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Board reconvenes Triangle Road hearing

Owyhee County Commissioners will reopen the hearing as to the status of Triangle Road on May 3 at 10 a.m. in the county courthouse. The initial hearing was held on March 7 and the record was kept open to allow parties to submit further evidence in the form of additional exhibits.

Commissioners said the hearing would only resume for the purpose of consideration of the additional exhibits and testimony relating to the exhibits.

Trustee candidates announced

Candidates for next month's Bruneau-Grand View School District trustee election were announced last week.

In zone 5, trustee Angelia Jo King will seek re-election against Howard Field and in zone 3, Darrel Agenbroad will seek re-election against Raymond Meyers.

Write-in candidates have until May 3 to file for candidacy. The election will be held on May 17.



Mars experiment

Jordan Meligan, Sydney Cornwall and Matthew Farrell listen to instructions from a judge during last weekend's Mars Rover competition in Meridian. Two teams from Homedale Middle School's gifted and talented program attended the competition with class built Lego rovers. (See story, page 9.)

Increasing precipitation raises water allotments

The Joint Board met on April 19 and determined that due to additional precipitation and considerable snow accumulations in the Owyhee Watershed, the allotment for reservoir lands irrigators would be raised from 2.3 acre feet per acre to 3.0 acre feet per acre.

South Board of Control Manager Rex Barrie said some of the SNOTEL sites in Idaho did not report a significant amount of precipitation last week, but several sites in the Owyhee watershed in Nevada did.

Fawn Creek started the week with 41.9 inches of snow on April 18. But by April 21, the site reported nearly 24 inches of new snow and rose its year to date precipitation from 21 inches to 26.1 inches.

In Laurel Draw, the site reported 13 inches of snow on April 18, but received 10.8 inches of new snow by April 21. Laurel Draw's year to date precipitation rose from 16.2 inches to 18.4 last week.

Jack Creek Upper gained three plus inches of new precipitation and the site measured 44.5 inches

of snow Monday before last and recorded 65.9 inches of snow by Thursday. Year to date precipitation rose from 18.1 to 21.6 by Sunday. Jacks Peek recorded 72.7 inches of snow on April 18, but finished the week with 94.6 inches and gained 3.7 inches of new precipitation.

Barrie said if the weather holds out and continues to be a wet spring, the allotments could again be looked at and changes could be made. But he said it is still too early to tell if the season will run through September.

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Homedale student places 5th in National chess championship



Matthew Farrell

For some kids, video games are the ruling obsession, but for Homedale Middle School sixth-grader Matthew Farrell, chess is king. Farrell is the son of Jeanette and Timothy Farrell of Homedale and has got what it takes, in chess that is, and showed his talents by placing fifth in the U.S. Chess Federation Super National III Chess championships in Crossville Tennessee earlier this month. Farrell won in his division among over 5,200 total entries in what is called the world's largest scholastic chess tournament in history.

Students from 1,300 schools in 48 states representing over 600 cities gathered at the Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center for four days of intense competition. Farrell brought home a trophy that is nearly as big as he is.

"It was tough," Farrell said last week. "I competed in two matches Friday, three matches on Saturday and two matches on Sunday. Each match can take up to four hours to finish. I was ranked under 1,000 but now I will bet I am over that."

Farrell, rated 853 points going into the competition was among 27 students from Idaho to attend. He said he has been playing chess since he was very young and now he can't find

anyone in his family he can't beat.

"My dad taught me originally," Farrell said. "Now I have graduated. It is like graduating when you can beat your dad."

He has won two state titles in chess and said he plans to join the chess club at the high school, when he gets there. Farrell said he won his first state title in first grade, and although he can't recall if he was in the second or third grade, he won his second.

"My rating is probably a lot higher than 1,000 now," Farrell laughed. "I don't think I will be competing in this division again. These were some of the hardest games I have ever played."

"This event highlights the tremendous enthusiasm for chess among students of all backgrounds in the United States," stated Jerry Nash, USCF Scholastic Director. "The over 46,000 students who are members of the United States Chess Federation represent a remarkable growth of scholastic chess in recent years. Teachers have discovered chess to be an excellent tool for teaching math and developing critical thinking skills. Parents have discovered the value of chess in teaching self-discipline and character development."



Close call

Owyhee County Deputy Chris Even investigates an accident on Highway 95 near Marsing last week as Marsing Ambulance crews check out Rafeal Moreno-Calderon and Silvia Moreno-Calderon who were involved in the accident. Rafeal collided with Christopher Shoemaker of Boise. No one was injured in the accident.



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Driver
Rafeal Moreno-Calderon, 19 of Marsing watches as tow crews prepare to remove a van he was driving from a canal near Marsing last week. Reports state that Moreno-Calderon was driving the vehicle west on Highway 95 when he attempted to pass another vehicle who was attempting a left turn. Moreno-Calderon was cited for inattentive driving.

Senator addresses water solutions

Mike Crapo addresses Andrus Center conference and speaks of initiative efforts

In a live satellite feed to the Andrus Center’s “Troubled Water” conference, Idaho Senator Mike Crapo told attendees that local, collaborative solutions are critical to the success of Idaho and Western states in maintaining local control of water rights. Crapo said that other examples of collaboration he has been involved with, including the Owyhee Initiative, Elk Collaborative, and work to improve the Endangered Species Act, demonstrate the power of collaborative efforts.

Crapo spoke to the “Troubled Water: Exploring Solutions to the West’s Water Crisis” conference at Boise State University last Wednesday morning. He said Idaho history contains several negotiated agreements including several regarding water. His message is that for any solution to water problems to pass Congress, it must be crafted and supported locally.

