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## Still lots of snow

There was approximately four feet of snow remaining near Watson Hill in the Owyhee mountains this past Saturday. With temperatures in the 60-degree area, melting is fast, and water was running in the meadows along Trout Creek. South Mountain, in the background, has 50.8 inches of snow as of Monday.

## Homedale's Potter named Athletic Director of Year for second straight season

Homedale High School athletic director and 10 year basketball coach Randy Potter has again been named athletic director of the year for the second year in a row. Potter will be presented an award during a banquet in Boise next month during the I.A.A.A. State Conference on April 5. The conference will be held at the Holiday Inn.

Potter has coached the boy's basketball team for 10 years and has taken them to the state level five of those 10 years. The team has won the district title four of those years. He said he couldn't see himself doing anything else except coaching.

"I truly love my job," Potter said. "To be accepted by

my peers, other coaches and athletic directors is truly an honor. I personally voted for Don Heller and Janet Cooney in Marsing. I think they are awesome coaches."

Potter said the award is made much more special because people from around the state who watch Homedale know what they are capable of. This year the Trojans were not expected to end their season as they did as the district champions and winning a spot at the state tourney earlier this month. Homedale finished in seventh place with an 18-8 record.

"I would love to stay around for the next 10 years," Potter

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Randy Potter

## Armed robbery suspect captured after holdup at Stateline Store

A Caldwell man is behind bars this week and is facing charges of first-degree armed robbery after he is accused of holding up a Stateline Store clerk with a handgun Tuesday afternoon. The store is just inside Malheur County, OR at the Idaho/Oregon border four miles west of Homedale. He was approximately seven miles due south of the store when captured.



Robert Sellers

Robert Sellers, 39, was taken into custody by Owyhee County deputies and Homedale Police officers minutes after the holdup was committed. The clerk reported that the suspect entered the store displaying a handgun, and took cash, beer, and cigarettes.

With a description of the vehicle, Owyhee County deputies and Homedale police officers responded to the call, searching the area east and south of Homedale, where the suspect was believed to be traveling.

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## Take-down

Owyhee County deputies and Homedale police officers captured an armed robber on Stateline Road southwest of Homedale Tuesday afternoon. The suspect was turned over to Malheur County deputies since the crime was committed and the arrest made in Oregon.

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**Fatality**  
*Elton Eugene Gifford, 71 died Wednesday from injuries he suffered in a single vehicle accident on Highway 95 near mile marker 25. Gifford was a passenger in a vehicle driven by his wife June.*

## Nampa man dies in car accident Wednesday

A Nampa man was killed and his wife and her son were seriously injured in a single vehicle accident early Wednesday morning on Highway 95 near mile marker 25.

Elton Eugene Gifford, 71 was a passenger in a vehicle driven by his wife June 76. The couple was traveling north toward Marsing at about 5:50 a.m. when investigators believe June fell asleep at the wheel. The car slammed into a retaining wall of a cement drain ditch. June’s son Gary Burton was in the back seat of the car. Dispatchers said no information was available on Burton.

All three victims were sent to Boise hospitals by air ambulance where Elton later died. June and Gary were reportedly still in the hospital on Thursday, but their condition was not made available.

## Natural resources committee plans special meeting

The Owyhee County Natural Resources Committee will conduct a special meeting to discuss potential County involvement in a Candidate Conservation Agreement for Sage Grouse and to make recommendation to the County Commissioners.

The meeting will convene at 7 p.m on Monday, March 22, in the Owyhee County Courthouse.



**Accident**  
*A car slammed into a retaining wall of a cement drain ditch resulting in the death of a Nampa man and the serious injury of his wife and her son. All three victims were sent to Boise hospitals by air ambulance where Elton Gifford later died. June Gifford and Gary Burton were reportedly still in the hospital on Monday, but their condition was not made available.*

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**Fender bender**  
*Lisa Casino, 34 of Caldwell slammed into the back of a pickup driven by Kyle Stanford, 38 of Jordan Valley last Wednesday afternoon. No one was injured in the accident and Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller said Casino was cited for inattentive driving.*

## Property tax reduction forms available

Up to \$1,200 in property tax reduction is again available this year to qualified applicants under Idaho’s Circuit

Breaker program and officials from Owyhee County will be available to assist in completing those forms.

The benefits apply to property taxes on a homeowner’s primary residence, which must be in Idaho.

To be eligible, claimants must have no more than \$21,580 in income for 2003 after deducting non-reimbursed medical and other qualified expenses. They must also be in at least one of the following categories as of Jan. 1, 2004.

Claimants must be 65 or older, widow (er) of any age, disabled as recognized by the Social Security Administration, Veterans Affairs, Railroad Retirement Board, or Federal Civil Service, blind,

fatherless or motherless child under 18 years of age, former prisoner of war or hostage.

Property tax reduction applications are available from the county assessor and must be filed with the assessor’s office by April 15.

The assessor’s office will be available at local senior centers this week to assist in completing the applications. They will be in Homedale on March 22 from 9:30 a.m. until noon and on April 5 from 9:30 a.m. until noon. In Marsing on March 26 and on April 2 from 9:30 a.m. until noon on both days.

People applying for the break need to bring proof of their 2003 income, medical expenses paid in 2003 and a copy of the federal tax form if they are filing.

For more information or to schedule a different time for assistance, call 495-2817.

## City hires ex-county building inspector

Soon to be former county building inspector Ron Race will not have much time off between jobs after being released by county commissioners last week. Race will go to work for the City of Homedale as its new building inspector.

County Clerk Charlotte Sherburn would only say that the building inspector was relieved of his duties due to “irreconcilable differences.”

Race told the council last week that he would like to contract his service to the city as the cities building inspector and there would not be any conflict with the county, as he would no longer be working for them as of March 22.

“I would like to do the position, however there are some things that have transpired since we spoke last,” Race told the council. “I would like to contract this instead of going through the county and I would be available five days a week. There will not be any conflicts since I will no longer be working for them as of March 22. The benefit is I will be available at all times to work with the planning and zoning administrator to make any changes we need.”

City Councilman Kevin Barlow told the council that the city’s planning and zoning commission had recommended Race. Fink said he would like to see the city’s building ordinances changed so that any contractors of new structures in the city or in the impact area would be required to include sidewalks and curbs and gutters.

“I would like to make this my first line of business and help initiate those contracts,” Race continued.

Councilman Charles Garrison moved to hire Race and Barlow seconded the motion. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

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# Officers break up juvenile party at Grand View Saturday

Seven people ranging in ages of 16 to 20 years old were arrested or cited Saturday morning during an underage party at the Holden Trailer Park in Grand View. Owyhee County Chief Deputy Dick Freund said the arrests did not go without incident and one juvenile was taken to the hospital.

Freund said the sheriff's office has received reports of underage drinking at the same residence in the past. He said this time five officers answered the call.

"We got a complaint from the school last week about students who had been drinking down there," Freund said. "It has been a place of interest to us for some time. Friday night we watched the house and witnessed a lot of kids and vehicles at the house in question. We pulled a vehicle over that was leaving the house and both people in the vehicle were under age and had been drinking."

Freund said officers knocked on the door of the house and were able to determine that there was a party going on inside the home and everyone there was under age. He said after testing everyone at the party, it was confirmed that seven people were under the influence of alcohol.

"Every one of them were loud, disorderly, drunk and very threatening," Freund said. "One kid was standing on the steps and continued to threaten us. He proceeded to push me."

Freund said it was after that when havoc ensued.

"He took a couple steps for me and gave me a push," Freund said. "While I wrestled with him, another kid came at

me. By the time it was over we had a big pile of officers and drunk kids."

Freund said two subjects were taken to jail and everyone else was cited and released. He said the 17 year-old juvenile arrested appeared in court Monday for assault and battery on a police officer. Freund said Owyhee County officers arrested him for the same and for drinking underage.

Those arrested include Keith Rabey, 20 of Grand View. Reports show that officers are seeking Rabey to serve him with a citation as he fled the

area when officers arrived. Jas O'Neill Harger, 18 of Grand View, was transported to jail and booked on charges of battery on a police officer and consumption by a minor.

Juan J. Martinez, 18 of Rexburg, was cited for consumption by a minor and Christopher Vanderberg, 18 of Grand View was cited for consumption by a minor. Two minor females, ages 16 and 17, were cited and released.

He said Mildred Mowery, the primary resident of the home, has been a "person of interest" to deputies for some time. He said the case is still under investigation.

