine 11/20/1958
Victim; Callen, Phyllis June 07/21/1933

**Suspect #1 white male\ late 20's to early 30's\
slender build\wearing blue jeans\ no shirt\
hair pulled back into a pony tail**

**Suspect #2 white female\ early 20's\ wearing
white sweater and tan pants**

DETAILS: The Lane County Sheriff's Office responded to a 911 call from 1757 Grove St in Eugene. Phyllis Callen was calling to report being confronted by a male, armed with a large knife, in her home. Phyllis Callen was home with her adult daughter, Mary Callen, when this incident occurred.

The male demanded property from Mary and Phyllis while threatening them with the large knife. The male was directed to the garage area of the residence. When the male entered the garage Mary and Phyllis fled to a

neighbor's residence, where they remained until the arrival of police. Responding units from the Sheriff's Patrol, Marine Patrol, Forest Patrol and Traffic Team responded to the scene. Units from the Oregon State Police and Eugene Police also responded and assisted. An LCSO traffic unit was first to arrive and reported a male and female fleeing towards the back yard of the involved residence. A perimeter was quickly established.

The Eugene Police Department provided a K-9 and a search of the residence and surrounding vicinity was conducted however, the suspects were not located. Neither Mary nor Phyllis Callen was injured during this incident.

The suspect's identity and current location are unknown. The investigation is continuing. The case will be forwarded to the Sheriff's Detective Unit for follow-up investigation.

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