“Idaho residents must continue to work together to find solutions to ongoing water issues or risk the threat that the federal government or interests from out of state will step in to override local interests,” warned Crapo. “The federal government now offers the ‘carrot and stick’ of landowner incentives and water regulatory authority under laws like the Endangered Species Act or Clean Water Act. But the federal government has also recognized state water authority. Proactive planning must continue so that states retain water control. With the drought, we will see increasing pressure regarding water allocation issues. We must focus

on collaboration and consensus-driven decisions at the local level, which can then be brought to the Congress for ratification.”

Crapo held water talks between irrigators and salmon advocates in September 2003. He has also spearheaded collaborative efforts related to elk recovery, the Owyhee Initiative, and, most recently, reducing litigation and improving recovery efforts under the Endangered Species Act.

He said locally driven consensus planning improves state water control issues before the Congress.

“The dynamics surrounding the close voting margins in the United States Senate mean that the proposals with the most success will come from local collaborative efforts agreed to by all sides of an issue,” Crapo continued. “The more we can agree at the local level, the better the chance that local agreement will survive a vote in a divided Senate. The Senate is too politically split for either side to ram something through. Only a true compromise will stand up to filibusters or vetoes. And if any legitimate groups are left out, their opposition can kill any deal.”

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NWS awards two local observers

The National Weather Service awarded two local people recently for their continuous observations of local weather. The NWS Cooperative Observer Program (COOP) is the Nation’s weather and climate observing network of, by and for the people. More than 11,000 volunteers take observations on farms, in urban and suburban areas, National Parks, seashores, and mountaintops.

Despite all of the state-of-the-art technology associated with the modernization of the National Weather Service, there remains a program that has remained virtually unchanged since its inception over a century ago. This is the Cooperative Weather Observer Program where volunteer weather observers across the country record daily temperature and precipitation data. Many Cooperative Stations in the United States have been collecting weather data from the same location for over 100 years.

The DeLamar Mining Company was presented with an institutional award for 25 years of continuous observations. Ken Acree of the staff accepted the award.

In Grasmere, Bill Tindall was presented with a plaque for 40 years of service as a Co-Op Observer.

Head start spring fling to be held Saturday

Members of the Marsing Head Start WICAP Program have been working to coordinate a spring fling festival this year and activities will begin at noon on Saturday. The first time event will be held at the Marsing City Park until 3 p.m. and will give children a chance to learn about summer activities and sign up for programs.

Games, face painting, an astro jump and a petting zoo will be among some of the activities children can enjoy during the day. Coordinators from the head start program will also be taking applications for pre-registration. Organizers from the Marsing Lion’s Optimist Football program, Marsing Summer Rec program and leaders from the local boy scouts will also be accepting signups during the daylong event.

Spring fling coordinator Santiago Ramirez said a raffle, games for children and many other activities are planned. Plenty of information about the program will be available as well. A car show will be held near the park with local children voting for ribbon winners in a variety of categories. The event is free to the public.

Raffle tickets are available with a full list of prizes to win. Some items to be raffled include Roaring Springs tickets, movie tickets, thinking tents, movie rental packages, store certificates, and dinner certificates. Tickets for the raffle are \$1 each and will also be sold during the event.

A 1989 Plymouth Sundance car and a four-piece bedroom set will also be raffled. Tickets for the raffle will be sold for \$5 each and can be purchased at the center in Marsing. Tickets for the raffle are available at the head start center in Marsing or by calling 896-6014.



Honor society

Honor society inductees pictured are front row: Jessica Mooney, Michelle Uria, Jeannete Aguilera, Magdalena Vega, Karina Aguilera, Kelly Uilkema and Stephanie Larzelier. Middle row, Faith Brasher, Jessica Hansen, Hailee Garrett, Jennifer George, Shaunna Vaughan, Andrew VanDerhoff, and Richard Eidemiller. Back row, Ryan Rupp, Brett Hopkins, Patrick Vega, Richard Seamount, Stuart Miyasako, Tyler Christoffersen, Garret Sweet, and Ian Lootens.

Students inducted into honor society

Twenty-five students were inducted into the Homedale High School honor society on April 6 during a ceremony held in the high school’s cafeteria.

Students are inducted into the society who has a 3.3 cumulative grade point average or higher. They participate in many community service projects, leadership projects and donate service hours during their senior year.

Former teacher Wally McDowell was the guest speaker for the evening and Lacey VanderBoegh entertained the group by playing the harp.

Those inducted include: Jennifer George, Hailee Garrett, Richard Eidemiller, Tyler Christoffersen, Faith Brasher, Maria Jeanette Aguilera, Karina Aguilera, Antonia Vasquez-Aguilera, Magdalena Vega, Shawna Vaughan, Jessica Mooney, Michelle Uria, Kelly Uilkema, Stephanie Larzelier, Emily Huckins, Jessica Hansen, Patrick Vega, Ian Lootens, Trent McRae, Stuart Miyasako, Andrew VanDerhoff, Brett Hopkins, Garrett Sweet, Robert Seamount and Ryan Rupp.

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Wilson Butte organizer is generation of leadership

Mary Blackstock is the organizational leader of the Wilson Butte 4-H Club and has been a dedicated 4-H volunteer for more than 18 years. She said she has a strong bond in her heart towards 4-H, which goes back to her many years of being a youth in the 4-H program and to her mom who started her in 4-H as a young girl.