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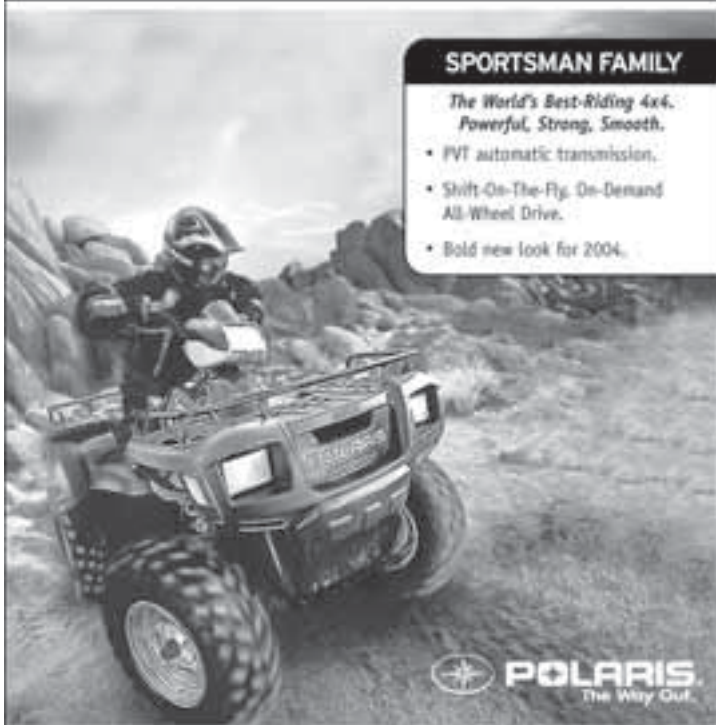
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## ✓ Potter

said. "I love my job. I think I love my job because we have some of the greatest kids in the world. We have some extremely supportive people in this community. We have had a great year, but it is the kids. "I think if you had polled

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# Obituary

## William “Keith” Forsdick

William “Keith” Forsdick, 80, of Wilder, formerly of Parma and Weiser, died Saturday March 6, 2004 at his home with his family by his side. He was a 30-year survivor of cancer.

Keith was born on January 15, 1924 in Meridian, Idaho to Fredrick and Alice Forsdick. Keith was the youngest of six children. He attended elementary school at the old Houston School on Homedale road west of Caldwell. He graduated from Ontario High School in Ontario, Oregon.

On September 18, 1942 he married the love of his life, Doris Bowman, in Weiser, Idaho. From this wonderful union of 63 years they had three children. Two daughters Christy Ann “Chris” (Ken) Tamura of Wilder and Billie Kay Hiser of Greenleaf; and one son Kip Louis (Rhonda) Forsdick of Weiser.

During WWII he worked at the shipping yards in Washington and the Blimp factory in Tillamook, Oregon. While residing in Weiser, Keith worked for his Father-in-law, farming and running their onion/lettuce packing shed. In 1961 they moved to Parma. Keith worked for Parma Waterlifter Co., Agri Lines and then retired from Specialized Equipment in the mid 1990’s. He was a VERY respected farm implement representative known through out many of the states west of the Mississippi River and Canada. He was once asked what his claim to fame was, his response was to be honest, work hard and do the best you can.

His interests included hunting, fishing, camping, snowmobiling and boating (for which he was once the president of the Weiser Boat Club in the 1950’s which consisted of over 200 boats). He was a volunteer for the Weiser Fire Department. Keith was an avid fan of baseball. He played semi-pro ball in Weiser for which he earned all state second baseman. He was also a revered pitcher. His team made the semi-pro World Series tournament in Wichita, Kansas in 1949.

What was most important to him was spending time with his family. If anybody was going camping Keith and Doris were always the first to hook-up and be ready to join them.

His father and mother, three brothers and two sisters precede him in death. He is survived by his wife of 63 years Doris Forsdick, three children and ten grandchildren: Niki (Kelly) Lootens, Randy (Janet) DeLeon, Darren (Michelle) Fisher, Christopher Forsdick, Hailey Doan, Dwayne (Tracy) Fisher, Tiffany Tamura, Tara (Mike) Garner, Kevin Tamura and Justin Forsdick; as well as 18 great grandchildren with two more on the way.

A memorial was conducted at Dakan Funeral Chapel, 504 S. Kimball Ave. Caldwell, Idaho on Friday, March 12 at 11:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers contributions to Mountain States Tumor Institute 308 E. Hawaii Nampa, Idaho 83686 in memory of William Keith Forsdick will be appreciated.



## Pages celebrate 25 years of marriage

Samuel and Robyn Page will celebrate their 25 wedding anniversary on March 20 with an open house at 6 p.m. at the Homedale High School cafeteria.

The couple was married on March 23, 1979 in Tulsa, Oklahoma and has four children. Tamarah and Joshua are from Tulsa, Rebekah and Jonathan are from Homedale.



## Usabels celebrate birthdays

Roman and Jeannie Usabel will celebrate their “120<sup>th</sup>” birthday party Friday with an open house at the Phipps/Watson Community Center in Marsing. Jeannie said last week that the couple is calling the event a milestone since they both will turn 60 years old on March 19.

The public has been invited to attend at 7 p.m. and they have asked that no gifts be brought.

For more information contact Usabel at 896-4511.

## Community blood drive to be held

The Garnet Road Youth and Community Center will hold an annual blood drive on Monday from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m.

The drive will be open for anyone with a picture identification at 16613 Garnet Road. For more information contact Naecarma Foster at 337-4846 to make an appointment.

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# Marsing men cited in riverbank damage

State stream channel protection managers have issued notices of violation to three Marsing residents for damages done to more than 750 feet of stream bank on the Snake River through unauthorized excavation and dumping of fill material, the Idaho Department of Water Resources announced last week.

The notices of violation were issued to Steven M. Burgess, Brad Evans and Max Garrison. The notices also seek a total of \$3,464 in civil penalties from the three; penalties, which will be suspended, provided the damages to the riverbank are repaired.

Burgess was cited for unpermitted excavation and placement of unauthorized fill material along 205 feet of riverbank, not associated with the maintenance of any water intake structures, a civil penalty of \$1,060.

Evans for unpermitted excavation and placement of unauthorized fills along 420 feet of the riverbank and a landing extending into the river channel not associated with the maintenance of any water intake structures; a civil penalty of \$1,490 and Garrison received a citation for unpermitted excavation of riverbed material and placement of excavated material and pre-cast concrete blocks into the river channel to construct a landing along 132 feet of the riverbank and extending into the river channel and not associated with the maintenance of any water intake structure, a civil penalty of \$914.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has also issued separate notices of violation

in the case including a requirement that the riverbank be restored and revegetated.

The violations were actually reported last summer but staff shortages and dozens of other backlogged investigations delayed IDWR investigation and action on the situation

until recently.

The IDWR civil penalties will be suspended provided the riverbank is restored as outlined by the Corps of Engineers. Should restoration work not be completed by April 1 the penalties will become due, and the individuals

then will have until April 15 to file a plan showing how the restoration and removal of fill from the river will be done.

The three individuals have until the middle of March to meet with the Department to discuss how to resolve the violations.

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# Annual auction raises nearly \$9,000 for community

Members of the annual Grand View Lion’s Auction said last week that nearly \$9,000 was raised during the Valentine’s Day event last month. Eight thousand four hundred dollars was raised in the daylong event.

The annual auction raises money for community events, medical supplies and athletic needs. Last year the club purchased glasses for six local children, repaired a hearing aid for a student, fenced the little league ball park and donated books to the Bruneau Grand View Libraries.

Lunch was served and followed by the auction at 1 p.m. The Baker Auctioneers called out the bids and volunteered

their time to the event.

Coordinator Doug Thurman said the Lion’s would like to thank the businesses and individuals in the cities of Bruneau, Grand View, Murphy, Mountain Home, Walters Ferry, Nampa, Boise and Bliss for donating items to make the auction a success. He said without the donations, the auction would not happen.

Bowman Plumbing won the barbecue and Bill Murray from Boise won the mower.

## School menu

### March 18-24


**Marsing**  
Mar.18: Rib-b-que, tater tots, fruit, milk, chicken patty/bun, fresh salad bar 4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>, roll.  
Mar.19-26: Spring Break, no school.

**Homedale Elementary**  
Mar.17-26: Spring Break, no school.

**Homedale Middle**  
Mar.18: Early dismissal. Beef or chicken taco, corn, fruit, or salad bar, milk.  
Mar.19-26: Spring Break, no school.

**Homedale High**  
Mar.18: Chicken patty/bun or sandwich choice, fries, fruit, dessert, milk.  
Mar.19-26: Spring Break, no school.

**Bruneau-Grandview**  
Mar.18-19: Spring Break, no school.  
Mar.22: Chicken patty, scalloped potatoes, green beans, roll/butter, fruit, milk.  
Mar.23: Lasagna, tossed salad, garlic bread, fruit, milk.  
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I must believe Gary Aman's past mistakes were not made from faintness of heart or abandonment of moral principles. Whenever a man does the best he can, then that is all he can do.

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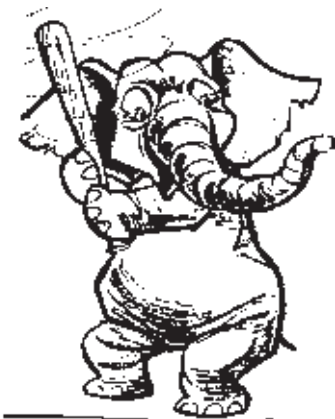
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We wish continued success to the Jordan Valley fundraiser.

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## 4-H coordinator comments on fair rule changes

Owyhee County 4-H Program Coordinator Tara Rowland said last week she would like to give her interpretation of changes the Owyhee County Fair Board made to the 2005 Junior Livestock Sale rules earlier this month.

