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Third attempt fills city council seat

After a third attempt to nominate a councilman to replace newly appointed Homedale Mayor Hap Duryee, the dilemma was finally ended Friday night with a two to one positive vote for planning and zoning member Dave Downum.

The council has been meeting nearly every 10 days after it found itself in a tug of war between two council hopefuls, Downum and Steve Schultz. Councilpersons Kevin



Dave Downum.

Barlow and Charles Garrison were backing Schultz and the mayor and councilman David Freelove were backing Downum. But Barlow tipped the scales with an affirmative vote for Downum Friday.

The mayor began the meeting Friday by telling visitors that he apologized for the inconvenience to people for holding meetings every 10 days due to an Idaho Code, which apparently does not apply to council seats.

"After legal opinions I found out the meetings were not necessary and if it goes farther than this we will do the appointments on regular council meetings," Duryee explained. "With that I will again appoint Dave Downum for approval for council." In which Garrison again opposed the appointment.

"The 50-200 section of the code deals with the general provisions of the government of the territories," Duryee stated. "The 700 chapter deals with the council expressly. If you take the 50-203 through the 206 as a whole, 203 states that the mayor and council are

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Marsing drug raid lands two behind bars



Hazmat control

Officers from the State Hazmat team bring out possible drug evidence from a home in Marsing after a drug raid Thursday afternoon.

A skillfully planned drug raid landed two Marsing residents behind bars Thursday afternoon after the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office and several additional law enforcement agencies converged on a home on Main Street near the Snake River.

Sheriff Gary Aman said Thursday that with the assistance of the Marsing fire and ambulance departments, Canyon County Sheriff's Office, Idaho State Police and the Department of Health and Welfare, Clifford Randall Raymond, 46 and Lorraine Hetmer, 38 were arrested and charged with manufacturing, possession of methamphetamine and child endangerment.

The raid began with the local fire truck being sent through town with its lights and sirens blaring. As the emergency vehicle passed the suspected home, officers entered the rear of the home.

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200 students attend annual field day

Students from Marsing, Adrian, Rockville, Nyssa and Pleasant Valley traveled to the Owyhee Dam Thursday to participate in the second Annual Owyhee Field Day sponsored by the Owyhee Watershed Council. Students were treated to a hands on experience for fifth grade students that provides a "fun, diverse and hands-on way of learning about the watershed and that they live in and depend on."

The daylong event is organized by the council education committee consisting of Sheryl Anderson of Jordan Valley, Steve Boren of Cascade, Vikki Price of Adrian, Jay Chamberlin of Nyssa and Clint Shock of Ontario. Jennifer Fenwick is the council coordinator.

Approximately 15 FFA leaders volunteered to assist in the event which hosted 12 educational stations from learning water safety in a raft to a visit with a noxious weed, "Hitch-Hike-n-Spike."

Fenwick said the vision of the council is that "watershed issues resolved through coordination, cooperation and education resulting in enhanced watershed health, function and use." She said the groups mission is to "lead the effort in ensuring sustainable, responsible and productive stewardship of all land and

water resources for the economic and environmental benefit of the Owyhee Watershed."

The fire station presented by Tom M. from the Vale District BLM demonstrated to students how the bureau assists in range fires with foam and the food they eat while in the field. Gary Page from the Malheur County Weed Board presented the noxious weed station with "Hitch-

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Row, row!

Fifth grade students from the Adrian School District paddle a raft on the Owyhee River as part of the Owyhee Watershed Council field day at Owyhee Dam.



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Escorted

Owyhee County Officers Perry Grant, Tiffany Walker and Chief Deputy Dick Freund escort Lorraine Hetmer, 38 of Marsing to an awaiting jail van for transportation to the county jail. Hetmer and Clifford Randall Raymond were arrested after a strategically planned drug bust involving the sheriff's office and several other law enforcement agencies.



Dedication

Gustafson's Factory Manager Dennis Achey and Marsing Mayor Faye Pfrimmer cut a ribbon officially opening a 1,675-foot asphalt walkway to the public at the Marsing Island Park last week.

Mayor dedicates new park walkway

The Marsing City Mayor and the manager of a local seed company dedicated a 1,675-foot asphalt walkway with a ribbon cutting ceremony at the Island Park on Friday.

Mayor Faye Pfrimmer said the project was funded by Gustafsons of Marsing and has been four years in the making.

"I am so glad to finally see it in," Pfrimmer said. "With the help of Gustafsons we were finally able to get it done."

Republican Women to meet

The Owyhee County Republican Women will be meeting at 6:30 p.m., May 20th at the Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy.

This month's guest speakers are Idaho Federation Republican Women's President Carolyn Durant and Representative Frances Field.

All men and women are invited to attend. For more information contact Joan Mason at 337-3611.

Gustafsons manager Dennis Achey said the park has been a "pet project" for Gustafsons for nearly 25 years. He said the company donated over \$10,000 for the new walkway.

City employees prepared the path and Gem Highway District donated the base gravel. Rich Dines donated a stone that will be engraved with the company's name and located at one entrance to the path.

Pfrimmer said if a person wanted to walk a mile on the path, they could make three and a half trips around it.

✓ **Raid**

A juvenile male was also in the home at the time of the raid, but Chief Deputy Dick Freund said the 15 year-old teen was released.

Hetmer and Raymond were also recently arrested in connection with a car theft ring involving Canyon and Owyhee counties in December. Raymond was scheduled for a pretrial hearing Friday after he pleaded innocent to charges of theft by receiving stolen property. He was released on his own recognizance at the time of the drug arrest.

Court records show that Hetmer was originally charged with theft by receiving stolen property, but due to a states motion to dismiss, her charges were dropped on January 15.

Raymond and Hetmer were allegedly involved in the theft of a 1969 Chevrolet Corvette owned by Ben and Lori Badiola of Homedale.

Marsing Mayor Faye Pfrimmer watched from the side of the road as officers entered the home on a search warrant. She said she hoped the raid would send a message to other drug dealers in the area.

"Get out now," Pfrimmer said. "The Owyhee County Sheriff's Office did an excellent job with this. I was amazed to watch how well it fell into place. People involved in drugs need to be aware to stay away from Marsing. If they don't, our sheriff will eventually get them."

HHS senior class parents hold final meeting

The Class of 2003 parents will meet for the final time on May 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria to finalize plans for this year's all night graduation party.

Spokesmen for the group said all committee chairmen need to be present.

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Homedale drug bust nets federal convictions

A man accused of being the ringleader in a methamphetamine drug operation and smuggling drugs between California and Idaho was convicted of federal charges.

Samuel Trinidad, a 25-year old Mexican National, was convicted of conspiracy to distribute methamphetamine last Friday and is accused of being the leader of a drug ring that included arrests from a Homedale drug bust last year.

Owyhee County Sheriff's Office worked in conjunction with several other law enforcement agencies to stop Trinidad and make six other arrests. Trinidad is accused of the transportation of at least 50 pounds of pure methamphetamine into Idaho. He reportedly operated the ring in Owyhee, Canyon, and Malheur counties and used homes in Nampa and Ontario to distribute and store the drugs.

Leobardo Zamora, Arturo Banuelos, Javier Merino, Carlos, Benitez, Heather Ann Redburn and Eva Flores also await sentencing after pleading guilty to related charges.


Trinidad, also known as Moises Hernandez and Chaparro, orchestrated the transport of the meth into Idaho which officials say was diluted into more than 250 pounds and each pound sold for about \$3,500.




New business

Guy Davison will hold a grand opening celebration for a new business he recently opened in Homedale. The grand opening for Complete Radiator Repair will be held on May 19 from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m. Davison will specialize in rod and repair, flushing, cores and will also sell new and used radiators. He has been a mechanic for 26 years. The business is located at 120 N. Main in Homedale. The business hours will be from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.


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Police department battles “junk” car issue

Homedale police department continues to battle the issue of ‘junk’ cars in the city with residents, the council and planning and zoning members. Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller says the biggest problem is finding someplace to put the vehicles after they are impounded.

During a recent city council meeting the subject of what to do with broken down and non running vehicles was again addressed by planning and zoning liaison and councilman Kevin Barlow who spoke to the council on behalf of planning and zoning commissioners. Barlow, after addressing the issue to the council during past council meetings, said that the planning and zoning commission would still like to see if more of the vehicles can be removed or citations issued to keep the “junk” cars in compliance with city nuisance ordinances. Chief Jeff Eidemiller told the council that due to the department being short handed with the medical absence of Police Officer Jamie Austin and due to a place to put the vehicles his back is against the wall.

“The violations any of the provisions of the amended ordinance or failure to comply with any of the requirements will constitute a misdemeanor,” Barlow told the council reading from the city’s ordinance. “Each day the violation continues shall be considered a separate offense. The commission is concerned about the vehicles and everything involved with removing them. They talked about how Nampa cleaned up theirs with a grant. They paid people to remove them or something.”

