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Travel delays

Travelers line up in front of a portable traffic light to cross the Snake River Bridge in Marsing last week. Motorists will continue to experience delays to cross the bridge until about mid November as the Idaho Transportation Department makes necessary

Bridge work delays travel on Highway 55 at Marsing

Work on the Snake River Bridge in Marsing will continue to delay traffic at least until November as Idaho Transportation Department crews work on several repair projects.

spokesman from

ITD said traffic has been reduced from two lanes to one and are being guided by temporary traffic signals as crews are working on bridge deck, expansion joint, and handrail and guardrail repairs. He said

the project is expected to be completed by mid November.

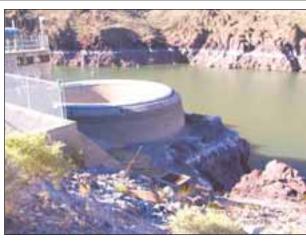
He said the project will cost about \$183,000 and the work is being done by Mcalain Construction of Boise.

Pursuit ends with one arrest

A pursuit that interrupted a Homedale football game Friday night ended with one arrest and a citation to a 15 year-old male from Wilder. Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller said the pursuit ended on the hill just above the Deward Bell stadium as the Homedale Trojans were playing the Nampa Christian Trojans. He said the Nampa Christian team assisted in the location of the driver who was hiding under a pickup bed.

The pursuit began on 6th Street and Nevada Avenue when officers received a complaint of a reckless driver. But when the Homedale officer attempted a traffic stop, Alberto Angeles, 19 of Wilder, tried to flee the scene. Eidemiller said the pursuit traveled through the town on residential streets and speeds exceeded 70 miles per hour.

"The suspect traveled down a alley for an es-— to page **5**



Glory hole

The glory hole at Owyhee Dam sits far above the water as levels continue to drop. But that did not hinder holiday vacationers who flocked to the reservoir for the final holiday weekend of the summer.

City ordinance to fine "water stealers"

An ordinance passed by the Homedale City Council during a meeting late last month, will fine "irrigation stealers" triple the amount past due on their irrigation bill, but not over \$300. The ordinance establishes that "no person shall take, divert, appropriate, turn on, or use in any way irrigation water provided to properties located within the city of Homedale if their irrigation bill is not current on payments."

The ordinance, which goes into effect after publication, was approved by council members after being notified that the city is carrying over \$32,000 in past due irrigation bills. Mayor Paul Fink said the city had to "write off" thousands of dollars in late irrigation bills because of discrepancies in the city's book keeping. He said many

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Sheriff's office to crack down on drunk drivers

by Cheryl Beeson

As of August 28, the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office has been investigating or been involved in fatal accidents on county roadways. Nine of those accidents have been determined to be alcohol related. Six of those accidents involved a death of which five have been determined to be alcohol or drug related. The sixth accident is still under investigation and toxicology reports are not back on it yet.

County sheriff Gary Aman said last week that he has had enough. As of last week his office had

begun DUI and drug saturation patrols with the assistance of the Idaho State Police. Deputies and state patrolmen began their effort the investigation of 29 injury or on the roadways of the Bruneau-Grand View area.

> "Something has to be done," Aman said. "People do not seem to realize the impact alcohol and drugs have on our society. I am not sure if people just think they can get away with it or that a serious accident cannot happen to them. I know there is a sense of belief that it is okay to get drunk and drive or to allow kids to go out and drink. Just a couple of weeks ago we had a fatal acci-

ple who went to the funeral went is just not sinking in."

he is also going after speeders and people not wearing seat belts. He said traffic violations are a huge problem in the county and he wants to send a warning to anyone breaking them.

"If you look at the statistics it bears it all out," Aman explained. "If we had some bio-terrorism chemical that killed this many people in the county there would be a demand that it be stopped.

dent involving alcohol and peo- However it seems it is acceptable for people to get high or drunk home after drinking too much. It and cause accidents that kill and people just turn their heads. But Aman is not only going to Hopefully, we can make a difstop at alcohol or drug violations, ference and slow down the rate our citizens and other innocent people are being killed or hurt."

Most states in the nation saw a drop in drunk driving fatalities, but in Idaho, the increases have been dramatic. About 10,000 DUI offenders are caught in Idaho every year.

June, July and August are the months when Idaho State Police say they see the most alcohol re-

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Injury

A vehicle lies on its side on Con Shea Basin Road. Alcohol had been determined to be a contributing factor in the

Joe Black inducted into rodeo hall of fame

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lated crashes.

"This is the time of year we typically see this," says Rick Ohnsman of the Idaho State Police. "Be on the look-out for these people. If you can tip us off, and tell us that you have spotted what you think is a drunk driver, that's a great help to us," Ohnsman said. "If you're in your car and see someone driving as if they're impaired, dial star ISP."

That's what the Idaho State Police REDDI line is for – to "Report Every Drunk Driver Immediately."



Fatality

Dennis Murdoch, 57 of Oreana, was killed in this single vehicle accident on Jan. 11 this year. The accident happened at mile marker 52 on Highway 78. Murdoch's blood alcohol level was nearly three times the legal limit of .08. Photo submitted.

Driving under the influence

Those killed or injured this year

The list of people injured or killed in drug or alcohol related car accidents in the county this year is much higher than it has been in years past, county sheriff Gary Aman said. The following is those who were injured or killed on Owyhee County roads.

Jan. 11, Dennis Murdoch, 57 from Oreana, killed in a single vehicle accident at mile marker 52 on Highway 78. Murdoch's blood alcohol level was .23

March 10, Elton Eugene Gifford, 71 of Nampa, killed in a single vehicle accident at mile marker 25 on Highway 95. Gifford was not intoxicated, but the driver of the vehicle is suspected to have been under the influence of prescription drugs. Two additional people were in the vehicle and were transported to local hospitals.

March 31, Christina Kober, 25 of Grand View was injured in a single vehicle accident on Riverside Ave. in Grand View after she hit a power pole. Kober's blood alcohol level was .15. She was cited for driving under the

influence.

May 10, Mountain Home Air Force Airman Tana Preston, 19, originally from Sacramento, Calif. died in a single vehicle accident while riding in a vehicle with Airman First Class Zachary Chotia, 18. The accident is being investigated for drugs and Chotia could be charged with vehicular manslaughter.

May 15, Matthew James Abrams, 21 of Baker City, Oregon, and an unidentified female passenger were injured on Trout Creek Road near Jordan Valley. Alcohol was involved. Reports state that medical records have been subpoenaed, but they have not been returned as of print.

May 30, Jennifer Ann Meredith, 30 from Nampa was injured in a single vehicle accident on Highway 95 and Jump Creek. Meredith's blood alcohol level was a .21

June 4, Ryan Paul Marshall, 18 from Nampa and an underage passenger were transported to a Boise hospital by air ambulance with injuries from a single vehicle accident on ConShea Basin road. Marshall's records have been subpoenaed, but have not been received by the sheriff's

office yet. The passenger had a blood alcohol content of .10 was cited and released to parents.

Aug. 1, five people were injured in a chain reaction accident on Highway 55 one mile west of Marsing. Seventy five year old Lawrence Walker of Marsing admitted to drinking "two to three small" glasses of red beer.

Aug. 6, Merci Marcel Garity, 32 of Reno, Nevada was killed on Highway 51 at mile marker 22 in a single car roll over. Drugs were found on the scene.

Aug. 19, Phillip Pat Rahn, 28 of Grand View was killed on Highway 78 at mile marker 55 when he turned in front of a semi truck attempting to pass him. Rahn's blood alcohol results have not been returned yet, but records from the Idaho State Police state that alcohol was found at the scene. He left behind a wife, a four-year old son and a two-year-old daughter.

Aug. 28, Antonio Reyes, 38 of Caldwell was killed in a one-vehicle accident on Highway 78 at mile marker 43.. His passenger was injured and transported to a local hospital. Reports show that drugs were found on Reyes' body.



Looking for the big one

A fly fisherman stands in the Owyhee River below the dam Monday morning looking for the one that got away. Fishermen and recreationalists flocked to the reservoir for a final weekend outing.



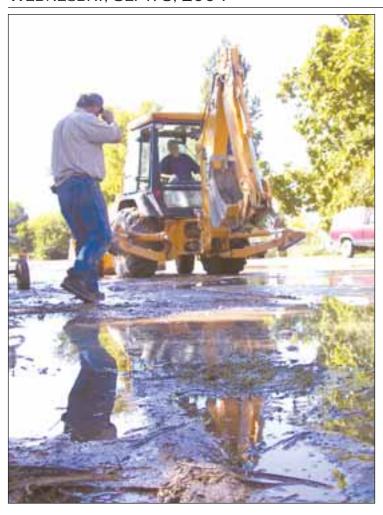
Picnic planned to help cancer victim

Members of the Homedale Friends Community Church will host an old fashioned picnic in the park Sept. 19 at 1 p.m. The gathering is a fundraiser to help offset rising medical costs for the Pastor's wife who suffers from cancer.

The Root Family at the City Park will provide musical entertainment. Picnic games and a bake sale will also be available for those who attend.

The ticket cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for kids 3-11. Donations can be made by sending checks to "Martha Beck," Box 95, Homedale, Idaho 83628. For more information, call 337-3464 or 337-6073.





Water-main burst

Maintenance crews from the City of Homedale prepare to dig up a water mainline on Owyhee Avenue last week. The burst line shut down the city's water supply for several hours and caused water damage to two homes.

Burst water line leaves city dry

A burst water main pipe burst last week and left the City of Homedale dry for several hours. The pipe broke near the Friends Church on Montana Avenue and 5th Street W. It went thousands of gallons of water down the street and into yards across from the break.

Homedale Mayor Paul Fink said last week that since replacing the water tower in the city and a new well, some of the pipes are not handling the increased pressure due to age of the lines. He said replacing the pipes is something the city will need to look at over the coming year.

"We have fought this pipe line several times," Maintenance Supervisor Larry Bauer said from the scene. "We won't know what we have until we get all of the water out."

Crews turned off the supply of water to the city and kept the water from damaging homes near the scene. Fink said if the break had happened during the night, the city may not have been so lucky.

"We are pursuing grants to help with replacing this line," Fink said. "If we can't get grant money, we may have to look into taking a loan. We have to do something."

Fink said the subject would be discussed during a city council meeting Wednesday night.

Catholic Church offers religious education

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church will kick off another year of religious education in Homedale for children kindergarten through sixth grade.

Music, Bible stories, catechism, a snack and Christian fellowship are offered the first three Mondays of every month. Other programs offered on early release days are snack, music, crafts and games. Children can ride the bus from the elementary and middle schools right to the church.

The first class will begin on Sept. 13 at 1:45 p.m. as it is an early release day. Regular religious education will begin at 3:30 p.m. and will end at 4: 45 p.m.

Following the first meeting, a potluck dinner and a meeting will be held at 5 p.m. It will be a time for discussion, meeting

the new Pastor, Father Francisco Flores and asking questions. Those attending are asked to bring a main dish to share.

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County issues 52 residential building permits so far this year

So far this year, 52 residential building permits have been issued in Owyhee County, 31 for stick built homes and 21 for manufactured homes. Twelve commercial permits for new non-residential construction, commercial or commercial alterations have been issued compared to two for all of last year. Last year 47 permits for stick built homes were issued and 32 for manufactured homes.