During a fair board meeting earlier this month, members moved to change some of the wording in the county livestock rules. Rowland said the change has caused some confusion as to if 4-H members can participate in the fair at all.

Rowland did not attend the fair board meeting, but said she was not pleased with the change. She said she has received many calls concerning the change and

Rowland said the University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension office is not in charge of the annual livestock sale but they are in charge of the 4-H classes. So any changes the fair board made to the rules, does not include changes to the 4-H entries, she said.

“I want to stress that the changes are only for the sale,” Rowland said. “They can come and show, they just can’t sell and the change only effects swine, beef and sheep. They can still bring their animals, but now they can’t sell it if they do not live or attend a school in Owyhee County.”

Rowland referenced the “Owyhee County Livestock Rules” saying the changes have been made to the ruling and it will read as follows: “To exhibit market livestock for sale at the fair, one must be a 4-H club member living in Owyhee County or attending a school located in Owyhee County.”

“It is going to affect quite a few 4-H members,” Rowland said. “They knew I would not be pleased with this decision.”

“I appreciate all of the volunteers who serve on the fair board and sale committee, and everything they do to make the Owyhee County Jr. Livestock sale a success every year,” Rowland continued “I’m also very thankful for the buyers who give their time and money to support the sale. However, I think it’s important to remember that 4-H shouldn’t be about the money. It’s supposed to be about building a safe, fun environment for our youth to learn about leadership, community service, and life skills. It shouldn’t be about the youth making money, but about us making youth who will grow up to be confident, caring, contributors to society. I just hope everyone keeps this in mind as we’re dealing with this issue.”

## Snow report

Current snow depth and snow water equivalent data from the Natural Resources Conservation Service for South Mountain, Reynolds Creek and Mud Flat. As of Monday, Owyhee Reservoir contained 169,702 acre-feet of water, which is 23 percent of full. Four thousand eight hundred fifty four cubic feet per second is entering the reservoir at Rome and 13 CFS is being released at the dam.

\*\* Provisional data, subject to revision \*\*

03/15/04 Portland,OR			
	Date	Snow water Equivalent	Snow Depth
Reynolds Creek	03/08	6.0	16.5
	03/09	5.9	15.2
	03/10	5.6	13.2
	03/11	5.3	12.3
	03/12	5.0	11.3
	03/13	4.7	10.0
	03/14	4.2	9.0
	03/15	3.7	7.7
Mud Flat	03/08	10.2	33.3
	03/09	9.9	30.2
	03/10	9.9	29.9
	03/11	9.7	28.6
	03/12	9.7	28.9
	03/13	9.7	26.6
	03/14	9.7	26.7
	03/15	9.6	25.7
South Mtn.	03/08	22.0	61.8
	03/09	21.7	59.7
	03/10	21.1	57.6
	03/11	21.2	56.3
	03/12	21.1	55.0
	03/13	21.0	53.6
	03/14	20.6	52.4
	03/15	20.5	50.8

## Marsing’s driver ed fills fast

Marsing High School no longer has any openings available for the first session of Driver’s Education, running from April 5<sup>th</sup> through May 21<sup>st</sup>. However, there are a limited number of openings available for the second session.

This section will begin on June 2 and continue through July 16. If you wish to enroll in the second session of Driver’s Ed., please contact the Marsing High School at 896-4111 ext. 297 by Friday, April 2. Registration fees for Marsing School District residents are \$87, for out-of district students’ registration fees are \$97.

## Senior news

### Homedale Senior Center

Mar.18: Chicken breast nuggets, corn, roll, mashed potatoes/gravy, dessert. Brett Valintine (Wills & Trust)  
Mar.20: Senior Dance 7:00pm-10:00pm  
Mar.22: Owyhee Property Tax 9:30-12pm (Circuit Breaker)  
Mar.23: Roast pork, mashed potatoes/gravy, peas, roll, dessert. Eleanor Wedge from Owyhee Co. Historical Museum.  
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**Outback soccer**  
Youth soccer has started play again. Homedale's Mitch Quintana of the U14 Outback Soccer League works the ball through Parma opponents. The Homedale team won this first game of the year against Parma. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

# OCHS and Idaho Humanities Council plan general meeting

The Owyhee County Historical Society and the Idaho Humanities Council will present "Settling in the Midst of Sagebrush: Life in Early Southwest Idaho," by Lynda Campbell Clark. The presentation is open to the public on March 19 during the society's general monthly meeting.

Lynda will present a slide presentation where she will examine the factors that made settlement possible in the barren sagebrush desert of southwest Idaho. She also looks at some elements of the early culture of this region.

A Journey of Discovery was published in 1985 during Nampa's centennial celebration. Lynda also edited a compilation of oral history interviews for Nampa's People, Discovering Our Heritage, 1986, and contributed a monograph to Religion and Culture, Richard W. Etulain

and Raymond M. Cooke, editors.

She has taught as an adjunct professor for Boise State University and Northwest Nazarene University. Currently, she is Development officer for Northwest Children's Home in Nampa and is president of Nampa City Council. She also serves on the board of directors of Mercy Medical Center, Boys and Girls Club of Nampa and Nampa Council of Aging.

## Summer rec. registration deadline nears

Registration forms are available for this summer's recreation programs through the City of Homedale as the deadline approaches.

Forms are available at local schools and at city hall and must be completed and turned in by March 25.

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Mar.10	61	25	
Mar.11	no	read	
Mar.12	63	25	
Mar.13	no	read	
Mar.14	no	read	
Mar.15	67	27	

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# Lady Trojans anchor Pirates for win



**Out**  
Homedale varsity softball shortstop Jessica Mooney and second baseman Hailey Hall try to make an out at second against Payette. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

## Mercy rule stops Trojan’s route

The Homedale Lady Trojans exploded on the diamond Friday afternoon and were ten runs ahead of the Payette Pirates by the end of the second quarter in a non-conference softball game at Sundance Park. The game was a season opener for both teams and put Homedale with a 1-0 record with its 15-5 win Friday.

After scoring three runs in the first inning, the Trojans knocked in nine runs in the third inning to nearly guarantee a victory.

The game was called at the bottom of the fifth inning due to the 10 run mercy rule.

Arbor Frost collected the win for Homedale by pitching six strikeouts in the game. Karianne Vanderhoff and Jessica Hansen finished with four and three RBI, respectively. Homedale stroked 15 hits while striking out just three times.

Jessica Davis finished the game with two RBI’s for Payette and was their lone pitcher.



**Bunt**  
Arbor Frost attempts to lay down a bunt. The Homedale girls easily won their first game of the season beating Payette 15-5. The game was called after 5 innings because of the 10-run mercy rule. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

# Faculty tromps seniors in fund-raising court battle



**Blast from the past**  
Former Homedale High School and Albertson’s College basketball star Darren Uranga returned to the courts Wednesday night for the annual senior’s vs. faculty basketball game at Homedale High School. Proceeds from the event are used to allow the senior class an all night alcohol and drug free senior class party.

**Defense**  
Homedale Middle School teacher Brenda “cowgirl up” Reay blocks Matt Nauman during last week’s senior vs. faculty basketball game at Homedale High School. Cakes were auctioned during halftime festivities as well as a gift basket silent auction.

**Staff winners**  
Homedale High School teacher David Correa makes a jumper over “Old School Ballers” Clay Haylett during last week’s faculty vs. seniors basketball game. The old timers beat the youngsters 77-81.

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# Trojans lose season opener to Pirates

Payette's George Camacho went 2-for-2 from the plate hitting a homerun and a triple and knocked in three runs to lead the Pirates to a 8-5 non-conference baseball victory over Homedale Friday afternoon.

Payette jumped out to a 6-2 lead and held on for the win.

Payette scored three in the second, one in the third, two in the fourth and two in the sixth to hand Trojan pitcher Chris Varuska his first loss of the season.

Joe Peterson, the starting pitcher for Payette, struck out five, walked two and gave up

two hits, over four plus innings, to pick up the victory.

Ryan Hodgen went 1-for-2

at the plate and played a solid game according to Bratcher.

BJ Yaeger finished the game

with two RBI's for Payette and Shawn Gibbs had two for four with a double.



**Opening pitch**  
*Shawn Gibbs delivers a pitch in Homedale's season opener against Payette. Payette went on to win the game 8-5. Gibbs led the Trojans as he went 2 for 4 with a double. Photo by Gregg Garrett.*

# Girls named to All-Western Idaho Conference

The Marsing girls' basketball team placed one girl on the 2003-2004 Western Idaho Conference 2A All-Conference girls' basketball first-team. Two Huskies made second team and one was named as honorable mention.

Senior Amanda Stewart earned first team honors for the Huskies and teammates Jamie Lynde and Breeana Chadez earned second team honors. Also rounding off the first-team for the WIC, was Bonnie Jung of Nampa Christian, Suzy Bangerter of Melba, Justine Lingel and Becki Jones from New Plymouth and Parma's Stephanie Derschon. Husky M.J. Usabel was named to the honorable mention team.

Beth Beus of Melba earned Player of the Year honors for the Western Idaho Conference.

