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SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS

City to host block party Saturday

The City of Homedale will host a block party this Saturday with over 30 vendors, entertainment, an amusement carnival, law enforcement and emergency response demonstrations and many other attractions.

Coordinator Susan Mansisidor said the event would be held from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. and will feature food, crafts, flea markets, farmer's market vendors and a variety of performers.

"It will be great," Mansisidor said. "The response has been overwhelming and we are really looking forward to this event. We hope that it will be enough of a success that we can hold a celebration every year."

Susan said local law enforcement officers would be available in the dunk tank for those with a strong arm and a grudge. Members of the Homedale Fire District will also be on hand to allow people to tour the fire trucks and equipment.



Beating the heat Grand View style The town of Grand View knows how to beat the heat Saturday afternoon with an all-out water war following the Grand View Days parade. The annual event draws several hundred visitors. More photos inside.

OHV route designation meeting to be held today in Nampa

The Bureau of Land Management, Lower Snake

can be accessed, how this process ties in with the two River District, will host a Resource Management Plans public information workshop currently under development will be using to make these on route designations (including in the Owyhee Field Office, (Bruneau and Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area), and how individuals and organizations with an interest in the route designation process can be involved.

types of uses are best suited for the areas. We are very excited about the process we determinations and look forward to sharing it with the users of BLM Lands in the District" said BLM Recreation Planner Jim Schmid. "We are still in the early stages of the process and while we won't be taking public comment at this time, it is important that those who use the public lands for either motorized non-motorized recreation or activities in this area attend the workshop."

County employee under investigation for misuse of benefits

An employee in the Owyhee County Clerk's office is under investigation for misuse of funds after being accused of modifying a computer program for additional benefits.

Sheriff Gary Aman said that he received a report from the clerk's office that an employee had allegedly altered a computer program. He said the investigation into the crime has been turned over to detectives in the Canyon County Sheriff's Office because the employee worked directly with the sheriff's office but is from a different department.

Aman said he could not verify that the employee had been terminated, but sources have stated that an employee was recently fired. Clerk Charlotte Sherburn would not comment to any questions pertaining to the investigation or to even verify that there is an investigation.

"There is actually no cash involved," Aman said. "The computer program was altered to show more benefits than the employee had earned or deserved."

Aman said the crime would be a theft, but the investigation is currently ongoing and charges have not been filed. He said he would not, at this time, release the name of the accused.

Homedale council considers vendor permits

With an increase in street vendors and concern from local business owners, the council are considering enacting a vendor permit before items can be sold from public property. The concern came up several months ago before the council, but the council never made a final decision. Mayor Paul Fink said last week he feels the council might need to come up with some kind of plan.

Fink told the council during a regular meeting Wednesday that many people have approached the city for a permit to sell a variety of items on public streets. He said he feels it is a tough decision for anyone because he does not want anyone to be discriminated against. "I sat down there in my shop for 25 years and watched people buy old trucks, a welder and items from people who didn't have insurance, liability and different things that they should

have and they could compete with me, or I had to compete with them," Fink told the council. "But, I have also worried about what we do to the business people if we put a license on them. Anyone that wants to start a business can come up with the \$25. Do you make the license so high that it runs off the business? I don't know, but do you put stipulations on what they have to do? It is up to the council."

The mayor said his only concern was that the city did not discriminate about who was al-

off-highway vehicle use) for portions of the District today (Wednesday), from 6:30 to 9: 30 p.m. The workshop will be held at the Civic Center, 311, 3rd Street South, Nampa.

BLM states that the purpose of the workshop is to provide information on the BLM's route designation process, how the route inventory information

"Route designations will determine which roads and/or trails will remain open, which will be closed, which will have seasonal restrictions, and what lowed to sell on the streets and who is not.

Councilperson Cindy Sims asked the city's attorney Chris Nye, what liability the city would have if they required vendor businesses to have a permit? Nye said none, the liability would still be the responsibility of the business.

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Police chief: Scooters are vehicles

Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller is reminding motorists to beware of increasing traffic of motorized scooters. He said he wants to remind kids who are riding the scooters that they need to obey the law as a vehicle does and to remind motorists that the mini motor bikes are difficult to see.

"They are a motorized vehicle and if they are ridden on public road ways, they have to have to follow the laws the same as a vehicle," Eidemiller said. "They need to have insurance, registration and the driver must have a driver's license. There are more and more of those things out there and the kids riding them have to obey the rules of the road, but motorists need to remember that the kids are easily hidden in blind spots of vehicles."

A spokesman from the Idaho Transportation Department said the scooters could not be registered and are not considered to be street legal. She said often the sellers of the scooters do not know or understand the law of the state, but people should be aware that the scooters are not considered to be street legal and they are also not considered to be a bicycle so riders can be ticketed for driving the scooters on public roadways.

Classmates invited to allschool picnic

Alumni from the Marsing School District will hold a all class picnic on August 1 at the Marsing City Park at 1 p.m.

Coordinators said everyone is asked to bring a covered dish, their own table service and lawn chair for the event.

For more information contact Venet Larsen at 455-4490.



Site of fatality

Randall Galinkin of Owyhee, NV, died last Tuesday when a large beam (lower center, between concrete blocks) fell, pinning him and a co-worker. Two other workers escaped unharmed. The crew is in the process of dismanteling the mine's equipment for salvage.

Nevada man killed at **DeLamar Mine site**

An Owyhee, Nevada man was killed and another man was injured a week ago Tuesday in an accident at the DeLamar Mine near Jordan Valley.

Forty year old Randall Galinkin died when a heavy steel support structure fell on him and a co-worker as they were lowering a piece of machinery used to crush rocks. The name of the other victim was not available at press time, but reports state that he was transported by personal vehicle to a local hospital with leg injuries.

The other worker was initially trapped, but was removed shortly after the accident.

Reports state that Galinkin and three other workers were lowering a multiton rock-crushing cylinder using five jacks. One of the jacks slipped and a multiton steel support cradle fell on two of the workers from a height of about eight feet.

At the time of his death, Galinkin was working for RAM Enterprises, Inc. out of Elko, Nev.

The incident is still under investigation by the Owyhee County Sheriff's office and mine safety officials.

Sheriff's office seeks burglary information

Detectives from the Owyhee County Sheriff's office are investigating numerous burglaries of farm shops, commercial and residential in the Marsing area. Several thousand dollars' worth of "high quality" tools and equipment have been stolen and although officers have a suspect, they now need the help of local residents to recover more of the equipment.

Sheriff Gary Aman said last week that the investigation has led to a suspect, Denny Luganas of Marsing. He said during the investigation, it has been discovered that on occasions Luganas had in his possession a large amount of power and hand tools that he had been attempting to sell to other persons in the area.

Detective Jim Bish said that he has connected Luganas to two of the local burglaries, but now the law enforcement officials are seeking the assistance of the community to recover more of the items that have been stolen.

"We need anyone who has been in contact with this man to call us," Aman said. "He has a cast on his right arm and he is hearing impaired. He uses his disabilities to make people feel sorry for him so they will buy his stolen tools. We have numerous items recovered, but now we need to talk to anyone who may have purchased, or have been approached to purchase, tools from this suspect."

Reports state that Luganas has been identified approaching homes with a young boy he claims is his child. He tells his victims that he needs to sell his tools to purchase food for his starving children. But, the investigation states that Luganas does not have any children. The young man with him is his brother.

"He preys on the older people by making them feel sorry for him," Aman said. "He tells them that he is disabled and his children are hungry. They purchase the tools to help him out. He plays on peoples' emotions."

Incident reports show that the burglaries have happened within the last month at shops in the Marsing area. Aman said anyone who has purchased or been approached to purchase a power tool or hand tools from a man with a cast on his right arm and a hearing aid, they need to contact the sheriff's office at 495-1154.

OSCD to tour **Owyhee Reservoir**

The Owyhee Soil Conservation District will hold its annual summer tour on July 29 leaving from the Homedale Park at 10 a.m. The district has planned a tour of the Owyhee Reservoir, museum and dam. Transportation will be provided.

The board of supervisors will meet at the Homedale Park at 9:45 a.m. and will leave for the dam at 10 a.m. The group plans to return to Homedale at 4 p.m.

Individuals attending are asked to bring a picnic side dish and OSCD will provide serving-ware, sandwiches, chips and beverages. To reserve a spot on the bus, contact Linda by July 23 at 896-4544, ext 102.



THE AVALANCHE





Swine judging 4-H members line the fence during a market swine judging at the home of Teresa Ryska.

33 youths attend 4-H judging at local dairy

4-Hers, volunteers, leaders and parents from around the county attended the first Owyhee County 4-H Livestock Judging Basics training, sponsored by the Shoo-fly 4-H Club last Wednesday at the Dave and Sue Williams' Owyhee Dairy in Homedale.

Thirty-three youth, and 14 parents and adult volunteers attended the clinic where they learned about basic livestock judging concepts. Clubs represented were the Shoo-fly 4-H Club, Wilson Butte, Owyhee Dairy Goats, Owyhee Silver Spurs 4-H Club and the Marsing FFA Chapter.