In Homedale, City Clerk Susan Mansisidor said although she does not have a breakdown of the building permits, 29 total permits were purchased last year and 23 of those were for new businesses or residences. So far this year, 23 permits have been purchased and 19 of those are for new residences or businesses.

Marsing has not issued any new commercial building permits, but has issued one commercial alterations permit. Only two residential permits were issued, one for a stick built home and one for a manufactured home.

Last year, the city issued three permits for stick built homes, one for a manufactured home and one for a commercial alteration. No new commercial permits were issued last year.

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A free lunch is provided followed by a speaker. In addition books following the theme of

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the speaker are purchased for announced at a later date. patrons use. This was the fifth such program with attendance of 36 for some programs.

Past speakers have included: Thomas Couch with Owyhee County Historical Society, Arthur Hart on "Ethnicity in Idaho," Whitney McKinney on "Native Americans in Southwest Idaho," and John Bieter on "Basques in Idaho".

There will be two more programs funded by the grant. The next program is September 22 at noon. The speaker will be Sandra Schackel on "Hub of the Wheel: Ranch & Farm Women in the Rural West". This program includes a slide show and information from interviews with ranch and farmwomen. The last program is still being planned and will be

For more information or to RSVP to attend the next programs call the Bruneau Valley Library at 845-2131. The Bruneau Valley Library is open Tuesday or Thursday between 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Former Nampa officer joins HPD staff

Mike Flores from the Caldwell area has joined the officers at the Homedale Police Department and said he comes with many years of experience. Flores replaced Rob Cook who took a job in Boise.

Flores was hired to the department on Aug. 3 after taking a short leave from law enforcement to pursue a different career. But Flores said he was not happy being away from the streets and chose to come back to what he loves to do.

"It is about education," Flores said Tuesday morning. "I worked for Caldwell Police Department of several years before I joined the staff at Nampa Police Department."

Flores said he left law enforcement for a short time to pursue computer repair, but he was not happy being away from the public.

"I enjoy the people," Flores said. "I like educating people. I think it is important for law enforcement to educate the public."



Mike Flores

The officer said he feels domestic violence is a issue in the Homedale area and he hopes to be able to educate the public about their options. He has a brother who works part time as a reserve officer. Flores said he brings experience to the

"Being bi-lingual is a bonus," Flores said. "I have also been a tactical member for several years. I have had my foot in the door for many

He was a reserve in Homedale many years ago before working for Caldwell. He also spent four years as Skyview High School's resource officer. He said he lives in Canyon County and enjoys spending time with his daughter and two sons.



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√ Pursuit

cape route, and fortunately the driver's lack of experience and lack of knowledge of the city, he entered an alley that did not have an exit," Eidemiller said. "One of the suspects was caught after about a 100 yard foot pursuit and Angeles was found under a pickup bed above the football field."

Eidemiller said Nampa Christian football players could see where Angeles was hiding and announced to officers his location. Eidemiller said he wanted to thank those who helped in the arrest.

"We received assistance from the announcer at the game," Eidemiller said. "The act was very dangerous. It was absolute stupidity on the part of the driver. The troubles he had were nothing compared to what he is facing now."

Angeles was arrested for driving under the influence, driving without privileges and felony eluding.

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people were billed incorrectly, payments were not posted and some were never billed. He said currently nearly everyone has been notified of their past due accounts and now it is time to start collecting.

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Marsing grad to receive national FFA degree

Nick Usabel of Marsing will receive the American FFA Degree at the 77th National FFA Convention in Louisville, Kentucky on Oct. 30. The award is the highest degree awarded by the National FFA Organization.

The award will recognize Usabel's demonstrated leadership abilities and outstanding achievements in agricultural business, production, processing and service programs.

Usabel is the son of Joe and Jody Usabel of Marsing and is attending the University of Idaho where he is majoring in agriculture education. He is a member of the Marsing FFA Chapter under the direction of advisor Jason Nettleton.

Usabel has been involved in FFA for four years and Nettleton said he is a very active member. He has served on several committees as a member and a chairperson. He was chapter reporter from 200-2001 and served as president from 2001-2003. He also served as the Boise Valley District Sentinel his senior year and has received many awards in FFA. He was awarded the Greenhand Degree, Star Greenhand award, Chapter Degree, Star Chapter Farmer award, Idaho FFA State Degree and the Deklab Agriculture Accomplishment award.

His Supervised Agriculture Experience (SAES) included taking market beef to the Owyhee County Fair, a farming partnership of 56 acres with his brother, Cody and working for the Usabel Ranch.

Nick has not only achieved academic excellence at Marsing High School, but he has also been an invaluable leader of the Marsing FFA and the FFA organization," Nettleton said. "Furthermore, Nick is a highly motivated individual and has very high expectations of himself. He is a very detailed oriented person and is always willing to learn."

He has served as freshman class secretary, sophomore class vice-president, and junior class president. His senior year he served as the Associated Student Body vice-president. He was also a member of the Wilson Butte 4-H club.

Final hunter education class start this month

The final hunter education class for this year will be offered on Sept. 21 through Oct. 2. Young hunters 11 years old and up are required to attend an education class before they are allowed to purchase a hunting licenses. Parents are encouraged to attend with their children.

The classes are held at the Owyhee County Armory at 432 Nevada Ave. Classes will be held on Sept. 21, 23, 28 and 30 from 6 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. On Saturday Sept. 25 the class will be from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. and on Oct. 2 the class will he held at 9 a.m. at a gun range.

For more information, contact Walt Rost at 337-3535 or call 989-3152.

Girl Scouts looking for coats

Winter is approaching, and no one should have to go without such a basic necessity as a coat!

Again this year, Girl Scouts of Silver Sage Council is collecting clean, reusable coats and jackets to assist the One Warm Coat community service effort. Coats of all sizes are welcome and children's sizes are most needed. One Warm Coat is dedicated to distributing reusable coats, free of charge, directly to local children and adults. The program is a wonderful way for you and your family to pass along coats and jackets that you no longer need.

You may give your clean, reusable coats and jackets to your neighborhood Girl Scout or drop them off at any Westco Martinizing location now through October 30th. All donated coats will be given to the Boise Rescue Mission.

Last winter Treasure Valley Girl Scout Troops collected more than 600 coats last winter for the community. The goal for this winter is to collect more than 1,000 coats and jackets.

One Warm Coat is a community service effort assisting in the collection and distribution

of clean, reusable coats and jackets to individuals free of charge. Last year more than 45,000 coats were collected in 30 states

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Obituaries

Michiko "Michi" Kubosumi

Michiko "Michi" Kubosumi, 73, of Homedale, passed away on Monday, August 30, 2004 at her home with her family at her side. Memorial services were held on Friday, September 3 at 11:00 AM at the Friends Community Church in Homedale with Pastor Bill Linge of Worldwide Church of God officiating. Services are under the direction of Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Homedale.

Michi was born in Marysville, California on November 3, 1930 to Tsurukichi and Tami Tanabe. She attended San Jose High School and graduated



in 1947. Michi then entered the 3-year Nurses Training Program O'Connor Hospital in San Jose, CA where she became a Registered Nurse. She continued her education at UC Berkley where she received her Public Health Nurse Certificate in 1954. For a

brief time, Michi worked as a public health nurse for Santa Clara County Visiting Nurses Assoc. until she met and married George Kubosumi on March 14, 1955. they were married in Las Cruces, New Mexico where George was stationed with the U.S. Army. In 1956, the couple moved to Homedale where they farmed until retirement.

Michi was an active member of the Worldwide Church of God. She was a quiet servant of the Lord. She helped children in the 2nd

grade with their reading skills and helped prepare food for the After-School Program. She enjoyed watching her grandchildren grow and supported them in all of their activities. She was their greatest fan and loved them dearly. She enjoyed quilting and spent countless hours making quilts for each of her grandchildren and family. Michi was a wonderful cook. She would cook for anyone at any time. Her garden was also her joy; sharing fresh vegetables and berries with her friends and family as well as her wonderful canned goods.

The family would especially like to thank Itsie, Ethel and June for their love, support and prayers during Michi's illness and to the staff at Horizon Hospice who helped the family through Michi's last days and hours. What a blessing you have been.

Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, Lori and Stuart Emry of Homedale; two brothers, Arthur and Yoshio of San Jose, CA: three sisters, Grace Tanabe and Toshiko Ono of San Jose, CA; and Sumi Kondo of Santa Clara, CA; two grand-children, Austin and Deena Emry of Homedale; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, a daughter, Susan a sister and two brothers.

The family suggests memorials to Horizon Home Health and Hospice, 900 N. Linder, Meridian 83642 or to the charity of your choice.

"Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things. I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!"

Robert 'Bob' Paxton

Another veteran has earned his wings into heaven. Robert L. "Bob" Paxton, 77, of Homedale, died Tuesday, Aug. 24, 2004, at home surrounded by his family and friends. His family hosted a celebration of his life at the Marsing Community Center on Aug. 27. Private interment with military honors was held at Marsing-Homedale Cemetery under the direction of Dakan Funeral Chapel, Caldwell.

Bob was born on Sept. 19, 1926, to George and Mary Edyth Paxton in Central Cove, Idaho. He was the youngest of 13 children. He attended high school in Caldwell but because of gas rationing had to finish in Homedale where he graduated in 1944. He helped his father harvest the fall crops and in November of 1944 he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served as a radio operator aboard a destroyer minesweeper in the South Pacific. Bob and his shipmates toured the ruins of Nagasaki seven days after the bomb was dropped. His ship, the USS Quick





Florence Chadez of Homedale on Nov. 13, 1949. He farmed until 1959 and then drove truck until 1964 when he started working for the Wilder post office as a letter carrier. He retired from the Nyssa Post office in 1993 and spent the remaining years growing grapes, corn, watermelons and cantaloupes. never sold a single melon or canta-

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After his discharge

in June of 1946 he

attended the College of Idaho for

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Bob

loupe but hundreds were given away every summer. Governor Cecil Andrus presented Bob with the American Legion's Outstanding Legionnaire for Idaho after he served as department Vice-Commander for 1973-74.

Bob is survived by his best friend, Florence Paxton of Homedale; brothers, George (Helene) of El Paso, TX and Ben Maxine of Abilene, TX; his daughter, Colleen Lowder of Homedale; sons, Bob (Cathi) of Boise, Matt (Brenda) of Homedale and Jim (Kym) of Caldwell. Bob is also survived by his grandchildren, John, Tony, Mike, Roger, Mark, Eli, Daria, Jessica, McKenzie, Kellee, Kerree and Kasee and 13 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and 10 of his siblings.

Bob's great loves were his family, animals, Church and God.

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Births

Joseph Cy Aman

Joseph Cy Aman was born to Sheree McCoy and Mark Aman of Homedale at 5:28 p.m. on September 2, 2004. Cy weighed seven pounds two ounces, measuring 20 inches.

Paternal grandparents are Joe Aman of Homedale and Naomi Aylward of El Paso, TX.

Maternal grandparents are Wayne and Delores Mittelstedt of Nampa, ID

Paternal great grandmother is Virginia Aman of Murphy.

