

t's Fair and Rodeo Week! County fair continues through Saturday Rodeo

Fair and Rodeo will continue this week as horse events finish up today (Wednesday) and will

The annual Owyhee County run through Saturday with a full and rodeo will be dedicated to schedule of activities and entertainment.

This year's theme of the fair



Taking a bath

A horse gets a bath Sunday evening in preparation for this year's Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo. Horse competition will end today (Wed.) but fair events will continue throughout the week.

"Fun in the Sun" with the colors of yellow and hot pink. The fair began on August 9 and will run through August 14 at the county fair and rodeo grounds located on Nevada Avenue in Homedale.

Horse events will finish up with dummy roping on foot at 8 a.m., ranch calf roping at 9 a.m., dummy roping on horseback at

10 a.m. and ranch Rodear, sorting and penning, and the awards presentation at 11 a.m. today.

Besides the 4-H livestock competitions and the open class events in the Armory, an evening full of entertainment is planned for every night of the fair.

Tonight an awards program will be held for the 4-H, FFA - to page 5

Parade is Saturday

The annual Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo 2004 Parade will be held Saturday beginning at 10 a.m. for the final day of fair and

The parade will begin at 4th to 3rd Street West and then right on Owyhee Avenue in front of Owyhee Health and Rehab. It will continue to the high school and the staging area.

The registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. and judging will begin at 9 a.m. sharp. All parade entrants that want to compete for ribbons and cash prizes must be in place by 9 a.m. Parade organizers said that entrants who arrive late would not be eligible for prizes.

This year's theme is "The Biggest Little Parade in Idaho" in conjunction with the fair's theme of "Fun in the Sun." The theme colors are hot pink and yellow. This year's grand marshal is long time rodeo board member Don

Lori's Latte will help line up royalty at 4th Street East followed by the grand marshal, the rodeo board and emergency vehicles. Tonya and Thomas Barber with Tammy Giedd will line up and judge the floats and youth division. The staging area for floats will be the high school parking lot. The youth entries will gather under the tree in front of Homedale Electric's shop.

Gary Evans will line up the - to page 2

few numbers, but, basically, it's what will construction amount would add \$24,138. Charlotte Sherburn, the lower budget and

Street East, start of the parade, and travel west on Idaho Avenue Basey.

rodeo activities.

<u>Preliminary figures:</u>

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begins

tonight

The first night of the annual

Owyhee County Rodeo will be-

gin tonight (Wednesday) with

bronc riding, bull riding, and a

variety of rodeo events begin-

ning at 8 p.m. Gates will open

at 7 p.m. with pre-rodeo events being held at 7:30 p.m. including mutton bustin', queen contests

The rodeo is an ICA sponsored

event and besides bull and bronc

riding, rodeo fans will be enter-

tained with roping events, barrel

racing, wild horse race, mini bull

riding, wild cow milking, local

breakfast served

through Saturday

On Wednesday all the fair

events began for the Owyhee

County Fair and Rodeo, but the

annual Senior Center Buckaroo

Breakfast at the Homedale

Senior Center started the day off

and will continue every morning

Buckaroo

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and a variety of other events.

It's not finalized yet, but based on the preliminary figures of the proposed Owyhee County budget obtained from the clerk's office, taxpayers can expect a 7.67 percent increase in county property tax levies for next year, resulting in a boost in tax dollars raised amounting to 24.7 percent countywide. However, the overall county budget will actually decrease 25.7 percent, a drop of \$1,380,852. Commissioner Chris Salove said the proposed figures now on the table will be the final budget. "We may adjust a be levied" he said.

State law limits the raising of county tax revenues more than three

percent over the highest of any one of the previous Total budget Cash Fwd three years, plus new con-Other rev. struction values assessed To be levied at last year's levy. The County levy amount raised by taxes last year (the highest of

the last three years) was \$1,343,601. A three percent increase amounts to \$40,308; new

Another item to be added is what's called "property tax replacement - a figure repre-

senting what could have been levied last year, but -\$1,380,852 wasn't. The county can -2,006,494 add this figure into this 408,315 year's levy. The total 332.35 is \$1,534,283, but the .000274908 commissioners plan to raise \$1,675,592-that's \$141,669 more than state law allows.

According to Owyhee County Clerk

higher taxes are the result of a depleted cash balance. At the beginning of this fiscal period, the county showed nearly \$3.1 million with which to begin the year. Next year begins with only \$1.06 million carried forward, for a reduction of \$2 million-plus.

Sherburn said last week that the depletion of the cash balance forward was, among other items, the result of expenses related to the Owyhee Initative, which cost about

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Late entry gives queen contest competition

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Basey named parade grand marshal

County budget down 26%; levies up 7.7%, taxes 24.7%

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GV School District to hold recall election page 6

PAGE 2 The Ownhee Avalanche WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2004 Rodeo man named parade grand marshal

Don Basey may live in Canyon County, but just ask him where his heart is, and he will tell you he is Owyhee County through and through.

Basey was chosen as this year's Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo grand marshal. But he will tell you that he has no idea why he was chosen as grand marshal, he has only been a member of the rodeo board for nearly 45 years.

"Really my roots go way deep in Owyhee County," Basey said. "My parents and two uncles came to Grand View in about 1915. Then my dad migrated into Canyon County and my two uncles stayed in Owyhee County. I have never lived more than a mile from the Snake River. Homedale and Marsing is my hometown. Owyhee County is in my blood. It is in my heart."

Basey said he was taken into the rodeo circuit by Johnny Wright, a family friend. He said Wright wanted to get a rodeo started in Homedale again and he enlisted the help of then 16-yearold Basey.

"He was trying to get some guys together and some financing to do this," Basey recalled. "They finally begged, borrowed, and accumulated enough to get it started. Johnny even took a note to get a rodeo started in Homedale. I helped until about 1958 or 1959 when they got ashamed of themselves and put me on the rodeo board. They figured they had schooled me long enough and they put me on."

But Basey said he is not one of the original members, but he has been on the board the longest. Basey laughed that anyone else who was on the board longer has



Grand marshal

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either retired or passed away.

"There are not very many older ones left," Basey explained. "Jim Duncan was our rodeo secretary for a long time, but he retired a long time ago. Connie Brandeau took over after Jim."

Basey began entering the rodeo roping calves when he was 16. He said his last year in high school, they would not let him participate because he had won money rodeoing.

"At that time if you had won money, they considered you a professional," Basey recalled. "I roped calves for years until I found that I had arthritis in my back and the doc said 'no more'."

Basey said he enjoys team roping now and his wife said she gets tough when Don wants to rope now because it is so hard on his back. She said keeping her husband off of a horse now is very difficult.

"I always wanted a roping arena," Basey said. "We didn't get one until after I quit roping. But it is good because now the grandkids use it."

Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo Parade on Saturday.

Class of '54 to meet for 50-year reunion

The Homedale class of 1954 will hold its 50-year class reunion on Aug. 14. The class plans to ride in the county fair and rodeo parade on Saturday.

Class members are asked to meet at Riverside Park at 8:30 a.m. Saturday to ride in the parade. The class will then meet at the Homedale Senior Center at 4 p.m. for a banquet and at 7 p.m. all alumni are invited to an all class dance at the center.

For more information contact Shirley Macabee at 337-3020/



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Parade

cars just north of the shop followed by equestrian entries that will stage at the football field and swimming pool. Kelly Burns and Kelly Aberasturi will assist.

The third annual Owyhee County Drill competition will also be part of this year's parade. The co-host is the Owyhee Silver Express Drill Team. This year's event has eight teams entered.

Following the parade the drill teams will travel to the fair and rodeo grounds to continue its competition and coordinators said parade goers are invited to watch the graceful style of a drill team competition.

Parade coordinator Mary Tibbett said that nearly 100 horses are expected at the parade including many area drill team competitors. The drill team competition will begin during the parade where the teams will be judged during the parade. The drill team competition will continue at the rodeo grounds at noon.

Cash awards will be given to entries in the sweepstakes theme float, community floats, cars and youth. In the horse division, awards will be presented to 4-H and youth clubs, family and drill riding clubs, theme wagons and buggies and sponsored wagons.

Other categories receiving a small cash award will be the commercial entries, and individual horse entries will receive a ribbon award.

Ribbons will be awarded for the best adult male, best adult female, best pairs which will include, mixed of all ages, 6-18 year-olds, 13-19 year olds, and 7-12 year olds, boys 6 and under, girls 6 and under, juvenile costume, adult costume, and theme costume.

The 4-H/FFA fat stock sale will begin at 12 noon at the Fair and Rodeo grounds.

Beta Sigma Phi sorority sisters will again be assisting with this year's parade as well as many additional volunteers Mary said she would like to thank everyone who helped with the parade. Sponsors for this year are the Owyhee County Fair board and the Owyhee County Rodeo board.

Horse sponsors are still needed for more information contact Mary, 337-5335.

Basey will be the lead of the

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4-H, FFA Livestock sale supports kids' futures

100 pigs to sell," Jensen said.

"The kids us the money from

the sale usually to purchase their

next year's project, but many

times you hear kids talk about

saving the funds for college and

to further their education. Caba's

will be there with a BBQ lunch

Sale is

Saturday

at noon

11:30

This year the annual market about 30 lambs, 34 steers, and livestock sale will be held on Saturday beginning at noon in the covered arena at the fair grounds. Owyhee County Extension Livestock and Range coordinator Scott Jensen said last week that 164 animals would be up for sale.

"This year at the market livestock sale we expect to have

a.m." The sale is

about

the culmination of each 4-H and FFA kid's market livestock project. Buyers have the opportunity to

for the buyers

contribute in three ways. They can purchase an animal and have it custom butchered and then take it home for their freezer. They can purchase an animal and then elect to resale it at the floor price for that animal. They then are responsible to pay the difference between their bid price and the floor price but they do not take any of the meat home. The final

method is to "add on" money to an individual child or the entire group of kids. The buyer makes a contribution towards the designated recipient.

Jensen said if there is someone who cannot attend the sale but would like to purchase an animal, they could contact him

> or any member of the market livestock sale committee to bid for them. Jensen can be reached next week at 880-0482.

"There is a real need for anyone willing to purchase a resale pig at the

floor price," Jensen said. "Floor price will be set at about 50 cents per lb. If interested, they need to call the fair office at 337-3888 or Scott at 880-0482. The market livestock sale committee will deliver the animal to the butcher. It will be cut and wrapped to your order and then you will pick up the freezer-ready product."

County receives over \$300 thousand from Homeland Security grant

Owyhee County received a \$308,537 grant from the Bureau of Homeland Security that will be used for the purchase of the Office of Domestic Preparedness and Idaho State Bureau of Homeland Security approved equipment, training, exercises, planning, LEPT and citizens corps.

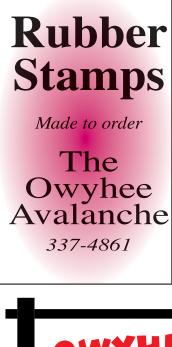
The announcement of the grant was made last month and is broken down into several programs. Equipment is allocated to receive \$168,440.74, exercises will receive \$22,847.27, training will receive \$21,321.61, planning, \$18,715.64, and LEPT will receive \$77,212.45.