From Homedale, Shannon Batt made second team and teammate Alicia Mackenzie earned honorable mention.

Parma had sophomore Haily Constantine and senior Emily Watson make the honorable mention team.

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Light Lime Cheesecake

### Oven-Baked Chicken Wings With Sweet & Tangy Mustard Sauce

- 8 servings
- Chicken Wings:**
- 16 (about 4 1/2 pounds) whole chicken wings
  - 1 2/3 cups Barq’s Root Beer
  - 2 teaspoons salt
  - 1/2 teaspoon black pepper, freshly cracked

- Sauce:**
- 5 cups Barq’s Root Beer
  - 1/4 cup yellow mustard, prepared
  - 1 1/4 tablespoons hot pepper sauce
  - 1/2 teaspoon salt
1. Preheat oven to 500°F. Rinse chicken wings under cold water and pat dry. Trim wing tips and discard. Cut each wing into two pieces at main joint. Place wings in bowl with root beer and marinate 30 minutes. Remove wings, drain and reserve marinade. Season wings with salt and pepper and place on rack over baking sheet.
  2. Simmer marinade in saucepan over medium-high heat and reduce to 1/2 cup, about 20 minutes.
  3. In separate saucepan over medium-high heat, reduce root beer for sauce to 1 1/8 cups, about 30 minutes.

4. While marinade and root beer sauce are reducing, place wings in oven and bake until golden, about 15 minutes. Remove and brush with reduced marinade. Flip wings over, brush with marinade and continue baking until wings are golden and glazed, about 15 minutes. Remove smaller pieces and keep warm. Return larger pieces to oven and bake until cooked through, about 10 minutes.
5. Finish sauce by whisking mustard and hot pepper sauce into root beer sauce reduction. Salt to taste. Serve glazed wings with warm sauce.

### Light Lime Cheesecake

- 12 servings or one 8-inch cake
- Filling:**
- 2 1/2 cups Minute Maid Limonada
  - 1 1/2 packets unflavored gelatin
  - 1 cup sugar
  - 2 (8-ounce) packages reduced-fat cream cheese (Neufchâtel), softened
  - Grated peel of 1 lime
  - 2 cups frozen light whipped topping, thawed
  - 1 cup mixed berries for garnish (optional)
- Crust:**
- 1 3/4 cups graham cracker crumbs
  - 1/4 cup sugar
  - 1/4 cup melted butter
  - 4 teaspoons water

1. Place juice in saucepan over medium-high heat, reduce to 1 cup, about 25 minutes.
2. Preheat oven to 350°F. Make crust by combining graham cracker crumbs, sugar, butter and water in a bowl, stirring until mixture begins to stick together. Press crust mixture into bottom and about 1 inch up sides of 8-inch springform pan. Bake 10 minutes. Cool completely before filling.
3. Combine gelatin and sugar in bowl. Add boiling juice reduction to gelatin mixture and stir until gelatin and sugar are dissolved. Cool, but do not allow gelatin to set up.
4. Beat cream cheese and lime zest with electric mixer until smooth. Reduce speed and slowly beat in gelatin mixture until thoroughly combined. Fold in light whipped topping by hand using rubber spatula. Spoon filling into prepared crust and distribute evenly. Chill 8 hours or overnight. Garnish with fresh berries, if desired and serve.

### Oven-Baked Nachos Topped With Braised Chicken, Onions and Peppers

- 8 servings
- Topping:**
- 3/4 tablespoon olive oil
  - 1 1/4 pounds boneless, skinless, chicken thigh meat, trimmed of all fat, cut to 1/4-inch cubes
  - 4 cups diced onion
  - 1 1/2 cups diced green bell pepper
  - 1 1/2 cups diced red bell pepper
  - 2 jalapeños, seeded, diced
  - 3 garlic cloves, chopped
  - 1 2/3 cups Diet Coke
  - 1/2 tablespoon salt
  - 1 teaspoon freshly cracked black pepper
- Nachos:**
- 8 flour tortillas (8-inch diameter), cut to 6 wedges each
  - Fat-free nonstick cooking spray

1. Make topping by heating olive oil in Dutch oven, over medium heat and sautéing chicken until golden on all sides, about 10 minutes. Add onion, peppers and garlic and cook until onions are translucent, about 10 minutes. Add diet soda and bring to a simmer. Reduce heat to low, cover and braise until chicken is very tender, about 1 hour. Uncover, increase heat to medium and reduce liquid until almost fully absorbed, about 15 minutes. Season with salt and pepper, remove from heat and cool slightly.
2. Preheat oven to 350°F. Place tortilla wedges on nonstick cookie sheets and spray with cooking spray. Bake until nachos are crispy, and have light golden color, about 10–12 minutes. Cool slightly.
3. Serve nachos topped with braised chicken, onions and peppers.



Oven-Baked Nachos Topped With Braised Chicken, Onions and Peppers



# Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

## 25 years ago

March 15, 1979

### Property sale proposed

The Bureau of Land Management announced this week that owners of property at Silver City will be given title to their land.

The plan was approved Tuesday by Secretary of the Interior Cecil Andrus.

According to Dean Bibles, BLM’s Boise district manager, the 18 acres, totaling 70 lots, will be offered for sale sometime between the end of April and September 1.

Land owners have already criticized the plan, fearing the value of the property will be placed so high the present owners will not be able to afford to purchase their holdings.

Deeds to the property will include protective covenants to force Silver City property owners to preserve the historic character of the building and landscape.

Bibles said the BLM is working on a plan that would give regulating authority to the Owyhee County Planning Commission would act as the dept. of Interior’s agent in approving any requests to modify the exteriors of structures.

### Homedale locals

Mrs. Edith Cook has returned to her home on Bella Vista Drive, in Fry addition after a few weeks recuperation at the Homedale Nursing home with a hip injury form a fall last winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anderson, Mollie and Jordan, Nampa, were guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Andersen, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Johnstone were weekend visitors of his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Varner, Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. Amy Adams visited two days last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin, LaGrande, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Anderson were Sunday visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Anderson, Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knight and family were dinner guests last Thursday evening at the home of his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ellis, in observance of Mrs. Ellis and Mr. Knight’s birthday anniversaries. Mr. Ellis’ daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Stella Kane and LeAnn Wiggin, Caldwell, were afternoon visitors in honor of the occasion. Mrs. Ellis received telephone calls from her daughters, Mrs. Alice Levanger at Fort Bragg, No. Carolina, Mona Prisbrey at St. George, Utah, and Selinda Christoferson at Hyde Park, Utah. Her son, Ray Knight and family, Connell, Wash., remembered her with a potted plant.

Mrs. Melva Leavitt and her daughter, Mrs. Nina Hyde, visited over the weekend with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Elaine Mitchell and family, Madras, Ore.

### Member added

Noble Grand Patricia Zitney conducted the initiatory degree for four new members, Cloris Lamb, Lera Mae Breach, Helen Troy and Debbie Maybon, at the regular meeting of Empress Rebekah Lodge Monday evening. Dorothy Krause and Inez Kruger of Middleton were visitors.

Plans were made for the official visit of Deputy President Margaret Watkins of Middleton at the next regular meeting. A no-host dinner will be held at 6:30 pm at the Owyhee Lanes banquet room preceding the meeting. All members are urged to attend.

### Bruneau bulletins

Helping Ila Meyers and Pat Agenbroad to hostess a baby shower for Jan Anderson and her new son, Jim Nathan, in Grand View, was Myrna Thompson. The Sunday afternoon party was held at the home of Ila Meyers. Thirty-four ladies attended.

Annabelle and Hap Erwin were in Idaho Falls over the weekend to visit Hap’s sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Mink.

## 50 years ago

March 18, 1954

### Bruneau arm of Strike Dam closes March 24<sup>th</sup>

The Bruneau arm of the C.J. Strike impoundment above the Bruneau canyon in Owyhee county, including the mouths of all streams, will be closed to fishing for bass from March 24 through June 3. A condition of emergency has been declared because the bass brood stock may be endangered though over fishing of the waters.

### Scotty’s Reopens under new m’m’t.

Scotty’s Sport Shop reopened here last Saturday under the management of George Blackwell of Marsing, who had operated the Owyhee Tavern in Marsing for a number of years.

### HHS speech class attends festival

The speech class of the Homedale high school attended the district speech festival in Meridian Friday. Nearly every member of the class participated in an individual event or in the radio play on safe driving.

Those winning a superior rating were Evelyn Olsen, with a cutting from the play “Arsenic and Old Lace”; Ruth Burton, after dinner speaking; and Donna Faulks, original essay. Richard Scherer won an excellent rating with a five minute radio talk. These students will enter the regional festival at Twin Falls April 2 and 3.

The radio play received an excellent rating, but only one play is entitled to go to the regional.

Contestants receiving a good rating were Geneva McArthur, poetry; Pat Key, retold story; Margie Sargent, dramatic reading; and Elsie Walker, panel.

Mrs. Crockett accompanied the class to Meridian. The trip was made in a Greyhound bus.

### New pharmacist at Martin Drug

Mr. Paul E. Stockard of Caldwell is the new pharmacist at Martin’s Drug store, having replaced Frank Hook, Monday.