Justin Steele Bullard

Justin Steele Bullard was born to Erin and Joe Bullard of Homedale on June 17, 2004 at 6:54 a.m. He weighed 6 pounds and was 18 inches long.

Justin's paternal grandmother is Sandra Matlock of Parma and his maternal grand parents are Ruben and Judy Garcia of Homedale. His maternal great grandparents are Beth and Wes Butherus.

Rhiannon Audrey Violet McDowell

Rhiannon Audrey Violet was born to Kathleen and Mike McDowell on Aug. 24, 2004 at 8:08 p.m. in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania.

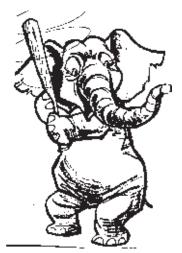
Rhiannon weighed seven pounds and was 20 inches long. She joins a brother, Quinlan.

Her maternal grandparents are Eleanor and Robert Widger of Murphy and her maternal great-grandmother is Violet Yost of Tacoma, Washington.

Her paternal grandparents are Ted and Debbie McDowell of Elkton, Maryland.



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Historical Society plans September trips

The Owyhee County Historical Society has planned several trips for the month of September from visiting the site of Fort Lyons to touring the Elkhorn Loop Historical and Mining Tour in Baker City, Oregon.

The first trip of the month will be held on Sept. 11 and everyone is asked to meet at the Cow Creek Road junction on Highway 95 at 9 a.m. The society will be visiting several private ranches in the area.

Coordinators said the group would see the site of Fort Lyons, the earliest Army fort in the Owyhee region. They will visit several historic ranches including the homestead of Owyhee County historian and author Mildretta Adams and her husband Walt.

From the Adams homestead, the group will see the site of the 1930's era gold dredging, which recently has been reclaimed into a wetland habitat area. The tour will also visit the pioneer Wagontown Cemetery, situated on a secluded knoll over looking Jordan Creek.

For more information, call the OCHS Museum, 495-2319, or the trip leader, Jim Hyslop, 466-

On Sept. 12, the group will gather at the DeLamar Bridge at 10 a.m. to assist the Owyhee Pioneer Cemetery District clear weeds and brush. Coordinators said the district's funds cannot afford all the needed clean up of the historic cemetery.

The cemetery is relatively inaccessible, but transportation will be arranged to the site. Those attending are asked to bring food and table service for the noon potluck, wear sturdy shoes, bring gloves, and prepare to work.

OCHS helped the Owyhee Pioneer Cemetery District with the Ruby City cemetery several years ago, and felt their efforts were very worthwhile. The day will conclude with a tour of the DeLamar town site.

For more information, call the Museum, 495-2319, or the trip leader, Nick Ihli, 495-2537.

On Sept. 25, the tour will meet in Baker City, Oregon at exit 304, second Baker exit, turn left under the freeway and meet at



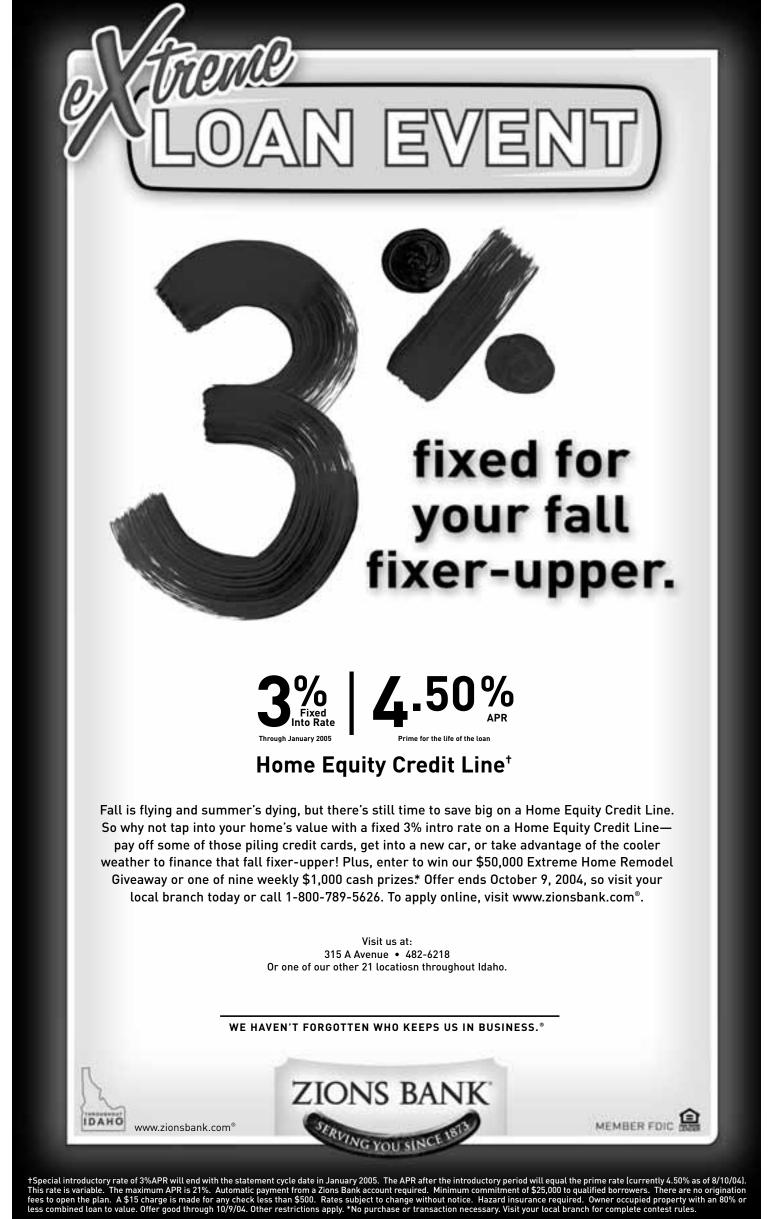
8:30 a.m. Pacific Daylight Time or 9:30 a.m. Mountain Standard Time. Historical Society team leader Andy Anderson has arranged a ride one way on the Sumpter Valley Narrow Gauge Steam Railroad. After a couple McEwen Station at 10 a.m. Those who wish to take the train will be charged \$7 for adults, \$6 for senior citizens or \$16 for a family.

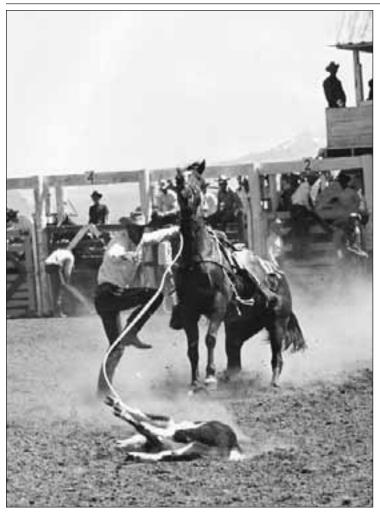
It is also recommended that those attending spend an extra

the green caboose on the right at of stops, the tour will be at the day in Baker so they can see the gold display at the US Bank a crossed from the Geiser Grand Hotel. Other points of interest include the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center, where golden age and other federal passes are accepted, the Oregon Trail Region-

al Museum, the Leo Alder home and the Geiser Grand Hotel.

For more information on the railroad, call (541) 894-2268. For more information or the OCHS fieldtrip, call the museum, 495-2319 or Anderson, 375-8785.





Roper Joe Black ropes a calf during a Jordan Valley Rodeo.

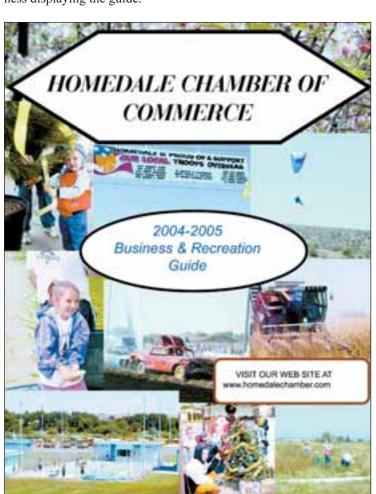
City recreation and business guide now available

The City of Homedale now has a recreation and business guide that will be distributed to residents as well as anyone else who may have an interest in the city.

The Homedale Recreation and Business guide is a collection of information pertaining to sites, businesses and activities in the city as well as a collection of information on surrounding attractions. Five thousand copies have been printed and will be available at many local businesses as well as city hall.

The Homedale Chamber of Commerce collected the information for the guide, which includes advertisements, a full list of local businesses with addresses and phone directories and several feature articles on the city government, schools and city services.

To receive a copy, contact a member of the chamber or a local business displaying the guide.



Former Bruneau man inducted into rodeo hall of fame

A former Bruneau cowboy was inducted into the Idaho Legends of Rodeo during a special ceremony reunion in Gooding last month. Six Idaho legends were honored as a way to recognize the contributions of many of the men and women who have made an impact on the sport of rodeo in Idaho. The Legends of Rodeo began in 2000.

Joe Black was born to a life of rodeos and still at the age of 76, he is an experienced contender at local rodeos around the Northwest.

Black was born in Bruneau and is a third generation of ropers as his father and grand father both roped in whatever contests they could attend. The family spent their summers in the Owyhees caring for their cattle and running horses. Joe was practically born on a horse.

At the age of 21, Joe married his life long sweetheart Margaret Fenwick from Jordan Valley and began attending local rodeos. He later competed in southern Idaho, Oregon and Nevada where he has won many events.

Margaret and Joe raised eight sons and a daughter on their ranch in Indian Cove and although the couple has since retired, they still help their sons on the Mule Shoe Ranch in Hammett. Since the union, more than 20 grandchildren have been added to the family as well as two great grandchildren.

Family members said he has raised cattle most all of his life.

Those who know Joe and Margaret say the couple made the troubles in life a game for their family. Their daughter Celia said her dad always wore a smile and he never met a stranger. Celia said while her dad and brothers were roping, Margaret was quilting and raising miniature horses.

"He team ropes with grand kids now," Celia said. "He made everything fun. He turned everything we did into a game. Clean-ups were always who could do it the fastest. Everything

Wilder man graduates Navy Hospital man Apprentice

Navy Hospital man Apprentice Josue A. Schwarz, son of Isabel A. and Mike A. Schwarz of Wilder, recently graduated from the Basic Hospital Corps School at Naval Hospital Corps School, Great Lakes, Ill.

Schwarz also received an introductory instruction for service in a variety of medical environments, from fleet hospitals and shipboard medical departments to fleet Marine forces and medical administration offices.

Schwarz is a 2002 graduate of Homedale High School of Homedale, Idaho and joined the Navy in March 2004.

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Celia said he was inducted into the livestock hall of fame in the 1980s. He has won the Big Loop contest in Jordan Valley.

Dan Gorrell of Gooding, Deb

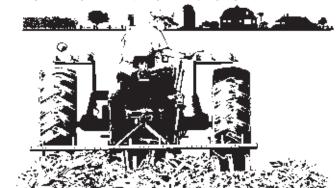
Copenhaver, Louie Vaughn of Richfield, Bob Schild and Kay Hunt of American Falls were also inducted on Aug. 11. The reunion was held at the Gooding Rodeo Grounds on Aug. 19-21.