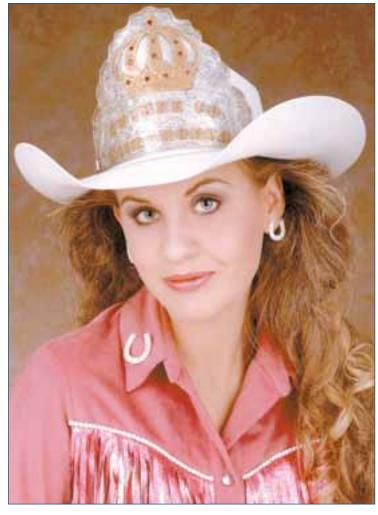
Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller said Monday that his department will receive approximately \$20,000 from the grant and he plans to purchase an emergency response trailer and miscellaneous supplies. Homedale Fire Department will also receive about \$20,000 and Eidemiller said they plan to use theirs for air packs.

County Sheriff Gary Aman was out of town and unavailable for comment Monday.









2003-2004 Owyhee County Queen Sarah Boyer.

High school

to register

next week

freshmen last.

Homedale High School stu-

dents will register next week

with the seniors first, juniors

second, sophomores third and

Registration for fall classes at

the school will be held on Aug.

16 from 2-3 p.m. followed

by the juniors from 3-4 p.m.,

sophomores from 4-6 p.m.

and freshmen from 6-8 p.m.

Pictures for ASB cards will be

New students will register on

Aug. 17 from 12:30 to 3 p.m.

and Aug. 18 and 19 from 10

Principal Mike Williams said

the fees will be the same as last

year and past-due fines or fees

must be paid at registration.

taken during registration.

a.m. until 3 p.m.

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Late entry gives queen contest competition

County Fair and Rodeo for rodeo queen will give the event some competition with the entry of a 16-year-old Homedale teen.

Hailey Rose Hall, daughter of Ken and Echo Hall will compete with Tessa Bradford, 19 of Nampa. Hall turned in a late entry to Queen Coordinator Debbie Shearn last week.

Hall attends Homedale High School and is a member of the honor roll, volleyball, basketball, track and softball teams and District II rodeo team. She is a member and past president of the Dust Devils 4-H Club and the Homedale High School rodeo club. She said she likes spending time with her friends and family. boating, riding colts and swimming in her families pond. Hall will be riding Rain.

Bradford, daughter of Mike and Joanne Bradford of Nampa entered the contest and will compete for the crown from outgoing queen Sarah Boyer of Emmett.

Bradford is a graduate of Vallivue High School and attends the College of Southern Idaho. She is active in choir, volleyball, FFA and 4-H. She is a member of the Owyhee County Teen Council, Nampa Rod and Gun Club, North American Elk Foundation, Club Idaho Volleyball and the Boise River Volleyball club. She enjoys training dogs, shooting shotgun, hunting, fishing, playing volleyball, 4-H, camping and riding horses. She will be riding Cheyenne.

Boyer is 16 and the daughter of Hap and Peggy Boyer. She is a home-schooled junior and is a member of Friends of Rodeo, A.Q.H.Y.A., Gem State Stock Horse Association, 4-H horse team leader and U.S. Bucking Bulls Association. She enjoys training colts, judging livestock and hunting. She will be riding a tri-colored paint. Buck.

Boyer will also represent Owyhee County at the Miss Teen Rodeo Idaho competition in Gooding on August 18 through

A late entry into the Owyhee the 23. She has attended numerous parades and rodeos throughout the valley. Queen Shearn

said Boyer has done a very good job representing the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo.





2004 aueen contestant Hailey Hall.

2004 queen contestant Tessa Bradford.





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√ Fair

clubs, demo awards, banner contests, theme décor contest and an introduction to key fair people at 6:30 p.m. at the Tumbleweed Theater Stage. At 7 p.m. the gates will open for the first night of the rodeo and at 8 p.m., local country band, "Stage 3" of Carol Burroughs, Dolly Hyer, Audrey Burroughs and Janice Geertson will perform.

On Thursday at the stage, The Root-Paxton Family Band of Duane Root, Jim Paxton, Cheryl and Justine Calzacorta, and Matt and Brenda Paxton will perform playing guitars, bass fiddle, mandolin, accordion and the fiddle at 6 p.m. At 7 p.m., Drew Davis, a country youth vocalist will entertain on the stage and from 8:30 p.m. until 10:30 p.m., the Sevy Family Band will play country music.

Friday evening at 7 p.m. will be the annual 4-H Style Revue on the stage where 4-H kids will model their entries and at 9:30 p.m. a dance will be held with the Beverly Brothers performing oldies, rock and beach music for the fair theme.

On Saturday, Stage 3 will perform at 1 p.m. followed by Buckhorn Mtn. Boys at 3:30 p.m., Betty Adams Atchinson at 5:30 p.m., Jeffries Express at 6: 30 p.m. and Atchinson again at 8: 30 p.m. At 9:30 p.m. the Howlin' Coyotes will perform county and oldies for a final evening dance. Contests this year will include siphon tube setting sponsored by Rain for Rent, the fourth annual salt block lick art contest, the bountiful harvest contest, nature's wonder, and the 4-H banner contest.

Wednesday the armory will not open until 2:30 p.m. for judging. The hall will open on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 10 a.m. and close at 9 p.m. except on Saturday, which it will close at 8 p.m.

Beef, sheep, swine, dairy goats and small animal entries will be held at 8 a.m. on Wednesday. A complete schedule of animal competitions can be obtained from the fair office.

Amusements and special

team and will also be featured in the parade on Saturday.

An art exhibit and sale will be held on Wednesday through Saturday in the commercial building and will feature area artists and craftsman. The orbitor ride, super slide, trampoline, astro jump, bungee run and rock climbing will be stationed throughout the fair for amusements.

Owyhee County Historical Society and Museum will have a display in the Armory this year and the Garnet Road Community Center will be conducting a blood drive during the fair. Reservations will be taken and a Red Cross Blood Mobile will be at the fair on Saturday for the blood draw.

The commercial building if full to capacity this year with 18 booths. The art exhibit and sale was canceled this year because of the absence of an event coordinator, but event coordinators said they hope it will be back next year.

El-Ada will have food barrels set out at the front entrance for a food drive and the grassy park near the stage will be set up with shade canopies and picnic tables. Farm equipment from three different companies, saddles, tack, rawhide, silver and Indian jewelry, tents, t-shirts, topless shoes, game booths and more will be staged around the midway.

Rodeo

team roping, and ranch hand bronc riding.

Family night is tonight and Thursday with kids' general admission tickets priced at \$3 and senior general admission tickets at \$5. Admission tickets are \$9 for the covered seating, \$7 for general and \$5 for 12 and under. Reserved covered section tickets are available at Matteson's Phillips 66 and general admission tickets are available at the gate. For more information or to register for the rodeo, call 459-3134.

$\sqrt{\mathbf{Breakfast}}$

until Saturday.

The event is a fundraiser for the Homedale Senior Citizens and is held from August 9 through the 11th in the parking lot of the center at 224 Idaho Street from 7 a.m. until 10 a.m.

Hotcakes, sausage, eggs, and a drink, coffee, milk or orange juice will be served. The cost will be \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12 years old.

√ **Budget**

\$30,000. She said medical benefits, which cost around \$235,000 a year, increased 15 percent (\$35,250). The county spent \$52,943 more in the Fair Buildings and Grounds budget this year than proposed for next year – more than double – further depleting cash reserves. Salove said that the depletion of the cash balance was the result of this year's budgeting ['04] to hold down the levy at that time. "But it came back to bite us."

Salove said the county's independent auditor recommended that the county was carrying more cash than it should, so it was used up. "Now," he explained, "we see we might have gone too far." Among proposed expenses to take a hit in next year's budget was the one percent annual cost of living salary increase to the 78 county employees, resulting in a cut of expenses of about \$20,000. Sherburn and Salove both indicated the commissioners plan to continue the "step" pay increases for employees, however.

Departmental decreases include: Current expense \$207,732; Airport \$3,500; District Court/ Probation \$27,198; Fair bldg. and grounds \$52,943; Solid waste \$61,773; Capital project \$1,007,186 (no amount was listed for next year).

Departmental increases include: Bond redemption \$20,000; Health District \$674; Historical Society \$945; Indigent and Charity \$24,700; Junior College (not a levy) \$2,000; Revaluation \$2,857; Tort \$11,000; 911 Dept. \$9,300 (not a levy).

According to Clerk Sherburn the assessed valuation for figuring the '05 budget is \$439,419,741. The assessed valuation for '03 (used to calculate '04 taxes) was \$375,024,937. New construction value to calculate '05 taxes is \$6,737,543.

The commissioners will be meeting as necessary until the budget is finalized. It is to be completed in time for publication in late August. The budget hearing will be held September 7.



OLD WEST DOLLAR

events will be the Kid's Korral with a petting zoo, play area, sand box and bean box and a shaded seating area for parents. The fifth annual light horse and mule driving competition will be held on Friday with post entries being held at 8 a.m.

The third annual drill team competition will be held at noon on Saturday at the rodeo arena and will feature eight drill teams. The event is co-hosted by the Owyhee Silver Express Drill

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County requests lease agreements to house DMV and courtroom

In response to several requests from city leaders to assist in the costs of the Department of Motor Vehicles in Marsing City Hall and the District Courtroom in Homedale City Hall, county commissioners are asking the two cities to agree to a lease and take care of the offices instead of the county sending money for the up-keep.

For several years, the city of Homedale has discussed having the county help with remodeling the county's courtroom, which is located in City Hall. Several times the county has agreed to many different sums, but the courtroom remains un-remodeled.

Last month, city officials from Marsing requested the county share expenses for its DMV office located in city hall and assist the city in purchasing a new furnace. Mayor Donald Osterhoudt told the commissioners last month that after the city's audit, they were advised to "do something about sharing expenses."

"We don't charge rent for the building, so he suggested we really need some help at least with the expenses," Osterhoudt said in a letter to commissioners. "The city's general fund has been going in the hole for several years."

The mayor and council requested the county pay a third from the sheriff's budget and a third from the assessor's budget for up-keep, which was suggested to be approximately \$4,200 from each entity for a year. But the county commissioners responded by suggesting they pay the city \$4,560 per year because the "satellite service was established as a convience to residents living in the Marsing area by minimizing their driving distance to Murphy for service."

"The county has been looking at alternatives to our current arrangement regarding county reimbursement to the City of Homedale for portions of the expense associated with county court activities in Homedale," Commissioners wrote to Homedale Mayor Paul Fink. "As you know, court operations there only occur on a few days each month, are not required under Idaho Code, and were established as a convience to residents living in the Homedale area by minimizing their driving distance to court."

Commissioners stated that in the past they have been asked to reimburse a portion of the costs of maintenance and upkeep on the entire facilities as well as a portion of utility costs. "In reviewing this approach to reimbursement we have determined that it is more appropriate for the county to approach the use of the facility on a lease basis rather than to continue the somewhat informal approach we have used in the past."