“My mom had the same 4-H bond and got us started in the youth program at age nine. I was hooked from the start,” Mary recalled. “Looking back, the leader’s challenge is to teach the members how to do the proper things with their project while making it fun and interesting.”

Mary said her first challenge was a \$50 pony that walked trotted and bucked her off. She said her second challenge was a \$150 dollar, “starved down,” larger pony with a foal.

“She test drove great, but after getting her home, fattened up and the foal weaned, I found out what was under the hood,” Mary laughed. “We worked on leads, no problem with the flying changes. Seeing what was needed for a show horse, we tried to lower her head and calm her down but things were not working. This mare had been barrel raced, was quick, and loved to run. That was how I learned to ride and stay on.”

But Mary says her young days in 4-H with its ups and downs

was “all a part of the learning process.”

“Back then, our club was the Galloping Gourmets and Krafty Kritters,” Mary explained. “Being very active, we followed the 4-H rules, attended six general meetings, gave a demonstration, completed a community service project and a record book. We learned the responsibility of record keeping and taking care of our project. There were the ups and downs of competition and if down, you worked on how to do better next time. We also learned how to speak in front of groups and about the pride of helping others and the bond of 4-H friendships. No matter how good or bad, someone would tell you ‘good job’ or ‘congratulations’ while cheering you on.”

Throughout Mary’s 4-H career she has had many projects including horses, dogs, crafts, cooking, and beef.

“My first year taking a beef project, I borrowed the neighbor’s bottle fed, pot bellied calf,” Mary continued. “I did not think any thing could change my direction from horses, but I was hooked. We then made a trip to Melba and purchased our first registered Angus heifers.”

Mary built up a small herd and showed as many head as she could stuff in the trailer at several of the local fairs in Washington. This created job offers that caused her to set off on the show road. She traveled and worked sales and showed cattle in Washington, Pacific International in Portland, Montana, Cow Palace in San Francisco, Idaho, Reno, National Western in Denver, American Royal in Kansas, Des Moines, Iowa, Louisville and Virginia.

Then Mary headed up to

Canada. Red Deer, Calgary Stampede, Northlands Farm Fair Edmonton, Lethbridge, and the Canadian Western Agribition in Regina, Saskatchewan.

In between these shows and being home, she said she would help with 4-H.

“What I learned through 4-H, along with hard work, is a bond created by those unforgettable experiences,” Mary said.

Mary met her husband Ted while working a bull sale in Idaho. They now live on the Blackstock Ranch near Marsing with their two children Tyler and Kate. Connie Brandau asked Mary if she wanted to be a 4-H Beef leader and with great excitement, Mary joined the leadership of the Wilson Butte 4-H club where she led 17 youth in the market beef project.

After several years, she suspended her project leadership and became the beef superintendent at the Owyhee County Fair. During that time, Mary also created the herdsmanship and costume contests at the fair. Three years ago she decided that it was time to lead again and she became the organizational leader of the Wilson Butte 4-H Club.

“With our leaders’ knowledge and teaching activities, and with

pride, our Wilson Butte members have won many competitions and championships,” Mary said.

In between ranching, coaching girl’s basketball, a few rodeos, horse shows and 4-H, Mary has a full time kitchen position at the Marsing School.

She said she has seen the positive effects that 4-H/FFA has on youth.

“It keeps kids busy,” Mary said. “These kids are the ones who volunteer first, help out where needed, are leaders of their class and have their pictures up in the schools. 4-H has been with me for a long time. Members that I taught as a leader, now have kids in this club. I guess you can say, ‘I bleed green head, heart, hands and health. It’s a 4-H bond.’”

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Service to review status of four springsnail species

Public comment period closes June 20

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service announced that it is conducting an in-depth review of the status of four springsnail species, including the endangered Idaho springsnail (*Pyrgulopsis idahoensis*), a species that occurs in Idaho's Snake River near the CJ Strike Reservoir upstream to Bancroft Springs. The Service also will review the status of the Harney Lake springsnail from eastern Oregon, the Jackson Lake springsnail from western Wyoming, and the Columbia springsnail from the lower Columbia River, to determine

whether they should be listed as threatened or endangered.

The review was prompted by two separate petitions concerning the four-springsnail species. One petition seeks the delisting of the Idaho springsnail, while the second petition seeks the listing of the other three snails. Both petitions cite new scientific information suggesting the four species may be the same.

"The taxonomic classification of the Idaho springsnail used in our 1992 listing decision has been questioned by some members of the scientific community," said Jeff Foss, Field Supervisor of the Service's Snake River Fish and Wildlife Office in Boise. "It is therefore appropriate to examine the taxonomy of the Idaho springsnail, and the other springsnails more closely, as well as their listing classification and current status."

Because a status review is also required once every 5-years for all ESA listed species, the Service has elected to prepare these two reviews for the Idaho springsnail simultaneously. The purpose of a 5-year review is to determine whether the species is properly classified as threatened or endangered, or has recovered. The 5-year review process will evaluate population data, factors affecting the species, and ongoing conservation measures. During the review, the Idaho springsnail will continue to receive full En-

dangered Species Act protection. On June 28, 2004, the Service was petitioned by the Idaho Governor's Office of Species Conservation and Idaho Power Company to delist the Idaho springsnail. The Bureau of Reclamation supported the petition. The petition included a peer-reviewed report by Dr. Robert Hershler that suggests the taxonomic status of the Idaho springsnail should be revised. The suggested taxonomic revision would place the four springsnails into one species, *Pyrgulopsis robusta*.