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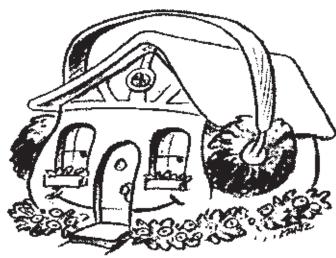




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Fan club hosts "meet the Trojans"

The Homedale Fan Club hosted a "meet the Trojans" breakfast on Aug. 28 at the high school cafeteria. Approximately 200 students and adults attended the event.

Caldwell Mayor Garrett Nancolas spoke to the group and reminded them of the importance of community pride and spirit.

"We would just like to thank all of the local businesses that helped to support the event and with their donations," Coordinators said. "We also want to thank the fan club members and parents for all of their work to make this event a success."

The next fan club meeting will be held on Sept. 12 at 7 p.m. at the high school cafeteria. Everyone is invited to attend and sign up for the club.

Students make the grade

The following local students made the academic Dean's List at Azusa Pacific University in California. The students are being honored for a spring semester 2004 academic standing of 3.5 or better grade point average. They were joined by more than 1,100 other students receiving the same honor.

Kassi R. Ruff, a graduate of Homedale High School and the daughter of Laurie Ruff. She is a social work major and Monica Buck, a home-schooler and the daughter of Daniel Buck. She is an applied health major.

SW Idaho students pledge Greek houses

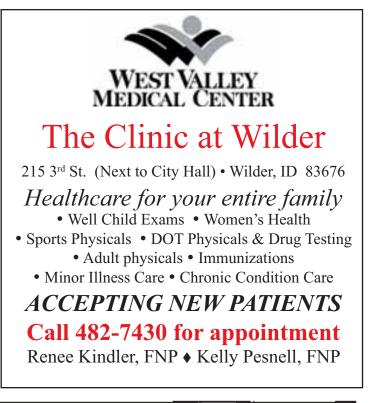
One hundred and sixty-four of the 490 men and women who pledged membership in the University of Idaho's 27 Greek sororities and fraternities this month are from Southwestern Idaho.

The new members are part of the 1,700 students who live in the nine sororities and 18 fraternities on the UI campus in Moscow. Included in that list is Yasone Maite Lejardi, Gamma Phi Beta and Brandon Jerry Zatica, Delta Tau Delta. Both are from Homedale.

Water report for Sept. 7

Reports from the Owyhee Reservoir on Sept. 7 indicated that 133 cubic feet per second of water is entering the reservoir at Rome and 196 cfs of water is leaving the dam.

The reservoir is holding 19 percent of full at 134,644 acre-feet.







Boy's soccer players

Homedale Trojan boy's soccer coach David Correa introduces the team during a Fan Club breakfast held last month. The fall sporting teams were introduced to those who attended prior to their opening events. Photo submitted.



Middle school athletes begin fall seasons next week

Homedale Middle School athletes will begin their fall season next week with the seventh and eighth grade football teams host the Nampa Christian Trojans on Sept. 14 in a non-conference season opener. The seventh grade team will open followed by the eighth grade team. Kickoff will be at 4:15 p.m.

Two new coaches will lead the seventh grade Trojans, Doug Anders, who volunteered last spring coaching middle school track, and Bill Roberts who works for Anders and played college football.

The eight graders will again be led by Dave Hann and Craig Dayton and middle school athletic director Luci Mereness said the teams are looking forward to this year's football season.

"We have had a large turnout of kids this year," Mereness said. "The eighth grade team has 25 kids and most of them played last year. The seventh grade team has 24 kids with some new faces, but both teams will be fun to watch."

The seventh grade volleyball team will host Payette on the same evening and the eighth grade volleyball team will travel to Payette to meet the Pirates. On Sept. 17, the eighth grade girls will host McCall and the seventh grade girls will travel.

"The volleyball teams will be very competitive," Mereness said. "A strong eighth grade class will take the floor for the Trojans and will improve upon last years season. They are looking forward to improving each week, and winning the district tournament held in October.

The seventh grade girls are short on experience but will have an opportunity to improve every game as they play their opponents twice throughout the season. They too hope to be on their game when the tournament comes around."

For volleyball and basketball, the A teams play first, then the B teams.

Mereness said she is still seeking patrons who can help run the score clock during the football games. She said the team has six home games, three for the seventh graders and three for the eighth grade team.

The games begin at 4:15 p.m. and last until approximately 5:30 p.m. She said if anyone is interested they could call the middle school for her

The seventh grade volleyball team is coached by Wayne Skeen and Brenda Reay coaches the eighth grade team.

Boy's soccer team defeats Vallivue 14-0

The Homedale boy's soccer team defeated the Vallivue junior varsity team in its season opener on Aug. 30. Homedale held Vallivue to a scoreless night beating the team 14.0.

Javier Sotelo led the Trojans and scored on eight goals. Humberto Machuca sunk two past the goal posts and Luis Escutia, Erik Padilla, Galo Albor, and Erik Corbett added one each.

"The communication on the field was excellent," Trojan Coach David Correa said. "The boys created and exploited the open spaces very well. My players worked together as a team and never stopped attacking the goal."

Correa said he could not have had a better way to start the season because Vallivue beat Homedale 2-1 last year.

"If the boys stay focused and continue to play the way they have been, they will surprise some of the teams in our conference," Correa added.

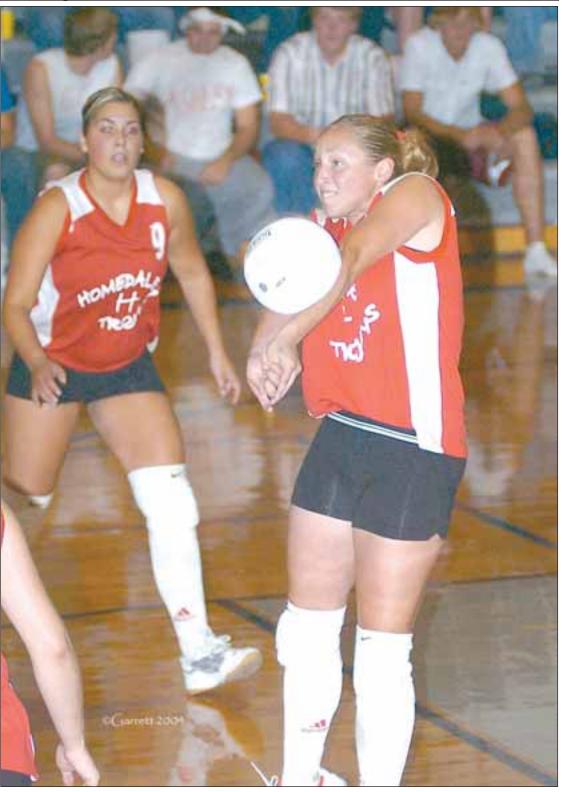
The team will travel to Payette to meet the Pirates on Thursday and then will travel to McCall to meet the Vandals on Sept. 14. Each game will start at 5:30 p.m.

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Set

Jolene Maxwell sets the ball against Nampa Christian as Tegan Krall moves in to help. Homedale lost the match 0-3. Further results were not made available. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

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Trojans win season opener battle

Homedale made a strong start to its football season with a 26-0 romping over the Nampa Christian Trojans in a non-conference season opener. Gilbert Obregon, a junior, rushed for 101 yards on 14 carries and set the mood for the night.

Following a Nampa Christian fumble, Obregon took runs of four and 14 yards to put Homedale at first and goal on the nine yard line. Trojan Kyle Carson followed by gaining four yards and put it in the end zone on a fourth down for Homedale's first TD and a7-0 lead.

Obregon made an 18-yard gain before junior quarterback Brett Hopkins and senior wide receiver Nick Williams took over.

Hopkins hit Williams with a pass for an 11-yard gain. Then

he hit Williams for eight more yards followed by a 48-yard touchdown by Williams to take Homedale to 14-0.

Homedale opened the second half by holding Nampa Christian at the 20. Williams went to work again with a 30-yard halfback touchdown pass to Ricco Gonzalez and a 20-0 score.

Homedale's final touchdown was made in the fourth quarter after Hopkins hit Ryan Rupp for 16 yards then found Marcus Eby for a 26-yard gain. Carson found the goal and took Homedale to

Hopkins finished 13 for 16 for 192 yards and Williams had seven catches for 106 yards.

Homedale will travel to Parma to meet the Panthers Friday



Trojan victory

Junior running back Gilbert Obregon carried the ball for 101 yards against Nampa Christian in Homedale's season opener. Photo by Gregg Garrett.



Extra point

Ryan Regis kicks an extra point in Homedale's 26-0 victory over Nampa Christian. Photo by Gregg Garrett.





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Spirit

Homedale cheerleaders perform during halftime activities. Photo by Gregg Garrett.



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Makes 8 servings

- 3/4 cup granulated sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves
- 2 large eggs 1 can (15 ounces) Libby's 100%
- Pure Pumpkin
 1 can (12 fluid ounces) Nestlé
- Carnation Evaporated Milk

 1 unbaked 9-inch (4-cup volume)
 deep-dish pie shell

Whipped cream MIX sugar, salt, cinnamon, ginger and cloves in small bowl. Beat eggs in large bowl. Stir in pumpkin and sugar-spice mixture. Gradually stir in evaporated milk.

POUR into pie shell.

BAKE in preheated 425°F oven 15 minutes. Reduce temperature to 350°F; bake 40 to 50 minutes or until knife inserted near center comes out clean. Cool on wire rack 2 hours. Serve immediately or refrigerate. Top with whipped cream before serving.



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Pumpkin Ginger Cheesecake and Pumpkin Crème Brûlée

Pumpkin Crème Brûlée

Makes 6 servings

- Nonstick cooking spray
 1 can (12 fluid ounces) Nestlé
- Carnation Evaporated Milk 3/4 cup Libby's 100% Pure Pumpkin
- 5 tablespoons granulated sugar, divided
- tablespoon vanilla extract
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 large eggs 2 large egg whites

PREHEAT oven to 300°F. Coat six 6-ounce custard cups with nonstick cooking spray. Place cups in 13 x 9-inch baking pan. PLACE evaporated milk, pumpkin, 3 table-spoons sugar, vanilla extract, cinnamon and salt in blender container; cover. Process until smooth, about 1 minute. Add eggs and egg whites to blender; process just until smooth. Pour mixture into prepared cups. Fill pan with hot water to 1-inch depth

BAKE 65 to 70 minutes or until gently set in center. Remove to wire rack to cool slightly. Refrigerate several hours or overnight. PREHEAT broiler. Sprinkle each crème brûlée with 1 teaspoon of remaining sugar. Place on jelly-roll pan. Broil 1 to 2 minutes, rotating pan once, until sugar is melted and

caramelized. Refrigerate 5 to 10 minutes or

until topping hardens.