Eidemiller said, “I will reiterate the plan, we do the vehicles catch as catch can. The problem is I don’t think everyone understands that when we start doing these cars hot and heavy, we end up getting Harvey’s mad at us. We end up getting Matteson’s mad at us. They are the only two tow trucks that will come out and do it. We had someone else doing it, but he went to jail.”

Barlow told the council that he realized the issue of city nuisances was not a part of P&Z’s protocol, but he said that as concerned citizens of the City of Homedale, they would like to understand what is happening to address the problem.

“One of the things we (P&Z) talked about was swapping the people when they don’t have any place to put them,” Barlow continued. “We seem to be in a catch 22 situation.”

“This is one of those cases where one mans junk is definitely not another mans treasure,” Eidemiller explained. “Junk is junk and no body wants it. It is not even worth loading it up on a flat bed and hauling it to junk. For the most part we are talking about the same general area, but for the most part we get compliance.

“Our goal is to get the vehicles removed. Right now we have tow companies in our area that are reluctant to take junk vehicles because of the fact that it takes up space in their yard and generally a vehicle that is towed as an abandoned or wrecked vehicle, it does not have any value. Then the business owner is faced with taking a vehicle that right at the beginning they know is a losing proposition. It is not my intention to create a burden on any business in town. Obviously our main objective is to get the street cleaned up.”

Eidemiller said the problem is not as bad as it seems to be. He said most cars that are “tagged” are brought into compliance before citations need to be issued. Eidemiller said a copy of the city’s ordinance may be obtained from the city clerk.



Grand View DARE grads

Twenty-two students graduated from the county DARE program last week in Grand View. Megan Mcling designed this year’s DARE T-shirt which each student received. Alex Meyers and Sierra Ridley won the essay contest. Pictured are Kristen Rotz, Kaile Murray, Cody Meyers, Derrick Meyers, Emilio Meza, Roger Pena, Kenney Andrews, TJ Snyder, Megan Mcling, Lee Gray, Antonio Garcia, Blake Love, Tanner Field, Tony Ayala, Samuel Sanchez, Alex Meyers, Kevin Andrews, Nancy Flores, Juan Gomez, Sam Richardson, Sierra Ridley and Joseph Morrison.

Oregon Trail writer to speak at county museum

A love of history and a search of his own family, local writer Don Clark of Caldwell said is what led him to publish his book “Traveling with the Oregon Trail Pioneers of 1853”.

The book has been compiled from 156 diaries, journals, and reminiscences from the year 1853 alone. It features a day-by-day accounting of the pioneers’ travels in their own words.

Don was raised in a ranching environment near Crane,

Oregon where he first saw the ruts made by the pioneers. Not knowing that his great great grand grandparents were in the wagon train that made those very ruts. Now one hundred and fifty years later Don has compiled their story.

Don will be the guest speaker May the 16th at the Owyhee County Museum in Murphy. From his research he will explain: why the pioneers were lured to the Oregon Territory, how they gathered at the drop-offs along the

Missouri River, the hardships and beautiful sites along the way, and the optional routes in the Snake River Valley.

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I. Engine swaps will be allowed but no set backs. The spark plug closer to the front of the engine must not be further back than the center

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4. Suspension must remain stock. No welding. No full floating axle or 8 hole wheel rear ends.

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6. Full face crash helmet and long sleeve coveralls must be worn. A working seat belt is required and must be worn while in the arena.

7. Car must have working brakes.

8. Trunk, hood and all doors must be secured. Welding is required on doors and optional on trunk.

9. Driver's door must be reinforced with two steel bars placed horizontally on outside surface; one near the top of the door, the other near the bottom. A piece of foam rubber or pillow placed on the inside of the door next to the driver is suggested.

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14. A number must be printed on each door and on top of each car. Contact Rob Townsend for registration numbers. All registrations must be entered by June 25, 2003. If you want a specific number-call early.

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✓ Council

officials. 204 states that the mayor will appoint ‘officers’ and goes on to name officers as city clerks, treasurer, attorney, other such offices deemed necessary for the sufficient operation of the city. 205 goes into the 10-day rule and 206 goes into the removal of the appointed officers. There again I as mayor could remove an appointed officer, with the council consent, but the council with a 100 percent vote can remove an appointed officer without my consent. So when that is taken as a whole I was told we probably did not need to do the 10 day rule.”

Barlow said the reason he chose to give an affirmative vote this time was because he was tired of the back and forth vote.

“I just felt that it would continue on with one wanting one and one wanting the other and I am not necessarily saying the best won, but I think both are very good candidates and I encouraged Steve to run in November, but I decided it was time we moved on as a council,” Barlow stated following the meeting. “I didn’t think it is worth the fighting. I don’t know that I will back anyone, but I did say I would sign Steve’s petition. That is not backing anyone particularly. I would sign Dave’s, Steve’s, Charlie’s and probably Hap’s. I just feel we did the right thing at this point.”

Downum will be sworn into office during this evening’s (Wednesday) council meeting.

✓ Owyhee

Hike-n-Spike” also known as Lance Phillips from Malheur County SWCD.

Tara Rowland from the University of Idaho, demonstrated entomology with a pair of “bug eye” glasses.

Additional stations were tour of the dam led by Cecil Wilson and Gene Derock, dam supervisors, rangeland management presented by Gretchen Hyde, Idaho Rangeland Rescue Commission, livestock production presented by Treasure Valley Community College Ag Ambassadors, water management station with Jay Chamberlin, the rafting station with Jim Peters, area recreationists, geology with Bill Straud from Treasure Valley Community College, soils and erosion station with

Duane Pearson, Malheur County SWCD and Erik Feibert from OSU Experiment Station, Waterway laws station with Brad Williams Malheur County Sheriff’s Office and Ollie the Otter, also known as Kathy Pratt, Malheur Watershed Council, irrigation station with Ryan Martin and Joel Price from Joel Price Farms, Adrian, and water sampling station with Marilyn Moore, OSU Extension.

Approximately 15 FFA students volunteered their time to assist in the field day including from Adrian, Logan Branstiter, Bret Bucholtz, Cynthia Thornley, Courtney Phelps, Kim Bertalotto, Aden Johnson, Lindsey Phelps and Chris Jones. From Jordan Valley, Athena Beckwith, Jerry Wroten and Ashley Larsen. From Nyssa, David Ortega, Drew Froerer, Joella Dimmock and Bret Cleaver.



Through the eyes of a bug

Tara Rowland from the University of Idaho, demonstrated entomology with a pair of “bug eye” glasses.

Wood, art and athletes focus of annual show

Rimrock’s 22nd annual Wood Show, Art Exhibit, FCCLA Barbecue and sports award presentation will be held at Rimrock Junior/Senior High School this evening (Wednesday) beginning at 5:30 p.m.

The barbecue will consist of hamburgers, salad, chips, drinks and dessert, which will be served in the cafeteria. Prices for the barbecue range from \$10 per family, \$4 for individuals and \$3 for senior citizens and children 12 and under.

At 6:30 p.m. the wood show and art exhibits will open with a variety of artistic displays shown of hand crafted student entries. Admission is free to both events.

The sports award presentation will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium to honor athletes from the Rimrock Raider’s sports teams.




Irrigation

A student from Jordan Valley Elementary School learns how to get water through a siphon tube during last week’s Owyhee Field Day held at Owyhee Dam.

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May 19: Mon. noon. Roast pork, potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, salad, soup of the day, apple crisp/vanilla ice cream, beverage.
May 20: Tues. buffet. Sliced ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, salad, fruit and cottage cheese, beverage.
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JV Rodeo action begins Sat.

Dance kicks off weekend of events

The Jordan Valley Rodeo Association will hold the 41st Annual Jordan Valley Rodeo beginning this weekend with two-days of rodeo action on May 17-18. The show will begin at 1:30 p.m. both days.

Jordan Valley Rodeo Association with announcer Pat Stanford and rodeo stock from Slash T Rodeo sponsors the event.

A dance will open the weekend's events on Friday night and will conclude on Saturday night at the Jordan Valley High School gym. What's Next will perform this year's music. On Sunday morning a cowboy breakfast is held at the Catholic Church at 6:30 a.m. until 11 a.m. followed by a parade at 11:30 a.m. and more rodeo action.

First place Big Loop ropers will receive two saddles made by Steven McKay and donated by the Jordan Valley Rodeo Board, Les Schwab of Homedale and Fairview Avenue in Boise and Larry Miller Auto Mall.

Second place ropers will receive two breast collars donated by Dan Arritola of Baker, Oregon and two trophies donated in memory of Mary Baltzor, by the Baltzor family.

Third place ropers will receive two handmade silvered snaffle bits made by Pat Stanford in memory of Lee Stanford, by the Stanford family, and fourth place ropers will receive two handmade cinches made by Tex Payne and donated by Wes Downs of Handlebar Enterprises.

