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## JEWELS, SKELETONS AND CIGARETTES: AN ODD STORY

### BURLEY ODD FELLOWS HALL BURGLARIZED

By Damon Hunzeker Times-News writer

It's an appropriately odd story.

Somebody broke into the Independent Order of Odd Fellows (IOOF) Hall in Burley within the past week.

The odd part isn't what was stolen - possibly a few medallions and jewels worth about \$300, according to the police report - but that the person who took them was apparently living in the attic.

According to Cassia County Officer Mark Merrill's incident report, IOOF member Shirley Warren reported the forced entry on New Year's Day after she and her husband noticed that the building's gas bill was higher than usual.

A window on the second-story back door was broken. Inside, it was a mess - drawers, cabinets, boxes of clothes, and an unlocked safe were open and had been thoroughly rummaged.

"On the stairs a black coffin with a skeleton in it was on its side, partially on the stairs and partially into the men's rest room," Merrill's report reads, "Next to a Sprite can was a stack of dishes. The top saucer on the stack had been used as an ashtray, and there were several cigarette butts inside the saucer... It appeared as if someone had been sleeping in the attic, as items had been moved around to clear a space on the floor big enough for someone to lie down.

Warren said smoking is prohibited in the building, which led her to believe that whoever broke in was not an Odd Fellow.

Merrill dusted the premises for fingerprints but found nothing usable.

He told Warren to call him if she notices anything else missing.

Property damage was estimated to be \$700.

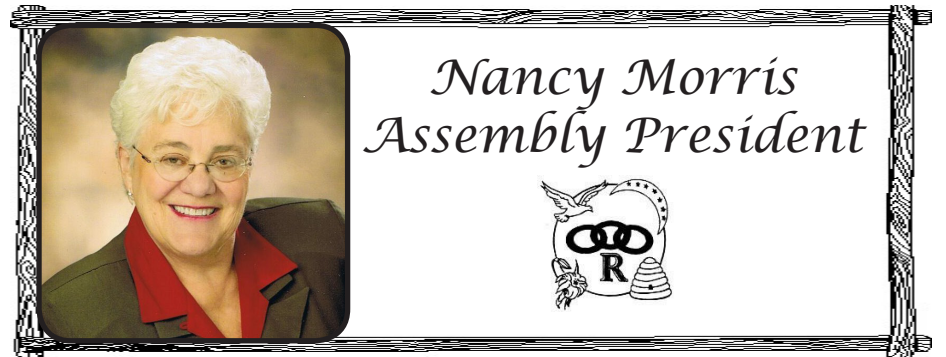
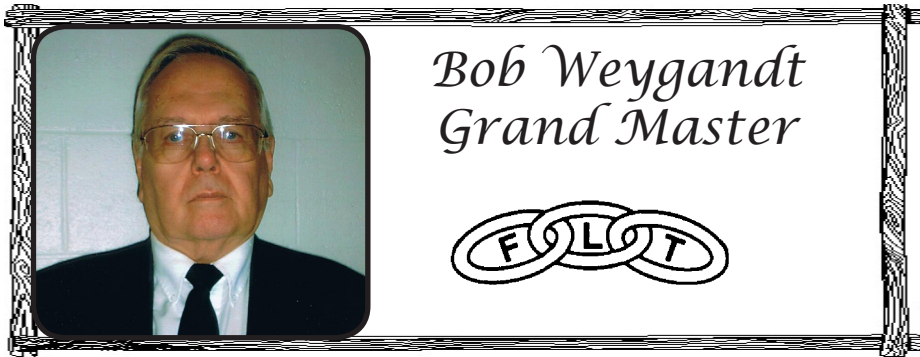
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Cassia County Officer  
Mark Merrills  
Incident Report

"We're actually not sure what was stolen. Without a prior inventory, we just can't be certain," Warren said Saturday afternoon, adding that the building hadn't been used by members since Dec. 13. "They broke in between meetings," she said. "I'm just glad they didn't leave a cigarette burning."

Submitted by,  
Shirley Warren, Sec.  
Burley IOOF #118





Brothers and Sisters:

Once again it is my pleasure to send you greetings from the Grand Lodge of Idaho and my personal greetings. Even though I have my visitations planned, I have not received a confirmation on all of them. I am sure however this will not be problem and look forward to visiting each of the lodges. Many of you, I already know, and I look forward to getting acquainted with those Brothers and Sisters that I have not had the pleasure of meeting before. I know that working together, we can build a stronger fraternity of Odd Fellowship.

