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Irrigation water is flowing

Irrigation canals filled last week and city irrigation systems were turned on for the 2002 irrigation season, but reports of abundance in water levels still remains uncertain for the southwestern section of Idaho. The City of Homedale turned on its irrigation water on Monday, as did the City of Marsing.

Grand View and Bruneau began its water season in March and a spokesman at the Grand View Irrigation District said many farmers feel this year's season will be as "tight" as last year's season.

March precipitation ranged from half of normal at some northern Nevada SNOTEL sites to near normal in southern Idaho. Overall, the basin was 81 percent of average.

Water year-to-date precipitation is just below normal at 96 percent of average. April 1 snowpack percentages are about the same as a month ago, holding around 105 percent of average for the Raft, Oakley, Salmon Falls and Bruneau basins. The low elevation Owyhee basin increased 10 percentage points from last month to 142 percent of average. This is based on data from the 15 aerial markers measured on or near the first of the month.

Warm temperatures are starting to melt low to mid-elevation snow in the high desert basins. Now that the snow is ripe and melting, streams will rise rapidly with any additional precipitation; however, with storage in Owyhee Reservoir at only 56 percent of capacity, it should be able to handle whatever run

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Spring clean-up

Homedale City Maintenance crews lay pipe for an irrigation drainage line near Sixth Street last week in preparation for this year's irrigation season. Irrigation water was turned on in local canals last week.

Candidates file for primary

There were no surprises as the deadline passed for candidates to file for county offices in the May primary election.

No Democratic candidates filed for any Owyhee County office.

For first district commissioner, incumbent Chris Salove filed.

For second district commissioner, the incumbent Harold Tolmie and Bill Watterson filed.

For clerk of the district court, Charlotte Sherburn filed.

For county assessor, Brett Endicott filed.

For county coroner, the incumbent Harvey Grimme filed.

For county treasurer, incumbent Barbara Wright filed.

Filing for precinct committeemen were Joan Mason, North Homedale; Shawn Dygert, Murphy; Kelly Ann Thomas, Oreana; and Dixie McDaniel, Grand View.

In the statewide legislative district 23 races, filing for senator was Tom Gannon (R-Buhl), Jim Patrick (R-Twin Falls), Rex Reed (R-Filer), and

Bill Chisholm (D-Buhl).

Filing for state representative, position A, was Frances Field (R-Grand View) and Mike Ihler (D-Twin Falls). For position B, Douglas Jones (R-Filer), John Wiggins (R-Castleford) and Grant Atkinson

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'Intended rapist' pleads guilty to lesser charge

A 14-year old Owyhee County teen charged as an adult in a case of rape pleaded guilty to a lesser charge in an Owyhee County courtroom Friday morning.

The young man was charged earlier this month after he was accused of forcibly entering an elderly woman's home and raping her in the early morning hours. He pleaded guilty in district court Friday to battery with the intent to commit a felony, to wit, rape.

Chief Deputy Clerk Trina Aman said Friday that as part of the plea bargain, the judge

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Mysterious discovery made by local ranchers

By Cheryl Peterson

On a beautiful spring day, two Owyhee County ranchers herd their cattle to their spring allotment range on desert ground near Reynolds Creek, little did the couple know when their trek began it would be interrupted with the discovery authorities are still calling a mystery.

Richard and Connie Brandeau mounted two horses last Wednesday to begin herding their cattle to spring rangeland. While returning home that evening, Richard found a package that will stay in his memory for many years to come.

"Richard didn't know what to think of it," Connie laughed Monday. "We thought at first it could have been body parts, so I told Richard if he didn't want

to know not to look. He cut open the first package and seen the butt of a gun, then he started to cut open the other package that is when he saw the hair."

A 30.06 rifle and a 16-gauge shotgun were saturated in what authorities feel is axle grease and wrapped in a plastic bag. Among the package was also the hide of a young cinnamon bear.

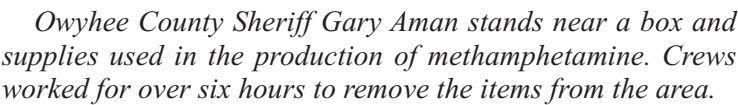
"The hide was wrapped in a separate package," Owyhee County Sheriff Gary Aman said Friday. "In the package we found a receipt from D and B that we can't read, but I expect it is for the axle grease they used to cover the guns. It was just stuffed under some sagebrush and they tried to

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Unusual discovery...

The hide of a small cinnamon bear lies partly in a plastic bag in sagebrush near Reynolds Creek. Two local ranchers found the hide along with two guns.



She has resided in the Riverside farming community for nearly 60 years and anyone wishing to share special memories of Helen may write them and they will be included in a memory and photo book for her.

Rainbows have a pot of gold at the end of them, right? What would you find if you found the end of a rainbow? Come and discover what Pooh Bear and his friends found when they searched for the pot of gold at the end of a rainbow. Storytime is 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 20, 2002, at the Homedale Public Library. Children of all ages are welcome.

Axle grease covers a 30.06 rifle wrapped in plastic. A 16-gauge shotgun was found with the rifle near Reynolds Creek last week.

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County set to appeal road closures

By Robert Boatman

"I think we have to appeal it," said Jim Desmond, Director of the Owyhee County Natural Resources Committee. Desmond was speaking of the BLM's Rough Diamond Emergency Fire Rehabilitation Plan which, as came to light just in the last few days, includes closing certain roads for at least two years.

This latest conflict between Owyhee County and the BLM began on April 1 when Jenna Whitlock, the BLM Owyhee County field office manager, informed county officials for the first time that roads were to be closed. The closures were actually decided and authorized by the BLM back in October of 2001, but the BLM had repeatedly told the

county commissioners right up to this April that no road closures were contemplated.

The closures will not go into effect until a formal notice is printed in the Federal Register, which has not yet happened. If Owyhee County successfully appeals the plan, it will never go into effect. If the closures are allowed to proceed, however, there is no guarantee that they will be re-opened after the two-year time period called for in the plan. Even after a closure expires, the BLM feels it must activate its bureaucracy to issue an "opening order" before the area is actually re-opened. Exactly how long such an "opening order" might take, no one could say.

While many other aspects of the fire rehabilitation plan

were viewed positively by county officials, the road closures met stiff resistance. The matter was discussed at a meeting between county officials and BLM personnel on April 11 in Marsing.

"There's no reason for them to close the roads," said Jim Desmond, "and there are plenty of good reasons why people need to use those roads."

Jenna Whitlock of the BLM explained that, if drivers would actually stay on the roads and not drive off across the fields, there would be no problem and the roads would not need to be closed. She did not believe drivers could control themselves, however. She referred to "the weakness of the flesh" and the "irresistible temptation" to just drive right off the road and onto the defoliated land where the BLM is carrying out an expensive reseeded operation.

Chairman of the county board of commissioners, Hal Tolmie, pointed out that law

enforcement might be a more sensible solution than road closures. He reminded Whitlock that the BLM patrols the area, and that the county sheriff is under contract to the BLM to patrol the area as well.

As a result of the road closure controversy, the county commissioners are expected to take strong action, possibly even an appeal of the entire BLM rehabilitation plan.

Kindergarten screening planned

Kindergarten screening and registration will be held at the Marsing Elementary School on Friday, April 26, 2002, from 8:00 until 3:00.

Students should bring their shot records, birth certificate and social security card.

Please call the school at 896-4111, ext. 497 for an appointment.

Meet the candidates forum planned

On April 30 at 6:30 p.m., the Marsing Seniors will host a "meet the candidates" event at the Marsing Senior Citizens Center.

The community is invited to meet the candidates that will be representing State and local governments before the primary elections and the general election later this year.

There will be a forum with an opportunity to question each candidate attending. Chicken and noodles, salad and dessert will be served. Donations will be accepted.

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Silver City wildfire plan being addressed

The BLM has identified several actions to reduce the hazard of wildfire in Silver City, but none of them will happen overnight. The BLM's Communities at Risk program included Silver City in 2001 as a priority community, and the agency contracted with a private firm to assess a broad spectrum of fire concerns in the historic old Owyhee County mining town and former seat of county government.

After conducting fieldwork, holding two public meetings, and gathering citizen input, a mitigation report was developed which identified hazards and measures to reduce those hazards, including:

1. Reduce the hazardous fuels within and near the town.
2. Improve forest health in the area and reduce the risk of catastrophic wildfire by thinning the nearby forest stands.
3. Study the feasibility of augmenting the city's water supply with water from sources such as Florida Mountain or other possibilities.
4. Increase water-holding capacity by repairing the town water storage tank, building an additional 20-30,000 gallon storage tank, updating the town's water hydrant system, and repairing the reservoir on Jordan Creek known as the "ice ponds."
5. Develop an ongoing education and outreach program through the assessment area to encourage "firewise" practices, train the residents to effectively use fire-fighting equipment, and develop an evacuation plan.
6. Station a fire truck in the town during the fire season that the residents would be capable of operating.

Randy Eardley, Fire Mitigation and Education Specialist for the BLM, says it might take three years to actually get the fire truck up there.

In the meantime, the BLM says "work is progressing toward sponsoring a community firewise clean-up day in early summer." An educational presentation is also being prepared by the BLM and will be offered to the community members sometime this summer. -RB

Shoot-from-vehicle permit simplified

Hunters applying for a permit allowing them to legally shoot from a vehicle because of serious disability will find the process easier when they have the new Idaho driver's license.

The new driver's license will display disabled status. Such a license will be sufficient proof when applying to Fish and Game for a shoot-from-vehicle permit. Prior to the new driver's license, disabled hunters were required to submit documentation from a doctor.

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Bruneau River is forecast at 85 percent of average and should provide a good boating season. Owyhee River is forecast at 107 percent of average. Streamflow rises may occur suddenly, especially with additional rain during the melt season. Irrigation supplies will be adequate. Snake River at Hells Canyon Dam is forecast at 56 percent of average and increases to 89 percent at the Snake River below Granite Dam as a result of Clearwater River contribution. -CP

(D-Buhl).

In judicial district 3, Gary DeMeyer and Renae Hoff are both campaigning to succeed Dennis Goff. Incumbents are running unopposed for the other three seats – Gregory Culet, James Morfitt and Stephen Drescher.

might adjudicate the young man as a juvenile under the juvenile act. He will also be ordered to undergo a psychoanalysis sexual evaluation.

A battery with the intent to commit a serious felony is punishable by imprisonment in the state prison not to exceed 15 years.

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No injuries...

A pickup driven by George Crawford sits off the road after colliding with another pickup driven by Christel Clapier of Marsing. Clapier was attempting to make a left had turn when Crawford tried to pass her. Clapier had two small children in her vehicle, but no one was injured in the accident. Clapier and her children were wearing retraining belts.



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Insurance company to handle student injuries

By Cheryl Peterson

The Homedale School District will no longer handle insurance claims against the district for student injuries, Homedale School Superintendent Bob Lisonbee said last week. Confusion over what should be paid by the district and what the district does not cover seems to be the reason for the change in school district policy.

“The students are supposed to have their own insurance,” Lisonbee explained. “At the beginning of the year we put out flyers for parents for insurance for the students. But what our insurance is saying now is if anyone calls about insurance coverage, we need to just give them the number of

the insurance company and they will handle it.”

Lisonbee said the district used to tell parents of injured children that the district didn’t cover injuries during school time or on school grounds. If a student were injured at the school, the student would not be covered by the district’s liability coverage.

“About 15 years ago, no one would insure school districts,” Lisonbee continued. “Then the Idaho School Board Association tried to find someone to cover us. The students involved in athletics must have their own insurance before they can participate.”

Lisonbee said that if a student is injured due to school negligence, then the district

should pay for the student’s medical bills, but he said in the past any time an injury happened, he would tell the parents that the school would not cover the medical bills.

“We just send them to our insurance company now,” Lisonbee continued. “In the past we just told them we don’t cover accidents at school. Usually that was acceptable, but now we are getting more and more people who don’t like that answer. I look at it that if we are negligent we are responsible. But if it is an accident that could have happened at home or at the grocery store, then we shouldn’t cover it. But I don’t argue with them anymore, I just send them to our insurance company.”

Two local families are still suffering the consequences of the district not covering student accidents. Jerry and Sherri Holloway and Norman and Cathy Cook had to battle the district to cover accidents that caused their family hardship.

“The school nurse showed up at our house one day with my son who had been hurt at the high school,” Cathy explained. “He had broken his arm clean through and required 27 pins and two surgeries. He is still healing from it.”

Kevin Cook, now 20, was knocked to the ground by a student who was “horsing” around. The family called Lisonbee and said they were told the district didn’t have insurance and didn’t cover student accidents.

“We rushed him to the hospital and the next day called the district,” Norman explained. “Bob told us that the district didn’t have insurance to cover that kind of an accident. What I want to know is why was there no supervision? He told us we could sue the other kid who ran into him, but that the district would not pay any of his

medical bills.”

The Cooks said Kevin’s doctor bill amounted to nearly \$20,000 after the two surgeries.

“At the time, Norman was off work because he had an accident so financially we were hurt,” Cathy continued. “We just did not have the money to pay for Kevin’s doctor bills. It was bad enough that he got hurt, then to have the district just pluck him off the pavement and bring him home without even calling an ambulance, then to tell us they would not cover him on their insurance? I could not believe it. We had nowhere to turn.”

The Cooks ended up filing through the county for its indigent fund. “We will be paying the county back for the rest of our lives,” Cathy said.

The Holloway family also found themselves in the hands of the district when their daughter, Becca, was rushed to the hospital after a metal beam fell on her head as she was leaving a basketball game.

“We were walking out the doors on the northwest side of the gym,” Jerry Holloway said. “She was the first one out the door and as she opened it, the beam in the middle came crashing down on her head.”

Becca received a slight concussion, but the trouble started when Jerry Holloway

called the district to file an insurance claim.

“I called the district and Bob told me that they didn’t have liability insurance,” Jerry continued. “I don’t know how much more responsible the school could be. It was an accident that should have been prevented by the school, not by someone else.”

Jerry said the only reason he knew the district had the insurance was due to the fact that he sells insurance.

“Well, I knew Bob wasn’t telling me the truth when I got off the phone with him,” Jerry exclaimed. “I called Fred Butler from the school board and he could not believe we were brushed off. We fought over it for about a month with the district and finally just gave up. By that time our insurance had covered it, but I just don’t know why we were lied to.”

