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## CITY GATHERS TO HONOR THOSE AT WAR

Many residents of the City of Homedale gathered on a breezy Saturday morning to show their support for the troops currently at war with Iraq by tying yellow ribbons around trees throughout town. Several who turned out for the ribbon-tying event were honoring soldiers close to their hearts. As several thousand Americans and British forces continue their search for Iraq leader Saddam Hussein, Homedale families tied yellow ribbons around trees to honor the ones they love who are stationed overseas.

Mary Tibbett and Lori Davies coordinated the effort gathering business owners, residents and families who have a loved one over seas to tie yellow ribbons around trees on the west side of Homedale.

"We heard that they were doing the same thing in Caldwell and thought it would be a great way for the people of Homedale to show their support to the men and women overseas fighting in the war," Lori said Saturday. "The city put up the flags on Monday and tied ribbons around the east section of town and at Riverside Park. We just want to let the people who are fighting for us know that we are thinking of them, praying for them and we are very proud of them."

Marge Hartnoll, Homedale her daughter Jennifer, son in law Bryan and her two and a half year old grandson Michael, helped tie ribbons in support of Marge's husband Senior Master Sgt. Robert Hartnoll who is with the Air National Guard and stationed in Kuwait.

Jared Mattravers and his wife Jenny stopped to take pictures of the group for Jared's father Senior Master Sgt. Bill Mattravers who is a fire chief with the Air National Guard at Gowen Field and is stationed overseas.

Lori said the occasion held a place in her heart as a close friend from California has a daughter stationed in Kuwait.

"I think of the pain my friend must be feeling every time I hear about the war," Lori said. "We just want them to know that we appreciate what they are doing for our country." -CPB



### Honoring soldiers

Two and a half year old Michael Hartnoll and his mother, Jennifer, tie a yellow ribbon around the limb of a tree in Homedale Saturday morning to honor the soldiers who are currently at war in Iraq. Michael's grandfather, Senior Master Sgt. Robert Hartnoll is stationed in Kuwait with the Air National Guard.

## Teams forming for benefit challenge

As a war against Iraq rages on over seas, here at home the community of Homedale is being asked to come together to assist a local law enforcement officer who was injured when a battery exploded in his face.

The benefit is being held to help defray medical costs for Homedale Police Officer Jamie Austin who was injured when a tractor battery exploded in his face causing damage to his eyes. Currently Austin has not been released to return to his duties for the city, but Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller said doctors are now expecting Austin to have a full recovery. Austin was not on duty at the time of the accident.

On April 5<sup>th</sup>, local law, state and federal law enforcement agencies along with young and adult formed teams will come together to compete for the best of the best in a day-long event which will include a simulated shoot, relay race, obstacle course and a tug of war. Teams will be treated to a community barbecue after the competition festivities, which will include barbecued chicken, hamburgers and hot dogs, chorizos, and tamales with baked beans and potato salad.

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## Water woes force farming changes

As spring became official last Thursday, many farmers have been out in the fields preparing hundreds upon hundreds of acres of soil for this year's agriculture crops throughout Owyhee County. As the work continues, nearly every one of those farmers are keeping one eye on the sky and one eye on the weather forecast hoping for rain to fill dwindling water supplies.

Due to a very short supply of water for this year's irrigation season, many farmers in the area have found themselves forced to make drastic changes in their ways of farming.

South Board of Control sent out post cards last week to local irrigators on the system telling them that the Joint Committee had determined the allotment

for the 2003 irrigation season would be lower than what is normal. In past years the board has allotted four-acre feet of water per acre. An amount some farmers are saying they can not live with.

"There is no way I will be able to grow corn this year," Homedale farmer George Hyer said looking over his field last week. "I was going to plant corn in this field today, but with the drop in water being released, I think I will have to plant oats. Corn takes much more water than oats do and you don't have to irrigate as long."

Corn seed, for example, takes between three and four acre-feet of water to grow and needs to be watered until mid August. Onions take between three

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### Farmers prepare

A farmer plows a field near Marsing last week in preparation for the upcoming planting season.



# Owyhee Auto Parts opens in Marsing

Owyhee Auto Parts in Homedale opened a new store in Marsing last week after closing a store in Jordan Valley. Storeowner Mike Matteson said last week that he bought the business from Rob Townsend of Townsend Auto Parts.

Matteson said Rob, Rob’s son Jeremy and Sandy Baker from Jordan Valley would help operate the business, which will carry many of the same auto and farm machinery supplies as the Jordan Valley store carried. Baker was the manager of the Jordan Valley store, and Matteson said she would manage the Marsing store. He said Baker lives in Jordan Valley so she would be able to transport parts to the city.

“We will still be able to meet the needs of the people of Jordan Valley,” Matteson said. “Sandy will be delivering orders to the area for us. We will add to the inventory here and make Marsing a little bigger store. We are going to specialize in offering hot deals on filters and batteries and cater to the ag community.”

Matteson said Jeremy and Rob would continue to work for the store. A grand opening is planned for April 11<sup>th</sup> with a tool sale, filter sale, drawings and a barbecue.

“Stop by and check out our service and supply,” Matteson said.



**New addition**  
*Sandy Baker, Jeremy Townsend and Mike Matteson stand in front of the new Owyhee Auto Supply store, formerly Townsend Auto Parts, in Marsing.*



*A “rent me” sign sits in front of a Skidster at Bowen Building Supply and Tool Rental in Homedale.*

# Rental, building supply business to open in Homedale

For the do-it-yourselfer or the large business construction operation, Bowen Building Supply and Tool Rental will carry everything you need or will be able to locate what you need. Lane Bowen, owner of the business, plans to open the doors for full operation later this month and said he plans to hold a grand opening in April.

Lane is not a stranger to the construction business being a third generation construction man. His father, Jerel, owns and operates JS Construction, which is located in the same building.

Lane said the building is currently under a remodel construction, but the tools, equipment and supplies have been ordered and will be arriving soon. The rental business is the first most can remember in the Homedale

area.

Bowen Rental will carry new-to-you doors, windows and cupboards. Lane said new doors are demo’ed out to businesses in the valley and Lane is capable of selling those doors. He said he will carry a wide variety of quality used items.





Lane said he has been in the construction business most of his life with plenty of hands on experience with most of the tools he will carry to rent. He said he would be capable of answering most any question concerning tools he will rent out. He said if he couldn’t, he would find someone who could. Lane is from the Homedale area.


“If people purchase a door, or windows, we can also supply a crew to install those products,” Lane said. “We will be able to offer a complete building center. If they are interested in carpet, we can help. If they are interested in building supplies, we can help. We want to find out what they are interested in and need and be able to supply it.”



*Lane Bowen stands in front of a sign announcing his new business on Idaho Avenue in Homedale. The business will be fully open for operation later this month.*

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## CPA plans 4,200 sq. ft. office building

Long time Homedale CPA Mikeal Parker and his employees will be moving soon, to a much larger, “more comfortable,” office building which is currently in the process of being built across the street from Paul’s Market in Homedale.

The 4,200 square foot building will house two offices, one for Parker’s firm and the other will be leased out to another business. Parker said the additional tenant has yet to be determined, but he said the new tenant would have approximately 2,000 square feet of office space. The new building will have five offices, an employee break-room, a partial basement for storage and a large customer lobby.

Parker said he specializes in tax returns, bookkeeping, accounting, financial statement corporations for businesses, and he said his firm has added a new financial opportunity by expanding the business to include investment planning and implementation services. He recently obtained a securities license and has become a registered representative of H.D. Vest Investment Services, a non-bank subsidiary of Wells Fargo and Company.

Parker said the building he currently holds business in has been the site of several CPAs in the past.

In the 1940s, Parker said “O.D. Douglas,” a CPA, owned the building. He said Rife, Wilson and Zabitsky bought the business in the 1950s followed by Jim Duncan who conducted business from 1960 until the early 1990s. Bowen and Parker have been in the building for 17 years.

“I am very involved in the community,” Parker said. “I love Homedale and would like to build something that is going to look nice in Homedale. I think this building will be a very nice addition to Homedale.”

Parker has five employees who work for him, Shelly Blodgett, Sherry Parrill, Suzanne Brocket, Brad Dines and recently his son, Gavin Parker joined the team. Parker said if it were not for his employees, he would not be a successful businessman.

“It is about the employees,” Parker explained. “The employees who work for you, make you what you are. I have a fantastic group of employees and they deserve this.”

Parker said he hopes to be able to move into the new building in July.

### Jamfest 2003 to be held April 5<sup>th</sup>

Bill’s Annual Spring Fling, Jamfest 2003 will be held Saturday, April 5 at 6:00 p.m. until 12:00 a.m. at the American Legion Hall in Homedale.

The country and bluegrass music festival has been a huge success for the Homedale area bringing together a variety of bands like Woody Purdom and Gang and The Pete Burril band who will highlight the festivities. Several more bands have been contacted, coordinator Bill Page said, but some have not yet confirmed.

Everyone is welcome including any bands available and admission is free. A potluck, finger foods and soft drinks will be served during the non-alcohol event. Donations to the bands will be accepted and appreciated. Door prizes will be given away including but not limited to, dinners, gift certificates, car wash, and pizzas. All children under 14 will be given a prize.

The event is sponsored by the Pages and the Taylors. For more information or to donate a raffle prize, contact Bill Page at 337-4843.

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### CPA’s office relocates

CPA Mikeal Parker of Bowen and Parker will soon relocate to a new building on E. Wyoming Avenue in Homedale. Construction began last week and Parker said he hopes to move into the 4,200 square foot building in July.

## Homedale man involved in fatal car accident

A 32-year old Caldwell woman died from injuries she sustained in a two-vehicle collision at the intersection of Lake Avenue and Homedale Road last week.

Shawna Kay Archuleta was ejected from her 1998 Ford van when a 1976 Ford struck it two-door sedan driven by Gilbert Heredia, 25 of Homedale.

Canyon County Sheriff Chief Administrative Deputy Al Showalter said Heredia told officers that sun was in his eyes as he drove west on Homedale Road at about 6:45 p.m. and he failed to see the stop sign at Lake Avenue. Archuleta was northbound on Lake Avenue at the time of the accident. Both vehicles ended up in a yard at the northwest corner of the intersection.

Showalter said Archuleta’s 10 year-old daughter was also in the van and was taken by air ambulance to St. Alphonsus Regional Hospital where she was listed in stable condition Wednesday.

Archuleta was also taken by air ambulance to St. Al’s and she died at about 7:30 a.m. Tuesday morning. Investigators say Archuleta and Heredia were not wearing seat belts, but Archuleta’s daughter was. Showalter said this accident is a perfect example of the difference a seatbelt could have made.

Heredia was taken by ambulance to Mercy Medical Center in Nampa where he was treated and released. Showalter said no citations have been issued since the accident is still under investigation.

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✓ Irrigation

and four-acre feet of water the same as potatoes and beets. South Board of Control Manager Rex Berrie said during the meeting of the Joint Committee last week, they decided to release the amount due to available data. He said they have plans to change it if they can.

“If the weather conditions allow it, they may increase it, we don’t look to decrease it, but it could be increased at a later date,” Berrie said Friday. “1992 was the worst year on record here. I believe they were given a foot and a half then. As of 5 a.m. this morning, the Owyhee Reservoir is at 189,642 with 253 CFS entering near Rome. The last thing we want is to tell the irrigators that they are going to get so much water and then come back and tell them it is not there.”

The Joint Committee is made up of members of the Gem Irrigation District and the South Board of Control. Berrie said they jointly regulate the happenings of the Owyhee Dam. He said all of the decisions effecting the dam and the power are made through the Joint Committee.

Berrie said the Joint Committee is setting the water release on a worst case scenario.