Once again, I would encourage all lodges to find a project within their community that will aid the community and advertise our order. I know that the lodges support the projects that are set by Sovereign, but if we support local projects, we are getting our local lodges and members known within our communities. My hope is that we will not have any of our lodges have to give up their charters and that each lodge will gain new members and find new ways to make our lodge meeting fun and productive. Please consider having social gatherings, including dinners, card parties and Bingo nights.

These can be in conjunction with meeting nights or simply set a date. If we make our meetings more that just paying bills and taking care of necessary business, maybe more members will want to come and we can attract new members.

Bob Weygandt  
Grand Master  
Jurisdiction of Idaho

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

Hello from the snow belt of Idaho. I am sick of snow and shoveling and am looking forward to coming down south. I did see two fat robins in a tree with snow flakes falling, so hope that is a sign that better weather is ahead.

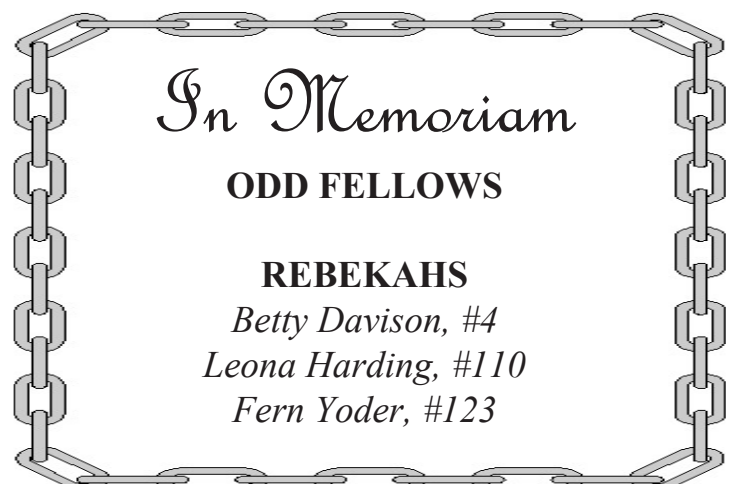
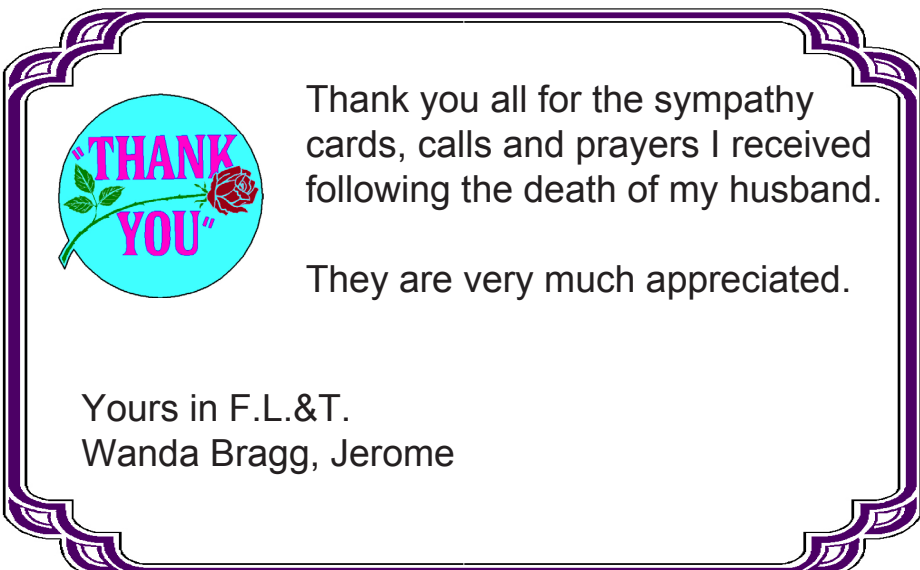
I want to let everyone know that I have asked that District 7 to be held at Nampa is being changed to the 1st Saturday in March ( March 7th). I also asked Unity #8 in Boise if they could change my visitation from February 5th to March 5th. I thank these lodges for being willing to change their visits for me. THANK YOU.