A 60-day public comment period on this status review begins today and ends June 20, 2005. Information and comments should be submitted to the Snake River Fish and Wildlife Office, 1387 S. Vinnell Way, Room 368, Boise, Idaho 83709. Comments may also be faxed to 208-378-5262, or e-mailed to fwlsrbocomment@fws.gov. Please include "Idaho Springsnail Review Comments" in the title line for faxes and e-mails. If our Internet connection is disrupted, please submit your comments by mail or fax to the number above.

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Shoo-Fly 4-H news

By Deena Emry

The Shoo-Fly 4-H Club held a meeting on April 10th. The group talked about club T-shirts, but said they still have not come up with what the T-shirts will look like. Next, they had members who helped with the Easter egg community service project give a report to the club.

Under new business, this year's fair theme is going to be "Makin' Tracks to the Owyhee County Fair." The fair dates are August 8th through the 13th. Another announcement made was that the swine weigh-in has been changed to May 9th at 6 p.m. at the fairgrounds. There will be a 4-H/FFA field day on May 16th for those who want to go. A special reminder is that all 4-Hers need to start working on their CCS books.

After the meeting was adjourned, the club was broken into groups and they participated in a Skill-A-Thon contest where they went to four different tables and answered questions about dairy, swine, lamb and beef. The Shoo-Fly's next club meeting will be at 6 p.m. on May 15th.



Newer wheels

Owyhee County Sheriff's Office provided a former sheriff's car for TRIAD to use for patrol purposes. Dick Burman, TRIAD member said the car is used mostly to patrol Jump Creek. The 1997 Crown Victoria was delivered to the group in Marsing last week. Pictured are Deputy Aron Streibel, Ervin Gifford, Dick Burman and Bill Shaw.

Water and snow report

for April 25

The following is a water and snow report from the Natural Resources Conservation Service as of April 25. The Owyhee Reservoir held 281,764 acre-feet of water and was 39 percent of full. Seven hundred thirty eight cubic feet per second of water was entering the reservoir at Rome and 51 CFS was leaving the dam. The reservoir is at 46 percent of a 30-year average. Snow pack and water equivalent is as follows:

Site Name	Date	Change In Snow Water Equivalent	Snow Depth	Year to date precipitation
Reynolds Creek	04/18	0.0	-99.9	
	04/19	0.0	-99.9	11.9
	04/20	0.0	0.0	11.9
	04/21	0.0	0.2	12.0
	04/22	0.0	-99.9	12.8
	04/23	0.0	0.0	12.8
	04/24	0.0	-99.9	12.7
	04/25	0.0	0.0	13.5
South Mtn.	04/18	6.7	20.5	
	04/19	6.7	20.6	20.9
	04/20	6.5	21.1	21.0
	04/21	6.6	22.4	21.2
	04/22	6.7	20.7	21.3
	04/23	6.2	17.3	21.3
	04/24	5.7	16.1	21.3
	04/25	5.7	15.5	22.8
Mud Flat	04/18	0.0	0.0	
	04/19	0.0	-99.9	10.2
	04/20	0.0	-99.9	10.3
	04/21	0.1	-99.9	10.5
	04/22	0.1	-99.9	10.5
	04/23	0.1	-99.9	10.6
	04/24	0.0	-99.9	10.5
	04/25	0.1	-99.9	11.4

Local student selected

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Apr29: Tacos/fixings, veggies, fruit, chocolate pudding, milk, chicken nuggets, salad bar 4th-12th, roll.
May 2: Burrito/fixings, rice, fruit, milk, hamburger, salad bar 4th-12th, roll.
May 3: Hot turkey sandwich, corn, fruit crisp, milk, chicken sandwich, salad bar 4th-12th, roll.
May 4: Red Baron pizza, salad/dressing, fruit, milk, baked potato & chili bar, salad bar 4th-12th, roll.

Homedale Elementary
Apr28: Spaghetti or hot pocket, French bread, green beans, fruit bar, milk.
Apr29: ½ ham & cheese or turkey sandwich, yogurt, veggies, fruit bar, ice cream bar, milk.
May 2: Beef wiener wrap or chicken pot pie, mac & cheese, green beans, rice krispie treat, fruit bar, milk.
May 3: Beef or chicken taco/fixings, corn, fruit bar, milk.
May 4: Chicken or rib-b-que/bun, potato wedges, applesauce cake, fruit bar, milk.

Homedale Middle
Apr28: Pizza or popcorn chicken, salad, fruit bar, cookie, milk.
Apr29: Nachos or baked potato, fruit & veggie bar, rice krispie treat, milk.
May 2: Chicken patty or rib-b-que, tots, fruit bar, cookie, milk.
May 3: Sloppy Joe or wiener wrap, green beans, fruit bar, animal crackers, milk.
May 4: Beef or chicken taco, corn, fruit bar, fruit roll-up, milk.

Homedale High
Apr28: Chicken patty/bun or sandwich choice, fries, fruit & veggie bar, dessert, milk.
Apr29: Crispito or rib-b-que, corn, taco salad, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
May 2: Pizza or popcorn chicken, fruit & veggie bar, dessert, milk.
May 3: Cntry fried beef stk or chicken filet, mashed potato/gravy, roll, fruit & veggie bar, milk.
May 4: Spaghetti or burrito, French bread, fruit & veggie bar, milk.