“We are getting a lot of feed back from the farmers right now,” Berrie said. “The growers are concerned, which

they should be. It is going to be a tough year. We sympathize with them. This is our business to get the water to them so they can grow that crop and get that crop to market. It is going to be a tough call. We want to see them do well, but we can’t predict the weather.

“Look at what happened to Denver. The mountains around Denver got 50 inches. In town they got two feet. Denver is at 6,000 feet, but so is the bulk of our water shed. If a storm moved in there next week, anything could happen. We are going to do the best we can and really watch our delivery system.”

Berrie said his department sent out a post card last week explaining the irrigation delivery. He said he expects the Snake River system to receive a full delivery, but it depended on what happens up stream on the Snake. He said if the river falls, the department could not pump out of it.

The head gates from the dam is scheduled to be released on April 7<sup>th</sup> to charge the canals. He said it takes approximately four to five days to get the water through the system and get it ready to be distributed. He said the irrigation department would like to wait about a week, if the weather cooperates. He said it is to early to tell when the water season would end, but he said at this point he did not feel the irrigation would last through the normal season.

In 1992, the annual mean stream flow on the Owyhee River near Rome was averaged

for the year at 146 CFS being the worst recorded flows since 1950. The second lowest average flows were in 1977 at 183 CFS. In 1994, 184 CFS year average flows were recorded. In 2002, the monthly mean stream flow for March averaged 1,928 CFS. -CPB



**Crop changes**

Travis Hyer plows a field that had planned to be planted with corn last Thursday afternoon. Travis’s father, George, had planned to plant corn in the field until he was informed that only 1.3 acre feet of water would be available to him for the beginning of the upcoming irrigation season. Hyer said he will have to plant oats due to the drought conditions.

✓ Fundraiser

Coordinators Eidemiller and City Clerk Pam Dugger said after the team competition, a community barbecue will be held followed by a auction conducted by Lonnie Rudd of Rudd Auction Service. Dugger said Rudd donated his time to the event that continues to add a wide variety of donated items from businesses around the Treasure Valley.

Eidemiller said currently 25 law enforcement agencies have been invited to attend, but he said the event will also be open to the public. Teams of four people will participate in all events with individual scores and times added for team totals. First, second and third place teams will receive team trophies and individuals with best times in the obstacle course and best score in the simulated shoot will receive trophies.



**Officer fundraiser**

Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller and City Clerk Pam Dugger hold t-shirts that have been printed to support an officer who was injured in January. The shirts are being sold to the public as part of a Blue Guardian Challenge fundraiser planned for next month.

March 26<sup>th</sup> at 5 p.m. and entry fees are due at the time of registration.

Barbecue tickets are available at city hall for \$8 each. Gun raffle tickets and t-shirts are also available at city hall. Tickets for a gun raffle that will also be held during the event are on sale for \$5 each or \$20 for five tickets. The guns that will be raffled

include a Remington 700 7 mm Ultra Mag with a black laminated stock and a stainless steel barrel. The other rifle to be raffled is a Ruger 338 with a Simmons 3-9x50 scope.

For more information or to request registration forms please call Homedale City Hall at 337-4641 or contact Eidemiller at 573-2984.




**Rifle raffle**

A Ruger 338 with a Simmons 3-9x50 scope will be one of two rifles raffled during a Blue Guardian Challenge fundraiser for a Homedale officer injured in January. Raffle tickets are available at Homedale City Hall for \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

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### Hit and run

Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller speaks to the victim, David Nearing of Homedale, after he was involved in a hit and run accident on Highway 95 and Industrial roads last week. Officers cited and released Jamie Guzman Lopez, 22, for leaving the scene of an accident, failure to purchase a license and failure to purchase liability insurance.

## Homedale man arrested in hit and run accident

A Homedale man was cited and released after a short search when he left the scene of an accident on Highway 95 and Industrial Road near Homedale Thursday morning. Witnesses to the accident, Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller and posse members joined in the search as well as the victim who was picked up by a passerby who saw Jamie Guzman Lopez, 22 also of Homedale, drive away.

Lopez is accused of leaving the scene of an accident after he reportedly hit a pickup driven by David Nearing also of Homedale. Nearing said he was traveling north on Highway 95 on his way to work at Idaho Concrete when Lopez, traveling east on Industrial excelled from a stop sign and slammed into the rear section of the pickup.

Nearing said he jumped out of the pickup when saw Lopez was leaving the scene, and a passerby picked him up and the pair attempted to follow him. Gregg Grammater, a witness to the accident, said he saw the car hit Nearing and the attempted to find it, but they were unable to locate him. A witness reported to officers at the scene the location of Lopez and officers arrested him without incident at a home on Jump Creek Road.

The front bumper of Lopez's vehicle, a white Pontiac Grand Prix, lay on the ground near the road so witnesses were able to give county dispatchers the license number of the car as the plate was still attached to the bumper.

Nearing complained of back and neck pain and was transported to West Valley Medical Center by ambulance where he was treated and released.

Lopez was cited for leaving the scene of an accident, failure to purchase a license and failure to purchase liability insurance.

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# Obituary

## Cleve Bentham Young

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Cleve is survived by two sons, Cole Young of Twin Falls and Casey Young of Homedale. He is also survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Michael and Linda Young, nephew, Aaron and niece, Alanna of San Marcos, CA. He was preceded in death by his mother, Muriel B. Young in 1986 and his

father, Charles C. Young in 1989.

A private graveside service is planned under the direction of Dakan Funeral Chapel, Caldwell. Memorials may be made to a favorite charity.

## Sunrise service coordinators seek help in rock removal

This year’s 66<sup>th</sup> Lizard Butte Sunrise Service will be held on Easter morning, April 20 at 6:45 a.m., but in preparation for the annual event, coordinators are seeking help in removing rocks that have made the early morning service a bit uncomfortable.

Each year many people gather at the site located just off Highway 55 near Marsing for an Easter morning service provided by the Lizard Butte Sunrise Association. Those attending bring blankets, pillows and other items to sit on during the service.

To make the service a little more comfortable, the association is planning a rock removal workday on March 29 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the site.

“If you are a young person, or energetic adult who is willing to give up a short day or any part of the day, we could use the help in raking and packing fist sized rocks, that are so hard to sit on, down the hill in order that we can load them and haul them away,” a spokesman from the association said.

Participants are advised to bring a garden rake and bucket to carry the rocks, appropriate work clothing including gloves, a sack lunch and drinking water. Extra rakes and buckets are planned to be available for those who do not have any.

To sign up for the work day for a participant count or for further information call 454-9001 or 249-1550.

## Nondenominational Bible services to be held

Special nondenominational Bible services will be held in the Vance Dairy Construction Office Building, each Friday at 7:30 pm, 201 W. Idaho Ave. and 2<sup>nd</sup> St. West, in Homedale. Services began Friday, Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>, and will continue through March.

“These services are for the purpose of bringing faith to those who don’t have faith and strengthening the faith of those who do,” coordinators said.

Services are one hour in duration and present the Faith and Fellowship that we read of in the New Testament. No appeals for money are made. We extend a hearty welcome to all. Speakers are Stan Sullivan and Troy Peterson.

## Spring driver’s education classes begin

Slots are still open in Marsing High School’s spring driver’s education classes with the deadline to sign up nearing.

The class costs \$87 per session for in-district students and \$97 for out of district students. The first session will begin on April 14 and will run until May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Class time for the first session will be from 7 a.m. until 8 a.m. and driving time will be held after school.

The second session will begin June 2<sup>nd</sup> and will run until July 11<sup>th</sup>. Class times for the second session are from 8 a.m. until 10 a.m. Permits are available from a local Department of Motor Vehicles office.

For more information contact Marsing High School at 896-4111, ext. 297.

### FROM THE OLD

## 40’s Photo album



Golden Rule Store, on Main Street.  
Building presently occupied by Homedale Drug.

## Allergy season

Submitted by  
Dr. John Noak

Allergy season generally runs from January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>. More than 60% of the population in Owyhee County have bothersome allergy symptoms during at least one period of time each year. Runny noses, congestion, itchy eyes, itchy rash, sneezing, coughing, sleepiness, dark circles under the eyes, and wheezing are some of the fun effects of allergies. A person suffering from allergies can experience one, some, or all of these symptoms.

There are about a gazillion different triggers that can set off an allergy attack. Some of the more common are dust mites (found in mattresses, pillows, and upholstered furniture), cat and bird dander (dried flakes of skin), pollen (cottonwood, sage, alfalfa, weeds, hay, etc.), smoke, dust, mold (found in carpets and house walls), and farm and industrial chemicals.

Allergy symptoms tend to get worse as we get older. For some people they are merely annoying, for others they are completely disabling. All is not doom and gloom. Short of locking ourselves in the house with the air conditioner going, there are many things we can do to both prevent and treat allergy symptoms.

Get a set of dust mite barriers for your mattress, box springs, pillows, and comforter. The modern, coated cotton style barriers are available at discount stores like Target and Wal-Mart. They keep the dust mites in the bedding, and out of your nose. Don’t try to save money by using the old plastic

style barriers. They are horridly uncomfortable.

Keep the cats outside chasing mice, instead of inside making the kids sneeze. If you dog is allergenic, keep it outside chasing cats.

Linoleum and hardwood floors are good; carpeting is bad. Lose the dust ruffles. Jack the furniture up on blocks so you can get the mop or vacuum cleaner everywhere.

When the dust and smoke start blowing it is a good idea to close the windows and change the furnace and air conditioner filters often (as soon as they get dirty). HEPA style filters work much better. Of course, they cost more.

There are several over the counter and prescription medicine options for controlling allergy symptoms. Benadryl and Chlortrimeton are effective and inexpensive antihistamines. They often have significant drowsiness as a side effect, so they aren’t for everyone. Zyrtec, Allegra, Claritin, and Clarinex are new generation antihistamines. Most people respond to at least one of these medicines. They cause much less drowsiness, but are more expensive than the older antihistamines.

There is hope for that stuffy/runny nose. Astelin is a non-habit forming nasal spray that opens things up pretty well. There is no drowsiness from Astelin. If your nose is stuffed up for months or years at a time an excellent option is one of the steroid (cortisone) nasal sprays such as Nasarel, Rhinocrt, Nasonex, or Flonase. They stabilize the nasal membranes to prevent histamine release. These

medicines are used once or twice a day, everyday, during your own personal allergy season.

Itchy eyes can be treated with Patanol eye drops. It is not a steroid, but it also works by stabilizing the membranes that cover the eye.

If symptoms are severe – puffy, watery eyes, itch, itch, itch, have to sleep with your mouth open, hating life – then it’s time to consider Kenalog. Kenalog is a long acting steroid that is given as a painless (really) shot. It knocks down the allergic symptoms for six to eight weeks. It does not cause big muscles or unwanted hair. It can help someone get through the worst of their personal allergy season.

Allergy testing is spendy and allergy shots require a commitment to weekly injections for years and years. They do help most people who chose that route.