On Tuesday January 20th, Mildred Boeker, Carnation Rebekah Lodge No. 95 (formally of Naomi Rebekah Lodge No. 16) was 100 years old. A group of her Rebekah Sisters visited her in the nursing home in Coeur d'Alene of which I was one. Sister Mildred has been a member since 1963. She has been active and is always making crocheted quilts for the ill and children hospitals. This Sister is a true tribute to womanhood and a true Rebekah. She is very alert, but has just slowed down some. She knew all of us and what a time was had by all.

I will start my visitation this month and remember our ill and shut ins. Take a little cheer to them and remember our Sweethearts.

KINDNESS IS A LANGUAGE  
WHICH THE DEAF CAN HEAR  
AND THE BLIND CAN SEE  
(Mark Twain)

Happy trails until we meet again.  
In F.L. And T,  
Nancy Morris, President



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Box 1015<br/>Orofino, ID 83544-1015<br/>208-476-4402</p> <p>67 BANNER,<br/>PRIEST RIVER<br/>1-3 Thursday<br/>Clarence Corning, Sec.<br/>3474 Hiway No. 2<br/>Priest River, ID 83856<br/>208-448-1457</p> <p>76 CRAIGMONT,<br/>CRAIGMONT<br/>1-3 Thursday<br/>Thomas Hutchinson, Sec.<br/>Route 2 Box 61<br/>Craigmont, ID 83523<br/>208-924-5910</p> | <p>83 NEW PLYMOUTH,<br/>NEW PLYMOUTH<br/>2-4 Thursday @ 8 PM<br/>William Cummings, Sec.<br/>4167 SW 2nd Avenue<br/>New Plymouth, ID 83655<br/>208-278-5479</p> <p>85 COUNCIL, COUNCIL<br/>Wednesday<br/>Jim Camp, Sec.<br/>2388 Mill Creek Road<br/>Council, ID 83612<br/>208-253-4549</p> <p>88 ASHTON, ASHTON<br/>2-4 Monday<br/>Dick Nedrow, Sec.<br/>3280 East 1700 North<br/>Ashton, ID 83420<br/>208-652-3392</p> <p>91 EVENING STAR,<br/>POST FALLS<br/>2-4 Thursday @ 7:30 PM<br/>Janette Weatherly, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 62<br/>Careywood, ID 83809</p> <p>103 CRYSTAL,<br/>CLEARWATER<br/>Jim Hunter, Sec.<br/>3437 Hwy 13<br/>Stites, ID 83552<br/>208-926-7355</p> <p>104 WEIPPE, WEIPPE<br/>P.O. Box 236<br/>Weippe, ID 83553</p> <p>118 BURLEY, BURLEY<br/>2-4 Tuesday @ 7 PM<br/>Shirley Warren, Sec.<br/>901 East 16th.<br/>Burley, ID 83318<br/>208-678-3032</p> <p>129 JEROME, JEROME<br/>2-4 Thursday @ 8 PM<br/>James B. Weighall, Sec.<br/>628 12th Avenue North<br/>Buhl, ID 83316<br/>208-543-8308<br/>208-420-1952</p> <p>131 WENDELL, WENDELL<br/>1-3 Thursday<br/>Ray McCord, Sec.<br/>2895 South 1500 East<br/>Wendell, ID 83355<br/>208-536-2029</p> <p>137 WILDER, WILDER<br/>1-3 Thursday (Nov-Mar 7<br/>PM &amp; Apr-Oct 8 PM)<br/>Ralph Collins, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 42<br/>Wilder, ID 83676<br/>208-482-7319</p> <p>142 PLUMMER, PLUMMER<br/>1-3 Friday @ 10 AM<br/>Bessie Houck, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 174<br/>Plummer, ID 83851-0174<br/>208-686-1130</p> | <p>152 RIGGINS, RIGGINS<br/>2-4 Tuesday<br/>Mary R. Foster, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 385<br/>Riggins, ID 83549<br/>208-628-3452</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>REBEKAH LODGE DIRECTORY</b></p> <p>4 GUIDING STAR,<br/>MOUNTAIN HOME<br/>2-4 Thursday @ 7:30 PM<br/>155 North 3rd East<br/>Jean Markham, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 361<br/>Mtn. Home, ID 83647<br/>208-587-4097</p> <p>5 GEM OF THE MOUN-<br/>TAINS, CALDWELL<br/>1-3 Tuesday @ 7 PM<br/>511 North 16th Avenue<br/>Sharon McGaffick, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 472<br/>Caldwell, ID 83606<br/>208-454-0291<br/>208-454-7513</p> <p>8 UNITY, BOISE<br/>1-3 Thursday @ 8PM<br/>600 North Curtis Road<br/>208-322-4658<br/>Sharon Miller, Sec.<br/>915 Camelot Drive<br/>Boise, ID 83704<br/>208-376-1894</p> <p>12 MIZPAH, GRANGEVILLE<br/>2-4 Monday @ 1:30 PM<br/>825 W. Cunningham<br/>Pearl Bentley, Sec.<br/>92 Mt. Idaho Grade Road<br/>Grangeville, ID 83530<br/>208-983-2374</p> <p>13 ROYAL GEM,<br/>WHITE BIRD<br/>1-3 Wednesday @ 7 PM<br/>149 River Street<br/>Caroline Jones, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 200<br/>White Bird, ID 83554<br/>208-839-2438</p> <p>14 ANNA, SALMON<br/>1-3 Wednesday<br/>Mar-Nov @ 7 PM<br/>Dec-Feb @ 6 PM<br/>510 1/2 Main Street<br/>Sharon Hoffman, Sec.