

City warns water users of impending shortage

As farmers in much of the Northwest worry if they will have enough water this year to feed their crops and cattle, the City of Homedale is strapped with its own drought conditions as another well went down briefly last week.

The Mewhinney well lost power and shut down for a short time Thursday, but the action had Homedale maintenance crews scrambling to figure out how they would get water to the city if the well was down for a long time.

"We have the new well across the river, but it is not scheduled to be ready

New addresses assigned for rural Marsing

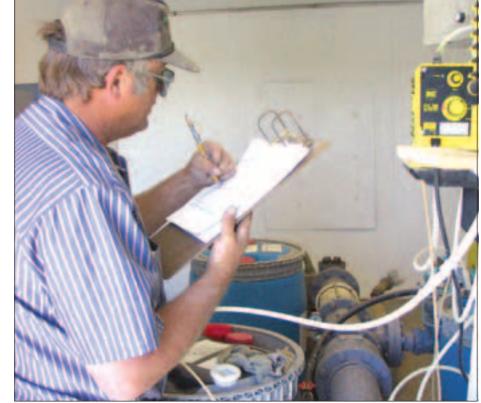
The new rural addressing system has now been established for the Marsing area. Effective immediately, all residents with a rural route/box number address have been assigned a new numbered street address, and these residents have been notified by the US Postal Service and the Owyhee County Sheriff's Department.

Affected residents have been requested to put their new address numbers on their mailboxes, and to

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until later this month, maybe the beginning of next month," Public Works Director Larry Bauer said. "If we lose one of our two remaining wells, I really don't know what we will do. Scares like this morning are very scary. If we have a worst case scenario and one of the two wells we have went down, we would supply water but the wells would never shut off. We would have to patrol the streets 24 hours.

The Mewhinney well was pumping



Water shortage

Public Works Director Larry Bauer checks water meter readings at the Tom Morris well last week. An electrical failure shut down one of the two remaining wells the city has been operating on last week, causing concern for city officials.

Frustrated by BLM, county commission takes direct action

on an average of 100,000 gallons per day to Homedale residents and the only other well working in the city, the Tom Morris well, is pumping nearly 200,000 gallons of water a day. Bauer said the city lost its small well near city hall earlier this spring and has been forced to use another small well that is normally used for irrigation. Bauer said that well is located near the city pool.

"We had three wells in the early spring," Bauer continued. "We lost the little well which pumps about 50 gallons a minute. At my suggestion and the city engineers' suggestion we chose to leave it down. The backup well does not have a meter, but by estimation it pumps about 200 gallons per minute. The Mewhinney well pumps 100 gpm and the Morris well will pump 200 and less. If it gets to pumping for long periods of time, it will drop to 100 gpm. We use about seven million gallons per month to maintain the city's needs."

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Fish and Game officer strives for communication

by Cheryl Peterson "Communication, that is the key to good management," Idaho Department of Fish and Game Southwest Region Conservation Officer John Nagel said in an interview last week. "I have been

In a move Owyhee County commissioners called "a violation of the law," the BLM has initiated a new attempt to withdraw lands under the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act beyond the Bruneau River study area, which was authorized by congress, to an expanded area including the Jarbidge and Sheep Creek, a move which was not authorized by congress.

The board voiced its objection to this "violation of the law that usurps the authority of the Congress" to the BLM in early April of this year. At that time, the BLM agreed to forward the county's position to the Department of Interior's Solicitor in Washington, D.C. for legal review. As of June 13, that paperwork had still not left the BLM's Lower Snake River District Office in Boise and the commissioners were informed by the BLM that "it may not get to the BLM Solicitor through this venue."

The commissioners found this information "very disturbing" and on Monday, June 17, forwarded a letter to DOI Solicitor William Myers directly, along with a Chronology of Events and an Issue Paper explaining the county's position that the actions of the BLM "exceed the authority granted by the Congress," are "improper" and a "violation of the law."

The board's original letter pointed out that the issue is of nationwide importance and must be resolved at the highest levels of the BLM or Department of Interior. -RB and plan to continue to close the gap between fish and game officers and local landowners. I think there is a bit of mistrust here and I plan to lighten that gap."

Nagel, whose responsibilities include both the Marsing and Homedale areas, is not a stranger to Owyhee County, having served in the Idaho Department of Fish and Game for



John Nagel

seven years in the Murphy area. He said he left law enforcement and worked for the — to page 4

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Veteran driver returns in attempt to reclaim title

by Cheryl Peterson

After two years of retirement, veteran 4th of July Demolition Derby driver Kevin Ensley has decided to rejoin his friends and "buddies" in the arena in an attempt to obtain one last trophy for first place during the 20th Annual Lion's Club 4th of July Demolition Derby on Thursday, July 4.

The annual event is sponsored by the Homedale Lion's Club and last year featured 31 derby cars through elimination rounds.

Ensley, who won his first title at the age of 20 during the second ever derby, will again attempt a final try for a first place trophy to add to his 16 other trophies he has won in past Derbys.

Ensley was crowned the winner in 1983 driving car number 15, a 1972 Chevy station wagon over Mark Bauer who took second place. He said the car was a vehicle that his wife's former school mate had owned.

"He drove it into my dad's shop and I gave him a hundred dollars for it," Ensley recalled. "It was a running car. They had to take the insurance off it to get rid of it. That night we had the windows broken out of it, everything stripped off of it and it was a derby car in one night."

Ensley said he has learned a lot over the years and thinks he knows the key eliminates it takes to be a winning derby driver. The second year Ensley entered he again won first place and said he has won first place three times.

"I have 16 trophies," Ensley said. "I placed in something every time except one time. I sat out the last two years and the only reason I am into it this time is because of the 20th anniversary. This is the last time, I will not race again.

"Years ago people would just give us the cars and we used to have a ball fixing them up. Now it is so competitive and there are good people in the race. In the first races we had about 14 drivers and now there is normally 30 or more vehicles.

"The Imperials will take first, second, third consolation heat and probably best looking car if that limo doesn't take best looking car. The chief of police in Homedale is entering a limo I am to understand. From 1964 to 1973, Imperial's will win this year."

Ensley said the times of derby racing have changed a great deal. He said when he first began racing the drivers didn't have many rules they had to follow, now a full list of rules and regulations are required of each driver. He said when the derby first began, racing was just for fun, now it has become a very serious business.

"It is much tougher now.

We want a show not a possum. We play hard, if you don't come to play don't come," Ensley explained. "One time I decided to hunt this one friend of mine as a totally innocent deal. He was in my heat and I never found him. All you see when you are down there is the cars that are right in front of you. You can't see everything down there.

"Once you get in there it is really serious. I am not out to win, I don't want to win anything. It is the fact of being able to do what you can't do on the road."

Ensley said in the 20 years of the derby race, only one person had been injured. He said the man was not seriously injured, but it had been the only injury he knew of.

"One of the biggest anxiety is if you make it through the first heat," Ensley continued. "If you make it through the first heat you know you are in the running. I used to double up everything."

He said he has never received an injury during the derby, but he had been injured while working on his car.

"I was working on my car between heats and went around the back for a hammer," Ensley recalled. "I caught my hand on a piece of metal and laid it open. I lost feeling in my hand for several years, but it is fine now."

This year Ensley had help with his car, his 14 year old son Sam has helped him build this year's entry which is a 1973 Chrysler Imperial. He said he would not attempt to predict the winner of this year's race, but he would guarantee it would be the best race yet.



Veteran driver

Kevin Ensley has won 16 trophies during the past 20 years of the Lion's Club 4th of July Demolition Derby held at the Owyhee County Rodeo Grounds. Ensley said he would race again this year, but would make this his final race.

First class letter rates to increase Sunday

The price of mailing a First Class mail letter will increase three cents on June 30, 2002 from 34 to 37 cents, about 45 cents a month for the average household.

Homedale Postmaster Rob Herndon said he would suggest customers to purchase stamps before the new rate takes effect.

"When you're at the Post Office, pick up some new rate stamps," advises Postmaster Herndon. New 37 cent First Class mail stamps are currently available. A new three cent Star stamp to add to 34 cent stamps to make up the First Class mail letter rate is also available."

Herndon said there are many convenient options to purchase stamps. By fax, mail, phone at 1-800-STAMP24, at the Post Office, through retail lobby vending machines or over the internet at www.usps.com.

Cassidy pleads not guilty at recent arraignment

Maureen Cassidy, wife of Attorney General's Office suicide. Yarbrough arrived

Owyhee County Prosecuting attended the arraignment for Attorney Ed Yarbrough, the prosecution after the pleaded not guilty to two felony attorney general's office was vehicle and a suicide note.

Cassidy

led

home to find his wife in the couple's garage in her running

Sheriff Gary Aman said



Ensley stands in his 1973 Chrysler Imperial that he plans to enter into this year's 2002 4th of July Demolition Derby. The event will celebrate 20 years of derby competition next Thursday.



charges and two misdemeanor assigned

charges during an arraignment in district court Monday.

Cassidy was arraigned on a felony count of eluding a police officer and possession of a c o n t r o l l e d substance. She was also arraigned on one count

OWYHEE COUNTY of Maureen Cassidy

misdemeanor possession of a controlled

substance and a misdemeanor charge of resisting an officer. Van Bishop stood in for Paul Remy who is Cassidy's attorney.

Ken Stringfield of the

to the case due to a

conflict of interest with Yarbrough. Owyhee County and Canyon County officers on a highspeed chase across two counties on April 19. The attorney general's office summoned Cassidy to appear

> and did not arrest her because they did not

consider her to be a flight risk. The state also asked for no bond.

Officers were dispatched to the Cassidy/Yarbrough home near Murphy when Cassidy had been reported to be attempting Cassidy left the scene and was pursued by Owyhee County Chief Deputy Dick Freund into Melba and Canyon County before she traveled back into Owyhee County.

The pursuit ended after Aman ordered road spikes to stop Cassidy. Aman said a struggle with the woman ensued when she refused to leave her car.

"We had to physically take her out of her car," Aman said in April. "She was very distraught and upset."

Thirty-five minutes after the pursuit began, Aman ordered the strip, which punctured Cassidy's tires, and she was then arrested. -CP

Marsing Chamber hosts memorial 4th celebration

20th annual derby planned in Homedale

The Marsing Chamber of Commerce will host a memorial 4th of July celebration to honor the town's former mayor who died earlier this year from a long battle with cancer.

The Jenny Haken Memorial 4th of July celebration will be held on July 3 beginning at 6 p.m. at the city park with a Lion's Club annual barbecue.

Cost for the barbecue will be \$6 for adults, \$3.50 for children and children under four will be free. Don Denton from the Lions Club said the meat has been donated by Snake River Mart and Jeff Percifield will again prepare the steaks. He said longtime cook Bob Malmberg would again greet hungry participants.

At 7 p.m. the Annual Doodle Bug race will be held at the city park with the winning "bug"

Area students named to BSU dean's list

Seven local residents were among 1,959 students named to the spring semester 2002 dean's list at Boise State University.

Highest honors (4.00 grade point average): were earned by Kyla Vance from Homedale. High honors of 3.75-3.99 were earned by Carol Lauson and Kirstie Williams, both of Homedale.

William Garner, Deitra Haylett, Michael Scott, all from Homedale, and Saro Pegg from Marsing earned honors.

Boise State continued its record growth pace during the past academic year with an enrollment of more than 17,000 students.

crossing the finish line for a first place prize. The owner of the first place finisher will receive \$500 followed by a \$250 second place prize and a \$100 third place prize. Tickets are being sold for \$5 each or three for \$10 and are available at Marsing Hardware Store, The Service Station Antiques and Espresso, and from members of the Chamber of Commerce.

From 7 until 10:30 p.m. at the Marsing Island Park, Donna and Jim Huntley and Woody Purdom's band will entertain participants with live music. Patriotic sounds will be played throughout the evening with music provided by Marsing City Councilwoman Carol Edwards.