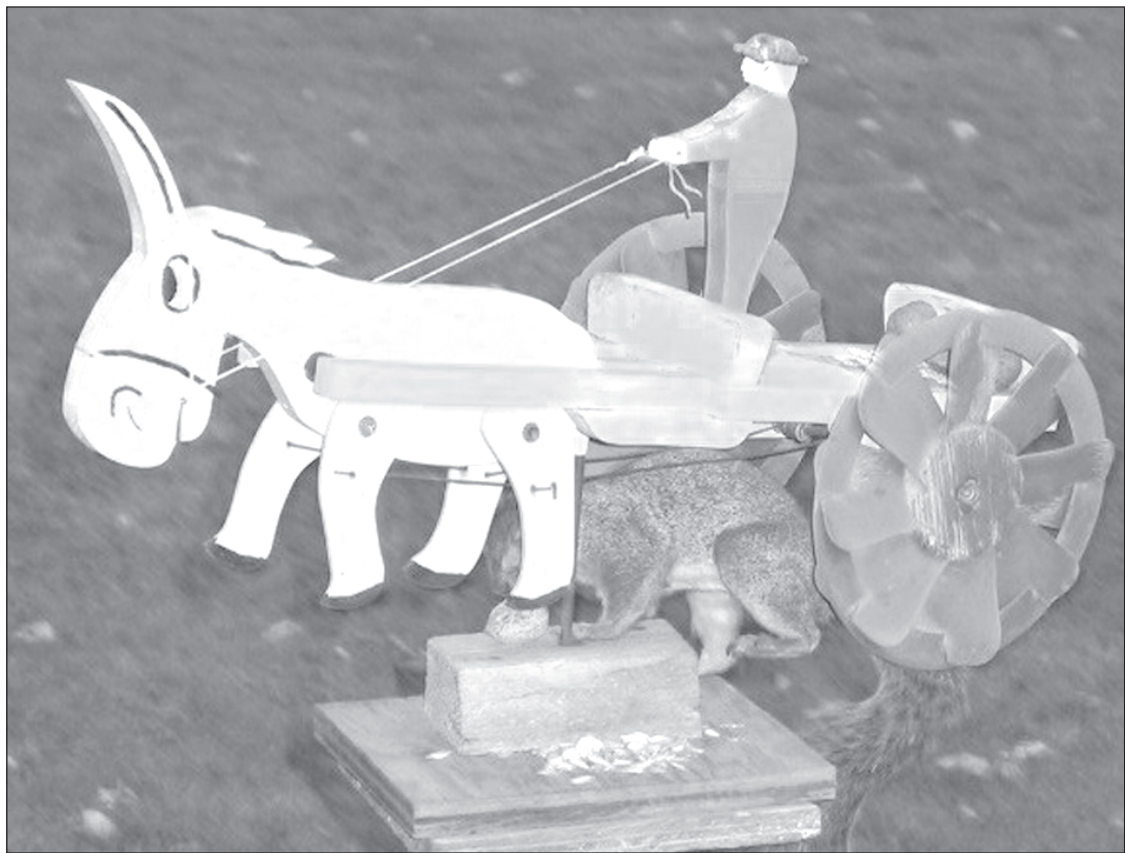
Allergies suck, but we can deal with them.

## Weather

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Mar. 20	65	25	
Mar. 21	65	36	
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Mar. 23	no	read	
Mar. 24	68	23	

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Spring feast

A squirrel feasts on a nut in the spring sun last week. Temperatures will remain in the upper 50s with partly cloudy skies and a slight chance of rain for the weekend.

Marsing mayor attends IRWA workshop

Marsing Mayor Faye Pfrimmer and members of the city team attended the Idaho Rural Water Association workshops held at the Center of the Grove in Boise on March 17-19th. The seminars are held annually to train water and waste water operators on proper and up to date handling of the drinking water and waste water problems that face our smaller cities today. National IRWA Director Ray Hyde stated, “we are really excited to see a city mayor attended our conferences. It is extremely important that city officials like Mayor Pfrimmer acquire understanding in water and waste water management because new federal regulations will require that all cities will have to measure up to new more stringent standards.” Mayor Pfrimmer said, “water and waste water treatment are the biggest of our cities annual expenses. I need to know how to manage them within our budget. The EPA is denying discharge permits for Marsing and all the smaller cities near us, that discharge into the Snake River. I am in the process of learning what lies ahead of us as important water decisions may have to be made.”

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# School menu

## March 27-April 2, 2003

### Marsing

Thursday Mar. 27-28: No school.  
Monday Mar. 31: All American hamburger, fruit variety, baked potato wedges, chocolate pudding, variety milk, soup and sandwich, fresh salad bar 4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, fresh baked roll.  
Tuesday Apr. 1: Hot ham and cheese yum, fruit variety, fresh vegetable sticks, variety milk, all American hamburger, fresh salad bar 4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, fresh baked roll.  
Wednesday Apr. 2: Taco w/ fixing, fruit variety, refried beans, variety milk, Caesar chicken wrap, fresh salad bar 4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, fresh baked roll.

### Homedale Elementary

Thursday Mar. 27-28: No school.  
Monday Mar. 31: Peanut b/ jelly sand. or bbq beef strips, macaroni, green beans, applesauce, animal cookie, choice of milk.  
Tuesday Apr. 1: Sloppy Jo or hot dog, fries/tots, grapes, Chinese chews, choice of milk.  
Wednesday Apr. 2: Early dismissal. Pizza or popcorn chicken, tossed salad, pineapple, cookie, choice of milk.

### Homedale Middle

Thursday Mar. 27-28: No school.  
Monday Mar. 31: Nachos, fresh vegetables, fruit, cookie, or baked potato/salad bar, choice of milk.  
Tuesday Apr. 1: Chicken or beef nuggets, fruit, cinn. bread stick, choice of milk.  
Wednesday Apr. 2: Early dismissal. Pizza 7-8, Fr. bread pizza 5-6, tossed salad, fruit, cookie, choice of milk.

### Homedale High

Thursday Mar. 27-28: No school.  
Monday Mar. 31: Pizza or fajita, salad, fruit, dessert, choice of milk.  
Tuesday Apr. 1: Fried chicken, weiner wrap, scalloped potatoes, fruit, choice of milk.  
Wednesday Apr. 2: Early dismissal. Idaho haytack or burrito, salad, fruit, cinnamon roll, choice of milk.

### Bruneau

Thursday Mar. 27-28: No school.  
Tuesday Apr. 1: Spaghetti, tossed salad, fruit, garlic bread, milk.  
Wednesday Apr. 2: Stroganoff noodles, tossed salad, fruit, roll/ butter, milk.

# United Dairymen kick off March Madness

With March Madness approaching, the United Dairymen of Idaho want party-goers to “think cheese.”

Independent surveys show that Americans love their cheese, it’s the food they crave most.

So, the American Dairy Association has developed and tested two crowd-pleasing recipes that are new twists to traditional sports fare. Warm up with “Big Bowl Cheese Dip” a combo of melted Cheddar, spicy Pepper Jack, taco seasoning and chipotle peppers. Or, comfort winning, and losing, fans with “Cheesy Pull-Apart Sticks” breadsticks topped with melted shreds of Provolone, Gouda and Mozzarella.

With March Madness approaching, it’s time to start planning for game day get-togethers. Warm, melted cheese recipes -from dips to quesadillas- are a sure way to score points with guests tag sports parties.

In fact, the United Dairymen of Idaho say more than 363 million pounds of cheese were sold in 2002 in the weeks between Super Bowl and March Madness and 54.5 million pounds were sold during Super Bowl week alone.

Nearly seven in 10 Americans, 65 percent, say melted cheese makes them feel satisfied based on a survey of 1,100 people on supermarketguru.com, November 2002. More than eight in 10 Americans, 85 percent, use cheese always or often when entertaining. Americans say pizza, 26 percent, and cheese dip, 47 percent, are their favorite melted cheese recipes in general and for entertaining.

From the Fancy Food and

Culinary Products, October 2002, Super Bowl Sunday is ranked as the number two food consumption event of the year; second only to Thanksgiving, according to the American Institute of Food Distribution.

Tips from chefs and restaurants:

Get the scoop on cheesy party fare from seasoned chefs. They know that cheese scores for March Madness.

- Pair a Merlot, instead of beer, with classic cheese pizza. Make a simple homemade pizza pie, with a savory combination of Mozzarella, Fontina, Parmesan and Asiago.

Master Sommelier Larry Stone, Rubicon, San Francisco.

- Serve grilled chicken and smoked Gouda quesadillas cut into four sections for an easy finger food.

Chef Anthony Lamas, Jicama, Louisville

- Sprinkle tangy Blue cheese and walnuts and drizzle honey on slices of French bread. Toast until cheese is warm and melted.

Chef Kerry Heffernan, 11 Madison Park, New York.

- Add shredded Romano to classic hot spinach dip. Scoop up with sourdough bread.

Chef Kent Rathun, Abacus, Dallas.

- Impress guests-top a round of American-made Camembert with walnuts and apple slices and bake until gooey and soft. Serve with fresh bread.

Chef Marlin Kaplin, One Walnut, Cleveland.

- Top slices of crusty French bread with shredded Provolone and broil until the cheese is bubbly and golden. Serve with marinara sauce.

*Chef David Shea, formerly of Spruce and Twelve 12, Chicago.*

# Senior news

## Homedale Senior Center

Mar. 27: Spaghetti, veggies, coleslaw, garlic bread, fruit.  
Mar. 28: Breakfast 7-10. Bacon, eggs, hashbrowns, pancakes, toast, juice.

## Marsing Senior Center

Mar. 27: Ham loaf, rice, sweet potatoes, cauliflower, with cheese sauce, soup of the day, fruit salad, dessert, beverage.  
Mar. 31: Lasagna, spinach salad, garlic bread, soup of the day, beverage.

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## Big Bowl Cheese Dip

Makes: 20 servings  
Prep time: 10 minutes  
Cook time: 5-8 minutes

Ingredients:

1/2 cup diced onion  
1 cup regular or non alcoholic beer  
8 ounces (2 cups) shredded Cheddar cheese  
8 ounces (2 cups) shredded Pepper Jack cheese  
2 tablespoons all-purpose flour  
1 1/2 tablespoons taco seasoning  
1-2 tablespoons chopped chipotle pepper in adobo sauce  
1 cup sour cream

Tortilla chips or roasted potato wedges, for dipping.

Place onion and beer in a heavy medium-size saucepan. Heat to boiling. Reduce heat and simmer three to four minutes.

In a large bowl combine cheeses, flour and taco seasoning. Slowly add handfuls to hot beer until melted. Repeat until all of the cheese is used. Stir in chipotle pepper and sour cream.

## Cheesy Pull-Apart Party Sticks

Makes: 12 breadsticks  
Prep time: 5 minutes  
Bake time: 13 minutes

Ingredients:

1 11-ounce can refrigerated soft bread sticks  
1 1/2 cups shredded cheese such as Mozzarella, Provolone and smoked Gourda  
1/2 teaspoon dried basil or oregano  
2 cups warmed ready-prepared marinara sauce

Heat oven to 375 degrees. Remove breadsticks from can and arrange in a single layer lengthwise on a baking sheet lined with parchment paper. Do not separate breadsticks. You should have a rectangle about 13 inches long and six inches wide.

Sprinkle cheese down center of dough leaving a border of about 1/2-inch. Bake for 10 to 11 minutes or until cheese is lightly browned. Remove from oven and transfer to a board or platter. Let cool three to four minutes.

To serve, pull apart breadsticks. Serve with warm marinara sauce.

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or large baked-on debris as possible. Then wipe the inside of the oven down with a wet sponge. Sprinkle with baking soda and scour with very fine steel wool. Rinse the inside of the oven with a damp sponge until squeaky clean.

Remember that these from-the-pantry cleaning products aren't as potent as their commercial counterparts, so they may require more time or more muscle power or both.

Dear Betty,

What's the best way to remove baked-on nonstick cooking spray? Vinita, Okla.

As you've discovered, that's a toughie! Try scrubbing the baked-on residue with a gentle cleanser. Or make a thick paste of baking soda and water, apply it to the baked-on stuff, let sit for several hours, then scrub gently. For aluminum pans, try a household degreaser. Prevention is the best solution, so be sure to wash pans thoroughly after baking.

Betty Crocker

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# Cleaning products from the pantry

Dear Betty,

I'd like to cut back on using harsh cleaning products, and I've heard that you can use ingredients from the kitchen for cleaning. What are some of them?

Beatrice, Neb.