<br/>Box 152<br/>Salmon, ID 83467<br/>208-756-2110</p> <p>17 WELCOME,<br/>CAMBRIDGE<br/>1-3 Tuesday @ 8 PM<br/>70 Superior Street<br/>(East Side of US 95)<br/>Irene Jeffries, Sec.<br/>531 Perry Drive<br/>Payette, ID 83661<br/>208-642-4826</p> | <p>18 ROSE, IDAHO CITY<br/>3 Saturday @ 3 PM<br/>Apr, May, Sept &amp; Oct<br/>Idaho City, Idaho<br/>Dr. Linda Clark, Sec.<br/>5378 N. Fieldcrest Ave.<br/>Boise, ID 83704<br/>208-323-1123 (Home)<br/>208-340-0114 (Cell)</p> <p>22 HARMONY, PAYETTE<br/>1-3 Thursday @ 8 PM<br/>215 North Main<br/>208-642-3562<br/>Jean Stephan, Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 822<br/>Payette, ID 83661-0822<br/>208-642-3462<br/>tooljocky@juno.com</p> <p>23 IVY, POCATELLO<br/>2-4 Tuesday @ 2:30 PM<br/>249 North Main<br/>Shannon Vieth, Sec.<br/>3825 Northern Lights<br/>Pocatello, ID 83201<br/>208-637-0451</p> <p>24 COLFAX, NAMPA<br/>1-3 Tuesday @ 7 PM<br/>204 12th Avenue South<br/>Kenny Averill, Sec.<br/>120 East Ithica Street<br/>Caldwell, ID 83605<br/>208-459-3093</p> <p>27 SILVER LEAF, CHALLIS<br/>2-4 Tuesday @ 7 pm<br/>700 Main Street<br/>P.O. Box 1054<br/>208-879-2732<br/>Andrea HumbirdStout,<br/>Sec.<br/>P.O. Box 749<br/>Challis, ID 83226<br/>208-879-4360</p> <p>33 LILY, IDAHO FALLS<br/>2-4 Thursday @ 4:30 PM<br/>421 "A" Street<br/>208-522-1834<br/>Verla Rae Mortensen,<br/>Sec<br/>449 East 16th Street<br/>Idaho Falls, ID 83404<br/>208-523-1427</p> <p>37 PANSY, MIDDLETON<br/>2-4 Tuesday @ 8 PM<br/>511 North 16th Avenue<br/>Caldwell, Idaho<br/>208-459-2412<br/>Laurel Finch, Sec.<br/>12318 Finch Lane<br/>Middleton, ID 83644<br/>208-585-3358</p> <p>45 UNION, HAGERMAN<br/>1-3 Tuesday @ 2 PM<br/>Laura McAnulty, Sec.<br/>430 South Milner Street<br/>Wendell, ID 83355<br/>208-536-6487</p> |
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1-3 Thursday @ 7 PM  
Stan's Cafe  
Mae Carlson, Sec.  
352 East 550 North  
Firth, ID 83236  
208-785-0344
- 49 RUBY, PARMA  
2-4 Tuesday @ 7 PM  
7th Avenue & Lang Street  
Erma Trent, Sec  
P.O. Box 654  
Parma, ID 83660  
208-722-6411
- 54 SEVEN STAR, ST. MARIES  
2-4 Tuesday @ 7:30 PM  
605 Main Street  
(Senior Citizens Center)  
Joan Slusher, Sec.  
8837 North Star Loop  
Hayden, ID 83835  
208-582-1338
- 56 DIAMOND, COUNCIL  
1 Wednesday @ 7:30 PM  
September - June  
214 South Fairfield  
(East Side Street Past the LDS Church)  
Laura Camp, Sec.  
2388 Mill Creek Road  
Council, ID 83612  
208-258-4549
- 59 ZENITH, STITES  
2-4 Wednesday @ 7 PM  
18 North Main, Kooskia  
Dixie Jackson, Sec.  
P.O. Box 94  
Stites, ID 83552  
208-926-0017
- 60 WHITE PINE, WEIPPE  
2-4 Tuesday @ 7 PM  
Main Street  
Shiela McBride  
P.O. Box 236  
Weippe, ID 83553-0236  
208-435-4171
- 64 KOOSKIA, KOOSKIA  
1-3 Wednesday @ 7 PM  
102 North Main  
208-926-0154  
Shirlene Yates, Sec.  
P.O. Box 55  
Kooskia, ID 83539  
208-935-2209
- 72 BLUEBELL, OROFINO  
2-4 Wed. @ 7:30 PM  
241 Johnson Avenue  
Janet Strobel, Sec.  
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Orofino, ID 83544  
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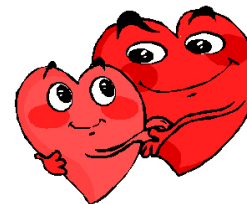
- 75 CHARITY, WILDER  
1-3 Monday  
Nov - Mar @ 7 PM  
Apr - Oct @ 8 PM  
220 Avenue B  
Lucille Collins, Sec.  
23188 Monte Road  
Parma, ID 83660  
208-482-7319
- 78 BINGHAM, AMERICAN FALLS  
1-3 Monday @ 10 AM  
Episcopal Church  
Alice B. Mayer, Sec.  
550 Bennett Street  
Am. Falls, ID 83211  
208-226-2487
- 81 SYLVAN, CLEARWATER  
2-4 Monday @ 1 PM  
Mary H. Bishop, Sec.  
332 Clear Creek Road  
Kooskia, ID 83539  
208-926-4379
- 82 CLOVER LEAF, ASHTON  
1-3 Monday @ 8 PM  
53 6th Street  
LaDawn Goebel, Sec.  
1305 North 367 SE  
Ashton, ID 83420  
208-652-7979
- 95 CARNATION, POST FALLS  
2-4 Tuesday @ 1 PM  
200 Railroad Avenue  
208-777-0131  
Barbara Frazey, Sec.  
625 S. Greensferry  
Post Falls, ID 83854  
208-773-4940  
sb3963@yahoo.com
- 96 IDAHO, WENDELL  
1-3 Monday @ 2 PM  
120 West Avenue A  
Lorraine McCloud, Sec.  
P.O. Box 233  
Wendell, ID 83355-0233  
208-536-2015
- 97 PRISCILLA, NEW PLYMOUTH  
1-3 Monday @ 1:30 PM  
120 Maple & Main Street  
Leona R. Horn, Sec.  
808 Cornwall Way  
Fruitland, ID 83619  
208-452-4469
- 105 MELBA, MELBA  
2-4 Wednesday @ 1 PM  
310 Carrie Rex Avenue  
Jelene Baird, Sec.  
P.O. Box 221  
Melba, ID 83641  
208-466-5838