Stockard has been in the drug business all his life. He has owned his own store and operated several stores in Washington, Oregon, and on in Fairbanks, Alaska. He is an ex-Lieutenant Col. in the army chemical warfare branch. Stockard’s many years of experience offer the community an assurance of competent and efficient prescription service.

### Marsing

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McJunkin and family visited the Earl Arnolds Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ronal Dobbin and family and Mrs. Kenneth Belknap and children were Sunday dinner guests of the Donald Stephens family. Mr. Dobbin and Mr. Belknap went fishing Sunday.

Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Baalson were Emma Blakslee and Mrs. Ben Priest.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baalson has as their visitors Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Young and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ekstein of Nampa spent Sunday visiting with the Claude Baseys.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Sutter and family of Wilder visited Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. George Baalson and Mrs. and Mrs. Charlie Falen of Marsing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Priest and family of Ontario are visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Wm. Blakeslee and children. They arrived last week end.

Mrs. Ben Priest returned home Saturday to Ontario, Ore., after spending the past three months with her daughter Mrs. Wm Blakeslee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prescott entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bevan and family at a card party in their home Saturday evening.

Sunday dinner guests of the John Prescotts were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prescott and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Prescott and son.

## 138 years ago

March 17, 1866

JUDGE CURTIS sent over from the Capital to Post-master Clemmens for a mahogany cone and bullion to adorn the furniture with, even in a rough state, he said. Some of his friends among the Silver boys, on getting wind of it, immediately proceeded to outdo the P.M. in that business. They procured the ugliest stick of mahogany cord-wood in town, wrapped the crooks out of it with old flannel skirts, and enclosed the whole in a nice oil-cloth; accompanying this was a brick of bullion (bar-lead!) weighing sixteen ounce, from eight ounces of Poorman rock, highly finished and inscribed. The letter of presentation was grand and touching, and, altogether, as Beachey would enact the programme, the scene must have been one of as dignified burlesque as surprising to the Judge. Those Owyhee’uns won’t do, Judge, won’t do. Be on your guard.

FIGHT. Patsy Foy writes Jack Shea that he accepts the challenge of Harry Cooper. We have the letter but too late to publish entire, and it won’t bear abridgement. Will give it in our next. Patsy offers to fight Harry for any sum from \$1000 to \$1600. Says Harry did not state his choice of battlefields, the Basin or Owyhee. Offers the preference to Harry. Will come here if Harry pays his expenses, or pay Harry’s to the Basin. Wants to burry the matter up. If they will fight, by all means do it in Owyhee. For that purpose, we have the best of whisky. Guess the “boys” here would willing pay Patsy’s traveling expenses. Patsy don’t mention the matter of funeral expenses on either side.

CITIES. There are enough of them in Idaho now. Fred Warnkee tells us that an embryo town is one of the latest discoveries in Flint District. All they lack is a big name, and a little lumber to build some houses with. Now, for God’s sake, no, four our sake, gentlemen, if you lack for an extension of title, fix on some other word than city. You see no ordinary font of type will suffice for capital C’s and do other housework besides, if cities become a more numerous in this neck o’ timber. Call it something in anticipation of having a post office by another year not easily mixed up with half a dozen other places on the coast. This matter is of more importance than is generally supposed. Go to a foreign language or land, rather than not have something odd or different.

NEW COMERS and strange faces are becoming very numerous on the Jordan. Every stage and every day bring to light new specimens of the genus homo. Old Bannock (Idaho) is discharging much of its surplus humanity at the different landings, watching for “something to turn up;” of the many strangers in a strange land to be seen, we couldn’t say what their resources may be. Everything promises work for the police and lawyers, and that is as good a sign as many want in a mining country.

THE LAST WORDS of Tom Wilson were expressive of much indignation at the treatment he received at the hands of Owyhee officials and others, during his short but brilliant career. Tom was permitted to leave the camp, and the last seen of him was on the Reynolds Creek road. His time is spoken of by old sports as being good. He qualified Owyhee with the popular but unrefined phrase, placing much stress on the word “son”. Hail and farewell, Thomas!

PURCHASED. J. M. Abbott and Brother have recently purchased the Reynolds Creek Sawmill, and will commence cutting lumber for this market by the 1<sup>st</sup> of April. This is a practical lumber firm, and the public can rely upon their filling orders prompt and correctly. Lumber is greatly needed now, and both Jordan and Reynolds Creek mills will be kept.

NO FRESH BEEF in market now. More expected soon. Just to have a fresh bite, V. Blackinger of Silver, has killed a few large, fat hogs. Fresh pork, buckwheat cakes and lasses are pretty good. Considering the scarcity of fresh meat, everything is tolerably lovely.



# Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



## On the edge of common sense

### Clyde and the trap door

It is easy to think of farming as an outdoor sport; blue skies, green pastures, grazing cattle, range chickens and galloping your horse across the plain.

But there are parts of the world where the weather forces ingenious farmers to rethink their modus operandi (Latin for: method of losing money). The result is a vast array of ventilated turkey barns, air conditioned milking parlors, covered roping arenas, slatted floors, misted stalls and non-smoking areas in the farrowing house.

Up north, from Dodgeville to Dawson Creek, from Montpelier to Montreal, lots of livestock spend their winters indoors. Dairy cows in particular are treated with care. But housebreaking these cows continues to tax the ingenuity of farmers.

Susan grew up in Vermont on the highway that goes straight to the North Pole. The barn was built on the side of a hill. The dairy cows could actually walk into the second floor at ground level from the upper slope. They spent the winter in their stanchions; eating, being milked, chewing their cud and daydreaming.

As the temperature fell outside, the inside became a decorative ice cave. Hoar frost covered walls, nails, hinges, cobwebs and iron with white lace. Condensed exhalations gave the scene a dream-like quality.

Droppings were shoveled and scooped through a large trap door where they piled on the first floor/basement level. It was warm enough inside to prevent the whole mass from freezing. At the first bloom of spring the collected manure was scooped out and spread on the fields.

The horse end of the barn had its own 3' x 4' manure door in the floor. Clyde was the equine utility infielder on the team. He could plow, pull, pack and prance. It was on town meeting day that Clyde fell through the trap door. One corner had tipped and his right hind went straight through up to his belt buckle! The entire family of eight could not budge Clyde, who finally quit trying and asked for a blindfold and last cigarette.

Outside, a trail of cars was wending by on the way to the town meeting. Susan was sent to flag them down. I'm told the entire community of 1,200 came to help, watch, gamble or sell souvenirs.

Pulling against a heavy hand-hewn rafter with chains, a block and tackle, rope and canvas, they managed to pluck Clyde from his precarious pothole and save the day.

No statue exists in Middlesex today as a monument to Clyde and his rescuers on that fateful morning back in '58, but he lives on in the mind of Susan as clear as if she was still standin' out on that snowy road flaggin' down the neighbors on their way to the town meeting.

The minutes still read: "This day's town meeting was delayed due to Clyde's mishap. Otherwise the Council voted down efforts to give the teachers a raise. Business as usual."

Joe Aman

## Editor's notebook

### They didn't go far enough



Some Owyhee County fair board members have been receiving quite a bit of flack over a decision made at a recent board meeting.

The board has corrected – partly – a bad policy regarding who can participate in the Owyhee County Fair. Instead of permitting 4-H kids who live and attend schools outside of the county to bring their animals to the Owyhee County fair, kids must at least attend a school located in Owyhee County.

In the past, kids living outside the county but attend a school which districts overlap into Owyhee County had been allowed to enter the Owyhee fair.

I've never understood the logic of why a kid living in, say, Melba (Canyon County) is selling livestock at the Owyhee County Fair.

But the new policy doesn't go far enough. The board should restrict participation to kids who live

in Owyhee County. Period. What school kids attend should not be a part of the factor. The county fair is not a school function.

The Owyhee County Fair – and the Canyon and Elmore County fairs, for that matter – are a product of county property taxes. County property taxes finance the fair. County property taxes pay for and maintain the facilities. County property taxes pay for the prizes, and other expenses related to the operation of the fair.

Those kids living in Elmore or Canyon or some other bordering county have their own county fair, paid for by the taxes from that county.

So, my question is "why are we expected to pay for out-of-county kids to sell their animals at the Owyhee County Fair?"

The answer is that there is no logical reason.

Wayne Cornell

## Not important ... but possibly of interest



When a guy is in his twenties, he doesn't spend much time thinking about septic tanks. But as he edges up on sixty, he finds that invention and connected devices play an increasingly important role in his day-to-day activities.

To operate efficiently, a septic tank should be pumped out every few years. But in the twelve years we have lived here I never got around to having it done-primarily because I didn't have a clue where the tank cleanout lid was located. All I knew was it was buried somewhere in our front yard.

About five years ago, I spent several hours driving a metal rod into the yard in an unsuccessful attempt to find the tank. Your standard septic tank is made of concrete, and I figured the rod would stop when it hit the tank top. Unfortunately, the ground around our house is about thirty percent dirt and seventy percent rock. I couldn't tell if the rod was hitting the tank or a piece of hardpan. Later that spring, I discovered the probe had hit. When I turned on the underground sprinklers, a stream of water shot about ten feet in the air from a punctured line.