You don't have to look any farther than your kitchen cupboard for two versatile, yet gentle, cleaning products: baking soda and vinegar. These are just a few of their uses around the house:

Vinegar. To loosen lime deposits, soak a cloth with white vinegar, and wrap it around faucets. Or fill a teakettle with water and one-half cup vinegar and let soak overnight; To clean aluminum pots, fill with water and add one-half cup white vinegar per quart of water. Bring the solution to a boil; let simmer 10 minutes; To clean stainless steel sinks and cook tops, add a few drops white vinegar to warm, sudsy water. If needed, use a nylon-backed sponge or scrubber to remove stains; To remove winter salt stains from shoes and boots, dampen a cloth with white vinegar and wipe.

Baking soda. To remove crayon from painted walls, coffee and tea stains from cups, burned-on food from casseroles or metal stains from enamel sinks, add a few drops of water to baking soda to make a paste and gently scrub; To make a mild all-purpose cleaner, mix four tablespoons baking soda with one quart warm water. After wiping down surfaces, rinse with clear water; To keep drains running clear, pour one-half to one cup baking soda down the drain. Slowly drip warm water into it; To clean non-self-cleaning ovens, remove as much loose

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# Trojans place second at Weiser Invitational

The Homedale Trojans boys' and girls' golf teams finished with a second place win behind host Weiser Thursday at the Weiser Invitational at Rolling Hills Golf Course in Weiser.

The Wolverine girls, the defending 3A state champions, took a six-stroke win over Homedale. Weiser finished with a 194 to the Trojans' 200. Ontario finished with a 230 to take third place.

Weiser's Amy Sutton led the field with a 45, finishing with medalist honors. Sutton held off Ontario's Anna Jaramillo and the Trojans' Caitlin Parker, who each finished with a 46 to tie for second.

The Wolverine boys beat second-place Parma by 24-strokes, 162-188. McCall-Donnelly finished third with a 193.

Brandon Masingill led Weiser individual medalists, finishing with a 38. Parma's Craig Cole was second with a 39 and Masingill's teammate Eric Sutton was third with a 40.†

# Huskies lose to Pirates, defeat Raiders

The Marsing Huskies opened its season with a 26-12 loss from the Payette Pirates but ended the week with a 19-4 victory over the Rimrock Raiders.

Amber Vestal went 2-for-3 with two triples against the Pirates in Payette as teammate Angela Martinez went 3-for-4 and sister Tiffany went 2-for-4.

Vestal went five innings and Brooke Millett went two with Millett getting the loss.

On Friday, Adrea Thomas started for the Raiders and took the loss pitching all five innings and walking 12 batters. For the Huskies, Millett pitched five solid innings for the win.

Nichole Lindemann, Shannon Ineck and Pam Haines slammed double bases and Millett and Haines scored two RBI each.

"They played well and hit the ball hard," Marsing Coach Jay McNeil said. "I hope the success carries on into the season."

Marsing will host New Plymouth after the school's spring break.



## Age vs. youth

Kevin Cornwall blocks senior basketball player Cody "The Ragin' Caucasian Rebel" Garrett from the basket during last week's Senior vs. Faculty basketball game. The game pits age against youth as the senior class gives faculty members a workout. Proceeds from the event are used for the senior class party.



Driskell battle for the honors of the "best of the best" during last week's Senior vs. Faculty basketball game held at Homedale High School Wednesday night. Coordinators said the event was a huge success and thanked everyone who participated in the annual event.

# New Plymouth swings past Trojans 7-4

## Homedale beats McCall/Donnelly 7-2

The New Plymouth Pilgrims used a three-run first inning and a four-run fifth inning to hand Homedale its first conference loss 7-4 in Western Idaho Conference baseball Tuesday in Homedale. But on Thursday, the Trojans stopped McCall/Donnelly with a 7-2 victory.

The Trojans (2-0, 0-1) scored twice in the bottom of the seventh to attempt a come back, but fell short.

The Pilgrims (3-2, 1-0) scored three runs in the first inning off just one hit.

New Plymouth's Adam Shockley earned the win. Drew Johnson went 4-for-4 for the Pilgrims and Cole Dennett had two RBIs.

The Pilgrims stranded 11 Trojan runners in scoring position. Cole Cooper threw five strikeouts and five walks in four and one-third innings in his first game of the season for Homedale.

Homedale pitcher Matt Nauman scattered five hits while striking out 13 Vandals for Homedale's first conference win.

B.J. Robinson slammed a key double and took home two RBI to lead Homedale in the victory. Centerfield Zach Young made a key defensive play as he threw out a McCall runner at home plate to end a fifth inning rally.

# Pirates stop Huskies in season opener

Ryan Hodgson drilled a bases-clearing double highlighting a seven-run fourth inning, leading the Payette Pirates to a convincing 15-1 win over Marsing in non-conference baseball at Harmon Killebrew Field in Payette.

The win was the first of the season for Payette and improved its record to 1-2 on the season. It was Marsing's first game of the season.

Marsing finished with four errors, helping send the Huskies' starting pitcher Skipper Scott to the loss. Scott pitched a complete game and allowed all 12 hits and 15 runs. Husky Nick Usabel scored Marsing's only run.

Hodgson's blast helped make a winner of Payette starting pitcher Shaun Taylor.

Taylor threw three innings and allowed one run and one hit, while walking four and striking out five Huskies.

Taylor helped his cause with a 2-for-3 showing at the plate. Devon Wadley and Pete Guiteriez also finished 2-for-3, pacing a 12-hit attack for Payette.

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### BLM exchanges land in Birds of Prey area

A 151-acre tract of private land within the Snake River Birds of Prey Natural Area was recently acquired by BLM through a land exchange, Dean Bibles, District Manager for the Boise District of BLM, said today.

The transaction involved a trade of 665 acres of BLM-managed federal land for the Snake River property located approximately six miles downstream from Swan Falls.

The private land belonged to the Rex Jensen family of Melba who has acquired three separate tracts of federal lands south of Nampa and Caldwell near Melba in the trade.

Bibles explained that the land exchange was based upon an appraisal which determined fair market value. A difference in value per acre and a cash payment by Jensen accounts for the acreage difference in this exchange.

Bob Rheiner, Bruneau Area Manager for BLM District, says that there are 31,000 acres within the Birds of Prey Natural Area, 26,000 of which are Federally owned. The remaining 5,000 acres are private holdings. Rheiner says the bureau is interested in acquiring as much of this land as is necessary to protect the integrity of the natural area. The Nature conservancy has initiated a fund raising program to assist the BLM by acquiring some of these private lands in the natural area. To date they have options to purchase 500 acres, Rheiner said.

### Citizens may see three proposals put up for vote

Homedale. Citizens of this area may be facing three separate levies this year, if plans are formulated as expected.

The Homedale Chamber of Commerce is drafting necessary papers for a recreation district. This plan is several years old, and supporters appear optimistic about its chances. Such a district would finance both summer and winter recreation programs for all ages of residents. The Chamber has emphasized that the swimming pool repairs would be paid for before such a district would be formed.

The City Council is facing a bond election for the water services, to the tune of \$700,000 by about August, Mayor George Murray said Monday. The project would be to replace old water mains, added storage capacity, and an additional well.

The Homedale Library Board has been contemplating the formation of a library district for more than a year. The date for such an election has not been set, but the plans seem to be formulating quite well, it has been reported.

Whether any one of these three will affect the outcome of the other two has drawn varied opinions. If each proposal stands on its own merit, it appears at this time that the chances are good. But if one effects the others, it could be a disaster for all three.

### HHS students to enter music tournament

Homedale. Five Homedale high school students will be attending the fourteenth Biennial All-State Music Clinic March 30 through April 1, at the College of Southern Idaho in Twin Falls. Those students chosen by virtue of audition are: Mary Bautista, clarinet; Randee Metzer, clarinet; Nancy Breshears, alto; Lynnette Ethington, alto; and Dan Munson, baritone. Also chosen was Janet Cegnar, soprano, who is unable to attend due to prior commitments.

## 50 years ago

March 26, 1953

### Homedale school teachers receive contract bids

The Homedale school board this week announced that contracts have been approved for many of the present teachers in the local school system, and that the contracts have been offered to these teachers.

Contracts have been extended to Adrienne McConnaughyey, 1<sup>st</sup> grade; Grace Sponsler, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade; Opal Jungert, 3<sup>rd</sup> grade; Olga Claybaugh, 3<sup>rd</sup>; Elise Brown, 4<sup>th</sup>; Lorena Comer, 4<sup>th</sup>; Ida Smidt, 5<sup>th</sup>; Bessie Cox, 5<sup>th</sup>; Edwina Regan, 6<sup>th</sup>; Weldon Little, 7<sup>th</sup> and grade school principal; John McConaughy, 8<sup>th</sup>; Irene Rencher, music; Ronald Finn, 8<sup>th</sup>.

High school teachers who were offered new contracts were Ward Tucker, principal; Jim Bostwick, physical education and social science's; Leatha Provost, commercial; Ella Andrew, home economics; John Wester, agriculture; and Charles Zollinger, school superintendent.

Bernice Crockett, at present teaching in the Parma school system, has been hired to teach Spanish and English in the local high school.

Seven openings are yet to be filled. These include teachers in the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grades; a music instructor, coach and an extra teacher for fill-in work.

### Miss Homedale contest planned

A committee of B.P.W. and the Chamber of Commerce members in charge of the "Miss Homedale" contest met Monday night to make plans for this year's pageant. As there are so few girls from Homedale interested in entering, letters were sent to the principals of the Marsing, Adrian, Wilder and Jordan Valley schools asking if there are any girls who would like to enter the "Miss Homedale" contest. If so, they are to answer by April 2, when the committee will hold their next meeting.

### Station KFXD sets plans for TV in area by early fall

Nampa, Idaho (AP), Radio Station KFXD will begin construction of a television transmitter at Deer Point north of Boise as soon as the snow melts and Manager Sd Hurst said he hopes to begin TV broadcasts by late summer or early fall.

The Federal Communications Commission recently approved the station's application for a TV channel.

Hurst said the station's 50-foot tower will give coverage as far as Twin Falls and Weiser.

Two other Boise Valley radio stations, KIDO and KGEM, also have received a TV permit and station KDSH has an application pending before the FCC.

### Special sewer bond issue defeated at election Monday

A proposal to bond the City of Homedale for \$50,000 to construct additional sewer facilities was defeated at a special bond election Monday, 118 to 64.

The proposal, which would add approximately 50 new connections to the municipal sewer system at a cost of around \$1000 per connection, was presented to the voters following many months of planning and discussion on the sewer needs of the city. Long one of the major problems confronting the city council, the issue was placed before the voters as a general obligation bond project. The vote Monday killed the issue and there is no further action contemplated by the city council at this time.

The vote by wards: Ward 1, 75 against, 30 for bonding. Ward 2, 43 against, 34 for. Total vote showed 118 against the proposal and 64 in favor of it.

## 134 years ago

March 28, 1868

THE WAR ON THE MOUNTAINS. Last week we stated that the Ida Elmore and Golden Chariot Companies were strongly fortified and closely watching each other, which state of things continued till about noon on Wednesday last, when it appears that the Golden Chariot party underground stormed the works of their opponents, forced them back to the main boasting shaft of the Ida Elmore and within ten feet of which they bastily made a breastwork of gunny sacks filled with sand, which commands the shaft so that no one can go down or up, but still leaving as a means of ingress and egress to the Ida Elmore party the New York shaft, four or five hundred feet further north. Desperate fighting ensued during the charge, at the time of which or immediately after, John C. Holgate, an owner on the Golden Chariot, and one of the foremost in the advance, was shot in the head, and must have died almost instantaneously. One of the Ida Elmore fighting men was taken prisoner and disarmed. Two more were penned up in a slope and refused to give up their arms, but we understand they were allowed to come out before dark. Shooting was kept up at interval, during the night and the next morning a man named Meyer Frank, who was fighting or the Ida Elmore side, was brought down to town mortally wounded, a bullet form the Spencer or Henry rifle having passed through his intestines, producing a fearful wound. The unfortunate man died about two o'clock in the afternoon. A short time after noon on the same day another Ida Elmore man, named Jas Howard was brought down with his right arm broken, a large bullet did the work. The bone is horribly splintered and smashed up between the elbow and shoulder. It is thought that it will have to be amputated and fears are entertained that it will prove fatal. Some others have received slight wounds but up to the time of going to press nothing serious had occurred. The Golden Chariot party will hold the ground which they seized on Wednesday, consequently the Ida Elmore party have been compelled to suspend work, although we are told that the former are taking out more ore than ever. As yet there has been no fighting outside the mine, but it is feared that peace will not long be kept, as both parties have secured commanding positions and fortified them within gun-hot of the two mines, and as there are at least fifty men armed to the teeth, on each side we are prepared at any time to hear a bloody battle.