Bruneau schools
Apr28: Ham & cheese sandwich, tots, veggies, fruit, cookie, milk.
Apr29: Weiner wraps, baked beans, potato salad, peaches, cookies, milk.
May 2: Southwest chicken, salad, veggies, bread sticks, fruit, milk.
May 3: Spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic bread, peaches, milk.
May 4: Cooks Choice.



Don and Dorothy Basey celebrate 50th anniversary

Don and Dorothy (Brown) Basey will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on May 7 with a reception in their home at 1 p.m. on Hoskins Road near Homedale. The Basey’s children and grand children are hosting the event.
The couple was married on April 28, 1955 at Elko, Nevada. They have two children, Debbie (Jeff) Hall and Dave (Patty) Basey. They have lived in the same area West of Caldwell all of their married life.
Don is a semi-retired farmer and Dorothy retired seven years ago after serving 35 years at West Valley Medical Center as an operating room nurse.
Friends and relatives are invited to attend, but the couple has requested no gifts, but cards are welcome.

Birth

Rylan Joshua Love
Rylan Joshua Love was born to Josh and Lindsey Love of Homedale on April 13 at Mercy Medical Center in Nampa at 8:34 a.m. Rylan weighed 8 pounds, 14 ounces and was 19 inches long.
Rylan’s maternal grandparents are Tom and Leslie Corbet of Wilder and his maternal great grandparents are Phil and Jacque Batt of Garden City.
His paternal grandparents are Jerry and Susan Love of Homedale and his great grandmother is Glenyce Maupin of Homedale. Rylan joins a brother, Jace.

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Irrigation district meetings set

The Ridgeview Irrigation District will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. on Monday, May 9 at its office at 118 S. 1st Street in Homedale.
The Gem Irrigation District will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:15 p.m. on Monday at the same location.
The South Board of Control will hold its regular monthly meeting at the above location at 7:30 p.m. on Monday.



South American trip
Long time Homedale dairy farmers Steve and MaryAnn Richards recently flew their single engine Cessna to Ecuador, South America. They are shown refueling in GuayaQuil, Ecuador. Photo submitted.

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Happy Birthday Andrew!

Love Mom, Dad, Lauryn, Rachel Brandt

Physical therapist couple helps patients recover, rebuild and feel good

Matthew Smith and his wife Samantha recently joined the RehabAuthority team in Homedale and have set up as physical therapists for very young children to elderly adults. The couple began working in the Homedale office last year and now Matt says they have a very busy office in the city.

Matt earned his bachelor degree from Albertson College of Idaho in Caldwell and then pursued his doctorate of physical therapy at the University of Puget Sound in Tacoma, Washington. Matt says like his wife, he loves learning and sharing his knowledge with others.

Between his studies he discovered SCUBA diving and soon became a certified SCUBA Diving Instructor. To counterbalance the warm weather sport he also volunteered during the winter as a ski instructor for a program called Ski-for-All, teaching kids with disabilities how to downhill ski.

While working in Tacoma, Matt met his wife Samantha who was also a doctorate student.

Samantha enjoys working with children. She sees patients

part-time at the Homedale office with her husband.

While pursuing her Bachelor of Science degree in Human Biology and Athletic Training at Grand Canyon University, she traveled with many of the Phoenix, Arizona, and school sports teams to games as their athletic trainer. While there she also coordinated and supervised youth sports with the Glendale Parks and Recreation Department and coached softball and volleyball. Samantha knows, firsthand, the value of playful yet carefully planned physical therapy for the quick minds and energized bodies of kids as they recover from injury, surgery or accidents.

Samantha works mostly in Nampa but sees children in Homedale part-time.

Matt is replacing former therapist Dennis Balmer who is working in home health now. Matt sees patients on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 7:30 a.m. until 6:30 p.m. and on Tuesday and Thursday from 8 a.m. until noon. He also accepts walk in patients.



Healing treatment

RehabAuthority doctor Matthew Smith uses a laser treatment on a patient at the Homedale office last week. Smith replaced Doctor Dennis Balmer as a physical therapist.



Matthew Smith



Samantha Smith

Thank You

The Homedale Chamber of Commerce would like to Thank all those who made this years Community Easter Egg Hunt a success. Your time and generous donations made for a wonderful event.

I would like to convey a great amount of gratitude for those who took time to help in the preparations of this event. My Thanks goes out to those of the Shoo Fly 4-H Club who assisted in the stuffing of Easter Eggs as well as setting up for the hunt. Your help is greatly appreciated. I would also like to Thank those members of the Chamber of Commerce who were able to take time and help put smiles on the faces of many grateful children.

I would like to personally Thank the following businesses for their generous donations.

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Before

Walter's Ferry before a renovation project by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game. Photo by Dennis Hardy, IDFG.



After

Walter's Ferry after: ready for boaters. Renovation work at Fish and Game's Walter's Ferry Access site is now complete.

Renovated Walter's Ferry ready for boaters

*by Dennis Hardy,
Utility Craftsman
Idaho Department of Fish and
Game – Southwest Region*

This spring brings to a conclusion a major renovation project of one of our region's more popular boat ramps located on the Snake River at Fish and Game's Walters Ferry access area. This project has been underway for the past three years and when you consider it's relatively low cost and size that may seem to be an unusually long time. For a little more than the cost of an average home in our area, the department has built a first class boat launching facility that should serve area hunters and anglers for many years to come.