After digging several more test holes over a period of several years, I took a friend's advice and went to the county health department. They had information filed by the contractor who built our house, showing the design of the septic system. I didn't get around to using the contractor maps until a couple of weeks ago. I vowed not to quit until I found the tank lid. I dug and I dug, I finally hit something. But it wasn't a concrete tank. The object appeared to be made of fiberglass. I called a local plumbing supply store and asked if there was such a thing as a fiberglass septic tank. The guy at the store said he thought he had heard of such an animal but had never seen one.

Aided by the maps and a little luck, I hit the septic tank hatch on my next try. It confirmed that the tank was a rare fiberglass model. The way the earth over the hatch was packed, it was obvious it

hadn't been opened since the house was built in 1979. The septic tank pumper guys who came the next day agreed with my assessment and charged extra because of the difficulty in cleaning it out. It was long overdue.

So now I don't have to worry about our cup running over for a while. But in about three years the tank will need to be pumped again and I will be older. I am still recovering from a pulled chest muscle acquired during my recent search. My plan for next time is to do the husbands of our three darling daughters a favor and allow them dig up the tank lid. It will make them wise beyond their years and prepare them in advance for the time when septic tanks are an important part of their lives.

## Letters to the editor policy

We welcome letters to the editor.

Our policy is that locally-written letters receive priority. We do not publish mass-produced letters. The length must be limited to 300 words; the letters must be signed, and include the writer's address and a day phone number where the writer can be reached for verification.

Deadline is Friday noon.

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# Commentary

## Accuracy in media

### Foreign Jihadists in Iraq

Notra Trulock, Associate Editor of the AIM Report.

The March 2 suicide-bomber attacks on Shiite holy sites were the deadliest since the fall of Saddam Hussein and part of an ongoing campaign to destabilize Iraq and interrupt the country’s transition to democracy. Coalition officials in Baghdad attributed the attacks to foreign terrorists affiliated, loosely or otherwise, with al-Qaeda and specifically to Jordanian-born Palestinian Abu Musab al-Zarqawi. The U.S. commander in Iraq, General John Abizaid, told Congress that he had seen “intelligence that ties Zarqawi to the attack.”

Coalition officials in Baghdad say that suicide attacks, like those on March 2, are most likely the work of foreign terrorists or “internationally professional killers,” in the words of the U.S. Administrator in Iraq, Ambassador Paul Bremer. The Associated Press reports that there have been at least 19 suicide-bomb attacks since last August in Iraq. Al-Zarqawi claims credit for 25 “martyrdom operations,” and General Mark Kimmitt, Deputy Director of Coalitions Operations, told reporters “there is certainly a body of evidence that would point to Zarqawi as the perpetrator of those crimes.”

General Abizaid also told Congress that there is evidence that Zarqawi and other foreign terrorists are “in close coordination with former Iraqi intelligence service people.” That is particularly ominous, since last fall the Iraq Survey Group reported that, since 1996, the Iraqi Intelligence Service had controlled a clandestine network of biological warfare labs and facilities. The ISG has yet to uncover stockpiles of bio-warfare agents, although before the war Secretary of State Colin Powell told the UN Security Council that Hans Blix said the Iraqis had never accounted for the thousands of liters of anthrax the UN estimated they had produced.

But as with the weapons of mass destruction issue, many in the media now openly dispute the Coalition’s assessments of foreign terrorists being behind the suicide bomber attacks. Writing in the Los Angeles Times, for example, Patrick McDonnell and Sebastian Rotella challenge what they claim is “the widely held view that Iraq’s suicide bombers are exclusively foreign jihadis.” Rotella, who attends Coalition press conferences in Baghdad, also charges that U.S. officials are exaggerating the role of Al-Zarqawi, and foreign terrorists in general, in attacks like those conducted against the Shiites on March 2. He cites U.S. commanders as saying “their foes are mostly Iraqi.” He writes that a U.S. Army Major told him, “It’s clearly wrong to pin all the attacks on Zarqawi or suggest that this is exclusively a foreign-fueled, foreign-initiated insurgency, because that’s not the case.”

But that is in itself a distortion of the case Coalition officials are making. They believe that a sort of division of effort has emerged between the foreign jihadists and former regime elements. In their briefings in Baghdad, they distinguish between attacks on coalition forces, which they think are conducted by these latter elements, and the more spectacular, symbolic suicide attacks on new Iraqi police and army forces and Iraqis themselves. They do believe that foreign jihadists are deeply involved in the planning and execution of these attacks. But they also acknowledge that foreign jihadists are

supported by “small numbers of Iraqis, whatever their motivations.”

A letter written by al-Zarqawi and believed to be intended for top al-Qaeda leaders reinforced this assessment. Al-Zarqawi noted the reluctance of the “Iraqi brothers” to conduct “martyrdom” operations and their preference for “mines planted, rockets launched, and mortars shelling from afar.” He is also clear on the targets for the foreign jihadists’ attacks: police, military, and the Shiites. At a mid-February briefing, coalition officials said that about 300 Iraqi police officers have been killed in the line of duty, with others, including Iraqi police chiefs, on the target list. Six of the 19 suicide attacks reported by the AP have been on Iraqi police stations, not counting one attack on an Italian paramilitary police headquarters. And there have been two major

suicide attacks on Shiite targets; in addition to the March 2 attacks, last August a car bomb destroyed a mosque in Najaf, killing 85 including Shiite Ayatollah Mohammed Baqir al-Hakim.

Media skeptics also allege that the coalition is overstating the numbers of foreign jihadists in Iraq. Last November, the New York Times’ Joel Brinkley wrote that, in contrast to the 1,000 - 3,000 foreign fighters the White House claimed are in Iraq, his sources told him that U.S. forces had “encountered only a handful of foreign fighters trying to sneak into the country to attack American and allied forces.” That’s misleading, however. Coalition officials have been clear that attacks on coalition forces are still coming mainly from former regime loyalists, while the foreign jihadists are concentrating on Iraqi targets.

## Idaho Farm Bureau Celebrate Food Check Out Day

By Frank Priestley, President

Food in America is affordable. In fact, in only about 40 days the average American will have earned enough disposable income to pay for his or her food supply for the entire year.

The Idaho Farm Bureau Women’s Committee celebrated Food Checkout Day on February 16 by donating over \$1,000 worth of food to the Ronald McDonald House in Boise. The Ronald McDonald House provides a home-away-from-home for families of seriously ill children receiving medical treatment in the Boise area. The food will be used to help feed visiting families staying at the house. IFBF’s Women’s Committee made the donation for the seventh consecutive year. The partnership with Ronald McDonald House Charities was formed in 1998.

In comparison to Food Check-Out Day, Tax Freedom Day, the day the average American has earned enough money to pay federal, state and local taxes, was April 19 last year, according to the Tax Foundation.

According to the latest statistics compiled by the Agriculture Department’s Economic Research Service, American families and individuals currently spend, on average, less than 10 percent of their disposable personal income for food.

Applying the current statistic to the calendar year, it means the average household will have earned enough disposable income — that portion of income

available for spending or saving — to pay for its annual food supply in just 37 days.

It speaks well of our nation’s increasing standard of living, which would certainly be reduced without the safe, abundant and affordable domestic food supply produced by America’s farmers and ranchers.

We are proud of our Women’s Committee members who spend their time and efforts to commemorate this important day. And we’re also proud of the farm families whose hard work provides American consumers with the most affordable and healthy food supply available anywhere. Their labors afford American consumers with a great deal of economic freedom and their work is also vital to this nation’s security. Consumers in many countries spend a significant portion of their income on food. According to United Nations statistics, consumers in New Zealand, Italy, Germany, Japan and Spain all spend more than 15 percent of their income on food and Israel, Mexico, South Africa and India spend more than 20 percent on food.

The percentage of disposable personal income spent for food in the United States has declined over the last 30 years. In 1970, Food Check-Out Day would have been 12 days later. Food is more affordable today due to a widening gap between growth in per-capita incomes and the amount of money spent for food, according to the Agriculture Department.

It’s easy for many Americans to take our quality of life for granted. But we need to pause and recognize the contributions that America’s food producers give to our society.

