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County proposes P&Z fee increases

Sheriff requests resolution for fee increase

A hearing before the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning commission will be held on Monday to hear public input to a proposed department application fee increase. The hearing will be held in Murphy at 11 a.m. before the county commissioners. The commissioners will also consider a fee increase for service performed by the county sheriff. The sheriff's fees hearing will be held at 10 a.m.

Currently special use permits are a flat rate of \$225, but the P&Z commission plans to increase some fees and add fees to items that have never been charged for in previous years.

One fee is proposed to be reduced. A single family residence and hardship filing has been charged \$225 but the proposed fee will be set at \$182.25. A special use permit for confined animal feeding operations will raise to \$494.18 under the proposal.

New fees will include conditional use permit fees for those listed under the permitted uses in zoning districts listed in Owyhee County Code. Non-conforming use expansion, excluding single family residential use, \$456.68, application for reclassification/modification of zones or application for modification of comprehensive plane, \$1,348.92, vacation and or amendments of plats, \$437.25, request for variance, \$566.89, appeals to board of planning and zoning decisions, \$778.32, and modification of special condition, \$273.54.

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Flu season

Southwest District Health nurse Jill Eversull injects Homedale resident Elizabeth Mewhinney with a flu shot last week as hundreds of seniors, children and adults are preparing for the flu season.

Candidates to gather for Monday forum

Two candidates are running for the position of Homedale's mayor and five are running for three open positions on the city's council. On Oct. 27, the voters of the City of Homedale will have the opportunity to meet the candidates and listen to their ideas concerning current and future issues.

The Homedale Chamber of Commerce will gather all of the candidates together for a public forum to help voters in the community know who the candidates are and what they represent.

Incumbent mayor Hap Duryee and former mayor Paul Fink will battle for the position of mayor in November's election.

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Hope House dedication draws hundreds

Yard sale draws in much-needed funds

In celebration of its 30th anniversary and the final stages of building renovation, Hope House Director Donnalee Velvick held a dedication, anniversary party and the place

was packed.

Ice cream, cake and tours of the home's new site on Old Bruneau Highway in Marsing and one of the "biggest yard sales around" brought in hundreds of friends, family and curious neighbors.

Marsing Mayor Faye

Pfrimmer attended the gathering saying having Velvick and her family move to the Marsing area is a blessing.

"She is wonderful," Pfrimmer said. "The work that she has done to this property is unbelievable. Donna and her family will be a wonderful addition to the Marsing community and I am so thankful so many turned out to

celebrate this wondrous occasion with her."

The yard sale was held to help raise funds to pay for an indoor sprinkler system and smoke detector system. Velvick said Hope House needs to raise \$141,000 to pay for those and a sewage system before the site can be approved to move into.

"We've got a long way to

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A volunteer paints the side of the school and church on the grounds of the Hope House last week. The renovation of the site is nearly done, but director Donnalee Velvick said more money is needed to finish the project.

Trojan football players suspended

Two Homedale Trojan Football players may not be participating in the next two crucial football games, the final game of the regular season and the first round of the playoffs, because of crimes they are accused of committing and a policy adopted by the school district several years ago. Several other athletes may also be forced to sit out the first two games, or two weeks which ever is greater of their sport of choice, due to their alleged involvement in a paintball shooting of a local teen.

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City leaders spend over \$10K on abandoned plans for water tank site

The Homedale City Council was informed during a council meeting recently that the current site of the city’s reservoir will, after all, be a site the city can use for its water reservoir instead of purchasing a plot of ground near the same location.

The city spent nearly \$11,000 on the proposed site before concluding that the site the reservoir is currently located can be used.

The following is a breakdown of what the city spent on the proposed site: Terracon, soils, \$7,465.26, which includes \$4,346.50 for engineering, \$2,514.76 for drilling, \$604 for labs.

A-Best Inspections/Investigations, \$500.

ELS, Surveying/Staking, \$840.

Engineering, \$1,590, which includes meetings with DEQ, Vance, Terracon, ELS, and A-Best. It includes conferences with South Board of Control, Tank Manufacturers, Structural Engineers, draftsman, Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Administrator, EPA and inspection crew.

The city spent a total of \$10,395.26.

The city has spent nearly \$14,000 on the site where the current reservoir is located. Terracon, soils, has received \$5,534.80, ELS for surveying and staking, \$2,305, Crane Drafting has received \$577.50 and reproduction expense has cost the taxpayers \$23.30.

Engineering has received

\$5,320 for design, soils, structural and telemetry. Six soils testing and results meetings were charged as well as two control system, three surveyor, two meetings with Owyhee County records, four meetings with DEG, two with Rick Kushlan, 10 site inspections and digital camera reports, three Silverman with EPA, four meetings with Tank Manufacturing, three meetings with inspection crews and five meetings for plans and specs.

Homedale City Clerk Pam Dugger said a portion of the engineering expenses are necessary regardless of the location of the reservoir.

Talks are scheduled to continue during this week’s council meeting on Oct. 23 at City Hall at 7 p.m.

Homedale grad finishes basic training

Homedale graduate Tristan Uria spent several days at home on leave after graduating from basic training at Parris Island South Carolina on Oct. 8. Several of her family members including her mom and dad Ric and Terri Uria and Tia Cindy Derrick, Shalise and Caylee Derrick flew to Parris Island to spend family day with Tristan and attend her graduation on Oct. 10.

Tristan entered the U.S. Marine Corps on July 15 and left for Marine basic warrior training in South Carolina Monday. She received an expert in the rifle range and scored 295 out of 300 in the physical fitness test. She will train for 22 days and then will be stationed at Penniscola, Florida where she will be training in aviation electronics.

Her family said they are very proud of her.



Masonic Lodge to hold scholarship breakfast

The Silver City Masonic Lodge No. 13 A.F. and A.M. of Homedale will hold its annual scholarship breakfast d at the lodge on Nov. 2 from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. for \$5 per person.

The pancake feed will be an all you can eat breakfast with

ham, scrambled eggs, pancake and Ava’s red syrup. Everyone is welcome to attend to help fund additional scholarships in the future. All funds will go to the scholarship fund and tickets will be available at the door.

The scholarships will be awarded to students from the Parma, Wilder, Homedale and Marsing School Districts.

City offers reward for vandalism information

A resolution was passed by the Marsing City Council last week that they hope will give people a reason to turn in vandals seen destroying, defacing or vandalizing public property. The reward is being offered after several reports of vandalism in the city including setting fires in bathrooms and destroying every piece of equipment kids gathered for their skate park.

This summer, children from a school in Nampa built a ramp from wood and donated it to the skate board park located

near the community center in Marsing. Local skaters worked for nearly two years to raise enough money to build a cement slab for skateboarding. They also had several additional items donated. But several weeks ago, the wooden ramp burnt to the ground and the other equipment was destroyed.

Mayor Faye Pfrimmer said she was told that the ramp was hit by lightening, but she said she felt vandals had burnt it down. She said the council approved a reward leading to

the arrest and conviction of vandals caught destroying public property.

The resolution, No. 85, was passed to offer a \$100 reward “for information leading to the arrest and conviction of those parties responsible for the destruction, defacement, or vandalism of public property within the city limits of Marsing.

Weather

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Oct.14	66	28	
Oct.15	64	30	
Oct.16	58	29	
Oct.17	73	34	
Oct.18	78	35	
Oct.19	no	read	
Oct.20	84	34	

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Candidates for mayor and councilpersons for the City of Marsing, gathered last week for a candidate forum hosted by the city’s chamber of commerce. Seated are mayor candidate Don Osterhoudt, Mayor Faye Pfrimmer, mayor candidate Carol Edwards, council candidates Paula Enrico, Ed Pfeifer, Bud Peck and Dan Carlson.

Few gather for Marsing candidates’ forum

Approximately 20 Marsing residents gathered at the city community center to hear council and mayor candidates give their ideas of how they feel concerning city issues. The Chamber of Commerce hosted the event last week which was moderated by president Bill O’Connor and secretary Rob Troxel. Candidates were given a number and asked four prewritten questions concerning their feelings on current issues.

Five candidates are running for mayor including current mayor Faye Pfrimmer, councilman, Don Osterhoudt, Dan Carlson, Bud Peck and councilwoman Carol Edwards. Councilman hopefuls Paul Holzhey and James Natale did not attend the forum. O’Conner said he was unsure why Natale did not show, but Holzhey had a prior engagement. The remaining council candidates, Ed Pfeifer, and Paula Enrico attended.

O’Conner told the audience

Middle school elects student body council

Homedale Middle School students elected its 2003-2004 student body council recently and held its first meeting in September.

Those elected include, Zach Tolmie as president, Justin Mashburn as vice president, Mandy Brasher as secretary/treasurer, Yeraldin Quarez as historian and Alysha Bahem as reporter.

that the goal was to enable Marsing residents to cast an informed ballot on election day.

“What we hope to offer is an opportunity for the public to come to know the candidates, their backgrounds, areas of expertise and interests, and to develop an informed understanding of the candidates qualifications based on that information.”

The candidates began by being asked to introduce themselves and state why they were running for the position of their choice. After an individual introduction, each candidate was asked to identify what they thought was the most important issue faced by the city in the next five years.

Enrico said she felt the issue for the next five years would be growth. She said she plans to seek as much information from current and previous council members to help her in the decisions of the council involving growth.

“Water and sewer. That is what this city will be facing in the next five years,” Peck told the audience. “State and federal requirements will be changing by 2006. One will be SSO, sanitary sewer overflow. It won’t matter if it is on city or private property. DEQ will investigate and if the city is found to be in violation, they will fine. The city will need collection and treatment. The treatment will be based the city’s lift stations. I would like to see us prepare for these right away.”

The panel was asked to express their feelings about

future growth and development of the community. Pfeifer stated that he is in favor of expansion, but he did not want to see the expansion at an uncontrolled rate.

“The quality of life is what is important,” Pfeifer said. “We have to strike a balance. Would you want to have people who move into this community decide for you how they want your community, or do you want to decide it for yourself? That is the main focus for the quality of life. If I am from California and I bring in a dairy and I have children, I am going to focus on the schools, city council and I am going to change it the way I want it to be. The way I see it is everyone here has a responsibility to make this city what we want

without saying no growth. It is coming.”

Edwards said she is in favor of growth, but she said she does not want to loose the rural atmosphere that goes along with growth.

Osterhoudt answered the next question about the importance of the role of public input in city government by saying if the council is not approached, the council can not know the questions the residents would like to have addressed.

“Public officials are elected by the public,” Osterhoudt replied. “Public officials can be fired by the public if the public official is not doing what is right for the public. As far as I am concerned when we have public hearings the public can

make their wishes known. If the public does not show up, we don’t know. We have to do what ever is the best with the information we have. If we have public hearings, please show up.”

Pfrimmer agreed that the city is in the process of expanding and continuing to expand over the years. She said expansion is needed in the city but she agreed that it needed control.

Carlson said concerning the public’s input to meetings, he felt the floor should be opened to the public during council meetings for input. He said it did not matter if the mayor and council needed to remain for meetings until late in the night, as long as the voices of the people were heard.

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✓ Fees

Preliminary subdivision plat fees will increase from \$1 plus \$10 per lot set in 1993 to \$242.75. A final or “short” subdivision plat will increase from \$50 set in 1993 to \$422.15.