Popcorn, watermelon and pop stands will be available at the Island Park for refreshments.

Fireworks displays will be shot into the air over the Snake River at 10:30 p.m.

Lizard Butte

offers reading

Starting on Tuesday, July 2

at 1:00 p.m. and continuing

every Tuesday until July 23 is

Lizard Butte Library's

Summer Reading Program for

kids. Lizard Butte Library

Director Janna Streibel says

the program is fun-oriented and

features games in addition to

County is a sponsor and will

offer hands-on crafts projects

as well. There are prizes and a

special drawing for kids who

reach their reading goals. Kids

can sign up at the library, which

is located on Main St. in

Marsing behind Pepe's Pizza,

and join in the program for as

many or as few Tuesday

sessions as they want.

The 4-H Clubs of Owyhee

program

books.

On July 4th, Andy's 10th Annual 4th of July 2002 Car Show and Potluck dinner will be held at Marsing Island Park. Registration will be held from 8 until 9:30 a.m. A \$15 entry fee will be charged, but the fee will be reduced to \$10 for those who bring a side dish for the dinner. Line up for the car show parade will begin at 9:30 a.m. at Marsing High School and the parade will begin at 10 a.m.

A live band and raffle of items from sponsors will be held after the parade. Trophies and plaques will be given to the best entry in street, muscle, classic and custom car or motorcycle.

In Homedale, the 20th Annual Demolition Derby will be held at the Owyhee County Rodeo Grounds beginning at 6 p.m. Tickets for the derby can be purchased through any Select-A-Seat location.

Applications now available for Owyhee Rodeo Queen

Young ladies 16 to 23 years old who have lived in Idaho for the past year and are unmarried are invited to enter competition for Queen of the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo to be held later this summer.

Competition will be based on horsemanship, personality and appearance. Prizes will be awarded to the Queen, first runnerup, second runner-up, Miss Congeniality and Horsemanship. Judging will be held from August 5 through 10.

Applications are now being received by Debbie McKee, 1910 W. Roosevelt, Nampa, ID 83651. Phone 466-5985. Final date for filing applications is July 19 2002.



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√ Water

In the past two years, the city has warned local residents to reduce water consumption, but this action usually happens in September. This year, Bauer said, the residents of the city will need to begin now.

"We really need the cooperation of the residents if we are gong to survive this," Bauer continued. "The new well will be operational soon, but we don't know even then how long it will take to clean the lines out enough to use it."

Homedale Mayor Harold Puri said recently that the water from the new well is the cleanest water the city has ever experienced. He said the problem lies in the water lines.

"The lines have been infected by bad water for so long that our engineer said it will take some time to clean the lines and get the good water to our residents," Puri said. "If we could get everyone in the city to refrain from using water for a couple of days, then we could over-chlorinate the lines and clean them out, but I don't think that will be a possibility. We would have to supply everyone in the city with water and it probably would not be cost effective."

"The people of the city really need to help this out," Bauer continued. "I can't stress it enough. Getting water to the people of the town is not the total problem. I don't know what we would do if we had a large fire in town. We have an advantage because we have a lot of live water for them to pump from, but if a large fire was to happen downtown, I don't know that we would have enough water to fight it."

Last year the city lost two of its five wells and asked residents to refrain from using domestic water to wash vehicles or for yard watering. He said the city has cut back on water usage as well and residents will begin to see browning grass in local parks.

"The grass is starting to turn brown at the park near the pool," Bauer said. "We are also trying to conserve water. If the residents would also work with us we should be alright until the first of next month." -CP

√Address

notify their correspondents, utilities, publishers, banks, etc. of their new address. The Postal Service will continue to deliver mail for both the old and new addresses for a year.

One of the primary benefits of the new system is that it will enable the enhanced 911 emergency telephone system, providing a locatable address to help ensure that emergency services are dispatched to the correct location.

Any questions can be answered by the Owyhee County Sheriff's Department at 495-1154, or the Marsing Post Office at 896-4521.

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department in other areas, but chose to return when former officer Paul Loveall received a promotion as a District Conservation Officer.

"Paul is my boss now," Nagel laughed. "But really, he is a great guy to work for and I love this area."

Nagel has been with the department for 23 years and in enforcement for 12 years. He was the Regional Land Owners Sportsman's Coordinator before returning to law enforcement last month. He said he patrolled the Murphy area from 1982 until 1989.

Nagel said he thinks his biggest challenge in the area is not the poachers that travel through the area, it is building a positive relationship with the ranchers in the area.

"They really don't know the officers," Nagel said. "As our officers get busier and busier they have less time to spend with the ranchers. We used to be able to stop by for coffee and now we get so busy, that is not as easy to do. Some of the finest people I have ever worked with are in this area, and that is why I chose to come back to the area.

"I see it as a real challenge. Right now there is a lot of animosity with the federal government and we don't want to see that slop over into fish and game."

Nagel said he understands what the ranchers are going through and said he will try to build a relationship between himself and the ranchers.

"The rancher is protecting his way of life, but for him it is an economic issue to protect himself and his family," Nagel continued. "We are mandated by law to do what is best for the wildlife resources. Sometimes that steps on the toes of the local ranchers who make a living off that public range. But when it comes down to it the agency, in a decision between cattle and the wildlife, we will go with the wildlife protection first. That is our mandate."

Nagel said he has worked on several cases in Owyhee County but the one he recalls the most is a case several years ago involving a shooting spree and several Kuna juveniles.

"They were shooting dogs, cats, sheep, we know of cows they would shoot just to tip them over," Nagel explained. "They totally annihilated an entire herd of deer near Reynolds Creek. They were cutting school and going out and shooting stuff.

"It started off with some deer they shot between Walters Ferry and Marsing and the case began there. I was able to find shell cases with a metal detector and after working with an Ada County Resource Officer from Kuna we got them. There was one teen that was kind of the ringleader and I believe he is still in prison. I think that is one of the most heinous cases I have worked on. It took several months to prosecute."

Nagel said Owyhee County poachers are usually from outside of the county. He said that not unlike the rest of the state, poaching is still a problem.

"Realistically, if it wasn't for five maybe six percent of the population, I would not have a job," Nagel concluded. "94 to 95 percent of the public try to be so painfully honest that it just is not worth the stress of poaching."

Nagel said he has worked in the past to get a juvenile hunt in the Owyhee County area, but said due to deer numbers in the area, it may be a while before it happens.

Commissioners make ATVs legal on some county roads

Also attempt to resolve fair-rodeo feud and other county business

The Monday, June 17 meeting, the Owyhee County board of commissioners signed an ordinance making it lawful to operate unregistered allterrain vehicles and motorcycles on certain county highways and sections of county highways.

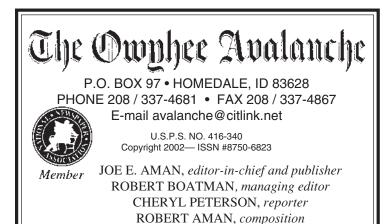
The ordinance reads in part, "The purpose of this ordinance is to allow use of these designated highways and sections of highways by multiple users who are arbitrarily restricted in their use of the federal lands in the area, so that they may view and enjoy the historic sites in Owyhee County and share in the yet existent custom, culture and traditions of Owyhee County." The roads affected have been identified on maps filed with the county clerk and include portions of the Murphy-Reynolds Stage Road, Upper Reynolds Creek Road, Whiskey Mountain Road, Cow Creek Road, DeLamar Mine Road, Jordan Creek Road,

Silver City Road, South Mountain Road, Short Cut Road, Sinker Butte Road and Murphy Flat Road.

In other business, one of the commissioners will attempt to meet simultaneously with representatives of the fair board, the rodeo board, the American Legion, Lions Club, Homedale Chamber of Commerce and possibly others to see if the commissioners can lend a hand to help smooth out any potential problems between those entities regarding the upcoming Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo. In another BLM matter, since a proposed landfill requires both botanical and archaeological studies, and given the BLM's history, according to the commissioners, of dragging its feet on such studies, the commissioners decided to contract for the botanical study themselves at a cost of \$5,000-\$6,000 on the condition that the BLM contract for the archaeological study within 60 days. In museum news, Kristen Mercer, director of the Owyhee County Historical Museum,

reported that Outpost Day this year was a resounding success. Though Mercer did not have final figures to present, she estimated that receipts would be better than last year. "We made more pies this year, but demand was so great we sold completely out," she said. Mercer reported that the museum is hard at work improving the gift shop, organizing the historical library, and looking at improved library software.

A notice from the board of



SHIRLEY MEWHINNEY, office

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Tradition continues

New owner Bonnie Kent (right) and longtime employee Monica Larsen (left) plan to carry on the tradition of service established by Jenny's Family Video in Marsing.

New video store owner will build on the past

Bonnie Kent, who bought Jenny's Family Video in Marsing, formerly owned by the late Jenny Haken, said she is not going to make any big changes to the store but just let it grow and offer more services.

Kent will retain the name of the store and also its key employee, Monica Larsen, who has been with the store for twoand-a-half years, was a good friend of Jenny Haken and is a longtime friend of the Kent family as well. "The store is still family owned and operated," Monica said.

In a competitive business environment, Bonnie Kent says Jenny's Family Video will try to offer more to its customers. "We've expanded our hours," she said. "We're open from eleven in the morning till ten at night on Tuesday through Saturday, and we're open Sundays from noon to eight in the evening. Membership is free, and we have two-day rentals of new movies for three dollars. Besides our large selection of new movies, we carry classic movies and we also have a lot of Spanish-language releases. We have used movies for sale too, at five dollars each.

"People are surprised at how large the store is inside. We're putting in a kids' playroom with a TV and VCR, we have a photocopy service, a fresh popcorn machine and a large selection of balloons."

Jenny's Family Video currently has more than six thousand

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Senior news

Homedale Senior Citizens' Center

Pork chops, potatoe and gravy, veggies, salad, roll and pudding will be served for dinner on Thursday, June 27.

Breakfast, including bacon, eggs, pancakes, hash browns, toast and juice will be served from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Friday, June 28.

July 1 Area III council meeting will be held at the Gem County Senior Center in Emmett.

Salmon Santa Fe, veggies, salad, roll and cake will be served for dinner on Tuesday, July 2. The foot and blood pressure clinic will be held from 9-12:00. The shopping bus will be in Homedale at 2:00 p.m.

The Center will be closed July 4 nd 5 for the July 4th Holiday.

Marsing Senior Citizens' Center

Hamburger stroganoff over noodles, broccoli, biscuits, custard and salad will be served for dinner on Thursday, June 27.

Dinner will be served on Monday, July 1.

The Center will be closed July 4 and 5 for the July 4th Holiday. Bacon or sausage, eggs, pancakes or waffles will be served for breakfast on Wednesday, July 3.

Keep informed.

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Lizard Butte Library to hold summer reading program

The Lizard Butte Library in Marsing announced their summer reading program last week, which will begin in July.

The first program will be held on July 2nd at 1 p.m. and will be held every Tuesday in July until July 23rd. Registration is required at the library, which will include name and grade level of those attending. By registering, participants will receive a starter information and allow children to be on a list for activities.

This year the program will partner with the 4-H program and will allow children to participate in hands on crafts.

Goodies will be provided for each child participating and special treats will be give to kids who meet their reading goal. The program is especially designed for elementary age children, but everyone is invited to attend.

The library is located on Main Street behind Pepe's Pizza in Marsing. For more information contact Janna or Francis at 896-4690.

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Obituary

Lynette June Nash

Lynette June Nash, 61, of Homedale passed away Thursday, June 20, 2002 at a Boise hospital due to complications following surgery. Graveside services were held at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 22, 2002 at Marsing-Homedale Cemetery.