“What I did then is not what I would do now,” Lisonbee explained. “Then I told him that we didn’t cover school accidents. Now I would give him the insurance company’s number and let them handle it. I always notify the company that they will have a claim. The insurance company finally told me earlier in the year that they would handle the claims. That is great with me. I don’t have to deal with it anymore.”

Jordan Valley FFA successful at state convention

by Julie Eiguren, FFA Reporter

This year five FFA members from Jordan Valley traveled to Woodburn, Oregon to attend the Oregon State FFA Convention.

Emily Mackenzie, Julie Eiguren, Shari Baltzor, Teresa Baker, Elias Eiguren, their advisor, Kris Van Houten, and chaperons Ross Van Houten and Kristie Eiguren spent March 21 to the 26 participating in several events offered by the FFA.

The state convention is the culmination of a year’s worth of activities in our state. During the convention, members, supporters and advisors are recognized for their outstanding service and accomplishments for the year.

Emily Mackenzie participated in the art contest with her pencil drawing and Shari Baltzor entered her poster in the state poster contest.

Gena Franke-Hall placed third in the state with her poster, Michelle Baltzor placed second, and Mike Johnson first. Teresa Baker entered her secretary’s book and won first place in the state.

Elias Eiguren made it to the final eight in the extemporaneous speaking contest and won the state beef placement proficiency award. Elias was also elected the 2002-2003 Oregon State FFA Vice President.

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Three join Sheriff's Department

Two new officers and a deputy jailer were added to the Owyhee County Sheriff's office payroll last week. One officer is a face many people in the South Mountain area are used to seeing.

Jared Beck from Kuna, Jeff DeKoning from Washington and former Malheur County Deputy and long time Jordan Valley officer George Reed joined the sheriff's office staff last week.

DeKoning was born in Seattle and raised in Eastern Washington on a family farm. After graduation he entered the United States Army. Following the military, he returned to Seattle to work for the Lynnwood Police Department

as a cadet and was commissioned as a reserve officer in 1991. He worked for the department for 10 years then joined the Briar Police Department in Washington, until he was hired by the local sheriff's office.

"I wanted to get out of the rain and the traffic," DeKoning laughed. "I started last Monday and fell in love with the area. It is pretty country."

DeKoning has moved to the Grand View area and says he wants to build a home there. He will replace Jim Bish who took over former deputy Steve Uriguen's position.

Reed said he has wanted to work for Sheriff Gary Aman for years and when he decided



Jeff DeKoning

to retire from Malheur County he approached Aman about the backcountry position. The position is new for Owyhee County; one Aman said has been needed for a long time.

Reed stated he was deputy marshal for Idaho City before going to work for Boise County.

"I worked for Boise County until they passed the one

years," Reed explained. "It is fun. Catching bad guys is fun."

"With the amount of gates we have left open, and property damage to county roads we have needed a backcountry officer for a long time," Aman commented.

"I have always wanted to work for Gary," Reed continued. "I have been deputized in Owyhee County since about 1988 or 1989. When Tim (Nettleton) was sheriff I would go take care of it, help them out. I have a lot of experience in the backcountry."



George Reed

I am comfortable there."

Reed says he grew up in the backcountry and loves the people. "I am just looking for any crimes committed in the backcountry," Reed continued. "We have had a lot of trouble with cocking gates. They will put the draw bar through the fence and if anything touches it then the gate falls down, then BLM fines the ranchers and so on. There are a lot of people who don't want the cattle on the land. I have caught several people who have left gates open, its not that tough."

Beck said he worked for the Ada County jail before joining Aman's office and said he enjoys the area. He plans to attend jailer's post this fall and said he is looking forward to working with the department. -CP



Jared Beck

percent initiative," Reed said. "It froze all the small counties and put a moratorium on them. The next year we all lost our jobs."

After working for Sisters Police Department in Oregon he said he got homesick and decided to come home.

"I have worked closely with Owyhee County for about 15

Obituary

Charlotte Townsend Kershner Pierce

Charlotte Townsend Kershner Pierce, 98, passed away on April 7, 2002, following a short illness, at her home in Homedale with her family by her side. Memorial services were held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 13, 2002 at the First Presbyterian Church in Homedale.

She was born in Wagontown, Owyhee County, Idaho on October 22, 1903 to Albert and Bessie Townsend, who were Silver City pioneers, the second of eight children. Her siblings were Ada Thomas, John Townsend, Ralph Townsend, Darley Townsend, Everett Townsend, Margaret Millsbaugh, and Claude Townsend.

She was raised in Silver City, Idaho. She attended school in Silver City, Boulder Creek and Homedale.

She married George "Hank" Kershner on October 31, 1924. Hank and Charlotte lived in many areas of Idaho, Nevada, and California as Hank worked as a hard rock miner. They returned to Snake River Valley, settling in Homedale where as a team they opened the Kershner Dairy, which they operated until Hank's death in October, 1949.

Dancing, music, cards and large family Sunday get-togethers at the Kershner family home were their passion.

Charlotte owned and operated a dress shop, cafe, and worked in the packing shed with her two sisters, raising her three youngest children alone.

Charlotte married Charles Pierce in Winnemucca, Nevada in August, 1956. Fishing, camping, and gardening kept them busy until Chuck died in March, 1981.

Her later years were filled with her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, traveling, her flowers, golf, Townsend cousins golf, tournament bowling, Eastern Star, the Oregon coast, her many nieces, nephews and coffee, and gossip with her life long friends.

She is survived by her children, Barbara Simon of Homedale, Virginia Stanford of Jordan Valley, Oregon, Beth Kershner of Grangeville, Idaho, Dick and wife Marie Kershner of Jordan Valley, Oregon, Sharon Swisher of Lomaille, Nevada, Vernon and Bonnie Kershner of Flint Creek, Idaho, 21 grandchildren, 56 great-grandchildren, 12 great-great-grandchildren, and one sister Margaret Millsbaugh. She was preceded in death by one sister, five brothers, one daughter Beverly, a granddaughter Katie Simon Fisher, and grandson Scott Schussler.

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Academy honors student from Marsing

Marsing student Olga Quebrado will receive the United States National Award for her achievements in academics from the United States Achievement Academy.

Quebrado, a student at Marsing High School, will be featured in an annual produced by the academy. Marsing High School counselor John Cossel nominated Quebrado for the national award.

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MSD multicultural celebration set for April 19

This year the Marsing School District will hold a multicultural celebration in place of the International Day the elementary school has held in years past. This year's celebration will be held on April 19 at the elementary school.

Elementary students will have a tour around the rooms to view their projects, middle school students will have an exhibit show in the gym and high school students will display a gallery of projects for the event.

Food and exhibits will be on going from 5:30-7 p.m. and local entertainment will play from 8-9 p.m.

There will be raffles and items for a silent auction. All proceeds of the event will be used for student scholarships.

Gregoria Garcia will be in room 303 for a presentation of making homemade corn tortillas and about her cultural background of living in San Luis Potosi. She will also show a slide presentation of Morelia, Mexico.

Charles Kiester will demonstrate in room 206 the trade of fur trapping in Idaho. He will show furs, traps and hunting equipment and tell stories of camping in Idaho with wildlife.

Mark Basil will be in room 200 and have a display of arrowhead spears, cooking materials and weaponry of ancient local Indian tribes.

Mia, Mihoko Oguma will demonstrate her cultural background in origami and the Japanese way of life.

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Owyhee camp on Oregon Trail is scene of early day Indian tragedy

Reprinted from the April 17, 1952 issue of the Owyhee Chronicle

By Frank Ryan

Editor's Note: Following is an article written by Frank Ryan, Ontario, Ore., concerning the Owyhee tragedy. It is presented for publication by R. A. Tacke, regional vice president of the Oregon Trail, Inc., of Ontario. ***

What is a trail? Webster's Dictionary defines a trail as — A path through a Wilderness. Let us trace this path through a wilderness known as the "Oregon Trail," so far as it pertains to the crossing of Idaho along Snake River.

After the return to the States of the Lewis and Clark expedition to the mouth of the Columbia River, and their reports of the richness of the Northwest in furs, John Jacob Astor, a rich fur merchant of the east coast conceived the idea of building a fort at the mouth of the Columbia River to trade with the Indians and tap this rich fur country. He outfitted a ship and sent it around the Horn to establish this Fort. He also organized an expedition to travel overland for the same purpose. This expedition started from St. Louis, in charge of Wilson Price Hunt. This was a large Company of trappers and adventurers and they proceeded up the Missouri River until they reached approximately the line dividing the present North and South Dakota, and then started in a westerly direction across the present Wyoming. They had as Guide and Interpreter a half-breed by the name of Pierre Dorian, his Indian Wife and two children. After reaching a site near the vicinity of the present Idaho Falls, they decided to leave their horses there and to construct boats out of tree trunks and float down to the mouth of the Columbia River. They had not traveled far until they began to hit the Falls of the Snake and had to abandon the boats and travel on foot. Part of the expedition crossed Snake River, and the rest continued down the south bank of the river under the leadership of Ramsey Crooks. This was the first group of white people to use the Oregon Trail, and passed over or very near townsite of Homedale in 1811. The following year 1812, a portion of this expedition again used this trail on their way back to St. Louis. This trail was frequently used by the Hudson Bay trappers from 1820 on. Peter Skene Ogden, in his diary

of travels in 1825-26, under date of Sunday, February 26th, 1826, says — On our travels this day we saw an Indian. His hut being near the road, curiosity induced me to enter. I had often heard these wretches subsisted on ants, locusts and small fish, not larger than minnows, and I wanted to find out if it was not exaggerated by late travelers, but to my surprise, I found it was the case, for one of their dishes, not of small size, was filled with ants. They collect them in the morning before thaw commences. The locusts they collect in summer and store up for winter. In eating, they give preference to the ants, more oily than the locusts. On this food these wretches drag out an existence for 4 months of the year. They live contented and happy, this is all they require. It seemed strange, that few or no children are to be seen amongst them. We have seen upwards of 30 families and only 3 children amongst them, and the only reason I can see for the death of children is the food they ate.

The scene of the above is at or near Homedale, for it is one day's travel after leaving the Owyhee River, as they were traveling toward Salt Lake and on the south side of the Snake River.

Again on Tuesday, July 8, 1828, Peter Skene Ogden speaks of his travels from Salt Lake to Vancouver and on the south side of Snake River, and reaches the Owyhee River at night, so the previous night must have been spent in the vicinity of Homedale.

Then again between the 2nd and 25th of June, 1829, Ogden again passed over this same route.

The missionary party of Walker, Ells and Gray speaks of the following down the south side of the Snake River in 1838.

The Scott Wagon Train of 1852 traveled down the south side of the Snake River, and they complained of grass being scarce for their stock on account of so many wagon trains being ahead of them. After crossing the Bruneau River the grass was good, and also on Sinker Creek they found good grass and camped there the night of August 13th. The night of August 14th, they camped at Guffey and as they remained over one day to rest

their oxen, they must have found good grass there. On August 18th, the Scott Wagon Train camped near where Homedale now is, and on August 20th, they camped on the Owyhee River. The Moreland, Sharp and Kearns Wagon Trains have followed the Scott party down the trail on the south side of the Snake River.

It has been estimated by persons living at Fort Laramie that 50,000 persons passed over the trail, the year of the big immigration which was 1852. George H. Hines, has said that not less than 5,000 died on the Oregon Trail that year, mostly of cholera.

A group of eight wagons and about one hundred head of livestock made up the last wagon train to leave Fort Hall in the year 1860. It was on August 28, that the Van Orman, the Otter, Chase and Myers families and a number of single men left the protection of Fort Hall and started on the last lap of the trek to the Valley of the Willamette. A small troop of cavalry accompanied the emigrants as far as the Raft River. West of there the party was joined by five discharged soldiers, bringing the total personnel to forty-four.

On September 8, the train was attacked by a large band of Snake Indians. Wagons were hastily corralled and a hot fight took place. Several of the Indians were killed. Thinking to gain time, the emigrants abandoned four of their wagons and drove away, hoping to find water. A running fight was staged for a few miles with the Indians getting the worst of it. Even the children fought with desperation and killed a number of the savages. On the evening of September 10, the emigrants decided to abandon their wagons and seek safety in flight. The Otter family was wiped out and four of the single men lay dead beside the wagons, Joseph and Jacob Reith decided to strike out for help, hoping to reach Fort Walla Walla and bring the soldiers back before it was too late. On the Malheur they found two of their party who had killed a horse and smoked the meat. Obtaining a scant supply of this food, the boys hurried away on foot with three hundred tough miles ahead of them. Soon after the boys

departed, the emigrants made their way to the Snake River. They hid in the brush by day and traveled by night. There were several infants in arms and progress was slow. In their hurry to leave the wagons, the emigrants had only the clothes on their backs, and very little food. In their extremity they killed two of the family dogs to sustain life. A stray cow was killed and helped stave off starvation.

Finally the Owyhee River was reached and a camp was made a short distance above the ford. A crude shelter was made of drifting wood, willows and brush. They had no blankets so they piled dry grass and leaves in the hut and crowded together for mutual comfort and encouragement.

On October 2, the Reith boys staggered into the Indian Agency on the Umatilla and told the story of the Indian attack and the plight of their friends. A messenger was sent at once to Ft. Walla Walla and Captain Frederick Dent organized a party to go to the aid of the emigrants. Four officers and one-hundred men left the Fort on October 11, headed for the Owyhee.

In the meantime, the camp on the Owyhee was one of desolation and despair. One day some Indians came into the camp with some dried salmon which they offered in trade for fish hooks, needles and odds and ends of clothing. Those visits were repeated at intervals until the emigrants had been practically stripped of their clothing. Finally, they had to part with their guns, which left them to the mercy of the savages. Dried berries, grasshoppers, frogs, were utilized as food. One day, Joseph Myers found a horse which the coyotes had killed and partially eaten. The remains were eagerly pounced upon by the starving emigrants. No part of the carcass was wasted, the bones were burned and crushed and the hide was roasted. By October 7, the refugees were in a deplorable condition. At that critical time Alexis Van Orman decided to quit the camp and seek life or death on the open trail. The Van Orman family was joined by three single men, making a party of ten. The Otter baby

and little Elizabeth Trimble lay dead in the camp when the Van Orman party set out on its forlorn hope.

Having stripped the camp the Indians failed to return with any more salmon. A wide-spread search failed to find any food. Finally self-preservation, the first law of nature, prevailed. There was but one solution left, the eating of human flesh. The flesh of the two dead children was smoked and eaten. Then the two Chase boys died, and the process repeated. One night Dariel Chase died and his body buried in a shallow grave. As a last extremity they decided to exhume his body for food but fortunately were not forced to that revolting extreme.