Tex and Agnes Payne donate the All Around Cowboy trophy and an all around head stall is also donated by George Michel. Travis Stringer makes the first place trophy buckles.

Coordinators said last week, a huge trade show would be held in the park with "every western item imaginable" on display and for sale or trade. The show will begin Thursday night and will conclude Sunday night.

Admission to the rodeo will be \$5 for adults and \$2 for children 13 and under. For more information contact the Jordan Valley Rodeo at 1-541-586-2551.

For ticket and travel information call the Jordan Valley Rodeo Office at 541-586-2551. For information on booth space in the park for vendors call Jerry White at 541-586-2816.

WT (Bill) Bruce, a local photographer from Homedale, along with the Jordan Valley Rodeo Board, has put together a 2004 calendar to help celebrate forty-one years of the Big Loop Rodeo.

The product is a 12-month 2003 wall calendar, 12 inches by 18 inches with 26 professional photos in sepia tone. The calendar will be available for sale at this year's rodeo with a portion of the proceeds donated to the

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Commissioners appoint environmentalist director to group

The Owyhee County Commissioners unanimously appointed the director of the Sierra Club, Roger Singer, to the working group as a voting member in what is being called the final days of the Owyhee Initiative.

Singer is known throughout Owyhee County for his efforts to make the Owyhee and Bruneau Canyonlands a national monument, but initiative chairman Fred Grant says Singer has been "instrumental" in the development of the initiative as an alternate.

Grant said Singer has been an alternate since the initiative began nearly two years ago. He said adding Singer as a voting member would be a good addition.

Sandra Mitchell, spokesman for the People for the Owyhees was the only person in the working group to oppose the recommendation to appoint Singer and she said she opposed it because enough environmental groups are already represented at the "initiative table."

"I am on the board representing the People for the Owyhees, which is a recreation group," Mitchell said in a phone interview last week. "We believe there are a number of diverse interests in the Owyhees, and those interests closely align with the Sierra Club, are already more than adequately represented. The Wilderness Society, the Idaho Conserva-

tion League, the Nature Conservancy and to some degree the Idaho Outfitters Guide Association represent environmentalist groups. Vehicular recreation, which has a significant use in the Owyhees, has one representative.

"We feel that if they were truly interested in making sure all interests were represented, than perhaps they should have added someone from the hunting community, the fishing community, mining, equestrian, for example, SIDRA, South Idaho Dessert Racing Association, specifically requested an additional seat at the table and they were denied. I expressed in the very beginning when I met with Senator

Crapo's staff that recreation was under represented. I felt that there should be at least two, one summer and one winter and I was denied.

"I think that if they are going to add seats, that they should at least open it up and go back to consider all of the other groups involved. Fred Grant has said that he hopes we will have an agreement by Memorial Day, it is kind of late in the game to add another person. If with their wisdom and judgement they decide that this is a good idea, than they need to look at all of the other good ideas."

Spokesman for Senator Larry Craig said last week that the senator's office is only in-

volved at this time as observers, but he said in terms of the local collaborative process Senator Craig supports the local community.

"It really is up to the local groups," Mike Tracey said. "We might be frustrated by certain individuals and their agenda, but that is part of the process, bringing all of these groups together. What you have to look at is, are they local people, are they truly local representatives with local interests."

Owyhee County Commissioner Chris Salove said he was pleased with the appointment and that Singer had been instrumental in the development of the initiative.

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15 strike-outs

Chris Varuska delivers a pitch in Homedale's 1-0 route of the Melba Mustangs last week. Varuska struck out 15 batters for the win. District baseball action will continue this week and state competitions will begin May 22 at Rodeo Park in Nampa. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

Sign-ups begin for optimist football

The Marsing Lions and Nampa Optimist club will be taking sign-ups for boys and girls optimist football beginning this week. Children ages 7-12 can sign up for the 2003 season at the Coldwell Banker office on Thursday or Saturday this week. Thursday's sign up will be held from 4-6 p.m. and Saturday from noon until 2 p.m. The cost is \$55 per person and athletes will need to bring a copy of their birth certificate if they have not played before. Kids in the seven and eight year old division will play eight man football and kids from nine and up will play tackle football. The group provides helmets, shoulder pads and jerseys for players, but the athletes are responsible for mouthpieces and pants. The program will compete with the Nampa-Boise Optimist program and will hold seven games for the season. A preseason game and a final bowl game for all the teams will be played. Football players will compete against teams from Boise, Mt. Home, Kuna, Horseshoe Bend, McCall, Hailey and Duck Valley, Grand View and Meridian. This year Marsing will join the program with three to four teams. Five home games will be held and two games will be away. Practice starts on Aug. 11. This year the club has teamed up with the Nampa High Football staff and is offering a four-day football camp on July 30 through August 2 at Nampa High School. The cost is \$40 per person or \$50 per family. Football jerseys will be given away. For more information contact Ken Wilson at 880-1099 or Terri Mudd at 989-8194.



Halie Reed slides safely into second base in Homedale's decisive 14-0 victory over the Melba Mustangs last week. District action begins at Sundance Park Thursday. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

Nearly 700 students attend two-day Ag expo

The Marsing FFA Chapter again hosted a two-day Agriculture Expo which was the scene of nearly 700 students from Marsing, Notus, Homedale, Parma and Wilder School districts and coordinators are calling the annual event a huge success. Agricultural companies donated items to the event which sent each student home with prizes and a better understanding of the agricultural system. A fish tank full of rainbow trout was donated by the Idaho Fish and Game to be used to show students fish up close. RJ Crosland was this year's ag expo chairman who coordinated the event to include a greenhouse, tractor equipment, an ICA booth and many other booths where kids were able to experience agriculture with a hands-on atmosphere. "Kuna puts one of these on every year as well," Ag teacher Jason Nettleton said. "Everyone pitches in and helps and the support from the Ag community has been astounding. We just want to thank everyone who donated items or their time."



Rainbow trout donated for the event by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game.



Chance Velie and Beau Stringe from Parma with a goat.



Tyson Nielsen shows students a baby sheep during the Ag expo.



Tyson Nielsen checks the weight of a group of students from Parma.



Kristina Randolph shows a baby chick to students during last week's Ag expo in Marsing.



Adam Frost returns a serve in a district tennis doubles match last week. State tennis matches will begin Friday in Boise. Photos by Gregg Garrett.



Homedale senior Kelly Roberts returns the ball in a doubles match at district tennis last week. Roberts and her partner Alysa Gluch won their match against Weiser opponents.



Homedale's U12 team of the Outback Soccer League recently finished their league and tournament play undefeated. Shown top row L to R: Nestor Machuca, Austin Emry, Amalia Cardenas, Daisy Prado, Coach Luis Sanchez, AnnaMaria Salas, and Coach Guadalupe Ayala. Bottom row L to R: Ezequiel Lomeli, Ryan Garrett, Christian Cahill, Ryan Ryska, Alfredo Machuca, Jorge Castellanos. Bottom lying: Ryan Vance. Not shown: Christopher Aceves. Photo by Gregg Garrett.



Homedale number 2 U 12 soccer team Front row: David Lomeli Middle Row (from left): Eric Flores, Eric Hurtado, Miguel Sanchez, Fredy Ponce, Alfredo Higuera. Back Row (from left): Javier Sotelo, Stefan Froebe, Emanuele Rattenni, Nestor Monreal, Antonio Sotelo, Coach David Correa

Trojans host fun day track meet

The Homedale Trojans hosted a non-scoring track and field relay and added a few other track and field competition fans won't see in the district or state competitions.

Several teams from Kuna, Payette, Marsing, Weiser, Melba and New Plymouth participated in the no entry fee, no awards, no team scoring fun day of events.

Each school could enter more than one team designated by A or B. In the running events, a girls 2000 waterless steeplechase consisting of five laps over four hurdle barriers was won by Kuna with a time of 7:48.6 followed by Weiser in second and Kuna in third. The boy's steeplechase event was won by Payette with 6:45 followed by Melba with 6:51.3 and Kuna with 7:10.1 in third.

The girls 4x200, old markings without lanes all of the way was won by Kuna with 1:51.7 followed by Homedale with 1:53.5 in second and Weiser in third with 1:58.51. Kuna won for the boy's team as well with 1:34.3 followed by Melba with 1:35.4 and Weiser with 1:40.62.

In the girl's 2x300 intermediate hurdles, Kelsi Haylett finished first with 45.9

followed by Kuna with 48.9 and Payette in third place with 50.6. In the boy's event, Payette placed first with 41.27 followed by Nick Antonucci of Homedale with 42.14 and Kuna with 43.36.