Pumpkin Ginger Cheesecake

Makes 16 servings

- 1 1/2 cups gingersnap cookie crumbs
 (about 36 cookies)
 1/4 cup granulated sugar
 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
- CHEESECAKE
 - 3 packages (8 ounces *each*) cream cheese, softened

 - softened
 1 cup granulated sugar
 1/4 cup packed light brown sugar
 2 large eggs
 1 can (15 ounces) Libby's 100%
 - Pure Pumpkin
 2/3 cup (5-fluid-ounce can) Nestlé Carnation
 Evaporated Milk
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch 3/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1 container (16 ounces) sour cream.
- at room temperature
 1/3 cup granulated sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract Crumbled gingersnap cookies **PREHEAT** oven to 350°F. Tightly wrap outside bottom and side of 9-inch springform pan with 2 pieces of foil to prevent leakage. Lightly grease inside of pan.

FOR CRUST: **COMBINE** crumbs, granulated sugar and butter in medium bowl. Press onto bottom and 1 inch up sides of prepared pan. Bake 6 to 8 minutes. Cool on wire

rack 10 minutes FOR CHEESECAKE:

BEAT cream cheese, granulated sugar and brown sugar in large mixer bowl until fluffy. Beat in eggs, pumpkin and evaporated milk. Add cornstarch, ginger and cloves; beat well. Pour into crust. Place pan in large roasting pan; fill roasting pan with hot water to 1-inch depth.

BAKE 65 to 75 minutes or until edge is set but center citil more clightly. still moves slightly.

FOR TOPPING: COMBINE sour cream, granulated sugar and vanilla extract in small bowl; mix well. Remove cheesecake from water bath, leaving water bath in oven. Spread sour cream mixture over surface of warm cheesecake. Return cake to water bath; bake 5 minutes longer. Remove cheesecake from water bath to wire rack. Run knife around edge of cheesecake. Cool completely. Refrigerate several hours or overnight. Top with crumbled gingersnaps. Remove side of pan.

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

September 20, 1979

Homecoming slated Friday

A traditional event will keep things hopping in Homedale this week, as students and alumni of Homedale high school celebrate Homecoming.

The Homecoming festivities will be capped by the Friday evening grid clash between the Trojans and the Wilder Wildcats.

Homecoming queen candidates for 1979 include Lisa Wilson, Shelley Stimmel and Andrea Jackson. The queen is selected by a vote of the football team. The queen pageant will be held Friday, Sept. 21 at 11am in the new high school gymnasium. The public is invited to attend.

Queen attendants include freshman Melissa Hughey; sophomore Shauna Leasselle and junior Debbie Bartles.

The annual Snake Dance and bonfire will be held Thursday evening, at 9pm at Trojan Stadium. The public is invited.

Boise-Cascade leaves town

Homedale will lose a major business October 1 when the Boise Cascade Corporation closes down its local Building Materials Center.

The initial announcement of the planned closure came September 15 in a short, three paragraph statement issued from the Boise Cascade Meridian office.

According to the release, the Homedale operation is being closed because of the new building material center now under construction in Nampa. The new center will serve the Nampa, Caldwell, Homedale area, according to the release.

Movie crew visits Silver

It was a busy weekend in Silver City.

The old mining town was visited over the weekend by a television film crew from Nebraska Public Television. The crew came to Silver to film portions of a documentary "Hidden Places." The film will deal with historical preservation.

Walt and Mildretta Adams of Homedale were among the people interviewed by the TV people. Jan Beckwith of Caldwell, Owyhee County preservation officer, was also interviewed.

City water short

The City of Homedale is running short of water.

City maintenance chief Paul Simon issued a request this week for residents to discontinue sprinkling with city water. Simon said a high demand, unusual for this time of year, has brought on the problem.

Assumes post

Dan Swindell is the new general manager of Whitney-Dickinson Seed Growers, Inc. in Homedale. Swindell, who grew up in the Nampa area, has been with the local plant since its opening. He assumed his new post September 10. The company is involved in alfalfa and clover seed production and processing.

Homedale locals

Mr. and Mrs. John Echevarria and Sherman Morgan hosted a farewell picnic for Jed and Carole Baker. The Bakers and daughter Robin are leaving for an extended stay in the Yukon Territory.

Ann Echevarria, Mary Arvin and Jim Nettleton arranged to surprise Robin Baker by inviting her friends. Teenage guests included Julie Badiola, Larry Corda, Mike Kirstine and Mitchell, Frank, Eric and Gary Kushlan; Kim Landa, Lynn Metzer, Shannon Nash, Eric Wilson and Randy Shanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bahem, Scott and Brent, Flint Creek, were Sunday dinner and afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bahem and sons.

Thelma Vollmar, West Plains, Mo., left by airliner last Friday afternoon for Oklahoma City to visit enroute home after spending two weeks with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Red (Emma) Barnes.

The C. R. Leslies of Meridian have started construction of their new home in the Northside community across the road from the Edwin Ethington farm.

Mr. and Mrs. LuRoy Douglas and daughters, Longview, Wash., were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Prow.

50 years ago

September 2, 1954

Low storage reserve makes shutoff of water necessary

The Owyhee reservoir will have the smallest carryover of water this winter of any time in its history.

According to W.H. Robinson, manager of the South Board of Control, Owyhee Project, Homedale, the water will be turned out of the canals of the Owyhee Project on October 1, 1954, and if necessary from lack of rain, will again be turned into the canals October 10th, for a seven day run.

This is necessary on account of the small holdover in the reservoir and the uncertainty of the amount of run off during the winter months for next year's supply. The total amount of storage in the reservoir at the present time is a little less than 20,000 acre feet, which will probably leave a little over 100,000 acre feet at the end of the season, the capacity of the reservoir being 715,000 acre feet.

Football suits are issued to Trojans; team heavier now

Twenty three suits have been issued to prospective football players at Homedale high school this fall, James Bostwick, coach, announced this morning. He said he expected several more fellows to come out for the team when the school term begins next Tuesday.

Of the twenty three men practicing presently, twelve are returning lettermen. At least two more letterman are expected to try out for the Trojan team.

Bostwick said that the team this fall will be considerably heavier on an average than t hat of last year. The boys have looked fairly good in early practice sessions, he said, adding that he hopes to produce a winning team this year.

Owyhee valuation is down

An increase in the assessed valuation of real and personal property and utilities within the state of Idaho of \$2,260,406 was announced this week by the State Tax Commission. This sum is over the 1953 assessed valuation within the state.

The total value for taxing purposes has been set by commission at \$582,976,791.

The Owyhee County valuation was decreased by \$676,609 from the 1953 evaluation to make a tax base of \$8,798,640.

An indication of what this decrease means was made apparent when the information was received that the tax revenue of the Homedale school district would be about \$1500 less than it was a year ago.

The champions

Grand Champion of the Owyhee County Fair was a black Aberdeen Angus steer of Roy Winn, 10 year old 4-H member from Grandview. Reserve champion was a steer of Beverly Briggs.

Homedale

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Johnston and family left Thursday for Indiana to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ross were Sunday afternoon callers at the Robert Ross home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eggers of Meridian and Ersel Ulmer of Emmett were callers at the Elmer Prow home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taylor have gone to San Point for a weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. West Jr., and children of Longview, Wash., are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Luther Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Love and baby who purchased the W. H. Johnston place, have moved there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eells and their guests and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tilford attended the State Fair at Boise Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Snell and Sylvia and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tilford were guests at the Millspaugh-Stimmel wedding Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harmon and Mrs. Grace Casey have returned to their home in Buffalo, Okla., after visiting at the Clyde Eells home for a weekend.

Miss Virginia Combs was a guest of Sylvia Snell Sunday evening.

138 years ago

September 15, 1866

BATCHELDER, christened Nathaniel, is the subject of this place. He arrived in Owyhee last Spring. Reported himself from Virginia, Nevada. Put on considered style; drank much whisky; succeeded in getting a position as Superintendent of amine and convincing his employers that he was a scoundrel; offered to hire himself out to kill a well know citizen for a price; tired to defraud everybody who would credit him, and did succeed with many amount the latter we include ourselves. It is useless to detail the acts and attempted deeds of this villain. Where his has gone to, we can't say, don't even know that his has left here; but our exchanges can do their readers no greater service than to copy this article. We have abundant proof of what we assert. Batchelder is about six feet tall, heavy set, ruddy face, black whiskers and hair, and is very pompous in his manner.

We have a few more subjects under consideration.

FOR SEVERAL trips in succession, previous to the change from pony to stage, the Humboldt mail brought Virginia papers with Eastern telegraphic one and two days later than received from Salt Lake. When the stages get fairly started, Owyheeans will be no more than two days from the telegraph at Star City, four from Virginia and five from San Francisco.

MESSRS. KING, WEBB & CO. have completed the most substantial fire proof cellar in Owyhee. We understand it is now ready to receive storage, and the walls being three feet thick, no more safe place could be desired. Located in rear of K., W. & Co's. Bank, Jordan street.

ONE MORE. We are informed that there is considerable indebtedness hanging over the Church in Ruby; that it is now born almost wholly by one man; that many who promised liberal aid in its construction have failed to make good their promises. To saddle all this burden on one is wrong, and once more we urge all interested in church service to right this matter. It is due to the credit of all concerned to right this thing, and we hope and believe it will be done. "Only this and nothing more."

JAMES H. O'CONNOR, an old Owyhee placer miner, left during the present week for Rome, Oncida county, New York. He succeeded in getting considerable dust of which we are pleased for he is an industrious and honest man. Several other miners left him, all very successful in "gatherin gear".

PROPERTY ASSESSED. The assessed value of real estate property in Owyhee County, as returned by the Assessor up to Aug. 27, amounts to \$531,424; personal property to same date, \$600,654; total \$1,151,988. There has been paid into the Treasury \$8,938.79 – all from collections on personal property. There is remaining due the county and territory, on personal property, something over \$5,000, and on real property over \$12,666. The county's proportion of the above taxes is about \$11,600.

James H. hays, Deputy Recorder, has kindly furnished us with the above figures.

GONE GLOMMING. During a trip to Flint District, in the early part of the week, Capt. Miller of the Lincoln mill, let his horse get away with the saddle turned under his body. The last seen of the beast he was going at lightning speed into the very heart of the Piute nation; and, although followed by very swift chargers, an experienced rider could balance of the day, he outstripped all pursuit, and is probably at this moment at Winnemucca's head-quarters.

WEATHER has been mostly clear and cool during the past two weeks. Had a few sprinkles of rain, and a little fire evenings and recordings has been conductive of comfort.

HORSE KILLED BY A RATTLESNAKE. A fine mare, belonging to Col. A. H. Webb, of the Book Store, died on his ranch of O. R. Johnson at Oro Flint District, on Tuesday night from the effects of a rattlesnake bite.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

On the edge of common sense

Ay Chihuahua!

Ay Chihuahua!

We crossed the border at Antelope Wells, NM, 40 miles south of Hachita on Hwy 81 which is paved right up till your front tire hits Mexico. It must be the loneliest immigration outpost in the country. We drove the 72 miles from Animas, NM to Mexico Hwy 2, in the middle of the day and only passed one car that wasn't up on blocks. The U.S. agent held us for ten minutes just to visit. We agreed to write him occasionally and he finally let us through. We didn't wake the Mexican border guard.

It's big country in northern Chihuahua; big and brown. They are in a years-long drought. Cow numbers have steadily declined as ranchers sold off. No grass, no feed. What's left are down to eating prickly pear and bird nests.