Capt. Dent and his men hurried along the Old Oregon Trail as rapidly as possible. In a depression in the hills a short distance east of Huntington, the soldiers came upon the bodies of the Van Orman party. All had been killed by the Indians except four of the children, who had been carried away into captivity.

Captain Dent arrived at the camp on the Owyhee on October 25, where he was met by the twelve survivors almost naked, living skeletons, existing upon bodies of their dead companions. Their cries for food were pitiful and brought tears to the eyes of the hardened troopers. Food was given them sparingly at first and the soldiers took the clothes from their own backs to clothe the miserable refugees.

As soon as the emigrants were able to travel, Captain Dent started for Walla Walla. At the Grande Ronde Valley they were met by wagons from the Fort bringing food and clothing. The rescue party arrived at the Fort on November 7.

The Otter and Van Orman families had been wiped out; the Chase family lost three of its members; the Myers family lost one. Of the forty-four persons who camped on Sinker Creek the night of September 8, only fifteen reached safety, over two months later.

The Owyhee tragedy was one of the major disasters to occur on the Old Oregon Trail, vying with the Donner disaster of 1846 in that respect.

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Showalters celebrate 30 years of marriage

Brion and Sue Showalter of Marsing, celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary April 14. The couple's children planned a get-away vacation for them to the coast.

The couple have four children. Three sons, Chad, Beau and Claeb and one daughter Jenna.

Renae Hoff runs for district judge

Third District Magistrate Judge Renae J. Hoff will run for retiring Third District Judge Dennis E. Goff's seat in the May 28 primary election.

Hoff has served as the resident magistrate judge at the Nampa Court since 1990. She is a native Idahoan and graduate of the College of Idaho in Caldwell and got her law degree at Southwestern University School of Law.

Hoff has practiced law in both the federal and state courts as well as the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. She has both prosecuted and defended criminal cases. She was also Marsing City attorney and Homedale City Prosecuting Attorney.

Judge Hoff was twice awarded the "Equal Access to Justice" award from the Idaho State Bar.

Senior news

Homedale Senior Citizens' Center

Ham and beans, salad, cornbread and brownie will be served for dinner on Thursday, April 18.

Breakfast, including bacon, eggs, hashbrowns, pancakes, toast and juice will be served from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Friday, April 19.

Spring Fling Dance with music by Yesterdays Country will be held on Saturday, April 20.

Honey smoked turkey and mozzarella sandwich, tomato vegetable soup, fruit salad and ice cream will be served for dinner on Tuesday, April 23. The shopping bus will be in Homedale at 2:00.

Linedancing will be offered at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 24.

Marsing Senior Citizens' Center

Roast beef, potatoes and gravy, carrots, tossed salad, bread and pudding will be served for dinner on Thursday, April 18, with music to entertain. Marc and a hearing aid clinic will be held.

On Monday, April 22, Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Tossed salad, French bread, peaches and cookies will be served.

A gun safety class will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 23, at 7:00 p.m. It is open to the public and there is no charge. Ron Schermerhorn will be the instructor.

Breakfast, including bacon or sausage, eggs, pancakes or waffles will be held on Wednesday, April 24.

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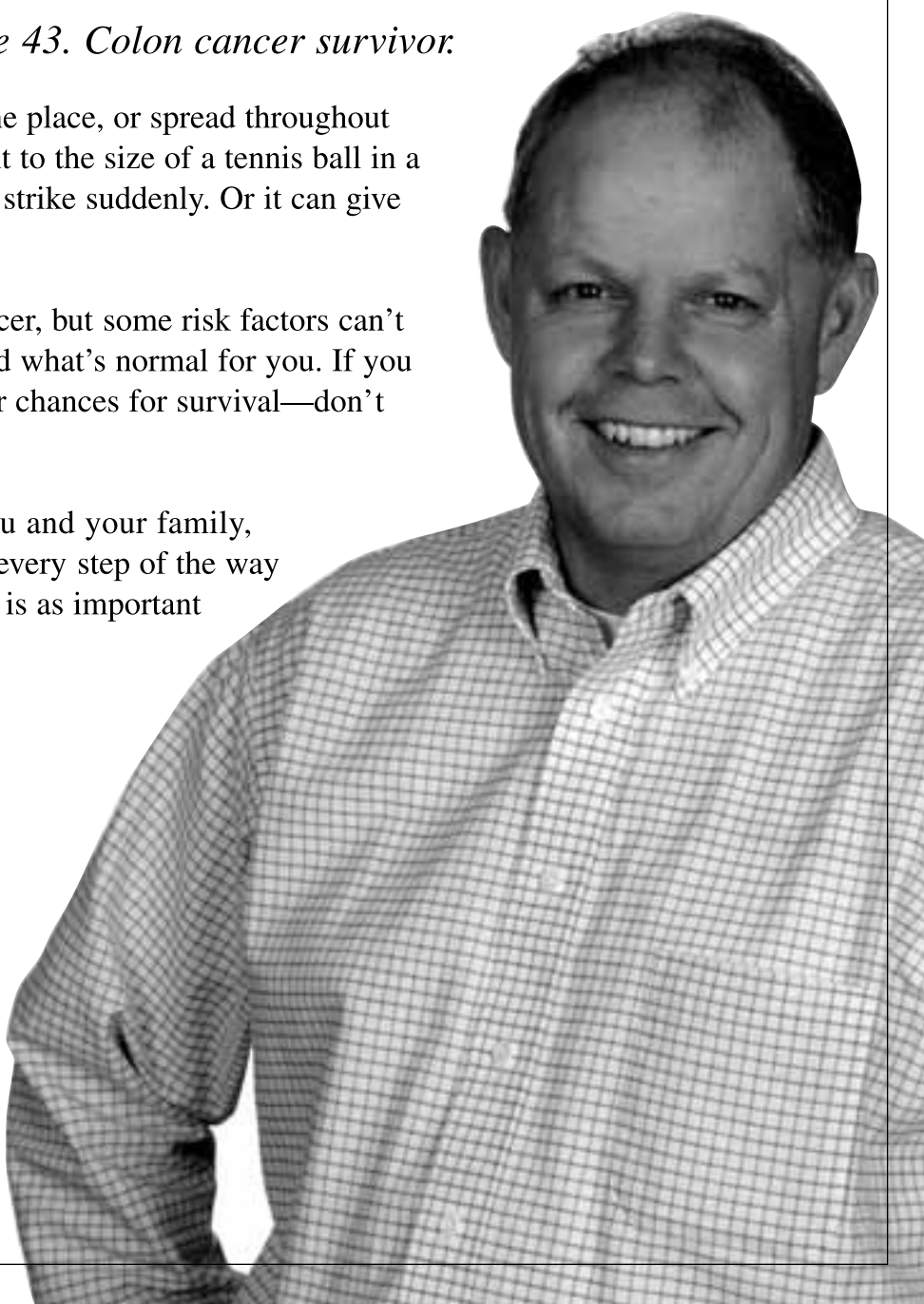
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Wednesday: Pizza, Tossed Salad, Pineapple, Cookie, and choice of milk.
Thursday: Chicken or Beef Nuggets, Rice Pilaf, Mixed Vegetables, Peaches and choice of milk.
Friday Tostado/Refried Beans, or Peanut B/Jelly Sand, String cheese, Green Beans, Applesauce, Churro and choice of milk.

Homedale Middle

Monday: No School
Tuesday: Sloppy Joe or Weiner Wrap, Green beans, Fruit, Dessert or Salad Bar and choice of milk.
Wednesday: Pizza or deli sand, tossed salad, fruit, cookie and choice of milk.
Thursday: Tacos, corn, fruit, or salad bar and choice of milk.
Friday Chicken Patty or Rib-b-que, Tots and Fruit, or Salad Bar and choice of milk.

Homedale High

Monday: No School
Tuesday: Beef Nuggets or Chicken Filet, mashed Potato/Gravy, Roll, Fruit, and choice of milk.
Wednesday: Spaghetti, Burrito or Tst Cheese sandwich and Soup, French Bread, Salad, fruit and choice of milk.
Thursday: Chicken patty, hamburger, Fries, Fruit, Dessert, and choice of milk.
Friday: Crispito/Taco Salad, or pizza, corn, fruit and choice of milk.

Marsing School District

Monday: No School
Tuesday: Corn Dog w/ Fixings, Fruit Variety, Garden Vegetables, Chocolate pudding, Variety Milk, Submarine Sandwich, Fresh Salad Bar, Fresh Baked Roll.
Wednesday: Rib-B-Que on a Bun, Baked potato wedges, Strawberries and bananas, Golden Corn, Variety Milk, Burrito w/ Choice of fixings, Fresh salad Bar, Fresh baked Roll.
Thursday Soup and Sandwich, Fruited Jell-o, Milk variety, Red Baron pizza, Fresh Salad Bar, Fresh Baked Roll.
Friday: Wiener Wrap, Cherry Crisp Garden Vegetables, milk variety. Chicken Patty on a bun, Fresh Salad Bar, Fresh Baked Roll.

Jordan Valley FFA sponsors Easter egg hunt

by Julie Eiguren, FFA Reporter

On Saturday, March 30, 2002, the Jordan Valley FFA Chapter sponsored an Easter Egg hunt for the children in the community at the Jordan Valley High School football field. FFA members dyed 30 dozen eggs and filled another 12 dozen plastic eggs with candy. There was over 40 kids who attended and were divided into three age groups. The chapter and community sponsors helped to donate prizes for all of the children. A special thank you to the businesses and individuals in the community who were so generous for this event: JV Caf , Owyhee Auto Parts, Madriaga’s Chevron, Jim’s Texaco, Mrs. Z’s, Pott’s Mini Storage, and Sandy Baker.

Special auxiliary meeting in Marsing

The Marsing American Legion Post 128 Ladies Auxiliary will hold a special meeting on April 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the Marsing Senior Center. All present members and anyone wanting to join the Auxiliary should attend this meeting. For more information, call Faye at 896-4072 or Mrs. James Stewart at 896-4523.

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Commentary

Accuracy in media

Stopping aids or spreading it?

by Roger Arnoff

Did the Department of Health and Human Services help fund a clubhouse for homosexuals in San Francisco? Jeff Sheehy, described as “a long-time gay activist” on the O’Reilly Factor on Fox News on March 28, said that Vice President Al Gore gave a nonprofit homosexual organization called Stop AIDS Project a check for \$500,000 at the groundbreaking for its building right before the 2000 California primary. Sheehy described it to Bill O’Reilly as “your money,” meaning taxpayer dollars. He said, “I’m not a big fan of the \$500,000 donation myself. Al Gore dropped it off because he was trying to buy some --.” O’Reilly interrupted, asking, “Al Gore did this?” Sheehy said, “Yes, you know, I was a big Bill Bradley supporter.” O’Reilly was mainly interested in how the building was being used. He went over a list of events held there, including a Leather Pride Reception, a Queer Youthpalooza and a Drag King Junior contest. Sheehy said that the Queer Youthpalooza was like a prom, “like a bunch of queer kids,” some of whom were not sure of their sexual orientation. The fact that the Department of Health and Human Services, HHS, had been giving money to the Stop AIDS Project had attracted the attention of Rep. Mark Souder, R-Ind. last August. In a letter to HHS Secretary Tommy G. Thompson, Rep. Souder said that the Centers for Disease Control, CDC, had repeatedly denied that any federal funds had been used to pay for a number of questionable events “dubbed HIV ‘prevention programs’” that were sponsored by the Stop AIDS Project. He pointed out that the Project’s program director had admitted that all the questionable events scheduled for August would use funds provided by the CDC. Two of the grants in the year 2000 totaled \$472,883. Jeff Sheehy’s claim that Gore gave the group \$500,000 may have represented a rounding of that sum. His claim that it was used to help pay for the clubhouse has not been confirmed. A third grant in 2000 raised the total for the year to \$698,000. The questionable events mentioned in Souder’s letter included a “gay fisting event” and a “Booty Call,” where “dildos, plugs, fisting and rimming” were discussed along with “tales of intercourse and orgasm.” Others were a GUYWATCH, “where a guy can make friends and find dates” and a Great Sex Workshop, a “hands-on, clothes-on exploration of intimacy and fantasy.” These and three similar events were advertised on the Stop AIDS Project’s Web site. Rep. Souder’s letter resulted in HHS’s Office of Inspector General, OIG, investigating the Project’s compliance with its cooperative agreements with the Centers for Disease Control. Its report states, “The CDC basic principles require that all AIDS-related materials ‘include

information about the harmful effects of promiscuous sexual activity and intravenous substance abuse, and the benefits of abstaining from such activities.’ They also require that no funds ‘be used to provide education or information designed to promote or encourage, directly, homosexual or heterosexual sexual activity or intravenous substance abuse.’” They also bar the use of obscene material in providing information on how to reduce the risk of getting AIDS. The events sponsored by the Stop AIDS Project and advertised on its Web site last August were strong on promoting homosexual sex and weak on discouraging unsafe sex. The OIG concluded that “some of the information presented in the workshops...could be viewed as encouraging directly...sexual activity in violation of CDC’s guidance.” It said that the Project’s sexually explicit advertisements similarly violated the guidance and could be viewed as “obscene.” Normal people who know what “fisting” is find it revolting, not just obscene. The CDC grants were made “to provide outreach services, develop and hold workshops and train members of the community as workshop providers.” The Project did not keep records of its expenditures by project and funding source, and the OIG found that CDC funds were used to support all of the Project’s activities. It did not monitor any of the “workshops” or review all training materials, but it promised a more comprehensive review of the CDC’s AIDS program in FY2002. The CDC gave \$7.2 million to 28 AIDS-prevention organizations in San Francisco alone in FY2000. It is not likely that HHS will even try to find out how many of those organizations are flouting the CDC guidelines and perhaps doing more to encourage behavior that spreads AIDS rather than preventing it. It is too bad the media have shown so little interest in this story.

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By Robert Boatman

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Strike...

Marsing Husky Tamara Kenyon takes a swing at a strike during last week's Marsing vs Middleton game. Results of Thursday's game were not available.

Wolverines overcome Huskies in double-header

Weiser earned two nonconference softball wins Tuesday as the Wolverines' pitching allowed only three Marsing hits as it bested the Huskies 10-0 and 13-4 in Marsing.