Tass Heim, 4-H volunteer, taught youth about judging, how they judge basic things in their everyday lives and how judging is a life skill they will always use. The group then talked about putting classes into pairs and how to judge according to class standards.

The first class the youth judged was a class of cups followed by a class of four different cowboy hats. Participants learned how to justify their placings and practiced giving oral reasons. They then moved to the livestock and were able to judge a class of market swine, market steers, dairy cows, goats and market lambs. Scott Jensen, Owyhee County Livestock Extension Educator, was the official judge and helped facilitate discussion after each class as to why the classes were placed the way they were and how to give oral reasons justifying placing. Following the judging everyone attended a picnic lunch and took time for some swimming. Coordinators said the event was a success due to the many volunteers who supplied animals, facilities and expertise.

Dave and Sue Williams provided the facility, dairy cows, extra lunches and ice cream, Teresa Ryska supplied the market swine class and Jody Usabel supplied the market beef class. Jeffrey and Patricia Munson supplied the class of goats and Leslie Nash and Jan Aman supplied the lambs for the market lamb class.

Clinic coordinators Sue Williams and Leslie Nash worked to make the class a success. The 4-H and FFA livestock-judging contest will be held at the county fair on August 14 at 4 p.m.



Adrian Strawberry Daze winners announced

Winners of the Adrian Strawberry Daze contest were announced last week. The event was held at the Adrian School park on June 11 and 12.

Winners of the band contest were Boyd's Band in first place and Ridgeview Friends in second place. Boyd's received \$400 and the second place band received \$200.

In the show and shine competition, first place of two prime rib dinners at The Mirage in Adrian went to Louie Martinez of Parma and a second place prize of one prime rib dinner at The Mirage went to Jeff Spiers of Boise.

The winner of the Strawberry Ice Cream contest went to Elizabeth Martin.

Coordinators said they would like to thank all of the musicians, concessionaires, vendors and people who supported the event this year.

Soccer camp registration deadline is nearing

Signups for the ACI soccer camp in Caldwell later this month are coming to a close. The camp will be held from July 26 thru July 30. Head coach Brian Smith from the Albertson's men's soccer program, assistant coach Jake Steele from the Albertson's men's soccer GK's will be available to help at the camp.

The cost is \$50 for students in the Homedale School District or \$75 for those not in the district. Kids ages five through 12 will meet at 9 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. and kids ages 13-17 will meet from 5:30 p.m. until 8 p.m. Eighteen kids need to sign up for the camp.

Players will need to bring water, ball, cleats, shin-guards and bug spray. For more information contact Teresa Ryska at 573-8088 or 337-3177.



Judging

Rosie King from the Owyhee Silver Spurs judges cowboy hats during a county judging clinic held last week. Over 30 students attended the clinic, which included judging market swine, market steers, dairy cows, goats and market lambs.



Under New Management Downtown Homedale 337-4505 The City of Homedale is planning a Summer Block Party to be held at Homedale City Park on July 24, 2004 10:00 am to 8:00 pm

Spaces are 10X10 with a fee of \$25.00 per vendor (spaces are limited, so sign up early!) You may pick up an application for a booth at City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming, Homedale or call 337-4641 to have one mailed or faxed.

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Seniors honor volunteer of the month

Dick Burman was honored last week as the Marsing Senior Center's volunteer of the month for his devoted time to community service for the seniors and the people of the Marsing community.

Dick is a 22-year veteran of the army and served in Germany and in Vietnam. He is a member of the Purple Heart Club in Boise, of the VFW and TRIAD, seniors working with law enforcement. He also volunteers many hours to the center.

Center coordinator Silvia Silverthorne said Dick collected and recycled aluminum irrigation pipe and cans for the VFW post for Marsing, Parma, Homedale and Greenleaf. She said he was able to collect enough funds to pay the mortgage on the VFW building.

"Several times when the post was low on funds, he would pay the power and water bills out of his own pocket," Silverthorne said. "He has also served as quartermaster for several years."

For the past five year, Dick has patrolled the Jump Creek State Park as a TRIAD member. Silverthorne said if he sees a violation, he calls law enforcement to report it. She said he also serves with other members on special patrols and other special events.

Dick is a regular attendee at the senior center and helps wherever he is needed. He takes people to the Veterans Hospital in Boise for doctor and hospital visits and also visits the state veterans home every time he is in Boise.

"Dick is a regular attendee of the Marsing Senior Center, helping wherever he is needed," Silverthorne said. "He is responsible for growing a large garden and sharing produce with the seniors and the center.

"Through his efforts many lives are brighter and better. We thank him publicly today and wish him many more years as an outstanding community volunteer."

Marsing Mayor Don Osterhoudt presented Dick with a plaque and a certificate in his honor.



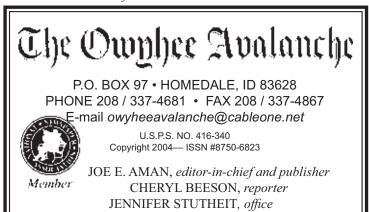
Clay Christensen and Ryan Garrett.



Honored

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Marsing Mayor Don Osterhoudt gives a certificate to Dick Burman during a presentation at the Marsing Senior Center. Dick was honored as volunteer of the month.



VFW golf winners announced

The winners of the Veteran of Foreign Wars golf tournament held at River Bend Golf Course near Homedale were announced last week. The tournament is held as an annual event with members of the VFW giving medals to every participant and a trophy to the first place winners.

In the boys 13-up nine-hole game, Clay Christensen won with a 39 over Trevor Krzesnik with a 42 and Ryan Garrett in third place with a 46. Garrett and Jordan Pegram had a five-hole putt-off to break a third place tie.

In the boys 10-12 competition the first, second, third place winners were Nathan Maurer with a 48, Ehtan Knapp with a 56 and Phillip Moulten with a 57. Nathan Maurer won first place in the event last year in the boys eight and nine year old division. He golfed a 24 game.

In the boys eight and nine division, Gabriel Maurer took first place with 25 followed closely by Hayden Krzesnik with a 26 and Reed Jeppe in third with a 29.

In the girls division, Kali Roche won first place over Raven Kelly with a 68 in the 10-12 year old division. Kelly golfed an 82 game.

In the eight and nine year old division, Miranda Miklancic golfed a 38 for first place followed by Andrea Gooding with a 40 and Madeline Maxwell in third with a 47.

Erika Miklancic won the girls six to seven division with a 27 followed by Paige Takasugi with a 29 in second place and Shyanne Kelly had a putt-off with Madison Fisher for third place and a 30 score.



Nathan Maurer, Phillip Moulten, Raven Kelly, Miranda Miklancic, Madison Fisher, Trevor Krzesnik,

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Water report July 19

Reports from the Owyhee Reservoir on July 19 indicated that 156 cubic feet per second of water is entering the reservoir at Rome and 211 cfs of water is leaving the dam.

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included law enforcement and health department permits. The mayor said that as long as a business is selling food, they would have to have some kind of permit from the health department. Kevin Barlow said if a vendor permit ordinance was adopted it would allow the local law enforcement and the city government to have a relationship with the people selling items on city property.

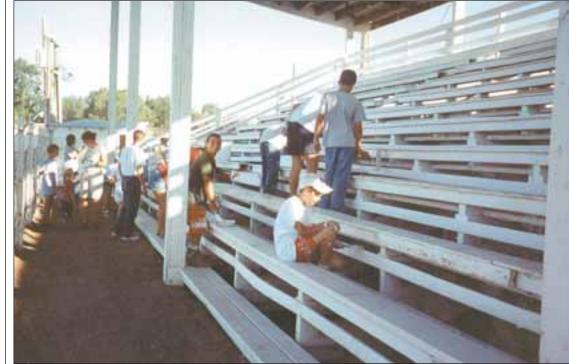
"Maybe Jeff (Police Chief Eidemiller) can help us to control it if vendors do not have a permit from the city they can show to the police, than officers can ask them to leave public property," Councilman Kevin Barlow said. "That way we have some kind of regulation as to what is being sold on public streets."

Eidemiller said his concern is not knowing who is driving around the streets and what they are selling to who. He said he has been approached by several people about who some of the vendors are and what they are selling. He said all he can reply is "I don't know."

The council agreed that people who are not selling on public property would be treated as a business, but those selling on public property should be required to have some kind of regulatory permit.

The council did not make a decision on the subject, but asked Nye to draw up a permit proposal so it could be compared to nearby town's permits.

4-Hers paint rodeo arena; volunteers needed



Volunteering time Members of the Shoo Fly 4-H club paint the bleachers of the rodeo arena.

Members of the Shoo-Fly 4-H club spent a full day painting the bleachers of the Owyhee County Rodeo Grounds recently for their public service club requirement. But Fair Coordinator Teri Nielsen said now that the fair board has received plenty of donated paint, volunteers are needed to finish the job.

"We have several groups who are going to paint the rodeo arena, but what we now need is adult volunteers who can paint the very high places," Nielsen said. "We have had lots of paint donated to paint nearly all of the arena."

Nielsen said the use of a bucket truck or something that can reach high places is also needed for the top of the bleachers.