So, why did it take so long to complete this \$181,000 project? There are several reasons, but none more difficult than how a project like this is funded. Each year, Fish and Game receives an allocation of funds from the U.S Fish and Wildlife Service. The *Federal Aid in Sport Fish Restoration* program from which these funds come was created as part of the Dingell-Johnson Act of 1950 and the Wallop-Breaux Amendment of 1984. This Act is not a tax on your income that you must pay every year, but rather revenues collected

nationwide from manufacturers of fishing rods, reels, creels, lures, flies and artificial baits, who pay an excise tax on these items. Additionally, some funds are generated from the sale of motorboat fuels.

Each state in the union receives a share of this funding, based on the number of licensed anglers in the state, and on the percentage of land and water in the state. Of Idaho's 4.3 million share of Sport Fish Restoration funds, the boating access program received \$652,000 last year. Combined with the required 25 percent match (\$215,000) Fish and Game provides from license revenues, the state has a total of \$867,000 ear-marked for boating access in Idaho. The majority of this funding is divided among the seven Fish and Game regions for routine maintenance and some minor renovations on the 156 boating facilities found statewide, 24 of which are in southwest Idaho.

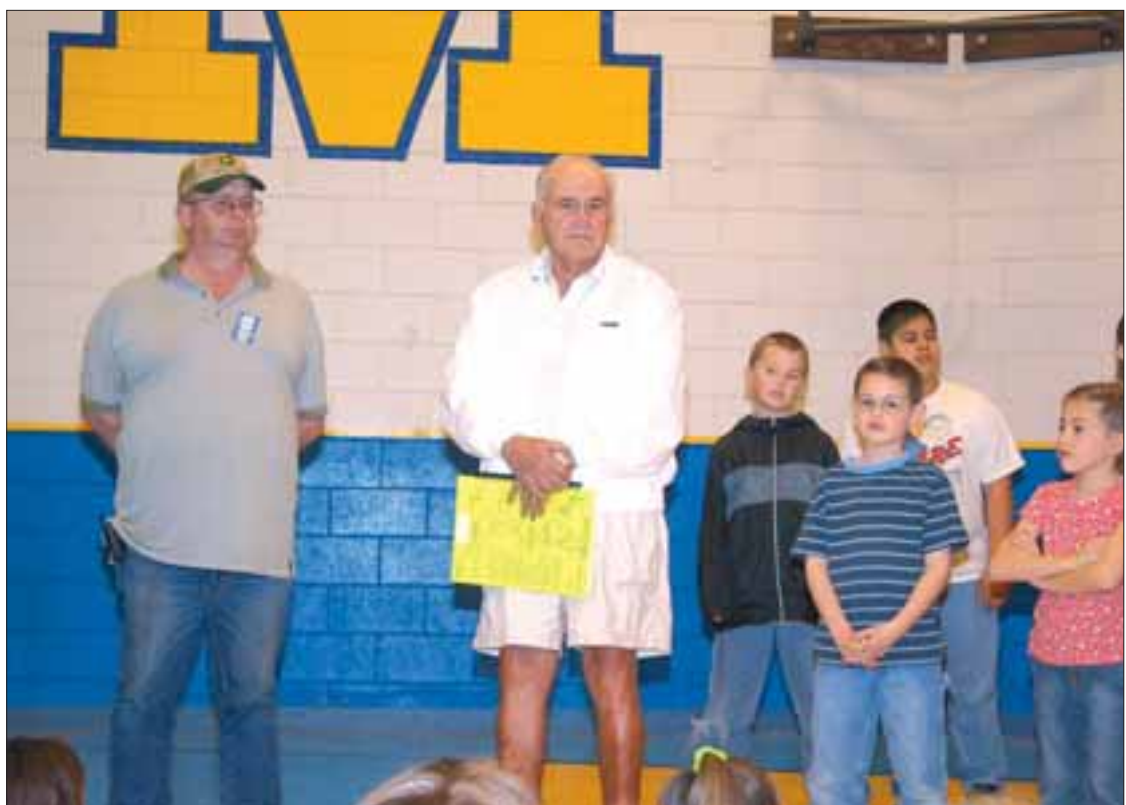
Funds remaining for project development vary, but has totaled about \$400,000 in recent years. That's not a great deal of money to spread across the state for worthy boating access improvement projects. Living within our budget, we worked on improving Walters Ferry as funding allowed, which lead to the multi-year nature of the project. The good news is that site improvements only cost

Fish and Game about \$45,000 in license funds, with the balance coming from federal Sport Fish Restoration funds.

The renovation of Walters Ferry has been a great project for me personally, and I am hopeful

that Fish and Game will have the opportunity to conduct another major renovation on a popular boating facility soon. If you've not visited Walters Ferry lately, I encourage you to do so. You may not recognize the place. The

facilities were designed and built to accommodate users of all levels of ability including the new boarding dock. Walters Ferry is located south of Nampa just off of State Highway 45 on the south side of the Snake River.



Playground funding

Marsing Fire Department Fire Marshal Roman Usabel receives a card from Marsing Elementary School children and staff during a presentation last week. Usabel and members of the Marsing Disaster Auction committee donated \$10,000 to the school for new playground equipment.

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Rover climb

Trevor Gibson and Stephen Lauson prepare their Mars Rover for a hill climb during Saturday's competition.

HMS students compete in Mars rover contest

Students from the gifted and talented program at Homedale Middle School traveled to Meridian last week to compete in the Mars Rover Challenge sponsored by the University of Idaho. Fifth and sixth grade students from around Treasure Valley competed in the daylong event at Lowell Scott Middle School in which the winning team advanced to the state competition at the Discovery Center in Boise next month.