The sprint medley consisted of a 100, 100, 200 and 400 event in which New Plymouth won first place with 1:58.51 followed by Weiser in second with 1:58.68 and Marsing in third with 2:02.02. The boys sprint medley was won by Weiser with 1:39.51 followed by Kuna in second with 1:40.21 and Melba in third with 1:44.36.

Marsing defeated Weiser and Homedale in the co-ed weight person's 4x100 relay, which was conducted with a boy, girl, boy girl race. Marsing placed first with 53.88 followed by Weiser in second with 54.09 and Homedale in third with 56.2

A co-ed shuttle hurdle relay was also held with Homedale overpowering Kuna and Marsing for first place. Homedale finished with a time of 1:07.31 with Kuna close behind at 1:12.35 and Marsing

in third with 1:13.38.

Homedale defeated Kuna and New Plymouth in the girls 4x100, but the local boys slipped into sixth place in the boy's event.

Weiser took the top two places in the co-ed 4x800 event, but Homedale stopped Kuna and Marsing in the co-ed shuttle hurdle with 1:07. Kuna placed second with 1:12 and Marsing took third spot with 1:13.

Homedale placed second behind Kuna in the girls 4x200 with 1:53.5. Kuna placed first with 1:51.7.

In the field events, Jessica Stimmel placed first in the girl's triple jump with 34 feet five inches. New Plymouth placed in second followed by Taci Morris in third with 30 feet 10 and one half inches.

For the Huskies, Amanda Stewart took first place in the girl's discus with 107 feet nine inches and in the girl's shot with 33 feet seven inches. Kirby Cook finished third in the boy's shot put with 43 feet 10 inches and Breanna Chadez won third place in the girl's high jump with five feet even.

Stimmel placed second in the long jump for the Trojans with 15 feet 11 inches and in the boy's pole vault, Clay Haylett won second with 13 feet followed by teammate Shawn Gibbs in third with 12 feet six inches.

District competitions will begin Friday in New Plymouth and continue into Saturday. The state competition will be held in Boise beginning May 22.



Jake Asumendi puts all of his power into the shot put event at a recent Homedale track meet.



Homedale number 1 U 19 soccer team Front row: Humberto Machuca Middle row (from left): Alex Sanchez, Andres Vasquez, Ivan Flores. Back row (from left): Guillermo Machuca, Erik Corbett, Jacob Anthony, Josh Ryska, Coach David Correa. (Not pictured Francisco Sotelo, German Sotelo, and David Liddell)



Youth soccer U12 team ended its season recently. Pictured are back row coaches John Gibson and Dennis Corbett. Next row: Ryan Cox, Cache Gluch, Tyler Gibson, Ulysses Vargas and Kayla Corbett. Middle row: Aaron Barlow, Hector Dominquez, Brandon Brockett, Michael Trumbo and Alex Harden. Front row: Preston Stenvenson, Patricia Lopez, Mitch Quintana junior coach, Matthew Corbett and goalie Johnathan Verwer.



Homedale number 2 U19 soccer team Front row: Luis Escutia. Middle row (from left): Karina Aguilera, Joe Chavez, Sabrina Mescale, Magdalena Vega Back row (from left): Armando Escutia, Patrick Vega, Efren Cardenas, Erik Padilla, Coach David Correa. (Not pictured John Hurich, Scott Thatcher, Jonathan Williams, and Rene Hurtado)



Team roping

Jason Eiguren ropes a horse as partner Tim Mackenzie watches during last week's Oregon Livestock Producers Association horse roping competition in Jordan Valley.



Rope ‘em

Pat Stanford ropes a horse during last week's horse roping sponsored by the Oregon Livestock Producers Association. Stanford won the first go round with Wannie MacKenzie with 16.5 seconds.

Horse roping raises money for OLPA

A horse roping was held on sign-up day of the Jordan Valley Rodeo with the proceeds of the event being donated to the Oregon Livestock Producers Association.

“Since a lot of the guys that want to rope in the big loop horse roping at the Jordan Valley Rodeo were going to be in town, we thought it would be fun to have a horse roping that day and get everyone practiced up” stated Jason Eiguren, producer of the roping.

The stock contractors, Gary Miller and Steve Russell, donated their stock charges to Oregon Livestock Producers Association, an organization dedicated to the preservation of open competitive livestock markets and secure property rights.

“We think our money will be better spent there than any place,” stated Gary Miller, owner of the some of the horses provided for the roping. All of the money raised by the roping was donated to the organization.

Nearly 65 contestants competed for the roping title. The results were as follows: first go round, Wannie MacKenzie and Pat Stanford with 16.5 seconds. Second go round, Jason Eiguren and Richard Eiguren Jr. with 12.8 seconds. Average first, Dirk Jim & John Schutte with 88.9 on four head. Second Dirk Jim & Tony Lequerica with 164.6 on 4 head. Third Robert Fretwell & Tub Blanthorn with 98.4 on three head and forth, Dirk Jim & Ed Dunlap with 99.0 on three head.

In addition to the regular horse roping, a special Big Loop Rope Off was added with teams qualifying for the round. The fastest seven times along with the slowest three times qualified for the Big Loop Rope Off sponsored by the J.V. Club and Caf , Fred Payden Apple Cart Chain Works, Rome Station, and Jim’s Texaco. Mike Eiguren and Sam MacKenzie won the rope off with a 28.8-second time.

The roping sponsors, along with OLPA want to give a big thank you to the contractors, all the volunteers who helped make the roping run smoothly and to the sponsors of the Big Loop Round.

Commentary

On the edge of common sense

Baxter Black, DVM

Dead Feeder’s Society

“We’ve got to do something!”

So said the presiding chairman of the “Dead Feeder’s Society”, a secret group comprised of the last remaining titans of the meat packing industry.

“We had them on their backs in July, \$63 a hundred. We held them underwater for months. Then somebody screwed up and WHAM! Back up to 80!

“Those cursed cattle feeder’s have more lives than a dang cat! Who’s got any ideas?”

“Well,” said code name Darth, “We can stop Saturday’s kill. Hold off as many as possible and hope we can drop the price.”

“You old softy,” said code name Atilla, scornfully, “We’re doing that! We need something more drastic, more permanent.”

“It’s tricky,” observed code name Stalin, “We want them to keep on feeding cattle, but, we don’t want them to make money.”

“Ideally,” suggested the chairman, “they should feed cattle and give them to us.”

“What if we sold them the feeder steers, sold them the feed, then when they were ready we’d pay them a wage. Nothing fair, don’t get me wrong, just like, say \$50 below what they had in ‘em,” spoke Darth.

“Yea, the average feeder could last a couple of years,” said Atilla

“It’s the banks I’m worried about. There will always be people willing to feed cattle if they can get a loan. You see them at the race track by the jillions.

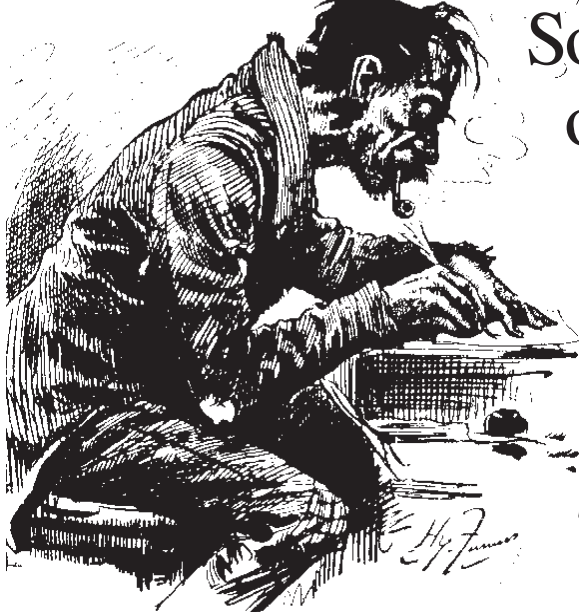
“That’s right,” said Stalin, “Our greatest asset is that no matter what we do, there will always be some poor fool willing to feed cattle. They’re worse than Canadian thistle. You clean one out, pick his pockets, hang him out to dry and another one pops up behind you! They’ll always be there, we’ve just got to find some way to insure they’ll never make money.

We know the government won’t help ‘em. They’re on our side; consumers have the right to cheap food. And the ranchers have no sympathy for them, just on general principles. So we just have to find a way to insure we don’t have these aberrant cycles where they make a profit.”

“I’ve got it,” said the presiding chairman, “We can reinstitute serfdom, indentured servitude, the Sheriff of Nottingham and appoint a king!”

“Great idea,” shouted Attilla, Stalin and Darth, “We can take turns being king!”

“Don’t get your hopes up, said the chairman and head potentate of the largest meat packer, “I’m thinking we might have too many packers.”



Something on your mind?

We welcome letters to the editor

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Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

May 4, 1978

Three file for two seats

The Owyhee County Sheriff’s Department sent out a search party in the Silver City area Monday when four Nampa youths didn’t return home Sunday after a four wheel driving expedition.