Lynette "Lynn" was the third child born to Hoyt and Opal Pinkston Nash. As a baby, she was struck with an illness, which left her challenged. She spent her early years on the family farm surrounded by her loving family and beloved pets. In 1975 she and her mother moved into town after the death of her father. Lynn was a kind and gentle soul who will be remembered fondly and missed greatly by her family. In addition to her loving family, Lynn leaves behind the joy of her life, Colby, her cat.

She is survived by her mother, Opal Nash of Homedale; sisters, Vivian Downing of Madras, Oregon, Mil (Rick) Shanley of Homedale; brothers, Rodger (Ardis) Nash of Homedale, Craig (Rhonda) Nash of California; aunt, Connie Mahler of Boise, and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father, Hoyt Nash, brother-inlaw, Clyde Downing, nephew, Randy Shanley and grandparents.

Memorials may be made to Pet Haven, 333 W. Orchard Ave., Nampa, ID 83651.





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Community Farm Bill meeting slated

A Community Farm Bill meeting will be held at the Canyon County Elections Office, 1102 East Chicago Street (by the Courthouse), Caldwell, Idaho, on Thursday, June 27, 2002, to discuss the changes to farm policy included in the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (Farm Bill).

"As we set sail on the Farm Bill's implementation, we feel that it is very important to touch base with every community member who will be affected," remarks Ron Abbott, County Executive Director for the Owyhee County Farm Service Agency Office.

The meeting will provide an opportunity for representatives from various USDA agencies, congressional offices, and commodity organizations to provide additional information and respond to any questions from the community.

The event is being co-sponsored by US senators Larry Craig and Mike Crapo and congressmen Butch Otter and Mike Simpson, in addition to the following organizations— Farm Service Agency, Idaho Cattle Association, Idaho Dairymen's Association, Idaho Farm Bureau Federation, Idaho Grain Producers Association, Idaho Sugarbeet Growers Association, Idaho Wool Growers Association, Natural Resources Conservation Service, Potato Growers of Idaho, Rural Development, and the USA Dry Pea and Lentil Council. -CP

The meeting will be divided into segments ranging from 30 minutes to 1 hour. Interested community members are welcome to attend a select segment or the entire meeting. The timetable will be as follows:

5:30 – 6:00pm	 Rural Development Rural Housing Service Rural Utilities Service Business and Cooperative Service
6:00 – 6:45pm Service	Natural Resources Conservation
	 Conservation Programs Environmental Quality Incentive Program Farmland Protection Program Conservation Security Program
7:00 – 8:00pm	 Farm Service Agency Commodity Programs – grains, honey, wool, peas/ lentils Production Flexibility Contracts Updated Base Acres and Yields Counter-cyclical Payments Conservation Reserve Program Payment Limits & Certificates
8:00 – 8:30pm	Idaho Congressional Offices Energy Title Other Provisions



It meets code ...

Owyhee County building inspector Ron Race said recently that he has received many calls pertaining to this manufactured home, located at Sage and South Side Roads, west of Homedale. Race said the home meets the county's building code.



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Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

June 23, 1977

Moratorium turned down

MURPHY- The County Commissioners refused to approve a recommendation by the Owyhee County Joint Planning Commission to place a moratorium on subdivisions in unincorporated areas, County Clerk Barbara Jayo said Tuesday.

The planning commission moved at its May 19 meeting to recommend to the Commissioners that the 120-day moratorium be put in effect to halt subdivisions until the group could get their regulations put in effect.

Marsing names in the news

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Coons were Sunday dinner guests of Lloyd's son, the Lyle Coons. A steak fry and homemade ice cream were the big items for the Father's Day dinner.

Darrell and Mary Larsen and daughter Mary of O'Neill, Neb. are visiting their mother, Mrs. Hazel Zellmer. Her granddaughter, Mary, is with the Army and will leave June 30 for Honolulu for four years.

After a tour of Silver City Saturday, Paul Newman and party of California dined at the Sand Bar.

"The White House and Motel" in Marsing was purchased recently by Dennis Nielson of Boise from Gary White. Mr. Nielson has managed a Red Steer Drive-in for the past 15 years. He plans to move his wife and seven children to Marsing as soon as possible.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Smith of Murphy are invited to the open house in honor of their Golden Wedding Sunday, July 3, at the Murphy Club House.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clover were Father's Day dinner guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McConnel of Middleton. On Thursday evening they attended a birthday party for their grandson, John, at the McConnel's.

'round the town Homedale

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams attended the Marsing business and social last Thursday evening at the Senior Citizen Center. The nutrition program was discussed.

Frank Combs, Colleen Parrill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Combs Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry McBride had a Father's Day barbecue dinner last Sunday for Father's Day.

A Work Festival to assemble the Writers Gem, A Bicentennial Book of the Gem State Writers Guild was held at the Aldrich home. There was a picnic dinner at noon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bensen, and Catherine Hurt, all of Boise; Marygrace Cox, Jerome; Ella and Glenn Faulks, Hazel and Dorothy Aldrich, Homedale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bahem and family took his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Bahem for a Father's Day dinner in Boise and then the family visited Jimmy Day, who is a nephew and cousin. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Faulks had Father's Day dinner with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Faulks and family in Parma.

50 years ago

June 26, 1952

Fair Board lets contract to move school buildings

The Owyhee county fair board met June 17 at the city hall in Homedale.

The firm of Fullerton and Erskine, Caldwell, was awarded a contract to move the recently purchased school buildings to the fair grounds. C. E. Kipp, Caldwell was awarded the original contract but failed to comply with contract obligations, the board said.

Felisa Echevarria, Homedale, was named parade chairman. Surrounding communities will be asked to participate in the parade on Saturday, August 23.

West Third street will be used as the main route to the fair grounds, replacing Fourth street which will be blocked off between the grade school buildings for playground.

Arrangements are being made for the City of Homedale to improve Third street West to make the fair grounds more accessible to fair patrons.

Harold McJunkin, Marsing, was named secretary to replace Donald Parmelee, who has resigned to take a position as Boy Scout program director at McCall.

Hotshots down Wilder 12-1

The Homedale Hotshots trounced a visiting Wilder team 12-1 in a Border league semipro baseball game Sunday afternoon on the Homedale high school field. Dud Mausling, the Hotshots versatile first baseman, proved himself on the pitcher's mound by allowing Wilder only two hits.

Homedale's rookie, first baseman, Kermit Kowalk, a high school freshman the past year, played the entire game.

The Hotshots will play Weiser tonight (Thursday) there instead of Sunday as scheduled, and will have an open date Sunday.

Marsing personals

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Sircin and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bower, Sunny Slope, left Thursday for a few days' trip to San Francisco.

Mrs. Erma Tipton and Mr. and Mrs. George Harris went to Boise Saturday and with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wood visited Colleen Hutchins (Miss America) who was in Boise for the Miss Idaho contest. Miss Hutchins is a grand niece of Mrs. Tipton.

Mrs. Russell Westbrook, Santa Monica, Calif., has gone to Boise to visit friends after visiting her husband's parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Westbrook.

Mrs. Robert Harris and children, Grand View, spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dobbin.

Dale and Cherilynn Ellis, children of Mr. and Mrs. George Ellis, underwent tonsillectomies last week at a Caldwell hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parmelee will leave this week

134 years ago

June 20, 1868

THE GREAT TUNNEL. - Geo. C. Robbins has about completed the survey of his great tunnel enterprise, to which we have alluded before. Col. Davis is now at work on the maps and diagrams, which will be completed inside of a week. Mr. Robbins will start for New York in eight or ten days. The tunnel will run through War Eagle mountain, commencing on the west side at a point in Home Ticket gulch, and terminating on the east side in Union gulch, a tributary of Sinker creek. The entire length will be 8,067 feet, and its greatest depth from the surface 1,340 feet. Besides a host of others it will penetrate fifteen well-defined and good paying ledges, among which are the Silver Cord, Poorman, War Eagle, Ida Elmore and Golden Chariot, Oro Fino etc. The tunnel will tap the Poorman 991 feet below the surface, at a distance of 2570 feet from the west end. The Oro Fino will be penetrated at a depth of 775 feet, 3525 feet east of the Poorman. The line of the tunnel crosses near the division line between the Ida Elmore and Golden Chariot, which it will cut 812 feet deep. This is certainly the greatest mining enterprise of the age, and it cannot fail of being a very profitable one. Mr. Robbins deserves great credit for his practical conception of the great design. With his thorough knowledge of the mines, no one is better qualified than he, to conduct the work to a successful completion. ***

BULLION ASSAYED. – Blake and Bo.'s Bullion assays, for May, amount to \$229,558, of which \$158,518 is silver and the remainder gold. The entire amount of Bullion assayed in camp for the two months ending May 31, is \$378,688.23, as shown on the books of Charles Hilton, Dep. U.S. Int. Rev. Assessor. Next month the principal mines and mills will be in operation and a year hence the bullion product of the Owyhee mines will not be far short of a million dollars per month.

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CITY HOTEL. – Maurer and Stumpp have now taken hold of this popular house and are running it in good shape. They make it known in our column of new ad's. this week. These gentlemen are determined not to be excelled in the hotel business and we can recommend them to public patronage.

HOTEL IMPROVEMENTS. – Large additions in the shape of a splendid bath house, extra sleeping rooms etc. are being made to the Idaho Hotel. Eastman and Co. are determined that there shall be nothing lacking to make it a first-class house.

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FROM THE OWYHEE FERRY. – We were favored with a call from Mr. Lockwood, of the Owyhee Ferry this week. He has made a new grade on this side of the river at a cost of over a thousand dollars, so that now freight team experience no difficult in getting up the hill. The water is about six feet above low water mark. Mr. Lockwood has a mowing machine running at the river, and informs us that he will cut about one hundred tons of hay this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ferguson and sons were at Elmer Prows for Father's Day supper last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stansell spent last Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stansell. Refreshments were homemade ice cream and cake.

A Father's Day celebration was held at Chub McBride's. Attending the picnic were Mr. and Mrs. Chub McBride, Homedale; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gonzales, Nickey and Tony, Boise; Mr. and Mrs. David McBride and family; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goodloe; Mrs. Chub McBride is Goodloe's daughter.

A house warming was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rick Shanley of Homedale Saturday evening. Ten couples attended and presented them with a money tree. end for Payette Lakes where they will be instructors for Boy Scouts at Camp Tampewingo.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Larsen left Thursday for Yellowstone park where they were to meet their sonin-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goebel and daughter Kathy, their son John Morris Larsen and Mr. and Mrs. Barton Bergstedt, all of Lander, Wyo., and tour the park until Sunday before going to Lander for a 10-day visit.

Mrs. Reed Larsen attended a recent farewell party in Caldwell honoring Mrs. Pearl Merrick who is moving to Pocatello. For the past eight years Mrs. Merrick has been a member of the L.D.S. stake primary board.

Mrs. Rachel Hull arrived home Sunday from a two weeks' trip to Spokane, Wash, where she visited her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Green who are parents of a second son born June 13.

Mrs. Mary Leavitt and children have returned from a month's visit with her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Charley McKague, Pendleton, Ore. ***

TOE SHOT OFF. – Last Monday, a young man named Clark, keeping the stage station three and a half miles about the Owyhee Ferry, shot off the big toe of his right foot, or at least so badly that it afterwards had

to be amputated. It appears that he was engaged in the pastime of shooting fish, and while standing barefooted on a rock, about six inches beneath the water, shot his toe, causing him to drop his gun and fall headlong into the river. We have not learned whether he was under the impression that his toe was a big sucker and shot it accordingly, or whether it was done by accident – at any rate it was a painful operation.

20 years of derby continues to please crowds

by Cheryl Peterson

On July 4th, 1982 nearly 2,000 people attended the first ever Homedale Lion's Club Demolition Derby followed by the traditional fireworks display put on by the Homedale Jaycees. This 4TH of July nearly 4,000 people will attend the derby, only because the club has had to limit ticket sales.

