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Egbert. H. D.	Harney	Murder	Jan. 29, 1904	Hanging	C	Iowa	26	Teamster	Prot.	M		
Gugleilmo, Frank	Multnomah	Murder	May 5, 1905	Hanging	C	Oregon	21		Cath.	F		
Lauth, George W.	Clackamas	Murder	July 13, 1906	Hanging	C	Illinois	26	Laborer	Prot.	F		
Megorden, Holliver	Malheur	Murder	June 28, 1907	Hanging	C	Wisconsin	57	Printer	Prot.	F	Wife? Same name	
Barnes, John C.	Douglas	Murder	Sept. 18, 1906	Hanging	C	Calif.	47	Carpenter	None	M		
Shephard, Fred A.	Crook	Murder	Nov. 24, 1906	Hanging	C	Oregon	22	Horseman	None	M		
Hose, Henry	Multnomah	Murder	Dec. 21, 1906	Hanging	C	Germany	32	U.S. Army	Prot.	F		
Anderson, Joe	Multnomah	Murder	July 2, 1909	Hanging	C	Calif.	35	Molder	Prot.	M		
Janeigaj, Mathew	Clackamas	Murder	Oct. 22, 1909	Hanging	C	Austria	27	Wagon Maker	Cath.	F		
Johnson, Walter H.	Washington	Murder	Feb. 5, 1909	Hanging	C	Wash.	28	Farmer	Prot.	M		
Timmons, C. Y.	Marion	Murder	Feb. 26, 1909	Hanging	C	Illinois	38	Plasterer	Prot.	F	Wife	
Nordstrom, Adolf N.	Tillamook	Murder	June 18, 1909	Hanging	C	Sweden	25	Sailor	Prot.	M		
Finch, James	Multnomah	Murder	Nov. 12, 1909	Hanging	C	Iowa	39	Attorney	Cath.	M	---	---
Roselain, John D.	Washington	Murder	Sept. 8, 1910	Hanging	C	Holland	46	Carpenter	Prot.	F	Wife	
Newton, Harrell Isaac	Lane	Murder	Sept. 9, 1910	Hanging	C	Oregon	48	Sheep Herder	Prot.	M		
Morgan, Mike	Josephine	Murder	Dec. 13, 1912	Hanging	C					M		
Garrison, Frank	Coos	Murder	Dec. 13, 1912	Hanging	C	Oregon	37			M		
Noble, Fiaulder	Klamath	Murder	Dec. 13, 1912	Hanging	C					M		
Humphery, Charles (Brother George)	Benton	Murder	March 22, 1913	Hanging	C	Colo	39	Laborer	Prot.	M		

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Humphery, George (Brother Charles)	Benton	Murder	March 22, 1913	Hanging	C	Wisc.	52	Laborer	Prot.	M		
Roberts, H. E.	Multnomah	Murder	Dec. 13, 1912	Hanging	C	Oregon	29	Miner	None	M-M		
Spanos, Mike	Jackson	Murder	Oct. 31, 1913	Hanging	C	Greece	21	Tailor	Cath.	M		---
Seymour, Frank	Jackson	Murder	Oct. 31, 1913	Hanging	C	Wash.	19	Fireman	Cath.	M		
Hansel, Oswald C.	Clatsop	Murder	Nov. 14, 1913	Hanging	C	Germany	48	Farmer	Prot.	M		
Bancroft, Emmet	Umatilla	Murder	Nov. 5, 1920	Hanging	C	Missouri	29	Farmer	Prot.	M	None	Killed Sheriff duing Jail break
Kerby, Elvie D.	Umatilla	Murder	July 7, 1922	Hanging	C	Okla.	23	Farmer	None	M	None	Killed Sheriff during jail break
Rathie, John L.	Umatilla	Murder	July 7, 1922	Hanging	C	Russia	22	Carpenter	Prot.	M	None	Killed Sheriff duing Jail break
Howard, George	Malheur	Murder	Sept. 8, 1922	Hanging	C	Oregon	23	Laborer	Cath.	M	None	
Casey, Dan	Multnomah	Murder	Aug. 24, 1923	Hanging	C		46		Cath.	M		
Walters, Husted	Multnomah	Murder	March 9, 1923	Hanging	C	Okla.	27		none	M	None	Killed Patrolman
Peare, L. W.	Coos	Murder	May 22, 1925	Hanging	C	Maine	67	Rancher		M & F	wife	moonshine spree
Parker, George	Linn	Murder	Jan. 4, 1924	Hanging	C	Indiana	36	Cigar Maker	Prot.	M	Sheriff	Attempted Jail Break
Covell, Arthur	Coos	Murder	May 22, 1925	Hanging	C	Kansas	44	Rancher	None	F	Sister in Law	
Cody, A.	Malheur	Murder	April 16, 1926	Hanging	C/N	Okla.	43	Cowboy	None	M	Sheriff	Jail break