Kirby Saito struck out five, gave up one hit and walked one for Weiser in the first of two five inning games as she upped her mark to 3-1. Kinsee Chamberlain knocked in two runs and doubled, while Callie McInroy also doubled and had an RBI and Saito plated two runners.

"We hit the ball well," Wolverine coach Dale Emert said.

McInroy went the distance in the second game and gave up just two hits in five innings of work, despite walking five in a rain saturated fifth inning.

"We got off to a 7-0 lead and the fifth inning, with the rain, couldn't get the ball over the plate," Emert said.

Saito had three RBIs and McInroy improved to 3-1 with the win.

The Huskies' only runs of the day came in the fourth and fifth innings of the second game.

Marsing combined for 12 errors in the doubleheader and gave up 13 runs on four Weiser hits in the second game.

Trojans topple defending state champs

The Homedale Trojans shocked New Plymouth 8-6 in a Class 2A Western Idaho Conference softball game, with starting pitcher Sara Reed issuing just two walks and Karianne Vanderhoff going 2-for-3 with two RBI last Thursday.

Homedale (2-9 overall, 2-3 conference) handed the defending state champion Pilgrims (10-2, 5-1) their first conference loss and just their second overall this season.

New Plymouth got 10 strikeouts from starting pitcher Teri Cisler while Nicole McLees went 3-for-4 with two RBI.

"This was a great win for us," Homedale Coach Jim McMillian said. "Sara Reed only walked two batters and our fielders made plays. Tana Krall had four putouts and Karianne Vanderhoff had a great day at the plate."

On April 9 Homedale was defeated by the Middleton Vikings in a non-conference game 16-3. Reed pitched one strikeout and five walks, Driskell pitched one strikeout and four walked runners and Vanderhoff pitched two strikeouts and three walks. Gibbens went 1 for 2 and Legardi went 1 for 1.

The lady Trojans stepped up on Saturday with a winning double header against McCall. In game one, Homedale walked away from McCall leaving them with a 16-0 loss.

Homedale ran in 11 batters in the first inning and five in the second for the win. Love went 2 for 2 with a double and three RBI. Krall went one for three with a double and one RBI.

"It was great to get a couple more wins this week," McMillian said. "It gave us all a little hope and encouragement. Our pitcher only walked three batters in two games and Arbor Frost pitched a strong game for us."

In game two Homedale stopped McCall with a 17-1 win. Frost pitched two strikeouts and no walks. Love slammed in three RBI and went two for three.

Track and field scores

Marsing and Homedale participated in the New Plymouth Invitational April 5th with the Trojans' boy's team placing fourth and the Husky boys team taking sixth. The Homedale girl's team placed sixth and the Husky team followed in 11th.

The Rimrock Raiders traveled to New Plymouth and joined the Owyhee County teams placing 17th with three points in the girls' track and field.

Grangeville boys and girls track teams took team titles with 95 points for the boys' team and the girls finished with 68 overall points.

For the Marsing Huskies, KC Wilson took four first place titles including long jump, pole vault, and the 100 and 200-yard runs. Wilson scored 20-6 1/2 in the long jump above Derek Vance from Homedale with 20 1/2 in second. Wilson also overtook a Homedale athlete in pole vault edging out Clay Haylett at 11 feet with 11 feet six inches.

In the 100-yard dash, Wilson came in with a time of 11.04 above Parma with 11.28. In the 200 yard, he finished at 22.89 above the same runner from Parma with 23.89.

Jim Nauman led the Trojans with a fifth and sixth place finish in discus and the shot put. He threw 121 feet six and a half inches in the discus and 40 feet eight inches in the shot put. Idaho City placed first in shot put with 61 feet 11 and a half inches and 180 feet, two inches in the discus.

Vance placed second in the triple jump with 41 feet two inches and Austin Gluch placed fourth in the high jump with five feet 10 inches.

In the running events, Kevin Almanza placed fourth in the 3,200 meter at 11:13.94. The relay teams placed first in the 4x100 with 45.23, third in the 4x200 with 1:37.92, and in the 4x400 with 3:45.43. They finished the relay races with a fifth place finish in the medley relay with 4:28.51.

In the girls standings, Homedale finished with 45 points followed by Marsing with 21 points and Rimrock with three points.

Homedale placed first in the 4x200 relay with 1:58.02. Jolene Maxwell finished in third in the discus throwing 97-7. She also placed sixth in the shot put with 31-3.

Jessica Stimmel, Homedale, placed third in the long jump with 14-2. Taci Morris took second in the triple jump with 31-7. Butler placed fifth in the 1,600 meter with 6:21.46.

In the relay, Homedale finished third in the 4x100 with 53.42 and third in the medley relay with 2:05.17.

On April 9 the local teams traveled to Vale for the Vale Invitational with 14 total schools. The Ontario boys placed first at the Vale Invitational with 148 points Tuesday in Vale, while Grant Union earned first in the girls action.

Homedale landed in third in the boys' results with 56 points and Fruitland placed fourth with 55. Vale, Weiser and Nyssa followed in fifth, sixth and seventh. Marsing finished in ninth with 19 points and Jordan Valley finished in 13th with 12 points.

Wilson again led the Huskies taking first in the long jump with 20 feet eight inches and third in the javelin with 126 feet two inches. Tyde Smith placed fifth in the shot put with 39 feet one inch.

For Homedale Nauman placed third in the discus with 122 feet and fourth in the shot put with 40 feet, one inch. Vance placed first in the triple jump with 40 feet 1/2 inch. Brian Cuddeback placed third in the 300 intermediate hurdles with 45:17. Michael Eby also took a third place finish in the 400 hurdles with 54:45.

In the relay events

Homedale took a first place finish in the 4x100 with 44:58.

In the girl's team standings, Weiser finished third with 93 points, Payette finished fourth with 69 and Fruitland was fifth with 63 and Alyssa Gluch took third in the high jump with five feet four inches.

Homedale finished with 40 points in eighth place followed by Marsing in ninth with 24 points.

Amanda Stewart placed in two events, the shot put and the discus. She took fourth place in shot put with 30 feet six inches and third in discus with 92 feet, two inches.

For Homedale, TJ Martinat placed second in the 3,000 meter with 13:06 and third in the 1,500 meter with 5:11:96. Butler took fourth in the 1,500 with 5:12:26.

In the relay events Homedale placed fourth in the 4x400 with 4:48;18 and took fifth in the 4x100 with 54:56.

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Long drive...

Marsing Husky Cody Usabel slams a long drive into right field during a non-conference baseball game against the Middleton Vikings last week. Usable drove in two RBI and tied the score three to three with the hit. Final scores were unavailable at press time

Local sports briefs

Baseball

Pilgrims make seventh inning win over Trojans

The Homedale Trojans (4-7 overall, 2-3 WIC) hung tough with the New Plymouth Pilgrims up until the seventh inning, anyway, when the Pilgrims scored nine runs to take the 17-4 Class 2A Western Idaho Conference baseball win Thursday.

Cole Dennett led the Pilgrims (5-1, 4-0) with a 2-for-3 performance and three RBIs.

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Karoush and Feldner; Nauman, Robinson (6), Varuska (7), Cooper (7) and Fernstrom. WP—Karoush. LP—Nauman (1-2). 2B—Shipman (NP), Dennett (NP), Warnke (NP), Parrill (H).

3B—Jensen (NP), Hathhorn (H). RBI—Jensen 3 (NP), Shipman 2 (NP), Johnson (NP), Dennett 3 (NP), Warnke (NP), Karoush (NP), Feldner 2 (NP), Mashburn (H), Cooper (H), Shenk (H).

Tennis

Singles sweep Payette for victory

Homedale's experienced singles players swept Payette en route to a 9-3 victory in a conference dual match.

Uriah Jones, Kevin Overton and Quinn Bingham swept the boys singles matches in straight sets while Katie Jones, Sara Brown and Carolyn Kaufman pulled off the feat on the girls side — dropping just seven games along the way.

Payette's teams of Zach Forsman-Craig Soelberg and Jake McCallum-Rob Patterson swept boys doubles, with Mike Edle and Kacee Agin-Batten winning at No. 1 mixed

doubles.

In the girls doubles, Kelly Roberts/Alysa Gluch (H) defeated Mary Ellen Bauer/Kristi Soelberg (P), 6-0, 6-2 and Lacey VanderBeough/Alicia Young (H) defeated Diana Kordich/Juleen Youngber (P), 6-1, 6-2.

In boys doubles, Zach Forsman/Craig Soelberg (P) defeated Anthony Haskett/Bernardo Morales (H), 6-1, 6-4 and Jake McCallum/Rob Patterson (P) defeated Jessy Hirsbruner/Adam Frost (H), 7-5, 6-4.

In mixed doubles, Mike Edle/Kacee Agin-Batten (P) defeated Robby Butler/Amie Holloway (H), 6-1, 7-5 and Drew Duryee/Katie Johnson (H) defeated Cory Jones/Megan Christopher (P), 6-2, 6-0.

In girls singles, Katie Jones (H) defeated Anonito Wild (P), 6-1, 6-4, Sara Bown (H) defeated Carl Wust (P), 6-0, 6-1 and Carolyn Kaufman (H) defeated Kristine Ropp (P), 6-1, 6-0.



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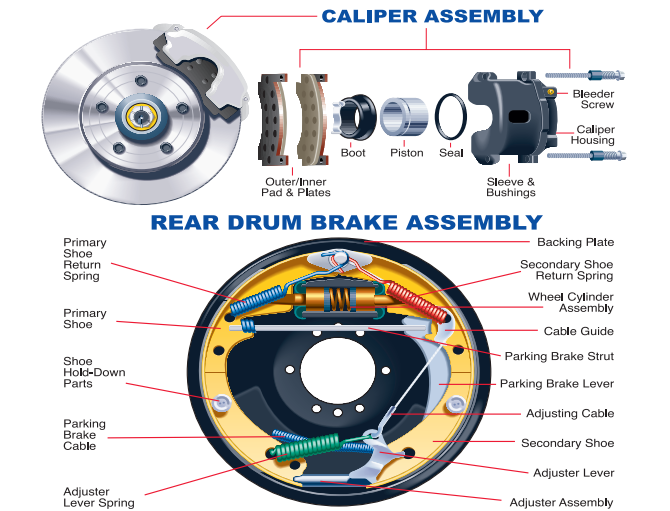
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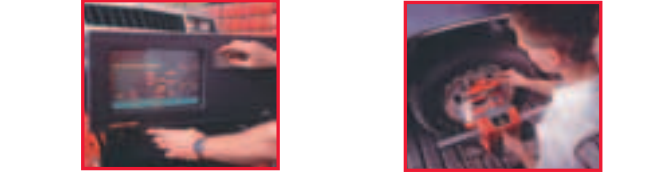
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Baking soda. To release those bubbles, baking soda must be combined with an acidic ingredient such as lemon juice, buttermilk, yogurt, bananas or molasses. Because bubbles begin to form as soon as the baking soda and liquid meet, it helps to mix the baking soda with other dry ingredients before adding the liquid. Mix the batter, then pop it in the oven right away so the bubbles can do their work.

Keep baking soda in a cool, dry place for up to six months. It'll keep even better if you put it into an airtight container once you've opened the box. Think your baking soda's over the hill? Test its strength by mixing 1/4 teaspoon baking soda and 2 teaspoons vinegar. If the mixture bubbles, the baking soda's still active.

Baking powder. Baking powder is actually made from baking soda—with an acid and a moisture absorber added. Unlike baking soda, its bubble action works twice: once when mixed with liquids or other moist ingredients and once during baking.

Baking powder also keeps well tightly covered in a cool, dry place for six months. Before measuring, it's a good idea to mix up the baking powder. Also, avoid dipping a wet measuring spoon into the can, which will dampen the baking powder's rising power. To make sure your baking powder still packs a punch, stir 1 teaspoon into 1/3 cup hot water. If the mixture bubbles energetically, go ahead and use it.

All out of baking powder? Substitute 1/4 teaspoon baking soda and 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar for 1 teaspoon baking powder.

Now what about cream of tartar? It's not technically a leavener, but it's in some baking powders. Actually, cream of tartar is made from the acid left in wine barrels after the wine is bottled. Add it to egg whites when you first begin to beat them to increase the stability and volume, or to candy and frostings to make them creamier.

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Dr. James C. Dobson

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Children naturally push the limits of adults' power

QUESTION: Why can't parents get children to obey just by explaining what they want them to do? Why is it so often necessary to punish or raise our voices to get them to cooperate? Why can't they just accept a few reasonable rules and avoid all that conflict? It just doesn't add up to me.

DR. DOBSON: After working with children for years, I'm convinced that their challenging behavior is motivated in part by the desire for power that lies deep within the human spirit. From a very early age, they just don't want anyone telling them what to do. They are also great admirers of strength and courage. Maybe this is why mythical characters like Superman, Robin Hood and Wonder Woman have been so prominent in the folklore of children. Perhaps it is also why kids brag that "My dad can beat up your dad!" (One child said in reply, "That's nothing — my mom can beat up my dad, too!")

It is a fact that most boys, and some girls, care about the issue of "who's toughest." Whenever a youngster moves into a new neighborhood or a new school district, he often has to fight, either verbally or physically, to establish himself in the hierarchy of strength. There is usually a "top dog" in a group of children who bosses everyone else around. There is also a little defeated pup at the bottom of the heap who takes the brunt of everyone's abuse. And each child between those extremes usually knows where he or she ranks in relation to the others.

I believe this admiration for power also makes children want to know how tough their leaders are. They will occasionally disobey adults for the precise purpose of testing their determination and courage.

Thus, whether you are a parent, grandparent, Boy Scout leader, bus driver, Brownie leader or a schoolteacher, I can guarantee that sooner or later, one of the children under your authority will clench his little fist and challenge your leadership. He will convey this message by his disobedient manner: "I don't think you are tough enough to make me do what you say." The way you handle that confrontation is being watched closely by every child in the group. Your reaction will determine how soon another occurs and with what intensity it is driven.

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QUESTION: My wife and I have two very strong-willed kids who are hard to handle. They seem to need to test us, and they're happiest and most contented when we are toughest on them. Why do they insist on making us growl at them and even punish them more than we'd like to?

DR. DOBSON: It is curious, isn't it, that some children seem to enjoy fighting with their parents. It's a function of the pugnacious temperament with which they are born. Many kids just like to run things and seem to enjoy picking fights.