Mike Shatz, Mark Simpson, Woody Trumbull, and one other youth whose name was unknown, all of Nampa, were driving two vehicles near Silver City when one of the vehicles got stuck Sunday. They changed into the second vehicle and attempted to drive out of the area, when it broke down. The boys walked out of the area from near Stodes Basin and were reported home late Monday evening.

Three chosen for Boys’ State

Homedale. Three junior students were selected to represent Homedale high school at Boys State scheduled to be held June 4-10 at Boise State University.

They are Kenny Leavitt, Phil Adams and Rob Baigrie and are sponsored by the American Legion Post of Homedale. The registration fees are being paid for by the American Legion and the Homedale Chamber of Commerce.

Births

A girl was born April 20 to Christy and Ken Tamura of Homedale at Caldwell Memorial Hospital.
A boy was born April 24 to Connie and Bobbie Garrison of Marsing at Caldwell Memorial Hospital.

‘round Homedale

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Dimick have returned from a week’s vacation where they visited their son Charles Dimick and family at Weston, Ore. At college Place, Wash., they called on Mr. Dimick’s sister, Mrs. Jay Sanborn and Mrs. Dimick’s brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Del Grasso, Brush Prairie, Wash. The Dimicks spent a night with his nephew, Leslie Grange, at Gaston, Ore.

Lura Paul and Mrs. Sally Hay, Boise, called on Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sullivan last Tuesday.

Lucille Fry and Elva Dimick attended a meeting of the Community Service Federation held at Vale, Ore., last week. The Federation was held in Vale with Mrs. Stewart Merrill, President of the Treasure Valley Federation, presiding.

Word has been received that Nellie hammer is the fourth prize winner of the New Time “Best Times of Your Life” Sweepstakes. Hammer has won a Sunfish Sailboat.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Toston returned from a trip to Salt Lake after visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Workman, and other relative. Tostons also attended a funeral of Mrs. Toston’s sister-in-law at Hide Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Driskell, Parma, spent Thursday with Anne Ward and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Slawson and baby boy, Jeremy, from California are visiting Keith’s grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Slawson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent C. Wideau, Homedale, announce the birth of a new granddaughter born April 27 to James and Sally Ann Tibbs, Boise. The baby was named Maili Nei. She has an older brother Sam.

Arthur Goodloe is able to go home for short visits from the nursing home.

Dorothy Batt, Mrs. Teddy DeGroat, Mrs. Erick Knehans and Lucy Stutheit are helping arrange the rummage, cooked food and plant sale for the Lutheran Church this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Scherer, Parma, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scherer, last Sunday.

Dwaine Pickrel and family, Parma, had Sunday dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pickrel.

50 years ago

May 7, 1953

Fourth annual Miss Homedale contest to be held May 14th at high school

An evening of fun and entertainment is assured citizens of the Homedale areas next Thursday evening when the Fourth Annual Miss Homedale Contest will be held at the high school auditorium starting at 8:00 p.m.

Plans are complete for the gala event with a fine program of outside entertainment slated in addition to the numbers to be presented by the five contestants. The Master of Ceremonies will be Chet Moulton of Boise, and judges from Marsing and Parma have been elected to give the verdict on who will be Miss Homedale of 1953.

Contestants are Misses Roberta Ulrich, Doris Heideman; Delores Levanger, Patsy Nance and Winona Drum.

Robert Smylie to be speaker at commencement

Idaho State Attorney General, Robert Smylie, will deliver the graduation address at the Homedale high school gym, May 19, at 8:00 p.m.

Mr. Smylie was an assistant Attorney General under the late Robert Ailshie. He was appointed by Governor C. A. Robins as the Attorney General. He succeeded himself to the office in the last general election. Mr. Smylie’s graduation address it titled “Tomorrow’s Promise”.

New mayor and councilmen are sworn to office

Harry Frye was sworn in as the new mayor of Homedale at a meeting of the city council Monday evening. Sworn in as councilmen were Joe Eiguren and Lloyd McLaughlin. They replace Walter

Adams and Bill Wegman, whose terms have expired.

Frye took over the post of mayor from Jim Hayes, who completed six years as Homedale’s mayor.

Before the new council members took over, the old council canvassed the election returns, showing three errors in counting which gave five additional votes to Lloyd McLaughlin and A. M. Stansell, and took five votes away from Joe Eiguren. However, the errors made no change in the final standings of the candidates in the election.

Mayor Frye appointed Jim Hill as Chief of Police, Ruby Ross as City Clerk and Treasurer, Warren Stimmel as Watermaster and Richard Eismann as City Attorney. The appointments were approved by the council.

Much of the remainder of the meeting was taken up by briefing the new council members and the mayor on the problems and projects under consideration by the former council.

Spring concert held at Marsing

The Marsing high school held their spring concert on Thursday night of last week. Participating in the program were the Junior and Senior bands, high school chorus, accompanied by Elaine Blackstock, a duet by Donna Smith and Morris Larsen, songs by the fourth grade and a cornet solo by JoAnne Paine.

High school news

The sophomore biology class went to Succor Creek May 5 for the purpose of hunting fossils and thunder eggs. There were 20 sophomores who attended. They spent the day there, then in the evening went to Givens where they went swimming and had a picnic lunch.

135 years ago

May 9, 1868

NEW TOWN. A new town, called Reno, is springing up at the place formerly known as Lake’s Crossing on the Truckee. This is said to be the point on the Central Pacific Railroad nearest Virginia City. The town has been surveyed and in a short time lots will be sold at auction.

TROUT EXTRAORDINARY. George H. Tracy, of Cottonwood Station presented this office with one of the finest trout that we ever saw the other day. It was killed in Trout Creek and weighed well, we don’t know how many pounds but it made a magnificent dinner for five and plenty left. Tracy is moving his station down to the foot of the big hill on Trout Creek, a splendid location, just a convenient distance out of town for parties to go and spend a day or two in fishing and rural sports. Look for us. Tracy, we’ll make a raid on you one of these days.

NEW LIVERY STABLE. A.C. Springer is building a large livery stable on Jordan Street between the Idaho Hotel and will be ready in a few days to furnish the public with buggy, carriage or saddle horses. Mr. Springer has just returned from Boise where he has purchased some splendid outfits in the way of horses, buggies, harness and c. The old man means biz. You bet.

REMOVAL. Brigham and Weeks have moved their entire stock of stoves, tinware, and c, into their large building known as Mechanics’ Hall on Jordan Street. It is now one of the largest establishments of the kind in Idaho Territory.

ELECTION OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES. Agreeable to the law which provides that School Trustees shall be elected on the first Monday in May of each year a meeting was held at the Court House last Monday at two o’clock, p.m. E. Borman, J.S. Butler and Geo. A. Young were elected School Trustees for the ensuing year. All of them being men who have children of their own to educate, we have every reason to believe that they will use every means in their power to advance the cause of education be maintaining a good public school in our midst.

GEORGE SYLVESTER who for several years was a captive among the Indians on the plains and who recently ran away from his parents at the Dalles, is in town. He was stolen when quite young by Indians and has led a life of strange and exciting adventure among his savage captors. He speaks his mother tongue in a very broken manner, much the same as a young child before it can talk plain. George could not endure civilization. His parents endeavored to persuade him to go to school but books have no charms for him. He says the old folks are “too lagerous to enjoy good health”, though it wasn’t healthy for him to stay at home and consequently ran away. His photograph was taken in full Indian costume at St. Louis immediately after his escape from the Indians, has been getting it copied here and sells them at a dollar each. He boards at a hotel, dresses well and is rather an interesting looking boy but as almost a natural consequence of the life he had led is somewhat addicted to gambling. It is said that he speaks the language of the Indians on the plains in a very perfect tongue. George intends to go among the Indians again and informs us that he can get employment and good pay as an interpreter. At another time we may relate some of the adventures of his eventful life.

BULLION SHIPMENT. Wells, Fargo and Co.’s bullion shipment from this place for April amounted to \$80,000, a considerable falling off from March, as the mills could not work on account of scarcity of quartz, occasioned by the breaking up of the roads which prevented hauling. The May shipment will also be light from the same cause. But during the remainder of the season the monthly shipments will be larger than ever.

Public notices

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF TRUSTEE ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 365 BRUNEAU-GRAND VIEW ELMORE AND OWYHEE COUNTIES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by the majority consent of the Trustee of the District, the Zone 1 TRUSTEE ELECTION, Joint School District No. 365, scheduled to be held at 12 o'clock NOON to 8 P.M. at Bruneau Elementary, Owyhee County on Tuesday, May 20, 2003 has been cancelled.

Cancelled according to: Idaho Code 33-502B: Only one nomination was filed in Zone 1 for the Trustee position; therefore, no election will be held. Candidate declared elected.