To donate time or equipment call Nielsen at 337-3888.



Boys 9-10 champions

The Homedale boys 9-10 baseball team won the league championship recently. Pictured are Dalton Penrod, Brett Shanley, Trevor Ford, Conner Landa, Logan Johnson, Hayden Krzesnik, Layne Johnson, Trey Corta, Zach Lowder, Lane Matteson, Kenny Harper, Kade Eiguren, David Clampitt and coach Mike Matteson. Darren Krzesnik and Larry Corta coached for the team but were not pictured.



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Hard work, kids to look for, and 'hello Nationals'

By Gloria King

This is a special week for a select few local high school students, they've consistently worked their hardest and have earned a trip to Gillette, Wyoming to compete with over 1,500 other National high school rodeo contestants. These cowboys and cowgirls, taking home placings within the top four at state finals, get the opportunity to intertwine with 45 other American States, Canadian Providences, and Australia. What a spectacular chance for five of our own local kids, getting to challenge some of the best riders from all over.

Kirby Cook of Marsing, finished fourth place in the calf roping, at the Idaho High School Rodeo State Finals. Kirby is the son of Doug and Mel Cook, and is a recent graduate and Valedictorian of Marsing High School. Keri Muchow, took third place in the breakaway roping event, after three awesome rounds of Rodeo. Keri is the daughter of Devon and Sue Muchow and will be a senior attending Melba High School this fall. Frank Tobias concord third place in the saddle bronc riding, Frank resides the Grand View area and is the son of Dean and Riva Tobias. These cowboys and cowgirl will compete at the 56th annual NHSFR held through July 19-25.

Including, Shane Smith of South Mountain, for this cowboy rodeo runs through his blood. The Smith family has long been involved with the sport, particularly team roping. Shane, his older brother and sister have competed in rodeo since youth and continue doing so, yet, it's Shane that intrigues. Varsity football, basketball, rodeo, FFA, awesome scholar, and student body president, this soon to be senior of Jordan Valley high school, placed third at districts in the team roping with his partner Jaime Nau, of Eagle, and continued into magnitude with three awesome rounds of rodeo at the state finals to become the Idaho State Champion team roper (header). The perseverance, fortitude, and dedicated desire this young man shows it's easy to see why he and his partner are going on to pursue awesome talents and goals.

Ryan Mackenzie, also caring the family tradition of rodeo, is the son of Sam and Bonnie Mackenzie, has recently graduated from Jordan Valley High School, broke his jaw riding a bull, and blew away the competition at the State Finals to secure his place as number one. Yes, Ryan Mackenzie is a State Champion Saddle bronc rider, but has had to overcome a series of hard luck and tough times to abide in this winners circle. This cowboy participated in the state of Oregon for three years of high school rodeo, until he, and Jordan Valley, were finally grand fathered into district II of Idaho with the rest of the Treasure Valley. So with the excitement of the ability to rodeo with Idaho, Ryan took full advantage of it. The season started in September where Ryan was ready to win district II all around cowboy with ease, but before the spring season started up, Ryan was put out of the picture with a broken collarbone. Forced to exclude every event except team roping with his partner, Brian Greenky, Ryan slowly began to heal and progressively picked up the rest of his events. As district finals raced around the corner Ryan's awesome ability to rodeo had left him at the top, yet battling, for the all around spot. So to secure his position he leaped onto a bull with the mission to succeed as number one but the bull overpowered Mackenzie to where he was with a hoof to the face and a broken jaw. Naturally, the doctors said he should stay away from riding and they wired his jaw closed. Through it all, to make a story short, Ryan Mackenzie was named district II champion saddle bronc rider, fourth place team roper, Rookie of the year and All Around cowboy.

Good Luck, to all the Idaho contestants participating in the NHS-FR, we're wishing you the best.

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Sheweys celebrate 50th anniversary The children of Loyd and Wilma Shewey of the Givens Hot

The children of Loyd and Wilma Shewey of the Givens Hot Springs area will host an open house to celebrate the 50th anniversary of their parents. A spokesman from the family said this is actually the couples 51 anniversary, but due to an illness, it was not able to be celebrated last year.

The Sheweys were married on July 24 1953 in Toledo, Oregon and have spent the last 15 years living near Givens.

Loyd is a commercial and industrial real estate appraiser and Wilma owns and operates the Under Cover Cover Company, a company that sews ostomy appliance covers

Rhoades to celebrate thirtieth anniversary

Friends and family have been invited to attend the 30th anniversary open house of Rod and Sherry Quintana Rhoades of Caldwell. The open house will be held on July 31 at the couple's home located at 5005 E. Homedale Road from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m.

Rod and Sherry were married on August 3 at the Rose Garden in Caldwell. Their children, Sheena, Rhett, Ryan and Gabi, are hosting the party.



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The Owyhee County Historical Society has launched a campaign to raise \$594,800 for a 6,400 square-foot addition to its complex at Murphy. The OCHS is an educations institution dedicated to collecting, preserving, studying, and interpreting the artifacts and documents that tell the story of the people of the Owyhees.

Increased attendance and renewed focus on the education programs has prompted the need for additional learning, exhibit, research and public space. The project is designed to create opportunities in expanding programs, creating interactive exhibits and collaborating with corporations and organizations across the region. Most of the new and renovated structure will be dedicated to these needs.

The society is asking your help in this endeavor to more than double the size of its complex through several ways of participation: Commemorative brick program, planned giving, grants, donations, and memberships.

For further information, contact:



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The perils of Lilly Grade



Widened In September 1991, the road had been widened, but no barriers had been installed yet.

a stranger would take the gravel road that turns off between House Creek and Devil Creek and heads north, they would be in for a big surprise. The gravel road goes 17 miles across the desert to the farming community of Roseworth and then the road comes to the deep rocky canyon of the Salmon River. A sign says, "check your brakes."

The road across there is now widened and paved and concrete barriers are in place, but it wasn't always that way. It used to be a narrow dirt roads with very few turn outs and nothing to keep anyone from plunging over the edge and to their death. Its about three miles in and out the other side.

It was first called Lilly Trail named after a man whose name was Cephas Lilly. Cephas ran cattle in the area and after a road was carved out of

built and Mr. Monarch had his force of men on the west side of the grade for the past three weeks. The east side of the grade is completed to the river. Mr. Monarch expects to have it done by September 15. Work has been slow on the grade for the reason that it has been hard to find laborers."

Many, many people were scared crossing Lilly Grade. Several people went to their deaths on the grade. Two of which ere Holly Laughlin, a teenage girl from Hagerman and Gerry Easterday from Castleford. Gerry's brakes failed and he went over the side.

Maurice Schorgman went over the side, but lived to tell about it. Marjorie Dennis also went over the grade just before the barriers were put in. She swerved to avoid hitting an animal and went over but her car hung up on some rocks and she was able to crawl out. Back in the 20's, Ted Emery and his mother, Lina were crossing the grade at night in a model T with fresh beef in the vehicle. The Model T stopped and would not start. Ted cranked and cranked on the vehicle, but it would not start. Then a cougar screamed nearby and Ted gave the right crank and got out of there. Elmer Cook and Fred Condit of Hagerman were crossing in an old truck and the magneto went out, and so did the lights.

stalling and he was loaded with some of Frank Clark's bulls with untrained horns. The bulls got to fighting and rocking the truck and he was afraid the truck would go over the edge.

Edna Pollard walked all the way across the grade following some cattle and wore the heels off of her shoes. She said she has crossed the grade on horseback, in wagons, buggies, car and trucks. One time driving a milk cow behind a wagon.

The only person to live down in the canyon was old Levi Yates. He came down from Three Creek in about 1930, lived in a little shack, and tried to raise muskrats. He had a couple of cows and a couple of horses. His granddaughter Louise Yates Helsley used to stay with him sometimes.

When Scott's caravan from New York came to the new land at Roseworth it must by Lola Blossom



Canyon life Louise Yates when she lived in the canyon.

have been quite a shock to have to cross Lilly Grade to get to it.

Gladys Sill of Castleford first lived at Roseworth in 1939. In 1954 they bought a ranch there and lived on it for 20 years. She probably hauled more grain and other produce across the grade than anyone. She also drove the school bus. She tells of crossing cattle at Castleford and one night it got dark on them. They had a kid riding an old slow horse and when the eagles started to screaming, the kid wanted to bail off and take off on foot.

The honeybees would leave their hives by Castleford and go out to build hives high in the rimrocks. The honey would be oozing out but nobody could reach it. across to get to their ranch From the Buhl Herald, June 1, 1923. "Observers claim that a tree near Lilly Grade is 80 feet high and seven feet in diameter, maybe as much as 10,000 years old. It is a species between the juniper pine and redwood." Cephas Lilly later moved to Colorado and was killed when his team ran away. Thanks to all the brave highway people who went in and widened Lilly Grade. Now I can cross without have cold sweat on my hands. It's a canyon only for rattlesnakes, cougars and other varmits.

the rock cliffs, it has always been called Lilly Grade.

Cephas lived two miles east and one mile south of the present town of Castleford. In 1907 he had a post office called Cephas. It ran until 1911.