The county assessor was asked to research commercial rents in the areas to determine what a fair market value would be for the square footage that is used. In Homedale the assessor determined that the county occupies 1,824 square feet. The county determined that the annual rental value is \$6,000.

The agreement would be an agreement in which the city would be responsible for all maintenance and utility expenses.

"We believe that the approach outlined is the most appropriate way for the county to continue to provide the convience of a satellite service," the commissioners stated.



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BLM state director appoints two Idaho managers

The selection of two key managers for the Bureau of Land Management in southern Idaho was announced last week by BLM State Director K Lynn Bennett.

Bennett has selected Howard Hedrick to be manager of BLM's newly established Twin Falls District Office. Hedrick is currently the Associate District Manager in BLM's Boise District Office. Bennett also selected Jerry Taylor to replace Hedrick as Boise's Associate District Manager.

"These are experienced and veteran managers of public lands who know Idaho's resources, programs and people. They'll provide skilled and effective leadership," said Bennett.

Taylor has served the past 12 years as field manager of the Jordan Resource Area in eastern Oregon's Vale District, where he manages more than 2 million acres of public land in southern Malheur County. He began his BLM career as a range conservationist in BLM's Boise District in 1979, where he became the supervisory rangeland management specialist for the Bruneau Resource Area in 1987.

Taylor was born and raised in Jerome, Idaho. He attended the College of Southern Idaho and Boise State University, and received his BS in Agricultural Science from Montana State University. Taylor and his wife Janet have two children in college.

Hedrick has worked for BLM in Salmon, Idaho as well as in Wyoming, Utah, Nevada and Oregon during his 29-year career.

Birth

Harlee Jo DeGeus

Harlee Jo DeGeus was born to Ed and Jessica Egurrola DeGeus on July 14, 2004 at Saint Luke's in Meridian and weighed seven

GV School District to hold recall election of trustee

The Grand View School District will hold a recall election to unseat zone 3 board trustee Darrel Agenbroad on Aug. 24. The announcement of the election was submitted this week.

A petition to recall Agenbroad was turned in to the district's clerk's office last week and was approved with only seven signatures. District Clerk Catherine Sellman said an original petition was turned in last month with 25 signatures and a "perfection" recall petition was turned in on July 20. She said the petition only needed seven signatures, 20 percent of the total amount of voters that voted in the election when he was elected into office in 2002. She said only 67 votes were cast in 2002 as Agenbroad did not have an opponent and an election was held for Zone 5.

The petition states that Agenbroad has "violated trust."

"He has refused to listen to his patrons regarding their concerns around the schools," the petition states. "He has isolated himself from the community and its collective wisdom so that he only gets information from the district administration. Mr. Agenbroad has rejected pleas from the citizens he represents to conduct open-minded and thorough investigations of district problems and issues. Mr. Agenbroad has also exerted unwarranted and unethical pressure on parents who signed a petition requesting trustees to address district concerns."

Agenbroad submitted a response to the petition stating that the allegations were "absolutely not true."

"I have evidence that this recall petition has been planned and carried out under the direction of the teacher's union to gain control of the district," Agenbroad stated in his response. "As the trustee of Zone 3, I have always made my decisions based on what is best for the education of the children in our district." Many times concerns must, by law, be addressed in executive sessions, which are not open to the public. I have never refused to return a phone call made to me by a patron with a concern. In the last two years since I have served on the board we have accomplished much that is noteworthy. The district has become financially stable and most importantly, student achievement has risen dramatically.

"I have tried to find out what the concerns of the patrons are by talking to those who signed the petition, mentioned in the recall, so I can address those concerns. At no time did I put pressure on any person to talk to me.

"A vote against the recall is also a vote against union control."

Agenbroad also included an announcement about an informational meeting on the school district on Aug. 17 at 7 p.m. at the Grand View Elementary School.

Qualified voters in zone 3 will cast their vote at Grand View Elementary School or at the home of George Bennett Jr. in Elmore County from noon until 8 p.m. Aug. 24.

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

Qualified electors who expect to be absent from the district or who will be unable, because of physical disability or blindness, to go to a polling place, may vote by absentee ballot. Written application for an absentee ballot may be made to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees on a form made available at the District Office, 660 Boise Ave., Grand View, Idaho on Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Such application must be made no later than 4 p.m. Monday, August 23. Electors applying by mail should submit their requests as soon as possible. The absentee ballot must be received by the Clerk no later than 8 p.m. on the day of election.

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Charity run flops as BLM fees eat proceeds

A charity poker run held at Hemingway Butte by the South Western Idaho Desert Racing Association was not nearly as successful as coordinators hoped it would be as the Bureau of Land Management took most of the fundraiser for fees and insurance. The run was held as a fundraiser for the Bruneau-Grand View search and rescue.

Coordinator Bill Walsh said in a statement released last week that the run held on May 2 raised \$1,100 but SIDRA was only able to give the group \$330 because of BLM fees and insurance.

Before the fundraiser, Walsh requested the BLM waive its fees since the run was not considered to be a competitive race. BLM refused stating "new regulations" as the reason.

Walsh sent a letter to Lower Snake River District Manager Jenna Whitlock asking her for a response to why the BLM would not waive the fees since the event was held to help search and rescue, they "surely" qualified. Whitlock did not return our phone calls for comment.

"The event was held for search and rescue," Walsh said. "To introduce the new trail system that was installed last winter as part of the 5.5 million dollars of the tax payer's money the BLM plans to spend in the Owyhee area. I think that this type of event would be educational to the recreational users of public lands."

Walsh said he felt the event also falls under the "requires no specific management and educational" section of reasons to waive the fee. He said the event was held on the newly installed ATV trail.

"I was really disappointed in the lack of help from their office," Walsh said. "It was a great event to educate the public, only the number of people in attendance was too low."

"I do not understand why BLM refuses to co-sponsor with SIDRA for the event. As a user group, we feel this could have been a great tool for the BLM to educate motorized users of public lands.

"The only way I can see doing this again is with co-sponsorship with BLM. It's a sad ending to what was overall a successful event."

Alzheimer's support group to meet

The Snake River Alzheimer's Support Group is changing the times it normally meets to the first Wednesday of every month from 2-4 p.m. and the third Thursday of every month from 7-9 p.m.

The group gathers to help families dealing with Alzheimer's disease and answer questions. For more information contact Mary Mahler at 337-3042.

Schools receive donated backpacks

School supplies shopping will be a little cheaper for students in elementary and middle school this year after the schools were chosen as recipients for the Costco Backpack program.

Every student in the Homedale School District in grades kindergarten through eight will receive a backpack and school supplies free. Costco employees will give the supplies to each student on the first day of school, but teachers may request a few additional supplies the first week.

Senior news



Quilts and more quilts

Members of the Snake River Quilters hangs a quilt in the armory for the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo. Quilts will line the walls of the armory and each one is hand made. Open class displays are being judged today (Wednesday) and the armory will open at 2:30 p.m.

Nevada woman killed south of Bruneau

An Owyhee, Nevada woman was killed when she was ejected from the vehicle she was driving on Highway 51 near the Idaho-Nevada border.

Mersi Marcel Garity, 32 was pronounced dead on the scene and a 29-year old male passenger, whose name was not released, was transported to a hospital in Owyhee. He was later taken to a hospital in Boise.

A spokesman from the sheriff's office said Garity was traveling north on Highway 51 at mile marker 22 when the accident occurred. Initial reports state that she was driving a 2000 Chevy impala. Reports state that the use of drugs or alcohol is still under investigation.

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Homedale Senior Center

Aug 12: Tuna salad, lettuce and tomato, dessert.

Aug 14: The class of 1954 will be holding their 50th class reunion here at the center. We will be riding in the parade. There will be a gathering of class mates at the senior center and a banquet @ 7pm. We will be holding a dance Woody Purdom and his band will play. All Homedale High Alumni are invited.

Aug 17: Roast Pork, mash/applesauce, rolls, dessert. Foot clinic @ 10am. Sign up sheet at front desk.

Aug 18: Hamburger on bun, lettuce, tomato, cabbage salad, dessert.

Marsing Senior Center

Aug 12: Roast beef, gravy and potatoes, peppers, onions, carrots, salad, soup of the day, beverage.

Aug 16: Hot pork sandwich, peas, potatoes, gravy, salad, soup of the day, beverage.

Aug 17: Chicken cordon bleu, squash, salad, soup of the day, beverage.

Aug 18: Beef Lasagna, steamed broccoli/cheese sauce on the side, salad & soup of the day, beverage.

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Commentary

Accuracy in media

It's not a "war on terror"

By Cliff Kincaid, Editor of the AIM Report

Describing itself as a "prominent national Islamic civil rights and advocacy group," the Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR) has issued a statement condemning bombings at five Christian churches in Iraq that left at least 11 people dead and 50 wounded. But these are mere words that carry no particular weight or authority in global Islam.

CAIR said that, "Religiously and historically, Islam mandated the protection of churches and synagogues. The Prophet Muhammad and his successors sought to protect houses of worship and the communities they serve." If this is the case, however, then why do followers of Islam carry out the bombings?

If the answer is that "militant Islam" is responsible, that at least is a modest start toward identifying the real enemy. A former chief assistant U.S. attorney says in the current issue of The American Spectator that the media and policymakers have gotten it all wrong in saying the U.S. is waging a war on "terror." Andrew C. McCarthy, who led the 1995 terrorism prosecution of Sheik Omar Abdel Rahman in connection with the first World Trade Center bombing, says, "You can't win a war without identifying who the enemy is, and I think we've bent over backwards to avoid labeling all of Islam as the enemy. That is fair enough. But I think we've gone overboard in saying that our enemy is terrorism. Terrorism is a method, not a person or a faction or an enemy."

In his article, "The Great War on Militant Islam," he points out that Islam began in violence and that Muhammad himself was a violent warrior. McCarthy writes that, of all the global religions in the modern world today, "only Islam sports an unbridled faction that systematically inculcates hatred, systematically dehumanizes non-adherents, and systematically kills massively and indiscriminately." He says Islam also has a rich tradition of education and a rich culture. But the violent faction of Islam has come to the fore and "the moderate elements have failed to condemn it in a persuasive way," he argues.

The other problem in separating militant from moderate Islam lies in the nature of the religion. Islam, he argues, is a religion that goes far beyond providing a spiritual purpose to life. "It's actually a self-complete social and political and in some ways economic system" that operates from the bottom up rather than the top down, he notes. That is, Islam has no hierarchy that condemns certain behavior or interpretations of the religion.

In the World Trade Center case he prosecuted, McCarthy said Sheik Rahman taught that the only legitimate Jihad was war using the sword, bomb, and the missile. "There was no authoritative body in Islam that is empowered to step in and say that's wrong," he pointed out.

Practically speaking, therefore, how does one define who belongs to "militant" rather than "moderate" Islam? If there is a Mosque down the street, how do we know if the Muslims who go there are a threat unless and until they start killing us and then it's too late?