Homedale took two teams to the event in which they built a rover from Lego building blocks complete with gears and a re-

mote control device. The rovers are tested in several categories including climbing a steep hill, racing through an obstacle course, picking up rocks and storing them until they crossed the finish line. They competed in a blind driving test where the operator was blindfolded and maneuvered their rover on oral instructions from a "co-pilot."

Gifted and talented instructor Stephanie Brown said the students kept a journal of the development of their rovers to show time management, budget and designed a poster for the event. They gave a

speech about the project as well.

Team one, The Crater Creepers consisted of Jordan Meligan, Sydney Cornwall, Raven Kelly, Deena Emry, Gil Lootens and Matthew Farrell. Team two, The Ok's, was made up of Caitlyn Johnson, Trevor Gibson, Taylor Thomas and Stephen Lauson. The competition was held from 9:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. followed by an awards ceremony at 2 p.m.

Team one said as they built the rover, there were a lot of things they needed to fix. One was making the wheels spin and the other was how to make the scoop for rock pickups.

"It took us almost three days to get them to turn," Meligan said during the competition. "None of us were experienced with building with Legos."

Brown said the group only meets at the school once a week and the lack of time affected the students' progress. She said for Homedale's teams the competition was not about winning, it was about teamwork.

"They did an awesome job working together to make a rover out of Legos," Brown said Saturday. "There are a lot of schools here who are able to spend much more time on their projects. We are just glad to be here and the children are having a great time."

This year's winners were the Marooned Monkeys from Mars, Lowell Scott Middle School. Second place was won by Pioneer Elementary School, Men from M.A.R.S. and third place was won by Pluto Pulverizers, Lowell Scott Middle School.

Stimmel places first in jump events

Jessica Stimmel led the Homedale Trojans during the Ore-Ida Duals Track meet at Vallivue High School last week. Idaho beat Oregon in the boys' and the girls' events with 321 to 231 for the boys and 324.5 to 237.5 in the girls' events.

The second annual event is hosted by Vallivue, which showed the most success of the teams participating.

Stimmel placed first in the triple jump and the long jump with 34-06.5 and 16-06.75 respectively. Stimmel placed fourth in the running events finishing at 27.54 in the 200 behind Vale, and Vallivue.

Cheyenne Andrade placed second in the shot put and the discus throwing the shot 31-09 and 103 in the discus. Belen Vega placed fourth in the 3200 with 14:06.89 and seventh in the 1600. Alejandra Ramos finished in 31st place with 21-10 and in discus with 48-05.25.

Taryn Corta placed fifth in the triple jump with 31-01.25 and sixth in the long jump with 15-01.25.

In the relay events, Homedale placed fourth in the 4x100 with 53.94, and sixth in the 4x200 with 2:00.9. Kristin Phifer, Delilah Fierro, Perla Gonzalez and Danyel Barnard made up the team in the 4x200 and Barnard, Gonzalez, Corta and Stimmel made up the team in the 4x100.

Other placers from Homedale in the event included, in the girls 100, Corta, 13th with 13.77, Phifer in 21st with 14.57. In the girls 200, Barnard, 12th with 29.18, Gonzalez, 17th with 29.79, Fierro in 26th with 31.28 and Phifer in 28th with 31.37. In girls 400, Terry Moon finished in 16th place with 1:14.42. In girls 1600, Belen placed seventh with 6:28.48 and Terry Moon placed 9th with 6:35.

In boys track events, Mark Vance placed 11th with 25.12 in boys 200 followed by Larry Wass in 22nd with 26.05 and Chris Anders in 24th with 26.12. Wass also finished the boys 800 with a 2:24.

In Boys 400, Anders placed 7th with 57.87 and Bobby Seamount placed 16th with 1:03.22. In the 3200, Jacob placed with a 12.24.

In relays, Homedale finished 9th with 51.12. Seamount, Wass, Anders and Vance made the run.

In the boy's field events, Terrence Thomas was the only winner by placing second in the discus with 133-09.5. Anthony Jacob placed 13th in long jump with 17-07.25 followed by Vance with 17-06.25 in 14th and Anders in 19th with 16-09.25. Vance finished the triple jump with 37-03.50 and Jacob placed 9th with 35-11.

Thomas placed 10th in shot put with 36-06 followed by teammates George Gaspar in 33rd with 30-01.50 and Seamount in 35 with 30 feet.

In Discus, Seamount placed 9th with 104.01 and Gaspar placed 36th with 71-05.75. George Gaspar in 33rd with 30-01.50 and Seamount in 35 with 30 feet.

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Middle school tracksters defeat Greenleaf and Payette

The seventh and eighth grade boys and girls track teams defeated Greenleaf and Payette on Thursday at Homedale. The Trojan eighth grade boys won the meet 74 to 42 and 9, were led by Rodrigo Villarreal who won the 100m hurdles in 15.9 seconds, was third in the 100m (12.46), won the 200m (26.57) and second in the 400m (1:02.9).

Rowdy Lair also helped the Tros to victory by tossing discus 90'8" to win, was second in the shot (34'10") and anchored the 4x4 relay team to victory. Brandon Valadez was third in the shot, and Jusus Gonzalez, fourth.

Many of the eighth grade girls had solid performances on their way to 87 points, followed by



100-meter hurdles

Eighth graders Chalsea Hicks, Erika Shanley, and Hannah Gibson-Johnson race against the clock in the 100-meter hurdles at the Jr. High track meet held in Homedale. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

Greenleaf's 23, and Payette's 6.