During that period, irrigation water had not come to the Castleford area so Cephas Lilly carried water in two kegs on a burro from Salmon Falls Creek.

Printed in the Buhl Herald newspaper on August 30, 1917-"Complete Lilly Grade by September 15. The bridge across Salmon River is being

Roy Christensen who used to truck cattle told of his truck



First crossing The first bridge across the Salmon River at Lilly Grade about 1918.

Grand View Days



The Mountain Home Air Force Base 124 Wing honor guard, Wil Weaver, Susan Steed, Darrin Perry and McCray Smith.



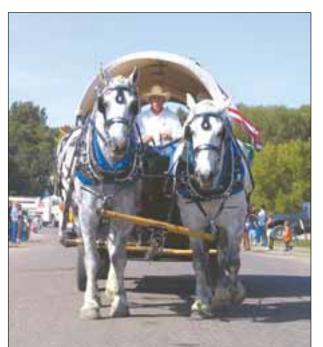
Grand Marshals Linda Gustavson and Arva Hunt.

Photos by Cheryl Beeson



Grand View Days clowns.

Snake River Livestock





United Oil mini truck driver Allen Martin.





Grand View/Bruneau Little Red Hens

Shoshone-Piute 4th of July future princess Sokota Hall and friends, Alicia Hall and Jamie Knight.

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Baxter Black, DVM

On the edge of

common sense

The boat roping

If God intended cows to swim, He'd given them all flippers. You rarely see a mermaid calf or Holstein skinny dippers. But in their battle to survive, I've seen cows come unraveled and to escape the cowboy's loop will choose the path less traveled. Now Randy wasn't brilliant, but he was a heavy breather, which helps when chasin' wild cows who aren't that brilliant either! To try and even up the odds he called his neighbor Steven; one cow versus two cowboys' intellectually's 'bout even.

The cow in question spotted them, stuck her tail in the air and lit out for the tank dam in the pasture yonder there. Randy fell in hot pursuit whilst shakin' a big loop out. He knew he had to catch her quick or his horse and him would poop out. She led him round the tank dam circumnavigating right so Steve came 'round the other way to cut her off in flight. Please picture if you will the scene: two jousting knights converging, a loco'd cow between the two, collision courses merging.

She hit the bank, took one big leap and dove in like a porpoise. The last thing our two cowboys saw was a disappearing orifice. She swam out to the middle where her feet could still touch bottom, submerged there in the water looking vaguely hippopottom. "We've got her now!" cried Randy as he bailed off his hoss and jumped into a rowboat that was tethered in the moss. He paddled like a maniac using sailor words he knew and wore the oar down to a nub while the air was turning blue!

"That face could launch a thousand chips," thought Steve, to put it mildly, as Randy rowed off toward the cow who watched him crocodilely. He roped her off the starboard and half-hitched her to the bowsprit but...she breeched just like a marlin and covered him with bovine particulate matter. Randy planned to tow her backwards but her feet dug in the seafloor and pulled him clear across the pond and out upon the lee shore. "Abandon ship you lunatic!" Steve yelled above the racket. "I can't!" he cried, "I left my life vest in my other jacket!"

The hull was flyin' all apart, it swang and swerved Nas-Carly. It looked just like a trash can bein' drug behind a Harley! Great big pieces crashed and cratered, scaring fish and water fowl. Seals barked, catfish mewed, I even heard an otter growl. But...he hung on there behind the cow despite the flying shrapnel, no doubt to go down with his ship like any good ship cap'n'l. Long story short, Steve's horse rebelled and dumped him where it's stickery. He watched the cow and rowboat disappearing in the hickory, with Randy still connected like the tail of a comet, most probably feeling seasick but without the time to throwup. In time, Steve got back on the trail and came upon the shipwreck. A pasty, green unsightly mess now speckled the cow chip deck. A piece of keel between two trees had snagged them like an anchor. It stopped them like a hangman's rope, capsized the ship and sank'er. The cow had Randy up a tree, up there in all his glory. She butted up against the trunk and marked her territory. "Pretty scary," offered Steve, "I'm surprised you wasn't drownded." "That cow just plain outfoxed me," muttered Randy, then expounded, "But...I've learned myself a lesson, a basic rule refresher, that cow, the boat, and me can't hold our water under pressure!"

Wavne Cornell

Not important ... but possibly of interest

When it comes to wood, oak always has had a special place in my heart. Oak has an aura of permanence and strength that sets it apart from other woods.

There is another reason why I like oak. Back in 1902, my father was born in Jewell County, Kansas, near the village of Burr Oak. I always have liked the name.

In the spring of 2001, we attended the graduation of our youngest daughter from Boise State University. After we saw our grad get her diploma, we skipped out. We made arrangements to meet her and her husband-to-be at a certain time, at a nearby restaurant, for a celebration dinner.

Since we had some time to kill before dinner, we drove over to Boise's Municipal Park, near the river, east of the main part of town. The park has been around since the 1890s.

The first thing I noticed at the park were the huge trees--many of them several feet in diameter and at least 100 feet tall. Closer examination revealed the giants were called burr oaks. The ground under the trees was littered with newly-fallen seed pods. Because I like oak, and because the pods were from burr oaks, I picked up a few.

Back home, I decided to experiment. A burr oak tree would obviously be waaay to big for our subdivision lot but I figured it wouldn't hurt to see if I could get a seed to sprout. I plant several seeds in small pots. In a couple of weeks, there were

"oaklets" poking up from all the containers. Well, they won't last long in the pots, I said to myself.

By late summer, with almost no care, several of the sprouts were a foot or more tall-too big for their pot. Well, I said to myself. I'll transplant a couple to bigger pots, but I'm sure that will kill them.

The next spring the two oak seedlings in the pots were each about three feet tall and crowding their quarters again. Well, I said, I guess I'll plant one on the north side of the house. As bad as our soil is, I'm sure it will kill it. And if it doesn't, oaks grow slowly anyway so it won't be anything to worry about for a long time.

A year has passed since I transplanted the threefoot oak. The tree now is about ten feet tall with a trunk about the size of a broom handle-and it seems to be getting larger every day.

Well, I'm sure the burr oak won't keep growing at its current rate. And I would hate to cut it down when it has shown such determination to survive. Besides, it is planted next to the plow my grandfather brought to Idaho from Burr Oak, Kansas in 1910.

Come to think of it, even if I let the burr oak grow, I won't be around when it's 100 feet tall, shading the whole neighborhood, with a trunk as big around as a Honda Civic.

I hope the next owner of our house likes oak. It's not my problem.



She did more than any other one person to promote peace among the settlers and the natives, and also among the different tribes and factions of Indians in the Idaho, Oregon, and Nevada region. She made several trips to Silver City, Jordan Valley, and other locations in this area. Sadly, her impact on history has gone largely unnoticed.

Sarah Winnemucca's story is a tragic one, yet a triumphant one. It deserves to be retold.

\$12⁵⁰ + 75c tax and \$3 S&H



Sarah Winnemucca Thoc-me-to-nay "Shellflower" the princess who made a difference.



Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

July 19, 1979

Council mood glum after well progress report

The mood at Homedale City Hall is glum, following the latest report on the new well project.

Several weeks ago drilling got underway on the new city well. The well is located on a 100 by 100 foot parcel of land next to Tom Morris Equipment, across the Snake River from Homedale.

At the regular monthly meeting of the city council, city engineer Dave Curtis revealed the well has now reached a depth of 500 feet and the outlook isn't good. Curtis, from J-U-B Engineering in Nampa, said tests indicate the well probably won't produce the quantity of water needed for a city well. He explained the strata containing water is composed of a very fine clay. In order to keep the fine particles from clogging equipment, screens would have to be installed in the well casing to filter out the material. The holes in the screen would have to be so small that water could not flow through it at a fast enough rate. Curtis said this would cause a great deal of "head loss."

The new city water system approved by Homedale voters last year, is based on a well capable of producing 900 gallons per minute. Although no real test has been run on the new well at this point, indications are that it is not capable of producing anywhere near the 900 gpm figure.

Library future eyed

A proposed library for Homedale is nearing reality, following the announcement of a 20,000 grant from the Idaho State Library Association.

The new library, which will be located on Owyhee Avenue, across from the nursing home, will replace the tiny facility that has served many generations of area residents.

Mardel Kiesel, library board representatives aid news of the \$20,000 grant was received last week. The news was given to the Homedale City Council by library board members Millie Shanley and Elsie Kushlan.

The state grant brings the total funds on hand for construction to about \$35,000. Last year the library board received a grant of \$7,000 from the Caldwell Community Foundation. That money was added to \$8,000 already on hand.

Cattle convention scheduled

Silver City – The day of the week may have changed, but everything else will remain about the same when the Owyhee Cattlemen's Association holds its 101st convention July 25 and 26 in Silver City.

In past years the annual event has been held on the last weekend in July. This year the cattlemen will meet on Wednesday and Thursday. The change was made because of an agreement with the Silver City Taxpayers Association. The land on which Silver City is situated now belongs to private individuals rather than the federal government. It was felt that scheduling the event on weekdays would separate the cattlemen from the regular weekend visitors, thereby reducing the congestion.