The fees currently charged by the sheriff’s office have not been increased as costs of operation have increased. The purpose of considering the increases is to decrease the impact on property taxes of operations costs of the sheriff’s office. The increases will allow distribution of the operations costs to the users of the sheriff’s services.

Currently the sheriff’s department has been charging as set by Idaho Code. The increases being requested are a few dollar increases to items such as serving legal documents, copies and drawing legal documents.

✓ Candidates

Council incumbent Charles Garrison, Steve Schultz, and appointed councilman Dave Downum will compete for one of two four year term seats and former councilperson Lois Hart and Homedale businesswoman Cindy Sims will vie for the two year seat vacated.

The forum will be held at the Homedale Middle School gym at 6:30 p.m. Coordinators said all of the candidates have confirmed to participate in the event which will be moderated over by chamber president Robin Tolmie.

Each candidate will be given time to offer a personal introduction and to state their reason for running for office. The moderator will then ask a series of questions to which each candidate will be asked to respond.

The public is invited to attend and to familiarize themselves with those who seek to be their leaders in Homedale government.

Tolmie said the citizens are invited to submit questions concerning what they would like to hear from the candidates. She said questions may be sent to P.O. Box 455, Homedale or by calling any chamber member. Questions will need to be submitted by Oct. 22.

✓ Football

During homecoming week, 15 year-old Hailee Garrett was preparing to “toilet paper” a friend’s home along with a group of schoolmates. As the group gathered at the side of the road outside of Homedale, four teenage boys drove by and shot paintballs into the crowd. One of the paintballs smashed

into Garrett’s eye causing her to have severe damage to her eye and vision.

Officials from the Homedale School District said at least three of the four boys have been involved in sports in the past years, and one of the boys is currently a football player.

On Oct. 11, a 17 year-old high school football player was cited for minor in consumption after being apprehended at a party in Marsing.

Owyhee County Sheriff Gary Aman said the boy was cited and released to his parents. He said several other under age people were cited from the Marsing and Nampa areas.

In 1992 an “activity participation policy” was adopted by the school board. The policy has been amended and re-adopted several times over the years the latest being in August.

The policy states: “student involved in athletics, cheerleading, or drill team/flag corps shall not possess, use, transmit, traffic in, or be under the influence of illegal/controlled substances such as tobacco in any form, amphetamines, barbiturates, marijuana, narcotic or hallucinogenic drugs, alcohol, or intoxicants of any kind on the school grounds or off the school grounds, or while in training for or participation in a school activity, function, or event. This also includes all violations listed in the penal code, other than minor traffic infractions. The committee will investigate the alleged violation and upon verification that a violation has occurred, the committee will proceed.

“If a violation happens it does not matter if you are currently participating in a sport at that time. Your violation-step will carry over to the next sport you participate in.”

The first violation suspends a student for two games or two weeks, which ever is greater. A second violation suspends a student from remaining contests in the sport season and forfeit any right to letter and participate in the post-season banquet and any all-star contests.

A third violation removes the student from any athletic extra-curricular activity until the beginning of that sport season next calendar year.

Homedale High School Principal Mike Williams said last week “something is pending on both accounts.”

“One has been applied and the other one is pending upon receiving notice from law officials on Friday,” Williams said Wednesday. “I am waiting on Canyon County to see what

the actual charge is.”

Williams said of the three other students involved in the shooting, two have participated in sports in prior years. He said if they sign up for a sporting event this school year, they will be suspended from the first two games, or the first two weeks.

“They all have a right to due process and until then I am not sure what they are going to do,” Williams continued. “We have notified the students and the parents what we are going to do, but I am not sure if the parents are going to appeal the decision. Myself, the athletic director and the coach are involved.”

But Williams said for now,

the school does not plan to do anything with the boys involved in the shooting of Garrett until he hears back from the prosecuting attorney in Canyon County as to what the boys will be charged with. He said the policy is too loose and he does not know what, if anything, the boys will be charged with.

“They broke a law but what everyone thinks they broke, probably is not what they will be charged with,” Williams explained. “What they (the public) want us to do is say they have committed a violation and enforce it. Say for instance I see your child driving recklessly. Can I suspend them for two weeks?

The policy needs to say that when a student is convicted of a violation of the penal code. It is too loose. People want us to be put in the position of we know a student has done something wrong, go deal with it.”

The Canyon County Prosecuting Attorney’s office did not return repeated phone calls and messages.

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Obituaries

James L. Day

James L. Day, 73, of Boise, passed away on Thursday, October 9, 2003 at the Boise Veterans Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 14, 2003 at the Alden-Waggoner Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Thomas J. Blackburn officiating. Burial followed at Morris Hill Cemetery.

Jim was born on December 10, 1929 in Boise to Lester E. and Blanche E. (Adams) Day. After graduating from Boise High School in 1947, he was training as a lineman for Idaho Power, building substations around the state of Idaho. He joined the U.S. Marine Corps on September 1950. After boot camp he served with the First Marine Division in Korea. He was wounded in Wonju, Korea, 38th parallel and was paralyzed, becoming a quadriplegic. He was in the Veterans Hospital in Long Beach, CA for five years before being flown home to the Veterans Hospital in Boise. He had his own quad home built where he resided until his death.

He is survived by his brother, Albert Day and his wife Joy of Bellingham, WA; nephews, James L. Day and his wife Patty of San Diego, CA, Eric W. Day and his wife Mary of Redondo Beach, CA, Ralph J. Day and his wife Pam of Sandpoint, ID, Mark E. Day and his son Carlos Day both of Culver City, CA; aunt and uncle, Sam and Evelyn Henson of Jennings, LA; cousins, David and Elaine Myers and family of Boise, ID, Jack and Marilyn Burke and family of Meridian, Don and Pat Davis and family of Bruneau, ID, Alene Downing and family of Homedale, Ernie and Sherrie Bahem and family of Murphy, Larry and Colleen Bahem and family of Homedale, Lloyd and Vonnie Adams and family of Vallicito, CA, and Cary and Lynn Twedt and family of Nampa.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents, Blanche and Lester Day, aunts and uncles, George and Ann VanDerhoff, Walt and Meldretta Adams and Art and Martha Bahem.

Special thanks to long time caregiver and friend, Walker Roles who cared for Jim for 45 years, Clare St Amand who helped care for Jim for 30 years, and Katie Pirnie and Yvonne St. Amand.

Our many thanks to all at the Boise Veterans Hospital, doctors, nurses, and personnel, for their loving support and kind sensitive care for Jim for the last 47 years.

Memorial gifts may be made to the Disabled American Veterans of Idaho, 550 W. Fort St., Boise 83724, or to a favorite charity.



Dorothy Mae (Grammer) Johnston

Dorothy Mae (Grammer) Johnston, 93, of Homedale, passed away on Friday, October 17, 2003 at a Nampa care center. Graveside services will be held at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, October 22, 2003 at Marsing-Homedale Cemetery with Reverend Marianne Paul officiating.

Dorothy was born May 24, 1910 in St. Paul, Nebraska to Seth Daniel and Mary (Bower) Grammer. She proudly graduated from Boise High School in 1927, attended the University of Idaho, and graduated from the College of Idaho.

She married Thomas F. Johnston May 31, 1932 in Vale, OR. From this marriage two children were born; Thomas R. (Dick), and Maryann. They lived in Reynolds Creek, Marsing, Id. and Melba, Id. She moved to Homedale after the death of her husband, then to Boise's Heritage Retirement Center, and then to Holly Nursing Center in Nampa where she passed away.

Dorothy taught school for 32 years, starting in Reynolds Creek and then the Marsing School District as a 3rd grade teacher, retiring in 1974.

Dorothy enjoyed cooking for the ranch hands and buckaroos in Reynolds Creek. She loved teaching school and the kids she taught. She enjoyed the senior center in Homedale, and her church. She loved her grandkids and her family and friends.

Dorothy is survived by her son Dick (Donna) Johnston of Boise, ID; daughter Maryann Pegram of Homedale, ID; 8 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren; brother-in-law Calvin; sisters-in-law Anna Mary, Beatrice, and Irene; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 53 years, brother Wayne, sisters Betty and Harriette, and son-in-law Elmo Pegram.

Memorials may be sent to The Presbyterian Church, Homedale, Idaho 83628 or Homedale Senior Center, Homedale, Idaho 83628. Following the services there will be a potluck held at the Homedale Senior Center.

Visitation was held from 5:00 to 8:00 PM on Tuesday, October 21, 2003 at Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Homedale.



THIS WAS THE NEWS ...

from the files of
The Owyhee Avalanche

June 27, 1913

Railroad Survey Completed to Owyhee River.

D. D. Joslyn, secretary of the Jordan Valley commercial club, was in Silver Thursday of last week and while here called at the Avalanche office. Mr. Joslyn is an experienced civil engineer and surveyor and has been located at Jordan Valley for more than a year. He was for several months in the employ of the government as a surveyor, during which time he became thoroughly acquainted with that section.

Mr. Joslyn stated that there was no doubt but that the Boise-Winnemucca railroad would be built. A survey party consisting of 15 men under the directions of Mr. Sheldon, locating engineer of the Western Pacific, have completed the survey from Winnemucca to McDermitt, a distance of 85 miles, and are now nearing the Duncan's ferry crossing on the Owyhee river, a distance of about 65 miles from McDermitt. The route of survey follows down Crooked creek to the Owyhee river and it will cross at the mouth of Jordan creek and follow that creek to the town of Jordan Valley.

Mr. Joslyn stated that work on the new Jordan Valley irrigation project was progressing very rapidly. At this time 35 teams are employed and it is believed that this will soon be more than doubled. The system is designed to irrigate about 100,000 acres but only a small unit will be completed this year. Homeseekers have begun to be attracted to that section and it is believed that a large number of them will locate there this summer.

Bruneau Now Has Electrical Power.

The great Shoshone & Twin Falls power company, last week completed their line into Bruneau and connected with all the business houses and residences in town and last Saturday night turned the juice on and for the first time in the history of this little burg electric lights shone from every window, and all the business places were aglow with the artificial sunlight--Nugget.

Some Walker.

Clifford Weston arrived in Silver Monday evening. He walked the entire distance from Murphy to Silver and claims to have been on the road but six hours and forty minutes, one hour of which was spent at the Sinker stage station. Clifford does not claim any relationship to Edward Weston, the notable pedestrain, but he certainly is some walker. It takes the stage from 7 to 8 hours to make the trip. Mr. Weston expects to spend two weeks in Silver and then go to Salt Lake where he has been promised a good job for the summer. He will attend school at Boulder again this winter.

FROM THE OLD 40's Photo album



Martin's Drug Store, Idaho & First West, Homedale

Read all about it
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Resource center to hold computer classes

The Marsing Resource Center will hold a series of computer classes including classes for the "very beginning adults" to power point for beginners and intermediate.

Computer classes for very beginning adults taught by Judy MacKenzie, a former school teacher, will teach a very basic beginning for those who know nothing about computers. Four consecutive clases will be held on Thursday mornings beginning Oct. 23 through Nov. 13 from 9:30 until 11:30 a.m. The fee will be \$40 and provides eight hours of instruction and all materials.