**Classified deadline**  
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**Legal notice deadline**  
**Friday noon the week prior to publication**

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# Public notices

**NOTICE OF  
RESCHEDULED  
TRUSTEE’S SALE**

On Thursday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2004, at the hour of 11:00 a.m. o’clock a.m. of said day on the front steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse located at 20381 St Hwy 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650, Michaelina B. Murphy, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of the sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, to-wit:

See Attached Exhibit ‘A’

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 Duane Kenny, a married man, as Grantor, to Pioneer Title Company of Canyon County, an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Nathan R. Coe and

Linda R. Coe, husband and wife, as Beneficiary and recorded in Owyhee County as instrument number 228950. Substitution of Trustee having been signed May 19, 2003 and recorded June 9, 2003 as Instrument No. 243819, records of Owyhee County, Idaho, naming Michaelina B. Murphy as Successor Trustee. The above Grantors are named to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506(4)(a). No representation is made that they are or are not presently responsible for this obligation.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure of the Grantor to pay when due, monthly installments as set forth on the Note secured by said Deed of Trust. Monthly installments as set forth on the Note secured by said Deed of Trust. Monthly installments in the amount of \$987.81, which includes principal, interest and escrow impounds, is due for March 2003 and the 18<sup>th</sup> day of each and every month thereafter. The Beneficiary exercised their op-

tion to call the whole sum of the principal and interest, which was immediately due and payable upon Grantor’s failure to make the March 18, 2003 installment when due. Interest continues to accrue at the rate of 9% per annum. The principal balance is \$17,356.25 plus accruing interest, and;

Failure to pay real property taxes for the year 1999 in the amount of \$265.52, and for the year 2000 in the amount of \$187.80, and for the year 2001 in the amount of \$174.08, and for the year 2002 in the amount of \$133.49, and for the year 2003 in the amount of \$128.88 plus penalty and interest to date of payment.

ALL AMOUNTS are now due and payable along with all costs and fees associated with this foreclosure.

Dated this 12 day of February 2004.

Michaelina Murphy, Successor Trustee  
Murphy Law Office, PLLC  
117 S. 9<sup>th</sup> Ave. Ste 7

PO Box 339  
Caldwell, Idaho 83606  
Exhibit “A”

A tract of land lying in the Southeast Quarter of Section 33, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly describe as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the North boundary line of State Highway No. 55 (formerly State Highway No. 20) which point is East 955.0 feet and North 33.0 feet from the South Quarter corner of said Section 33; thence running

North a distance of 896.0 feet; thence

North 85° 40’ East, a distance of 483.3 feet; thence running

South, a distance of 923.5 feet to a point on the North boundary line of State Highway No. 55, which point is 482.1 feet East from the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

West along said boundary line 482.1 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

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**NOTICE**

The Southwest District Board of Health will hold a **Board Meeting** on Tuesday, March 23, 2004 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Southwest District Health, Room 200, 920 Main Street, Caldwell, Idaho.

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# Public notices

**NOTICE**

The Owyhee County Natural Resources Committee will conduct a special meeting to discuss potential County involvement in a Candidate Conservation Agreement for Sage Grouse and to make recommendation to the County Commissioners. The meeting will convene at 7:00 pm on Monday, March 22, in the Owyhee County Courthouse.  
Jim Desmond  
3/17/04

**OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES  
MARCH 1, 2004  
OWYHEE COUNTY  
COURTHOUSE MURPHY,  
IDAHO**

Present were Commissioner Harold Tolmie, Commissioner Dick Reynolds, Commissioner Chris Salove, Clerk Charlotte Sherburn, Treasurer Barbara Wright, Assessor Brett Endicott, Sheriff Gary Aman, and Jim Desmond.

The Board amended the agenda to include Al Van Vooren with the Department of Fish and Game.

The Board granted an exemption on the 100 foot setback requirement, for an expansion to an existing building, requested by Mike Stewart in Bruneau.

The Board granted an exemption on the 100 foot setback requirement for the placement of the modular unit behind the Annex Building in Murphy to be used for a law library.

The Board approved the road name of Sanctuary Lane requested by Les Fitzpatrick.

The Board took no action on the Appeal of the Louse Creek Grazing decision.

The Board authorized cancellation of interest and costs for a tax delinquency on Canyon Estates Subdivision in the amount \$678.90. The Board advised the property owners present, in order to create an easement an amended plat would have to be approved.

Don Barnhill met with the Board on sale of gravel to the County. No action was taken.

Al Van Vooren with the Fish and Game Department met with the Board on the public hearings being held on restricted ATV use in certain units in the County.

Dennis Codr met with the Board to discuss the Joint Powers Agreement for the Gem Plan Self-Funded Insurance Plan. No action was taken.

The Board approved payment of all outstanding bills paid from the following funds: Current Expense 30,232; Road & Bridge 19,555; District Court 1,390; Probation 2,159; Health District 4,195; Historical Society 554; Indigent & Charity 1,188; Revaluation 1,489; Solid Waste 463; Weed 503

The Board approved the minutes for the February 23rd meeting.

There being no further business the Board moved for adjournment.

The complete minutes can be viewed in the office of the Clerk.  
Harold Tolmie, Chairman  
Attest: Charlotte Sherburn  
3/17/04

**IDI-33093  
Notice of Exchange Proposal  
Proposed Exchange of Lands  
in Boise and Owyhee Counties, Idaho**

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Bureau of Land Management, Lower Snake River District, Boise Field Office, 3948 Development Avenue, Boise, Idaho 83705.

Notice is hereby given that the Bureau of Land Management is considering a proposal to exchange land pursuant to Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1716), as amended. This is an exchange with the State of Idaho, Idaho Department of Transportation. The following described public land is being considered for disposal by the United States:

Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, T. 2 N., R. 4 W., section 31: Lot 13. Containing 17.78 acres.

In exchange, the United States would acquire the following described land from the State of Idaho, Idaho Department of Transportation: Boise Meridian, Boise County, Idaho, T. 9 N., R. 4 E., section 20: Lot 9B. Containing 1.4 acres. This exchange will be completed on the basis of approximate equal values. Mineral rights on both the public and private lands will be exchanged with the surface. Subject to valid existing rights, the public lands identified above were segregated from appropriation under the public land laws and mineral laws beginning April 29, 2003. In addition, the public lands are encumbered with a right-of-way for an assertion recognized under RS 2477 to the Gem Highway District #3.

More detailed information concerning the proposed exchange may be obtained from Candi Miracle, Owyhee Realty Specialist, Lower Snake River District, Boise Field Office, 3948 Development Avenue, Boise, ID 83705, (208) 384-3455.

Interested parties may submit comments concerning the proposed exchange to Rosemary Thomas, Acting Four Rivers Field Manager, at the above address. In order to be considered in the environmental analysis for the proposed exchange, comments must be in writing to the Field Manager and be postmarked or delivered within 45 days of the date of the first publication of this Notice.

Dated: March 9, 2004  
/s/ Rosemary Thomas  
Acting Four Rivers Field Manager  
3/17,24,31-4/7/04

**NOTICE TO BID  
REQUEST FOR BID  
ON FAIRGOURDN'S  
IMPROVEMENT  
INVITATION TO BID**

Owyhee County Commissioners will accept bids to replace outdoor arena lighting system at the Owyhee County Fair Grounds in Homedale, Idaho. This job to include removal of eight 50' poles with the existing attached luminaries and all overhead lighting and concession stand wiring that surround

the arena. Install eight new 55' wooden poles with the east four being relocated to the back of the bleachers. Install two underground circuits of 350 MCM AL, one for the lighting circuit and one for the concession circuit; both circuits to be installed 30" deep in Schedule 40 plastic conduit. Install eight 17"x30" plastic junction boxes, one each to be located at the base of each pole. Provide all secondary connectors in each junction box and pole riser materials and wiring for each pole. Install in the same trench, one 1" Schedule 40 conduit for future speaker wiring.

The items not included in this proposal area as follows:

Material or labor to cut over the existing concession outlets to the new underground system.

Material or labor to terminate the new underground system at the main power panel.

Labor to install the pole risers and lighting fixtures on the eight poles.

Labor to install the five proposed luminaries to be mounted on the covered grandstand.

Any bidder can call Teri Nielsen at 337-3325 and schedule a walk through to look at the area and receive any further information needed. The bids must be in by 5:00 PM, April 2, 2004. All bids must be postmarked by April 1, 2004. Bids may be submitted by mail to: Owyhee County Clerk's Office, PO Box 128, Murphy, Idaho 83650 or in person at Owyhee County Court House, Clerk's Office in Murphy, Idaho. Bids will be opened on April 5, 2004 at 10:00 A.M. at the Owyhee County Commissioners Meeting, in Murphy Idaho. County may accept or reject any or all bids. All standard-bidding procedures apply.  
3/3,17/04

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE  
NOMINATION  
EASTERN OWYHEE  
COUNTY  
FREE LIBRARY DISTRICT  
OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in accordance with Idaho Code, 33-2709, 33-420 (7b), and 33-502, nominating petitions will be accepted for the position of Eastern Owyhee County Library District Trustee on or before March 19, 2004.

Petitions are available at the library at 520 Boise Avenue, Grand View, Idaho. Candidates for the position of trustee must be qualified electors and residents of the Eastern Owyhee County Library District. One (1) position is available for a five (5) year term. An election will be held Tuesday, May 25, 2004. For further information contact Kathy Chick, Clerk of the Board, 520 Boise Avenue, Grand View, Idaho 83624.

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2004  
Kathy L. Chick  
3/17/04

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
CASE NO. SP-04-01992  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT OF THE  
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND  
FOR THE COUNTY OF  
OWYHEE**

In the Matter of the Estate of:  
RAMONA ABERASTURI,  
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned is the attorney of record for the appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

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

DATED this 8 day of March, 2004.