BULLION SHIPMENT. Wells, Fargo and Co's shipment of bullion from this place for the month of March, up to date, amounts to \$147,000, coin value.

MILLER'S HOTEL. On the Oro Fino Mountain, is a number of place for hungry fellow to stop at about meal time. We partook of an excellent dinner there the other day. He has a comfortable sitting room nicely fitted up for the accommodation of visitors. Anything in the way of exhilarating beverages can be obtained at Charley Ingram's saloon across the street, opposite the hotel.

INDIANS AT CAMP MCDERMIT. Information has been received that six Indians, one of the pet prisoners kept at Camp McDermitt all winter were allowed to depart one night last week, and in order to manifest their appreciation of the good treatment they had received they took away with them about forty head of stock among which were several head of oxen belonging to Geo. Hymer of Jordan Valley, who was on his way to the end of the railroad to bring freight to this place.

During the winter probably more than a hundred able-bodied warriors got hungry, came in and gave themselves up at Camp McDermitt and on the Humboldt. Wonder if they will not be furnished good homes apiece and sent out in the mountains to pillage settlers and travelers?



# Commentary

## Letters to the editor

### Chairman searches for replacement

My position on the school board is up for election on May 20<sup>th</sup>. I will not run for the seat and I won't fill it if no one runs. Someone must step up. If you live south of the crik (ya ya I know creek, but I remember Succor Crik Sam) and south of town and the river up to the Marsing School District you probably qualify.

If you want to be involved in your children's education the time is now. Priorities have and are being set locally and mandated by State and Federal governments. You will also pay the bills, set policy and receive an education in the budget process and lessons in human behavior.

I want to thank everyone who works for the school; you do a fine job. I'm proud of you and what you have accomplished with our reading goals and the additional pressures of state mandates. It has been a pleasure working with you.

John Demshar,  
Homedale School District Chairman  
Southside, Homedale

### Contributions sought

I would like to make our community and all the surrounding areas aware of a need that exists at Owyhee Health and Rehab Center. At the present time there is no shampoo sink or salon chair available for the residents of the center. They must be taken to the bathing room in a wheel chair and bent over the tub to shampoo or do the procedures necessary to process a perm. This is not only stressful but confusing to them. I have established an account at the Center in the memory of my mother Alta Mears to obtain these fixtures. It would give a much more relaxed atmosphere for these lovely ladies and gentlemen at the center and also make it so much easier for the hair dressers and barbers who make their services available. Many of us have lost a loved one in the past, have a friend or family member as a resident in the present of will have in the future; so I am asking you to please contribute to this worthy cause whether it be in memory of my mother or your dear loved ones. You may send your contributions to Owyhee Health and Rehab Center, P.O. Box A, Homedale, Id. 83628

Louise Murray  
Homedale

## On the edge of common sense

Baxter Black, DVM

### Time to go to work

Have you ever heard a farmer say, "My gosh, I'm gonna be late for work!" Not hardly. There is a different cadence to a farmer's life. They literally march to a different drummer. It is one of the great distinctions between urban and country. It is 'Eight to Five' vs. 'Dawn to Dusk'.

Town jobs, out of a necessary sense of order, revolve around a man made†schedule. Humans have surrounded themselves with an artificial environment that will accommodate this slavery to the minute hand. "Punch the clock," "40-hour week," "8 to 5," "Time and a half," "Get there on time," and "Hourly wage," are alien concepts on the farm.

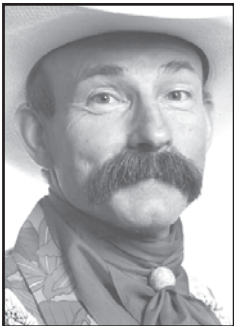
Cows are up at the crack of dawn. Horses in a pasture are grazing as soon as it's light enough to see. Granted, dogs might oversleep and cats always do, but they've had to adjust their breakfast time to our schedule and their own nocturnal activities. And farmers, like their animals, left to their own devices, set their body clock on daylight and dark.

On the job in town we eat when it's noon, not when we're hungry. We quit at five, not when we're tired. We don't traipse around the neighborhood begging for candy anytime we feel like it, we wait for October 31st. And when the evening whistle blows we shut down the computer, turn out the lights and go home...very convenient.

But when nature is added to the equation, i.e., animals, weather, crops, disease, pestilence, seasons and chaos, the clock goes out the window. Ask anybody who farms and has a day job. Between waking at 6 a.m., performing your morning ablutions, going out to feed and check the†stock, then leaving by 7:30, anything can happen, i.e....

A fence is down and your cows are grazing in the bar ditch. A gate is left open and your horse is in the grain barrel. There are two dead sheep in the lot surrounded by coyote tracks. A cow is calving, somebody left the stock water running all night, your dog was hit by a car and has a broken leg or your hay feeding truck has a flat tire, and you don't have time for this, you'll be late for work!

In conclusion, if there is any blessing in living life on nature's dawn to dusk schedule vs. the 8 to 5 town schedule, it's that farmers never have to worry about overtime.



## Farm Bureau

### Labeling legislation facing tough criticism

Legislation requiring fresh fruits, vegetables and meats to be labeled in accordance with country of origin was one of the most divisive and heavily debated portions of the 2002 Farm Bill. Country of Origin labeling, or COOL as it has come to be known, survived the initial test but the battle seems to have only just begun. Now that it has entered the implementation and rule writing stage there are many special interest groups looking for ways to put COOL on ice.

Many of its critics are heavy hitters to say the least. Among them are Secretary of Agriculture Ann Veneman along with the Bush Administration, the big four meat packers, the National Cattlemen's Beef Association the National Pork Producers Council and several others. Although COOL is now law, many of those critics have continued with attempts to mislead and poison the process.

The transition to mandatory labeling of fruits, vegetables and meat will not be an easy process. But Farm Bureau continues to support it because we believe American consumers deserve it and that American producers will benefit from it. We know it will be a difficult, but not impossible process. In the words of Theodore Roosevelt: "Far better it is to dare mighty things even though checkered by failure, than to take rank with those who neither enjoy much or suffer much because they live in the gray twilight that knows not victory nor defeat."

There is an abundance of rumor and innuendo floating around on this topic. Some meat packers have mailed letters warning producers that new

costs will be passed down. But since we have just entered the rule writing stages, we believe it's still a little early to make those claims. There is confusion surrounding how livestock will be identified, and how producers can verify where animals are born and raised.

Producers should be patient, be involved and keep the faith. We have not seen any factual arguments that would warrant throwing COOL out with the bath water.

Based on what we do know producers should keep in touch with all developments in the rule making process and start taking steps toward improving record keeping of livestock. Farm Bureau is pushing for producer certification of origin, meaning when a producer ships animals he signs to verify origin. Domestic and imported cattle also receive health certificates at inspection, which provides another option for identification. Some experts also believe a nationwide mandatory livestock identification system will eventually be required by the Office of Homeland Security.

Livestock born this spring will be the first to go to market under these new mandatory rules. This is a big opportunity for U.S. producers and we believe it will increase demand for food produced in the U.S. Another big benefit for producers is this legislation will put your checkoff dollars to work promoting American, rather than generic, meat, fruits and vegetables.

Consumers will now have the right to choose whether they want to support American farmers by purchasing American meats, fruits and vegetables. It will also give them peace of mind knowing the food they buy was produced in the United States under the most rigorous environmental and public health regulations. From a consumer standpoint, country of origin labeling is long overdue.



# Commentary

## Accuracy in media

### Expose the anti-war movement

A left-wing commentator named Bill Berkowitz warns that the anti-war movement is going to be labeled as “unpatriotic and anti-American” now that the war has begun. He says, “Some may equate dissent with treason. Expect long-winded, one-sided debates on the Fox News Channel, MSNBC and CNN focusing on the nature of treason.” Over the past few months, he says, as the U.S. has prepared for war, “pro-war columnists and radio and television gas bags began a campaign to demonize protesters, labeling them anti-American, Communists, or apologists for Hussein.”

I’ve got news for Berkowitz. Some of the protesters, including key organizers of the January 18 and March 15 demonstrations in Washington, D.C., are anti-American and communist and apologists for Hussein.

I know because I saw and photographed them. I covered both rallies. Photos from the latest rally are on the Accuracy in Media web site at [www.aim.org](http://www.aim.org) The communist Workers World Party (WWP) ran this event through the International ANSWER (Act Now to Stop War and End Racism) front group. But the WWP is clever. While ANSWER had its own literature tables at the rally, the WWP had a separate space with posters, books and pamphlets. One pamphlet described the 1992 Los Angeles riots as a legitimate “rebellion.” Having two different spaces for ANSWER and the WWP makes it seem as though they are two different groups. It’s simple but effective deception.

I didn’t see any banners calling for Saddam Hussein to disarm. Not one. But a booth at the March 15 rally promoted “Revolution Books” in front of a big red flag and sold T-shirts labeling President Bush an international terrorist. Another poster described Jimmy Carter as “tan, relaxed and ready” to run for president next year. Flags of France and the United Nations outnumbered those of the U.S.

Perhaps my favorite slogan was “Defend Iraq and North Korea Against U.S. Imperialism and Capitalist Restoration.” Ironically, the WWP was denounced by other communists, such as those from the Spartacist League,

as a sell-out because it works with Democrats such as Al Sharpton and Rep. John Conyers, who wants to impeach Bush over the war. To my knowledge, Sharpton and Conyers haven’t been asked to explain their association with communists who sympathize with Baghdad, Havana and Pyongyang.

Honest leftists admit the WWP role. During a debate with me on a radio program, Ian Williams, who covers the United Nations for The Nation magazine, said that while the “mainstream” press had generally ignored the controversy over the WWP role in the protests, some left-wing journalists had covered it. It’s true that David Corn of The Nation is one of them who has done so. Williams noted that one of the New York protests had been organized apart from the WWP. This is the rally put together by a group called United for Peace, which recognized the WWP’s heavy baggage.

Michael Savage, host of a daily talk-radio show and a weekly television program on MSNBC, wonders whether it is time to arrest the leaders of the anti-war movement and charge them with sedition. This worries commentators such as Berkowitz.

Should they be jailed? Unless there’s evidence that they are agents of Iraq or planning terrorism, that isn’t necessary, proper, legal or constitutional. But it is important that the major media tell the truth about the nature of these demonstrations. And since the U.S. is at war and Congress has overwhelmingly endorsed war on Iraq, the question of sedition and treason is certainly debatable. Soldiers on the war front have told their families that the well-publicized protests staged by the anti-war movement have been demoralizing to them.

There used to be a time when the executive branch or Congress investigated “subversive” or “un-American” activities. But that went out of fashion. However, despite the use of front groups, it is relatively easy for journalists to do the research necessary to discover the truth about the activities of communist groups on American soil.