We arrived at our destination, a big ranch, northwest of Janos. 50,000 acres, a 40 km driveway, its own chapel, its own mountain range, its own pen of goats. The big rancho where we spent the next two days looked like a Hollywood movie set. A beautiful rock hacienda with a courtyard was surrounded by freshly painted cottages for the help, a large cookhouse and a quaint white stucco Catholic chapel complete with cross and bell.

The indoor decor of the hacienda was elaborate and rich, befitting the now incarcerated drug lord who had been the previous owner. The silent presence of Malathion was appreciated in the obvious absence of roaches, scorpions and centipedes. I was accompanying Dr. Harold, a USDA veterinarian who monitors the spaying of Mexican heifers for import to the U.S. Sexually complete fertile cattle must undergo lengthy testing for Brucellosis and TB at the border. Spaying the females shortens the delay considerably.

The facilities were good. Two Mexican veterinarians did the surgery. Two squeeze chutes ran simultaneously and two ovaries were laid on each heifer's back as proof. 505 heifers in 5 1/2 hours, one every 46 seconds, cost to rancher \$8 - \$12 U.S./heifer. The spayed heifers were given an official USDA ear tag and they were branded with an MX on the right hip. I felt a renewed respect for our government veterinary corp.

We ate all meals in the cookhouse with the cowboys. Beans and tortillas every meal, with a different spicy side meat each time. I didn't keep track of the chickens and goats in the yard, but the large parrot in the courtyard that greeted our arrival was missing when we left.

The trip home included a pass through a Mennonite community where you could buy a soda pop for 50ϕ , 2 1/2 lbs of homemade cheese for \$3.50, and gas for \$2.00/gallon.

Chihuahua was another world, and yet punchin' cows through a chute, visitin' with cow people, and bein' able to see the stars at night was no different than if I was in Oregon, Kansas or Georgia.

I felt right at home.

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... but possibly of interest



Exploding matches weren't the only burning objects that gave Father trouble. There also was the infamous Chicken House Incident..

The chicken house stood on the south edge of the farmyard. The last chicken disappeared before I started school, but the smell lingered. Once a building has been used as a chicken house, it isn't good for much except housing chickens.

Several decades worth of chicken manure made the area around the chicken house an ideal growing environment. The weeds literally jumped out of the ground each spring. By mid summer they were as tall as a man. Father waited each year until the weeds matured and dried out. Then he got the box of wooden stick matches out of the kitchen cupboard and announced his intention to burn the weeds around the chicken house. Then he always paused for a moment and waited for Mother to speak.

"Clyde," Mom would say. "You better get the fire department to come out and stand by. One of these days you are going to burn down that chicken house."

After mother finished her warning, Father did what he always did. He ignored her advice and burned the weeds

It was a hot, August day. Willard, my best friend, had dropped by to go for a swim in the canal just up the road. We were on our way out the door when Father entered the kitchen, walked over to a cupboard and took down the box of stick matches.

"Today is a good day to burn the weeds around the chicken house," he announced. He looked toward Moth-

er, who was kneading bread dough. "Clyde, you had better get the fire department to come out and stand by," mother said. "One of these days you are going to burn down the chicken house."

With the formalities out of the way, Father went off to burn the weeds. Willard and I had soaked in the canal for about a half an hour when we heard the fire alarm in town, about a mile away, start to wail. A few minutes later we identified the siren of the fire truck as it left the station. From the sound we could tell the fire truck was headed our direction. We climbed out of the canal. From the ditch bank we could see the truck as it rolled along Highway 69 about a quarter of a mile south of us. The truck rounded a curve and headed north. Its route of travel would take it past our farm. I told Willard the fire must be somewhere in the neighborhood. We had been facing away from the family homestead as we watched and listened to the fire truck. As we turned to keep it in sight, it became obvious where the fire was located.

The tarpaper-covered chicken house was burning splendidly, sending flames a good 50 feet into the sky, scorching the leaves on nearby trees. Father was standing off to one side, leaning on his shovel handle, watching the ammonia enhanced inferno. Mother was next to him. Her mouth was moving rapidly and she was waving her arms excitedly and pointing at the blaze. Willard and I were too far away to hear the conversation, but I have a pretty good idea what was being said.

Mom was almost always right - eventually.

Liberty Matters News Service

Kentucky Man Faces Charges For Killing Bear

Terry Brock stepped outside his home the morning of June 2, to discover a black bear looking for breakfast. He immediately dashed back inside and told his wife to call the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife (KDFW) while he tried to scare the animal away. The bear wouldn't scare and became aggressive, so Brock grabbed his antique 30-30 and killed it. The KDFW then filed charges against him because it is unlawful to kill a black bear in Kentucky. If Brock agreed to plead guilty he would avoid a possible jail sentence, but would have to pay a \$250 fine, lose his hunting privileges, and forfeit his heirloom 30-30. Brock refused the deal, preferring to take his chances with a jury of his peers, even though he could get a year in jail and a \$1,000 fine if convicted. "I don't feel like I've done anything wrong," Brock said. It may be the KDFW wants to make an example of Mr. Brock because they won't drop the charges. "This is our first case," said Frank Campbell, a conservation officer. "I feel it's a very important case for us." Defense attorney Jamie Hatton remarked, "It seems like he had a right to protect his family, his dogs, his horse, from this bear. It's not like he was poaching."

Tyrannosaurus Tex

It began with a campaign promise and has now morphed into a colossal behemoth that threatens to swallow rural Texas. In 2002, Governor Rick Perry promised to build a super highway to facilitate expected increased traffic from the National Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) and only now are the staggering dimensions of the project coming to light. Tyrannosaurus Tex will have ten vehicle lanes, six rail tracks, utilities, pipelines, state concessions (gas stations, restaurants, motels, stores, warehouses, etc.) all on 4,000 miles of toll roads that will consume more than one-half million acres of Texas. What was supposed to

occur over fifty years has been steered into the fast lane by the Texas legislature's enabling law HB 3588, which, said Transportation Commissioner Robert L. Nichols, "gives us all of the authority and all of the power we need on a state level to move forward on the Trans-Texas Corridor, plus some." Other states, such as Indiana, that were receptive to the idea of I-69, the original NAFTA highway, are now having second thoughts, fearing they too could be trampled by their own super corridor. Critics warn the mammoth undertaking will wreak havoc with property rights as the State will use the power of eminent domain to seize property from unwilling sellers.

Update on a National Shame

For 16 years, John Rapanos from Michigan has been fighting the federal government over their claim that he filled a wetland on his property. Only problem is, there never was a wetland on his 200 acre field because the county government dug drainage ditches around the plot in 1904. At Rapanos' second sentencing, Federal District Court Judge Lawrence P. Zatkoff balked at carrying out the government's vendetta and sentenced him to 200 hours community service, three years probation and a \$185,000 fine. But the Justice Department is still not satisfied demanding Judge Zatkoff sentence him to at least 10 months in prison. To make matters worse, the government wants civil damages to the tune of \$10 million in fines, forfeiture of 81 acres of land and \$3 million in mitigation fees to restore wetlands that never existed. Rapanos' scheduled August 18 sentencing trial has been postponed, according to Greg Broderick, attorney with the Pacific Legal Foundation because Judge Zatkoff wants to wait on a ruling in a federal sentencing guidelines case (Booker) to be heard by the U. S. Supreme Court in October. Hopefully, the Supreme Court ruling will favorably impact Mr. Rapanos's situation. If not, this will remain a national disgrace.

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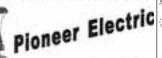


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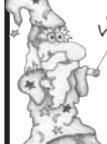
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NOTICE OF HEARING
CASE NO. SP-04-02117M
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE THIRD JUCICIAL
DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO AND
IN FOR THE COUNTY OF
Owyhee

IN RE: Christopher Terrance Barnes.

A Petition by Christopher Terrance Barnes born on 6/21/88 in Boise, State of Idaho now residing at 4150 Clark Island Ln., Homedale, proposing a change in name to Christopher Terrance Anders has been filed in the above entitled court, the reason for this change in name being to have my stepfather's last name: The petitioner's father is living.

Such petition will be heard at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on 10/6/04, at the Homedale County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can, in such objections, show to the court a good reason against such a change of name.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said District Court this 16th day of August, 2004.

By Vickie Lynn, Clerk 8/25-9/1,8,15/04

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DECLARE DEFAULT CASE NO. SP AT 0400074M IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF

THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ADA

In the Matter of the Termination of the Parental Rights of:
LISA ANTONETTE BAR-

ROW, (AKA SIEBEL, AKA MCGREGOR) AND, GARY LEE BARROW,

And

In the Matter of the Adoption

JAKE CHRISTOPHER BARROW AND TYLER ANDREW BARROW,

Minor Children.

TO: LISA ANTONETTE BARROW, (AKA SIEBEL, AKA MCGREGOR).

YOU ARE HEREBY notified that Petitioner, LOIS J. RAUSCH, herein will take default Judgment against you as prayed for in their Petition for Termination of Parent/Child Relationship and Adoption on the grounds and for the reasons that you have failed and neglected to make answer to said Petition, and that more than twenty (20) days have elapsed since the service of said Petition and Summons on you.

That said Judgment as prayed for will be taken on the 3rd day of December, 2004 at 9:00 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

CERTIFICATE OF SER-VICE: The undersigned does hereby certify that on this date he caused a true and correct copy of the within and foregoing NO-TICE OF INTENTION TO DE-CLARE DEFAULT to be mailed by United States first-class, postage prepaid mail to the last know address of Lisa Barrow, 215 W. Washington Avenue, Cambridge, Idaho, 83610 and published once a week for three consecutive weeks in The Owyhee Avalanche newspaper.

DATED this 25 day of August,

STOPPELLO & KISER ATTORNEYS AT LAW BY F. Matthew Stoppello, of

Attorneys for Petitioner 620 West Hays Street Boise, Idaho 83702 Telephone: (208) 336-1020 Facsimile: (208) 336-1027 ISB No. 1270 and ISB No.

9/8,15,22/04

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

following The described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, at the entrance to the Owyhee County Courthouse, Highway 78, Mile Marker 29 1/ 2, Murphy, ID 83650, on 12/21/ 2004 at 11:30 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 01/12/2004 as Instrument Number 246436, and executed by MILTON E CLEGG, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to STEW-ART TITLE OF BOISE, INC., the current trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, State of Idaho:

Lot 3, Block 1, Claytonia Subdivision, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, recorded June 3, 1999 as Instrument No. 228758, in the office of the recorder of Owyhee County, Idaho.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of , 6054 Claytonia Way, Marsing, ID. 83639 is sometimes associated with said real property.

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

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

Failure to pay the monthly payment due 03/01/2004 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.375% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$72,000.00, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorney's fees, Trustees' fees and costs,

and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

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

Notice is hereby given that this firm is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose, and that the debt may be disputed. The above grantors are named to comply with Section 45-1506(4)(a) Idaho Code. No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation.

DATED: August 10, 2004 STEWART TITLE OF BOISE, INC.

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8/25-9/1,8,15/04

PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING

HEARING EXAMINER

On September 30, 2004 the Owyhee County Hearing Examiner will hear the following Planning & Zoning cases, in the Commissioner's Annex 17069 Basey Street, Murphy, Idaho, at the times stated below.