That is why, McCarthy says, that it is absolutely urgent to move beyond saying we are waging a war on "terror." But McCarthy says that Islam has become a "sacred cow" in the national debate and that the religion and its adherents are not coming under the proper scrutiny. One elementary way to separate militants from moderates is by their behavior and by their willingness to take a stand against violence and terrorism. He says one question we should pose to followers of Islam is whether they believe in democratic government or rule by Islamic theocrats. Also, do they believe Jihad is a compulsion to do violence or can it be interpreted as an internal struggle to be a better person? This assumes, of course, that the answers will be truthful. How many Muslims would admit to being committed to violent Jihad against the "infidels?" Abdurahman Alamoudi, president of the American Muslim Council, was considered a respected moderate. He has pleaded guilty to participating in an assassination plot and money laundering for terrorists. One of his former associates got an intelligence job with the Department of Homeland Security, the government agency now warning that terrorists in America may be preparing to strike.

County establishes Ag coordination committee for bugs

Owyhee County Commissioners established a county wide agriculture coordination committee to control crickets in the future due to delays in communication regarding a plan and implementation of a plan. Commissioners have named Jerry Hoagland as chairman, Tony

Seniors invites public to art class

The public is invited to attend an art class at the Marsing Senior Citizen's Center for a full day art class taught by Marilyn Schultz from Rambling Rose Creations from Ontario.

The class is a day long class and will be held at the center on Aug. 23 from 9 a.m. until those attending are done with their painting.

The painting is Rustic Wheelbarrow, a pen and ink/rouged oils technique created by Mary Owens. The class will cost \$35 and all supplies will be available.

Reservations are necessary by calling Ordella Park at 896-4634. Class size is limited.

Richards, George Bennett and David Young as members.

The resolution was passed during a commissioners meeting on Aug 2 and states that the delays in communications may be avoided if there is a place a committee of persons engaged in the agricultural trade who are on the ground observers of conditions and recognize that the committee can coordinate with government agencies for pest control.

The committee will be in charge of coordination with

agencies and person engaged in developing the plans for combating Mormon crickets and other agricultural pests. They will be required to keep the commissioners advised of control plans and actions, and provide information regarding control strategy available for control measures such as bait and the availability of cost sharing.

They will also be required to cooperate with elected officials and other county personnel engaged in control measures.



Raffle

A quilt donated to the Homedale Senior Citizen's Center will be raffled off on Saturday during the final day of the Buckaroo Breakfast. Tickets are being sold throughout the week for \$1 or 6 for \$5.



Is it too late to begin the national debate over Islam that is so urgently required? The media can help provide an answer to that.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2004

From the old files... A survivor of the west

Reprinted from the Homedale News, March 25, 1955

By John Bailey

We have always been fans of the great Old West and when we heard that Win Adamson at Homedale is an old time westerner and a friend of Charlie Russell, the western artist, we had to stop and talk with him.

Adamson is a man who is not quick to talk about himself, but we did find out that he left the place of his birth in the Oklahoma territory and headed for the wide open spaces at the tender age of 12.

Adamson, in his seventies we would judge, joined a cattle drive headed for North Dakota. He stayed there seven or eight year before his feet began to itch and he headed west again.

The dates are a little fuzzy back in those day, but he does remember being in Dodge City, Kans. When it was roaring, really tough, he says.

He finally wound up in Montana with an outfit raising horses for livery stock. After that it was cattle, and that's how he happened to meet Russell. He and Russell became friends while they were riding line on the same ranch. That was, of course, before Russell gained renown as a painter.

Even after Russell settled down and began to paint they still remained friends. Used to run into each other now and again at rodeos, Fourth of July celebrations and the like, Adamson says.

"It was good free open country, and anywhere you took off your hat was home," Adamson told us. "People in those days didn't even ask your name. Anything they knew about you was what you had told them yourself."

Still, it seems as though the west hadn't quite settled down,

from some of the things Adamson said. Outlaws and gunfighters still roamin' around.

Adamson told us about a band of cattle rustlers that operated all the way from the Canadian border to Mexico. Pretty big outfit. They got away with it for several years before they finally got caught. Turned out to be three bankers in the bunch, too.

A stock detective finally got the goods on 'em, Adamson said. Worked with them for two years before he lowered the boom. They all got prison terms and the detective. Adamson was thoughtful for a moment.

"Don't know what ever became of that detective," he said. "May be he got killed."

There were others too. Adamson recalls three brothers who turned to the wrong side of the law. Seems as how they just kept getting squeezed out by biggest ranches. Kept getting blamed for things they didn't do and it finally got too much for them. They made pretty tough outlaws too, so we understand.

Then there was Long Henry. He was somewhat of a lone wolf, and fast enough with a gun that nobody cared to draw against him. Finally shot be a 15 year old boy Adamson tells us. The boy was sitting at the end of the bar in a saloon and shot old Long Henry when he walked in the door. Shot him dead with a .38, just like that.

Any trouble with Indians? No, not much, well, there was one time. Didn't amount to much though. Seems as how some Indians went on the war path once when Adamson was still in the Dakotas. He was out on the range when the Indians chased everybody away from the ranch. When he got back he found a note saying everyone went to the fort, so he spent the night sleeping in the hills, he said.

Back in 1911 and 12, or there abouts. Adamson was packing in steel markers along the Canadian border. Uncle Sam used them as dividers, said U.S. on one side and Canada on the other. After that he was stockman on the Blackfoot Indian reservation, inspecting brands and protecting the Indians' interests and so forth.

It was about that time that Adamson frosted his lungs and was advised to moved to a warmer climate. Got down to 62 below that winter, 1916, Adamson recalls. Didn't get about 55 below for about six weeks, he said. It wasn't until six years later that he moved west again, though landed this time in Burns, Ore.

"Some pretty good sized ranches there in those days," he said.

He stayed around Burns until he moved to Homedale about 22 years ago. No tractors then and he could always get work driving a team. Seemed to have a way with horses.

Adamson leaned back in his chair, pulled a sack of Bull Durham out of his wool shirt pocket and began to roll a cigarette.

"Won ten dollars rolling a cigarette once," he said. "We were riding along in a stiff wind and a fellow bet me I couldn't roll one. I did and he lost."

Adamson says he still gets itchy feet once in awhile. Longs for the open spaces again. Even helps in roundup and branding just to keep in practice. Enjoys a good western movie now and then too.

Last summer Adamson and his family went back to Montana to visit the country where he had spent so much time.

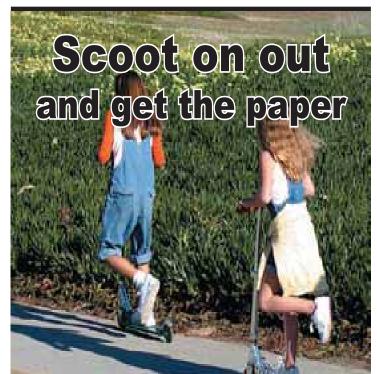
"It just isn't what it used to be," he said. "Too many people I knew where I wanted to go but I didn't know how to get there. They've got roads and fences now."

Adamson, more at home on a horse that in a car was driving when he came to a fence. Pulled back on the steering wheel, hollered whoa and plowed right through the fence, they say. We began to run out of time about then and had to leave all too soon. We never tire of hearing about the Old West and it was hard to get back to 1955.



Relaxing

A long horn bull calf relaxes before fair and rodeo action begins tonight at the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo grounds. The ranch horse competition begins today at 8 a.m. with dummy roping, ranch calf roping and ranch rodear sorting and penning. The awards presentation will follow.





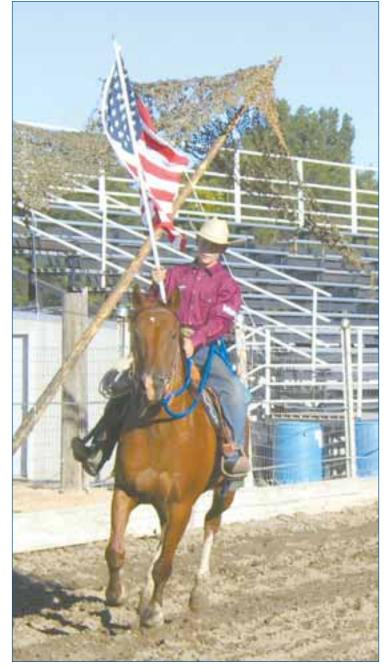


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The Owyhee Avalanche



Beginning ceremonies

Carlen Hipwell presents the colors during an opening ceremony flag salute for the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo. Horse competition continues today with the ranch horse competition. The annual livestock sale will be held Saturday at noon under the covered arena.

Local Angus breeders

recognized in evaluation report Several local Angus breeders are recognized in the 2004 fall Sire Evaluation Report published by the American Angus Association in St. Joseph, Missouri. Issued in both the spring and fall, the new report

features the latest performance information available on 6,148 sires. William L. White of Murphy owns three bulls listed, T J Grand Angus Co. of Grand View owns one bull listed, Colver Cattle Co. of Bruneau owns two bulls listed, C and D Angus Company of Grand View owns one bull listed, Doug and Janice Burgess of Homedale own one bull listed and Anchor Angus of Grand View own one bull listed.

"This report provides both Angus breeders and commercial cattle producers using Angus genetics with accurate, predictable selection tools for improving their herd," said Bill Bowman, American Angus Association vice president of information and data programs. Expected Progeny Differences are generated from the performance database of the AAA, which includes information submitted this past year by



nearly 8,300 Angus breeders through the Angus Herd Improvement Records program.

EPDs are available for 17 traits including birth weight, weaning weight, milk, yearling weight and height, mature daughter weight and height, and scrotal circumference. Carcass progeny measures generate EPDs on carcass weight, marbling, rib eye area, external fat thickness and percent retail product. Ultrasound body composition data also generates end product predictors for rib eye area, intramuscular fat percentage, fat thickness and percent retail product.



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reathe new life into the traditional American cookout with flavors from New Orleans, the "Big Easy." Choose ingredients with big Creole flavor, easy preparation and that little Big Easy. Choose ingreaters what are exactly as the say in the French Quarter.

Start with premium, grain-fed Midwestern steaks that are naturally tender, no-carb and well marbled. Sprinkle on an authentic, all-purpose blend of Creole spices or give the beef a soak in a Creole-spiced marinade. The seasoning creates a seal during grilling, keeping the food juicy. The marinade adds flavor and tenderness.

Then package the tasty leftovers in tight-sealing disposable yet reusable plastic containers, such as GladWare, and send them home with your guests. But don't give all the leftovers away you'll want to keep some for yourself! Everyone will get to take it "easy" another day when dinner is already prepared.

For more information and great recipes, check out www.omahasteaks.com, www.tonychachere.com and www.glad.com.

Entertaining the *Creole* way

- Make entertaining easy. Keep individually wrapped steaks, pork and poultry, signature appetizers, side dishes and delicious desserts on hand in the freezer. When it's time for company, thaw, heat and serve.
- Give side dishes and salads that "French Quarter" flair. Spice things up using Creole easoning in place of salt.
- Make time to relax and enjoy your guests. When possible, prep foods ahead of time. Wrap, cover and store foods with sealable plastic wrap, such as Glad Press 'n Seal, until you're ready to grill or serve. This helps keep food fresh and the spill-proof seal guarantees safe transport to any grill or table. Plan for leftovers! Some dishes taste better

Prepare flavorful grilled vegetables in no time! Marinate fresh veggies with a Creole marinade, thread onto pre-soaked wooden skewers and grill.

the next day after their ingredients have had a chance to mingle. Keep refrigerated left-overs fresh in tight-sealing plastic containers, pop in the microwave and enjoy your "Big Easy" cookout another day.



