

# Local

## Blood shed

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When Bundy and the others didn't appear at the 6 p.m. meeting, Palmer continued without them.

Those attending at the time were unaware that at approximately 4:25 p.m. the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and Oregon State Police (OSP) "began an enforcement action to bring into custody a number of individuals associated with the armed occupation of the Malheur National Wildlife Refuge," according to a press release.

It's undisputed that during the arrest, there were shots fired by law enforcement, killing Finicum. Initial reports are that no shots were fired by Finicum or others in his vehicle. Other details are pending.

The incident took place on a heavily wooded stretch of Highway 395

with deep snowbanks on either side.

Ryan Bundy, who was also riding in Finicum's truck, suffered non-life threatening injuries due to a single gunshot or shrapnel wound to the upper arm, and was transported to the hospital for treatment. He was arrested and is currently in custody.

The arrested individuals include:

- Ammon Edward Bundy, age 40, of Emmett, Idaho;
- Ryan C. Bundy, age 43, of Bunkerville, Nevada;
- Brian Cavalier, age 44, of Bunkerville, Nevada;
- Shawna Cox, age 59, Kanab, Utah;
- Ryan Waylen Payne, 32, of Anaconda, Montana.

In a separate event in Burns, Oregon, at approximately 5:50 p.m., Oregon State Police arrested:

- Joseph Donald O'Shaughnessy, age 45, Cottonwood, Arizona.

All were booked in the Multnomah County Jail Wednesday morning, all pleading not guilty.

All of the named defendants face a federal felony charge of conspiracy to impede officers of the United



Submitted Photo.

Ammon Bundy.

States from discharging their official duties through the use of force, intimidation, or threats, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 372.

Journalist Pete Santilli of Ohio, who had been embedded with the occupiers on the Refuge since January 2, was arrested on the same felony charges.

Multiple other individuals, said to include journalists as well as others who were visiting the Refuge, but not part of the original occupation, were held for approximately two hours and then released.

Throughout Tuesday night and into Wednesday morning, the FBI surrounded the Refuge, setting up a series of checkpoints on roadways.

According to another



Submitted Photo.

Ryan Bundy.



Submitted Photo.

Shawna Cox.

press release, "The FBI and Oregon State Police have initiated a containment of the Malheur National Wildlife Refuge in order to better ensure the safety of community members and law enforcement. This decision was made out of an abundance of caution... The containment procedure involves a series of checkpoints established along key routes into and out of the Malheur



Submitted Photo.

Ryan Payne.



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Brian Cavalier.

National Wildlife Refuge. "Attempts to Travel Into the Refuge

"There will be signage ahead of each checkpoint. Anyone who moves beyond that signage will be stopped, identified and asked leave. Non-compliant people will be subject to arrest.

"Leaving the Refuge Anyone coming out of the refuge will have his or her identification confirmed and any associated vehicles searched.

"Resident Ranchers Only

"The only people allowed to pass into the



Submitted Photo.

Pete Santilli.



Submitted Photo.

Joseph O'Shaughnessy.

checkpoints will be Harney County ranchers who own property in those specific areas. They will be required to show photo ID as they go in and out."

Addition arrests were made Wednesday: Duane Leo Ehmer, age 45, of Ir-rigon, Oregon, and Dylan Wade Anderson, age 34, of Provo, Utah, and Jason S. Patrick, age 43, of Bo-naire, Georgia. All were in contact with the FBI, and each chose to turn himself into agents at a check-point outside the Malheur National Wildlife Refuge. The arrests were without incident.

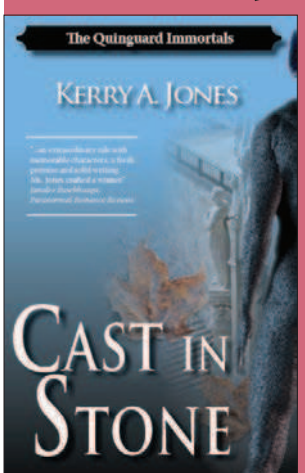
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