Next Thursday nearly 35 derby cars will enter the arena of the Owyhee County Rodeo grounds and will thrill spectators with a show of the toughest cars and the best drivers in a beating of who can last the longest for a first place trophy and a chance to be crowned the champion of the 20th annual 4th of July Demolition Derby.

During the early years of the derby, a full day of activities were participated in, including a derby car parade, sack races, three legged races, egg tosses, bicycle races, greased pole climbing, mud wrestling, tug of wars, dunking throws and other competitive and entertaining sports.

In 1982, nearly 15 cars entered the race with Allen Bahem and Mark Bauer winning first place. After a coin toss, Bahem was handed the top-spot trophy. Steve Nash won third place.

Bobbi Ensley was crowned the demolition derby queen by winning a backward race in her car against three other contestants. The Jaycees out pulled the Homedale Chamber of Commerce in a tug of war over a mud hole, putting chamber president Jay Jackson in the muck.

"Five women participated in a mud wrestling contest, but only after they threw sponsor Fred Aspiazu in the mud hole, bring delightful reaction from the crowd," was reported in the July 7th, 1982 edition of the Owyhee Chronicle. "Champion in the elimination was Debbie Atkins and second place went to Violet Lambrough."

Coordinators during the first derby expected only 500 spectators, but final ticket sales netted the group over \$4,000 and 2,000 derby fans.

Many of those fans have been turning out for many years to continue to watch the competition with nearly 4,000 fans reported attending last year. Lion's Club Secretary Colleen Bahem said the club could sell several hundred more tickets but the group had to limit sales due to amount of seating in the arena.

In 1983, veteran derby driver Kevin Ensley received his first of several victories driving a 1973 Chevy station wagon. Mark Bauer took second place in the event in front of a crowd of 3,500 spectators.

Carol Brown was crowned champion of the lightweight mud wrestling competition event followed by Annette Stewart in second and Sandra Williams in third place. In the middleweight division, Debbie Atkins won first place for her second time followed by Lisa Hobbs in second and Gwen Barnard in third place. Cindy Wilson placed first in the heavyweight division followed by Kathy Noblit in second and Vicki Chambers in third.

Ensley again won the first place trophy in 1984 in 'Swamp Thing." Ensley and Jerry Ferguson won the first heat followed by Kevin Lootens and Steve Nash in the second heat and Allen Bahem and Tony Martinat in the third heat. Billie Jo Cayford was crowned at the 1984 Demolition Derby Queen.

In 1986, the weather put the derby to the test with rain



showers dampening the event.

"According to Alan Bahem who coordinated the derby this year, things were not looking too good," as reported in the Owyhee Avalanche on July 9, 1986. "We were beginning to wonder if we would break even."

But fans did not let the weather keep them away as the stands began to fill shortly before show time.

Bob Cooper took first place in the 4th annual event followed by Ensley in second and Nash in third.

"Bahem said the soaked arena posed a bit of a difficulty at first," the article continued. "There were some problem spots, but as the mud packed, it provided a fair contest and an exciting challenge."

In 2000 a councilman won the competition which now netted a purse of \$980. Thirtyone demolition heaps attended the millennium race, which again had a standing room only attendance.

won second place in the event followed by Josh Love from Homedale in third.

In 2001, another first was recorded in the derby books with the event's first female winning driver. Jessica Egurrola of Homedale was crowned derby champion driving a 1972 Chrysler New Yorker. She shared the glory with Crawford Cook in second place and Mike Schoenwald in third place. The first place winner was awarded \$950, \$400 for second place and \$300 for third place. SSI and Indart Farms donated \$500 each for the most aggressive driver, which was awarded to Randy Breshears.

The consolation heat proved to be the highlight of the event with Breshears closing the derby with what fans called most aggressive the consolation round ever.

Breshears went into the final heat to win and that is what he did. About 25 patched up cars entered the arena for a chance Wendell Gohn of Nampa at the consolation prize money

and every driver drove like they had nothing to lose.

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First time derby driver Dean Boyd's 1978 New Yorker burst into flames late in the consolation heat after being pounded by several opponents. The blaze sent fans to their feet, Boyd out the passenger window of his car and fire crews to the arena to extinguish the flames. Boyd walked away uninjured.

This year tickets will be sold through Select-A-Seat locations. The gates will open at 3 p.m. and the derby will begin at 6 p.m.

Weather

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Mon. 17	82	64
Tues. 18	78	47
Wed. 19	79	46
Thu. 20	88	63
Fri. 21	86	63
Sat. 22	no	read
Sun. 23	93	64

PUBLIC MEETINGS ANNOUNCED

Dear Reader,

The Lower Snake River District of the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is preparing two Resource Management Plans: 1) the Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area; and 2) the Bruneau Planning Area. The land use plans will provide management direction for the affected public lands in southwestern Idaho for the next 20 plus years. These plans, which were initiated in August of 2001, will take approximately four years to complete.

Six public meetings were held from November 2001 to January 2002. People were encouraged to provide us with their concerns about the management of the areas. We also received written comments. We have recently completed an assessment of public involvement opportunities for constructive participation with interested publics in completing the two land use plans.

BLM received over 1,000 comments that reflected an active interest in both planning areas as well as a significant knowledge about the natural resources and the management of these lands. We used this information to formulate issues that reflect the public's management concerns, which will be used to develop a plan that protects the natural resources and meets the needs of those who use our public land. You can view the public comments on our web page at

We invite everyone who is interested to attend any of four public meetings. At the meetings we will present the issues generated from your comments and discuss how to increase public input and long-term ownership in the decisions that result from the plans. The meeting schedule follows:

208-896-4530



- July 8 in Marsing at the new Marsing Community Center, located on the corner of the Old Bruneau Highway and 2nd Ave;
- July 9 at the Civic Center in Nampa, 311 3rd Street South;
- July 10 at the Fire Station in Mountain Home, located at 220 South 2nd Street East;
- July 11 at Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School, located on Hwy 78, 10 miles west of Bruneau.

All meetings will run from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

We have a challenging task ahead of us and look forward to working withmany individuals and organizations that have an interest in the management of public lands. If you have any questions about the planning process or the public meetings, please call Mike O'Donnell, (208)384-3315.



Sometimes the best cowhorse is a



So says Blenda Lewis of Murphy, and she has a log cabin full of trophies to prove it. A horsewoman since before her teens, when she sold two dairy calves to buy a \$30 horse, Blenda (an old Swedish name) has done just about everything there is to do in the horse world – showing, competing and judging in categories that include jumping, reining, cutting, trail riding and Western pleasure to name a few.

Several years ago, Blenda got interested in mules. For those of you who have forgotten, a mule, strictly speaking, is a sterile hybrid cross between a male Jack donkey and a female horse, or mare. A kind of mule, or Henny as they are called, can also result from a cross between a male horse and a female donkey, though it turns out that stallions are not usually attracted to female donkeys so this kind of cross is rare. Mules are valued for their stamina, strength and generally outgoing personalities. Their old reputation for being hard to get along with is the result of ranchers relegating only their less worthy mares to the breeding stock for pack mules. Today, well bred donkeys mated to purebred mares are producing mules of outstanding qualities.

When Blenda Lewis saw

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By Robert Boatman



Blenda and the Kid Blenda Lewis mounted on her 14-year-old champion cutting mule, Kid Concho. "Mules live longer than horses," she says, "and they have more common sense."

the result of a chance mating between a well known Jack named Rojo and a purebred driving champion Arabian mare, she had to have him. The mule's name was Kid Concho and he had been trained for cutting as a three-year-old by Tim Phillips and shown by Harlan Woods as a four-year-old. Kid Concho was 10 when

Blenda bought him four years ago, and he hadn't been exercised as a cutting horse – cutting mule, that is – for several years. A winter in California with Blenda's niece, reining at the world famous Bishop Mule Days in California. Boise has a big mule show coming up in August and Blenda plans to be there with Kid Concho to bring home just a few more trophies.

"Fourteen is not old for a mule," says Blenda. "Mules live longer than horses. And they have other advantages. For one thing they're a lot less expensive to exhibit than horses these days. It may take a little more patience to train them, but they really have more commonsense than a horse. A mule is too smart to kill himself in an endurance race, for instance."

Blenda's attachment to her mules is clearly an emotional one. To Kid Concho, the champ; to Hammer, the white 28-year-old; and to sweet-faced Bridget. And then there's Chexxy, her 30-year-old high-bred champion Quarter Horse. Blenda and Chexxy were tearing through cowhorse events all over the country 20 years ago. Blenda has recently written an article in a national horse magazine as a tribute to the winning ways of Chexxy. Blenda Lewis doesn't talk about her age, because you can tell she doesn't think her age matters much. She does wonder, however, if in a few years she might sell her hand-built log cabin on Upper Reynolds Creek Road and buy one of those fancy new horse trailers – I mean mule trailers – with built-in living quarters so she and her mules can take to the road and the trail for good.

A friend indeed

Sweet-faced Bridget is one of three mules and a champion Quarter Horse Blenda keeps on her ranch near Murphy.

Bonnie Gragnani, saw Kid Concho working with yearling buffalo and all his cow cutting talents coming back. Blenda Lewis and her 14-year-old mule have since received national acclaim. Kid Concho recently won 1st place in cutting at the Winnemucca Mule Show and Races, and tied for 1st place in

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Budget cuts force district eliminations

Budget cuts by Idaho Governor Dirk Kempthorne to school districts have hit the Marsing School District hard enough to force nearly 11 position eliminations.

Several assistant coaching positions have been eliminated in the district including football, boys and girls basketball and a wrestling assistant.

Marsing School Superintendent Ron Hopkins said the positions eliminated did not lead to any teacher loosing their job. all the positions were currently open.

"The public will not see a big impact," Hopkins said. "The only position that we will not be refilling that we plan to refill in the 2003-2004 school year is the Vocational Consumer Science class. Kate Stancliff retired this year and we chose to refrain from refilling her position."

The pep band has been eliminated from the school, but Hopkins said adults from the community would continue the musical group.

"We have adults on the band now," Hopkins continued. "If students still want to participate in the band, we will still offer it but on a voluntary basis."

The drill team and dance team will also not be offered this year, but Hopkins said after discussing the two programs with High School Principal Chuck Stella, they agreed that most of the students on the teams had graduated.

"We thought it was a very successful program and hope to bring it back as well in 2003 and 2004," Hopkins continued.

Hopkins said another change the school board has implemented is a contract position for school janitors.

"We were under a contract for janitors from an outside contractor for the mid-high and the high school," Hopkins explained. "The contract was implemented before I was hired to the district, but I understand it was because it is too difficult to hire personnel for the jobs. We have gone back to hiring our own personnel for the jobs."

Several other positions have been open in the district, but Hopkins said most have been filled.

Nick Schamber resigned as athletic director of the middle school and school principal Rick Gibb will fill the position. Bonnie Richardson will replace Vicki Scaggs at the high school in an English class and Rick Fowell will take over as the new varsity wrestling coach. -CP

Homedale Jr. Golf has winners

All 73 players in the players were: Homedale Lions Club Jr. Golf Tournament at River Bend Golf Course in Wilder walked away with a medal for their participation in the well attended event, and the top three players in each category were awarded a fancy trophy for their winning efforts. Top

Boys 13-up, nine holes -Garrett Sweet (49), Brett (52), Hopkins Clay Christensen (54) in a playoff with Trevor Krzesnik (54).

Boys 10-12, nine holes -Ryan Garrett (50), Grant Sweet (59), Travis Kiser (61).

Boys 8-9, five holes - Ethan



Kids on the greens, fairways, in the trees

Seventy-three boys and girls from six to 13 and up competed in the Homedale Lions Club Jr. Golf Tournament at River Bend Golf Course last week.

Knapp (28), Phillip Moulton (29), Conner Landa (30).

Boys 6-7, three holes -Hayden Krzesnik (23), Riley Maggard (26), Nick Ryska (29).