The convention gets underway Wednesday, July 25 with a business meeting at 10am. At 10:30am association officers will be elected or the coming year. At 11am as-

50 years ago

July 22, 1954

Homedale teaching staff announced

Superintendent of school Charles Zollinger announced today that Homedale schools will resume class work on Sept. 7. He said that registration would be held Sept 3 and 4.

Zollinger said the following teacher's contracts had been accepted:

Grade school, first grade, Lena Balius and Dorothy Goodloe; second grade, Edith Brown and Ruth Conaughey and Olga Claybaught; fourth grade, Elise Brown and Esther Semba; fifth grade, Bessie Cox and Olive Mitchell; sixth grade, Cleo Schaplowsky and John McConaughey; seventh grade, Edwina Regan and Russell Semba; eight grade, Russell Sharratt and James Claybaugh; music, Irene Rencher.

High school, principal, sociology and career courses, Ward Tucker; agriculture, John Wester; sciences, Andrew Schaplowsky; athletics and social sciences, Jim Bostwick; athletics and commercial, Robert Ferguson; commercial and library, Nellie Radenbaugh; home economics, Ella Andrews; English and speech, Brenice Crockett; music, Hollis Selders; band, Jack Hunt; director of plays, Eunice Anderson.

Politicians wage hot campaigns

Politicians are beginning to wage hot campaigns in Owyhee county in anticipation of the coming primary election, but the hottest of all apparently is Monty Worden, Republican candidate for sheriff.

The fire laddies were called out yesterday afternoon to extinguish a flame that was burning weeds and fuel tanks adjacent to Monty's place of business. Passers-by expressed the opinion that Monty was really getting fired up for the election on August 10th.

Oil tacking coat laid on road in Owyhee county

The oil tack coat has been laid on 1 mile of the new Owyhee county highway southeast of Marsing and the gravel is being laid on the remainder.

By Monday, five miles was graveled in preparation for the final top coat.

The portion of the highway to be completed this year will connect western Owyhee county as far as the county seat at Murphy by an oiled road.

Givens Springs-Opaline

A freak storm struck this area last week. Lightning struck a tree at the Springs and a wagon was carried with such force it drove it through a barbed wire fence and came to rest over the bank of the canal. The lightning and wind was followed by a downpour of rain and a mild cloudburst, but no extensive damage was done.

The 4-H Club with their families met at the Springs July 14. After a short business meeting, a swim and wie-

ner roast were enjoyed. Among those who attended the Buckaroo breakfast

at Nampa and returned for the evening show were Mr.

And Mrs. F. G. Feeny, Mary Ann Johnston, Mr. And Mrs. Clarence Haines and family. Mr. And Mrs. Richard Fisk and children of Boise and Mr. And Mrs. Wayne Grammer of Murphy enjoyed a picnic and swim at the Springs. Mr. And Mrs. Tom Johnston and Mary Ann Johnston, Dick Johnston and Elaine Blackstock were dinner guest of Mr. And Mrs. Virgil Roberts at their home in Nampa Friday. The group attended the rodeo in the evening. Mr. And Mrs. Ralph Thompson and family and Freddy and Pat Kelly of Homedale drove to the Springs for a picnic and swim Saturday. Dinner guests at the Givens and Johnston homes Wednesday were S.D. Grammer and Virgil Roberts of Nampa, Mr. And Mrs. Alfred Curtis and family of Gardena, Mr. And Mrs. Harold Markley and Nathelle Thompson of Homedale, Mrs. Beatrice Boston of Boise, Calvin Johnston of Wilson and Mrs. And Mrs. Frank Feeny. Word has been received by relatives that Mrs. Laura Kelly is spending the summer with her daughter Mrs. Edith Johnson at Yuma, Ariz. Mrs. Kelly and family are former longtime residents of this community.

138 years ago

July 28, 1866

COT. JENNINGS arrived from the Indian country vesterday, having been on the war path since June 23d. He has had from thirty to two hundred men with him, and no doubt has accomplished all that as many men could do in such a country with such a foe. They have killed thirty or forty warriors and drove the remainder to the vicinity of Warner's Lakes, one hundred and twenty five miles west from here near the California and Oregon lines. Capt. Collins is in that vicinity, and a dispatch from him was received at Camp C. F. Smith, on the 24th saying that it would be advisable for Capt. Walker to use his force, about sixty men, to give protection to the stages and freight trains, and prepare quarters and forage for winter. It is believed that a more effective campaign my be made against the devils in the winter than now; also, that little further trouble may be expected from them up the Owyhee, and that a stronger force is needed at White Horse, as that will be more liable to raids. Although not many Indians have been killed, the recent expeditions have unquestionably been valuable to this region generally.

GAME. We noticed passing up street with from twenty to twenty five sage hens, which they had evidently killed that day. Since, we have seen a number of parties passing with from ten to a dozen strapped on their horses. We are told they find ready sale for them at one dollar and upwards. John Chinaman consuming many and paying the highest prices for them. They are plentiful on the foothills to the west of this place, along the gulches and creeks. Rabbits, dear, ducks and other game is also found in some portions of this region. The huntsman who follows up closely his avocation, has a chance to make a good "stake" between this and fall.

FLINT. The saw mill of Mr. Eves in Flint District, is turning out lumber now a days. Col. Fogus expects to erect a quartz mill there this fall. Is now increasing his laboring force in that district. Mr. Black is expected with his five stamp mill in a few weeks, and will have it in operation as quickly thereafter as possible. Several more ledges have recently been discovered, among them a very large and rich one by Fred Waruke and Swart. It is reported to be seven feet of solid quartz, with a streak of almost pure black sulphurets of silver. This is about four inches in width. Business is liable to be very brisk in Flint this fall and winter.

COME & GONE. Hon. E. D. Holbrook has paid Owyhee a brief visit. Made political dresses at Silver on Tuesday and Oro Fino on Wednesday evening. Was on the bills for Ruby on Thursday evenings but did not remain to fulfill the appointment. Quite a number of people down this way did not hear him, expecting the bill would be filed. There don't seem to be any general enthusiasm on political matters, but individual have got themselves worked up to fever heat.

SHOOTING GALLERY. Fred Dolberg, under Glens, Biggs & Wilson's Store, has just purchased a new patent air gun, a splendid place. It is said to be the finest from to shoot for "drinks" ever manufactured, same as Fred's sherry and other cobblers. As a compounded of beverages Fred can't be beat.

sociation members will consider resolutions affecting the cattle industry.

Makes dean list

David W. Takasugi of Homedale is one of 85 students on the dean's list at the Idaho State University College of Business.

In order to make the business dean's list a student must have a grade point average of 3.6 or better.

Marine moves

Marine Lance Corporal Jose A. Garza has reported for duty at Force Troops, Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center, Twentynine Palms, California.

Garza a 1978 graduate of Marsing High school.

Begins training

Ken Kubosumi reported June 28 for missionary training at Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah.

Kubosumi will spend eight weeks training and studying the Japanese language, prior to going to Japan, where he will spend two years.

INCREASED STAGE FACILITES. Hill Beachey has gone out to meet his new stage, which he expects to meet near the Owyhee River, and will probably be back with the new craft in a few days.

WITH BUT FEW EXECPTIONS, for Chinamen have possession of the creek and are working it for seven mile, between Ruby and Wagontown. This is at least three miles further down than any white men have worked it since we've been in the country. The laws prevent John from beating claims; but white men go ahead and locate and the Johns buy them cut, thus acquiring title and working claims which have long since been abandoned.

STOLEN. A Mr. Woodward had eight horses stolen by Indians on last Sunday night, at Osborn's Ranch, Cow Creek.

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Public notices

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES JULY 6, 2004 OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE MURPHY, IDAHO Present were Commissioner Harold Tolmie, Commissioner Dick Reynolds, Commissioner Chris Salove, Clerk Charlotte Sherburn, Treasurer Barbara Wright, and Assessor Brett Endicott.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special meeting of the qualified voters of the Eastern Owyhee County Library District will be held on the 3rd day of August, 2004 at 7:00pm at the Eastern Owyhee County Library in said library district at 520 Boise Avenue, Grand View, Idaho at which meeting there will be a public hearing on the maintenance and operations budget for the forthcoming year. This special hearing is called pursuant to Sec. 33-2713A Idaho Code as amended.