- 107 RUTH, BURLEY  
2-4 Thursday @ 7 PM  
1358 Oakley Avenue  
Shirley Warren, Sec.  
901 East 16th Street  
Burley, ID 83318  
208-678-3032
- 109 TILlicum, PLUMMER  
1-3 Monday @ 7:30 PM  
279 6th Street  
Peggy Blackburn, Sec.  
P.O. Box 203  
Plummer, ID 83851-0203  
208-686-1234
- 110 SYRINGA, JEROME  
2-4 Monday @ 8 PM  
132 East Avenue B  
Wanda Bragg, Sec.  
217 12th Avenue East  
Jerome, ID 83338  
208-324-4579
- 120 GARNET, RIGGINS  
2-4 Tuesday @ 3 PM  
121 South Lodge Street  
Mary R. Foster, Sec.  
P.O. Box 385  
Riggins, ID 83549  
208-628-3452
- 123 HIAWATHA, INDIAN VALLEY  
2-4 Wednesday @ 8 PM  
Indian Valley & Stuart Ln.  
Wanna Belle Coriell, Sec  
P.O. Box 42  
Indian Valley, ID 83632  
208-256-4333
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- 1 IDAHO, BOISE  
3 Monday  
Donnie Marvin, Scribe  
5469 SE Harvest Circle  
Mtn. Home, ID 83647  
208-587-8593  
dpmarvin@msn.com
- 2 RIDGELY, POCATELLO  
1 Saturday  
Matt Breeze, Scribe  
1990 Judy Lane  
Pocatello, ID 83201-1965  
208-237-1669
- 3 TEMPLE, CALDWELL  
2 Monday  
Lee Moberly, Scribe  
P.O. Box 669  
Middleton, ID 83664  
208-585-2575  
elgindy@juno.com
- 13 HOME, IDAHO FALLS  
1-3 Thursday  
Daniel Sanow, Scribe  
3008 Westmoreland Cir.  
Idaho Falls, ID 83402  
208-529-1642  
sanow1@msn.com