Girls 13-up, nine holes -Michelle Gooding (45), Alisha Marks (80), Ashlyn Paulsen (82).

Girls 10-12, five holes–Sara Kirby (30), Ariel Rivera (34), Cortnee Krzesnik (34).

Girls 8-9, five holes – Kali Roche (38), Kayla Corbett (39), Kylie Kushlan (42).

Girls 6-7, three holes -Miranda Miklancic (23), Andrea Gooding (26), Megan Johnson (28).

How about Michelle Gooding's best score of the tournament with 45 over nine holes!

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WED., JUNE 26, 2002

Commentary

Editor's notebook

Joe Aman

"Stay tuned"

While watching the news on TV the other night, a couple items hit me kinda funny. Actually, funny is the wrong word to describe my reaction.

The commentator was telling all about the dire financial straits the state is in, how it is 110 million in the red, how the gov. wants to adjust spending without raising taxes, how he expects all departments to be more frugal in its spending, how important projects are put on hold... you know, the usual rhetoric.

Then, immediately following this enlightenment ... "Stay tuned and learn how you can get a free child seat." That's right. The state is giving away child seats to "needy" families. And where do you think the money is coming from to pay for these "gifts"? From the same coffers the state officials claim to be 110 million in the red.

Admittedly, a few grand for child seats won't break the state, but a total of all the freebee programs puts the state on the verge of disaster.

Why I am required to pay for child seats for someone else's kids? I guess the answer to that question lies in the same socialistic logic that requires me to pay for someone else's kids' free breakfasts at school, provide free food, housing, and utilities to people who don't work, won't work, etc., etc.

When the state stops trying to be all things to all people, when the state stops the socialistic practices of leveling the wealth of its citizens through taxes and giveaways, and when the recipients of these handouts become more productive and responsible citizens, then the state's coffers will be overflowingand taxes can be lowered. And these folks can buy their own child seats.

Just as I finished writing the above comments, it was announced on the tube the G.W. has promised to give away another \$200,000,000 to help fight AIDS in foreign countries.

Foolish me, I thought this country was in a recession, and that the war on terrorism was putting us in the red. It would be difficult to name one nation on this planet that does not receive some sort of aid from the U.S., whether friend or foe.

May I respectfully suggest that Pres. Bush heed the words of former Secretary of State Dean Rusk (1967):

"We have tried to make it clear that the United States is not just an old cow that gives more milk the more it is kicked in the flanks."

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Front sight

Robert Boatman

Symptoms of Liberalitis

There's a deadly disease going around whose source is unknown. All the patients who've had it have eventually died, but they've managed to pass their mutated microbes on to some others. If you have any of the classic symptoms of the disease, the only possible cure is to start walking out in the desert – don't wear any shoes and don't take any water or food or clothing or a knife or a gun with you – and just keep on walking. Here are a few of the widely recognized symptoms of Liberalitis:

You believe that to find out the truth about the important issues of the day all you have to do is turn on one of the three network TV news shows. Rather and Brokaw and Jennings get paid to tell

you the truth.

You think man is bent on destroying the earth and it can only be saved by college students.

You admit there's a problem of bad guys shooting good guys, and you think the solution is to make sure good guys don't have guns.



You think that any requirements you may have for oil, gas and electricity should be filled by bringing it in from some remote place you've never heard of, preferably by email.

You believe women would do a better job running the government. Just look at how successful they've been raising all those fatherless gang members in the inner cities.

You don't believe in war under any circumstances. Those people who keep shooting at each other should just unilaterally surrender to the United Nations or somebody so as not to interfere with your daytime soap opera schedule.

You think the opposite of politically correct is politically wrong.

You believe all of nature should be preserved as one giant national monument and managed by the federal government so that you'll always be sure of having a uniformed guide complete with a loud speaker, free color brochures, and a nice little bus to rest in whenever you go to see it.

You like wood furniture and wooden handles on your pots and pans and nice paper to write on but you just can't understand why some people insist that they have to cut down trees to make it.

You think hunting is cruel but chicken farming is okay so long as it's done in Arkansas or someplace.

You believe cows and horses and sheep and pigs and such should be kept in the zoo where they belong.

You think the happiest place in the world is Disneyland because it's in California and everything there is the way it should be.

You are convinced that making your body sweat and ache is good for you as long as it's done indoors on the proper machinery and doesn't accomplish anything. You call it exercise, and you're thinking of hiring a professional to force you to do more of it.

You believe that if a criminal wants to steal your money you should just let him have it so as to avoid embarrassing the poor fellow or making a scene. After all, it's probably your fault he's a criminal anyway.

You think environmentalists are telling you the truth. Why would they lie? You think government agencies are telling

you the truth. Why would they lie?

By the way, if you're contemplating a walk in the desert, I suggest you go south and make a sharp right just before you reach Las Vegas. The Mojave is nice this time of the year.

Robert Boatman may be reached at The Owyhee Avalanche or directly via email at interboat@aol.com

Letter to the editor

Amount is for five positions

In a recent editorial of this paper the salary of the Juvenile Probation Officer was mentioned. I would like an opportunity to address the inaccuracy of the reference in that editorial regarding this matter. The amount quoted, which your paper mentioned was verified by an independent auditor, is the salary line for the entire Juvenile Probation Department. There are, in fact, five separate job positions that are funded by the amount quoted in the editorial. My understanding from talking with the deputy clerk who does payroll, is that no one from the Owyhee Avalanche checked with her, nor did they check with the Probation Department, to verify that the amount quoted was exclusively the Chief Probation Officer's salary.

The budget for the Juvenile Probation Department is comprised of several grants as well as County money. Less than one third (1/3) of the next fiscal year's budget will be County funds. The majority of that money will go toward the salaries of the five positions that were previously mentioned.

The rest of the budget will come from outside sources, which the department actively continues to seek.

I appreciate the opportunity to address this issue with the citizens of Owyhee County. I also encourage and invite each citizen of Owyhee County to stop by or call the Probation Department at any time to visit or to avail themselves of our services.

Doris Jewett Chief Probation Administrator Homedale

EDITOR'S NOTE: The primary purpose of the law requiring the publication of the county's annual financial report is to give the public a detailed, clear, and accurate report of the county's finances. The "inaccuracy" you refer to is on the part of the county, not this newspaper. Done correctly, it needs no "checking" or "verification" with the clerk for accuracy. If you would check, it was clearly stated in the editorial that "[w]e suspect it's an error".

Commentary

On the edge of common sense

Baxter Black, DVM Alternative fuels

Flying into a lot of big city airports anymore is like diving into murky water. Smog hovers like bad breath around a buzzard's smile. Mostly exhaust fumes, that gaseous manure of glutenous modern metal monsters prowling paved paths through choking jungles of concrete and steel we call our greater metro areas.

But mankind in his ingenuity is constantly trying to clean up messes that he himself makes. I'm sure those charged with the daunting responsibility of eliminating dirty air, long for a good natural disaster now and

then.



They are not unlike the cowboys who went into Mexico in 1949 to help rid that country of Foot & Mouth Disease. They were often in the position of having to kill a poor farmer's only cow. Local resistance was'so fierce the cowboys had to be accompanied by the Mexican army.

Thus, it is today when government wants to tinker with our family car. "Drive less" is fightin' words to some. An odd bedfellow army of industry, government and activist soldiers are joined in the quest for

alternative fuels to help reduce pollution. Ethanol, natural gas, propane and electric are realistic possibilities, but one can imagine solar, nuclear, rubber band, anti-gravity, wind-up and slinky power on the horizon. And whatever happened to sail, steam and squirrel-cage paddle power.

Thinking outside the box, we could imagine regional alternative fuels. Nissan might consider developing a car that uses Teriyaki sauce, France – the wine car, Russia - the vodka-powered vehicle, and Germany - the Mercedes Lite which runs on Heinekin. Not to mention the Hot Air Honda, electric, of course. Plug a TV set in the back and turn on C-Span.

A marijuana powered car might ease the frustration of traffic jams. Just roll down the windows, inhale and relax.

California, as always would lead the way both in pollution and technology. Their solution, of course, would be the most expensive alternative fuel...bottled water. \$1.09 per bottle. But there would be a \$14.00 per gallon state tax. This is based on the government principle that says "Just because a more fuel efficient vehicle can be developed, does not mean the consumer should pay less."

In the end our country will drag along and finally get something done when there's enough money in the right pockets. After all, it took 25 years to get unleaded gas into full use.

But we're at the stage now that air travel was in 1910. We are limited only by our imagination. A Department of Energy man told me they were now doing research on biomes extraction, "Think of it," he said, "lawn clippings, corn stalks, grass, oat hay...and the emissions would be CO2 and water."

"My gosh," I said, "You're inventing the horse!"

Accuracy in media

Echoes of the past

by Notra Trulock

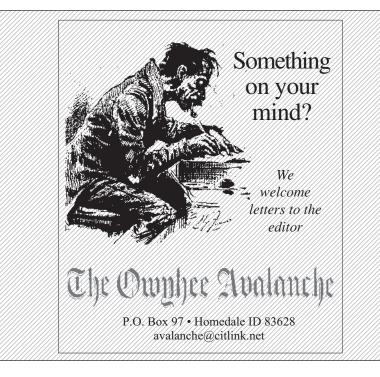
The arrest of a U.S. citizen, Abdullah al Mujahir, or Jose Padilla, and the round-up of other U.S. citizens allegedly trained in al Qaeda terrorist camps raises the specter of a fifth column of Americans supporting international terrorism's war on the United States. News reports claimed that Padilla was an attractive recruit due to his American passport and his ability to move through the U.S. without challenge.

But even mention of the term "fifth column" evokes a whole set of negative, "painful" images of America's past-the Hollywood Ten, the Hiss case, and McCarthyism with its putative legacy of destroyed careers. At least it does for the New York Times, which recently published a Weekin-Review piece by Richard Gid Powers. Powers has written-not unsympathetically-of anti-Communism in post-war American history and urges us to understand better our past so that we may deal more effectively with these new challenges of potential internal subversion.

But for Powers, that past consists of "guilt by association, smear politics, the internment of Japanese-Americans during World War II, McCarthyism, and of zealous FBI agents defining the limits of political orthodoxy." Powers' bottom line on America's experience dealing with fifth columns: "What most of the searches [for subversives] had in common was that the damage they did was far greater than the theoretical damage they were meant to deter." Really?

It is hard to believe that, what with the publication of the Venona transcripts, the Mitrokhin files, and the critical re-examinations of this period of American history. Only reflexive anti-anti-Communists like the Washington Post, still referring to the "possible Communist associations" of the Hollywood Ten, or the New York Times, speaking of the "unreasonable and unreasoning terror of Communist subversion," dismiss the reality of subversion and betrayal of American secrets and lives by a Communist fifth column in the 1930s and 1940s. Who, besides Richard Rhodes, believes that Soviet nuclear scientists did not benefit significantly from access to Los Alamos secrets? Who can doubt the role played by Kim Philby, Guy Burgress, and Donald Maclean in undermining U.S. efforts to counter Stalinist expansion after World War II? Who, besides Bill Clinton's nominee to run the CIA-Tony Lake, doubts that Alger Hiss was a Soviet military intelligence spy? The Evil Empire even had agents inside the White House-Harry Hopkins, FDR's confidante who lived there and Lauchlin Currie, an assistant to the President.

Equally noteworthy is the fate of those "blacklisted" in Hollywood or in academia for their communist sympathies. Derek Leebaert, in a critical analysis of America's conduct of the Cold War, reports that at least one of the Hollywood Ten bragged that his income actually increased while he was on the blacklist. Others went on to win Oscars, become graduate school deans, or have academic chairs named in their honor. Forgotten are the Hollywood anti-Communists who could not get work when Stalinist influence was at its heights in tinsel town. As Whitaker Chambers wrote, "Most of the Communists in the Hiss Case...are going about their affairs much as always. It is not the Communists, but the ex-Communists who



have co-operated with the government, who have chiefly suffered."