For six consecutive Tuesdays beginning on Oct. 28, an introduction to the Windows Word program will be instructed by Judy Mooney. The class will be held from 7 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. and will cost \$45 for nine hours of instruction and materials.

The Power Point class for beginners and intermediate will be taught by Shirley Olen an instructor at the Marsing High School. The class will be held in four sessions the first on Oct. 27, Oct. 30, Nov. 3 and Nov. 6 from 6:30 p.m. until 8 p.m.

The class will cost \$45 for six hours of instruction and all supplies.

The classes will be held oat the center located at 110 2nd Avenue West. The center is open from 1-6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. on Saturdays. Pre-registration is requested.

Senior news

Homedale Senior Center

Oct.23(noon): Chicken cacciatore, noodles, string beans, rolls, salad, cake.

Oct.28(noon): Roast beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, peas, rolls, salad, cake. Bus trip to Birds of Prey at 2 pm.

Oct.29(buffet): Chicken a la King, rice, spinach, rolls, salad, fruit, dessert.

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Councilman seeks election to position

After spending nearly six months on the Homedale City Council, appointed councilman Dave Downum says he has learned a lot and feels now that he knows some of the city's top issues, he has a better understanding of how the city is run. Downum hopes voters will agree and elect him for a four year term as a city leader on Nov. 4. Downum joins incumbent Charles Garrison and city resident Steve Schultz in a battle for two four year term council seats.



"The water issue is probably one of the biggest issues in the city," Downum said. "I am really happy with where it is going now. I am not sure about the purchase of the other property. That happened before my appointment. But I think it will be good for everyone involved. I feel this is a win-win situation."

Downum said there was no win in loosing the money the city spent on the preparation of a site near the current water reservoir, but he said if it had been erected in the original

location, the city could have faced a lawsuit. "This is the ideal spot all the way around."

"More than anything I just want to help with the running of the city in general and help the people of the town," Downum said. "I don't think I could do enough in six months. If I thought I had done enough I would not run."

Downum was appointed to the planning and zoning where he spent eleven months in the seat. He said he thought very hard as to whether he wanted to be a part of the council and now that he has had six months to serve, he hopes to be able to continue.

"I would like to be a voice in the process," Downum explained. "I am not running for a council seat with an agenda. I am going into this with an open mind. I can't go into it saying I am going to change this or I am going to change that. I dislike a politician who goes in making promises and eventually finds he can't keep them."

"I think anyone who has a concern about the city business should attend the meetings and tell the council what they want. I think as a city we should spend more time helping our senior citizens. They are in need of a van and improvements, I think as a city we can help them accomplish that. We need to do more for our seniors."

Downum said he made several attempts to find a van for the center but has come up empty handed, for now. He said he will continue to try to find the seniors a van for their Meals on Wheels program.

EDITOR'S NOTE: This concludes our interviews. Councilperson candidate Lois Hart did not submit to an interview.

Marsing schools to meet with parents

The first quarter parent/teacher conferences for the Marsing School District will continue to run through Oct. 24.

The high school will hold conferences today and Thursday from 4 until 7:30 p.m. Superintendent Harold Shockley said due to coaching schedules, Janet Cooney would only be available today from 4:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. and athletic director Don Heller would only be available to conference on Thursday from 4:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

The middle school conferences will also be held today and Thursday from 4 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Conferences will be held in the elementary school gym.

Shockley said due to previous commitments, a few of the teachers would be available to meet with parents only one night of the scheduled conferences.

Michele Ross will be available tonight. Rick Folwell would be available for conferences on Thursday at 4:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. and Loma Bittick would be available tonight from 4:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Shockley said Bittick may be available on Thursday depending on how the varsity volleyball team places in the district tournament.

Elementary school conferences will continue through tomorrow evening.

For questions contact the school at 896-4111. The school will not hold classes on Friday.

MHS selects September students of the month

Megan Ryals and Tyson Nielsen were chosen as the September students of the month for Marsing High School

Megan is in the tenth grade at the school. She is active on student council serving as the girl's representative for the sophomore class. She plays volleyball and said she plans to play softball in the spring.

Megan said she enjoys riding her horse, Jypsy, in her spare time. She also likes to go to the ball games and read a variety of books. She has helped with the Leadership class in cleaning up the school grounds.

Megan said Mr. Pfeifer's Leadership class is the one she enjoys the most. She likes all kinds of music. Her favorite group is Lonestar. She has a sister named Kelly and a brother named Donald. She also has a niece, Evelyn, and a nephew, Tristan. Megan said she likes that Marsing High School is small because it gives her a better chance of getting to know people. She is planning to go to college and is interested in becoming either an English teacher or a doctor.

Tyson is a junior at Marsing High School. He is very active in the athletics and clubs at the high school. He participates as a member of the football team, the basketball team, and the baseball team. He is also a member of the FFA club.

Tyson also likes to participate in rodeos and hang out with his friends. He enjoys reading books. He said the Harry Potter series and the Lord of the Rings series are some of his favorites. Biology is his favorite class.

He has a brother named Taylor, a sister, Mykaela, another brother Hayden, and a little brother named Brady.

Tyson is looking forward to attending college after he graduates from high school, but has not yet chosen what he wants to do as a career.

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Wild horse and burro board meeting scheduled

The Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Wild Horse and Burro Advisory Board will meet to discuss the management and protection of wild, free-roaming horses and burros on the nation's public lands, according to a notice in October 15, Federal Register. The meeting will be held Monday, November 3, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Tuesday, November 4, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. local time.

The Advisory Board will meet at the Capital Hilton, 1001 16th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., Phone: (202) 393-1000. The BLM re-established the Wild Horse and Burro Advisory Board in 1998 to provide input and guidance for the management of wild horse and burro herds on the Western rangeland.

Under the 1971 Wild Free-Roaming Horse and Burro Act, the BLM manages nearly 44,000 wild horses and burros, which roam public lands in the West. The law mandates the protection, management, and control of these wild horses and burros in a way that ensures a healthy, viable free-roaming herd population within the limits of available public land resources.

The BLM gathers excess animals and places them in good homes. After one year, qualified adopters may acquire a title for the animals. The BLM manages animals in compliance with the Wild Free-Roaming Horse and Burro Act, as amended. The public may address the Advisory Board on November 3, at approximately 4 p.m.. Individuals making a statement should register with the BLM on November 3, by noon, at the meeting location. Depending on the number of speakers, the Advisory Board may limit the length of presentations. Speakers should address the specific wild horse and burro-related topics listed on the agenda. Speakers must

submit a written copy of their statement to the BLM at the meeting.

Individuals who are unable to attend the meeting but would like to comment may submit a written statement no later than close of business October 29, to: Bureau of Land Management, National Wild Horse and Burro Program, NV-960, Attention: Ramona DeLorme, 1340 Financial Boulevard, Reno, Nevada, 89520. For additional information regarding the meeting, please contact Janet Neal, Wild Horse and Burro Public Outreach Specialist, (775) 861-6614. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may reach Ms. Neal at any time by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339.

Local singer duos on benefit concert

Local country gospel recording artist Betty Adams Aitchison will perform a duo with Canyon County Sheriff George Nourse for a benefit concert on Oct. 25 at the Albertson College of Idaho's Jewett Auditorium at 7 p.m.

George and his band "Night Train" will present 45 minutes of country favorites and Betty will sing 45 minutes of country gospel splash with fiddle and banjo instrumentals. Proceeds will go to help Canyon County youth.

Musicians for Betty will be her brother, Woody Purdom, Donna Huntley, Zaqchary Jeffries, Randy Glen, Richard Spurgeon, and Margaret Spurgeon. Elaine Eoff and Lorinda Norton will provide vocal harmonies.

Tickets for the event may be purchased at all Select-A-Seat locations.

Million to be spent on resource conservation this year

Pete Sinclair, District Conservationist for the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRC) recently reported to the Bruneau River and Owyhee Soil Conservation Districts that 13 applications were approved for cost share through the Environmental Quality Incentive Program.

Government cost share dollars committed by the NRCS amounts to over \$500,000. Producer costs will amount to about \$600,000. The cost share will help local farm/ranch producers implement their conservation plans. The plans, written by the NRCS and subsequently approved by the conservation districts, contain best management practice designed to conserve, maintain and improve a farmer, or rancher's, natural resources.

Most conservation plans will contain practices that

improve on an existing irrigation system including an incentive payment for irrigation water management. Improvements may include a transition from a low efficiency gravity-flow, furrow irrigated system to a high efficiency center pivot sprinkler system. All plans will include an incentive payment for nutrient management. Over 8,000 feet of water delivery line will be installed to replace open delivery ditches. Fencing and

watering facilities will be installed on Animal or Confined Feeding Operations.

Sinclair reported that the soil and water saved through these volunteer efforts of Owyhee County farmers and ranchers will greatly improve the health of the area's soils and streams as well as improve on crop yields.

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Oct.24: No school.

Oct.27: Burrito w/fixings, fruit variety, buttered rice, carrot sticks, variety milk, Chinese egg roll, fresh salad bar, fresh baked roll.

Oct.28: Red Baron pizza, fruit variety, garden salad w/dressing, trail mix, variety milk, baked potato w/ or w/o chili, fresh salad bar, fresh baked roll.

Oct.29: Chicken alfredo, garden salad w/dressing, fruit variety, variety milk, beef fajita, fresh salad bar, fresh baked roll.

Homedale

Elementary

Oct.23: Spaghetti or hot pocket, french bread, green beans, pears, choice of milk.

Oct.24: 1/2 ham and cheese or 1/2 turkey sand., yogurt, celery sticks, strawberries, granola, choice of milk.

Oct.27: Early dismissal. Beef or turkey wiener wrap, chicken noodle soup, green beans, mixed fruit, rice krispie treat, choice of milk.

Oct.28: Beef or chicken taco, lettuce, cheese, tomatoes, corn, pears, choice of milk.

Oct.29: Chicken or rib-b-que/bun, potato wedges, orange wedges, applesauce cake, choice of milk.

Homedale Middle

Oct.23: Burrito or hot pocket, vegetable, fruit, dessert, or salad bar, choice of milk.

Oct.24: Hamburger or hot dog, fries, fruit, choice of milk.

Oct.27: Early dismissal. Lasagna, french bread, vegetable, fruit, or salad bar, choice of milk.

Oct.28: Sloppy Joe or weiner wrap, green beans, fruit, dessert, choice of milk.

Oct.29: Chicken filet or CF beef stk, mashed potatoes and gravy, hot roll, fruit, choice of milk.

Homedale High

Oct.23: Chicken patty/bun or sandwich choice, fries, fruit, dessert, choice of milk.

Oct.24: Crispito/taco salad or rib-b-que/bun, corn, fruit, choice of milk.

Oct.27: Early dismissal. Pizza or nacho bar, salad, fruit, dessert, choice of milk.

Oct.28: Cntry fried beef stk or chicken filet, mashed potato/gravy, hot roll, fruit, choice of milk.

Oct.29: Spaghetti or burrito, french bread, salad, fruit, choice of milk.

October parent-child meeting offers Halloween projects

The October parent-child meeting is planned for Oct. 23 from 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. at the Homedale Elementary School lunchroom. Children from birth to five years of age and their parents are invited to attend.