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# Public notices

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE \*WM319450233000000\* Trustee’s Sale No. 02- WM-31945

Notice is hereby given that, Fidelity National Title Insurance, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on July 3, 2003, at the hour of 11:00 AM, of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located at the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, Murphy, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the “Property”), situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, to-wit: EXHIBIT ‘A’ This parcel is a portion of the NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 8, Township 2 North, Range 5 West, B.M., Owyhee County, Idaho, and is more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of said NE 1/4 SE 1/4; thence North 0° 10’ 13” East along the east boundary of said NE 1/4 SE 1/4 a distance of 550.61 feet to the True Point of Beginning; thence North 89° 49’ 47” West at right angles a distance of 242.70 feet; thence North 24° 53’ 24” East 62.28 feet; thence North 65° 06’ 36” West a distance of 8.00 feet; thence North 24° 53’ 24” East a distance of 20.00 feet; thence South 65° 06’ 36” East a distance of 8.00 feet; thence North 24° 53’ 24” East a distance of 175.00 feet; thence North 86° 55’ 34” East a distance of 135.33 feet to a point on said east boundary; thence South 0° 10’ 13” West along said east boundary a distance of 241.36 feet to the True Point of Beginning. Subject to a right of way for public road along the east boundary. Together with that certain 1976, 14 X 70 Manufactured Home, Manufacturer, Governor, Serial Number S19483 The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of Johnston Rd a/k/a P.O. Box 313 Johnston Road, Homedale, ID 83628, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Dale E. Nelson and Joann Nelson, husband and wife, as Grantor, to Pioneer Title Company, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Washington Mutual Bank FSB, as Beneficiary, dated 9/9/1998, recorded 9/14/1998, under Instrument No. 226036, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Washington Mutual Bank, FA formerly known as Washington Mutual Bank FSB. The above Grantors are named to comply with Section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code. No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 9/9/1998, the monthly payment which became due on 8/1/2002 and all subsequent monthly payments, plus late charges and other costs and fees as set forth. Amount due as of February 28, 2003 Delinquent Payments from August 01, 2002 7 payments at \$437.12 each \$3,059.84 (08-01-02 through 02-28-03) Late Charges: \$153.02 Beneficiary Advances: \$65.00 Total: \$3,277.86 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$42,901.42, together with interest thereon at 9.875% per annum from 7/1/2002, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: February 20, 2003

Fidelity National Title

Insurance, Trustee By A Fragassi, AVP c/o Regional Trustee Services Corporation, 720 Seventh Avenue, Suite 100, Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: <http://www.rtrustee.com> ASAP525745

3/12,19,26-4/2/03

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE Loan No. 31602220 T.S. No. 1047990-09 Parcel No.

On June 19, 2003, at the hour of 11:00am, of said day, at On the steps of the Owyhee county courthouse located at the, Corner Of Highway 78 and Hailey St., Murphy, Idaho, Fidelity National Title Ins Company, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier’s check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, 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: The part of the Northeast quarter Northwest quarter of section 9, township 3 North, range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, described as follows: Beginning at the quarter corner common to section 4 and 9, township 3 North, range 5 West, Boise Meridian; thence West 200 feet; thence South 264 feet to the Real Point of Beginning; thence continuing South 171 feet; thence East 200 feet; thence North 171 feet; thence West 200 feet to the Real Point of Beginning. Commonly known as 17 S 4th Street West Homedale Id 83628. 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 the Deed of Trust executed by Charles P. Belveal and Terry A. Belveal, Husband And Wife As Joint Tenants as Grantor, to Alliance Title and Escrow, Inc., as trustee, for the benefit and security of Ameriquest Mortgage Company as beneficiary, recorded April 27, 1998, as Instrument No. 224673, 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: Failure to pay the monthly payment due June 1, 2002 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$105,393.49, including interest, cost and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee’s fees and/or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Fidelity National Title Ins Company P.O. Box 22010 El Cajon Ca 92022-9004 (888) 445-3162 Dated: February 13, 2003 Signature By: Fidelity National Title Insurance Company Gerri Sheppard. R-93339

3/12,19,26-4/2/03

## OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES MARCH 10, 2003 OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, MURPHY

Present were Commissioner Harold Tolmie, Commissioner Dick Reynolds, Commissioner Chris Salove, Clerk Charlotte Sherburn, and Fred Grant.

The Board met with Fred Grant to go over the Appeal from Mike & Dixie Armstrong to the Planning and Zoning Commission. After discussion a motion was made by Chris Salove to remand the Armstrong Appeal back to Planning and Zoning. Dick Reynolds seconded the motion.

Chris Salove made a motion to remand the Appeal of Larry Flynn back to Planning and Zoning. Dick Reynolds seconded the motion.

The Board approved a letter to be sent to Idaho Dept of Fish and Game regarding the Walters Ferry Sportsmen’s Access Site.

The Board approved a letter be sent to US Fish and Wildlife Service concerning the Owyhee County Sage Grouse Local Working Group.

Chris Collett met with the Board on Indigent and Charity Cases. The following action was taken by the Board: 03-01 Notice of hearing set for May 5, 2003, 03-03 Notice of hearing set for May 12, 2003, 03-04 Denied by the Board, County is not last resource. The Board moved to dismiss 02-38 Applicant and Hospital did not show up for the hearing. Hearing on 02-33 was conducted with Hearing Officer and St. Alphonsus and Applicant. The Board moved to take it under advisement.

Executive Session called by Board to discuss employee matter. A decision was made to place the employee at a Step 9 Grade D.

The Board moved to deny request by CCOA for funding of Homemaker Program.

The Board approved the Commissioners Minutes for March 3, 2003.

The meeting was adjourned. The complete minutes are available for inspection in the office of Clerk-Auditor-Recorder.

Harold Tolmie Chairman Board of County Commissioners  
Attest: Charlotte Sherburn Clerk  
3/26/03

## SUMMONS

To: RUSTY W. TAYLOR  
You have been sued by Risk Management Alternatives, Inc., the Plaintiff, in the District Court in and for Owyhee County, Idaho, Case No. CV-02-03591\*M  
The nature of the claim against you is collection of money owed by you.

Any time after 20 days following the last publication of this summons, the court may enter a judgement against you without further notice, **unless**

prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form, including the Case No., and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, Idaho, 83650, telephone (208) 495-2806, and served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff’s attorney at Howell and Vail, LLP, 380 South Fourth Street, Suite 104, Boise, Idaho, 83702, telephone (208) 336-3331.

A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for Plaintiff.

If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an

attorney to advise you in this matter.  
Dated: 2/26/03  
Owyhee County District Court  
Lena Johnson  
Deputy  
3/19,26-4/2,9/03

## RESCHEDULED NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On June 20, 2003, at the hour of 2:00 o’clock pm of said day, PM, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho, CHARLES C. JUST, ESQ. Attorney at Law, 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:

See attached Exhibit “A”  
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 the address of Rt. 1 Box 751 S. Bruneau Highway, Marsing, Idaho, is sometimes associated with the said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Josette Ann Aldrich, an unmarried woman, as Grantor(s) with First Security Bank, NA as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded February 16, 1999, as Instrument No. 227532, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Crestar Mortgage Corporation now doing business as Suntrust, recorded May 24, 1999, as Instrument No. 228655. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Aurora Loan Services recorded January 16, 2003, as Instrument No. 242222, in the records of said County.

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 the amount due under the certain Promissory Note and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$508.95 for the months of July 2002, through and including the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$63759.43 as principal, plus service charges, attorney’s fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 6.5 percent from June 1, 2002, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of sale.

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

Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2003.

Paula Peterson  
Trust Officer for  
Charles C. Just, Esq.  
381 Shoup Avenue, Ste. 211  
P.O. Box 50271  
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83405  
(208) 523-9106 FAX (208) 523-9146

Exhibit “A”  
A parcel of land being a portion of Government Lot 3 and Government Lot 4, Section 14, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at a Southwest corner of Government Lot 4, said Section 14; thence

South 89° 56’ 00” East 1,030.92 feet along the Southerly boundary of said Section 14 to a point on the Westerly meander line of the Snake River, also said line being the Easterly boundary of said Government Lot 4; thence leaving said Southerly boundary of Section 14

North 11° 09’ 39” East 1,315.33 feet along the said meander line and Easterly boundary of said Government Lot 4 to a point; thence leaving said meander line and Easterly boundary

North 89° 54’ 55” West 190.62 feet to a point on the centerline of a County Road (Bruneau Highway), also said point being the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence continuing

North 89° 54’ 55” West 311.38 feet to a point; thence

North 10° 04’ 30” East 304.62 feet, parallel with the centerline of said Bruneau Highway, to a point; thence

South 89° 54’ 56” East 311.38 feet to a point on the said centerline of the Bruneau Highway; thence along said centerline

South 10° 04’ 30” West 304.62 feet

to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING.

3/5,12,19,26/03

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
OREGON - IDAHO  
UTILITIES, INC.** wishes to inform their customers of a recent Federal Communications Commission (FCC) order that changed the way telephone companies can recover their federal universal service fund contributions. Because of this change, coupled with an increase in the FCC’s prescribed universal service contribution factor, you will see an increase in the Federal Universal Service Charge (FUSC) amount on your bill effective April 1, 2003. The new FUSC amount on your bill effective April 1, 2003. The new FUSC amount is calculated by multiplying the FCC’s universal service contribution factor times your interstate service charges. The federal universal service fund program is designed to help keep local telephone service rates affordable for all customers, in all areas of the United States.

Oregon-Idaho Utilities, Inc.’s local service area includes the exchanges of Jordan Valley (541/586), Ridgeview (541/339), Adrian (541/724) and South Mountain, Idaho (208/583). If you live in one of these areas and have questions, please call our Customer Service Representatives at 1-800-624-0082.

3/26/03

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a news tip?  
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# Public notices

NOTICE OF BIDS

Owyhee County will be accepting bids for a 2 station Enhanced 911 PSAP equipment. Specifications for equipment, installation and training, as well as general project requirements and guidelines may be obtained from Owyhee County Clerk Charlotte Sherburn, at the Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy, Idaho, during the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, or by mail PO Box 128, Murphy, Idaho 83650. There is no charge for the specifications. Sealed bids are due April 25, 2003 by 3:00 pm., and will be opened at the Board of County Commissioners meeting on April 28, 2003 at 10:00 a.m. The County reserves the right to reject all bids.

3/26-4/2/03

PUBLIC NOTICE  
BEFORE THE OWYHEE  
COUNTY PLANNING  
AND ZONING  
COMMISSION

Pursuant to an Order issued by the Board of Owyhee County Commissioners, the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear a Remand of the request for a Conditional Use Permit filed by Arley and Dixie Armstrong. The Remand was ordered by the Board of Owyhee County Commissioners following their hearing of the Appeal of the Planning and Zoning Commission decision on the application. The hearing will be held at the Commission’s regularly scheduled meeting which will begin at 8 PM on April 17, 2003 in the County Annex at 200 Basey Street, Murphy, Idaho.

Applicants Arley and Dixie Armstrong have requested a Conditional Use Permit to create four parcels of approximately equal size from their 40 acre farm, with residential use proposed for three of the proposed parcels. There is existing residential use on the fourth proposed parcel. Subject property is located southwest of Homedale at the corner of Market and Homestead Roads in Section 18, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

3/26/03

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BEFORE THE OWYHEE  
COUNTY PLANNING  
AND ZONING  
COMMISSION

Pursuant to an Order issued by the Board of Owyhee County Commissioners, the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear a Remand of the request for a Conditional Use Permit filed by Larry Flynn. The Remand was ordered by the Board of Owyhee County Commissioners following their hearing of the appeal of the Planning and Zoning Commission decision on the application. The hearing will be held at the Commission’s regularly scheduled meeting which will begin at 8 PM in the County Annex on Basey Street, Murphy, Idaho on April 17, 2003.

Applicant Larry Flynn has requested a Conditional Use Permit to create four parcels from a 160 acre farm, with permission to establish residential use on three of the proposed parcels. Three residences are already in existence in close proximity to each other on a portion of the farm and are located on one of the four proposed parcels. Subject property is located in the County Annex on Basey Street, Murphy, Idaho on April 17, 2003.