How much of this history is taught in our schools or ever finds its way into the nation's media? Judging by the reception of Leebaert's book, The Fifty-year Wound, not all that much. Most commentators have focused on Leebaert's assessment of just how much fighting the Cold War "cost" American science, technology, and culture and ignored his larger conclusion that the struggle was necessary and ultimately had to be waged...and won. So AIM agrees with Powers' call for studying and understanding our history with fifth columns. Maybe this time around, we'll get it right. Then the FBI might not be hamstrung by such bogus issues as "racial profiling" in pursuing legitimate leads in the war on terrorism.

Read all about it

in the Avalanche!

THE OWYHEE AVALANCHE

WED., JUNE 26, 2002



Strawberries: ripe for the picking Dear Betty,

We visited a pick-your-own berry patch, and now we have strawberries coming out of our ears! Do you have any ideas for using them besides shortcake?

Paoli, Ind.

There's nothing quite like the intoxicating fragrance and heavenly sweetness of sun-warmed strawberries. What better way to use those sun-ripened berries than by hosting an easy strawberry party for your children and their friends. First, wash and hull a bowl full of berries. Then create these strawberry sensations:

Place small berries in the sections of ice-cube trays.

Fill with water and freeze. Chill glasses of lemonade, punch or iced tea with these†"berry nice" cubes.

In a blender, crush strawberries along with lemonade concentrate, ice and a spoonful or two of powdered sugar for smooth, fruity slushies.

In tall glasses, alternate layers of strawberries, vanilla pudding or yogurt and your favorite crushed cookies. Garnish with a strawberry.

Chop strawberries and add a little sugar. Stir into whipped cream or pudding and spoon over slices of angel food or pound cake. Or use the strawberry cream to fill hollowed out cupcakes.

Set out a bowl of strawberries (leave the green caps on for an easy-eating "handle") along with bowls of powdered sugar and sour cream sweetened with brown sugar. Let the kids dip to their hearts delight.

Still have plenty of berries left?

Freeze strawberries in a single layer in a shallow pan, then store in plastic freezer bags or containers. Blend berries right from the freezer with milk, yogurt or ice cream for smoothies or shakes.

Slice, then lightly crush half the berries in a bowl. Add in the remaining slices. Sweeten with sugar, then pour the berries and juice into plastic freezer containers and freeze. This simple sauce makes a delicious, quick dessert when spooned over angel food cake, ice cream or cheesecake.

Dear Betty,

I ran across a recipe that called for "hulled" strawberries? How do you hull them?

Stoughton, Mass.

Hulling means to remove the berry's leafy green cap and white core. Begin by washing the berries. Use a paring knife or strawberry huller (it looks like fat tweezers) to cut out the green top and white core. Or push a plastic drinking straw up through the bottom of the berry.

Betty Crocker

What a Great Idea: Since strawberries don't ripen once they're picked, be sure to choose only ripe, red ones.

Next week: Red, white and blue desserts for the Fourth

For more great ideas, visit my Web site: BettyCrocker.com

Questions?

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Write: "Ask Betty Crocker," One General Mills Blvd., Minneapolis, MN 55426

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 2-10207 RICHARD LARITZ 10555 W AMITY RD BOISE ID 83709 Point(s) of Diversion L2 NWNE S21 T01N R03W **OWYHEE County** Source SNAKE RIVER Tributary To COLUMBIA RIVER Use: IRRIGATION 03/15 To 11/15 0.1 CFS Total Diversion: 0.1 CFS Date Filed: 05/01/2002 Place Of Use: IRRIGATION T01N R03W S21 NWNE Lot 2 Number of Acres 5

Remark: Applicant agrees to mitigate consumptive use in the future as needed.

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-203A, Idaho Code.

Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resource, Western Region, 2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 07/08/2002. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

KARL J DREHER, Director 6/19, 26/02

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 57-11614 RICHARD LARITZ 10555 W AMITY RD BOISE ID 83709 Point(s) of Diversion L2 NWNE S21 T01N R03W **OWYHEE County** Source GROUND WATER Use: WILDLIFE STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 16 AFA Use: AESTHETIC STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 16 AFA Total Diversion:16 CFS Date Filed: 05/01/2002 Place Of Use:WILDLIFE STORAGE T01N R03W S21 NWNE Lot 2 Place Of Use: AESTHETIC STORAGE T01N R03W S21 NWNE Lot 2

Remark: Applicant agrees to mitigate consumptive use in the future as needed.

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-203A, Idaho Code.

Any protest against the approval

NOTICE OF **PROPOSED CHANGE**

OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER NO. 69917 MIRADA FARMS **4770 RIVERINE PLACE** BOISE ID 83703, has filed Application No. 69917 for changes to the following water rights within **OWYHEE** County: <u>Right No. 57-2341</u> Priority 9/9/1962 Source GROUND WATER Use IRRIGATION (111 acres) 1.14 CFS 499.5 AFA STOCKWATER (0 acres) COMMERCIAL (0 acres) Total Amount 1.71 CFS 722.9 AFA Point(s) of Diversion NWNW S32 T03N R04W Place of Use S31 T03N R04W S32 T03N R04W

Remark: This transfer proposes to add a diversion point in the NWNW S32 T3N R4W for a backup well to the Mirada Dairy. There will be no change in the irrigation, commercial, or stockwater portion of this water right. This dairy is located 2 miles west and 1/2 mile north of Marsing. Protests may be submitted based

on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code.

Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Department of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before July 08, 2002. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

KARL J DREHER, Director 6/19, 26/02

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

The Homedale Highway District is calling for bids for the seal coating of approximately 15.5 miles in the district. The bids must be delivered to the secretary on or before July 10th, by 8 p.m. either personally or by mail to: P.O. Box 713, Homedale, Idaho 83628. The sealed bids will be opened at the next regular meeting July 10th, 2002 at 8 p.m. at the Homedale Highway District office at 102 E. Colorado in Homedale. For more information, call Rob Atkins at 337-3500. The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to accept the bid deemed best or to reject any or all bids and

to waive any technicality. Dated this 7th day of June, 2002. Terri Uria,

Secretary 6/12, 19,26/02

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 18th day of September,

thence

South 1 degree 03' East 341.00 feet along the West line of the said Section 9; thence continue

South 1 degree 03' East 2.04 feet to the Northwest corner of the OWYHEE ADDITION TO HOMEDALE, IDAHO No. 1; thence

North 89 degrees 24' East 132.99 feet along the North line of the said OWYHEE ADDITION TO HOMEDALE, IDAHO No. 1; thence

North 1 degree 03' West 1.23 feet to a point; thence

North 341 feet; thence West 133 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

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 Route 1 Box 1275, 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 JULIO DE LA ROSA SR, also shown of record as JULIUS DELAROSA, as grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of American Liberty Capital Corporation dba American Liberty Funding, as beneficiary, recorded November 23, 1998, as Instrument No. 226658, and assigned to CREDIT BASED ASSET SERVICING AND SECURITIZATION LLC, as beneficiary, by assignment recorded January 31, 2002, as Instrument 238546, Mortgage Record 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 \$544.98, due per month for the months of March through December, 2000 and January through December, 2001 and January through April, 2002 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$27.25, with interest accruing at 11.05 percent per annum, and continuing to accrue from February 1, 2000. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$56,701.03, 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: May 17, 2002

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 2nd day of October, 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:

In Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, Section 35: West Half of the East Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter.

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 HC 79, Opalene Rd., Marsing, Idaho, also can be known as HC 79 Box 964, Marsing, 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 MARK D. EMERY and JANE C. EMERY, 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 Republic Mortgage Corp., as beneficiary, recorded July 31, 1998, as Instrument No. 225603, and assigned to FIFTH THIRD BANK, successor by merger with Old Kent Mortgage Company, as beneficiary, by assignment recorded July 31, 1998, as Instrument No. 225604, 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 \$834.70, due per month for the months of September through December, 2000, January through December, 2001 and January

Date: May 23, 2002 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC. By Monine Cole Trust Officer

6/12, 19, 26, 7/3/02 SUMMONS

Case No. CV-02-0358 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE **COUNTY OF OWYHEE**

DEAN WHITE, an individual, Plaintiff, Vs.

CARL D. NORTH, an individual, Defendant.

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY HE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF (S). THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGEMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 READ DAYS. THE **INFORMATION BELOW.** TO: CARL D. NORTH

You are hereby notified that in order to defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must

be filed with the above designated court within 20 days after service of this Summons on you. If you fail to so respond the court may enter judgement against you as demanded by the plaintiff(s) in the Complaint.

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.

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 company.

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 abovenamed court. DATED this 22nd day of May,

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT By Trina Aman Deputy

6/19, 26, 7/3, 10/02

of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resource, Western Region, †2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 07/08/2002. The†protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

KARL J DREHER, Director 6/19, 26/02

LEGAL NOTICE

BE ADVISED, according to Idaho Code S-55-2306. Marsing Storage will dispose of the stored contents of the rental unit Number 12, of the delinquent account listed below. These items will be disposed of on June 26th. Denyne, aka Treasure Kester P.O. Box 754 Marsing, Id 83639 For further information call 867-2466 6/19, 26/02

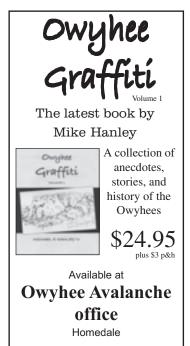
2002, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., of said day, (recognized local time), in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc. an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, 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 part of the Northwest Quarter Northwest Quarter Northwest Quarter of Section 9, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particular described to wit:

BEGINNING at the Northwest corner of Section 9, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho;

FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC. By Monine Cole Trust Officer 6/5, 12, 19, 26/02

through April, 2002 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$32.24, uncollected late charges in the amount of \$580.32, with interest accruing at 7.625 percent per annum, and continuing to accrue from August 1, 2000. Also due are delinquent and unpaid taxes for 2001. The principal balance owing as if this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$89,401.12, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent accounts 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.



THE OWYHEE AVALANCHE

WED., JUNE 26, 2002

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NOTICE OF **TRUSTEE'S SALE**

The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, at the front entrance to the Owyhee County Courthouse, Highway 78, Mile Marker 29 1/2, Murphy, Idaho on 10/09/2002 at 11:30 A.M., (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 12/ 19/2000 as Instrument Number **234616,** in Book N/A, at Page N/A, and executed by LYLA HERNANDEZ and ODILAN HERNANDEZ, as Grantor(s), in favor of "MERS" MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC **REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. SOLELY AS NOMINEE** FOR LENDER, as Beneficiary, to Stewart Title of Boise, Inc., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in OWYHEE County, state of Idaho:

PARCEL I

A portion of Tract 14 of Record of Survey No. 164239, being a portion of the Southeast Quarter Northwest Quarter of Section 14, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING the at Northeast corner of said Southeast Quarter Northwest Quarter, said corner being marked by a brass cap monument; thence

South 00 degrees 44'57" West 332.85 feet (South 00 degrees 45'10" West 332.86 feet) along the East line of said Southeast Quarter Northwest Quarter to a found 1/2 inch rebar at the Southeast corner of Tract 13 of said Record of Survey; thence

North 89 degrees 21'57" West, 261.69 feet along the South line of said Tract 13 to a set 1/2 inch rebar and the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

South 00 degrees 45'24" West, 222.16 feet along a new line through said Tract 14 to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence

North 89 degree 21'57" West, 392.38 feet along another new line through said Tract 14 to a set 1/2inch rebar in the West line of said Tract 14; thence

North 00 degrees 44'46" East, 222.16 feet along the West line of said Tract 14 (East line of Tract 10) to a found 1/2 inch rebar at the Southwest corner of said Tract 13; thence

South 89 degrees 21'57" East, 392.42 feet along the South line of said Tract 13 to the

POINT OF BEGINNING.