There is another factor that is related to a child's sense of security. Let me illustrate it this way. Imagine you're driving a car over the Royal Gorge Bridge in Colorado, which is suspended hundreds of feet above the canyon floor. As a first-time traveler, you're pretty tense as you drive across. It is a scary experience. I knew one little fellow who was so awed by the view over the side of the bridge that he said, "Wow, Daddy! If you fell off of here, it'd kill you constantly!"

Now suppose there were no guardrails on the side of the bridge. Where would you steer the car? Right down the middle of the road. Even though you

don't plan to hit those protective railings along the side, you just feel more secure knowing that they're there.

It's the same way with children. There is security in defined limits. They need to know precisely what the rules are and who's available to enforce them. Whenever a strong-willed child senses that the boundaries may have moved, or that his or her parents may have lost their nerve, the child will often precipitate a fight just to test the limits again. Children may not admit that they want you to be the boss, but they breathe easier when you prove that you are.

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Miyasako shoots 49 in Ontario Invitational

Erica Miyasako shot a 49 at the Ontario Invitational golf tournament last week, although but her score put her first among the Homedale team, it didn't count for the tournament since the team arrived late and were unable to officially score their points.

Kerie Kushlan and Christine Truesdell both swung a 51 followed by Shannon Batt, Melissa Miyasako and KC Miyasako all shot a 52 and Caitlin Parker scored a 56. Liz Villanueva with a 58.

Weiser, coming off a win at the Buhl Invitational Tuesday, where it beat Snake River, the defending 3A Idaho State Champion, was led by senior

Jill Walker, who will be playing golf for the University of Montana next year, with a 40 and Amy Sutton with a 41. Walker and Sutton posted the second and third best rounds of the day.

Stacy Hayes shot a 42 to pace Middleton and Amanda Hayes, sixth at state last year as a sophomore, and Stephanie Hammond each had rounds of 47.

Payette's Cassie Greif tied with Stacy Hayes for fourth best score and Ontario's Jessica Jensen sat alone with the fifth best at 46.

Nyssa's Amy Hixson had the longest putt of the day and Weiser's Dessa Bokides was

awarded closest to the pin with her shot on hole three.

Payette, Fruitland and Nyssa had incomplete scores and Homedale arrived late so it's scores were written in as non-counting.

Team Results
1. Weiser, 180; 2. Middleton, 190; 3. Ontario, 203; 4. McCall/Donnelly, 251; 5. Vale, 269; Payette, n/c; Fruitland, n/c; Nyssa, n/c; Homedale, n/c (late arrival).

Individual Results
Weiser (180) — Jill Walker, 40; Dessa Bokides, 48; Amy Sutton, 41; Sarah Huston, 51; Nicole Picard, 69 (n/c); Jamie Hill, 65 (n/c); Sarah Field, 58 (n/c).

Middleton (190) — Amanda Hayes, 47; Stephanie Hammond, 47; Stacy Hayes, 42; Katie Quenzer, 54.

Ontario (203) — Anna Jaramillo, 38; Brenna Thornfeldt, 71; Jessica Jensen, 46; Lindsey Hunt, 64; Jill Igarashi, 55 (n/c); Skye Thiel, 56 (n/c); Camilie Davis, 63 (n/c); Jill Solterbeck, 83 (n/c).

McCall/Donnelly (251) — Jenna Milleman, 47; Annie McMahan, 53; Kristin Sprague, 73; Karla Hatfield, 78.

Vale (269) — Rachel McPheeters, 56; Ellen Maupin, 58; Chelsie Bishop, 84; Rachel Day, 71.

Payette (inc) — Cassie

Greif, 42; Teresa Zbrowski, 68; Ashley Packard, 65.

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Nyssa (inc) — Eva Goransson, 57; Amy Hixson, 70.

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Commentary

Editor’s notebook

Joe Aman

New policy?

It seems the Homedale Police Department is initiating a new policy when it comes to reports of juvenile drinking.

This assumption comes from actions and statements during and following an incident a week ago Friday in which the department virtually shut down Owyhee Lanes. The probable cause was that Councilman david Freelove said a juvenile claimed she had taken a drink of juice and alcohol while at the business.

The officers secured the business and gave a breath test to each of the 40 or so kids who were bowling, and even wanted to test an eight-year-old girl who was there with her parents.

The chief and the mayor defend the actions, referring to the recent death of a youth who was killed in an alcohol-related accident, saying the department is going to do what it takes to stop such tragedies.

We can assume from the bowling incident and the statements that we can expect such actions in the future as:

- if a report comes in that someone at the elementary or high school has been drinking alcohol, the entire facility will be secured and each and every student will be tested;
- if a report that a minor is drinking at a dance, for instance, the facility will be secured, the music stopped, and all minors will blow in the tube. The same policy would be applied to any other gathering within the city.

As a cautionary point, however, we would hope that any source of such information are reliable and credible, not merely hearsay.



Any volunteers?

An old tradition needs revived.

Last week Owyhee County Commissioner Hal Tolmie stopped by the office on business, and after finishing that, we began to reminisce somewhat.

Hal has been around here longer than I. (In fact, he’s somewhat older than I.) We were discussing some of the things the community used to do, and one of those things sparked special interest.

Hal suggested that the community ought to revive the tradition of the Old Timers’ Barbecue.

That event used to be held in conjunction with the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo. The Chamber of Commerce (an active group during times past) would shuck corn, Owyhee Meat Packers would barbecue hundreds of pounds of beef, John and Frank Matteson would make barrels of cole slaw, Boise Cascade Lumber would set up saw horses and plywood for tables, local musicians would show up, many others would help, and the Saturday event would be a “go”.

The feed was held at the city park right after the parade, and folks from all over Owyhee County would meet, greet and eat.

It was a time – often the only time during the year – when friends would see each other. Politicians loved it, too.

Hal and I agreed that the tradition should be revived (especially in light of the fact we think we both almost qualify as an “old-timer). Now that there’s grass at the fairgrounds, the event could be held there, enhancing the attendance at the fat stock sale.

All that’s needed is a group to step up and take charge and organize the event. Any volunteers?

Joe Aman may be reached at The Owyhee Avalanche or directly via email: avalanche@citlink.net

Front sight

Robert Boatman

Deincentivication

That’s a seven-syllable word for theft. Granted, it’s a very specialized kind of theft practiced nearly exclusively by left-wing organizations like the BLM.

You see, the BLM finally caught on that all those ranchers who were utilizing unowned federalized lands to graze their cattle were making substantial improvements to the lands, had been making those range improvements continuously for decades, had been working very hard at it while the government agency operatives charged with caretaking the lands had done nothing but sit on their typically bloated bureaucratic rear-ends.

The ranchers were acting out of enlightened self-interest. They had an incentive. An improved range, with

its wider dispersal of spring or piped water, healthier plant life, cleaned out brush and free-flowing drainage ditches was a good investment in business. Ranchers were incentivised to provide not only the aforementioned improvements but†any number of natural enhancements as well,†such as the aeration of the earth and the distribution of ungulate-manufactured nutrients which responsibilities had fallen on privately-owned cattle ever since the vast herds of government-claimed bison had been wiped out.

The BLM, on the other hand, was acting out of the purest altruism. Their mission was to save the world, or at least to

artificially preserve a few little-known species of weed and amphibious mutants which were well on their way to a natural end because they were too incompetent to live any longer.

Anyway, it soon became clear to the

BLM that this productive improvement of the range by private ranchers had to be stopped, lest the BLM’s often quoted justification for its own existence – “cattle and cattlemen are harming the range” – be seen through by everyone over the age of eight. So the political operatives of the BLM hit upon the strategy of deincentivication.

This simply means that the BLM conspired to steal all of the range improvements made by ranchers on their own time with their own money – the government concept of “takings” if you will – so that the ranchers would have no incentive to continue spending their time and money making things better than they had ever been before. The BLM made it perfectly clear that any improvements made by ranchers would be claimed by the BLM as its own and consequently†destroyed as soon as possible in the name of we’re-a-lot-smarter-than-you-are phony science and entered into evidence to support the environmental extremist claim that ranchers are maligning the land and should be shut down entirely.

You can imagine the BLM thought-process revealed in their closed-door secret strategy sessions: Destroy the incentive for private investment and we destroy the entrepreneurial spirit. Once those independent-minded cowboys are immobilized from the conundrum of action and inaction being equally untenable, we’ll be able to go in and chop them off at the knees.

Owyhee. A three-syllable word for Make My Day.



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Quotable quote

Let virtue, honor, the love of liberty—be the soul of this constitution, and it will become the source of great and extensive happiness to this and future generations. Vice, ignorance, and want of vigilance will be the only enemies able to destroy it.

— John Jay

Commentary

On the edge of common sense

Baxter Black, DVM

Country truck-city truck

The country truck was a sixty-nine Ford three-quarter ton rig with a cow dog on board,

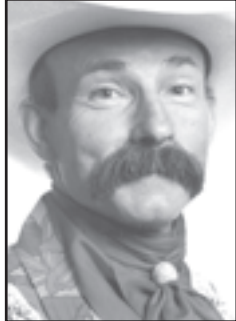
Four on the floor with the right fender squashed and proud of the fact that he'd never been washed.

"Pee Yoo!" said a voice, "What the heck is that smell!" The Ford quickly sniffed under his wheel well.

He'd been through the cow lot to take out some hay and picked up some fresh flavored mud on the way.

He turned to the voice, to try saving face. A city truck gleamed in the next parking space.

A two thousand two Vortec Chevrolet, a sleek Silverado - pinstriped silver gray.



"Say what!" said the Ford, "I'm a working man's truck!" "Big deal," said the Chevy, "You still smell like muck.

"You think I don't work? You should go where I go. You'd wear out your bearings and be eatin' crow."

So that afternoon the big Ford did just that. They picked up some papers, delivered a cat,

Did stop and go traffic, found no place to park, ran errands and drop-offs till way after dark.

"Yer right," said the Ford, "I'm exhausted, no doubt! My transmission's achin', I'm plum shifted out.

But just to be fair you should come to my farm." So he did! 'Cause, he thought, couldn't do any harm.

"Let's go get some breakfast," said Ford to his friend. They drove to the fuel tank that stood on it's end.

"Oh, I never use diesel," said Chev with disgust. "It's dirty and smokes, makes my breath smell like bus."

"A small quart of oil and gallon of gas is plenty for me, you know I'll make it last."

"Whatever you say," said Ford, raising his brows, "Our first job is takin' hay out to the cows."

Which wasn't that easy. The road was a trail. The Chevy high-centered and picked up a nail.

They changed his flat tire, hauled bushels of grain, pulled trailers with horses and big logs with chains.

"Don't you have a tractor to help move this stuff?" "He just does the big jobs," said Ford, a bit gruff,

Just then, for the third time the Chevy got stuck. See mud is no place for a city-type truck.

But, as we all know there are tough Chevrolets who ranch and do logging, spend most of their days

With mud on their grill guards and trailers in tow, plum country-type trucks who can lug it in low

And city environs are frequently seen with fancy Ford pickups all shiny and clean

Engaged in the commerce of big city streets, close friends of the taxi, the trolley and fleets.

So Chevy and Ford trucks are different it's true. But they could change places and frequently do

'Cause city or country depends, not on name but on the position you play in the game.

For life often picks us to act out a role as Chevy or Ford, it's beyond our control.

But some just don't fit in life's parking garage, so you park it outside with the big dually Dodge.

Letter

Praises Senator Craig

A friend just called and told me that the enviros are moving to expand the monument Clinton gave them in Southern Oregon. They are also making another move on Steens Mountain and the 2.7 million-acre land grab in Owyhee County is far from dead.

In the meantime the BLM and Marvelites continue to zero in on grazing permits. Other multiple uses also are under the magnifying glass and red banded trout, spotted frogs and sage grouse are the tools they are using to "re-classify" these uses.

We are fortunate in that our congressional delegation has aided us in efforts to bring reason to the ongoing situation. They know that the future of our western resource based economy depends upon sound scientifically based management. Therefore when one of these folks come up for re-election it is vital that we support them. Senator Craig is a true supporter, sharing a common background with his constituents. He is aware of the social economic impacts associated with governmental action and is dedicated to keeping it from strangling us.

Senator Craig is active in the senate appropriation process which makes his continued presence much envied by those States without his seniority. As the world drifts toward an uncertain future, we need representatives who understand the issues both foreign and domestic, which is beneficial to Owyhee County, Idaho and the United States.

Michael F. Hanley IV
Jordan Valley

Guest opinion

Setting the record straight on landowner permits

by John Romero

As a private landowner and avid sportsman, I know it is important to provide habitat for wildlife that both summer and winter on my place. As a an avid sportsman I enjoy hunting on private land and I really appreciate the countless landowners that open their place up to people like me. I also understand that providing wildlife habitat and allowing access comes with a price to the landowner.

Because of the challenges and costs associated with providing wildlife habitat a Landowner Preference Tag Program was originated in 1990. However, it ended in 1998 due to a technical, statutory conflict. In 1999, the "Landowner Appreciation Program" (LAP) took over from the original program. Both the original program and the new LAP program were created primarily to recognize landowner's contribution to wildlife habitat and to allow landowners preference to hunt on their own property in limited tag quota areas. Unfortunately, the new LAP program contained a "reasonable access" provision requiring a landowner to provide public access on his or her property in order to receive preference for a big game tag.

Landowners felt requiring public access was an unreasonable string attached to LAP. Access as a form of payment from landowners to enroll in LAP clouded the intent of the program and caused a drop in landowner participation. This decrease prompted the Fish and Game Advisory Committee to recommend to the IDFG Commissioners to remove "reasonable access" from the LAP program in 2000. However, to achieve consensus among all members of the Advisory Committee to forward the recommendation to the Commissioners removing the "reasonable access" provision, the committee agreed to a fallback provision whereby any member could cause a reversal of the recommendation by a single dissenting vote in upcoming years.

"Reasonable access" was discussed by the Fish and Game Advisory Committee at its January 2002 meeting. At that meeting, a vote was taken to continue the LAP program as it was - without "reasonable access". Of the twelve Advisory Committee members, only two sportsmen representatives cast a dissenting vote, but because of the fallback provision agreed to two years earlier, the Committee was required to forward a recommendation to the IDFG Commissioners to reinstate "reasonable access" on the LAP program. In truth, when this recommendation to reinstate "reasonable access" was brought before the IDFG Commissioners in March, the recommendation was not a product of consensus nor was it even the desire of the majority of the Fish and Game Advisory Committee. It was widely recognized that reinstatement of the "reasonable access" provision on the LAP program would hinder both sportsman/landowner relations and the future work of the Fish and Game Advisory Committee.