BUDGET EASTERN OWYHEE COUNTY LIBRARY OCT. 1, 2004 – SEP. 30, 2005

| OC 1. 1, 2004 - SE1. 30, 2003 | | | | | | | |
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| <u>REVENUES</u> | <u>2003-2004</u> | <u>2004-2005</u> | | | | | |
| Property Taxes | \$23,581.00 | \$24,517.00 | | | | | |
| New Construction | 88.00 | 150.00 | | | | | |
| Sales Tax | 8,800.00 | 9,000.00 | | | | | |
| Equip. Replacement | 2,616.00 | 2,616.00 | | | | | |
| Memorials & Gifts | 100.00 | 100.00 | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous | 400.00 | 269.00 | | | | | |
| TOTAL | \$35,585.00 | \$36,652.00 | | | | | |
| EXPENDITURES | | | | | | | |
| Salaries | \$13,500.00 | \$14,000.00 | | | | | |
| Books/Supplies | 7,200.00 | 7,200.00 | | | | | |
| Supplies | 700.00 | 1,000.00 | | | | | |
| Technology | 685.00 | 685.00 | | | | | |
| Contingency | 0.00 | 267.00 | | | | | |
| Election & Expenses | 400.00 | 400.00 | | | | | |
| Equipment | 1,200.00 | 1,200.00 | | | | | |
| Fixed Charges | 2,600.00 | 2,600.00 | | | | | |
| Insurance | 1,800.00 | 1,800.00 | | | | | |
| Legal Service | 200.00 | 200.00 | | | | | |
| Maintenance | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 | | | | | |
| Operation of Plant | 4,900.00 | 4,900.00 | | | | | |
| Travel & Training | 400.00 | 400.00 | | | | | |
| TOTAL | \$35,585.00 | \$36,652.00 | | | | | |
| Dated this 13 th day of July 2004 | | | | | | | |
| By order of the Board of Trustees | | | | | | | |
| Eastern Owyhee County Library | | | | | | | |
| Kathy L. Chick, Clerk | | | | | | | |
| Frances Field, Chairman | | | | | | | |
| 7/21,28/04 | | | | | | | |
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CITY OF MARSING QUARTERLY EXPENDITURE REPORT FOR NINTH MONTH PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2004 Personnel O&M Cap.Imp. Law Total Enforcement \$28,688. \$23,510. -0 \$51,750. \$103,948. 32,580. 12,735. -0 -0 45,315.

| Streets | 32,580. | 12,735. | -0- | -0- | 45,315. | 50% |
|------------------------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|------------|-----|
| Parks | 2,383. | 4,265. | -0- | -0- | 6,648. | 33% |
| P&Z | 1,303. | 4,934. | -0- | -0- | 6,237. | 43% |
| Total | \$64,954. | \$45,444. | -0- | \$51,750. | \$162,148. | 86% |
| Water | 88,198. | 27,314. | 1,729. | -0- | 117,241. | 54% |
| Irrigation | 3,766. | 17,991. | 2,659. | -0- | 24,416. | 76% |
| Sanitation | -0- | 40,805. | -0- | -0- | 40,805. | 77% |
| Sewer | 16,036. | 274,579. | -0- | -0- | 290,615. | 34% |
| Total | \$108,000. | \$360,689. | \$4,388. | -0- | \$473,077. | 41% |
| Total All Funds | \$172,954. | \$406,133. | \$4,388. | \$51,750. | \$635,225. | 44% |

Citizens are invited to inspect the detailed, supporting records of the above Financial Statement at Marsing City Hall during regular office hours.

Janice C. Bicandi, City Clerk/Treasurer

The Board moved to amend the agenda to include an executive session.

The Board approved the minutes for the June 21st and June 28th meetings.

At 10:35 the Board moved into executive session to discuss a pending issue. The Board moved out of executive session at 10:40. The Board moved to approve the withdrawl of the county appeal on the Castle Creek appeal.

The Board made a motion to pay all outstanding bills from the following funds. Current Expense 24,318; Road & Bridge 10,295; Airport 855; Bond 155,548; District Court 2,716; Probation 1,353; Indigent & Charity 27,280; Revaluation 202; Solid Waste 1,018; Tort 3,504; Weed 143

The Board took the following actions on Indigent and Charity cases presented. I.C. #04-21 Denied by the Board incomplete application. I.C. #04-22 Denied by the Board medical indigency not determined I.C. #04-23 Denied by the Board incomplete application.

The Board approved a request from Dale Vanes for a private road name of Desert Drive.

The remaining time was taken to work on Budgets for FY 2005.

There being no further business the Board moved for adjournment.

Harold Tolmie, Chairman Attest: Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk

Budget %

72%

7/21/04

INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of GEM HIGH-WAY DISTRICT COMMIS-SIONERS invites bids for the following:

Furnishing road oil for approximately five (5) miles of single seal coating and approximately one and one-half $(1 \ 1/2)$ miles of double seal coating of SOMMERCAMP ROAD in GEM HIGHWAY DISTRICT. Gem Highway District will furnish cover material in stockpile. Bid should state cost per mile. Work to be complete by August 20, 2004. All bids must be filed with the Secretary of the Board of Gem Highway Commissions, P.O. Box 453, Marsing, Idaho 83639-0453 on or before 8:00 PM the 28th day of July, 2004. The right is reserved to reject all proposals, or to accept the proposal or proposals deemed best for the Gem Highway District, and to waive any technicality. If further information is needed call RICK MEADE, Road Superintendent, Phone 896-4581, Home phone 896-5122.

Dated July 9, 2004 Virginia Belknap Secretary 7/14,21/04

HOMEDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT #370 INVITATION TO BID

An Invitation to Bid is extended by the Board of Trustees, Homedale School District #370, Homedale, Idaho, for the Construction of the 2004 HVAC Upgrade for the Homedale High School, Homedale School District #370, Homedale, Idaho (Architect's Job #0407B).

Bids will be received until Tuesday, August 3, 2004, at 2: 00 p.m., local prevailing time, at the Homedale School District Office, 116 East Owyhee Ave., Homedale, Idaho.

Bids will be opened publicly at the above stated time and place and read aloud. Bids received after the time fixed for the opening cannot be considered. Bidders and others properly interested are invited to be present at the bid opening.

Specifications, including bid and contract documents, and drawings may be examined at the following places:

Gowland, Johanson, Zimmerman, Architecture, Inc., 400 South Main, Payette, Idaho,

83661.

Qualified Mechanical and Electrical contractors may obtain one set of Bid Documents from the Architect's Office upon a deposit of \$50.00.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, a cashier's check or bid bond, with a Bonding Company licensed to do business at the locality of the project as surety, in an amount no less than 5% of the base bid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and waive informalities. No bidder may withdraw his bid after the time set for the opening thereof unless the award of the contract is delayed for a period exceeding thirty days.

Public Works License required:

By Order of the Board of Trustees, Homedale School District #370, Homedale, Idaho.

Dated this 14th day of July, 2004.

James R. Duncan, Business Manager

7/21,28/04

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

55-13836 ANITA J JOHNSTON MICHAEL V JOHNSTON 19735 MIDDLE RD CALDWELL ID 83607 Point(s) of Diversion SWSWNE S35 T07S R05W OWYHEE County Source SPRING Tributary To HOWL CREEK Use: DOMESTIC 01/01 To 12/31 0.02 CFS Total Diversion: 0.02 CFS Date Filed: 06/23/2004 Place Of Use: DOMESTIC T07S R05W S35 SWNE Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-203A, Idaho Code. Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resource, Western Region, 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 08/09/2004. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

KARL J DREHER, Director 7/21,28/04

NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN, regular school board meet-

ings of the Marsing Jt. School Dist. #363, Owyhee and Canyon Counties will be held the 2nd Tuesday of the month, March through October meetings to begin at 8:00 pm, November through February meetings to begin at 7:00 pm, location is the district boardroom. Deb Holzhey, Clerk, Marsing Joint School District No.363, Owyhee and Canyon Counties, Idaho

NOTICE The Southwest District Board of Health will hold a Board Meeting on Tuesday, July 27, 2004 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Southwest District Health, Room 206, 920 Main

Street, Caldwell, Idaho.

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| QUARTERLY EXPENDITURE REPORT | | | | | | | |
| 3 rd FISCAL QUARTER, 2004 | | | | | | | |
| | | Overhead/ | | | Fiscal Year to | BUDGET | % OF |
| FUND | PERSONNEL | Maintenance | CAP IMP | QTR TOTAL | Date Total | AMOUNT | BUDGET USED |
| 01 General | 80,670.00 | 64,670.98 | 0 | 145,340.98 | 392,107.98 | 493,239.00 | 79.5% |
| 02 Streets & Highw | vays 11,080.82 | 13,088.58 | 0 | 24,169.40 | 87,748.78 | 157,700.00 | 55.6% |
| 03 Parks | 6,162.19 | 24,409.03 | 0 | 30,571.22 | 40,464.12 | 74,745.00 | 54.1% |
| 04 Library | 5,742.01 | 2,331.89 | 601.78 | 8,675.68 | 26,133.15 | 45,934.00 | 56.9% |
| 30 Airport | 0 | 37,554.70 | 0 | 37,554.70 | 54,519.65 | 32,000.00 | 170.4% |
| 60 Irrigation | 6,648.05 | 5,488.05 | 0 | 12,136.10 | 55,517.57 | 83,450.00 | 66.5% |
| Special Funds | \$110,303.07 | \$147,543.23 | \$601.78 | \$258,448.08 | \$656,491.25 | \$887,068.00 | 74.0% |
| 25 Water | 15,772.16 | 3,698.72 | 273,380.35 | 292,851.23 | 550,378.58 | 585,983.00 | 93.9% |
| 26 Sewer | 11,080.87 | 5,478.66 | 0 | 16,559.53 | 69,533.27 | 218,550.00 | 31.8% |
| 27 Sanitation | 0 | 20,409.79 | 0 | 20,409.79 | 45,667.31 | 98,000.00 | 46.6% |
| En. Funds Totals | 26,853.03 | 29,587.17 | 273,380.35 | 329,820.55 | 665,579.16 | 902,533.00 | 73.7% |
| TOTAL (all funds) | \$137,156.10 | \$177,130.40 | \$273,982.13 | \$588,268.63 | \$1,322,070.41 | \$1,789,601.00 | 73.9% |
| The General Public is invited to inspect all supporting doucments for the above Financial Statement at City hall during regular business | | | | | | | |
| hours. | | | - | | | - | |
| Signed: Susan Man | sisidor, City Clei | k-Treasurer | | | | | |
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Public notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE

NOTICE that a public hearing will be held before the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Homedale on the 2nd day of August, 2004, at 7: 30 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho. The subject matter of the public hearing is an Application for Special Use Permit filed by Chris Bahem to move her existing business "The Hair Depot" to the west side of the duplex located at 112 East Wyoming. The public is invited to attend and offer input.