GRAND VIEW MENNO-

NITE CHURCH 2:00PM

Applicant will present the combined preliminary and final plat review for a cemetery on a 12 acre parcel. Site is located southeast of Grand View off of Highway 78 in Section 31, Township 5 South, Range 4 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

KATHY SOTHERN 2:15PM
Applicant has filed an application for a conditional use permit to establish single family residential use on a 15 acre parcel. Subject property is located southwest of Murphy off of Briar Creek Road in Sections 4 and 5, Township 3 South, 2 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

BARBARA HILL 2:30PM

Applicant has filed an application for a conditional use permit to establish single family residential use on a five acre parcel. Subject property is located southwest of Marsing, off Pascoe and Pony Lane, In

Section 20, Township 2 North, 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING

HEARING EXAMINER

On September 23, 2004 the Owyhee County Hearing Examiner will hear the following Planning & Zoning cases, in the Commissioner's Annex 17069 Basey Street, Murphy, Idaho, at the time stated below.

JON MORTENSEN 2:00 PM

Applicant has filed an application for a conditional use permit for a calf confined animal feeding operation on a portion of a 180 acre parcel. Subject property is located south west of Walter's Ferry, off of Highway 78 and Agenbroad Road in Section 13, 1 South, 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

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ANOTHER SUMMONS
CASE NO. CV-04-772
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE SEVENTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND
FOR THE COUNTY OF
BINGHAM

PROGRESSIVE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, Plaintiff, Vs. GERARDO CORNEJO AGUILERA, Defendant.

TO: GERARDO CORNEJO AGUILERA

You have been sued by Progressive Insurance Company, Plaintiff, in the District Court in and for the State of Idaho, Case No. CV-04-772.

The nature of the claim against you is for payment of a subrogation claim on an accident where you did not have insurance.

Any time after 20 days following the last publication of this summons, the court may enter a judgement against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you file a written response in the proper form, including the case number and pay any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at 501 North Maple, Blackfoot, Idaho 83221 and serve a copy of your response to the Plaintiff's attorney, Stephen J. Blaser, PO Box 1047, Blackfoot, ID 83221, (208) 785-4700.

A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for the Plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter.

DATED and signed this 24th day of July, 2004.

CLERK OF THE COURT By: Claudia J. Christian 9/1,8,15,22/04

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Loan No. 0433216348 T.S. No. 1068835-09

Parcel No. RPA00800040050A On December 02, 2004, at the hour of 11:00am, of said day, at On the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse located at the, Corner Of Highway 78 and Hailey St., Murphy, Idaho, Fidelity National Title Ins Company, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier's check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: Lot 5, block 4, Ponderosa Addition, Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the plat filed April 24, 1978 as instrument no. 154523 on file in the office of the recorded for Owyhee county, Idaho. Commonly known as 409 Cascade Drive Homedale Id 83628. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power

of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Carrie R. Moore, An Unmarried Woman as Grantor, to Pioneer Title Company Of Canyon County, as trustee, for the benefit and security of Claritybank.Com as beneficiary, recorded September 18, 2001, as Instrument No. 237108, 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 RESPONSI-BLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due May 1, 2004 of principal and interest and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$70,059.52, including interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale, and trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Fidelity National Title Ins Company P.O. Box 22010 El Cajon Ca 92022-9004 (888)445-3162 Dated: July 22, 2004 Signature By: Fidelity National Title Insurance Company Gerri Sheppard. R-110756 08/25-9/1,8,15/04

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 28th day of October, 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 America, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

By reason of the automatic stay provisions of U.S. Bankruptcy Code 11 U.S.C. 362, the sale was discontinued, and pursuant to provisions of Idaho Code 45-1506(A) the sale was rescheduled and conducted following expiration or termination of the effect of the stay in the manner provided by that section. The Affidavit of Compliance with

I.C. 45-1506(2)(3), together with

copies of the required Affidavit

of Affidavits which are attached

SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT A

hereto and incorporated herein.

This Trustee's Sale is subject to any bankruptcy filing, payoff, reinstatement, or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware of, and that would cause the cancellation of this

sale. Further, if any of these

conditions exist, this sale may be null and void. The successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and/or the Beneficiary shall not be held liable to any successful purchaser(s) or bidders, at the Trustee's Sale, for any damages.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of Route 1, Box 820, Marsing, now shown of record as 7179 Proctor Lane, Marsing, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

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 CLIN-TON E SMITH AND V. ANN SMITH, husband and wife, as grantors, to FIRST AMERI-CAN TITLE COMPNAY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of Sierra Pacific Mortgage Company, Inc., a California corporation. as beneficiary, recorded January 7, 2000, as Instrument No. 231027, and assigned to CHASE MANHATTAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as beneficiary

by assignment recorded May 23, 2000, as Instrument No. 232452, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

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

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

Exhibit A

Attached to Rescheduled Notice of Trustee's Sale

TRACT I:

Lot 3, Block 1, of the map entitled "RIVER'S EDGE SUBDI-VISION", a part of Government Lots 1 and 2, Section 11, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho filed September 25, 1998 as Instrument No. 226125, Owyhee County records.

TRACT II:

TOGETHER WITH a Nonexclusive Easement:

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

Date: August 25, 2004 FIRST AMERCIAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.

By Monine Cole, Trust Officer

FA-17248/cmm First American Title Company

of Idaho

Trust Dept. 1-208-375-0455 9/8,15,22/04

Become a part of Owyhee County history while helping preserve that history

The Owyhee County Historical Society has launched a campaign to raise \$594,800 for a 6,400 square-foot addition to its complex at Murphy.

The OCHS is an educations institution dedicated to collecting, preserving, studying, and interpreting the artifacts and documents that tell the story of the people of the Owyhees.

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

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

For further information, contact:



Owyhee County Historical Society

495-2319 · P.O. Box 67 · Murphy ID 83650

A PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE OWYHEE AVALANCHE



Assembly of God Church

Homedale

15 West Montana, 337-4458 Pastor George Greenwood Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Service 6:30pm Wed. Bible Study 7:00pm

Mt. Calvary Lutheran

Homedale

337-4248 or 454-1528

SE corner Idaho and West 7th

Sunday School: 9:00 to 9:45 am

Services: 10:00 am

Wednesday Night Bible Study: 7 to 8:30 pm

Crossroads **Assembly of God**

Wilder

Hwy 19 & 95, 482-7644 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening Worship 6pm Wed. Bible Study 7pm

Our Lady of the Valley **Catholic Church**

1122 W. Linden St., Caldwell 459-3653 Mass:

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:30 am Spanish Mass: Sunday Noon

Friends Community Church

Homedale 301 W. Montana, 337-3464 Summer Worship: 9:30 am Pastor: John Beck 9:30 Sunday School 10:45 Worship

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

Homedale

Bishop Alan McRae Bishop Dwayne Fisher Sunday 1st Ward 9am

26515 Ustick Road, Wilder 337-3151 Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30

708 West Idaho Ave 337-4112 Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm

Homedale Baptist Church Homedale

212 S. 1st W. Sunday School 10am & 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls

Wilder Church of God Wilder

205 A St. E, 482-7839 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Service 11am Sunday Eve. 6:00pm Wed. Eve. 7:00pm

Mountain View Church of the Nazarene

Adult & Youth Bible Class: Wednesday 7:00 pm Bible Based Recovery: Friday 7:00 pm



MARSING APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY

Asamblea Apostolica de Marsing 221 W. Main • Marsing, Idaho Pastor Ricardo Rodriguez 896-5552 or 371-3516 Sunday School 1:30 pm • Sunday Service 3 pm Thursday Service 7 pm • (Bilingual Services/Español

Owyhee Baptist Church Homedale 337-3147

Wednesday services 7pm

1 Railroad Ave.. Homedale Sunday school 10am Sunday services 11am and 6:30pm

Marsing Church of Christ Marsing

932 Franklin, Marsing

Minister Gib Nelson Sunday Bible Study 10am Sunday Worship 11am

Christian Church Homedale

110 W. Montana, 337-3626 Pastors Maurice Jones & Duane Crist Sunday Morning Worship 11am Church school 9:45

Bible Missionary Church

Homedale

West Idaho, 337-4437 Pastor Paul Miller Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm

Assembly of God Church Marsing

139 Kerry, 896-4294 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm

Lizard Butte Baptist Church Marsing

Pastor Dave London 116 4th Ave. W., 587-4866 Sunday worship 11am-12pm Sunday school 10 am-10:55am Sunday evening 6pm-7pm Wednesday evening 6pm-7pm Every 3rd Sat. family video at 6 pm

Nazarene Church Marsing

Pastor Bill O'Connor 896-4184 Behind Mr. B's Market Worship Services - Sunday 11am and 6pm Sunday School - 9:45am

Mid Week TLC Groups

Trinity Holiness Church

Homedale 119 N. Main Pastor Samuel Page 337-5021 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Thursday Evening 7:30pm

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

Marsing

215 3rd Ave. West, 896-4151 Bishop Streibel Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm Primary 11am

Vision Bible Church Marsing

221 West Main Marsing, Idaho 208-896-5407 iday School 9:30 a Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. Youth Meeting Wed. 7:00 p.m.

United Methodist Church Wilder

Corner of 4th St. & B Ave. Pastor Carolyn Bowers Sunday Services 9:30am

First **Presbyterian Church** Homedale

320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am

Calvary Holiness Church Wilder

Corner of 3rd St. & B Ave., 482-7767 or 482-7499 Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening: 7:00 p.m.

Seventh Day Adventist Homedale

16613 Garnet Rd.. 880-4685 or 453-9289 Pastor Allan Payne Sabbath School Sat. 9:30am Worship 11am Wednesday Prayer Mtg. 7:30

Iglesia Bautista Palabra de Esperanza Homedale

711 W. Idaho, 463-9569 Pastor Jose Diaz Servicios: Los Domingos 11:00 am

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE

Knight Community Church Grand View

Pastor Kerry S. Crenshaw 834-2639 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Video Series: Wednesday, 7 p.m. Bible Study, men & women: Thurs., 9 a.m.



FOR RENT

5x10 storage space, RV & boat storage, Marsing Storage 343-9855 or 867-2466

Country home 2 bdrm 1 bth, large yard, appliances \$450 mo + \$200 dep. 896-5312 George.

Roommate wanted, country home, pets negotiable, Nonsmoker \$250 + utilities. 249-2088

NOTICE

No Fat Low Carbs! Tomatoes, cucumbers, squash, green beans, cantaloupe, eggplant, grapes, pears, pickling cucumbers, fresh baked goods and much more. If you don't see what you want please ask. Farmers Market Homedale First Presbyterian Church parking lot. Corner 6th & Washington, Sunday mornings 9: 00 to 1:00.

WANTED

Wanted to buy land owners bull elk & buck deer tags, Unit 40. 208-870-0124

Donations wanted for Family Farm Days/Vision Bible Church garage sale and or auction. For pickup please call 896-5407. Thank you for your help.

HELP WANTED

Marsing Joint School District No. 363 position openings: Full time high school custodian. Benefits available. Part time career information assistant (approx. 19 hours per week). These positions will be filled anytime after September 13. Please call Miren Lowry, District Secretary at 896-4111 x197 for application packet or for more information.