Giving foods on the grill a Creole flavor is easy with the right seasonings and marinades.

Steak Jambalaya

1 tablespoon oil 1/2 cup yellow onions (1/2-inch chop)

- 2 teaspoons chopped garlic 1/2 cup red peppers (1/2-inch chop)
- 1/4 cup celery (1/2-inch chop) 1/4 cup sliced okra
- 1 teaspoon Tony Chachere's Creole Seasoning
- 1 (15-ounce) can diced tomatoes in sauce
- 1 cup water
- 1 Omaha Steaks Blackened Rib Eye Steak (see recipe) sliced thin, then halved

Heat oil in skillet. Add onions and garlic: cook until soft. Add peppers, celery and okra; cook until soft. Stir in Creole seasoning. Add diced tomatoes in sauce and water; simmer 1 to 2 minutes.

Remove from heat and fold in steak slices. Serve over Dirty Rice.

Cool leftovers completely and store in GladWare container up to 5 days.

Serves 4

Blackened Rib Eye Steak

4 (10-ounce) Omaha Steaks Rib Eye Steaks
2 teaspoons Tony Chachere's Creole Seasoning

Heat cast iron skillet on high for 5 minutes. Season steaks on both sides with 1 teaspoon Creole seasoning.

Place seasoned steak in hot skillet. For perfect medium rare, cook 3 minutes, then turn and cook 2 minutes more. Serve with Dirty Rice and Creole Vegetable Kabobs.

Wrap and refrigerate any leftover steak in Glad Press 'n Seal to keep foods fresh.

Serves 4

Creole Vegetable Kabobs

- 4 medium button mushrooms
- (1-inch) slices zucchini
- 4 (1-inch) slices red peppers
- 4 (1-inch) slices yellow squash
- 4 cherry tomatoes

Tony Chachere's Creole Style Marinade Tony Chachere's Creole Seasoning

Soak four 8-inch bamboo skewers in water for 30 minutes before using.

On each bamboo skewer, place 1 mushroom, zucchini slice, red pepper slice, yellow squash slice and cherry tomato. Place kabobs in GladWare container. Pour in enough marinade to completely cover kabobs and marinate 2 to 4 hours. Remove kabobs from marinade and sprinkle

with Creole seasoning. Grill until vegetables are slightly soft and nicely marked.

Serves 4

Dirty Rice

- 2 1/2 cups cold water 1/2 cup chicken livers and gizzards
 - 1/2 cup cubed pork shoulder1 tablespoon butter

 - tablespoons diced onions 1/2 tablespoon chopped garlic
 - 2 tablespoons diced celery

- 1/4 cup sliced frozen okra
- 2 tablespoons minced green onions
- 1/2 tablespoon Tony Chachere's Creole Seasoning 1/2 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce 1 cup uncooked converted rice

Place chicken livers, chicken gizzards and pork shoulder in cold water. Bring to boil and skim off any fat or foam that rises to top. Reduce heat to simmer and cook 30 minutes.

Strain off chicken and pork. Reserve liquid and finely chop meat.

Melt butter in large saucepot. Add vegetables and garlic. Sauté until vegetables are soft.

Add reserved liquid from meat and the rest of the ingredients plus Creole seasoning, Worcestershire sauce and rice, and bring to boil. Reduce heat to simmer, cover and cook 15 to 20 minutes, until rice is cooked and most liquid has cooked away. Rice can be cooled and stored until needed in

GladWare container.

Serves 4

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

August 23, 1975

50 years ago

August 15, 1954

BLM list released

More than two and one half million acres of Bureau of Land Management land in Idaho will be the subject of intensive wilderness studies, according to a BLM report released last week. Of that total, nearly half is located in Owyhee County.

The BLM report lists 1,263,343 acres in Owyhee County slated for intensive wilderness study. The size of the parcels to be studied range from 5,000 acres to the 137,320-acre. Deep Battle Creek area.

New rodeo queen picked

Heather Keith, the 17 year old daughter of Mr. And Mrs. Ted Keith of Meridian, was crowned Queen of the Owyhee Rodeo in ceremonies during the final night of event.

Despite threats of showers a near capacity crowd was in attendance for all four night of competition.

Keith was crowned by outgoing queen Karla King.

Area schools slate openings

Kids parents and teachers are busy this week preparing for the beginning of a new school year.

At Homedale, teachers returned to the classroom Monday to prepare for the first day of school, Monday, August 22.

At Marsing, school got underway today.

Prep football action is scheduled to get underway around the area next week, although players and coaches may have to await a final solution to a threatened strike by officials. Homedale is scheduled to open play Friday, August 31 at Weiser.

Marsing births

Mr. And Mrs. David (Nancy) Kueneman are parents of a 10 lb. 10 oz. Daughter, Jennifer Jane, born on Wednesday, Aug. 15, at Caldwell Memorial hospital. She joins a sister, Kristin, 5, and a brother Alex, 1 1/2. Mr. And Mrs. Ray Kueneman, Caldwell, are paternal grandparents. Mr. And Mrs. Merle White, Greenleaf, are maternal grandparents.

Townsend selected

Lt. Col. Ralph D. Townsend, director of flight operations of the Idaho Air Guard, has been selected as the first Air National Guardsman in the U.S. ever to attend the Army War College.

Townsend is a veteran jet fighter command pilot with two tours of Air Force combat service in Southeast Asia. A native of Homedale and a resident of Nampa, he joined the Idaho Air Guard in 1970 and since has held several command positions.

Homedale locals

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On Okinawa duty Pvt. Jack D. Dickey 20, son of Mrs. Pearl Watson of Homedale, Idaho, recently arrived on Okinawa for duty with the Ryukys command's 29th Regimental Combat Team.

A strong U.S. outpost in the Far East, Okinawa is located of the coast of China between Formosa and the southern tip of Japan.

Private Dickey entered the army last October and completed basic training at For Ord, Calif.

Hotshot nip Ontario 4-3

Homedale Hotshots edged out Ontario 4 to 3 Tuesday baseball game. The Ontario squad played errorless ball and banged out eight hits but was able to make them count for only three runs.

The contest opened the second half of the league season for both teams.

Am. Legion Post installs officers

The local American Legion Post installed new officers July 7 at the Legion hall. Installing officer was Joe McGrath, former post commander of Wiser Post No. 2, now commander of the 3rd district.

Officer installed were Jo Eiguren, commander; Jodie Distler, 1st vice commander; Poke Henson, 2nd vice commander; Joe Itano; adjutant; Floyd Dazey, chaplain; Jim Graham, sergeant at arms.

Appointed officers were Homer Henry, service officer; Monty Worden, executive officer; Otto Blackaby, finance officer; and Bert Adams, historian.

Marsing news

Myrna Smith and Barbara Hale were among the group of girls attending Bee-Hive camp at McCall July 9-16. The camp is under the direction of the LDS church.

Mr. And Mrs. Bill Weldon took Mr. Weldon's sister Jane home to Burley Monday evening after she had spent about a week and a half visiting in the Weldon home.

Mr. And Mrs. Ray Pershall spent an enjoyable weekend at McCall.

Mr. And Mrs. Mike Renz visited Saturday in Caldwell with Mrs. Minnie Renz.

Mr. And Mrs. Frank Motzko and two grandsons Jim and George Kaufman of Boise returned home Monday after spending four days at McCall.

Mrs. Mike Renz has received word that her son Cpl. John Renz who has spent the past year with the Marines in Japan, is now on his way home in California. Cpl Renz will see for the first time, upon his arrival, his year old son John Jr.

The John Paines returned home Sunday evening from a few days vacation at McCall.

The Marsing Saddle club held a practice for the

138 years ago

August 11, 1866

VOLUME ONE of the Avalanche is completed, and we here present our readers with No. 1 of volume two. When we issued our first number we were hopeful of success but by no means elated with the prospects. We expected little and realized more, though by no means much. We engaged in the enterprise of publishing newspaper in Owyhee upon our own instance, without even an invitation of one of her citizens. Their patronage has been liberal but still recently the population and business houses were limited. We have used or best exertions to make it the interest of all to extend us a reasonable support and we've not been disappointed. With scarcely an exception, we have received the kind words of every citizen and shall leave no stone untried to deserve them in the future. Our main objects have been to let the outside world know the advantages of Owyhee as a place for the laborer and capitalist; to make a faithful record of current local incidents, improvements, discoveries and progress on development; to attract attention to the most direct lines of communication with our depot of supplies; to aid in the establishment of new and more frequent and direct mail routes; to induce the erection of telegraph lines, &c. How well we have succeeded in any or all these objects the public may decide. What we have failed to accomplish in these respects, has not been for lack of disposition or effort on our part.

BANK. Messrs. Paxton & Thornburgh have opened a Banking House in Silver. This firm is well and favorably known all over the Pacific States and Territories. They are prepared to do everything they advertise with dispatch and reliability. Also Agents for the Imperial Insurance Company. Their ad appears in this issue.

SELLING AMMUNOX TO THE INDIANS. We received positive information about two weeks ago that Indians were caught coming towards Suck River, from Boise City, with boxes of powder and lead. One squaw was caught with a box full and the commodities captured. Others were with suspicious boxes lashed to their necks, and making tracks for the Owyhee county. On receiving the news, we thought that the impudent to make a public announcement of the fact, and wrote to Capt. Eckerson, commanding Fort Boise, for advice in the premises. He immediately replied that he would confer with Governor Ballard, and now writes us the following letter, the sentiments of which we heartily endorse, and persons caught in the actor proven guilty surely deserve they severest punishment.

Headquarters, Fort Boise

August 7, 1866

J. Wasson, Esq. - Dear Sir: Since I wrote you last, I have conferred with Governor Ballard on the subject of the sale of gunpowder to Indians by unprincipled matters, and some pains have been taken to get at some light in the matter plus I am sorry to say without success. It would seem impossible to forge out these unforgivable scoundrels, who, with a full appreciation of the utter baseness of their practice, take careful measures to prevent detection. The governor, therefore, thinks, and in this I agree with him, that the most effective method to put a stop to such practices, if not to detect the criminals, would be to ventilate the subject to the newspapers, and thereby place the entire public on the up, as every good citizen will consider it his duty to be on the side. Very respectfully yours, Theodore J. Eckerson Capt. And A.Q.M., U.S.A **Commanding Post**

Mr. And Mrs. Frank Pierce returned home last Tuesday from a twelve-day visit in Washington and Oregon with relatives including Mr. Pierces's sister, Evan and Walter Stutheit, Sea View, Wash.; Henry Pierce and family, George King and family, Venetia, Ore,; the Jack Pierce family of Junction City and the Jim Pierce family, Elvira, Ore. Enroute home from a few days on the Oregon coast, they visited Mr. And Mrs. Bud Beniot, Bend. Marlene and Jerry Page visited at the Peirce home last Tuesday enroute to vacation on the coast. Stacey Page remained with her grandparents, the Frank Peirces.