Activities will include parents helping their chil-

dren paint a face or carve a face on a pumpkin plus a leaf art project. A raffle for books will be held.

For information contact Teresa Ryska, Homedale parents as teachers supervisor/parent educator at 337-4033

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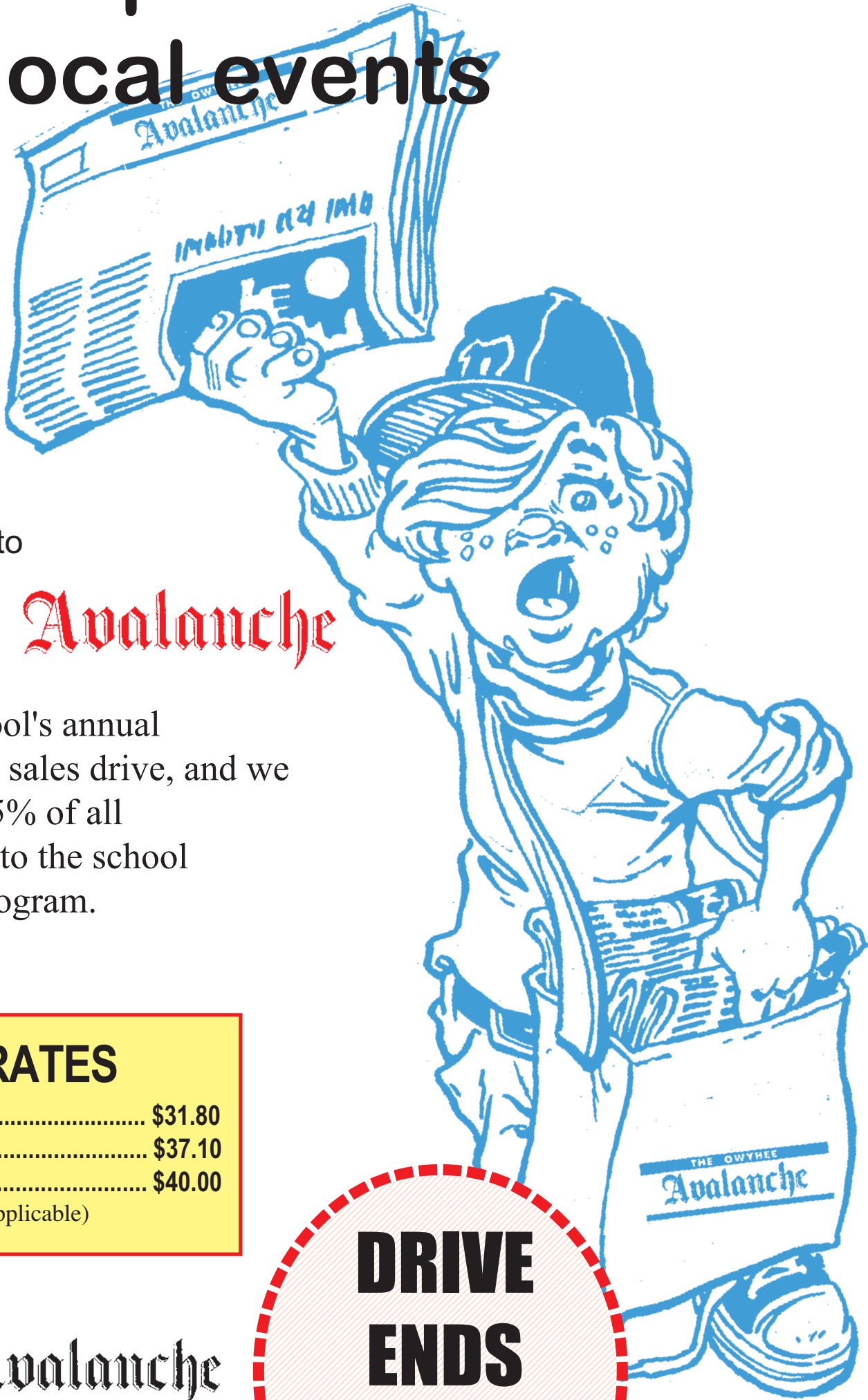
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Jordan Valley Homecoming highlights



Jordan Valley High School junior float.



Jordan Valley High School freshman float.



Jordan Valley High School homecoming queen candidates from left to right were Julie Eiguren, senior, queen Michelle Baltzor, sophomore, Kayla Brown, junior and freshman Tina Stanford.



First place winner senior float "Smoke 'em."



Jordan Valley High School sophomore class float with the school mascot.

Michelle Baltzor named Mustang's homecoming queen

Michelle Baltzor, a sophomore at Jordan Valley High School, was crowned homecoming queen during last week's football half time festivities. Baltzor was escorted by Emile Schown.

Senior princess Julie Eiguren, junior Kayla Brown and freshman Tina Stanford competed against Baltzor for the crown.

Homecoming activities drew to a close Friday night with the annual dance at the elementary gym but began on Monday with a series of dress up days.

Thursday the girls of the school competed in a battle of the fittest in powder puff football. The freshman and junior combined girls team

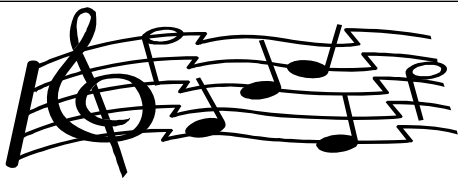
won. Following the girls, the boys hit the nets in a masculine form of volleyball. The junior boys ruled the senior, sophomore and freshman teams.

Jerry Worten, Breann Hipwell and Lacey Kershner traded uniforms as Mr., Miss and Miss Spirit.

The all school parade lined up at the high school and traveled downtown with floats from every class including Pleasant Valley. The senior float won the competition with the "Bee Hive" float.



Jordan Valley High School student Jerry Wroten traded places from football star to "handsome" cheerleader.



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Homedale goalie Humberto Machuca hits the ball away from a crowd of Fruitland players. Also in the play are Trojan players Erik Padilla and Nestor Monreal. This game was Senior night, and Homedale ended with a 2-2 tie against Fruitland.

Mustangs stop Hornets in homecoming game

Win captures league title for second year

With the Tri-Co League title hanging in the balance, the Jordan Valley Mustangs overcame a slow start and early deficit to beat the Harper-Huntington Loconets 38-14, Friday in the Tri-Co League championship game at Jordan Valley High School.

The win improves the Mustangs to 7-0 on the season and 5-0 in the Tri-Co. The win gives Jordan Valley the No. 1 seed from the Tri-Co and the Mustangs will entertain Adrian Friday in the first round of the 1A District 4 playoffs. Chamberlain said the first round of state competition will be on Nov. 8.

Harper-Huntington falls to 4-1 in league and 5-2 overall. The Loconets will also have a first-round home game against Prairie City Friday.

Harper-Huntington struck first, scoring on a 5-yard run by Jeremy Stacy. The 2-point conversion failed, leaving the score 6-0.

The Mustangs reeled off 38 unanswered points from that point on.

Shane Smith started the onslaught, returning a fumble 38 yards for a touchdown. Pat Hipwell caught a 27-yard touchdown pass from Mike Johnson and Cline scored on a 1-yard run, giving Jordan Valley a 22-6 halftime lead.

The first half was doubly painful for the Loconets. Starting quarterback Robert Laeger was lifeflighted to a Boise-area hospital with a back injury. Chamberlain said Monday that Laeger was doing fine in a local hospital. Another Loconet was taken from the game with a leg injury, but Chamberlain said he was unsure of his condition.

While the offense was rolling, the Mustangs’ defense was bogging Harper-Huntington’s running game down. The Loconets finished with 22 carries for negative 35 yards.

Hipwell led the Mustangs’ ground game with 22 carries for 88 yards and one rushing touchdown. The Loconets threw for 174 yards, but completed just 8-of-27 passes.

Chamberlain said the Mustang’s have never won a state championship in football. He said the team attended the state quarterfinals several years ago, but that is as far as they have gone.

Chamberlain is in his first year of football in Jordan Valley.

Trojans hang on in district soccer showdown

Firstyear Homedale Trojans soccer team is holding on in an effort to place well in WIC2A/3A district tournament last week with one win and two losses against the Fruitland Grizzlies, Weiser Wolverines and Payette Pirates.

The team met with the Grizzlies on Tuesday for its final game of the season and tied the Fruitland 2-2. Goals were scored by Alfredo Higuera and Guillermo Machuca.

“This was senior night,” Head coach David Correa said. “Our seniors honored were Alfredo Higuera, Miguel Sanchez, Nestor Monreal, Fredy Ponce, and Alex Lazovic.

Our first game of the district tournament in Payette was played on Wednesday. Correa said the team played well against Weiser who Homedale beat earlier in the season. The team again stopped the Wolverines with a 3-1 victory.

“Two goals were scored by Galo Albor and one by team

captain Javier Sotelo,” Correa said. “We were very excited and the team morale was high.”

On Friday, the played its second district game against Payette. The final score was 10-1 for Payette. “Unfortunately for our team things didn’t work out that night,” Correa said. “We played a very good first half. By the second half, Payette took advantage of all its opportunities and increased the score in its favor. Even though the defeat was not easy to take, the team is keeping its head up.”

The Payette boys soccer kept their winning streak and the chance to be 3A District III champions alive with a 9-1 win

over Homedale in the semifinals of the 3A District III Tournament Friday at Payette High School.

Payette’s Artemio Lopez scored the first of his three goals on an assist from Humberto Cisneros three minutes into the game.

The Trojans came back with a score of their own five minutes later.

Brad Moon had two goals for Payette, who is the defending 3A state champions. Cisneros tallied a pair of goals.

Payette keeper Shawn Taylor had three saves for the Pirates, who now will face McCall-Donnelly in the District III championship game Tuesday at Payette.



Erik Padilla moves the ball past a Fruitland player.

Mustangs stop Nyssa in five games

The Jordan Valley Mustangs won a back-and-forth battle over Nyssa last week.

The 1A Mustangs held on for a 25-22, 20-25, 27-25, 14-25, 15-6 win over the 2A Bulldogs in non-league volleyball action in Jordan Valley.

The Mustangs were sparked by great play both on the net and in the backcourt. Sherri Baltzor recorded six blocks, six kills and 14 digs, while Mindy Johnson added 13 digs and six kills. Anna Watkins added 15 assists and seven service points.

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Ontario finishes 2-0 against Pilgrims, Trojans

The Homedale Trojans split their matches on Tuesday, getting a 25-20, 25-8, 25-9 Western Idaho Conference win over New Plymouth and then dropping their second match 25-18, 18-25, 25-15, 25-17 to Ontario in a non-conference girls' volleyball match.

The Tigers then handed New Plymouth (8-7 overall, 8-4 WIC) a three-game loss, 25-22, 25-18, 25-12, capping the 0-for-2 night.

The Pilgrims lost leading setter, Justin Arbaugh, to an injury in the loss to Homedale.

Kim Silveria led the Trojans (8-3, 11-5) against New Plymouth with eight kills and seven service points, while Karianne Vanderhoff had eight kills and six blocks, Jill Cooper seven kills and five blocks, and Alicia Mackenzie had 15 assists.

Tracy Rogers had 11 digs and five kills and Ashley Coombs had eight assists against Homedale. Megan Platz recorded 12 digs.