Dated this 9th day of May 2003.
Catherine R. Sellman, Clerk
Bruneau-Grand View School
District No. 365

5/14/03

NOTICE OF HEARING CASE NO. SP-03-01841M IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO AND IN FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

IN RE: PATRICIA JEAN PADDEN

Date of Birth: 4-28-70
A Petition by Patricia Padden, born on April 28, 1970 in (city) St. Paul, State of Minnesota now residing at 5931 Rolling Hills Place, (city) Marsing, Id, proposing a change in name to Patricia Jacobs has been filed in the above entitled court, the reason for this change in name being the name has been a source of shame and discomfort.

The petitioner's father is living; Such petition will be heard at 10:30 o'clock am on June 4, 2003, in courtroom at the Homedale Owyhee County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can, in such objections, show to the court a good reason against such a change of name.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said District Court this 18th day of April, 2003.

CHARLOTTE SHERBURN,
Clerk of the District Court
By Jan Fink, Deputy Clerk
4/23,30-5/7,14/03

NOTICE OF SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION MARSING JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 363 OWYHEE AND CANYON COUNTIES, IDAHO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: that the annual school election of Marsing Joint School District No. 363, Owyhee and Canyon Counties, State of Idaho, will be held on **May 20, 2003**, and the polls at said election will be open between the hours of 12:00 noon and 8:00 p.m. on said day.

Only those qualified voters residing in Trustee Zone No. **One (1)** may vote for a Zone No. **One (1)** candidate. The purpose of said election shall be to elect one trustee to serve for a period of three (3) years from the date of election who resides within Trustee Zone No. **One (1)**.

Trustee Zone No. 1 is more specifically described in the legal description available at the Marsing Jt. School District Office located at

209 8th Avenue West, Marsing, ID.

As provided by Idaho Code, Section 33-502A no write-in vote shall be counted unless a declaration of intent has been filed with the District Clerk indicating that the person desires the office and is legally qualified to assume the duties of school trustee if elected. The declaration of intent shall be filed not later than 4:00 p.m. fourteen (14) days prior to the day of election **May 20, 2003**.

The Polls will be open from 12:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at the following locations:

The polling place for Trustee Zone No. **One (1)** shall be held in the library at the Marsing High School.

An elector must be a registered voter who has resided in this state and in this school district at least thirty (30) days preceding the election.

That said election shall be by secret and separate ballot.

Absentee voting shall be permitted as provided by Idaho Code Section 33-406, as amended. Any qualified trustee zone elector who expects to be absent from the District on the day of the election or who will be unable, because of physical disability or blindness, to go to the polling place may make written application to the Clerk of the District for a ballot of the kind to be voted on at election, which application shall contain the name of the elector and the elector's present address.

As provided by Idaho Code, Section 33-406, as amended, application for an absentee elector's ballot shall be filed with the Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. one day prior to the opening of the polls. The absentee ballot must be received by the Clerk, no later than 5:00 p.m. the day before the election, before such ballot may be counted.

Dated this Twenty Eighth day of April, 2003

DEB HOLZHEY
CLERK, BOARD OF TRUSTEES
MARSING JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 363

5/7,14/03

NOTICE TO CREDITORS CASE NO. SP03-01835 IN THE DISTRICT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

In the Matter of the Estate of: THOMAS W. CARSON, 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 SCOTT. E. FOUSER, the personal representative of the estate, or the office of Wiebe and Fouser, P.A., Attorneys at Law, 702 E. Chicago Street, P.O. Box 606, Caldwell, Idaho, this being the place fixed for the transaction of the business of said estate, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 16th day of April, 2003.
SCOTT E. FOUSER
Personal Representative
P.O. Box 606
Caldwell, Idaho 83606-0606
4/30-5/7,14/03

NOTICE TO CREDITORS CASE NO. SP-03-01844 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

IDA ANNA SMITH, Deceased.

NOTICE IF HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above named estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased 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 either be presented to the Personal Representative of the estate at the law offices of ALEXANDERSON, DAVIS, RAINEY AND WHITNEY, 110 North Ninth Avenue Post Office Box 26, Caldwell, Canyon County, Idaho 83606-0026, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 1st day of May, 2003.
DENNIS AGENBROAD,
Personal Representative
5/14,21,28/03

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION EASTERN OWYHEE COUNTY FREE LIBRARY DISTRICT OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, according to law and the requisite action of the Board of Trustees, that the Eastern Owyhee County Library at 520 Boise Avenue, Grand View, Idaho will be conducting a trustee election on Tuesday, May 27, 2003 at the library. The polls will be open from 8:00 am until 8:00 pm. Only those qualified voters residing in the library district may vote for a candidate. The purpose of said election shall be to elect one trustee to serve for a period of five (5) years from the date of election who resides within the library district boundaries.

No write-in candidate for library trustee shall be counted unless a declaration of intent has been filed indicating that the person desires the office and is legally qualified to assume the duties of the office (Id. Code 34-1407). As provided by Idaho Code 33-2717A the last day to file a declaration of intent as a write-in candidate was May 2, 2003. Two (2) qualified candidates have submitted the proper paperwork. The two candidates are incumbent Kermit Tate and challenger Nancy Simper.

Voters may register at the polling place on election day and must provide all important registration information including name, residence and mail addresses, length of Idaho residency, birthday, and SSN.

Qualified voters who expect to be absent from the District on Tuesday, May 27, 2003 or who will be unable, because of physical disability or blindness, to do to the polling place, may vote by absentee ballot. Written application for an absentee ballot may be made to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees on a form made available at Eastern Owyhee County Library Monday through Thursday 10:00am to 5:00pm and Friday 10:00am to 2:00pm. Such application must be made no later than 5:00pm May 21, 2003 (for mailing) or the ballots may be obtained in person at the library beginning Monday May 12, 2003. The last day to apply for an

absentee ballot is 5:00pm May 26th. All ballots must be in to the library by 8:00pm on the day of the election. The Eastern Owyhee County Library boundaries are the Idaho-Nevada border to the south, the Snake River and C.J. Strike Reservoir southern borders to the north, 4 miles west of the town of Bruneau at the reservoir connecting to Hwy 51 and over to the Hot Springs continuing south along the west fork of the Bruneau River to the Nevada border as the eastern boundary, and Sinker Creek and the Owyhee Mountains south to Nevada as the western border. A map may be obtained at the library for anyone with questions.

By order of the Board of Trustees
Kathy L. Chick, Clerk
5/14,21/03

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee's Sale No. 02-WG-31537

Notice is hereby given that, Fidelity National Title Insurance, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on August 26, 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" A part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 11, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described to-wit: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of Section 11, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian; thence South 0°51'25" West 1287.86 feet, to the Initial Point of this description; thence continuing South 0°51'25" West 343.93 feet; thence North 89°13'46" West, parallel to the North line of said Southeast Quarter, a distance of 640.00 feet; thence North 0°51'25" East 343.93 feet; thence South 89°13'46" East 343.93 feet; thence South 89°13'46" East 640.00 feet, to the Initial Point of this description. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of HC 79 Box 511, Melba, ID 83641, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Kori L Lowe, an unmarried person, as Grantor, to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Trustee, for the benefit and security of DMI, Inc., as Beneficiary, dated 3/31/2000, recorded 4/6/2000, under Instrument No. 231956, rerecorded under Auditor's/Recorder's No. 231967, Mortgage records of

Owyhee County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Wachovia Bank, NA. formerly known as First Union National Bank, a National Banking Association, as Trustee for ARC 2000-BC3 Mortgage Loan Trust. 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 3/31/2000, failure to pay the monthly payment which became due on 7/1/2002 and all subsequent monthly payments, plus late charges and other costs and fees as set forth. Amount due as of April 18, 2003 Delinquent Payments from July 01, 2002 10 payments at \$760.08 each \$7,600.80 (07-01-02 through 04-18-03) Late Charges: \$418.00 Beneficiary Advances: \$143.20 Total: \$8,162.00 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 \$91,466.00, together with interest thereon at 9.200% per annum from 6/1/2002, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: April 18, 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> ASAP535422
5/7,14,21,28/03

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 365, Owyhee & Elmore Counties, pursuant to Section 33-601, Idaho Code, as amended, has determined that it is in the best interest of said school district to sell the property as identified below. An appraisal of school property as stated below has been duly made.

Description of property to be sold is as follows

1989 GMC School Bus - Mileage 204635 VIN#1GDM6P1F7KV518779
1990 Bluebird TC 2000 School Bus -Mileage 155630 VIN#1BAAGCSA0LF034295

Said property will be sold by sealed bids only for not less than the appraised value.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Sealed bids will be opened at the regular board meeting on May 22, 2003 at Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School, 7 p.m. Any bids received after the bid opening will not be considered.