Sylvia L. Bahem,

Administrator Planning & Zoning

Commission

City of Homedale

7/21,28/04

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 3rd day of November, 2004, at the hour of 10:45 A.M., of said day, (recognized local time), in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho.

First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for 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 2, Block 4 all the SHARI HILL ESTATES PHASE I SUB-DIVISION, 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 Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of 6403 Mallard Way, Marsing, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by MICHAEL AULT AND LADENA AULT, husband and wife, as grantors, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COM-PANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., successor by merger with Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc., as beneficiary, recorded October 2, 2002, as Instrument No. 241188, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRE-SENTATION 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 \$758.79, due per month for the months of January through May, 2004 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$30.35, with interest accruing at 6.25% per annum, and continuing to accrue from December 1, 2003. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$90,094.55, 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: June 29, 2004 FIRST AMERCIAN TITLE

COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC. By Monine Cole, Trust Of-

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FA-18054/7023.28819 First American Title Company of Idaho

Trust Dept. 1-208-375-0455 7/14,21,28-8/4/04

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

UNDER DEED OF TRUST T.S. No.: T04-14558 Loan No.: 0033425281 Title Order No: 4610242

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Fidelity National Title Insurance Company C/O Town & Country Title Services, Inc., the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 11/1/2004 at 11:00 AM, of said day, at on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located on the corner of Highway 79 and Hailey Street, Murphy, Owyhee County Idaho, 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, to wit: Lots 7 thru 12, inclusive, of Block 11 of the Revised Townsite of Butte, now in the City of Marsing, Owyhee County Idaho, according to the Official Plat thereof of file and of Record in the Office of the Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 104 1st Avenue West Marsing, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by: Edward L. Freeman and Jane E. Freeman, husband and wife, As grantors, To: Fidelity National Title Insurance Company, As successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Ameriquest Mortgage Company, As Beneficiary, dated 12/21/ 2001, recorded 12/27/2001, as Instrument No. 238207, records of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantor(s) are named to comply with Section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code. No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of this Notice is: \$\$82,143.30. All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: June 29, 2004 Fidelity National Title Insurance Co., c/o Town & Country Title Services, Inc (888) 485-9191 (916) 387-7728 Andy Fragassi, Vice President ASAP600736

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee's Sale No. 02-PR-36747

Notice is hereby given that, Regional Trustee Services Corporation, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on October 22, 2004, at the hour of 11:00 AM, of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located at the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, Murphy, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, to-wit: Lot 9 of Block 1 of Eagle View Estates, according to the Official Plat thereof, recorded as Instrument No. 215482, Records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 106 War Eagle a/k/a 15442 War Eagle Rd, Murphy, ID 83650, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Ron Kitchell, a single man, as Grantor, to Pioneer Title Company of Canyon County, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Major Mortgage, as Beneficiary, dated 5/16/2002, recorded 5/ 21/2002, under Instrument No. 239688, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Principal Residential Mortgage, Inc.. The above Grantors are named to comply with Section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code. No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 5/16/2002, the monthly payment which became due on 2/1/2004 and all subsequent monthly payments, plus late charges and other costs and fees as set forth. Amount due as of June 16, 2004 Delinquent Payments from February 01, 2004 5 payments at \$866.49 each \$4,332.45 (02-01-04 through 06-16-04) Late Charges: \$175.85 Beneficiary Advances: \$36.00 Suspense Credit: \$0.00 Total: \$4,544.30 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$102,633.12, together with interest thereon at 7.125% per annum from 1/1/2004, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to b heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. Dated: June 16, 2004 Regional Trustee Services Corporation, Trustee By Deborah Kaufman c/o Regional Trustee Services Corporation, 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500, Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: http:// www.rtrustee.com ASAP599334 7/7,14,21,28/04

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

PURPOSE OF MEETING: The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has recently proposed critical habitat and prepared a draft recovery plan for the threatened population of bull trout in the Jarbidge River of Idaho and Nevada. Copies of these documents are available for public review at <u>http://species.fws.gov/bulltrout</u>, and a limited number of each will be available at the public meetings listed below. Public comment periods are currently open on both documents.

WHENANDWHERE:Meetings will be held from 3:00

p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (local time) on Monday, July 26, 2004 at the Western Folklife Center, 501 Railroad Street, Elko, Nevada and also on Tuesday, July 27, 2004 at the Shilo Inn and Suites, 1586 Blue Lake Boulevard North, Twin Falls, Idaho.

WHEN YOU COME IN: There will be a short overview presentation at the start of each meeting period. However, members of the public are invited to attend the meetings at their convenience anytime during the scheduled hours. This meeting format increases public opportunities for one-on-one discussions with Service staff involved with these issues.

TO COMMENT: You may submit written comments on the critical habitat proposal and draft recovery plan during the meetings -- comment sheets will be provided. Comments and materials regarding the critical habitat proposal may also be mailed to John Young, Bull Trout Coordinator, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 911 N.E. 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97232; submitted via e-mail to r1bulltroutc h@r1.fws.gov; or faxed to John Young at 503-231-6243. Comments on the draft recovery plan may be mailed to Robert Williams, Field Supervisor, Nevada Fish and Wildlife Office, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 1340 Financial Boulevard, Suite 234, Reno, Nevada 89502-7147; or faxed to (775) 861-6301.

All comments on the Jarbidge River critical habitat proposal must be received by August 25, 2004, and all comments on the draft recovery plan must be received by October 29, 2004. Comments and materials received from the public, as well as the supporting documentation used in preparing the proposed rule, will be available for public inspection, by appointment, during normal business hours at the above Portland, Oregon address.

FOR MORE INFORMA-TION: For general information about the meetings, please contact the Nevada Fish and Wildlife Office, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 1340 Financial Boulevard, Suite 234, Reno, Nevada 89502-7147; telephone (775) 861-6300. 7/21/04

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, 2004



Purple loosestrife

Idaho weed awareness campaign

Idahoans pulling together against invasive weeds

That purple flower now in bloom along Idaho ditches, rivers, wetlands and ponds may look pretty to the eye but looks can be terribly deceiving. Because chances are it is actually an invasive noxious weed that poses a devastating threat to Idaho's future, officials with the Idaho Weed Awareness Campaign are warning.

"It is not an ornamental flower but an invasive noxious weed called Purple loosestrife," said Roger Batt, campaign coordinator. "Purple loosestrife already has taken over some 35,000 acres of land in Idaho, more than 4 million acres across the country, and is continuing to spread."

Purple loosestrife is an insidious wetland weed that came to the eastern United States about 200 years ago from Eurasia. The noxious weed can take over wetlands by slowing water flow, which increases silt deposits and makes the stream channel smaller, impacting native plants, fish and wildlife.

Purple loosestrife can clog ditches and irrigation canals and is so bad in some places that people have nicknamed it the "Marsh Monster". The weed grows up to six feet tall and spreads quickly in wet soils. Each plant is capable of producing hundreds of thousands of seeds.

"What is alarming about Purple loosestrife is that it can be purchased illegally on the internet and then planted in gardens and wetland areas. The Idaho Noxious Weed law prohibits the purchasing and planting of noxious weeds in Idaho, so if you know of someone planting Purple loosestrife, ask them to stop spreading this noxious weed," Batt added.

Purple loosestrife is just one of about three dozen noxious weeds that have gained a foothold in Idaho. These destructive



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Used tractor parts 100's of salvaged farm tractors and combines. Nampa Tractor Salvage, 9055 Hwy 20, Nampa, ID 83687 (208) 467-4430

Roll ends: Great for packing material, building fires, lining birdcages or for your kids to doodle on. The Owyhee Avalanche, Homedale

Italian leather couch and loveseat. Brand new still wrapped in plastic. Retail \$2450. Must sell \$895. 208-888-1464

Bedroom set 5-piece cherry set. Brand new in box. List \$1450. Must sell \$399. 208-888-1464

Bed-queen pillowtop mattress set. Brand new, still in plastic. Must sell \$159. Queen orthopedic set. Brand new, must sell \$129. 208-866-7476

King-sized pillowtop mattress set. New, in bag, with warranty. Must sell \$199. 208-866-7476 Cherry Sleigh bed. Solid wood. New in box. Value \$850. Sacrifice \$295. 208-888-1464

Moving must sell – 20 ft. travel trailer, night stand, futon mattress, office desk, microwave cart, washer/dryer, 4 drawer file cabinet, small refrigerator. Call 337-5655 or 573-4815.