Against the Tigers, Rogers had four kills and 12 digs, while Amy Upton had 12 digs and Coombs had 10 assists.

The loss to Homedale assured the Pilgrims the No. 3 seed heading into the 2A District III Tournament, which begins

this week at Fruitland High School.

The Trojans' Silveria had five kills against Ontario and Vanderhoff chipped in four kills and three blocks.

The Tigers' Vanessa Gomez and Kylie Roberts each had eight kills in the win over New Plymouth. Carrie Heninger added eight assists, while Roberts served for 11 points and Jennifer McDannel had three blocks.

Against the Trojans, Gomez led the attack with 13 kills, while Heninger led with 21 assists. Roberts served for 15 points, while Gomez had six digs and McDannel had five blocks.



Shannon Batt sets the ball up for a Trojan spike in a previous game. Homedale defeated Melba in three games last week, but results were not made available. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

Fan Club golf winners announced

The winners of last weekend's Homedale Fan Club golf tournament were announced by coordinator Darren Krzesnik.

Stuart Miyasako, Andrew Vanderhoff, Garrett Sweet and Trevor Krzesnik won first place followed by Gregg, Gary and Casey Garrett and Joe Bideganeta in second place.

High score were Jeff and Kristi Marks, Renee Tolley and Susan Vanderhoff. Paul Fink won the chipping contest and Rob Cook and Hayden Krzesnik won the putting contest. Fink and Cook donated their winnings back to the Fan Club.

The Outback dinner winner was Mike Parker.

Krzesnik said 48 golfers turned out for the event which was called such a success that another event will be held next year. The club raised approximately \$1,300 for the Fan Club.



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Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

On the edge of common sense



Overcoming fears

One lazy summer morning I was relaxing in my scenic viewing point (a one holer), with the top dutch door swung open, watching the ravens ride the air currents above the canyon that opened out below me. They soared and sailed, swooping over the ridge tops as the canyon walls fell beneath their dizzying descents. Just watching them made my stomach sink. I thought, wouldn't it be awful to be a bird and be afraid of heights. That morning I walked into the office and made the observation to my secretary. She twinkled and replied, "Like a claustrophobic mole."

Overcoming the bad cards you get dealt in the game of life is part of character development, be it raven, mole or human.

I've known cowboys who were afraid of horses, horses that were afraid of cowboys, cowboys who where afraid of cowgirls, cowgirls who were afraid of cows, cows that were afraid of cow dogs and cow dogs that were afraid of thunder.

I've known singers that couldn't carry a tune, poets that couldn't rhyme, authors that couldn't write, and drummers who couldn't keep a beat. Yet they keep on trying like the tumblebug in the elephant's cage.

There are many inspiring stories of athletes with less natural ability than their peers, but through persistence, hard work and attitude they excel and often win the blue ribbon. Seabiscuit the racehorse is such a story. Disabled heroes, wounded soldiers, bandaged bull riders, Superman actors and blind tightrope walkers all star in inspiring tales wherein a regular human rises above poverty, abuse, discrimination or tragedy to become a useful citizen and an asset to his fellow man.

Most obstacles and impediments that we encounter in life are beyond our control. How we deal with them depends on our own ability to handle personal fears.

Help in managing these fears can come from many sources; faith in God, family and friends, good insurance, drugs, and/or therapy. Often we become better at what we do because of them.

Steve and I were watching ships at sea one afternoon off the California coast. I remarked that I had read that many sailors in the old days couldn't swim. Steve mulled it over a moment, then said, "Well, the good side is, it probably made them better sailors."

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... *but possibly of interest*

The Lewis and Clark expedition



Next year marks the official beginning of the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial. It was 200 years ago that those two explorers and two dozen men, began their epic trek across the North American continent to the Pacific Ocean.

Expedition diaries indicate one of the big problems Lewis and Clark faced wasn't hostile Indians or grizzly bears. It was the mosquitoes. The little insects drove them nuts-especially during the ascent of the Missouri River. They were so bad Lewis' big, shaggy Newfoundland dog, Seamon, would often howl in agony from their bites.

In June, I visited Helena, Montana to attend the annual convention of the Western Writers of America. Helena is smack in the middle of Lewis and Clark country. One day, when I had some free time, I grabbed my cameras, jumped in the car and headed up a highway paralleling the mighty Missouri River, looking for photo opportunities.

The Missouri meanders slowly along the south side of a wide valley with thick groves of trees on both banks. I had just passed through the town of Townsend when I spotted a sign that said "York Island Park, next right."

Now anybody who has read about Lewis and Clark knows York was William Clark's Negro slave. York went along on the expedition. It was obvious the island was named after York, so I decided to stop and take a look.

A gravel road went over some railroad tracks, then wandered into a cottonwood grove. Among the trees were a number of very nice campsites, complete with rock fire pits. Strangely, all the camping spots were unoccupied. The only signs of life were dozens of cottontail rabbits that were hopping around, seemingly unafraid, sometimes

stopping within a few yards of me to scratch themselves.

York Island was visible in the middle of the Missouri, about 100 yards from my riverbank viewpoint. Overhead the "Big Sky" of Montana was a deep blue, dotted with large cotton-like clouds. It was a great picture opportunity. I strapped the appropriate lens on my camera, got out of my vehicle and started shooting.

I had snapped a half dozen frames when I noticed I was having trouble getting things in focus in the camera viewfinder. I took my eye away from the finder to check to see if there was something mechanically wrong with the camera. That's when I discovered the cause of the fuzziness. I was standing in the middle of a cloud of Missouri River mosquitoes. The bugs were so thick even drawing a breath put me in danger of swallowing several of the critters.

Forgetting the beauty of my surroundings, I jumped in the car. It was an unusually warm June day and I had rolled down the windows. So, I quickly rolled them up—trapping myself with twenty thousand mosquitoes who acted like they hadn't had a square meal in about 200 years. It suddenly was obvious why none of the campsites were unoccupied and why the cute little cotton-tails were stopping every few feet to scratch.

Montana's speed limit is 75 miles an hour. When I got back on the pavement I rolled down all four windows and put the pedal to the metal. Fifteen miles an hour above the state's speed limit enough turbulence was created to suck most of the mosquitoes out of the car.

I'll bet Lewis and Clark would have traded their dog, slave and Sacajawea for a 90-mile-an-hour canoe.

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Commentary

Accuracy in media

Can Limbaugh save himself and others?

by Reed Irvine

The National Enquirer, which got recognition from the mainstream media with its exposé of Jesse Jackson’s use of funds from a nonprofit organization he controls to pay off a mistress whose child he had fathered, has done it again. This time, the target of its investigative report was Rush Limbaugh, and the story was about his addiction to painkilling prescription drugs like OxyContin and Vicodin. The story was partially based on a full-scale criminal investigation of those who have for years supplied large quantities of such drugs to Limbaugh and others.

Limbaugh has said on his radio show that part of the National Enquirer story was right. He admitted that he had become addicted to painkiller drugs and announced that he would enter a drug rehabilitation program for a month. Some of his fans were angry at the tabloid, but they, Limbaugh and the nation owe the Enquirer a debt of gratitude. By exposing his addiction and lifting the curtain that has concealed the illegal traffic in these dangerous drugs, the tabloid may have saved Limbaugh’s life and the lives of many others.

This point was made by John LeBoutillier in NewsMax.com. LeBoutillier, a former congressman from New York, cited the case of his older brother who was addicted to Valium for 14 years.

He was taking over 100 milligrams a day when, zonked out on Valium, he miscalculated while jogging and was hit by a car. He survived, but he has been a quadriplegic for 15 years.

LeBoutillier hopes that Limbaugh will use his radio show to teach others what he has learned from this experience. Liberals and lefties who hate and fear Limbaugh may be outraged if he escapes prosecution, but, LeBoutillier says, this experience could lead to a new mission for Rush. He could use his program to warn his 20 million listeners not to follow in his footsteps. He could apply pressure on the police and others to crack down on those who make it easy for those addicted to painkilling drugs to get their fix. There are many flaws in the system that cry out for correction. Doctors who prescribe painkillers that they know to be addictive and do nothing to keep their patients from succumbing should be disciplined. They have a duty to warn patients of the addictive power of these drugs and keep an eye on them. Pharmacies that dispense these drugs illegally should be shut down.

While he is in a rehabilitation clinic for a month, Limbaugh has lined up substitutes to host his radio show. He could start on his new mission now by having G. Gordon Liddy host one of his shows. Liddy, on his own nationally syndicated talk show, recently told of his experience with painkiller drugs. He said when he was in a hospital with a painful injury, a nurse brought him a painkiller on a regular schedule. It dawned on him that he was becoming addicted to the drug. Liddy, who has demonstrated his tolerance

of pain in many ways, had enough will power to defeat the addiction before it conquered him. He stopped taking the drug.

That is a lesson that Limbaugh should learn and use his bully pulpit to teach others. Having G. Gordon Liddy tell his story on Rush’s program would be a good introduction to the course. Some say that it may take Limbaugh months and maybe even years to overcome his addiction.

Le Boutillier goes further than that, saying, “Done correctly, a properly recovering addict is never ‘cured.’ He or she is always recovering. He/she may leave the rehab center, but that addict needs to keep treating the addiction. Narcotics Anonymous meetings and constant monitoring under the care of a ‘sponsor’ are all part of the recovery plan.” Limbaugh may not be strong-willed enough to follow that routine, but if he keeps popping pills to feed his addiction his career may be finished, perhaps because the addiction degrades his ability to perform. It may have caused his hearing loss. Some think he may take a left turn and show greater tolerance of drug users, including those who are addicted to recreational drugs.

Most of Limbaugh’s fans are sticking with him. A World Net Daily poll found 41 percent said his honesty in admitting his problem increased respect for him. Twenty percent said he “was still the king,” and 15 percent said his personal problems did not affect their opinion of him at all. But if he emerges from this ordeal as soft on drugs, those percentages could drop precipitously.

Letter to the editor

Sorry to see him go

I read with great sadness the article announcing the resignation of our County Extension Agent, Eric Morrison. When Eric came to us, it was to assume the position that Chad Gibson had filled so well for so long. We all held our breath to see who the University could send that could come close to serving the people of Owyhee County as diversely as Chad Gibson had for so many years. As should have been expected from such a gentleman, Chad turned the reins over to Eric Morrison very graciously, and carefully assured everyone that Eric would be very good at handling any situations that came up.

When Eric first arrived, we watched him with a leery eye, because he didn’t have much to say. Over time, we came to realize that Eric was a “doer” not a “talker”. At first, it was frustrating to ask him a question, only to have him tell you that he would “have to get back to you”. But he was a man of his word, and he always DID get back to you—but only after he had time to adequately research your question and think through all possible ramifications of a decision. If you were looking for a hasty decision, Eric probably wasn’t your man. If you were looking for a fair and balanced decision, you came to count on Eric.