Mrs. Glays Leavitt and her sister in law, Mrs. Margie Hausauer, Payette, returned on Aug. 8 from a five weeks' trip to Minnesota where they attended a five generation reunion of the Hausauer family at Ortonville with 160 present. They also visited Mrs. Leavitt's brothers, Elmer, Kenneth, and Glen Hausauer, and her sister, Eleanor Banister, in various parts of central Minnesota. They also visited an aunt, Mrs. Trina Rutherford family reunion there.

stampede parade Sunday evening at the Symms airport.

Mr. And Mrs. Jack Edwards entertained several guests Sunday evening at a barbecue steak fry at their home. Guests present were Shirley Kreiger, physical education teacher at the College of Idaho, Prof. Frank O'Hara and Kay Goegel.

The Everett Larsens and Reed Larsens spent Sunday enjoying the scenes and the cool weather around Cascade.

News about town

Mr. And Mrs. Jasper Rogers of Portland, Pastor and Mrs. H. W. Christian of Caldwell and Mr. And Mrs. Dewey Shultz and daughter Faye of Darrington, Wash., were visitors at the Seventh-day Adventist Church services Saturday.

Mrs. Elsie Trueblood entertained the Monday afternoon Bridge Club at her home Monday with ten members of the club present and Mrs. John Batt as guest. The prize was won by Helen Richards. ELECTION. Monday next, August 13th, the general election in Idaho Territory takes place. Although it is useless to offer a work of caution, we'll do it anyhow. The excessive use of liquor should be avoided; angry disputes which are most certain to lead to painful knock-downs should be guarded against; as men love freedom from prosecutions, they ought to studiously void liberal voting; if challenged submit patiently, for if your are a legal vote the challenge can work no injury, and if not a legal voter, the challenging party is doing his duty and trying to prevent your from perpetrating a crime which might cost you years in the penitentiary; consider that each part has rights at the polls, and as you wish your own respected, pay equal regard to the rights of your opponent.

Baxter Black, DVM



Joe Aman Editor's notebook

Computers can be great machines

Computers can be great machines. Usually.

I have been in the printing trade since the days of hand-set type (invented in the 14th century) and hot lead type (invented in the 1880s). I was in the business when strike-on type, then cold type were first introduced to the industry. I've been through the generation of phototype, too. And, I must admit, the computerized typesetting system is superior to them all.

But all is not perfect. A good example of this imperfectness was displayed in last week's Avalanche. In at least five places in the paper the combination of the letters "ci" changed into an "a" with a squiggly mark above it. ("Principal", for instance, came out "prinapal") with that squiggle above the first "a".)

Still don't know how this happened. After the paper was printed and I saw the fluke, I went into my layout program where the page was designed. It was correct there. But when it came out of the imagesetter (film) machine, it had changed. Some electronic quirk, I guess.

One thing about the hand-set type, if you picked the right letter out of the California type case and placed it in the composing stick, then into the chaise, it would still be that same letter when it was printed.

But I still prefer the electronic method, quirks and all.

Had quite a surprise Saturday evening.

It started with Jim Bish insisting I accompany him on an ATV ride, one of necessity to get GPS readings of the Cow Creek- Jackson Creek area and east to Silver City. He convinced me that these readings were needed for future search and rescue operations. And I bought into it, in spite of the fact I already had most of the readings on my own GPS.

Unknown to me, my better half had arranged it to get me away from home. When we returned, there were about 40 friends and family gathered in our back yard to "honor" my 60th birthday.

Thanks to all who came. You made living so long worth it. (And a special thank you to my bride, who worked so hard to keep it a surprise.)

Wayne Cornell Not important but possibly of interest



This is the first installment of a story that will be continued in future issues of the Owyhee Avalanche. - - -

I'm lucky. I grew up when kids were still allowed to be kids.

While rummaging through the family bookcase on a winter day about 1955, I discovered a book titled "The Story of a Bad Boy," by Thomas Bailey Aldrich. The author described his adventures as a child growing up in a small New England town. It was about his family, friends, and life's lessons learned.

"The Story of a Bad Boy" fascinated me because many of the incidents the writer described paralleled my own experiences up to that point in my life. The primary difference was that his adventures occurred 115 years earlier.

After reading the book several times, I concluded

like miniature adults. Members of my generation were some of the last youngsters allowed to spend their childhoods as children.

I grew up when cars didn't have safety belts or safety seats and nobody wore protective pads to ride a bike. Medicine bottles and kitchen cleaners didn't have child-proof caps and willow switches and leather belts were considered acceptable tools for meting out punishment to misbehaving youngsters. Getting caught "playing doctor" with someone of the opposite sex would have got the participants in hot water but wouldn't have required intervention by the courts or psychiatrists. Still, the vast majority of us managed to survive and went on to lead successful and productive lives.

Many sociologists want us to believe the "traditional American family" never existed -- that

Helping ourselves

common

sense

In the winter of 1983 I was at a PCA meeting in a small country town. America was in a depression, farmers were mortgaged to the hilt and interest rates were 13.5%. The speaker stated flatly to the group of gloomy farmers, "We will never see single digit interest again."

I remember thinking, 'Are we as a nation so weak, so undisciplined, so helpless, that we have condemned ourselves to the fate of bankrupt third world countries?'

I am reminded of that dark night years ago when I see the battle over water in our western United States today. As the population of southern California, Las Vegas and the front range of Colorado and central Arizona grow virtually out of control, enormous pressure is placed on their surrounding fragile ecology and limited water supply. These giant metro centers beckon tourists and businesses. They encourage people to come and settle. They also seem to have no compunction about coopting life-giving water from smaller communities and wild lands hundreds of miles away.

The Imperial Valley, the Arkansas Valley, The San Luis Valley, and Owens Valley are prey in the eyes of the voracious city planners. Yet these same metro-citizens plant huge lawns, trees, golf courses and open spaces. They pump the neighbors' aquifers dry and yet vote down dams in the already civilized canyons near their homes.

I ask myself again, 'Are we not capable of self-discipline?' We squawk like offended geese when the price of gas goes over two dollars a gallon, yet leave ourselves to the mercy of such "allies" as Iraq and Venezuela rather than drill a well in our own backyard or develop nuclear power.

10% of our income goes to food. But we get indignant when the price of beef or blueberries or milk goes up. We demand that we not ship jobs overseas yet we continue to buy at discount stores that voraciously import cheap goods.

Are we as a civilization so beyond the capability of self-restraint in our consumption of the good life, our own bad habits, and our tolerance of depravity that we are doomed to suck ourselves dry and shrivel at the center?

In the gut-wrenching belt-tightening of the early eighties, the United States bit the bullet. Alan Greenspan and Ronald Reagan did the surgery. We have been double digit-interest free for over 20 years.

But do we have leaders of their caliber today? And more importantly, are we as Americans willing to face these giant issues as fellow concerned citizens instead of partisan carpetbaggers?

I look forward to next January when the election bickering is over and we can get down to the business of helping each other put our house back in order.

Do I hear an Amen?

that although the world had changed dramatically in many respects between 1840 and 1955, boys were pretty much the same.

Although I don't pretend to be an expert on today's youth, all one has to do is look around, watch the newscasts and read the headlines to realize most kids and families are different than they were 50 years ago when I was a kid.

So why is life so much different today -especially for kids? We live at a much faster pace now, in a society that seems based on instant gratification. When I was growing up, adults weren't obsessed with acquiring "things." If they had roofs over their heads and enough food on their tables, folks thought life was pretty good. Most had time to sit back and watch their kids do the things kids do. Today's society almost requires kids to act

the "good old days" so many Americans yearn for are figments of bad memories. That's not true. This story is my proof.

Those same social experts may argue that some of the incidents I describe demonstrate what was wrong with those times. Many of the experiences I had as a youth would today be, at the very least, socially unacceptable and at worst, in violation of federal, state or local statutes.

Although the story is told through the eyes of this writer, it could have taken place in any one of hundreds of small towns that existed in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries in America. It is the story of the last generation of youngsters to slip through before the rules changed.

I'm glad I grew up when and where I did. It was a great time to be a kid.

Commentary

Farm Bureau Feds erase another pack

By John Thompson, Director of Information Federal agents cut down another pack of wolves in late July a few miles north of McCall. This is the third consecutive year when the feds have had to step in and turn an entire pack into worm food. While there have been hundreds of other incidents when the feds darted and transported or killed individuals or smaller groups of problem wolves, this unexpected trend of gunning down entire packs raises a number of questions. The question of is this experiment working leads the list, but there are others such as how much is this costing the taxpayer? Those who support wolf reintroduction have got to be wondering whether the loss of one pack per year threatens the long-term viability of this misguided effort.

According to U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service data,

inside the wolf recovery area which includes Idaho, northwest Montana and Wyoming, the number of wolves killed in management activities by federal agents more than doubled from 2001 to 2002.

In the late winter of 2002, the Whitehawk Mountain Pack killed several cattle near the East Fork of the Salmon River. After repeated depredation incidents, federal agents snuffed the entire pack of 10 wolves. In February of 2003 after a string of similar incidents near Avon, Montana, Wildlife Services agents gunned down 12 wolves which they believed to be most of the animals that made up the Castlerock and Halfway packs. Then in April of 2003 a pack of wolves killed over 100 sheep near McCall. Most of the sheep were just killed, not consumed. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service issued shoot on sight permits to the rancher but none of the wolves were seen again - until this summer. Between early June and the end of July nine wolves from the Cook Pack killed over 100 sheep about 20 miles north of McCall. On July 20 each of those nine wolves felt the wallop of a 10-guage shotgun loaded with buckshot.

So this is what wolf management has come to in Idaho. The animals have reproduced to the point where they have saturated available habitat. As more wolves are born each year and the young disperse into new valleys and mountain ranges they inevitably kill more livestock. But they can't dart and transport problem wolves anymore. Wolf management now means killing wolves. We have one federal agency (US Fish and Wildlife) that nurtures and monitors the packs and conducts public relations on their behalf, while a second federal agency (APHIS Wildlife Services) employs helicopters and shotguns to blow wolf hide all over the brush. "We're from the government, we're here to help," was perhaps never a bigger contradiction.

Wolves from Canada were slowly repopulating the northern Rockies before Bruce Babbitt and his ilk decided to intervene. Since they couldn't leave well enough alone, we now have more wolves and more problems than we bargained for. To the federal government officials in charge it's just job security. But to rural Idaho residents, it's just the opposite.



NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING Proposed Budget of Fiscal Year 2004-2005

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Marsing Rural Fire District Commissioners will meet Wednesday, August 11, 2004, at 8 p.m. at the fire station on Main Street to consider the proposed budget for 2004-2005. Such budget may be examined prior to such hearing at the Marsing Rural Fire District Station.