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Lloyd, W. R.	Polk	Murder	Nov. 30, 1925	Hanging	C	Idaho	26	Laborer	Prot.	M	Taxi Driver	to steal the car
Kelley, Ellisworth	Marion	Murder	April 20, 1928	Hanging	C	Wisc.	29	Laborer	Prot.	M	Prison Guard	Prison Break
Willos, James	Marion	Murder	April 20, 1928	Hanging	C	Arizona	27	Switchman	Cath.	M	Prison Guard	Prison Break
Brownlee, Albert	Lane	Murder	May 17, 1927	Hanging	C	Wyoming	29	Rancher	Cath.	M	Deputy Sheriff	Tried to arrest him
Butchek, John	Multnomah	Murder	June 10, 1927	Hanging	C	Germany	47	Molder	Cath.	F	wife	Jealousy
Kingsley, James E.	Jackson	Murder	Oct. 30, 1931	Hanging	C	Wash.	24	Laborer	None	M	Policer Officer	Investigating the car
McCarthy, LeRoy Hershel	Multnomah	Murder	Jan 20, 1939	Gas	C	Wash	27	Laborer	Prot	M	None	Hold up victim
Cline, Claude Edward	Wheeler	Murder	July 26, 1940	Gas	C	Arkansas	46	Miner	Nine	2M	Mining Partner	
Thomas, James Harvey	Gilliam	Murder	Oct. 30, 1941	Gas	C	Wyoming	19	Mechanic	Prot.	M		----
Wallace, William E.	Multnomah	Murder	Feb. 26, 1943	Gas	C	Okla.	54	Logger	None	M		
Soto, John Anthony	Umatilla	Murder	March 20, 1942	Gas	C	Calif.	17	Laborer	Cath.	2M/1 F	None	
Cunningham, H.	Multnomah	Murder	March 6, 1944	Gas	AA	Kansas	37	Laborer	None	M		was noted on records
Folkes, Robert. E. Lee	Linn	Murder	Jan. 5, 1945	Gas	AA	Arkansas	20	Cook-waiter	Prot.	F		
Layton, Richard Harry	Polk	Murder	Dec. 8, 1944	Gas	C	Calif.	36	Laborer	Prot.	F		
Merton, Henry WM	Clackamas	Murder	Jan. 15, 1945	Gas	C	Wisconsin	31	Mechanic	None	M		Hold up victim
Higgins, Walter	Clackamas	Murder	Jan. 15, 1945	Gas	C	Mass.	32	Barber	None	M		Hold up victim

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Bailey, Kenneth WM	Malheur	Murder	Sept. 13, 1946	Gas	C	Idaho	26	Laborer	Cath.	M	None	State police officer
Dennis, Andrew W.	Multnomah	Murder	Feb. 2, 1946	Gas	C	Kansas	45	Brakeman	Prot.	F	Mother in law	
Henderson, Wardell H.	Multnomah	Murder	Jan. 23, 1948	Gas	AA	N. Carolina	24	Mechanic	Cath.	M		
Long, Wayne Leroy	Clackamas	Murder	Aug. 8, 1952	Gas	C	Oregon	26	Laborer	None	M		To get his truck
Leland, Morris	Multnomah	Murder	Jan. 9, 1953	Gas	C	Oregon	22	Laborer	None	F	None	
Payne, Frank Oliver	Multnomah	Murder	Jan. 9, 1953	Gas	C	Wash.	48	Office Worker		M	None	Robbery
Karnes, Albert WM	Marion	Murder	Jan. 30, 1953	Gas	C	Oregon	24	Laborer		F		Robbery
McGahuey, Leeroy Sanford	Jackson	Murder	Aug. 20, 1962	Gas	C	St. Helens	40	Logger	Prot.	Infant M		