Many, many times over his four years with Owyhee County, Eric cheerfully stepped in to help our 4-H kids, sometimes at the last minute when a judge or other necessary person didn’t show up, and we were in a panic. Eric never blows his own horn, so I think most people would be shocked to know all the “behind the scenes” work that gets done by

him—that no one ever thinks about, it is “magically” just “done”. He was never one to interfere with something that was going well, but he was the first to jump in and help if he was asked. Eric has helped with our County Horse Judging in some capacity every year since he has been here. When we hold our Buckaroo Jamboree to practice for the Owyhee County Fair, Eric has all the gates unlocked and the announcing stand set up and ready to go by 7 AM. And by the way, he brings and fills the county water jugs for our events and sets them up for our kids by each gate. When we are finished for the day, we can load our horses and head up the hill, because we know that Eric will lock everything up and see that everything is taken care of. At the Fair, he is always around to move and set up the P.A. system and offer assistance at every turn.

When the article stated that Eric was resigning over “differences in philosophy” —we were saddened to hear that. Because Eric’s philosophies of teaching our kids to raise healthy animals for a real world market, instead of following the latest fad of the show world—is what has endeared Eric to the country kids in our county, and to their parents who are working so diligently to make a working future for their children on our farms and ranches. Let’s face it folks, Owyhee County is more-or-less the last frontier in the urbanizing counties that surround us. If you want your kids to “win, win, win”, you probably weren’t impressed with Eric, because he doesn’t follow the show trends. If you want your children to learn animal care and husbandry, you probably found a new respect for him.

Eric never forced our kids to learn, but if they were interested and asked, he would sit down with

them on the lap top computer that is his constant companion and show them how to figure the feed rations for their market animal. He wouldn’t just weigh and measure the animals for weigh-in, instead he would teach the kids how to take proper weights and measures. Eric has a real heart to see the 4-H members in our county continue in the heritage of stock raising that many of our kids were born into. This year, he searched long and hard to find the best market for our 4-H lambs, one that would give our kids the best price to reward their efforts. He found a packer in Emmett that paid the kids \$11 a hundred weight more for their lambs because we were one of the only counties to leave wool on the lambs as opposed to slick-shearing as many of the surrounding counties have gone to. Granted, it is much “easier” to slick-shear, but again, Eric’s concern was for putting more dollars in the producer’s pocket, not for making the show ring easier. If our kids grow up to be stock growers, they will need to research and market their animals annually for the rest of their lives. How many of our 4-H kids will go on to show animals for a living?

Along with our 4-H club, South Mountain Livestock, we would like to wish the best of luck to Eric in his next venture. It was a privilege to have him work with our children, because they were eager to learn what he had to offer. To those who were lucky enough to work closely with Eric on the Owyhee Cattlemen’s Association, the Junior Livestock Sale, the Fair Board, the Owyhee County Horse Leaders, and the many 4-H livestock clubs in the county, Eric Morrison will be sorely missed.

Ann Black Rutan
Jordan Valley

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

October 22, 1953

Trojans lost own homecoming 25-13

The Homedale Trojans were keyed too high for their annual homecoming game with Marsing and as a result fumbled on the second play and before they could recover, Marsing had scored three times and held a 19-0 lead at the half time. The Trojans struck back in the second half with two touchdowns. The first one came in the third quarter with Lee Townsend going over from the one yard line. The second came in the fourth quarter on along pass from Leon Moss to Wayne Miller, good for 45 yards and a touchdown. Marsing took the kickoff and marched down the field for their fourth touchdown of the game. The final score to an otherwise successful homecoming was Marsing 25, Homedale 13.

Lee Townsend was voted outstanding player for Homedale and was awarded a new traveling jacket by the Homedale Dept. store.

Marsing high prepares for homecoming Friday

Fresh from a 25 to 13 victory over the Homedale Trojans, the Marsing Huskies are ready to take on the New Plymouth Pilgrims in their own Homecoming event tomorrow afternoon. Marsing, with four wins and one loss for the season, is tied with the Notus Pirates for first place in the SRV “B” league, and are slightly favored over the pilgrims to win tomorrow’s contest.

Wayne Maggard and Nick Pascoe will co-captain the Huskies in the highlight game of the Marsing football schedule. The game is slated to begin at 2:30 pm preceded by the crowning of the Homecoming Queen at 2:15.

Miss Carmen Usabel will preside as the Queen of the day and will be attended by the following: Miss Molly Panzeri, senior; Miss Mary Sabia, junior; Miss Mamie Oyler, sophomore and Miss Bonnie Young, freshman.

News about town

Mrs. Martha Mortensen left last Saturday for Burely, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Spottswood and Mrs. Christy Adams. She will be gone about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Adams, Marilyn, and Shirley Runger were Sunday callers of Dick Malloy of Succor Creek.

Little Terry, Duane, Bobbie Joe and La Von Watkins of Parma, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watkins,

were week end guests at the home of their grandparents, Mr. an Mrs. Reuben Call.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Miller visited at the Willard Pollock home in Caldwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Conrad of Coos Bay, Ore., visited several days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker.

Mrs. F. E. Dazey, Mrs. Amy Adams; and Mrs. Lulu Haylett attended the Legion Auxiliary yearly school of instruction held at Caldwell last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Parr left for Fort Worth, Texas, last Sunday to attend the funeral of Mr. Parr’s father, who passed away Sunday.

E. E. Benjamin, MM-1, stationed at the Main station of the Naval recruiting office at Salt Lake City, Utah, is home this week visiting his mother, Mrs. Lee Pierce. He will be located at Salt Lake City for the next two years.

50 years ago

October 19, 1978

Society slates officer election

The Owyhee County Historical Society will hold its regular meeting Friday, October 20th in Murphy at 8 p.m. This is the Society’s annual meeting with election of officers and annual reports from all chairmen and officers of the Society.

Those holding office this last year were: Vivian Gottsch, Grand View, President; Will Hyslop, Nampa, Vice President; Florence Calaway, Caldwell, Corresponding Secretary; Dorothy Hyslop, Nampa Recording Secretary; June Christie, Homedale, Treasurer.

Board members whose terms are up this year are: Milly Whitted, Grand View and Wesley Bevan, Homedale, the one year remaining term of Jim Crow, Nampa, who dropped out as board member due to business demands. Remaining board members are: Darrell Narma, Nampa; Larren Arnold, Nampa; Jim Huntly, Marsing; and George Crookham, Caldwell.

Also new with the museum in Murphy is the director. After 18 years of dedicated work Julie Hyslop of Nampa retired effective September 30, 1978.

Hunter luck up slightly

Marsing. Hunter success was up somewhat during the opening days of the big game hunting season in Owyhee County, according to the Fish and Game Department.

According to Fish and Game totals, 97 deer were checked through the Marsing Check Station from Oct. 11 through 15. A total of 727 hunters were checked through for a success ratio of 13 percent.

Last year 867 hunters were checked through with 78 deer, for a nine percent ratio.

Unit 40, the area which includes the northern Owyhee County and the Silver City area, closed Oct. 15.

Trojans overcome errors

Homedale. Homedale High’s football squad shook off the mistakes of the first half Friday evening and came back in the second to record a 14-6 conference win over the visiting New Plymouth pilgrims.

The victory was well earned, especially since the Trojans were operating without the services of three starters, Kenny Leavitt, Mark Hughey and Larry Yost.

“I thought both teams played rather sluggishly,” observed Trojan mentor Daryl Kellum. “That’s one of the problems with Homecoming week. The team it is involved in a lot of things other than football.”

The two teams battled to a scoreless tie at the end of the first two periods. Homedale’s offense saw at least two drives stall after fumbles.

Grand View news

Rimrock High school news. Linda Nichols was crowned queen of the Homecoming festivities Friday night.

Senior princesses were Terri Morse and Marie Basabe with the Junior princess Leslie Steel; Sophomore princess, Kim Lawson; and Freshmen princess Charlene Hutton. The Senior float won first place with the theme “Raid Em”, depicting a green and gold can of Raid.

The Rimrock Rodeo Team will be sponsoring a rodeo Oct. 22 at 11 am in Burghardt’s Arena in Grand View. This rodeo is open to the public and the events are Saddle Bronc, Bareback, Cow Riding, Calf Riding, Barrel Race, Pole Bending, Goat Tying, and Team Roping.

135 years ago

October 31, 1868

VALUABLE INVENTION. We were shown the working model of an improved wagon-brake, recently invented by our townsmen, J. S. Butler and A. J. Stucker, which for simplicity, economy, durability and effective working, in our opinion, cannot be excelled. It is claimed, and we believe it to be true, upon every principle of philosophy, that at least four times the frictional effect is produced upon the wheels of a wagon by this invention than by the ordinary method. It consists of two brake bars, one behind and one before the hind wheel, and instead of attaching to the axle, as in the old style, and thereby adding to the strain on the spindle (sometimes several tons) the power is transferred through the sandboard, by means of a sliding bar, to the opposite brake-bar, by which it will be seen the effective force applied to the wheels is just doubled.

Messrs. B. and S. have applied for a patent, which will doubtless be granted. In the meantime, Mr. Stucker will manufacture them to order at his shop. Who would be without a brake in this fast age? Were we a teamster we would not be without one for many times its price.

MILLER’S HOTEL. If you want a good square meal when you go on the mountains just hint the fact to Miller and while your meal is being prepared the landlord will invite you across the street to take “something to drink.” Miller is a bully fellow and so is Mrs. Miller.

PICTURES. Don’t forget to go to Leslie’s and get some of those splendid landscape views-mountain scenes and c.; they’re just the thing to send to one’s friends. Leslie will also accommodate you with photographs done up in every style of the art.

REPAIRS are rapidly progressing on the Lincoln mill and it will be ready in a few days to commence turning out again some more of those \$22,000 bricks.

SUBSCRIBERS and advertisers will please prepare to settle up immediately, as an important business change will take place in our paper next week.

HOME AGAIN. Tom Ewing and Joe Rupert returned from San Francisco this week. They were stopping at the Occidental when the big earthquake occurred. Tom stopped in bed and covered his head with the blankets to prevent the plaster from falling in his eyes and Joe bounced out to see the sights. He says that men, women and children, were rushing round with little or not clothing on. There was a tremendous uproar. Tom purchased on immense stock of goods for every description and has the road lines with team bringing them in. Rupert selected fixings for his new drug store which he will have converted into a magic palace in a few days.

NEW ROUTE. Hoag and Ramsdell moved their stage line over to the Smith and File road the early part of this week, and have already made two trips on it. This road runs via Flint and Camp Winthrop, connecting with the old road to Camp McDermitt and is doubtless the most direct route. Although we doubt its advantages in the winter season, especially while new, we think it will become, when properly improved and traveled, one of our most important thoroughfares to the railroad.

THE WEATHER. Last Tuesday night our town was greeted with the first snow of the season. It stormed nearly all day Wednesday. The snow fell about three inches deep in the streets and about five inches on the summit of the mountain. The snow has almost disappeared and it is clear and pleasant as we go to press.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On January 27, 2004, at the hour of 2:00 o’clock pm of said day, 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:

Lot 14, Block 2 as shown on the Final Plat of SILVER SAGE SUBDIVISION NO. 2, Owyhee County, Idaho, filed May 13, 2000 as Instrument No. 239601, Owyhee County records and corrected by Affidavit of Correction recorded May 20, 2002 as Instrument No. 239681, Owyhee County Records.