Queen black metal head & foot board & rails, sunburst pattern \$75; King size mattress & box spring \$75; yard swing w/cushions, needs canopy \$30; all great condition. 337-5025

All items are horse drawn: Fresno, hay mower, 2 wheeled cart, 4 wheeled wagon, long wide camper shell tinted windows-Best offer. 482-6657

AKA Yorkie Pups available August 1, call 454-2399

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Available, Ontario, Ore. 25,000 sq. foot retail bldg, dock, parking, call 208-337-3919

Roommate wanted \$350 mo., in country, animals OK. 337-5038 lve msg.

Downtown Homedale office space for rent. Split rent and utilities. Call 337-4945.

Marsing 2 bdrm w/garage & fully fenced yard, across from school, \$425 + deposit. 208-880-0733

Homedale 2 bedroom mobile home, range, fridge, in quiet park \$375 plus deposit, references. 337-3873 or 337-3425



and have The Owyhee Avalanche delivered to your home each week!

337-4681

The Ownhee Avalanche

THANK YOU We would like to thank all the

people and all of the Merchants, who donated and helped us out with the Benefit that was held for our cook and our Coordinator. It was a great success. We would like to extent a special thank you to Jack and his auctioneer from Boise for the help they gave us. The Cook & Coordinator are doing fine. Thank you, The Homedale Senior Center.

A Great Big Thanks goes out to all the Homedale & Marsing Volunteer Fireman who came to Steve & Cindy Derricks house fire. For 25+ years it seemed like every holiday dinner our family was together the fire phone went off and away my brothers (Ric & Dennis Uria) would go. I never appreciated what they did on a volunteer basis until we needed them a couple weeks ago. Our community should be so proud of our fireman, they are a truly dedicated bunch of guys. Thanks again, Steve & Cindy Derrick

NOTICE

Wanted Growers, Farmers, Buyers! Come: Buy, sell or trade fresh fruits, vegetables, honey, baked goods, crafts, hay, plants, flowers, herbs. Where: Homedale First Presbyterian Church, 6th and Washington, Homedale. When: Sundays July 25 to October 31, 7:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. No cost to sellers, donations accepted. Contact: 337-5174

Due to a recent break-in, all information pertaining to swim lessons at the Homedale Pool are missing. If you signed up please call 337-6108 or 337-5403 to update our files.

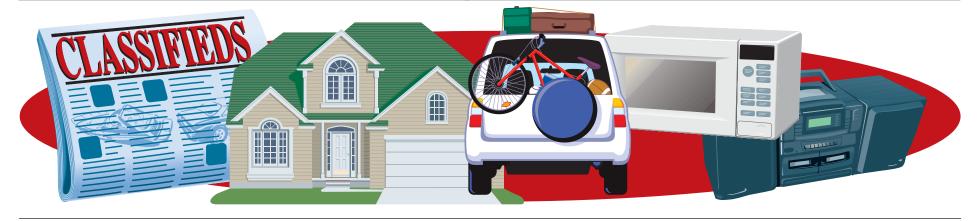


non-native, invasive plants choke out native vegetation, starving wildlife out of their food supply and render once valuable land useless. Statewide, noxious weeds cause \$300 Million in direct damages to Idaho's economy.

"County Weed Superintendents are asking for access to property from owners who have infestations of Purple loosestrife to introduce a bio-control agent called *Galerucella*, an insect that literally devours the plant", said Jim Martell Canyon County Weed Superintendent.

If you spot a plant you think might be Purple loosestrife, pinch off apiece containing a bloom and take it to your Local County Weed Superintendent. You'll find it located under County Government in the phone book. Be sure to note exactly where you found the plant so the County Weed Superintendent can locate the infestation.

For more information on Purple loosestrife and other noxious weeds go to the Idaho Weed Awareness Campaign website at www.idahoweedawareness.org or to report noxious weeds in your county call 1-866-IDWEEDS.

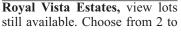


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2 homes, over 1 acre, one price \$115,000 Homedale. Call Pete 890-1658 RE/MAX Advantage Owner financing available. Homedale 2 bdrm 1 bath, large lot, redwood deck, vinyl fencing. Great looking home in nice neighborhood. Payments low \$500's. Rick 353-6710 or 442-1411

Beautiful custom home over looking Snake River, Lizard Butte & valley. Allendale, East on Hoskins, follow red & white signs from Charleston. Built in 2000, 3200 sq.ft., 5-6 bdrm, 3 ba, LR, FR with wet bar, office, storage room, space galore, huge deck & cvd. Patio, over 1 acre (more available), fenced pasture, full sprinklers, quiet area, Homedale or Vallivue schools. Motivated sellers, under appraisal at \$269,000. Call 337-5025 or 888-4272 for directions or ask for Todd.

5.16 acres, lease purchase owner carry \$10K down. 3 bed 2 bth newer manufactured home, foundation, irrigation rights, splitable, Marsing area. Call (H) 365-6073 or (C) 860-0500





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Wilder-Extra nice 3 bedroom home with lots of extra's. New siding, fenced yard, shop area & extra parking in back. Tastefully remodeled inside. See inside to appreciate. 0 down financing plan available. Owyhee Realty 337-4634.

Homedale-reduced to sell!! Now only \$42,000 for like new 2002 Fleetwood, 3 bedroom, 2 bath m.f. home that is still under warranty. Home is all set up in Snake River RV Resort. Includes covered deck, storage shed/shop w/220 electric. Walk to fishing or relax & enjoy the view of the river from your covered deck. Owner carry or rent to own options available. Call Owyhee Realty 337-4634.

Riverview home!!! 4 brm, 2 bath, immaculate dream home. Large windows overlooking Snake River. Open floor plan with fireplace, living room, family room opening to large deck w/pond. Large rec. room down in full basement. Beautiful landscaping. Owyhee Realty 337-4634.

Homedale-great buy! ONLY \$17,500 for this LIKE NEW 2 bedroom 1993 Fleetwood home that includes EVERYTHING you will need. Washer, dryer, dishwasher, kitchen stove, microwave, refrigerator, living room couch, chair, coffee table, window covering - ALL. All set up in Snake River RV Resort. Large covered deck, carport, R.V. parking. Call Owyhee Realty 337-4634.

Build your new home within 1/2 mile of the Riverbend Golf Course. Come to the country & enjoy the view-Homedale schools. 1 to 2 acre affordable lots available with power, phone & irrigation to each lot. Protective recorded CC&R's. Call Owyhee Realty 337-4634.

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Homedale-Large country home West of Homedale with a great view. 1700 sq.ft. 3 Bedroom, 2 bath home with open floor plan. Nice yard, garden space, RV parking. Shop with heat & AC. \$139,000. See this one to appreciate. Owyhee Realty 337-4634. Experience quiet country living. Over 4 acres, riverview building lot, electricity available, in Melba area & school district \$48,000 Call Debi Campbell 859-6346

5 - 1.75 acre lots. Sight built only, no square footage requirement. Call Pete 890-1658 RE/ MAX Advantage

Fenced 5 acres, nice home. 3 bed, 2 bath, nice shop, Marsing. Call Pete 890-1658 RE/MAX Advantage

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YARD SALE

Sat. July 24th. 324 W. Montana, 8am-9pm. Lost treasure books, magazines, westerns, romance, clothing, refrigerator, toddler bed, lots of misc.

Moving/garage sale. Furniture items, boy & girl all ages kids clothes, toys, & lots more. Homedale Rd. to Allendale to Hoskins, follow green signs. Fri & Sat 8-?

FARM AND RANCH

For sale grass hay, no rain \$85 ton, 337-5640

1998 APHA Sorrel gelding out of Mist Reaction by Mr. Tuff Rebel, roping prospect, experienced rider \$1800. Call 337-5640

HELP WANTED Millwright opening available @ Filler King Co. Must have a background in welding, hydraulics and industrial electricity. Apply at Filler King Co. 4318 Pioneer Rd., Homedale.

Bruneau-Grand View Joint School District No. 365 will be accepting applications for the following positions for the 2004-2005 school year: Half-Time Elementary P.E./Health Teacher Elementary Paraprofessional this position shall be considered in all respects "employment at will". For applications call the School District Office in Grand View, 834-2253. Position open until filled.

VEHICLES Suzuki '99 RM80X, great condition, hot yellow, recently tuned \$1400 OBO. Call 337-5025



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Crazy Critters Preschool opening for '04-'05 school year. Morning/afternoon classes available for 3-5 year olds. Located at Donna's Daycare. Convenient to Homedale/Wilder. Now doing pre-registration. Limited positions remaining. For prices/ information call Donna or Melissa 337-6180.

M&S Repairs & Remodels. All types of remodeling & construction, plumbing, fencing, roofing & add-ons. New homes & older homes. Call 337-5041 for estimate.

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