Marsing RURAL FIRE DISTRICT PROPOSED BUDGET October 1, 2004 to September 30, 2005

ANTICIPATED EXPENSES:			
Insurance	8,000		
Gas & Oil	4,000		
Equipment & Repairs	6,983		
Operating & Office Expense	3,516		
Heat, Water, Power	4,846		
Telephones	3,000		
Wages	1,500		
Legal	500		
Building Repair, Maintenance			
& Remodeling	5,000		
Fire School	500		
New Truck Fund	96,441		
New Building Addition	8,678		
Land Purchase	3,950		
Uniform/Equipment	3,525		
Dues	140		
Misc.	<u>3,000</u>		
Total Expenditures	\$153,579		
RECEIPTS:			
Tax Levy	33,137		
Carry Over Funds	120,442		
Total Receipts	\$153,579		
Judith Malmberg			
Secretary/Treasurer			
8/4,11/04			

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Public Notice is Hereby Given, that the Board of Fire Commissioners for the Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire District of Owyhee County. Will hold a tentative budget hearing for the fiscal year 2004-2005.

ANTICIPATED REVENUES	
Cash – Capital Reserve	\$ 12,560
Estimated Sales Tax Surplus	4,800
Ag. Equip. Tax Replacement	1,605
Amount to be raised by taxes	26,482
TOTAL	\$ 45,447
ANTICIPATED EXPENDITRUES	
Operation and Maintenance	\$ 24,700
Equipment and Building	20,747
TOTAL	\$ 45,447
A Hearing is set for Thursday, August 26	, 2004 from 7:00 to 9:00
P.M. at the Murphy Fire Station.	
Charlene Nettleton, Treasurer	
8/11,18/04	

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of qualified voters of the Lizard Butte Library District will be held on the nineteenth of August from 4:30 to 6:00p.m. at the Lizard Butte Library in the said library district, Marsing, Idaho, at which time there will be a public hearing on the maintenance and operation budget for the forthcoming year. This special budget hearing is called pursuant to section 33-2725 of the Idaho Code as amended.

Budget Lizard Butte Library District **October 1, 2004 to September 30, 2005** 2004-2005

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005 (FY 2005) CITY OF GRAND VIEW, IDAHO

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing pursuant to Idaho code 50-1002, will be held for consideration of the proposed budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2004 to September 30, 2005. The hearing will be held at Grand View City Hall (425 Boise Ave), at 7:00pm on Wednesday, August 11, 2004. Copies of the proposed city budget, in detail are available at City Hall during normal business hours. The budget FY 2005 is shown below as FY 2005 expenditures and revenue.

	hours. The budget FY 2005 is shown belo		1	
		FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
	City of Grand View Expenditures	Budget	Budget	Proposed Budget
	Account Payable Name:	City Exp \$8700	City Exp \$8700	City Exp \$8700
	Administration: Auto–Purchase/Maintenance/Gas/Oil	\$8700 600	\$8700 600	2,350
	Backhoe Maintenance	500	500	2,550
	Capital Outlay	2000	1500	1500
	City & City Park Maint: (Portable Restro		1200	1500
	Cleaning/Supplies/Repairs/Maint			
	/Equip/Tools/Parts/City&City			
	Park: Equip/Tools/Parts	2200	2200	2000
	Contingency Fund	1000	2000	2000
	Dues (All)	800	800	950
	Election Supplies	900	900	150
	Engineering/Surveying	2500	2500	2500
	Fire Hydrant/Supplies	800	800	800
	Insurance/Bonds: Workman's Compensat		3000	3000
	Miscellaneous Expenses	1400	1400	500
	Office Sup/Postage/Safe Dep Box Fee Petty Cash	1334 100	1334 100	1500 100
	Professional Services/ Accounting/Legal	2100	2100	2000
	Publication	2500	2500	1400
	Seminars	300	300	300
	Utilities-Power/Phone/Dumpster Service	2500	2500	3000
	Total City Expenditures	\$33,234	\$33,734	\$32,950
		FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
	City Revenues Funds	Budget	Budget	Proposed Budget
_		City Rev	City Rev	City Rev
	City Business Liquor License	1450	1450	1450
	Interest (Invest.Pool/Bank)	150	150	100
e	Miscellaneous Revenue	2000	2000	1800
f	State Liquor Allotment	5800	5800	7000
1	State Revenue Sharing	15000 2000	15000	12000
	State Sales Tax Revenue County Warrant: Grand View Proposed Ta		2000 4684	3300 4824
	City Revenue	\$30,948	\$31,084	\$30,474
	City ite venue	Budget	Budget	Pro-Budget
	City Carry/Over Funds:	City C/O '03	City C/O '04	City C/O '05
	Investment Pool/Bank Interest	2119	2189	2227
	Checking Account	167	461	249
	Total City Carry/Over Funds:	2286	2650	2476
	Total Anticipated City Rev & C/O	\$33,234	\$33,734	\$32,950
		FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
	Street & Road Exp.	Budget	Budget	Proposed Budget
)		St & Rd Exp	St & Rd Exp	ST Exp
	Administration-Payroll Reimbursement	2200	3200	2200
	Wages for Supervisor Wages for Maint. Assistant	3200 11000	11000	3200 11957
-	Auto-Purchase/Maintenance/Gas/Oil	1000	1000	2000
	Backhoe/Mower/Tractor Equip.Maint.	1000	1000	1000
	Capital Outlay	5000	5000	5000
_	Contingency Fund	1000	1000	1000
s f	Miscellaneous Expense	1000	1000	500
	Professional: Accounting/Legal	1300	1300	1300
	Repairs & Maintenance-Streets/Safety	4696	4796	4000
	Signs/Signing	1000	1000	1000
5	Surveying	2000	2000	2000
	Tools & Equipment	1500	1500	500
	Utilities	2000	2000	2000
	Total St & Rd Expenditures	\$35,696	\$35,796	\$35,457
	St & Rd Revenue	FY 2003 Budget	FY 2004 Budget	FY 2005 Proposed Budget
		St & Rd Rev	St & Rd Rev	St & Rd Rev
	HUR-State Highway Users Fund	19500	19600	19000
	Idaho Power Franchise	5000	5000	5600
	Interest (Invest.Pool/Bank)	475	375	375
	Grand View Proposed Tax Levy	0	0	0
	Total St & Rd Revenue	\$5,475	\$5,375	\$24,975
	St & Rd Carry/Over	Budget	Budget	Proposed Budget
		&Rd C/O '03	St&Rd C/O '04	St&Rd C/O '05
	Investment Pool/Bank Interest	8421	8521	8866
	Checking Account	2300	2300	1616
	Total St & Rd Carry/Over Total Anticipated St&Rd Rev & C/O	\$10,721 \$35,696	\$10,821 \$35,796	\$10,482 \$35,457
	The proposed expenditures/revenues/ca			\$35,457 en tentatively approved by
	ine proposed expenditures/revenues/ea			en contact ory approved by

Revenue	2003-2004	2004-2005	
Property Tax	\$36,810.00	\$39,096.00	
State Funds & Other	\$	\$	H
Grants & Matching	\$	\$ 5,000.00	I
Carry over	\$	\$	I
Total	\$36,810.00	\$44,096.00	
	Expenditures		
Rent	\$ 8,400.00	\$ 8,400.00	S
Plant Operations	\$ 4,316.00	\$ 5,175.00	
Library Supplies	\$ 800.00	\$ 1,105.00	I
Book Purchase	\$ 3,529.00	\$ 3,916.00	0
Insurance	\$ 900.00	\$ 900.00	
Election/Legal	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	
Summer Reading/			
Story Time	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	c
Salaries	\$15,765.00	\$16,200.00	a
FICA	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 3,000.00	
Building Fund	\$	\$ 3,000.00	
Literacy Programs	\$	\$ 2,000.00	_
Total	\$36,810.00	\$39,096.00	
Janna Streibel	,	,	
Secretary to the Board			
Lizard Butte Library			
8/11,18/04			

The proposed expenditures/revenues/carry overs for fiscal year 2005 have been tentatively approved by city council and entered in the journal of proceedings. Publications date are Wednesday, August 4, 2004 and Wednesday, August 11, 2004 in the Owyhee Avalanche, Homedale, Idaho.

Helana (Lani) Race

City Clerk/Treasurer

8/4,11/04



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Public notices

NOTICE OF SCHOOL TRUSTEE RECALL ELECTION Joint School District No. 365 Elmore and Owyhee Counties, Idaho

Public notice is hereby given according to law, and the requisite action of the Clerk for the Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 365, Elmore and Owyhee Counties, Idaho, that a school trustee recall election will be held on Tuesday, August 24, 2004.

Only those qualified electors residing in Trustee Zone No. 3 may vote in said election. The purpose of said election will be for or against the recall of Trustee Darrel Agenbroad.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock Noon until 8 p.m. at the following locations:

Grand View Elementary (Owyhee County); George Bennett, Jr. Residence (Elmore County)

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

Qualified electors who expect to be absent from the District August 24, 2004, or who will be unable, because of physical disability or blindness, to go to a polling place, may vote by absentee ballot. Written application for an absentee ballot may be made to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees on a form made available at the District Office, 660 Boise Ave., Grand View, Idaho on Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Such application must be made no later than 4 p.m. Monday, August 23, 2004. Electors applying by mail should submit their requests as soon as possible. The absentee ballot must be received by the Clerk no later than 8 p.m. on the day of election.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Catherine R. Sellman, Clerk 8/11,18/04

CALL FOR BID FOR SCHOOL BUS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Trustees of Bruneau-Grand View School District No. 365, Grand View, Idaho for the purchase of one (1) 72-passenger school bus.

Bid documents and detailed specifications are available at the District Office, P.O. Box 310, Grand View, Idaho 83624, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday until the day of bid opening. Bids must be submitted on or

before 5 pm. On Thursday, September 16, 2004 at the District Office in Grand View, Idaho or hand delivered by 7 p.m., September 16th at Rimrock Jr. Sr. High School for the Board meeting. At the stated time and place, bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject or to select any portion thereof any or all bids and to waive the technicality. No bidder may withdraw a bid after the opening of such bids unless the awarding of the bid is delayed for a period of exceeding thirty days.

Catherine R. Sellman, Clerk Bruneau-Grand View Jt. School District No. 365 <u>8/11,18/04</u>

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

The Homedale Highway District is calling for bids for the seal coating of approximately 7 miles in the district. The bids must be delivered to the secretary on or before September 1, 2004, by 8 p.m., either personally or by mail to: P.O. Box 713, Homedale, Idaho 83628. The sealed bids will be opened at the next regular meeting at the Homedale Highway District office sched-

NOTICE NOTICE IS HERE BY GIVEN, That a public meeting will be held on the 26th day of August, 2004, at 7:00 PM at the Bruneau Valley Library in said Library District at Bruneau, Idaho, at which meeting there will be a public hearing on the maintenance and operation budget for the forthcoming year. The budget hearing is called pursuant to Section 33-2713A Idaho Code as amended. A regular meeting of the Board will follow.