SUBJECT TO: A 20.00 foot wide access and utilities easement across said PARCEL I and serving

10.00 feet; thence South 47 degrees 05'44" West,

180.55 feet; thence South 36 degrees 03'55" East. 83.57 feet to a point in the South line of said

PARCEL 1; thence

North 89 degrees 21'57" West. 12.47 feet along said South line to

the POINT OF BEGINNING.

PARCEL II

A portion of Tract 14 of Record of Survey No. 164239, being a portion of the Southeast Quarter Northwest Quarter of Section 14, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Southeast Quarter Northwest Quarter, said corner being marked by a brass cap monument; thence

South 00 degrees 44'57" West 332.85 feet (South 00 degrees 45'10" West 332.86 feet) along the East line of said Southeast Quarter Northwest Quarter to a found 1/2 inch rebar at the Southeast corner of Tract 13 of said Record of Survey and the

POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 00 degrees 45'24" West (South 00 degrees 45'10" West), 88.55 feet along the East line of said Southeast Quarter Northwest Quarter to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence

North 89 degrees 21'57" West 130.00 feet along a new line through said Tract 14 to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence

South 00 degrees 45'24" West 155.00 feet along another new line to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence

North 89 degrees 21' 57" West 131.69 feet along another new line to a set 1/2 inch rebar; thence

North 00 degrees 45'24" East 243.55 feet along another new line to a set 1/2 inch rebar in the South line of said Tract 13; thence

South 89 degrees 21'57" East 261.69 feet along said South line to the

POINT OF BEGINNING.

Also including: a 20.00 foot wide Access and Utilities Easement across PARCEL 1 of said Tract 14 and serving PARCEL 2 and PARCEL 3 of said Tract 14, said easement being the Northerly 20.00 feet of said PARCEL 1.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM: Any portion of the above described 20.00 foot wide strip of land presently occupied by a steel Quonset building.

SUBJECT TO: A 20.00 foot wide Access and Utilities Easement across said PARCEL 2 and serving PARCEL 3 of said Tract 14 said easement being described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Northwest orner of said PARCEL 2: thence South 89 degrees 21'57" East, 170.20 feet along the North line of said PARCEL 2; thence

follows:

COMMENCINGat the Southwest corner of said PARCEL 2, thence

South 89 degrees 21'57" East, 131.69 feet along the South line of said PARCEL 2 to a corner in said South line: thence

North 00 degrees 45'24" East, 43.50 feet along the line between said

PARCEL 2 and PARCEL 3 to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

South 79 degrees 30'57" West 43.43 feet through said PARCEL 2; thence

North 10 degrees 29'03" West, 10.00 feet; thence

North 79 degrees 30'57" East, 45.42 feet to a point in said line between PARCEL 2 and PARCEL 3: thence

South 00 degrees 45'24" West, 10.20 feet along said PARCEL line to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

ALSO INCLUDING: A 10.00 foot wide easement for a water line across said PARCEL 3 and serving PARCEL 2, said easement being described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Northwest corner of said PARCEL 3: thence

South 89 degrees 21'57" East, 131.69 feet along the North line of said PARCEL 2 to a corner in said North line: thence

North 00 degrees 45'24" East. 43.50 feet along the line between said

PARCEL 3 and PARCEL 2 to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

North 00 degrees 45'24" East, 10.20 feet along said PARCEL line; thence

North 79 degrees 30'57" East, 40.74 feet through said PARCEL 3; thence

North 00 degrees 00'34" West, 93.39 feet to a point in the South

line of said PARCEL 2; thence

South 89 degrees 21'57" East, 10.00 feet along said South PARCEL line; thence

South 00 degrees 00'34" East,

101.60 feet through said PARCEL 3: thence

South 79 degrees 30'57" West, 51.05 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Also subject to: A 10.00 foot wide power line and telephone easement across said

PARCEL2 and serving PARCEL 3, said easement being described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the North line of said PARCEL 2 located North 89 degrees 21'57" West, 39.44 feet from the Northeast corner of said PARCEL 2; thence South 28 degrees 35'28" East,

80.48 feet through said

PARCEL 2 to a point in the East line of said PARCEL 2; thence

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 1313 HC BOX 79, MELBA, ID 83641 is sometimes associated with said real property.

Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust.

The default for which this sale is to be made is:

Failure to pay the monthly payment due

12/01/2001 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 16.500 percent per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$34,701.06, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorney's fees, Trustee's fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT DEBT AND ANY **INFORMATION OBTAINED** WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A) IDAHO CODE. **REPRESENTATION IS MADE** THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE PRESENTLY NOT, **RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.**

DATED:

April 24th, 2002

Stewart Title of Boise, Inc.

Successor Trustee By: Bev Petersen, Trust Officer

Name and Address of the

of CARL I. BROWN AND COMPANY, A KANSAS CORPORATION, DBA PREMIER MORTGAGE **RESOURCES**, as Beneficiary, to Stewart Title of Boise, Inc., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, state of Idaho:

LOTS 22, 23, AND 24 OF **BLOCK 5 OF THE REVISED TOWNSITE OF BUTTE, NOW** THE CITY OF MARSING, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, THE ACCORDING TO **OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF** FILED MARCH 9, 1946 AS **INSTRUMENT NO 71472 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 purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 102 1ST STREET SOUTH, MARSING, ID 83639 is sometimes associated with said real property.

Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty. express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust.

The default for which this sale is to be made is:

Failure to pay the monthly payment due 11/01/2001 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.500 percent per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$49,748.92, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorney's fees, Trustee's fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

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PARCEL 2 and PARCEL 3 of said Tract 14, said easement being the Northerly 20.00 feet of said PARCEL 1, Excepting therefrom any portion of the above described 20.00 foot wide strip of land presently occupied by a steel quonset building.

ALSO SUBJECT TO: A 10.00 foot wide easement for water service from a well located within said PARCEL 1 and serving PARCEL 4 of said Tract 14, said easement being described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the South line of said PARCEL 1 located South 89 degrees 21'57" East, 192.00 feet from the Southwest corner of said PARCEL 1: thence

North 36 degrees 03'55" West, 84.99 feet; thence

North 47 degrees 05'44" East, 189.42 feet; thence

South 42 degrees 54'16" East,

South 00 degrees 38'03" West, 88.61 feet through said

PARCEL 2 to a point in the North line of said PARCEL 3; thence

North 89 degrees 21'57" West, 20.00 feet along said North line of

PARCEL 3: thence

North 00 degrees 38'03" East. 68.62 feet through said

PARCEL 2; thence

North 89 degrees 21'57" West, 150.27 feet to a point in the West line of said

PARCEL 2; thence

North 00 degrees 45'34" East, 20.00 feet along said West line to the Point of Beginning.

ALSO SUBJECT TO: A 10.00 foot wide easement for water service from a well located within said PARCEL 2 and serving PARCEL 3 of said Tract 14, said easement being described as

South 00 degrees 45'24" West, 18.31 feet along said East line to the Northeast corner of PARCEL 3; thence

North 89 degrees 21'57" West, 10.00 feet along the North line of said

PARCEL 3; thence

North 00 degrees 45'24" East, 15.72 feet through said

PARCEL 2; thence

North 28 degrees 35'28" West, 71.99 feet; thence

North 89 degrees 21'57" West, 46.18 feet to a point in the East line of an access and utilities easement through said

PARCEL 2 and here before described; thence

North 00 degrees 38'03" East, 10.00 feet along said East easement line to a point in the North line of said PARCEL 2: thence

South 89 degrees 21'57" East, 52.38 feet along said North line to the

POINT OF BEGINNING.

Current Trustee is: Stewart Title of Boise, Inc. 9196 W. Emerald St., Ste 100 Boise, **ÍD 83704** PHONE: (800) 281-8219 for information. 6/12, 19, 26, 7/3/02

NOTICE OF **TRUSTEE'S SALE**

The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, at the entrance to the Owyhee County Courthouse, Highway 78, Mile Marker 29 1/2, Murphy, Idaho, 83650, on 10/23/2002, at 11:30 AM, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 4/ 18/1994 as Instrument Number 212618, in Book N/A, at Page N/A, executed by KENNETH LEE MOORE and GLADYS E. MOORE, as Grantor(s), in favor

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LOT 6 AND THE EAST ONE-HALF (E 1/2) OF LOT 7 OF **BLOCK 39 OF THE AMENDED** TOWNSITE PLAT OF HOMEDALE, **OWYHEE** IDAHO. COUNTY, ACCORDING ТО THE **OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF** FILED AUGUST 9, 1966 AS NO. **7284 ON FILE 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 purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 223 WEST WASHINGTON AVENUE, HOMEDALE, ID 83628 is sometimes associated with said real property.

Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust.

The default for which this sale is to be made is:

Failure to pay the monthly payment due 11/01/2001 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 8.500 percent per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$64,245.71, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS **ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT** A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. 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. DATED: May 10, 2002

Stewart Title of Boise, Inc. Successor Trustee By: Bev Petersen, Trust Officer Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: Stewart Title of Boise, Inc. 9196 W. Emerald St., Ste 100 Boise, ID 83704 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 for information.

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SUMMONS

Case No.: SP-02-01645 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE JUDICIAL THIRD DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE IN THE MATTER OF: DAVID SAMUEL WORTHINGTON. A Child Under the Age of 18 Years DAVID G. ZARAGOZA and PATRICIA ZARAGOZA, Petitioners.

NOTICE: A PETITION TO TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS TO THE ABOVE-NAMED CHILD HAS BEEN FILED. THE COURT MAY ENTER A JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN TWENTY (20) DAYS. READ THE INFORMATION BELOW TO: THE NATURAL FATHER OF SAMUEL DAVID

WORTHINGTON

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that in order to defend the Petition for Termination of Parent-child Relationship, an appropriate written response must be filed with the above-designated Court within twenty (20) days after service of the Summons on you. If you fail to so respond, the Court may enter judgment against you terminating your parental rights as requested by the Petitioners.

If you wish to seek the advice or representation by and 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. You may have the right to be represented by an attorney at public expense if the Court determines that you are a needy person and unable to provide for the payment of an attorney and related costs. In order to exercise your right to counsel in indigent, you need to contact the Clerk of the Court to make application for Court appointed counsel. An appropriate written response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) AND OTHER Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and shall also include:

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED That if paternity has not been established you may claim paternity and parental rights to said child by filing or registering with the Vital Statistics Unit of the Idaho State Department of Health & Welfare, 450 W. State street, Boise, ID 83702, which filing or registration must be completed prior to the date of any termination proceeding, and

that a form for filng or registering the claim may be obtained from the Vital Statistics Unit of the Idaho State Department of Health & Welfare or any office of any County Clerk in every county of the State of Idaho, and that your failure to file or register such claim of paternity or parental rights are willingness to assume responsibility for the child shall thereafter bar you from bringing or maintaining any action to establish your paternity of said child and that the failure to file or register shall constitute an abandonment of said child and shall be prima facie evidence of sufficient grounds to support termination of your parental rights in accordance with Section 16-2005, Idaho Code.

FURTHER YOU ARE NOTIFIED OF the existence of the Voluntary Adoption Registry, established by Section 39-259A, Idaho Code, whereby those eligible to register can provide identifying information and the Registry will match individuals who have authorized release of information to one another and disclose the accordingly. information Application forms may be obtained from the Idaho Department of Health & Welfare, Center for Vital Statistics and Health Policy, 450 W. State Street, Boise, Idaho 83720. DATED This

11th day of June, 2002.

6/19, 26, 7/3/02

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

By:Lena Johnson Deputy Clerk

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OWYHEE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 02-02

AN ORDINANCE MAKING IT LAWFUL TO OPERATE UNREGISTERED ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES ON ROADS AND PORTIONS OF ROADS SPECIFICALLY DESIGNATED IN THE ORDINANCE AND ESTABLISHING A MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT AND RULES OF THE ROAD APPLICABLE TO SUCH VEHICLES ON SUCH DESIGNATIONS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS Section 2. Designation of highways and sections of highways for vehicle use.