LOUIS L. URANGA  
Uranga & Uranga  
714 North 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
P.O. Box 1678  
Boise, Idaho 83701  
(208) 342-8931  
Attorney for Personal Representative  
3/17,24,31/04

**NOTICE OF CREDITORS  
CASE NO. SP-04-0212M  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT OF  
THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN  
AND FOR THE COUNTY OF  
OWYHEE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF  
MILLIE SEVY, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or her estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated and filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2004.

/s/KARLA BOWERS  
Personal Representative  
PO Box 503  
Marsing, ID 83639  
HERBERT W. RETTIG  
Attorney at Law  
PO Box 729  
Caldwell, ID 83606  
(208) 459-1541  
ISBN 845  
Attorney for Personal Representative  
3/10,17,24/04

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S  
SALE**

On July 6, 2004, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock am 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 9 in Block 1 of CANYON ESTATES SUBDIVISION, according to the official plat thereof, filed as Instrument No. 225491, official records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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 3810 Sagebrush Drive a/k/a 2962 Sagebrush Lane, 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 David J. Snider and Eileen Snider, husband and wife, as Grantor(s) with Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded July 19, 2002, as Instrument No. 240268, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho, in the records of said County.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MAKE 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 \$844.21 for the months of August 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 \$96,423.68 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 9.500% from July 1, 2003, 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 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2004.

Paula Peterson Trust Officer  
For Charles C. Just, Esq.  
P.O. Box 50271  
Idaho Falls, ID 83405  
(208) 523-9106 FAX (208) 523-9146

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.  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE**

On the **29<sup>th</sup>** day of **June, 2004**, at the hour of **10:00 A.M.**, of said day, (recognized local time), in the Office of lobby of the **Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy**, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho.

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

Lot 3, Block 3 of **EAGLE VIEW ESTATES**, according to the official plat thereof recorded as Instrument No. 215482, Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

This Trustee’s Sale is subject to any bankruptcy filing, payoff, reinstatement, or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware of, and 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/or the Beneficiary shall not be held liable to any successful purchaser(s) or bidders, at the Trustee’s Sale, 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 that according to the County Assessors office, the address of **12473 Cinnabar Way, Murphy**, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by the pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **RAN-DALL K REED AND TERESA F REED, husband and wife**, as grantors, to **FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.**, an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of **HOME FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF NAMPA**, as beneficiary, recorded May 4, 2000, as Instrument No. 232238, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITHSECTION45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds of \$1,010.00, due per month for the months of October through December, 2003 and January, 2004 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale

or reinstatement, with interest accruing at an adjustable rate, the current rate is 7.625% per annum, and continuing to accrue from September 1, 2003. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$112,661.81, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Date: February 24, 2004  
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.

By Elishia M. Ricky, Trust Officer  
FA-17368  
First American Title Company of Idaho  
Trust Dept. 1-208-375-0455  
3/10,17,24,31/04

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE**

On May 6, 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:

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 934 a/k/a 8167 Owyhee View Lane, 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 inferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Mark B. Crandall, an unmarried man, as Grantor(s) with DMI, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded May 29, 2002, as Instrument No. 239776, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Flagstar Bank, FSB, recorded May 29, 2002, as Instrument No. 239777, 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 there under as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$1,114.73 for the months of August 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 \$140,051.01 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 7.00% from July 1, 2003, 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 30<sup>th</sup> day of December, 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  
Exhibit “A”

A parcel of land being a portion of Government Lots 5 and 3 lying in Section 6, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a brass cap marking the Southwest corner of said Government Lot 5; thence along the Westerly boundary of said Government Lot 5 and the centerline of State Highway No. 78,

North 00° 17’ 00” West 619.10 feet to a railroad spike; thence leaving said Westerly boundary of Government Lot 5 and said centerline of State Highway No. 78,

North 89° 11’ 40” East 774.10 feet to an iron pin; thence South 48° 41’ 51” East 311.24 feet to an iron pin; thence

North 89° 11’ 40” East 159.11 feet to an iron pin marking the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

North 00° 17’ 00” West 562.56 feet to an iron pin; thence

North 88° 33’ 30” East 299.00 feet to an iron pin; thence South 17° 24’ 00” East 514.31 feet to an iron pin; thence South 27° 04’ 20” East 81.37 feet to an iron pin; thence South 89° 11’ 40” West 487.01 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

**For information concerning this sale please contact The Just Law Office at [www.justlawidaho.com](http://www.justlawidaho.com) or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you.**

2/25-3/3,10,17/04

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE**

On the **17<sup>th</sup>** day of **June, 2004**, at the hour of **10:00 A.M.**, of said day, (recognized local time), in the Office of lobby of the **Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy**, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho.

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

**SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT A**

This Trustee’s Sale is subject to any bankruptcy filing, payoff, reinstatement, or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware of, and 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/or the Beneficiary shall not be held liable to any successful purchaser(s) or bidders, at the Trustee’s Sale, 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 that according to the County Assessors office, the address of **Route 1, Box 820, Marsing**, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by the pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **CLINTON E SMITH AND V. ANN SMITH, husband and wife**, as grantors, to **FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.**, an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of **Sierra Pacific Mortgage Company, Inc.**, a California corporation, as beneficiary, recorded January 7, 2000, as Instrument No. 231027, and assigned to **CHASE MANHATTAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION**, as beneficiary by assignment recorded May 23, 2000, as Instrument No. 232452, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITHSECTION45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this

sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds of \$876.35, due per month for the months of September through December, 2003 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$35.05, uncollected late charges are due in the amount of \$211.12, with interest accruing at an adjustable rate, the current rate is 5.5% per annum, and continuing to accrue from August 1, 2003. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$112,735.59, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Date: February 17, 2004  
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.

By Elishia M. Ricky, Trust Officer  
FA-17248/cmm  
First American Title Company of Idaho  
Trust Dept. 1-208-375-0455  
EXHIBIT A  
ATTACHED TO Notice of Trustee’s Sale  
TRACT I:

Lot 3, Block 1, of the map entitled “**RIVER’S EDGE SUBDIVISION**”, part of Government Lots 1 and 2, Section 11, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho filed September 25, 1998 as Instrument No. 226125, Owyhee County records.

TRACT II:  
TOGETHER WITH a Nonexclusive Easement:

A Nonexclusive Easement for ingress, egress and utilities as created by Easement Agreement recorded December 15, 1997 as Instrument No. 223538, Owyhee County records and as shown on the map entitled “**RIVER’S EDGE SUBDIVISION**”, filed September 25, 1998 as Instrument No. 226125, Owyhee County records, as Proctor Lane (Private) but not being a part of said subdivision.

3/3,10,17,24/04

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**Chip Roser, MD**  
**Janine Franco, PA**  
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**896-4159, Night 466-7869**  
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Thursday 8:30 am - 9:00 pm

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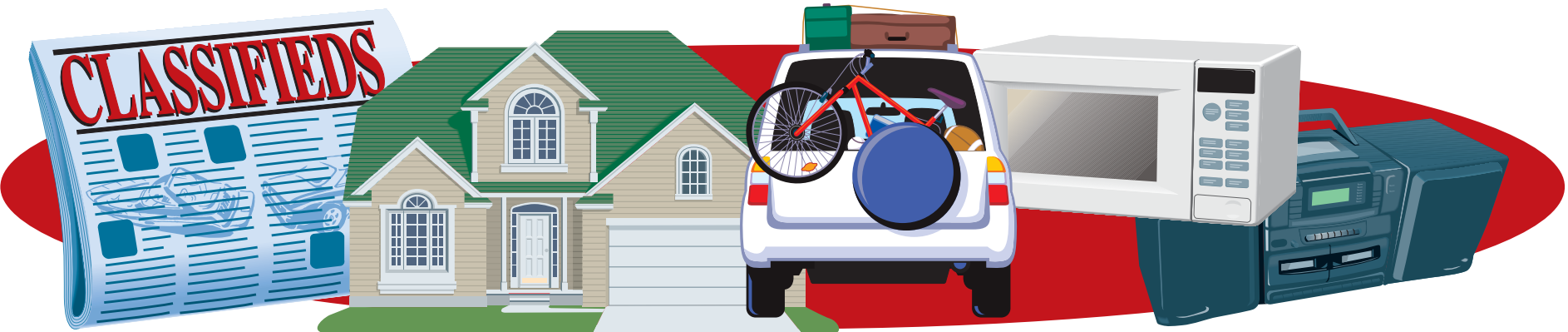
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appreciate everything. State Line Store.  
We thank our children for the wonderful party celebrating our birthdays and to all of our families and friends for attending and the beautiful cakes, food, cards and gifts. It was a very memorable day. Mary Cegnar and Eddie Chadez

**Thank You!**

Clint and Sherri Romriell would like to send out a humongous thank you to the community for another smashing success with the 43rd Annual Smorgas-board. Our community effort resulted in serving just over 2200 people with the help of well over 300 volunteers.

The income as of today is at right around \$10,000 which will be evenly split and distributed to the Elementary, Middle, and High School. We wish to thank the Homedale School Administrators, Staff, Teachers, Students, all Booth Chairpersons, and the many, many community members and businesses that went above and beyond to make this a great fundraiser for our schools.

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