- 20 COLFAX, TWIN FALLS/BURLEY  
3 Monday @ 1 PM  
James Weighall, Scribe  
628 12th Avenue North  
Buhl, ID 83316  
208-420-1952  
jbweighall@aol.com
- 42 SHEPERD, COEUR D' ALENE  
2 Friday  
Jerry North, Scribe  
P.O. Box 1093  
Pinehurst, ID 83850  
208-682-4490
- 64 BOOMERANG, PAYETTE  
4 Friday  
Merna Deland, Scribe  
434 South 12th Street  
Payette, ID 83661  
208-707-1057

### LADIES ENCAMPMENT AUXILIARIES

- 1 IDAHO, BOISE  
3 Monday  
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Mtn. Home, ID 83647  
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- 3 TEMPLE, CALDWELL  
2 Monday  
Pam York, Scribe  
7501 Wesley Drive  
Boise, ID 83704  
208-440-1626



### IVY DOES COMMUNITY SERVICE

Ivy Rebekah Lodge #23 is proud to have participated in helping the community on two occasions during 2008. With fewer than ten active members, the Lodge sent a check for \$80 to the Idaho Food Bank during its annual food drive in November. Food Bank officers tell us that each \$1 contribution of cash allows them to secure ten times its value in food which they only need to pick up from manufacturers. In the period of high gasoline prices, cash donations are welcomed.

In December, Lodge Secretary, Shannon Vieth, donated two dozen knitted stocking caps which we took to the Salvation Army Center. Arriving in the morning before the Army's clothing "give-away" that afternoon, the director assured us that we may be seeing the caps on people on the street who needed warm clothing, along with coats and other clothing given away that day. It was very touching to see children's clothing sorted and folded or displayed on racks.

Anna Breeze, Reporter

**Ever Forward**

## Marvin "Buck" Elliot Thomas

Former Grand Master Marvin "Buck" Elliot Thomas passed away peacefully on October 19, 2008 at his home in Ashton. Buck was born October 8, 1934 in Idaho Falls. He had four brothers and one sister. He attended schools in Shelley, Boise and California. He graduated from Blackfoot High School. He met future wife, Beverlee Merrick, during potato harvest while working for her father.

After Beverlee graduated from high school, Buck and Beverlee decided to get married in the United Methodist Church in Ashton on November 13, 1954. They had two children, Charles in July of 1955 and Cyndy in September of 1956.