With that in mind I want to thank the Fish & Game Commission for using a little common sense and making the right decision when it came to all of this at their last meeting. Looking ahead, much of the wildlife in this state depends on private landowners sustaining and enhancing wildlife habitat. The future success of public hunting and fishing depends largely on sportsmen and landowners working side by side and the commissioners are on the right track when it comes to this issue.

Romero is a rancher on Reynolds Creek and serves as an Agriculture Representative on the Fish and Game Advisory Committee and Chairman of the Idaho Cattle Association Wildlife Committee.

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

April 14, 1977

Engineers planning for additional water storage for Marsing city

MARSING – Councilman Roy Herman has announced that the Marsing City Engineers, Blakely Engineers, are surveying for the site if the new 50,000, gallon storage tank for domestic water for Marsing. It will be on the city property on Lizard Butte near the city well. There will be sufficient space for the second tank when needed.

The plan will more than double the capacity of the city’s water supply, stated Herman. He added that the cost of the installation is covered by Revenue Sharing funds made available from the federal Governments in lieu of taxes, from cash on hand in the water and sewer funds, and from the Marsing Agricultural Labor Sponsoring Committee. The city will be responsible for 65 per cent of the cost and the Labor Committee will pay the other 35 per cent. He said hopefully the cost will be not more then \$16,000.

The labor camp will be hooked into the system at its own expense and pay at the same rate for usage as other city users. The additional storage will take care of daily peak usage, but it is still necessary to plan for more water and storage, it was reported.

Last PTA meeting to be held Monday

HOMEDALE– Thelast PTA meeting of the 1977 school year will be held Monday evening, April 18, at 8†p.m. In the Washington Grade School building. Dean Vance will speak on “the role of counselor” in the school system and there will be an induction of the new officers at this time.

A special presentation of PTA, school board members and retiring personnel will conclude the program.

City receives trees, appoints P and Z commission members

MARSING – In observation of Private Property Week the Caldwell Board of Realtors donated 24 Scotch pine to the City of Marsing to be planted on the new park stated Wenda Coons, city clerk.

The City Council met Monday evening. Mayor Harold Curt appointed new members to the Planning and Zoning Board. Those terms were up were Ted Webb, Tom Dunagan and Justo Yzaguirre. Dale Dobbin resigned from the board. Those appointed were Roger Howard, Gene Showlater, and Justo Yzaguirre.

It was agreed to transfer the beer license from Corky’s to the Snake River Mart.

The Council adopted the Marsing Subdivision Ordinance, which will require new subdivisions to meet all city requirements for building.

Rev. Doug Money of the Marsing Nazarene Church was appointed to the Marsing Labor Agriculture Sponsoring Committee, Inc.

Reunion at Vern Evans

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans Kelly of Grand Rapids, Mich. visited their grandparents Vern and Mena Evans of Homedale. They were accompanied by his parents Richard and Faye Kelly of Columbus, Neb. Mrs. Norma Hornburger of Sacramento, Calif., flew in to be with her parents, sister Faye and brother Ross Evans, and others. They all had Easter dinner at the home of Vern and Mena Evans with guests Ross Evans, Ellie Beegley. They were invited for refreshments at the home of Edwin Stansell.

50 years ago

April 17, 1952

Harold Baker flags truck; puts out fire alone

The observant eye and quick work of Harold Baker, attendant of the Homedale Utah Oil station, were responsible for the discovering and extinguishing a fire in a farm truck before any damage was done on Tuesday noon, according to Homedale Fire Chief John Matteson. Mr. Baker saw fire behind the cab of the truck coming into town from the south. He grabbed a hand fire extinguisher, flagged down the truck at the intersection of Idaho avenue and Main Street and had the fire out by the time the fire chief arrived from across the street with another extinguisher.

The truck was owned by John Landa and was driven by Mrs. Landa, who was not aware that anything was wrong until after the fire was out.

The fire was caused by the combustion of hay and chaff, which had worked down between the truck cab and bed onto the muffler and exhaust pipe, according to Fire Chief Matteson.

County planning board meeting slated April 22

A meeting of the Owyhee county planning board has been called for Tuesday, April 22 at 1:30 p.m. at the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, according to Victor C. Ford, secretary.

Representatives of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph, company of this district and some members of the Public Utilities commission of Idaho, as well as representatives of various parts of Owyhee County will be present.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss the telephone situation in Owyhee County.

Jackson Hotel opening to be held Saturday: 14 rooms are complete

Opening of the Jackson hotel in Homedale will be held Saturday, when the public is invited to view the 14 rooms, which are completed and ready for occupancy in the west wing on the second floor of the Jackson building. Entrance to the hotel is between Two Boys store and Scotty’s Sport shop and the reception desk is at the head of the stairs.

The rooms are all furnished nicely and beds have Simmons springs and innerspring mattresses for the utmost comfort, C. B. Jackson, manager, said. Some of the rooms have private baths.

Supt. Keith Jacob resigns to take position in Oregon

Keith W. Jacob, superintendent of Homedale schools for the past two years, has resigned as of June 15 to take a similar position at Culver, Ore.

Mr. Jacob was first associated with Homedale schools in 1947–48 when he was high school principal. He resigned to become the superintendent at Cambridge for the next two years. He moved his family back to Homedale in June, 1950, after being hired as superintendent here.

He has been active in the Homedale Kiwanis club, being a past president and now serving as secretary.

Homedale Trojans wins 22-7 over Marsing

The Homedale Trojans, pounded three pitchers from the mound Tuesday to score a 22-7 victory over Marsing. Two Trojan sophomores, Thomas Yost and Harald Breach, batted a cool .800 with four hits each in five trips to the plate.

Adrian comes here Friday and the Trojans travel to Wilder next Tuesday.

134 years ago

April 11, 1868

THE MILITARY. – We were misinformed last week in relation to the number of soldiers who came over from Fort Boise. Instead of fifty, as we stated, the total number was ninety-five – seventy five from Co. “H” 23d Infantry, and 20 from Co. “D,” 8th Cavalry, under command of Brevet-Colonel James B. Sinclair and Ist Lieutenant Chas. Bird, 23d Infantry. Colonel Sinclair has our thanks for this information. The command arrived in town last Saturday morning, and took up their quarters in Brigham and Weeks’ large Hall. The Company divided into messes and cooked their food by camp fires out-doors, the Colonel and his officers partaking of the same fare as the private soldiers. The lively notes of the bugle and the beating of the drum gave our bustling mining town quite a martial air, while the saucy little brass 12-pounder, termed by the Colonel his pocket-piece, and the bright muskets and bayonets in the hands of sturdy men, conveyed the impression in a very forcible manner that Uncle Sam is able to assert and maintain his authority. Col. Sinclair is proud of his men, and well he may be; they are all young, none of them probably more than thirty years of age, and are a quiet, orderly and noble-looking set of fellows. They dress in full uniform, including the hat and feather. We can truly say of these men what cannot often be said of a company of soldiers, that during their sojourn here not one of them was known to be intoxicated – a fact worthy of note and a great credit to themselves as well as their commander.

MOVING. – Our readers will excuse us for lack of interesting local matters this week when they understand that we have been moving our material into a new office, corner of Clinton and Second Streets. Moving is no small job and leaves things topsy-turvy for a while. We will soon get things arranged, then we will be all right again.

DEATH ON A STAGE. – Last Sunday Mr. Sam’l Houston died suddenly on the stage while on his way from Boise City to this place. His remains were taken back to the former place for burial. He was well known in Idaho City, was a native of Pennsylvania and about forty years of age.

THE WEATHER, ETC. – It rained at intervals yesterday and the day before. The snow is fast disappearing and but little now remains in our streets. The roads are muddy, but in a few days will be in a good condition. Mails arrive and depart regularly every day.

PERSONAL. – It is with pleasure that we note the return of George Collier Robbins, Esq., who has been sojourning in Portland during the Winter. He has great confidence in Owyhee – is engaged in mining interests here, and will start to New York in a few days.

FROM CAMPLYON. – A mail-carrier from Camp Lyon informs us that Mr. Bebee, scout, with six soldiers, three packers and seven Indians have started out on a tour of observation. We understand they will proceed to the mouth of the Owyhee and search the country along the river up as far as Lockwood and Cable’s Ferry. If there be any hostile Indians in that vicinity “Old Bebee” and the scouts will take care of them.

THANKS to “Old Man” Barter for that jug of Old Tom presented to us the day we moved. It is astonishing how much easier things moved after it was received.

Public notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On the 14th day of **August, 2002**, at the hour of 10:45 A.M., of said day, (recognized local time), in the Lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

A parcel of land being a portion of the Northeast Quarter of Section 22, Township 5 South, Range 3 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, said parcel being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at a found Brass Cap marking the North Quarter Corner of said Section 22, Township 5 South, Range 3 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence

South 0 degrees 09’42” East (formerly S 0 degrees 09’35” East) 2662.39 feet along the West boundary of the said Northeast Quarter of Section 22 to a found Brass Cap marking the Center Quarter Corner of said Section 22; thence

South 89 degrees 55’20” East 1165.06 feet along the South boundary of the said Northeast Quarter of Section 22 to a point on the centerline of the Grand View Irrigation District Canal, said point being witnessed by a set 1/2 inch iron pin which bears

North 48 degrees 24’04” East 25.10 feet, said point also marking the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

North 48 degrees 24’04” East 337.41 feet to a set 1/2 inch iron pin; thence

South 31 degrees 23’40” East 263.05 feet to a set 1/2 inch iron pin lying on the said South boundary of the Northeast Quarter of Section 22; thence

North 89 degrees 55’20” West 389.35 feet along the said south boundary of the Northeast Quarter of Section 22 to the POINT OF BEGINNING being witnessed by a set 1/2 inch iron pin which bears

South 89 degrees 55’20” East 31.12 feet.

TOGETHER WITH

A 20.00 foot wide easement for the purposed of ingress and egress to the above described parcel. Said easement lying in a portion of the Northeast Quarter of Section 22, Township 5 South, Range 3 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and being 10.00 feet wide on either side of the following described centerline.

COMMENCING at a found Brass Cap marking the North Quarter Corner of said Section 22, Township 5 South, Range 3 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence

South 0 degrees 09’42” East (formerly S 0 degrees 09’35” East) 2662.39 feet along the West boundary of the said Northeast Quarter of Section 22 to a found Brass Cap marking the Center Quarter Corner of said Section 22; thence

South 89 degrees 55’20” East 1857.57 feet along the South boundary of the said Northeast Quarter of Section 22 to a set 5/ 8 inch iron pin lying on the Westerly right of way of State Highway 78, said pin also lying along a curve to the left thence along said Westerly right of way of State Highway 78 the following courses and distances: Along said curve to the left a distance of 823.07 feet, said curve having a delta of 12 degrees 30’35”, a radius of 3769.72 feet, tangents of 413.18 feet and a long chord of 821.44 feet which bears

North 43 degrees 54’10” West to a found Brass Cap marking the point of ending of said curve; thence

North 50 degrees 07’00” West 320.82 feet to a point marking the centerline of said 20.00 foot wide ingress/egress easement, said point also marking the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence leaving said Westerly right of way of State Highway 78 and along the said centerline of a 20.00 foot wide ingress/egress easement the following courses and distances;

South 35 degrees 39’14” West 83.34 feet to a point; thence

South 35 degrees 41’36” West 44.89 feet to a point marking a curve to the left; thence along said curve to the left a distance of 90.04 feet, said curve having a delta of 73 degrees 49’04” a radius of 69.89 feet, tangents of 52.49 feet and a long chord of 83.94 feet which bears

South 01 degrees 12’56” East to a point of ending of said curve; thence

South 38 degrees 07’28” East 78.96 feet to a point; thence

South 44 degrees 27’46” East 96.52 feet to a point; thence

South 51 degrees 28’29” East 207.99 feet to a point; thence

South 51 degrees 05’33” East 208.11 feet to a point of ending of said ingress/egress easement centerline.

Tina Albright
TRUSTEE
VERIFICATION

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of **1215 Highway 78, Grandview**, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **WESLEY M WINN, a married man as his sole and separate property**, as grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of **M O R T G A G E E L E C T R O N I C R E G I S T R A T I O N S Y S T E M S, I N C.**, as beneficiary, recorded **September 25, 2000**, as Instrument No. **233817**, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY

WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds of \$807.41, due per month for the months of December, 2001 and January, February, 2002 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$34.08, uncollected late charges are due in the amount of \$170.40, with interest accruing at 9.875% per annum, and continuing to accrue from November 1, 2001. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$77,975.39, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Date: April 1, 2002
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.
By Monine Cole
Trust Officer

4/17, 24, 5/1, 8/02

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Defendants
NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED

PLAINTIFF(S). THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 DAYS.

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TO: THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS

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A copy of the Complaint is served with this Summons. If you wish to seek the advice or representation by an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be filed in time and other legal rights protected.

Nature of Lawsuit: Abatement of Nuisance Property located at 23 W Montana, Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho.

An appropriate written

response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) and other Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and shall also include:

1. The title and number of this case.
2. If your response is an Answer to the Complaint, it must contain admissions or denials of the separate allegations of the Complaint and other defenses you may claim.
3. Your signature, mailing address and telephone number, or the signature, mailing address and telephone number of your attorney.
4. Proof of mailing or delivery of a copy of your response to plaintiff’s attorney, as designated above.

To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the above-named court.

DATED this 25th day of March, 2002.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
By Trina Aman
Deputy

4/10, 17, 24, 5/1/02

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Southwest District Board of Health will hold a **Board Meeting** on Tuesday, April 23, 2002 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at Southwest District Health, Room 200, 920 Main Street, Caldwell, Idaho.

4/17/02

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a public hearing before the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Homedale will be held on the 6th day of May, 2002 at 7:00 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale Idaho. The subject matter of the public hearing is the Application for approval of the final plat of Silver Sage Subdivision No. 2 as submitted by Rick Kushlan. The public is invited to attend and offer input.

Sylvia L. Bahem,
Administrator
Planning & Zoning
Commission
City of Homedale

4/17/01

NOTICE OF SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 136 Ada, Canyon, and Owyhee Counties, Idaho

Public Notice is hereby given according to law, and the requisite action of the Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 136, Ada, Canyon, and Owyhee Counties, Idaho, that the annual school trustee election will be held on Monday, May 21, 2002. Candidates interested in filing a declaration of candidacy must file not later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 19th.