The property to be sold may be inspected at Bruneau Elementary or Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School or by contacting Robert Lemieux at Jumbo's Auto Supply in Bruneau.

Catherine R. Sellman, Clerk
Joint School District No. 36
Owyhee/Elmore Counties, Idaho
P. O. Box 310 Grand View, ID. 83624
5/14,21/03

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On the 27th day of **August, 2003**, at the hour of **10:45 A.M.**, of said day, (recognized local time), in the **lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy**, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho.

First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash or cashiers check (cash equivalent), in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 11, Block 6, VOLKMER-MOTZKO FIRST ADDITION to the village of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of **230 Wye St, Marsing, Idaho**, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **GORDON L. WHITEMAN AND CONNIE L. WHITEMAN, husband and wife**, as grantors, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of **Primewest Financial Ltd., a Washington Corporation**, as beneficiary, recorded **June 24, 2002**, as Instrument No. **240016**, and assigned to **WELLS FARGO BANK MINNESOTA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION**, as Trustee for registered Holders of **Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2002-5, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2002-5, without recourse**, as beneficiary, by assignment recorded **April 15, 2003**, as Instrument No. **243178**, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments for Principal and Interest of \$798.21, due per month for the months of November, December, 2002 and January, February, 2003 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$47.89, with interest accruing at 10.95 percent per annum, and continuing to accrue from October 1, 2002. Also due are delinquent and unpaid taxes for 2002. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$84,009.40, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary

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

Dated: April 18, 2003

FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.
By Monine Cole Trust Officer
FA-15570/7261.21647
5/14,21,28-6/4/03

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

APRIL 28, 2003 10:00 A.M.

OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE MURPHY, IDAHO

Present were Commissioner Harold Tolmie, Commissioner Dick Reynolds, Commissioner Chris Salove, Clerk Charlotte Sherburn, Assessor Brett Endicott, Sheriff Gary Aman, Suzanne Nixon, and Fred Grant.

Commissioner Salove made a motion to appoint Commissioner Reynolds acting Chairman until Commissioner Tolmie was in attendance.

The Board moved to amend the agenda to include review of a Conditional Use Permit Application the County will submit to P&Z on the purposed waste site in Bruneau. The amendment also included a request for road name to the waste site.

At 10:15 A.M. the Board moved into executive session to discuss a personnel issue. No action was taken.

Fred Grant went over the Proposed Amendments to Owyhee County Zoning Ordinance with the Board.

Bids for E911 PSAP Equipment were presented to the Board by Gary Aman. There were bids from Q-West Communications and Mountain West. The Board approved a motion to authorize the sheriff to submit the bids to Geo-Comm for the purpose of securing reviews, before awarding the bid.

Indigent & Charity cases were reviewed by the Board. I.C Case No. 02-44 will be continued until May 19.

The Board approved Liquor License applications for the following: Jumbo’s, Bruneau One Stop, Paul’s Market, Matteson’s, Caba’s, and the Fishin Hole.

The Board approved a Certificate of Residency for a student attending school at College of Southern Idaho.

The Board approved and signed an Order vacating Riverview Estates #1 lots 1,2,3,4 of Block 1.

The Board moved to approve the request for the road name of the Bruneau-Grandview landfill to Landfill Road.

The Board moved to approve the minutes for the April 21st meeting.

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

Harold Tolmie, Chairman
Attest: Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk
5/14/03

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PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

On June 5, 2003 beginning at 8 PM, The Owyhee County Planning and zoning Commission will hold its regular meeting in the Courthouse Annex on Basey street in Murphy, Idaho. After dispensing with old business, the Commission will hear public testimony on the following matter:

GEIGER SUBDIVISION

Michel Geiger has filed a request for a Variance of requirements imposed by the Owyhee County Subdivision Ordinance so that Geiger Subdivision can be allowed to construct longer cul-de-sac streets. Subject property is located southeast of Marsing on Highway 78, Section 36, Township 2, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

BRUCE AND TERRY REUCK

filed an application for a conditional use permit to split two parcels, from a 188 acre parcels, for residential use, this application was previously heard on January 30, 2003 and at a subsequent continuance. The sizes of the proposed parcels are 8 and 9 acres. Subject parcel is located southwest of Homedale on Succor Creek in Section 14, Township 3 North, Range 6 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. The hearing is being reopened so that evidence which reached the commission after public testimony had closed can be included and for clarification of issues which arose during deliberations.

DOUGLAS AND KATRINA BENSON

have filed an application for conditional use permit to establish a residential use on a 2.810 acre parcel that they own. Subject parcel is located north west of Marsing on Honey Lane off of Edison Road in Section 29, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho
5/14/03

NOTICE OF SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 364

OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN according to law, and the requisite action of the Board of Trustees of Pleasant Valley School District No. 364, Owyhee County, Idaho, that the annual school trustee election will be held Tuesday, May 20, 2003.

Only those qualified voters residing in Trustee Zone No. 2 may vote for a Zone No. 2 candidate. The purpose of said election shall be to elect one trustee to serve for a period f three (3) years form the date of election who resides within Trustee Zone No. 2

As provided by Idaho Code Section 33-502A, no write-in vote shall be counted unless a declaration of intent has been filed with the District Clerk indicating that the person desires the office and is legally qualified to assume the duties of school trustee if elected. The declaration of intent shall be filed no later than 5:00 p.m.,

fourteen (14) days prior to the day of election.

The polls will be open from 12:00 noon until 8:00 p.m. at the following location:

Pleasant Valley School Gymnasium.

Qualified electors who expect to be absent from the District on Tuesday, May 20, 2003 or who will be unable, because of physical disability or blindness, to go to a polling place, may vote by absentee ballot. Written application for an absentee ballot may be made to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees on a form made available at the Pleasant Valley School District Office, Pleasant Valley School, on Monday through Friday, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Such application must be made no later than 11:00 a.m. (one hour before polls open), Tuesday, May 20, 2003. Electors applying in person may obtain their ballot starting April 21, 2003 (not more than 28 days prior to the election). Electors applying by mail should submit their requests as soon as possible. The absentee ballot must be received by the Clerk no later than 8:00 p.m. on the day of election.

By order of the Board of Trustees
Rosa Maria Lowry, Clerk
5/7,14/03

ORDER SUMMONING AND CONVENING A GRAND JURY

CASE NO. SP-03-01846

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 PETITIONING THE DISTRICT COURT TO CONVENE A GRAND JURY IN OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County, Idaho, has petitioned this Court for an order, ordering that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County. After careful review of the Petition and the Idaho statutes and rules regarding grand jury proceedings, and for good cause, the Court finds that the public interest of Owyhee County requires that a grand jury be summoned to inquire into public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County for the reasons set forth in the Petition filed by the Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County, Idaho, on the **23rd** day of May 2003, at the hour of 9:00 A.M., to commence inquiry into the matter of public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County. The Court finds that the public interest requires this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED

that the Jury Commissioner shall summon thirty (30) legally qualified jurors to appear at the Owyhee County Courthouse, on the **23rd** day of May 2003 at the hour of 9:00 A.M., and that from those thirty (30) persons, a grand jury of sixteen (16) persons shall be selected;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED

that the Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County shall attend the District Court on the **23rd** day of May, 2003, at the hour of 9:00 A.M., and then he or a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, shall attend all sessions of the grand jury offering advice, information, and assistance to the grand jury pursuant to Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6(d);

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED

that the Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County shall cooperate with and assist the Court in securing a room and facilities for use by the grand jury as required by Idaho statues and Idaho Criminal Rule 6(e);

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED

that once selected and convened, the grand jury shall serve until discharged by the Court, and during its term shall meet from time to time as necessary to conduct its business;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED

that this Order shall be filed with the Clerk of this Court and that said Clerk shall post a copy of this Order at the locations where court schedules are posted, on the general bulletin board where public notices are posted in the Courthouse, at the location where public notices are posted at the office of the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners, and shall furnish a copy of this Order to the newspaper which has been designated by the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners for publication of legal notices. Said copy shall be posted and provided to the designated newspaper no later than forty-eight (48) hours prior to the convening of the grand jury.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED

that the Clerk of this Court shall designate a deputy clerk and a substitute deputy clerk who will be made available to process records and documents pertaining to the activities of the grand jury in such a manner that the secrecy requirements of the law as well as all other provisions of Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6 regarding grand jury proceedings will be satisfied.

DATED this **9th** day of May 2003.