This Trustee’s Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful

bidder’s funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the Beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

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 217 Silver Sage Way, Homedale, 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 Bradley A. Willis, a married man as his sole and separate property, as Grantor(s) with Wilmington Finance, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded August 1, 2002, as Instrument No. 240426, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Morequity, Inc., recorded May 2, 2003, as Instrument No. 243381, 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 \$495.55 for the months of January 2003 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 \$67,416.39 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 7.990 percent from December 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 18th day of September,

2003.

Paula Peterson
Trust Officer for
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10/1,8,15,22/03

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NO. SP-03-01919M IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE 3RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

In the matter of the application of:

DeAnn Groesbeck Ross,
Petitioner,

For change of name.
A Petition by DeAnn Groesbeck Ross, whose date of birth is; June 22, 1946, and who was born at Logan, Utah, and who is now residing at 1786 Succor Creek, Homedale, Idaho, proposing a change of name to DeAnn Groesbeck, has been filed in the above-entitled Court, the reason for the change of name being;

I want to return to my maiden name. The former husband Steven E. Ross is deceased and our marriage was only for 1 1/2 years half of which was dealing with Mr. Ross’s illnesses. I just want to drop the Ross and return to my maiden name.

The name of the Petitioner’s father is Harmon John Groesbeck and his address is 2205 Bittern, Idaho Falls, Idaho.

Such Petition will be heard at 10:30 A.M., November 19, 2003, in the Owyhee County Courthouse, in Homedale, Idaho and 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 24th day of September, 2003.

CHARLOTTE SHERBURN,
CLERK

BY: Deputy Clerk, Jan Fink
10/1,8,15,22/03

NOTICE OF HEARING CASE NO. SP-03-01929 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:
IONNA VIOLET MORRISON,
Petitioner.

A petition by IONNA VIOLET MORRISON, born August 14, 1934 at Vale, Oregon no residing at Bruneau, Idaho proposing a change in name to DOLLY VIOLET MORRISON has been filed in the above entitled court, the reason for the change in name being the Petitioner has used the name DOLLY VIOLET HARDIMAN her entire childhood and DOLLY VIOLET MORRISON since the age of 18. The name of the petitioner’s father is HERBERT BARCLAY HARIMAN; the names and addresses of petitioner’s near relatives (if father by dead) are: Robert L. Hardiman 3100 Alden Road, Fruitland, Idaho 83619; Herbert M. Hardiman 6451 Mae

Valley Road, Moses Lake, WN 98837; William L. Hardiman 950 South 5th West, Mountain Home, ID 83647.

Such petition will be heard on the 17th day of November, 2003, at 3:00 p.m., and 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 6th day of October, 2003.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

By
/s/Lena Johnson

Deputy
10/15,22,29-11/5/03

RESCHEDULED NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On January 23, 2004, at the hour of 3:00 o’clock pm of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, State Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, 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”

This Trustee’s Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful bidder’s funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

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 HC 79 Box 1305, Melba, 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 David G. Howells and Paulette R. Howells, husband and wife, as Grantor(s) with Republic Mortgage Corp., a Utah Corporation as the beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded December 3, 1997, as Instrument No. 223454, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Old Kent Mortgage Company, recorded December 3, 1997, as Instrument No. 223455. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. recorded November 14, 2000, as Instrument No. 234335, 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 \$770.21 for the months of July 2002 through and including to 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 \$86,000.33 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 8.00 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 18th day of September, 2003.

Paula Peterson
Trust Officer for
Charles C. Just, Esq.
P.O. Box 50271
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83405
(208) 523-9106 FAX (208) 523-9146
Toll Free 1-800-923-9106
Exhibit “A”

A parcel of land being a portion of the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 14, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at an aluminum cap marking the Northwest corner of said Section 14; thence along the Westerly boundary of said West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 14

South 00° 37’50” West 667.98 feet to an iron pin being the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence continuing

South 00° 37’50” West 333.98 feet to an iron pin; thence

South 89° 19’33” East 663.12 feet to an iron pin; thence

North 00° 39’50” East 333.70 feet to an iron pin; thence

North 89° 18’06” West 663.31 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM all oil, gas, gravel, mineral and geothermal rights, as reserved in the Warranty Deed recorded January 14, 1988 as Instrument No. 194136, Owyhee County Records.

For information concerning this sale please contact The Just Law Office at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you.

10/1,8,15,22/03

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**OWYHEE COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS MINUTES
OCTOBER 6, 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, and Jim Desmond.

The Board moved to amend the agenda to include the following: Tax Cancellation, Sunrise Engineering G.I.S., Homeland Security Grant request.

Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire District met with the Board on property owned by the County near Givens Hot Springs. The Fire Department would like to build a fire house to better serve the people in that area. The Assessor will get the legal description on the property. The Board asked the request be in the form of a letter to them.

The Board moved for partial cancellation due to over assessment for tax year 2003 on RP 01N03W282410A and RP 01N03W282420.

An employee with the Probation Department met with the Board on an insurance matter. The Board will look into the matter.

Kaye Kelly Breach met with the Board and brought to their attention since the Zoning Ordinances were adopted, the number of Planning & Zoning hearings have been dramatically reduced.

The Board moved to approve Resolution No 03-30 reducing the number of Planning & Zoning Commissioners from seven to five members.

The Board moved to approve all outstanding bills paid from the following funds: Current Expense \$39,524; Road & Bridge 54,224; District Court 5,244; Fair Grounds & Bldg 1,915;; Historical & Museum 1,611; Indigent & Charity 17,766; Junior College 4,350; Revaluation 160; Solid Waste 10.014; Tort 1,920; Veterans Memorial 1,200; Weed 1,059

The Board approved a letter to be sent to Mr. Caswell of Species Conservation and Mr. Huffaker of Dept of Fish and Game. The letter expressed concerns the Board has on the role of the State Sage Grouse Advisory Committee. The Board urged the State Committee to leave decisions as to project funding to the local working groups.

The Board appointed members to the Transfer of Developmental Rights Committee.

Those members are Quey Johns GrandView, Jim Briggs Marsing, Stuart Emry Homedale and Vern Kershner from Pleasant Valley.

The Board continued the appointments to the Impact Fees Committee until a later date.

Jim Desmond submitted two proposals to the Board on the species clearance survey for Bruneau-Grandview Landfill. The proposals were from Northwind Inc. and from Bionomics. The Board moved to accept the Northwind Inc. proposal, which came in at \$2,161.

The Board made a motion to sign a letter to Idaho Bureau of Hazardous Material requesting that the Homeland Security Grant offered to the County, is used on a county-wide emergency services paging system.

The Board moved to approve Ordinance No 03-05 which repeals Ordinance No. 03-04. This repeals the increase in Solid Waste User Fees and reinstates Solid Waste User fees as they existed prior to the passage of Ordinance No 03-04.

The Board moved to approve Resolution No. 03-32. This is a ratification of execution of environmental assessment for Bruneau water project.

The Board moved to approve publication for notice of the increase in Sheriff's fees and set for public hearing on October 27th at 10:00 A.M.

The Board moved to approve publication for notice of increase in fees for planning and zoning and development services. The public hearing will be held on October 27th at 11:00 A.M.

The Board took action on Indigent and Charity cases presented by the Deputy Welfare Clerk. I.C. Case No. 03-09 Continued until 10/27; I.C. Case No. 03-20 Release of Lien; I.C. Case No. 03-02 Release of Lien; I.C. Case No. 03-35 Lien signed; I.C. Case No. 03-34 Lien signed; I.C. Case No. 03-33 Lien signed; I.C. Case No. 03-30 denied, incomplete application; I.C. Case No. 03-32 applicant approved with reimbursement agreement signed. I.C. Case No. 03-35 applicant pre-approved for procedure with reimbursement agreement signed. I.C. Case No. 03-31 denied, incomplete application.

The Board approved and signed a three year road agreement with Twin Falls County. Twin Falls County will maintain 4300 N Road from Twin Falls County to Owyhee County for the sum of \$1,500 per year.

The Board approved resolution No. 03-31 approving forms for application for building permits, site inspection and building permits.

The Board approved Brett Endicott's request to have Sunrise Engineering update the County's parcel maps in ArcView. The cost to the County will be \$2,400.

The Board moved to approve the minutes for the September 22 meeting.

The complete minutes can be viewed in the office of the Clerk-Auditor-Recorder.

Harold Tolmie, Chairman
Attest: Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk
10/22/03

NOTICE OF NON-ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that Pursuant to Section 31-1410, Idaho Code, the deadline for filing a declaration of intent as a write-in candidate having expired and that only one (1) candidate having filed for the position for Fire Commissioner in Sub-District 2 of the Marsing Rural Fire District. It

is hereby declared that No Election shall be necessary and the candidate duly filed shall be declared as elected.

Judith Malmberg
Secretary

Marsing Rural Fire District

10/22/03

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NOTICE OF CONSIDERATION OF INCREASE IN FEES TO BE ASSESSED BY SHERIFF

On Monday, October 27, 2003, at 10:00 am, in the Magistrate Courtroom in the County Courthouse in Murphy, the Board of Owyhee County Commissioners will consider increasing the Fees assessed for service performed by the County Sheriff. The fees currently charged have not been increased as costs of operation have increased. The purpose of considering the increases is to decrease the impact on property taxes of operations costs of the Sheriff's office. The increases will allow distribution of the operations costs to the users of the Sheriff's services.

The Sheriff will present to the Board the amounts of requested increases and will discuss the need for such increases. A list of the requested fee amounts is available at the office of the Sheriff for review between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday through Friday. The Board is conducting this hearing pursuant to Idaho Code, 63-1311A.

10/15,22/03

NOTICE OF CONSIDERATION OF INCREASE IN FEES TO BE ASSESSED FOR PLANNING AND ZONING AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

On Monday, October 27, 2003, at 11:00 am, in the Magistrate Courtroom in the County Courthouse in Murphy, the Board of Owyhee County Commissioners will consider increasing the Fees assessed for planning and zoning and development services. The fees currently charged have not been increased as costs of operation have

increased. The purpose of considering the increases is to decrease the impact on property taxes of operations costs related to planning and zoning and development services. The increases will allow distribution of the operations costs to the users of the planning and zoning and development services.

The Planning and Zoning Administrator will present to the Board the amounts of requested increases and will discuss the need for such increases. A list of the requested fee amounts is available at the office of the Clerk for review between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday through Friday. The Board is conducting this hearing pursuant to Idaho Code, 63-1311A.

10/15,22/03

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF THE GEM IRRIGATION DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in the Gem Irrigation District on Tuesday, November 4, 2003, for the election of one Director from Division 4 for a three year term beginning January 1, 2004.

Polls will be open from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (Idaho Code 43-207) at Marsing City Hall (425 Main Street) in Marsing for Precinct No. 1, and the South Board of Control watermaster's office (10 West 1st Street) in Homedale for Precinct No. 2.

Qualifications of voters is to own land within the Gem Irrigation District and be a resident of Owyhee County, and be eighteen (18) years of age and a United States citizen.

Connie Chadez, Secretary
Gem Irrigation

10/22,29/03

NOTICE OF ELECTION HOMEDALE RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

That the Homedale Rural Fire Protection District will be conducting an Election for the following purpose:

Election of Commissioner of Subdistrict No. 3, for a term of 4 Years.