Only those qualified electors residing in Trustee Zone No. 3 may declare a candidacy for a Zone No. 3 Trustee Position. Only those qualified electors residing in Trustee Zone No. 4 may declare candidacy for a Zone No. 4 trustee position. Only those qualified electors residing in Trustee Zone No. 5 may declare candidacy for a Zone No. 5 position. The purpose of said election shall be to elect one trustee to serve for a period of three years from the date of the election one trustee who resides within Trustee Zone No. 3 and one trustee who resides within Trustee Zone No. 4. One trustee to serve a term of 1 year to fill an unexpired term will be elected from Trustee Zone No. 5.

Trustee Zones No. 3, 4, and 5 are more specifically described as follows:

ZONE 3 – CANYON COUNTY AND ADA COUNTY

PHYSICAL: T1S, R2W, SECTIONS 1, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, NE 1/4 NW 1/4 SECTION 17, E 1/2 SECTION 17, NE 1/4 SECTION 20, NE 1/4 SECTION 21, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SECTION 21, E 1/2 SECTION 21, SECTIONS 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, E 1/2 SECTION 27, NW 1/4 SECTION 27 N 1/2 SW 1/4 SECTION 27, NE 1/4 SECTION 28, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 SECTION 36; T1S, R1W SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 30, N 1/2 SECTION 31, N 1/2 SE 1/4 SECTION 31, SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SECTION 31, W 1/2 SECTION 32, NE 1/4 SECTION 32, N 1/2 SE 1/4 SECTION 32, N 1/2 SECTION

33, N 1/2 SW 1/4 SECTION 33, N 1/2 SE 1/4 SECTION 33, NW 1/4 SECTION 34, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SECTION 34, NE 1/4 NE 1/4

ZONE 4 – CANYON COUNTY

PHYSICAL: T1N, R3W, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 SECTION 17, SECTIONS 16, 15, 14, 13; T1N, R2W, S 1/2 SE 1/4 SECTION 2, SW 1/4 SECTION 2, S 1/2 SECTION 3, SECTIONS 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24

START: INTERSECTION OF BIG FOOT RD AND THE SNAKE RIVER – Southeast along the Snake River to Melmont Rd, East on Melmont Rd to one section east of Rim Rd, South one section to McElroy Rd, east on McElroy Rd to Can-Ada Rd, North on Can-ada Rd to Rose Ln, West on Rose Ln to Southside Blvd, North 1/4 of a section, west 1/4 of a section, north 1/4 of a section to Ted Ln, West on Ted Ln 1 1/4 section, South 1 1/2 sections to Big Foot Rd, West on Big Foot Rd to the Snake River (END).

ZONE 5 – OWYHEE COUNTY

PHYSICAL: T1S, R3W; T1S, R2W, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 SECTION 6, SW 1/4 SECTION 6, SECTION 7, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SECTION 8, SECTION 18, NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SECTION 17, S 1/2 NW 1/4 SECTION 17, SW 1/4 SECTION 17, SECTION 19, SECTION 20, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SECTION 27, S 1/2 SECTION 28, NW 1/4 SECTION 28, SECTIONS 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36; T1S, R1W, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SECTION 31, S 1/2 SE 1/4 SECTION 32, S 1/2 SW 1/4 SECTION 33, S 1/2 SECTION 34, SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SECTION 34, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 SECTION 35, SW 1/4 SECTION 35, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SECTION 35; T2S, R4W; T2S, R3W, R2W; T2S R1W, W 1/2 SECTION 1, SECTIONS 2 THROUGH 11, W 1/2 SECTION 12, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SECTION 12, SECTIONS 13 THROUGH 36; T2S, R1E, SW 1/4 SECTION 18, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 SECTION 18, W 1/2 SECTION 19, W 1/2 SECTION 30, W 1/2 SECTION 31; T3S, R4W; T3S, R3W; T3S R2W, SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 11, SECTIONS 14 THROUGH 23, SECTIONS 29 THROUGH 31; T3S, R1E, W 1/2 SECTION 6; T4S, R4W, SECTIONS 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35, 36; T4S, R3W; T4S, R2W SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 11, SECTIONS 18, 19, 30, 31; T5S, R4W SECTIONS 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35, 36; T5S, R3W.

Declaration of candidacy must be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Trustees not later than 5:00 p.m. on the fifth Friday prior to the day of election. (April 19, 2002) Each declaration of candidacy must bear the name of the candidate, state the term for which declaration of candidacy is made, and bear the signature of not less than five (5) school district electors resident of the trustee zone of which the candidate is resident.

As provided by Idaho Code, Section 33-502A, no write-in vote shall be counted unless a declaration of intent has been filed with the District Clerk indicating that the person desires the office and is legally qualified to assume the duties of school trustee if elected. The

declaration of intent shall be filed not later than five (5) days before the day of election.

Under order of the Board of Trustees

Beth Cole
Clerk

4/10, 17/02

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On the 18th day of **July, 2002**, at the hour of 10:45 A.M., of said day, (recognized local time), in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

A portion of Lots 2 and 3 and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 36, Township 2 north, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at a brass cap monument marking the Southwest corner of said Section 36; thence

South 89 degrees 44’49”, 4326.32 feet along the South line of said Section 36 to State Highway 78 centerline point of curve station 360+86.0 as shown on Idaho Transportation Department F.A.P.N.s-3707(2) Highway Plans; thence

North 00 degrees 12’ 49” East, 33.00 feet to a brass cap right-of-way monument stamped “Idaho State Highway R.O.W. STA. 380+86.0” on the Northerly right-of-way of State Highway 78; thence

North 89 degrees 47’11” West, 2137.67 feet along said Northerly right-of-way line to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence continuing along said Northerly right-of-way.

North 89 degrees 47’ 11” West, 105.00 feet to a point of curve; thence continuing along said Northerly right-of-way 485.03 feet along the arc of a 1112.91 foot radius curve to the right (through a central angle of 24 degrees 58’ 14”, the long chord which bears North 77 degrees 18’ 04” West, 481.20 feet); thence leaving said curve and Northerly right-of-way line

North 44 degrees 19’ 48” East, 218.39 feet; thence

North 43 degrees 24’ 53” East, 217.97 feet; thence

North 42 degrees 45’ 06” East, 219.01 feet; thence

South 47 degrees 14’ 54” East, 463.32 feet; thence

South 39 degrees 04’ 54” West, 334.00 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that for more information regarding the location of said real property contact Pioneer Title Company of Owyhee County at (208) 466-6100.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **CHARLES ANNIS AND BRENN A ANNIS, husband and wife**, as grantors, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of **MITCHEL O GEIGER AND WILMA C GEIGER, husband and wife**, as beneficiary, recorded **May 4, 2000**, as Instrument No. **232246**, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments for Principal and Interest of \$424.43, due per month for the months of December, 2000 and January through December, 2001 and January, 2002 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with interest accruing at 9.5 percent per annum, and continuing to accrue from November 4, 2000. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$49,848.88, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Date: March 8, 2002
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.
Monine Cole, Trust Officer

3/27, 4/3, 10, 17/02

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE Trustee’s Sale No. 02-WG-27866

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ALLIANCE TITLE & ESCROW CORP., the duly appointed Trustee, will on **July 12, 2002**, at the hour of **11:00 AM**, of said day, **AT THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, CORNER OF STATE HIGHWAY 78 AND HAILEY STREET, MURPHY, ID**, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the “Property”), situated in the County of OWYHEE, State of Idaho, to-wit:

LOT 10 IN BLOCK 1 OF CANYON ESTATES SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED AS

INSTRUMENT NO. 225491, RECORDS OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of RR 1 Box 4004, HOMEDALE, ID 83628, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by JAMES JOHNSON AND SHAUNNA JOHNSON, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to ALLIANCE TITLE AND ESCROW CORP., as Trustee, for the benefit and security of WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK FSB, as Beneficiary, dated 9/9/1999, recorded 9/16/1999, under instrument No. 229881, Mortgage records of OWYHEE County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK FSB.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 9/9/1999, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 11/1/2001 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH.

Amount due as of
March 7, 2002
Delinquent Payments from
November 01, 2001
5 payments at \$806.37 each
\$4031.85
(11-01-01 through 03-07-02)
Late charges: \$101.47
Beneficiary Advance: \$0.00
TOTAL: \$4,133.32

All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$84,207.49, together with interest thereon at 8.500% per annum from 10/1/2001, until paid.

The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

DATED; March 07, 2002.

ALLIANCE TITLE AND ESCROW CORP.

Trustee
TERESA HOPKINS,
TRUST OFFICER
c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION
720 Seventh Avenue, Suite 400

Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550

Sale information: <http://www.rtrustee.com>

3/27, 4/3, 10, 17/02

Public notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee's Sale No. 02-PR-27916

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, ALLIANCE TITLE AND ESCROW CORP., the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on **July 12, 2002**, at the hour of **11:00 AM**, of said day, **AT THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, CORNER OF STATE HIGHWAY 78 AND HAILEY STREET, MURPHY, ID**, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of OWYHEE, State of Idaho, to-wit:

A part of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter, Section 14, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described to wit:

COMMENCING at the Northwest corner of the said Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter; thence

South 89 degrees 20'40" East 662.96 feet, along the North line of the said Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter, to a point which is

North 89 degrees 20'40" East 662.97 feet from the Northeast corner of the said Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter, thence

South 0 degrees 48'05" East 328.56 feet; thence

South 0 degrees 45'10" West 337.85 feet, to the INITIAL POINT of this description; thence

South 89 degrees 23'42" East 654.05 feet to a point on the East line of said Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter; thence

South 0 degrees 45'10" West 332.86 feet, along the said East line; thence

North 89 degrees 25'14" West 654.05 feet; thence

North 0 degrees 45'10" East 333.15 feet, to the INITIAL POINT of this description.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of HC 79 BOX 1300 CHINA DITCH ROAD, MELBA, ID 83641, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by JOEL E. DAVIS AND ROBYN E. DAVIS, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor to ALLIANCE TITLE AND ESCROW CORP., as Trustee, for the benefit and security of OLD KENT MORTGAGE COMPANY DBA REPUBLIC MORTGAGE CORP., as Beneficiary, dated 6/1/2001, recorded 6/7/2001, under instrument No. 236114, Mortgage records of OWYHEE County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by PRINCIPAL RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 6/1/2001, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 11/1/2001 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH.

Amount due as of March 11, 2002
Delinquent Payments from November 01, 2001
5 payments at \$742.87 each
\$3,714.35
(11-01-01 through 03-11-02)
Late Charges: \$0.00
Beneficiary Advances: \$9.50
TOTAL: \$3,723.85

All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$90,664.62, together with interest thereon at 7.375 percent per annum from 10/1/2001, until paid.

The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

DATED: March 11, 2002.
ALLIANCE TITLE AND ESCROW CORP.

Trustee
By Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer

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720 Seventh Avenue, Suite 400

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Sale information: <http://www.rtrustee.com>
3/27, 4/3, 10, 17/02

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the **23rd** day of **July, 2002**, at the hour of **10:45 A.M.**, of said day, (recognized local time), in the **lobby of the Owyhee Courthouse, Murphy**, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 6 and 7 of Block 53 of the AMENDED TOWNSITE PLAT OF HOMEDALE, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the

address of **123 West Oregon Avenue, Homedale**, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **DAVID WRICH, a married man**, as grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of **AIM Mortgage, Inc.**, as beneficiary, recorded **December 23, 1998**, as Instrument No. **227006**, and assigned to **CITIMORTGAGE, INC. fka Citicorp Mortgage, Inc.**, as beneficiary, by assignment recorded **November 13, 2000**, as Instrument No. **234323**, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4) (A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds of \$651.00 due per month for the months of November and December, 2001 and January, February 2002 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$26.04, uncollected late charges are due in the amount of \$156.24, with interest accruing at 7% per annum, and continuing to accrue from October 1, 2001. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$72,174.30, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with

accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Date: March 21, 2002
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.

By Monine Cole
Trust Officer

4/3, 10, 17, 24/02

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES FOR APRIL 1, 2002 COMMISSIONERS' ANNEX, MURPHY, IDAHO 9:30 AM

Present at the meeting were Commissioner Hal Tolmie, Commissioner Dick Reynolds, Commissioner Chris Salove, Clerk Cynthia Eaton, Treasurer Barbara Wright, Assessor Ernie Bahem, Fred Grant, Jim Desmond, Shelly Frisbie, Sherry Alexander, Kay Kelly, and Ron Race.

The Board amended the agenda to include a discussion on the closure by the BLM of roads in the area of the Rough Diamonds Fire.

The Board approved payment of the Transworld collection fee from the general fund for collection of Sheriff's fees.

The Board approved the naming of a private lane as Tumbleweed Lane located on Highway 78 Mile Post 30 requested by Lynda Freund and Ernie Bahem.

The Board assigned Fred Grant to gather information and report on the Johnson Lane controversy.

The Board requested on behalf of Sherry Alexander that the Assessor help in finding information to determine if a portion of the old highway near Givens Springs remains a county road.

The Board requested that

Fred Grant recommend a committee to take the evidence for recommendation to the Board on action to be taken concerning proposed road closures in the Rough Diamonds Fire Area.

The Re-districting Appeal was denied for the purpose of this Election, however, the decision leaves the question open so the Board can re-file. The Board directed Fred Grant to meet with the Prosecutor on the matter.

The Board received a request for pay raise for the Chief Probation Officer, Doris Jewett. The Board took the matter under advisement with a decision to be made at Budget Time for year 2003.

The Board reviewed cost and revenue for the solid waste disposal. Discussion will continue as part of the budget review.

The Board approved having the courthouse carpets cleaned.

Indigent and Charity, Cases 02-07; 02-08; 02-09; and 02-10 were reviewed by the Board for signatures on liens approved on each case.

The Board will gather information for a future decision on a request from Homedale Officials to have the County Building Inspector do the City inspections.

The Board approved and authorized the Chairman to sign the minutes for March 25, 2002. The Board reviewed and approved payment of the bills.

The Board authorized the Chairman to sign the final plat for Royal Vista Estates.

The Board authorized a letter to Jenna Whitlock, Field Manager concerning the Boards' participation in the Environmental Assessment process for the proposed permit of the Catherine Freer Wilderness Expedition. The Board reviewed and approved a letter to the BLM to be involved at the beginning of the EA process.

The Board reviewed and approved the quarterly report.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned.