3/26/03

DOCUMENT 00010 –  
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BID

Sealed bids will be received by the Marsing School District for the construction of a new kitchen/cafeteria building and renovation of portions of existing High School and Elementary School.

Work will be awarded under (1) General Contract and will include Mechanical, Electrical and Site Work. All bids must be a lump sum basis; segregated bids will not be accepted.

There will be a mandatory Pre-Bid walk through for all General, Mechanical, Electrical and Fire Sprinkler Contractors on April 1, 2003 at 3:30 PM.

Sealed bids will be received in the District Office of the Marsing School District No. 363, 209 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue West, Marsing Idaho, until 3:00 PM, prevailing local time, April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2003. Bids will be opened and publicly read aloud at the time and place stated for receipt of bids. Bids received after the time fixed for opening will not be considered.

Drawings and Project Manuals will be available March 19, 2003, at the office of Design West Architects, P.A., 9 Twelfth Avenue South, Nampa, Idaho 83651 upon deposit of \$100.00 per set (limit 2 sets) for Licensed General Contractors in the State of Idaho. The Deposit will be refunded upon return f Drawings and Project Manuals in good condition within ten (10) days after bid opening. General Contractors may obtain additional sets or partial set by paying the cost of reproduction, which will not be refunded. Partial sets for Subcontractors may be purchased from Design West Architects, P.A.

The Architect will provide from his office five (5) loaner set available for 72 hours on a first come first served basis for all subcontractors. Deposit for such sets shall be \$100.00 which will be forfeited if sets are not returned at the agreed upon time.

Bid security in the amount of 5 percent (5 percent) of the bid must accompany each bid, in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders, made payable to the Marsing School District No. 363. Performance Bond and Labor and Materials Payment Bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100 percent) of the contract amount will be required within five (5) days after receipt of properly prepared Agreement between Owner and Contractor.

The owner reserves the right to waive irregularities and to reject any or all bids.

No bidder may withdraw his bid after the hour set for opening thereof, or before award of Contract, unless award is delayed for a period exceeding sixty (60) days.

This Public Works project is not financed in whole or in part by feral-aid funds. Bid proposals will be accepted from those contractors only (prime contractors, subcontractors, and/or specialty contractors) who, prior to the bid opening, hold current licenses as public works contractors in the State of Idaho.

All work shall be performed under Title 54, Chapter 19, of the Idaho code governing Public Works Contracts. Each bidder shall identify his Public Works Contractors State License Number in space provided on the Bid Proposal Form.

Complete sets of Drawings and Project Manuals are on file at the Boise AGC and FW Dodge Intermountain Contractor plan rooms.

3/19,26/03

NOTICE OF ANNUAL  
MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the members of the MARSING COMMUNITY DISASTER FUND, an association, will be held at eight (8:00) o’clock p.m. on Tuesday April 1, 2003 at the MARSING PHIPPS/WATSON COMMUNITY BUILDING for the purpose of electing four (4) directors for a term of three years. One (1) each from the communities of Jump Creek and Lake View and two (2) Director at large from within the Association boundaries, for the election of officers for the Association and any other business†relative to the Annual Meeting.

CLAIR R. CASE  
Association Secretary  
March 20, 2003

3/19,26/03

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
CASE NO. SP2003-1808  
IN THE DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE THIRD  
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF  
THE

STATE OF IDAHO, IN  
AND FOR THE COUNTY  
OF OWYHEE

MAGISTRATE DIVISION  
In the Matter of the Estate of:  
PATRICIA C. LOOTENS,  
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above entitled estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to John E. Lootens, the personal representative of the estate or the office of Wiebe and Fouser, P.A., Attorneys at Law, P.O. Box 606, Caldwell, Idaho, 83606, this being the place fixed for the transaction of the business of said estate, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2003.

JOHN E. LOOTENS  
Personal Representative  
2356 river Oaks Drive  
Nampa, Idaho, 83651

3/12,19,26/03

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
(I.C. 15-3-801)  
CASE NO. SP-03-01816  
IN THE DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE THIRD  
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF  
THE STATE OF IDAHO  
IN AND FOR THE  
COUNTY OF OWYHEE

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
ESTATE OF  
KENNETH CLARK MAYBON,  
deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 10 day of February, 2003.

James Maybon  
5401 Hwy 201  
Ontario Oregon 97914  
MURPHY LAW OFFICE,  
P.L.L.C.

Michaelina Murphy, ISB #4990  
Charles M. Murphy, ISB #4991  
Laura A. Chess, ISB #6207  
117 S. 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 7  
P.O. Box 339  
Caldwell, Idaho 83606  
Telephone: (208) 453-9700  
Facsimile: (208) 453-9747  
Attorney for Personal Representative

3/19,26-4/2/03

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
Case No. SP-03-1824M  
IN THE DISTRICT  
COURT OF THE THIRD  
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF  
THE

STATE OF IDAHO, IN  
AND FOR THE COUNTY  
OF OWYHEE

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
ESTATE OF  
MARK L. WOODHALL  
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Mark L. Woodhall. All persons having clamis against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED This 13<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2003.

Lynda F. Woodhall  
428 W. Montana  
Homedale, Idaho 83628  
Gardner W. Skinner, Jr., ISB #1319

CANTRILL, SKINNER,  
SULLIVAN AND KING LLP  
1423 Tyrell Lane  
P.O. Box 359  
Boise, Idaho 83701  
Telephone: (208) 344-8035  
Facsimile: (208) 345-7212  
Attorneys for Petitioner

3/26-4/2,9/03

Notice of Trustee’s Sale  
T.S. No. 200300175 - 9719  
Loan No. 0001795665

On 06/19/2003 at 11:00am (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho: At the front entrance of Pioneer Title Co. 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, First American Title Insurance Company, as Trustee on behalf of Law Offices of Steven J. Melmet, Inc. 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 real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows: EXHIBIT A A parcel of land situate in the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 7, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Center Quarter corner of Section 7, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, a brass cap, the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 0f 10°46” West, 422.93 feet along the East boundary of said Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 86f 07°42” West 617.37 feet

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to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 0f 24°02” West, 422.66 feet to the North boundary of said Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 86f 07°42” East, 621.66 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of HC79 Box 106G, Melba, Idaho 83641 is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Jay D. Allman, a married man, as his sole and separate property, as grantors, to Pioneer Title Company, as successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of First Magnus Financial Corporation, an Arizona Corporation, as Beneficiary, dated 04/20/1999, recorded 04/26/1999, as Instrument No. 228344, of Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please Note: 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 set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 04/20/1999. The monthly installments for principal, interest and impounds (if applicable) of 1023.37, due per month for the months of 9/1/2002 through 2/6/2003, and all subsequent installments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$116,218.79, plus accrued interest at the rate of 9.75% per annum from 08/01/2002. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accrued 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. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder’s sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 2-7-2

First American Title Insurance  
Company  
By: Luis Cerda, Assist. Sec  
ASAP523252

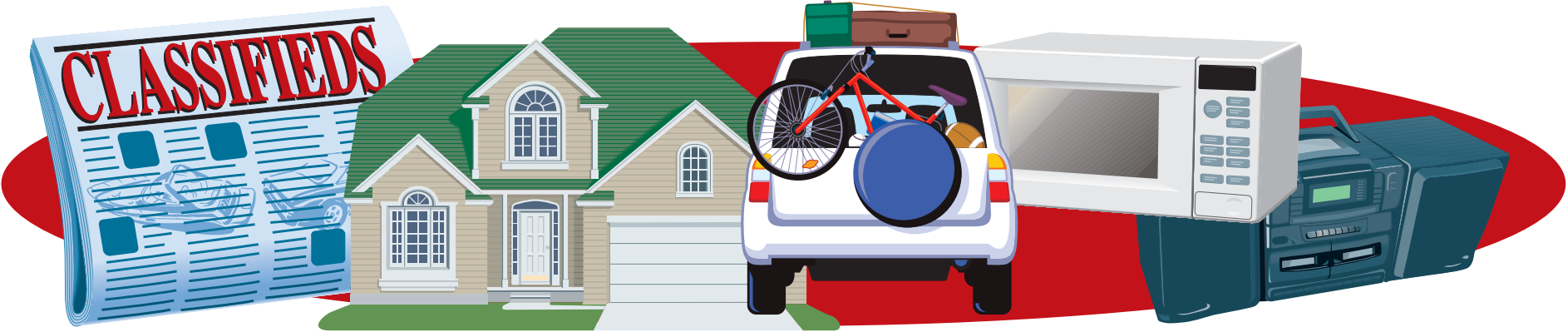
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**RANCH DISPERSAL AUCTION**  
**SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 2003**  
OWNER: ROY HALL

Located 1 mile West of Jordan Valley OR on Hwy 95 to Dinwitty Rd. then 1 1/2 mile South. Signs posted.

Sale Starts 11:00 AM/MT Lunch served.

Terms: Cash or bankable check sale day. No Buyer's premium. No Credit Cards.

**TRACTORS:** Case IHC 7120 MFWD 4 hyd remotes, 14.9 X 46 rubber • IHC 784 diesel w/1398 hrs, real clean • IHC 656 diesel w/IHC 2000 loader • IHC 1466 diesel w/cab 18.4 X 38 rubber • IHC 886 diesel w/cab • Ford 8N w/loader • Ford 8N • set of 14.9 X 46 IHC duals • 2- sets of 18.4 X 48 M&W duals

**LOADERS:** Farmhand Ranch Hand loader w/grapple & hay basket, V-8, runs good • Cat 944 A loader 4X4 • Allied 895 hyd front loader w/bucket & bale spear, mounted on 7120

**CRAWLER & CARRYALLS:** D-8 Cat 468 w/angle dozer • Cat 80 carryall • Cat 40 carryall

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**WATER TRAILER:** 5000 gal semi water trailer w/gas powered pump, tandem axle • 10,000 gal metal tank

**HAY EQUIPMENT:** N H 1068 stack wagon, diesel engine 3608hrs, sharp • N H 1118 diesel swather 14' 3750hrs • Farmhand 900 B PTO tub chopper • Case IHC 8555 PTO baler • N H 430 PTO baler • set of Vermeer twin rakes • Du Al 5000 hyd dump wagon • Hesston 7155 PTO chopper w/hay head • bale handler 10 bale fork w/hyd turn • RW PTO round bale feeder • Vermeer round bale feeder • A&L hay inverter • N H 358 PTO grinder mixer on rubber • New Idea arch side rake • Grain O Vator auger trailer, PTO

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## AUCTION

Dale Anderson Estate

**A U C T I O N**  
**March 29, 2003 10 a.m.**

Location: 3205 Starlight Caldwell Idaho  
From Caldwell Blvd., South on Florida, West on  
Twilight to address. Signs Posted.

**Real Estate:** This cozy ranch style home sits on a wonderful .21-acre corner lot, full of mature trees and a nicely fenced back yard. Located in an established sub-division, this home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, a spacious living room plus a large family room. Built in 1980, the amenities include a Garden Area, 2 Car Garage, and a convenient Storage Shed! This is one you won't want to miss.

**Real Estate Terms:** Owner will provide Standard Owners Title Insurance plus a one-year home warranty. Successful bidder with owner's conformation will enter into a purchase & sale agreement and make a \$2,500 Non Refundable Earnest money deposit at the close of the auction. 10% Buyers Premium will be charged. Closing must take place on or before April 29, 2003. Escrow closing costs will be split 50-50 between buyer & seller. Property will be sold as is. Silverhawk realty is Sellers agent.