The election will be held on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 2003, on which day Polls will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the following designated Polling Place:

HOMEDALE CITY HALL LOCATED AT 31 WEST WYOMING AVENUE, HOMEDALE, OWYHEE COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that only qualified electors of the District, eighteen (18) years of age or older, who have resided in the District for thirty (30) days or more preceding the date of election are entitled to vote at said election.

Qualified electors who expect to be absent from the District on November 4th, 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 Secretary of the district commissioners on a form made available at 19 East Wyoming Avenue, P.O. Box 905, Homedale, ID 83628 on Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Such application must be made no later than 5:00 p.m. November 3rd, 2003. Electors applying in person may obtain their ballots starting October 21, 2003. Electors applying by mail should submit their requests as soon as possible. The absentee ballot must be received by the Secretary no later than 8:00 p.m. on the day of the election.

The voting at said election shall be by secret and separate ballot. The ballots to be supplied to the voters for their use at said election shall be in the form set forth in the Resolution of the District dated the 13th day of November, 2003.

The question for each Fire District Commissioner position is decided by a plurality of the Fire District's qualified electors eighteen (18) years of age or older voting in favor of a candidate for each Fire District Commissioner position at such election.

The Fire District shall consist of one precinct and any qualified elector may vote at the designated voting place set forth above.

MIKEAL PARKER, Secretary of the Homedale Rural Fire Protection District, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of the Homedale Rural Fire Protection District, that he has read the within information, and believes the statements therein contained are true and correct.

10/22,29/03

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice for sale for non-payment of rent for storage and other charges.

Unit #58 Julie Wells, 1776 Fargo Rd., Wilder ID 83676, Contents: 6x8 unit full of household items.

Unit #49 Patricia Lopez, PO Box 232, Houston ID 83630, Contents: 13x22 unit full of household items.

Unit #57 Robert Esquivel, 1412 4th St., Nampa ID 83651, Contents: 6x8 unit full of household items.

Sealed bids accepted at "Highway 95 Self Storage" 3685 US Hwy 95, Homedale ID on November 1, 2003. Between 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM in accordance with Idaho Code Section 55-2305, 55-2306.

10/22,29/03

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Friday, the 16th day of January, 2004, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. of said day (recognized local time), at Owyhee County Courthouse located at HWY 78, Murphy, ID 83650, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Michael L. Schindele, 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 the sale, the following described real property, situated in the County Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

LOT 6, BLOCK 3, SHARI HILL ESTATES PHASE 1 SUBDIVISION, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED AS INSTRUMENT NO. 211614, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY RECORDER, 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 Idaho Code, Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of Rt. 1 Box 454, Marsing, ID 83639 may sometimes be 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 Nelda Cardona, as Grantor(s), to Pioneer Title Company, as Trustee, Michael L. Schindele, as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of GreenPoint Credit, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, as Beneficiary, said Deed of Trust dated October 31, 2000, and recorded October 31, 2000, as

Instrument No. 234260, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note dated October 31, 2000, the monthly payments for principal, interest and impounds of \$637.33, for the month(s) of June 4, 2003, through the current month and year, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement with all accrued interest, late charges and expenses. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$99,985.00, plus accruing interest. All delinquent payments 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 this 16th day of September, 2003.

MICHAEL L. SCHINDELE
Successor Trustee
P.O. Box 1990
Boise, Idaho 83701
Telephone: (208) 342-2241

10/1,8,15,22/03

NOTICE

The Southwest District Board of Health will hold a **Board Meeting** on Tuesday, October 28, 2003 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Emmett Courthouse, 415 East Main Street, Emmett, ID 83617.

10/22/03

MARSING JT SCHOOL DISTRICT #363

Account	2002-03 BUDGET REVENUE	2002-03 ACTUAL RECEIPTS
Local Sources	761,865	793,434
County Sources	91,823	166,671
State Sources	3,709,342	3,653,959
Federal Sources	669,179	645,160
Other Sources	-0-	-0-
TOTAL REVENUES	5,232,209	5,259,224
Transfers IN	247,655	192,680
TOTAL REVENUE & TRANSFERS	5,479,864	5,451,904
EXPENDITURES		
Instructional Services	2,748,486	2,772,489
Support Services	380,074	346,861
Non-Instructional Services	2,032,598	1,811,542
Facility Acquisition Services	-0-	-0-
Debt Services	350,489	330,929
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	5,511,647	5,261,821
Transfers OUT	247,655	192,680
TOTAL EXPEND. & TRANSFERS	5,759,302	5,454,501
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues		
Over Expenditures & Transfers	(279,795)	1,300,123
Fund Balance at July 1, 2002		897,434
Fund Balance at June 30, 2003		2,197,557

A copy of the annual report and summary statement is available for public inspection in the District's administrative offices.

10/22/03

SAMPLE BALLOT

OFFICE OF FIRE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
SUBDISTRICT NO. 3
HOMEDALE RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
OWYHEE COUNTY AND CANYON COUNTY, IDAHO
Tuesday, November 4, 2003

INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS: This ballot is for the election to the position of Fire District Commissioner Subdistrict No. 3. You may vote for only one candidate for the Commissioner position on this ballot. To vote, place an "X" in the square to the left of the candidate's name you intend to vote for. All marks otherwise made are forbidden. All distinguishing marks are forbidden and make the ballot void. If you, by mistake or accident, mark, tear, deface, or otherwise mutilate this Ballot, return it to the Election Judges and obtain another Ballot.

The proposition being submitted to the electors of the Homedale Rural Fire Protection District is as follows:

Question No. 1: For the office of Fire District Commissioner of Subdistrict No. 3, Term 4 years.

(VOTE FOR ONE)

Fred DeGeus. ☐
Trent Price. ☐

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, At the entrance to the Owyhee County Courthouse, Highway 78, Mile Marker 29 1/2, Murphy, ID 83650, on 02/12/2004 at 11:30 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 03/30/1998 as Instrument Number 224408, and executed by JACK COWAN, AND MILDRED COWAN, as Grantor(s), in favor of AMERICA’S WHOLESALE LENDER, as Beneficiary, to STEWART TITLE OF BOISE, INC., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, state of Idaho:

SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT A – LEGAL DESCRIPTION

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed

that the street address of, 311 PATTON STREET, MARSING, ID 83639 is sometimes associated with said real property.

Bidders must be prepared to

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

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

Failure to pay the monthly payment due 06/01/2003 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.500 percent per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$40,620.69, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys’ fees, Trustees’ fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the

promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

DATED: October 10, 2003
STEWART TITLE OF BOISE, INC.

Linda D. Irwin-Trust Officer
Successor Trustee
Name and Address of the Current Trustee is:
STEWART TITLE OF BOISE, INC.

9196 West Emerald, Suite 100
Boise, ID 83704

PHONE: (800)281-8219 for information.

“EXHIBIT A”
LEGAL DESCRIPTION
LOTS 5 AND 6 OF BLOCK 4

OF THE AMENDED PLAT OF BLOCKS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, AND 6 OF PATTONS SUBDIVISION, MARSING, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, FILED DECEMBER 4, 1937 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 54610 IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

LOTS 19 AND 20 OF BLOCK 9 OF PATTONS SECOND SUBDIVISION, MARSING, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, FILED JULY 24, 1940 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 60527 IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

10/22,29-11/5,12/03

CERTIFIED BY GEM IRRIGATION DISTRICT THIS 17TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2003

We hereby certify that Tim Leavitt as the only candidate filing for Director in Division 5. With no additional write in candidates filing, he is duly elected as Director for Gem Irrigation District; his three year term beginning January 1, 2003, pursuant to Idaho Code 43-201A.

Attest: Connie Chadez, Secretary

10/22/03

CORRECTION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

After dispensing with old business, on November 6, 2003 beginning at 7 PM in the Annex in Murphy, the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear public testimony on the following matter:

ROBERT L BRINEGAR has filed an application for a conditional use permit to establish residential use on a 5 acre parcel. Subject parcel is located south of Marsing off of Highway 78 in Section 26, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

10/22/03

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SAMPLE BALLOT

City of Homedale, State of Idaho
November 4, 2003

INSTRUCTIONS: Vote for such candidates as you desire by placing an X in the small square to the right of the name, or by writing the name of the persons you desire to vote for and placing an X in the square to the right of that name. If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it and get another. Mark only with pencil or pen. You cannot vote for more than the number of positions given for that office.

FOR MAYOR

(4 year term – VOTE FOR ONE)

DAVID “Hap” DURYEE	<input type="checkbox"/>
PAUL J. FINK	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

FOR COUNCILMEMBER

(4 year term – VOTE FOR TWO)

CHARLES GARRISON	<input type="checkbox"/>
DAVID DOWNUM	<input type="checkbox"/>
STEVE SCHULTZ	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

FOR COUNCILMEMBER

(2 year term – VOTE FOR ONE)

LOIS W. HART	<input type="checkbox"/>
CYNTHIA SIMS	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

SAMPLE BALLOT

City of Marsing, State of Idaho
November 4, 2003

Instructions: Vote for such candidates as you desire by placing an X in the small square at the right of the name or by writing in the name of the persons you desire to vote for, and place an X in the square at the right of their name. If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it and get another. Mark only with pencil or pen. You cannot vote for more than the number given for that office.

FOR CITY MAYOR

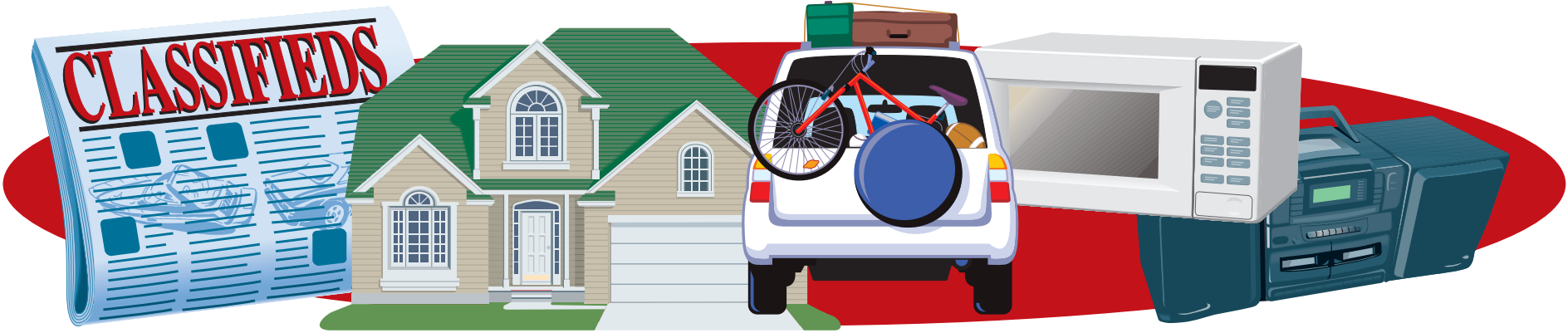
Four Year Term
(Vote for One)

Daniel L. Carlson	<input type="checkbox"/>
Carol Edwards	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donald D. Osterhoudt	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leroy H. “Bud” Peck	<input type="checkbox"/>
G. Faye Pfrimmer	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

FOR CITY COUNCIL

Four Year Term
(Vote for Two)

Paula A. Enrico	<input type="checkbox"/>
Paul A. Holzhey	<input type="checkbox"/>
James F. Natale	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ed Pfeifer	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
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