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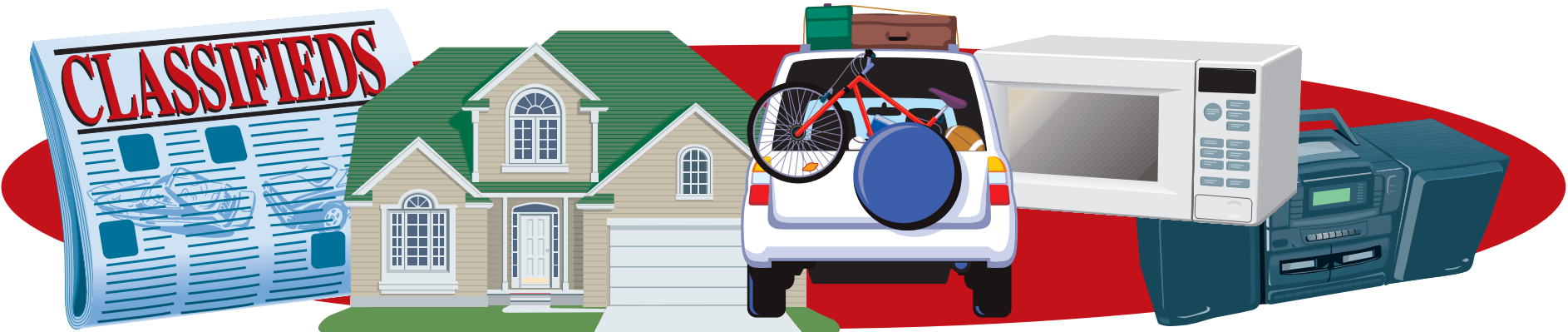
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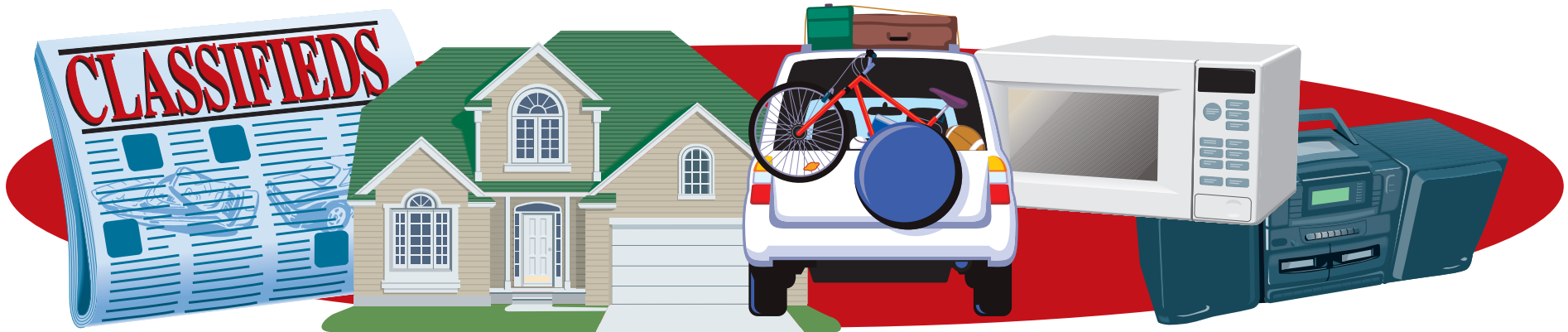
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MARSING SD #363 Postion Openings: Varsity Football Coach, Please call 896-4111x197 for more info.

DA NA & RUSS BROWN RETIREMENT AUCTION
Sunday, April 21, 2002
Located 2 1/2 miles West of Wilder ID on Peckham Rd. to 28643 Peckham Rd. Signs posted.
Sale starts 11:00AM/MT Lunch served.
Terms: Cash or Bankable check sale day. No Buyer's Premium.
TRACTORS & CRAWLER
JD 4020 power shift , new 16.9 X 38 rubber, side console SN#230718, exc cond. • 1948 Oliver 60, 1 owner • I H T.D. 14 crawler w/hyd angle dozer • 3 shank ripper w/ steel wheels • cat angle dozer blade
FEED TRUCK & CAR
IHC Fleetstar 2010 tandem axle gas w/air brakes & Toft Mixwell feed box • Ford Tempo
BOAT
16' Fibre glass boat w/35hp Merc & trailer
BUILDING MATERIAL
House logs for 24' X 36' cabin w/rafter and floor joices
Several thousand cinder block's, all sizes
LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT
1981 Circle J horse trailer • 8- Rule concrete feed bunks 15' • small stock trailer • 5-chain link stock gates HD • livestock squeeze chute • 5- livestock water tanks • mineral feeder• 1500 bushel granery dismatled • 2- 1500 bushel granaries 500 bushel free standing granary • hog feeder • 2- sets or harnesses • misc collars and tack
EQUIPMENT
Owatonna grinder mixer • Farmhand 900 B tub chopper
JD 780 manure spreader w/slurry gate • IHC PTO manure spreader
JD PTO manure spreader • 1000 gal liquid manure tank w/PTO pump
M F 775 12' Swather w/cab & cond. • M F 57 3 bottom plow
40' X 6" PTO Hutchison grain auger • M F 775 12' swather w/cab & cond. • JD 10' RWA tandem disc • pop up bale field loader • Sno Co bale elevator • Oliver 10' grain drill • Ford single row corn picker • 2- Parma spreader boxes • 4 wheel wagon w/steel bed • 2- 4 wheel wagons • steel wheel wagon • M F dyna balance 3pt mower 4 section steel harrow • 2- metal Gl 14' beds w/tail gate • square fuel tanks
M F 65 parts • Approx 2 1/4 mile handlines • 6- joints of wheel line • IHC track fits TD-14
SHOP EQUIPMENT
Forney 180 amp arc welder • Rigid elec pipe thread machine
stand grinder • large A frame w/chain hoist • bench top drill press • Brownie bucket air grease bucket • good shop anvil 160lb • truck hoist • 3- frost free hydrants elect drills, grinders, saws, hand tools, misc shop iron • approx 20 10 gal milk cans meat rails for walk in cooler • Hobart single phase meat grinder
Biro 3 phase w/converter meat saw • windmill fan & tail piece
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NORRIS McKEETH ESTATE AUCTION
Saturday, April 20th, 10:00 A.M.
LOCATED: From Grandview, Idaho or from Gus's Gas, take Hwy. 78, west 1/2 mile to Whitted Lane, then proceed 3/4 mile on Whitted Lane to sale site. SIGNS POSTED.
TERMS: Cash or Bankable check day of auction. Nothing to be removed until settled for. All property sold as is. Lunch Available. Free Coffee. NO BUYER'S PREMIUM!
KITCHEN: Oval kitchen table w/chairs, Large amount of pots & pans & roasters, Pyrex bowls & cookware, Franciscan floral earth ware table service, GE oven & range, GE refrigerator & freezer, Whirlpool refrigerator, Sears convection oven, Oster kitchen center, Kitchen utensils, plus more...
DINING & LIVING ROOMS: White colored dining room table w/6 chairs, Cream colored davanough & chairs, China hutch, Marble coffee table, 3 Wood coffee tables, Wall coo coo clock w/weights, Occupied Japan cup & saucer sets, 2 Magnavox entertainment centers AM/FM & turntable, Wood book shelves, Rose colored buffet, Large round glass coffee table, Glass knick knacks, Glass & brass serving cart, Large selection of animal figurines, Metal book shelves, Swivel rockers.
BEDROOM: 1 Waterfall bedroom set, 4 Double bedroom sets, 1 Queen-sized bedroom set, 1 Single bed, Several chest of drawers, Wardrobe cabinets, Mirrors, Night stands, Bedding, Bath towels, Large selection of lamps, Pictures, Picture frames, Wood secretary, Plus more.....
MISC. FURNITURE: Small Wood desk, 2 Large book cases, World globe, Magazine racks, Knick knack shelves, Folding room dividers, High back chairs, Large assortment plastic corner plants, Round end tables, Square end tables, Round back chairs, Lots of wicker baskets, Couches, Love seats, Singer sewing machine w/cabinet, 2 Fake wall fireplaces, Copper & brass wall hangings.
COLLECTIBLES: Montgomery Ward coal & wood range w/hot water tank - never used, Montgomery Ward coal oil range (still in cardboard box), 2 Pellet rifles, Some hand tools, Blue granite coffee pot, Hand meat grinder, Cast iron skillet.
MISC. EQUIPMENT: IHC Farnall C w/mowing machine, 5 Row VM corri-gator, Edward's 2 bottom plow, Craftsman Eager 1 self-propelled push lawn mower, D.R. 5 hp. string trimmer, Some hand tools, Air compressor, Some scrap iron.
AUCTIONEERS NOTE: Mr. & Mrs. McKeeth have both passed away and have donated this entire estate to the Owyhee County Historical Society. This is a very large home with every room full of furniture and accessories. This is just a portion of what we are going to be selling at auction. We will be running 2 auc-tion rings, so please bring a friend or representative. Please preview morning of auction.
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REAL ESTATE

50 acres along Bates Creek in Oreana with water rights. \$55,000. Owner will carry. Owner/agent 495-2912 or 859-6346

Approx. 35 acres, in pasture. Wheel line-irrigated, new fences on 3 sides, domestic well, adjacent to paved road. Great view, near foothills. \$80,000. Phone 337-4866 or 337-3149 eves.

YARD SALE

Huge multi-family yard sale. 203 Silversage Subdivision, Saturday, April 27, 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. No early birds. Patio set, musical organ, 21 inch color TV, VCR, 2 RV swivel rockers, queen-size waterbed, stove, 4 wheeler and much more.

Several family yard sale with lots of misc. Sat. 20th, 8-4:00. 302 W. Oregon across from elementary school.

FOR SALE

USED TRACTOR PARTS 1000's of salvaged farm tractors and combines. Nampa Tractor Salvage, 9055 Hwy 20, Nampa, ID 83687. (208) 467-4430.

ROLL ENDS: Great for packing material, building fires, lining bird cages or for your kids to doodle on. The Owyhee Avalanche, Homedale.

BED-QUEEN PILLOW-TOP MATTRESS SET, brand name, brand new, still in package. List \$799, sacrifice \$173. Queen orthopedic set, brand new. List \$550, sacrifice \$137. 208-866-7476.

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Poplar trees 15-25ft. high, 2-4 inches diameter \$25-35. At Wilder 880-1684 or 482-7365

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97 DUTCHMAN 27 ft travel trailer for sale. Sleeps six, large bath, private bedroom, new water pump, new battery, new propane tanks, awning, air conditioning, very clean, everything works, \$7995. 337-5914.

Quality bulls/Salers, Angus and Optimizers. Good dispositions and performance. B and B Livestock, New Meadows. 208-347-2345.

Hay for sale \$4.00/bale or \$85/ton. Small lots okay. 20 tons available. Cliff Eidemiller, 337-3083 or 337-5748.

8 foot pick-up camper, scrap iron, milk cans and tractor loader. 482-7320

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Orchard being taken out. 2 year old red delicious apple trees. You dig \$10. Robisons Fruit Ranch 459-2269

1973 23' Ideal Travel Trailer self-contained. Sleeps 8, swamp cooler. Everything works. \$2500 obo. Call 337-4983 Lv msg.

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3 bdrm., 2 bath, oversized kitchen, skylight, vaults, pantry, 1404 sq. ft. home 140'X80' arena, 58'X30' steel barn, steel corrals, 4 bay, 48X20 metal shop & garage. All on 5.63 Acres. \$169,900

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Fenced & Irrigated with 1145 sq. ft. 3 bdrm, 2 bath home and outbuildings. **ALL FOR \$89,000**

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1822 sq. ft. 3 Bedroom 2 Bath home plus \$400 Rental house
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1040 sq. ft. home - 24X34 2 Car Garage -16X20 Insulated Shop -
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With great view of Owyhee Mountains & river. Set up for horses with corrals. Horse barn, 4 car garage. **\$164,900**

UPGRADED SUBDIVISION: LARGE ACREAGES!
3.9 Acres with good well, underground utilities, paved road, great view of the valley. **\$36,000**
6.36 Acres located just outside Marsing overlooking the whole valley, well, underground utilities and paved road. **\$61,900**
2.11 Acres Fenced. Well - Septic. Irrigation **\$31,000**

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HOURS: Mon. - Sat. 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. - Sunday 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Boneless Beef
Cross Rib Roast



\$1.59
lb.

Boneless Pork
**Top Sirloin
Chops**



\$1.49
lb.

Fresh Head
Iceburg Lettuce



79¢
ea.

New Crop Local
Asparagus



89¢
lb.

Boneless Beef
**Petite Sirloin
Steak**



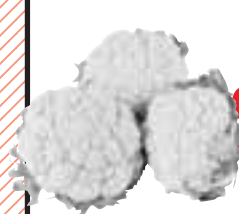
\$2.49
lb.

Market Cut
**Mild Cheddar
Cheese**



\$1.89
lb.

Fresh Head
Cauliflower



\$1.19
ea.

Fresh
Strawberries



\$1.49
ea.
16 oz. Clamshell

Beef
Cross Rib Steak **\$1.69** lb.
Frozen Bone-In
Turkey Breasts **\$1.19** lb.
51 to 60 ct. Frozen Cooked
Nautilus Tail On Shrimp **\$5.99** ea.

16 oz. Western Family
Mozzarella Balls **2 for \$5**
Johns Mild Italian, Beer or
Bratwurst Sausage **2 for \$6.99**
3 lb. pkg. Asst'd. W.F.
Sausage Links **\$3.99** ea.

Slicing
Tomatoes **69¢** lb.
Fresh
Artichokes **99¢** ea.
2 cu. ft.
Soil Conditioner **\$2.49**

Red or Green
Bell Peppers **3 for \$1**
Choice
Navel Oranges **39¢** lb.
Pony Pak
Vegetable Plants **99¢** ea.

**Top Ramen
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9 99¢
for
3 oz. Asst'd.

Santitas
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99¢
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12 Roll Northern
Bathroom Tissue **\$3.39**

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Brawny Paper Towels **89¢**
18 oz. Skippy
Peanut Butter **2 for \$3**
17 oz. Lysol
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Designer Bowls **\$1.29**
40 ct. 9 oz. Western Family
Hot-Cold Cups **\$1.29**

48 ct. Western Family
Designer Plates **\$1.69**
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Cat Food **59¢**

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Cooking Oil **\$2.39**
16 oz. Darigold
Sour Cream **\$1.49**
16 oz. Darigold
Cottage Cheese **\$1.59**
24 oz. Eddys
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