Buck joined the Army National Guard in 1955 and his unit, the 938<sup>th</sup> dump trunk company, was activated during the Berlin Crisis in the summer of 1961 to Fort Lewis, Washington. He remained there until the Army sent his platoon home in August of 1962.

In 1956, Buck joined the International Order of Odd Fellows. Buck was an active member of Ashton #88 for 52 years. Through his efforts, many members were recruited. He held ever elected office in the lodge, some more than once. He was elected the Grand Master of the Idaho Odd Fellows in 1974. After he was elected, he spent the year traveling the state of Idaho visiting lodges and enjoying the hospitality of his lodge brothers and sisters. He also served on the Home of the Hills Board for 25 years, which required monthly trips to Caldwell from his home in Ashton. This past summer, he received the Merit Jewel for his many years of outstanding devotion to the Odd Fellows. This honor was presented to him by his home lodge Ashton #88.

Buck was also a member United Methodist Church and held many jobs within the church. Most recently he was chairman of the board of the trustees and treasurer of the United Methodist Men of Ashton.

Buck is survived by his wife Beverlee of Ashton, son Charles (Connie), Idaho Falls, daughter Cyndy (Brian) Klepinger of Denver; siblings, Darwin (Doris) Thomas, Pascagoula, Mississippi, Delbert (Jan) Thomas, Salt Lake City, Keith (Roxie) Thomas, Lolo, Montana, and Elizabeth Thomas, Salt Lake City and grandchildren Kathleen Burke (Chase) of Idaho Falls, Heidi Lanier (Josh) of Sioux Falls, Alex Thomas of Idaho Falls as well as two great grandchildren, Isabelle Burke and Marley Lanier. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Ross Thomas.

Memorial services were held on Saturday, October 25, at the Ashton Community United Methodist Church with Pastor John Blower officiating. Interment was at Ashton Pineview Cemetery with military rites by the American Legion Post 89.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Methodist Men Organization of the Ashton Community United Methodist Church.

## RAMBLINGS FROM THE GRAND SECRETARY

Are your Annual Reports in?? Have you sent in the changes of addresses?? Have the death notices been forwarded to your lodge or to the Grand Lodge?? All of these things should be done so records can be current. The Grand Secretary would appreciate it immensely.

Good Luck to everyone in the coming year, let's make this one a big one with increased membership and fun.

Well, here I go again! As most of you know, the Funeral Aid Association is in dire straits. This is not due to the economy, the weather or any other phenomenon that has occurred. It is due to the fact that the members are not living up to the obligation they swore to when they were initiated. There has been much mis-information spread about regarding the Association. **It is NOT an insurance policy and has never been one.** It **IS** an opportunity for the members to assist their fellow members in a time of need with ready cash until other arrangements or insurance policies kick in. There is no age limit and the benefits are paid out on a membership longevity type basis up to \$500.00. Sometimes in my musings, I wonder if our members really understand what Odd Fellowship is all about. Are we here to benefit ourselves only, or do we strive to help our community and fellowman? This is a question that only each individual can answer. What is your answer??

Remember! Only you can increase the membership.  
ASK SOMEONE

Kenny Averill,  
Grand Secretary

### COMING EVENTS 2009

#### FEBRUARY

4	HIST SOCIETY	CALDWELL
7	BURLEY GRD HOG FEED	BURLEY
20	JOINT PLAN BRD	CALDWELL 10 A.M.
21	DISTRICT 8®	PAYETTE
28	DISTRICT 6 (IOOF)	BOISE

#### MARCH

7	DISTRICT 7	NAMPA
14	DISTRICT 5	HAGERMAN
21	DISTRICT 1	BLACKFOOT
28	DISTRICT 2	ID. FALLS

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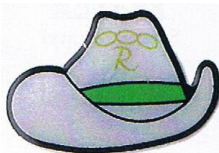
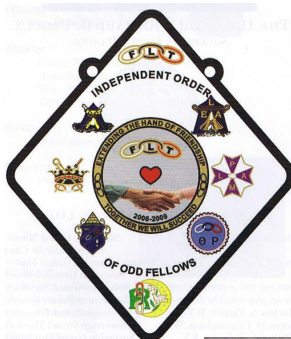
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