Budget Bruneau Valley District Library				
Oct. 1, 2004 – Sept. 30, 2005				
2003		2004-200		
Balance to be levied on	\$7900	Balance to be levied on	\$8201	
Sales Tax Revenue	1400	Sales Tax Revenue	1500	
AEPTR	936	AEPTR	936	
Unencumbered Funds	100	Unencumbered Funds	100	
Budget	10,336	Budget	10,737	
Payroll Expenses	5700	Payroll Expenses	5700	
Utilities	2000	Utilities	1500	
Insurance	800	Insurance	800	
Continue Ed/mileage	200	Continue Ed/mileage	200	
Election	100	Election/Legal Notices	100	
Expendable/Supplies	250	Expendable/Supplies	275	
Postage	150	Postage	150	
Maintenance/Repairs	200	Maintenance/Repairs	750	
Books	200	Books	200	
Dues/Subscriptions	150	Dues/Subscriptions	100	
Internet Fees	550	Internet Fees	850	
Misc.	36	Misc.	112	
Total Expenditures	\$10,336	Total Expenditures	\$10,737	
Dated this 22 nd day of Jul	Dated this 22^{nd} day of July 2004.			
By Order of the Board of Trustees				

SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 30, 2004, at the hour of eleven o'clock a.m.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S

of a more particular description of the above described real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of 2359 PATCH DITCH ROAD, HOMEDALE, IDAHO, may sometimes be associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made, without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by RANDY HUSTON (also known as RANDY F. PATTON), a single person, and JODI FRANS, a single person, as Grantor, and PIONEER TITLE COMPANY, as Trustee, said Trustee having resigned and ALLIANCE TITLE & ESCROW CORP. having been appointed as Successor Trustee, and WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK FSB, as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been filed of record on October 13, 1998, as Instrument No. 226296, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The naming of the above Grantor(s) is done to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506(4)(a); no representation is made as to the responsibility of Grantor(s) for this obligation.

The default for which the sale is to be made is that no monthly installment payments under a Deed of Trust Note dated October 7, 1998, in the amount of \$689.08 per month, including both principal and interest, for December 2003 and each month thereafter have been made, together with accruing late charges, plus any other charges lawfully due under the note, deed of trust, and Idaho law.

The balance owing as of the date hereof on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is the amount of \$74,247.10 in principal, plus accrued interest at the rate of ten percent (10%) per annum from November 28, 2003, plus late charges through June 2004 in the amount of \$1,002.36, plus service charges, additional late charges, and any other costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure as provided by the Deed of Trust or Deed of Trust Note, or by Idaho law.

Dated this 23 day of July, 2004.

WILLIAM R. SNYDER & ASSOCIATES

of the protest to the applicant. KARL J DREHER, Director <u>8/4,11/04</u>

459-4231

8/11,18/04

NOTICE Pursuant to Idaho Code 25-2301, the State Brand Inspector

is holding one brown gelding,

2-3 years old, found Highway

78 and Wilson Creek roads. He

will be sold at Nampa Livestock

Auction on Sunday 8/22/04. May

be claimed with proof of owner-

ship and paying all expenses.

uled September 1, 2004 at 8 p.m. at 102 E. Colorado Avenue in

For more information, call Rob

Atkins at 337-3500. The Board

of Commissioners reserves the

right to accept the bid deemed

best or to reject any or all bids

NOTICE

Box 742, Eagle ID 83616 filed

application no. 71312 with

IDWR to transfer a water right

with a 1949 priority date from

the Snake River totaling 2.06 cfs.

The purpose of the transfer is to

split the right and add a separate

pump in the river to irrigate a

separate parcel resulting from

the split instead of using the

original pump that served the

entire acreage. The proposed

site is aka Lots 14 and 15,

Block 1, Hidden Valley Estates

Subdivision located four miles

south of Marsing and 1/2 mile

For specific details regarding

Region

visit

or

the application, please contact

Western

www.idwr.state.id.us with detail

provided under "new water right

applications". Protests may be

submitted based on the criteria

of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Any

protest against the proposed

change must be filed with the

Department of Water Resources,

Western Region, 2735 Airport

Wy, Boise ID 83705-5082

together with a protest fee of

\$25.00 for each application on

or before August 23, 2004. The

protestant must also send a copy

east of Hwy 78.

at 208-334-2190

IDWR

Gary L. Thompson of PO

and to waive any technicality.

Homedale.

Terri Uria

Secretary

8/11,18,25/04

Bruneau Valley District Library

Ginny Roeder, Clerk/Kathy L. Mori, Chair

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR AMENDING THE BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2003-2004 CITY OF MARSING, IDAHO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of The City of Marsing will hold a public hearing for consideration of an amendment to the 2004 fiscal year budget appropriating additional monies received the City of Marsing, said hearing to be held at Marsing City Hall Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. on the 10th day of August 2004.

PROPOSED EXPENTIRUES:

Fund Name:	FY01/02Budget Expenditures	FY02/03Budget Expenditures	FY03/04Budget Expenditures	FY2004Increase Over Original Appropriation
General Fund:				
General Fund Total	s: \$309,306	\$134,160	\$144,398	\$268,275
	PF	ROPOSED REVEN	UE	
Fund Name:	FY01/02Budget	FY02/03Budget	FY03/04Budget	FY2004Increase
General Fund:				
General Fund Total	s: \$309,306	\$134,160	\$144,398	\$268,275
At said hearing any interested person may appear and show cause, if any he has, why such proposed				
appropriations ordinance amendment should or should not be adopted.				
DATED this 5 th day of August, 2004.				
Janice C. Bicandi, City Clerk-Treasurer				
8/11,18/04				

of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located at the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, Murphy, Owyhee County, Idaho, the Trustee, Alliance Title & Escrow Crop., 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 sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

In Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, Section 8: That portion of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter lying South of the Patch Canal of the Gem Irrigation District.

The Trustee has no knowledge

A Professional Association By: Mark D. Perison, of the Firm

Attorneys for Trustee William R. Snyder & Associates, P.A. P.O. Box 2338 Boise, ID 83701-2338 (208) 336-9080 13989272 <u>8/4,11,18,25/04</u>



Public notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Wednesday, November 10, 2004 at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A.M., of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, Murphy, Owyhee County, Idaho,

Alliance Title & Escrow Crop., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashiers check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of sale), money order, State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:

The North one-half of Lots 15 and 16 of Block 4 of the Amended Townsite Plat of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, filed August 9, 1911 as No. 7284 on file and of record in the office of the Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho.

THÉ TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICUALR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SEC-TION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: 407 N. 6th, St. W., Homedale, ID 83628, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.

If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price be means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 at. Sec.

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 Pedro Hernandez and Rosa Hernandez, husband and wife, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of United States of American acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, Untied States Department of Agriculture (formerly Farmers Home Administration or Rural Economic & Cummunity Development) as Beneficiary, recorded May 17, 1995 as Instrument No. 215668, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO **COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-**1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPON-SIBLE FOR THIS OBILGA-

TION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to:

Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$54,000.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 8.00% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated May 17, 1995. Payments are in default for the months of October of 2003 through and including May of 2004 in the amount of \$570.03 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The balance now due is \$58,348.93 in Principal; Interest is \$3,401.80, subsidy granted is \$1,455.96 principal reduction attributed to subsidy is \$0.00, and fees currently assessed are \$1.678.63 computed through June 9, 2004 with interest accruing thereafter at the daily rate of \$13.091. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.

And the balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$59,804.89, excluding interest and costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

Dated: July 8, 2004

Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer

Phone No. (208) 947-1553 ATF4990402957-BO 7/28-8/4,11,18/04

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 23rd day of November, 2004, at the hour of 10:00 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 American, 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 14, EXCEPTING THEREFROM the East 12 1/2 feet and all of Lots 15 and 16 of Block 58 of the AMENDED TOWNSITE PLAT OF HOME-DALE, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the Plat thereof filed August 9, 1911 as No. 7284 on file 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 according to the County Assessors office,

the address of **31 West Oregon Avenue, Homedale,** 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 PAUL J NORMAN AND BECKI NORMAN, 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 ACTION MORTGAGE COMPANY, as beneficiary, recorded August 31, 2001, as Instrument No. 236932, and assigned to WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA., successor in interest to Homeside Lending, Inc., as beneficiary by assignment recorded November 8, 2001, as Instrument No. 237778, 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 OBILIGATION.

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 \$652.48, due per month for the months of February through June, 2004 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a monthly late charge accruing at \$26.10, uncollected late charges are due in the amount of \$235.52, with interest accruing at 7% per annum, and continuing to accrue from January 1, 2004. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$80,713.38, 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: July 16, 2004 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE



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

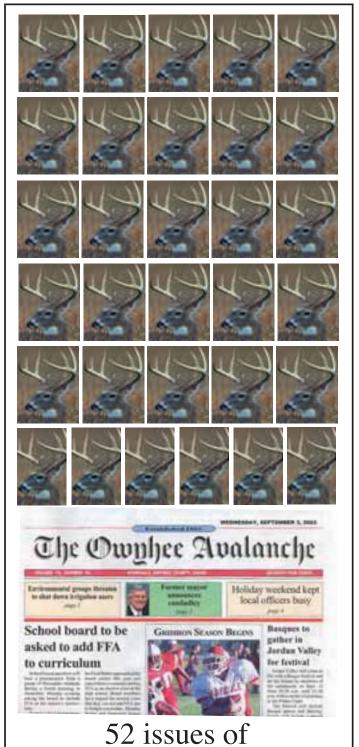
Bedroom set 5-piece cherry set. Brand new in box. List \$1450. Must sell \$399. 208-888-1464 Bed-queen pillowtop mattress set. Brand new, still in plastic. Must sell \$159. Queen orthopedic set. Brand new, must sell \$129. 208-866-7476

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COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC. BY Elishia M Ricky, Trust Officer

FA-18184/bbm-wmh First American Title Company of Idaho

Trust Dept. 1-208-375-0455 8/4,11,18,25/04

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Wilder very nice remodeled 2 bdrm house for sale by owner



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Gardeners & Farmers Market. This week cucumbers, tomatoes, sweet peppers, corn, beans, beets. First Presbyterian Church, 6th & Washington – Sunday morning 7:30 till 11am.

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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.

Daycare 2 FT openings.

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.

Our printing business continues to grow! Taking applications for full-time and part-time help. Applications available at Owyhee Publishing, Homedale. **Idaho Sporting Clays** is taking applications for part-time help,

must be 16 yrs or older. 250-8982 Calf Feeder wanted. P/T work

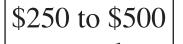
morning & night year round employment. Experience preferred but not necessary. Female preferred, must have transportation. Owyhee Dairy, Homedale. 337-4226

National Janitorial Company seeking self motivated, team members for P/T employment. Please call 724-3016.

Bruneau-Grand View Joint School District No. 365 will be accepting applications for the following position for the 2004-2005 school year: Dishwasher-P/T at Rimrock High School. This position shall be consider in all respects "employment at will". For applications call the school district office in Grand View, 834-2253. Position open until filled.

Marsing S.D. #363 is accepting apps for: (1) ed asst at the E.S. and (1) ed asst at the M.S. 7 hrs p/d, all student days, Associate degree or ability to pass State of Idaho Assessment for Paraprofessionals, bilingual highly preferred. Call 896-4111 ext 197 for more info.

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