**Furniture:** Oak library table\* Queen Bed Set plus Chest– Table Lamps Morett– 2 Computer Desks– Wood 2 drawer File Cabinet– 6 Bookcases– Office Chair– Lay-Z-Boy Recliner– Queen Sleeper Sofa–Oak Entertainment Center– 2 Wood End Tables– Zenith Color TV– Sharp VCR– Hitachi Stereo– C.D. Player– Frigidaire 18.0 cu. Feet– Whirlpool Range– Bread maker– Sharp Microwave– Kenmore W/D set– Toaster Oven– Formica Table with 4 chairs and leaf– Magazine Rack– Exercise Bike– Directors Chair– Bar Stool– Scanner– 48" Round Table with 2 leaf and 4 chairs– 9 Drawer Dresser Buffet– Credenza– Glass top Wrought iron Coffee Table with 2 End tables– 2 Rocker Recliners– 2 Barrel Chairs– New Home Sewing Machine– Notions Cabinet– Horse Lamp– Typing Table– 4 Office Chairs– Armoire– Sewing Cabinet with Singer Machine– Dresser– Wall Desk– Bentwood Rocker– Rocker Recliner with massage– Round End Table– 19" Color TV with remote– Many other nice items not listed!

**Collectables:** 6 pewter figurines, "Chief comes in sight, Unexpected Rescuer" & "Mystic Vision" both by C.A. Pardell– "Clash of Cultures", "The Farwell" & "The Return" all 3 by Barnum– "Buffalo Spirit" by Polland all are Chilmarked & numbered- 2 Miners Carbide Lanterns– Case Pocket Knife– Gold Pad– Crown 12 string Acoustical Guitar with case– Much more to un-box!

**Tools:** Honda rear bag self propelled mower, like new– Tool Box, Micro Vise– Multi tester– Master Cut 3 hp 2" Snow blower – Workmate Bench– Electric/Gas Gold Dredge– Homelite gas powered pump– McCullough Gas Generator– Black and Decker Jig Saw– Drills– Misc. Hand Tools– Nuts and Bolts– Come-A-Long– Coleman Lantern– Organizers– Bench Grinder– Socket and Wrench sets– Tool Boxes full of Misc.– 3/4 Drive Proto Jumbo Socket– Rock Tumbler–Ladders

**Lawn & Garden:** Honda GCV160 5 hp 3 speed push Mower– Crafts String Trim– B&D Electric Edge– Toro Trimmer– Rain Train– Spreader– Pole Pruner– Water Cans– Hose Reel– Patio Furniture

**Electric Train Set-Ups:** 2- N Scale Track on table–1 Has Tech II Dual Controllers– 1 Has Tech II Single Controllers– Some Cars– Rimmosi- Roundhouse Sante Fee Engine in Box- Athearn Cars– Prestige– Ambroid- Silver Streak– Bridges– Magnetic Couplers– Built and Un-built Cars! More to unwrap!

**Miscellaneous:** Approx. 75 new folding chairs- Desks- room dividers- Books- X-mas décor-

**Personal Property Terms:** Cash, Visa, Master card, or Bankable Check. Everything is sold as is.

**Preview & Inspections:** Open house  
March 22, 2003 1:00-3:00 p.m. Private showing upon request. Also Friday  
March 28, 2003 3:00-6:00 p.m. and auction morning.  
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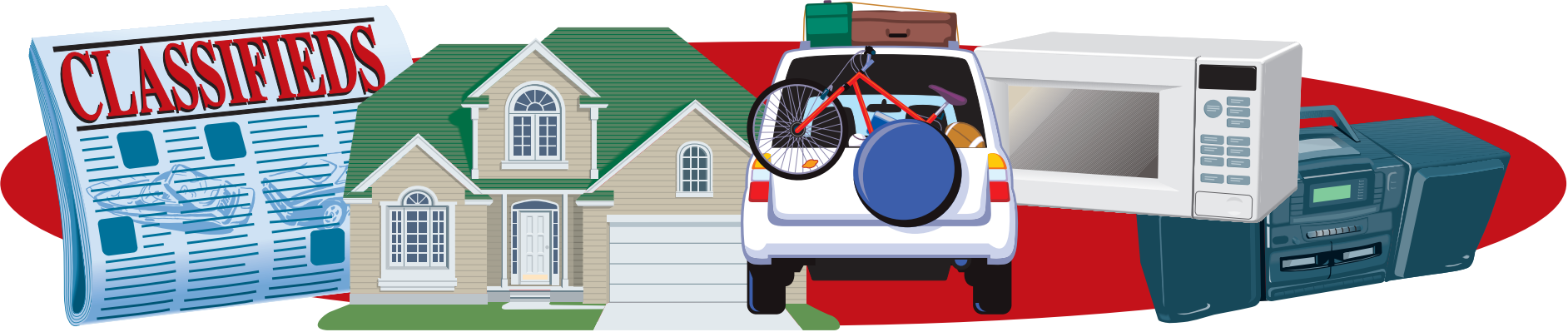
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**Nampa Farmers' Market** orientation meeting Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup> 10:30 a.m., Nampa Public Library basement, 101 11<sup>th</sup> Ave. S. Local growers-vendors wanted; produce, plants, bakery, crafts, etc. 466-9337

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## THANK YOU

The family of Marilyn Huter wishes to express a sincere thank you to our friends and family for the many acts of kindness during the illness and passing of our wife and mother. The prayers, cards, flowers, and food were very much appreciated and we would like to take this opportunity to thank anyone now that we may have missed.

The family of Alta Mears would like to thank all their family and friends for their prayers, food, flowers, cards, phone calls and other acts of kindness during our loss. A special thanks to the care givers at Owyhee Health and Rehab. Center for their loving care, Debbie Grant's co-workers at Simplot's R. and D. Division for the wonderful food, Paul's Market, the American Legion Anex. Unit #32 ladies for the lovely dinner, The American Legion Post #32 for the use of their hall, Dick Whitted and Flahiff Funeral Chapel for easing our pain, and all the contributors to the Owyhee Health and Rehab Center for their help to establish a memorial fund for a shampoo

salon chair station for the residents of the Center. God Bless you all, Tom and Louise Murray and family.

Homedale Library thanks everyone who made the Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner a success. We appreciate your hard work to help our library be the best it can be.

Homedale Library thanks Herb Fritzley and Nolan Taggart for pruning the trees and cleaning up around the library grounds. You're our superheroes.

Thanks to all of you for the many acts of kindness shown us since Fred's heart attack and subsequent surgery. All of the many prayers, flowers, gifts, food, phone calls, and visits at the hospital and since his return home have been wonderful. Your support was of great comfort to us at a very difficult time. May God bless each and every one of you. The Fred Demshar Family.

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Fresh Frozen  
**Alaskan Pollock  
Fillets**



**\$1.89**  
lb.

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**Cod Fillets**



**\$3.99**  
lb.

U.S. #2  
**20 lb. Potatoes**



**2 \$3**  
bags for

Green or Red  
**Seedless Grapes**



**\$1.09**  
lb.

Boneless Beef  
**Rump Roast**



**\$2.29**  
lb.

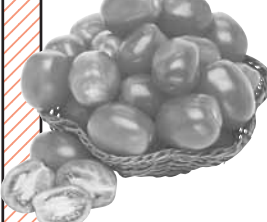
Boneless Country Style  
**Pork Spare Ribs**



EXTRA  
LEAN!

**\$1.39**  
lb.

Fresh Ripe Red  
**Roma Tomatoes**



**79¢**  
lb.

Fresh  
**Jalapeño Peppers**



**59¢**  
lb.

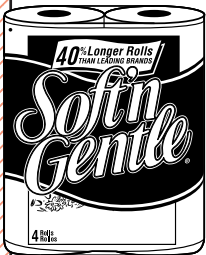
Boneless Beef  
**Ribeye Steak** **\$4.99** lb.  
Boneless Beef  
**Bottom Round Steak** **\$2.49** lb.  
16 oz. Western Family Loop  
**Smoked Sausage** **\$1.89**

10.67 oz. Better Buy  
**Imitation Cheese Food** **89¢**  
8 oz. Western Family  
**Parmesan Cheese** **2 for \$5**  
16 oz. Bar S  
**Meat Bologna** **99¢**

Large  
**Minneola Tangerines** **49¢** lb.  
1 lb. Fresh Peeled  
**Baby Carrots** **89¢**  
Jumbo  
**Yellow Onions** **3 lbs. for \$1**

1 lb. River Ranch Cole Slaw or  
**Garden Salad** **99¢**  
Fresh Bunch  
**Green Onions** **4 bu. for \$1**  
Bulk  
**Red "A" Potatoes** **29¢** lb.

Soft N Gentle  
**Bath Tissue**



**69¢**  
4 Roll Package

Single Roll  
**Brawny Paper Towels** **69¢**

Maruchan  
**Noodle Cups**



**3 for 89¢**  
for 2.25 oz.

26 oz. Select Varieties  
**Western Family Can Soup** **\$1.19**

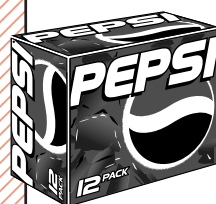
**American  
Beauty Pasta**



**89¢**  
12 oz. Select Varieties

Select Varieties  
**Kraft Cheese Dinners** **\$1.69**

All Varieties  
**Pepsi Products**



**\$2.99**  
12 Pack Cans

12-12 oz. Cans  
**Busch Beer** **\$5.49**

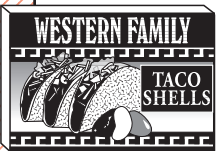
Gold 'N Soft  
**Margarine**



**99¢**  
16 oz. Reg. or Light Spread

Half Gallon Western Family  
**Sherbet** **\$1.39**

Western Family  
**Taco Shells**



**99¢**  
12 ct.

12 oz. Western Family  
**Corned Beef** **\$1.29**

Orville Redenbacher's  
**Popcorn**



**2 \$3**  
for 3 ct. Package

Cashews or Mixed w/Peanuts  
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Western Family  
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Rinse**



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for 128 oz. Jug

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**Lay's Potato Chips** **\$1.99**

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**Seed  
Potatoes**

**3 \$1**  
lbs. for

While Supplies Last

**Early Vegetable  
Plants**

**99¢**

Small Pony Pack

**Soil  
Conditioner**

**\$2.49**

2 cu. ft.

**Western  
Medium Bark**

**\$4.29**

3 cu. ft.



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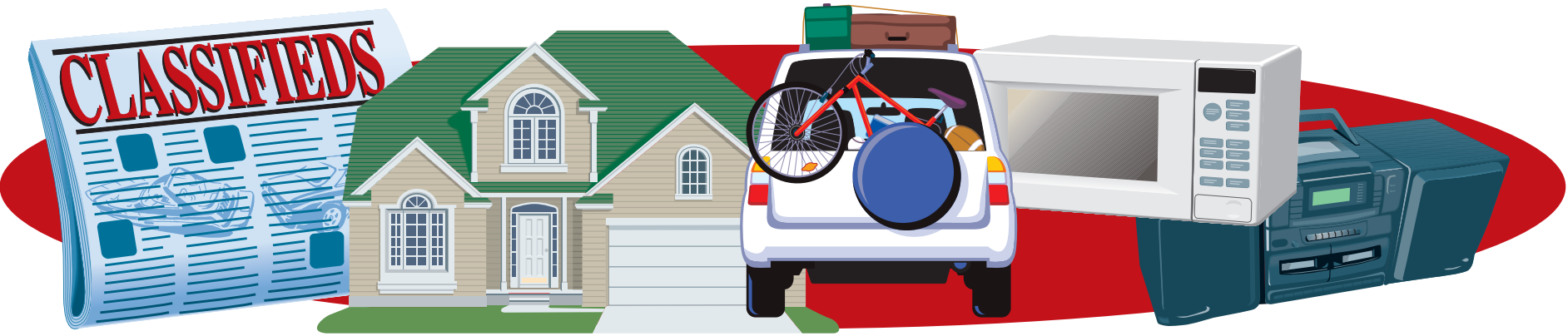


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