Dependable outgoing staff to work with developmentally disabled adults & children. Bilingual, HS diploma or GED, valid driver's license & finger printing mandatory. Tammy 461-0438 or fax resume to 461-0446 Pay DOE.

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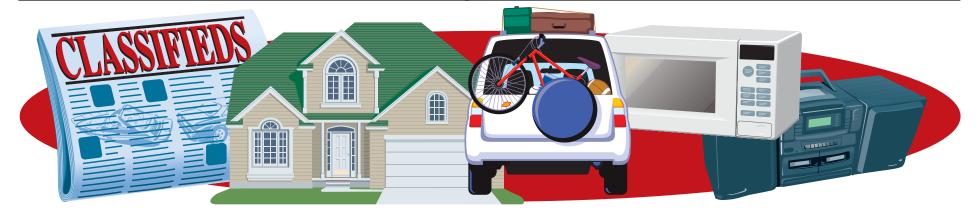
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SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

Owyhee County.....\$31.80 Canyon, Ada and Malheur Counties.....\$37.10 Elsewhere\$42.00

Idaho Sales Tax included

Iwnhec Avalanche P.O. BOX 97 · HOMEDALE, ID 83628







REAL ESTATE

Price reduced from \$60,000! Owner in nursing home. 3 br; 1-3/4 bath; d/w; range; fridge. Wood stove and oil heating. Irrigation; new water heater & softener. Furnace 5 years old. Cyclone fence; garden area; patio; dbl car port w/storage. Separate storage shed in back with a working freezer. Downtown Marsing. \$49,500. Call Nova Realty 896-4195 or Mary in evening 896-5121.

YARD SALE

Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho, Homedale. Clothing, household items, baby things, and lots of toys. To many items to name. Friday 8-5 Saturday 8-12

VEHICLES

Ford pick up 150, all power, very clean, 4WD, new heavy duty tires \$5500. 337-4651 or 250-0035

ASPEN GEORGE WILSON JOHN CONTI • STAN CAPOUCH OFFICE: 896-5312 GEORGE: 890-4770 • JOHN: 880-7829 • STAN: 880-2414

THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL! COUNTRY SETTING

Large 2 bed, 1 bath. Rustic cabin setting wood floors, fireplace, trees, trees, trees.

Landscaping, stone & brick. Detached shop.

Large patio. \$67,500 REDUCED

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REDUCED to \$104,000. Great Home w/lots of Room, only two blocks from the River!

All new carpet and paint. 3bdrm, 2bth, 3050 sqft. Oversized living rm w/10ft ceilings, white rock fireplace, oversize family rm w/wet bar, kitchenette, and lots of build in's everywhere. Arizona rm w/hot tub. 4ftx10ft three tier pond. Room for shop. MLS#98149861 Call Betty @ 850-7216

FARM AND RANCH

Custom Swathing \$13 an acre, stacking. Call Steve @ 541-339-4677

Alfalfa seed, top quality, farmer to farmer prices, delivered to your door. Many grass seeds. Ray Odermott 208-465-5280 or 1-800-910-4101

Alfalfa seed, Ranger & Vernal treated. 90¢ lb. Call 887-3450 or 409-4457

Pair new Kelly-Springfield 13.6-28 tractor tires mounted on Ford 8 hole wheels. \$400 OBO 337-3859

FOR SALE

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

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

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

Brand new in box. List \$1450. Must sell \$399. 208-888-1464

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

King-sized pillowtop mattress set. New, in bag, with warranty. Must sell \$199. 208-866-7476

Cherry Sleigh bed. Solid wood. New in box. Value \$850. Sacrifice \$295. 208-888-1464

Techniques digital piano, excellent condition \$1900. 896-6007 **Hot Point gas dryer**, \$40. 337-3998

Elberta Peach sale. \$6 for half bushel at Garrett Ranches, Homedale Rd. 337-3133 M-F 9am-5pm

3 3ft. x 5 ft. vinyl grid western windows, Platinum series. Brand new. \$100 ea. Please call 337-3498 lve. Msg.

Fun piano lessons, never too young or old. All ages and levels, home schoolers/learning disabilities welcome. Reasonable rates, close to Marsing 467-6244.

THANK YOU

Homedale Public Library staff thank all those who contributed to the yard sales to benefit the library. We appreciate each one of you. Items remaining were taken to the Idaho Youth Ranch store in Caldwell.

> Buy it, sell it, trade it, rent it... in the Classifieds!

SERVICES

JJ Excavation and Hauling, TOP SOIL, and gravel delivery, excavator and trucks for hire. Road building, dozer, water truck and road grader. Free estimate. 208-337-4822 or 573-5700.

Dump Truck & Back hoe service, ditch cleaning & demolition. Call Steve at 465-5196 or 371-4285.

Best price in the valley for on-site computer cleaning and repair. Call Tom or Colette at 208-899-9419, Technical Computer Cleaning.

Tim's Small Engine Repair: Complete servicing & repair available on lawnmowers, tillers, wheel-line motors, motorcycles, ATVs, all 2 & 4 cycle power equipment. Karcher pressure washer factory authorized repair center. 30916 Peckham Rd., 5 miles west of Wilder. 482-7461

Owyhee Mountain Lawn Care: Lawn mowing & flower bed maintenance, pruning, fertilizing, small landscape jobs, free estimates call Tyler 880-1573

M&S Repairs & Remodels. All types of remodeling & construc-

Across the Hwy from Stateline store.

tion, plumbing, fencing, roofing & add-ons. New homes & older homes. Call 337-5041 for estimate.

The Apple Tree Daycare in Marsing has full time openings for ages 2 & up. Daily preschool lessons. For info call 896-5372 or visit at 936 Franklin Street, Marsing (1 block from car wash).

Daycare 2 FT openings, WICAP approved, all meals provided, fenced play areas & lots of activities. Call Donna 337-6180. Preschool program available.

House and office cleaning made easy! Dust Bunny Cleaning Co. Low rates! Call today for more information. Tracy & Justin Thomas (541) 339-3802 or cell: 208-880-8110



Lee Bridger Moving AUCTION

Saturday, September 18th, 10:00 AM Location: 1015 Hwy 19 Homedale, ID. From Homedale go west on Hwy 19 to site.

Vehicles: 92 Lincoln Continental, leather, power everything, air bags, 3.8 liter V-6~1969 Ford pickup w/ rebuilt engine~ 1976 Chevy C10 pickup, auto, A/C new tires, great condition.

Trailers: 1982 Kit Companion 21 ft. camp trailer, self contained, sleeps 6, everything in great condition & working order, nice unit~1972 Security 21 ft. camp trailer that has been converted to office trailer~ Single axle 14 ft. camp trailer, Hunters delight~ 8x14 tandem axle flatbed trailer~

Tools: Wisdom 3 hp air compressor, new~ Cutting torch set on cart~ Lincoln welder~ Drill press~ Grinder on stand~ Dewalt saws all~ Drills~ Cordless tools~ McCulloch Pro 10 chainsaw~ 3 ton cherry picker~ 1/2" drill~ 4 impact guns~ Propane space heater~ Tons of carpentry tools~ 12' folding ladder~ Air tools~ Many torque wrenches~ Load locks, straps & ratchets~ Folding saw horses~ Wood splitter~ Many log chains~ Tons of hand tools~ Large pipe wrenches~ Socket sets, wrench sets~ Welding Items~ Clamps~ Drill indexes~ Angle Grinder Organizers~ ~Hand truck~ Dollies~ Gardening tools~ Jack stands~ Engine stand~ Large X-body

Guns, Hunting & Camping Supplies: Winchester Mdl 70 300 Win Mag, synthetic stock, 4x12x40 scope, Very nice~ SKS rifle w/ clips~ Winchester lever action 22 rifle w/ scope~ Remington 870 Wingmaster 12 ga. Shot gun~ Winchester Mdl 50 12 ga. Auto~ H&R Mdl 939 Ultra Side Kick, 22 cal. 9 shot revolver w/ rib barrel~ Leather hog leg gun case~ 3x9 Scope~ 10x14 canvas wall tent w/ stove & ready to go~ 10x12 canvas tent~ Berkel commercial meat slicer~ 4" meat grinder~ 2 & 6 man tents~ Bed rools~ Sleeping bags~ Many canvas bags~ Pack saddle w/ bags~ Camp stoves~ Bushnell spotting scope~ 12' Ugly stick w/ Okuma spinning reel~ Lots of camping cook & kitchen ware~ Several rods & reels~ Tackle boxes full~ Many halters, bridles, cinches & misc. tack~ Hard gun cases~ Much more not listed!

Household: Upright freezer \sim Mitsubishi color TV \sim Wood bar stools \sim Small kitchen appliances \sim Home décor \sim 60+ die cast car & truck collection \sim 40+ Eagle collection, Brass, stone, metal & more \sim Incomplete List \sim

Miscellaneous: 12x12 building to be put together~ Misc. dimensional lumber~ new angle iron & tube iron~ Husqvarna golf cart~ Golf clubs~ 100+ ft of 3" PVC pipe~ 4x4 & 4x5 of sheet aluminum~ New garden cart~ 16x20' truck tarp~

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

Preview & Inspection: Friday 9/17 from 2:00 to 5:30 PM & auction morning.





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Western Family Variety Pack Hams	\$2 ⁹⁹
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12 oz.	\$299
Kraft Singles	Z ea.
Western Family 16 oz.	\$099
String Cheese	ea.
Deli	3 9 ¢
Cooked Burritos	39 ea.

Cauliflower	79¢
Bunched	79¢
Celery	/ J ea.
Lettuce	79 ¢

2 lb. Bagged Car <u>rots</u>	79¢ ea.
Avocados	79 ¢ ea.
Green Peppers	3 \$1

Pepsi Cola Products



2 Liter Bottles	¢410
Pepsi Cola Products	\$ 1 19

General Mills

Asst'd 14-15 oz.

24 oz. Eddy's	~ \$ <i>1</i>
Giant Sandwich Bread	2 \$ 4

Western Family Detergent



5.5 oz. Cans	~ \$4
Western Family Cat Food	3 \$ 1

MGD & Miller Light



12 Pack 12 oz. Cans

Western Family 128 oz. 2 \$5 **Apple Juice & Cider**

Del Monte	_ 64
Original Recipe	2 \$1
Stewed Tomatoes 14.5	0Z.

Doritos	φ.=
Tortilla Chips	2 \$4
16 oz.	101
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Green Giant	φ.
Canned Vegetables	2 \$ for
11-15 oz.	101

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14-18 oz.	cu.
Quaker Instant Oatmeal 10 Ct.	4 \$10
Old El Paso	

Taco Shells		
12 Ct.		
Betty Crocker		
Boxed Potato Mixes		

4.9-7.2 oz.

Western Family Frozen Orange Juice 89¢ eq. 12 oz. Hills Brother & Q 1 QQ

MJB Coffee 34-39 oz.	\$499 ea.
Old El Paso Refried Bean 16 oz.	4 \$3
Betty Crocker Cake Mixes	99¢

24 oz. Rice-A-Roni Asst'd

Western Family

Pancake Syrup

89¢ eq.

3 for 5

99¢ ea.

Old El Paso Salsa 16 oz.

Betty Crocker 3 \$5 **RTS Frosting** 12-16 oz.

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