Unregistered all terrain vehicles

and motorcycles may be lawfully be operated on the Following highways and sections of highways in Owyhee County: Murphy to Reynolds Creek Cemetery on the Murphy-Reynolds Stage Road (beginning in the Southeast Quarter of Section 27, Township 2 South, Range 2 West and ending on the Section line of Section 31 in Township 2 South, Range 3 West and Section 36 in Township 2 South, Range 4 West), Upper Reynolds Creek Road from Reynolds Creek Cemetery to Elias Jaca's property line (beginning at the Reynolds Creek Cemetery on the Section line between Section 31 of Township 2 South, Range 3 West and the Section line of Section 36, Township 2 South, Range 4 West and ending in the Southeast Quarter of Section 12 in Township 3 South, Range 4 West), Whiskey Mountain Road from Upper Reynolds Creek Road to the cattle guard at the bottom of Whiskey Mountain (beginning in the Northeast Quarter of Section 1, Township 3 South, Range 4 West and ending in the Northwest Quarter of Section 2, Township 3 South, Range 4 West), Cow Creek Road from the County gravel pit to the Delamar Mine Road (beginning in the North Half of Section 1, Township 5 South, Range 5 West and ending in the North Half of Section 17 of Township 4 South, Range 5 West), Delamar Mine Road from Cow Creek to Jordan Creek Road (beginning in the Northwest Quarter of Section 1, Township 5 South, Range 5 West and ending in the Northeast Quarter of Section 6 of Township 5 South, Range 4 West), Jordan Creek Road from Delamar Mine to Silver City (beginning in the Southeast Quarter of Section 31, Township 4 South, Range 3 West and ending at the intersection of Trout Creek Road, in the Northwest Quarter of Section 1 in Township 5 South, Range 5 West), Silver City Road from Silver City to Diamond Creek (beginning in the Northeast Quarter of Section 5 in Township 4 South, Range 2 West and ending in the Southeast Quarter of Section 6, Township 5 South, Range 3 West), South Mountain Road from the end of pavement to the South Mountain turnoff and the Indian Meadows Road from South Mountain Road to the end of County maintenance (beginning in the Southwest Quarter of Section 29 in Township 6 South, Range 5 West and ending in the Northeast Quarter of Section 36 in Township 7 South Range 5 West), Short Cut Road between Oreana Loop Road and Mud Flat Road (beginning in the Southwest Quarter of Section 21 in Township 7 South, Range 2 East and ending in the Northeast Quarter of Section 10, Township 5 South, Range 1 East), Sinker Butte Road between Murphy Flat Road and the end of County maintenance (beginning at the intersection of Sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 in Township 3 South, Range 1 West and ending at a point on the Section line between Sections 34 and 35 in Township 2 South, Range 1 West), and Murphy Flat Road from the end of pavement to the end of County maintenance (beginning at the intersection of Sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 of Township 3 South, Range 1 West and ending in the Southeast Quarter of Section 12 in Township 3 South, Range 1 West), and all legal property descriptions hereinabove set forth are from the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

Section 3. Definitions.

The term "all terrain vehicle" shall mean any vehicle included within the definition provided by Idaho Code, Section 49-102. The term •motorcycle• shall mean any vehicle included within the definition provided by Idaho Code, section 49-114.

Section 4. Maximum speed limit and rules of the road.

The maximum speed limit for such all terrain vehicles and motorcycles on those highways and sections of highways designated in Section 2 shall be 25 miles per hour. Pursuant to Idaho Code, Section 49-426(3) all such vehicles shall be subject to all rules of the road established by the State of Idaho and Owyhee County, other than as altered by the terms of this ordinance.

Enacted on this 17th day of June 2002.

Harold Tolmie, Chairman Dick Reynolds Chris Salove Attest: Cynthia Eaton

PUBLIC NOTICE BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

6/26/02

On July 18, 2002 beginning at 8 PM, the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hold its regular meeting in the Courthouse Annex on Basey Street in Murphy, Idaho. After dispensing with old business, the commission will hear public testimony on the following matters:

LES and LAVADA LOUCKS have filed an application for a conditional use permit to split three parcels from a 200 acre farm. The requested use for the proposed parcels is residential. The portion of subject parcel where the proposed parcels would be located is nonirrigated land which is not in agricultural production and the parcels requested range from 6.06 acres to 5.17 acres in size. Subject parcel is located south of Marsing in Section 17, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

JIMMY and VIRGINIA WATERS have filed an application for a conditional use permit to place a second residence on their 8.6 acre parcel located off of Highway 78 and Meininger Road southeast of Marsing. Subject parcel is located in Section 35, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. 6/26/02

1. The title and number of this case.

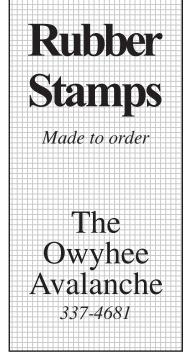
2. If your response is an Answer to the Petition, it must contain admissions or denials of the separate allegations of the Petition and other defenses you may claim.

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 Petitioner's attorney, as designated above.

To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the abovenamed Court. Section 1. Purpose.

Pursuant to Idaho Code, Section 49-426(3), Owyhee County will allow operation of unregistered all terrain vehicles and motorcycles on certain, specifically limited county highways and sections of county highways as designated in Section 2. Those highways and sections of highways, identified herein, have been identified on maps filed with the County Clerk by Owyhee County designating and acknowledging the existence of rights of way created by Revised United States Statute 2477. The purpose of this ordinance it to allow use of these designated highways and sections of highways by multiple users who are arbitrarily restricted in their use of the federal lands in the area, so that they may view and enjoy the historic sites in Owyhee County and share in the vet existent custom, culture and traditions of Owyhee County.



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WED., JUNE 26, 2002

\gg \sim **Owyhee County** Church Directory

Assembly of God Church Homedale 15 West Montana, 337-4458 Pastor George Greenwood Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Service 6:30pm Wed. Bible Study 7:00pm	Crossroads Assembly of God Wilder Hwy 19 & 95, 482-7644 Pastor Geoff Cole Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening Worship 6pm Wed. Bible Study 7pm Weekday prayer 6pm-9pm	St. Hubert's Catholic Church Homedale 101 E. Owyhee, 337-3153 Father Oscar Jarimillo Liturgical Schedule Masses: Sunday: 8:30 am 12:30 pm (Spanish)
Mt. Calvary Lutheran Homedale 337-4248 or 454-1528 SE corner Idaho and West 7th Sunday Services: 10am	Friends Community Church Homedale 301 W. Montana, 337-3464 Sunday School: 9:30 am Sunday Morning Worship: 10:45 am Pastor: John Beck	Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Homedale 708 West Idaho Ave 337-4112 Bishop Ned Stokes Bishop Jerry Anderson Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm Primary 11am
Homedale Baptist Church Homedale 212 S. 1st W., 337-3715 Sunday School 10am & 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls	Wilder Church of God Wilder 205 A St. E, 482-7839 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Service 11am Sunday Eve. 6:00pm Wed. Eve. 7:00pm	Nazarene Church Homedale 2nd W. and Owyhee, 337-3151 Pastor Chuck Ryan Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Worship 6pm Wednesday Night 7pm Adult Bible Study/Prayer, Youth Group & 12 Step Bible-based Recovery Group
Catholic Church Marsing 459-3653 Good Shepherd Saturday 7:00pm Good Shepherd Sunday 12 noon (Spanish)	Owyhee Baptist Church Homedale 337-3147 1 Railroad Ave., Homedale Sunday school 10am Sunday services 11am and 6:30pm Wednesday services 7pm	Marsing Church of Christ Marsing 932 Franklin, Marsing 896-5604 Sunday Bible Study 10am & 1pm Sunday Worship 11am Wednesday Bible Study 6pm
Christian Church Homedale 110 W. Montana, 337-3626 Pastors Maurice Jones & Duane Crist Sunday Morning Worship 11am Church school 9:45	Bible Missionary Church Homedale West Idaho, 337-4437 Pastor Paul Miller Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm	Assembly of God Church Marsing 139 Kerry, 896-4294 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm
Lizard ButteBaptist Church Marsing Pastor Dave London 116 4th Ave. W., 587-4866 Sunday worship 11am-12pm Sunday school 9:45am-10:55am Sunday evening 6-7pm Wednesday evening 7pm-8pm Every 3rd Sat. family video at 6 pm	Nazarene Church Marsing Pastor Bill O'Connor 896-4184 Behind Mr. B's Market Worship Services - Sunday 11am and 6pm Sunday School - 9:45am Wednesday 7pm	Trinity Holiness Church Homedale 119 N. Main Pastor Samuel Page 337-5021 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Thursday Evening 7:30pm
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Marsing 215 3rd Ave. West, 896-4151 Bishop Streibel	Vision Bible Church Marsing 221 West Main Marsing, Idaho 208-896-5407 Sunday School 9:30 a m	United Methodist Church Wilder Corner of 4th St. & B Ave. 880-8751



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PETITION TO VACATE

A public hearing will be held by the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners on July 15, 2002

at 11:00 a.m. in the Commissioners' Meeting Room in the County Annex Building in Murphy, Idaho on the petition to vacate the streets and alleys contained within a parcel of and in the SE Quarter of Section 24, Township 6 South, Range 5East, B.M., Owyhee County, Idaho which is platted as a part of the Townsite of Bruneau and is described by lots, blocks and portions of lots as described below:

All lots IA to 4A, inclusive of Block 1, lots 1 to 12 inclusive of Block 26, lots 22 to 24, inclusive of Block 26, Portion of Lots 15 to 21, inclusive of Block 26, lying

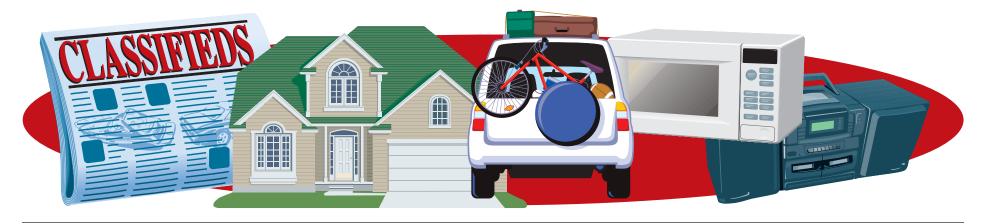
East of a line starting at the Southeast corner of Lot 15 and running diagonally to the Northwest corner of Lot 21, Portions of Lots 13 to 24, inclusive of Block 27, lying West of a line running diagonally from the Southeast corner of Lot 13 to the Northwest corner of Lot 24, all in the Townsite of Bruneau, Owyhee County, Idaho, including all those Streets and Alleys lying within the above described boundaries.

Excepting an oiled, unsurveyed county maintained road traversing said premises, as now constructed, with the County to be given a permanent, perpetual easement from fifteen feet to either side of the center of said road.

The petition to vacate streets and alleys has been filed by Helen Aman of 420 W. 12th S, Mountain Home, Idaho 83647. 6/26/02

Bishop Streibel Bishop Christensen Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm Primary 11am	Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. Youth Meeting Wed. 7:00 p.m.	880-8751 Pastor Carolyn Bowers Sunday Services 9:30am
First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am	Word of Hope Southern Baptist Church Homedale 711 W. Idaho, 455-3572 Pastor: Kevin Carpenter Sunday Services: 10 am Bible Study for all ages 11 am Worship Service	Seventh Day Adventist Homedale 16613 Garnet Rd., 880-4685 or 453-9289 Pastor Allan Payne Sabbath School Sat. 9:30am Worship 11am Wednesday Prayer Mtg. 7:30
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