James E. Morfitt
District Judge
5/14/03

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ORDER SUMMONING
AND CONVENING A
GRAND JURY
CASE NO. SP-03-01846
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND
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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that once selected and convened, the grand jury shall serve until discharged by the Court, and during its term shall meet from time to time as necessary to conduct its business;

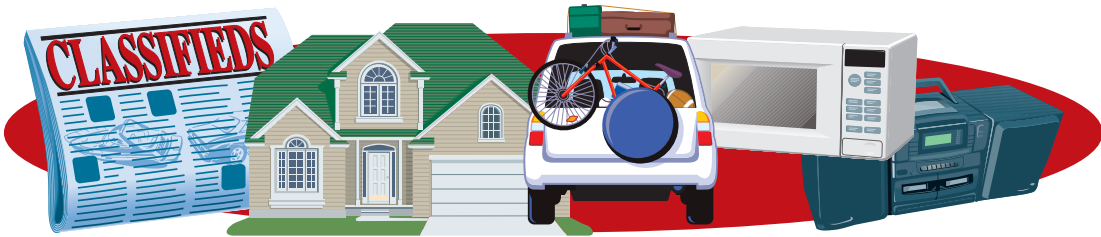
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DATED this 9th day of May 2003.

James E. Morfitt
District Judge

5/14/03



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Tractors: JD 5200 Diesel

Tractor, 4x4, 3x5 trans, 3 pt. 2 remotes, 14x28 rubber, with 540 front loader, joy stick control & quick detach, only 920 hours. Extremely nice tractor * JD Sabre riding lawn mower, rear bag, 13 hp, electric start, very clean.

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Guns, Safe & Hunting Items: Heritage Mdl. 23666 fire proof gun safe, holds up to 44 firearms, perfect condition * Winchester Mdl. 88 308 lever action w/ Redfield 3x9 scope * WWII German sniper rifle * New Ducks Unlimited Marlin

990 DU 22 semi auto rifle w/ 4x32 scope * Rem. 1187 12 ga. Auto shot gun * Hi Standard 22 Mag. Derringer * New Marlin Mdl. 60 22 Semi auto rifle * SW 9 MM pistol * H & R Mdl. 939 22 cal. 9 shot revolver * Rem. Mdl. 11 12 ga. Pump * New Mossberg Mdl. 5500 12 ga. Semi auto * Win Mdl. 120 12 ga. Shotgun * Harrington & Richardson Mdl. 88 410 single shot * Daisey pellet gun * Mag. Goose blind/decoy w/ spring loaded doors * 1 dozen each Mag. & Standard goose decoys * Mag. & Standard duck decoys * Saddle bags * Scabbards * Camp stoves & tables * Many Hunting supplies * 2 dog run *

Tools: Craftsman arm saw * Engine stand * Cherry Picker * Snap-On top & bottom box * Bench vise * Bench grinder * Complete shop full of quality tools * Socket & wrench sets * String trimmers * Many hand tools * 12v trolling motor * Many lawn & garden items * Fencing items * Measuring wheel * Much more not listed

Equipment: Brillion 6' brush mower * Rhino 6' blade * Speeco PTO posthole digger * JD 3 pt. 6' disc * 3 Row corrugator * 3 pt. Pasture harrow *

Primitives & Collectibles: Ladies 1/2 carat diamond ring * Several steins & Decanters * Sad irons * Large Stillyard scale * Haimes * Primitive tools * Bull skull * Antlers * Wood box * Breyer Collector horses: 98 Go Man Go, 97 King, 96 Leo & 95 Wimpy all in original boxes! More to uncover!

Computers, Electronics & Household Items: Mitsubishi 50" big screen TV * Surround sound system w/ center channel, bookshelf, & 50 watt subwoofer, Yamaha receiver * White leather couch * Transport Trek II laptop computer * HP R80 Office jet * HP CD burner * Zenith TV & VCR * Cherry twin bed * Wood office desk * Beautiful claw foot marble top occasional tables * 2 chairs & ottomans * Oak queen size bedroom set * Pine full size bedroom set * Blonde oak desk & chair * Floor & table lamps * Legend Print by Orman & Much More!

Miscellaneous: Complete set of Citation irons * Power-built golf clubs * Slide in stock rack * Bird netting * 2 live traps * Lockers * Chicken brooder * Stock tanks * Hi lift jack * Everyday dishes, pots & pans * Many books * Tire chains * Many items not listed!

Note: Jerry & Virginia Schroder have sold the ranch and are moving closer to town. Everything is extremely clean & nice. Preview Friday May 23, from 3:00 to 5:00 PM and auction Morning! Items have been added from a Nampa family.

Terms: Cash, Visa, M/C or bankable check day of auction. 10% buyer's premium. Everything sold as is.

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ESTATE / REMODELING AUCTION

Saturday, May 17th, 10 A.M.

LOCATION: Bear Mountain Angus Ranch *Formerly the FOOTE RANCH, Melba, ID. From Nampa take 12th Ave South (Hwy 45/78 cross the Snake River, 1 mile to Bear Mountain Angus Ranch. Signs posted.

NOTE: E.G. & Patsy Foote have sold their ranch and the new owners have decided to remodel. They have asked us to sell at auction the furnishings that came with the ranch. We are also selling the estate of Pat & Merle Murphy from Grants Pass, Or.

HIGHLIGHTS:

Beautiful Custom Saddle decorated w/Turquoise & Silver

Amber Glass * Fancy Metal Arbor * Wood Arbor * Wind Mill Yard Décor * Wishing Well * Baskets * Bedroom Furniture * Benches * Book/Cookbooks * Boston Rocker * Queen Ann Sideboard * Candle Holders * Candy Dishes * Canister sets * Carousel Horse (newer) * Cedar Chest * Chairs * Chess Set * Clocks * Coat Racks * Coffee & Occasional Tables * Multiple Small Collections: Brass * Birds * Bird Houses * Coke Items * Elephants * Mini Bells * Nut Crackers * Paperweights * Shot Glasses * Swans * Rabbits * Plates * Spoons - Cookie Jars * Sofa Bed * Crystal/Glassware * Pictures * Home Décor * Wicker * Office Furniture * Dining Room Furniture * Enamel * Costume Jewelry * Jewelry Boxes * Pics of John Wayne * Kitchen Appliances * Lamps * Floor Lamps * Linens * Mirrors * Picture Frames * Spurs * Pocket Knives * Postal Scale * Rugs * Sewing Machine * Sewing Table * Toys/Dolls * Wine Racks * Globe

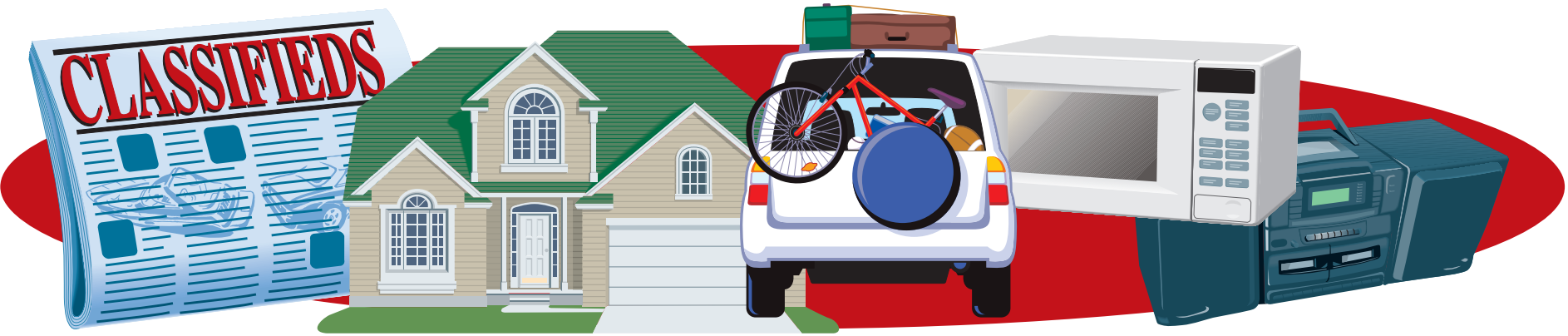


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YARD SALE

Three family huge yard sales: G.E. Electric range and hood, set of kitchen cabinets, air conditioner, TV sets and stands, gas BBQ, Mazda snow tires on wheels, 5th wheel hitch, office supply-book case, better work clothes "adult", books, garden compost maker, older camper for small pickup, all priced to sell. 3749 Pioneer Rd. off Hwy 95, 1 mi so. of Homedale, 8:00 A.M., Wed. 14th through Sun. 18th

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THANK YOU

Thanks to everyone who attended the funeral and for all the cards, calls, food and flowers. Also to the ladies who served a lovely meal at the church after the services. A special thanks to Stuart and Reed for singing and to Pastor Schirett for the nice service. Iris M. Parker and Family.

I thank my family for planning and working on the celebration for my 80th birthday. I also thank everyone who came. It was a very enjoyable evening. Thank you, Glenyce Maupin

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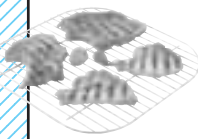
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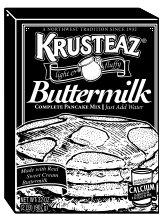
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