The 100m hurdles was the tightest race of the day as Chalsea Hicks was first, Erika Shanley, second, and Hannah Gibson-Johnson, third. None of the hurdlers heard the gun sound twice so they kept running. They had to run the race again, later, and Erika Shanley landed wrong injuring her foot and could not finish. Gibson-Johnson won with a time of 18.58, and Chalsea Hicks, 18.59.

The seventh grade boys were once again led by Jake Tolmie, who coach Luci Mereness said was born to run. He won in impressive fashion the 1600m (5:51.85), the 400m (1:05.62) and the 800m (2:35.34). Jake also anchored the 4x400 relay team to victory as an added bonus.

The 7th grade girls won 67-GFA (26) 28. Cindi Nance won the high jump (3'6") and the 100m hurdles were won by Jessica Eubanks (20.14) she was also third in the 1600. Ana Almarez was fourth in the 1600. The Trojans owned the long jump led by Amalia Carenas (11'6") second was Priscilla Sanchez (11'31/2") Megan Quintana was third, (11'31/2") Ashlynned

Uria was second in the 100m (15.53).

On Thursday, April 28th the team travels to Weiser to compete against the Wolverines.



Sprinter

Seventh grader Jake Tolmie sprints for the finish line in the 800-meter run. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

Marsing Lions optimist football to host jamboree

A football and cheerleading jamboree will be held at the Marsing Elementary School on May 7 at 10 a.m. The event is sponsored by the Marsing Lions Optimist football and cheerleading program and will feature a Pepsi/NFL Punt, Pass and Kick competition and a cheerleading camp conducted by Boise State University cheerleaders.

Children 8 to 18 will be able to qualify for the Pepsi/NFL competition. A short instructional clinic featuring BSU all-star quarterback and former Homedale coach Jim McMillan will be held for athletes. McMillan will show students proper techniques for punting, passing and kicking. The cheerleading clinic will teach stretches, techniques, cheers and a short routine.

Lunch will be available and a silent auction will be held. Funds raised at the silent auction will be used to purchase uniforms and equipment for the Optimist football and cheerleading program. Registration for both programs will be available throughout the event.

"It's a great chance for kids in Homedale, Marsing and surrounding areas to show their talents in punting, passing and kicking," Optimist coach Ken Wilson said. "Local winners will compete in the regional trials and could have a chance to show their stuff in an NFL game."

For more information, contact Ken Wilson at 880-1099, Aaron Benion at 450-9052 or Jim Briggs at 880-9467.

Huskies bite Trojans in 11-6 conference win

Marsing stepped up to the plate and stopped the Nampa Christian Trojans 11-6 in a 2A Western Idaho Conference softball victory last week. Marsing jumped to a quick 8-1 lead after three innings Tuesday night and kept the lead throughout the game.

Ashley Kirsch led the offense, finishing one for three with a double and an RBI for Marsing. Keshia Stafford finished one for four with a double and Angela Martinez went two for five with three RBI. A triple play in the sixth inning kept the Huskies a step ahead.

Nicole Gelinis picked up the win for Marsing by going all seven innings.



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Trojans take Wolverines at the nets

Parma wins seven matches for Thursday win

The Weiser Wolverines took two of three from the Homedale girls on only one girls double match for a 9-3 loss to the Trojans in a 3A Snake River Valley tennis match last week. The boys swept the Wolverines and Homedale beat Weiser in all their mixed doubles matches. After an hour rain delay Thursday evening, Parma beat the Trojans 8-4.

Rachel Seamount and Shanae Galloway beat Weiser’s Amy Link and Jessie Else 6-1, 6-1 in a girls doubles win. Jeremy Ensley and Josh Myers beat Chris Shirts and Ryan Alder 6-0, 6-1 and Marc Eby and Matt Holloway won a 6-1, 6-2 match against Tristan Winegar and Chris Behrens for the boys doubles victory.

In boys singles, Brett Hopkins defeated Johnny Hullinger 6-0, 6-3, Drew Duryee won by forfeit and Levi Jones beat Trevor Manning 6-1, 6-1 for the sweep.

In girls singles, Caity Jones beat Kara Nakamura 6-0, 6-0, but Emily Verwer lost to Weiser’s Chelsey Anderson 6-1, 6-4 and Jordan Zoller beat Homedale’s Betty Montes 6-0, 6-1.

Natalie Wilkins and Kasey Gibbs beat Trojans Kinzie Reuck and Rochelle Antonucci 6-2, 2-6, 6-1 in girls doubles.

In mixed doubles, T.J. Meyers and Lacey VanderBoegh beat Jeff Gaida and Jodi Else 6-3, 6-0 and Andrew Bingham and Chada Cox beat Wolverines Grayson Duren and Jennifer Roundtree 6-0, 6-1 for the sweep.

On Thursday, Homedale was winning most of the matches when delayed the match. Homedale was leading 3-1 before the delay.

Homedale’s number one boys doubles team, Ensley and Meyers defeated Nick Padilla and Trent Weber 6-4, 6-1. Hopkins defeated Trent Timmons 6-1, 6-1, but Parma won against Duryee and Jones. In boys doubles, Eby and Holloway lost 6-2, 6-1 against Bryant Timmons and Hal Nielsen.

In girls singles, Jones defeated Amber Edwards, 6-1, 6-0 while Seamount beat Joyce Cochran, 6-1, 6-1. Allison Fetter beat Galloway 6-4, 1-6, 3-6.



Hand-off

Marsing Husky Cody Heller hands-off a baton to Ehtan Sauer during track events at the Parma Invitational last week. Photo by Jeremy Hall.

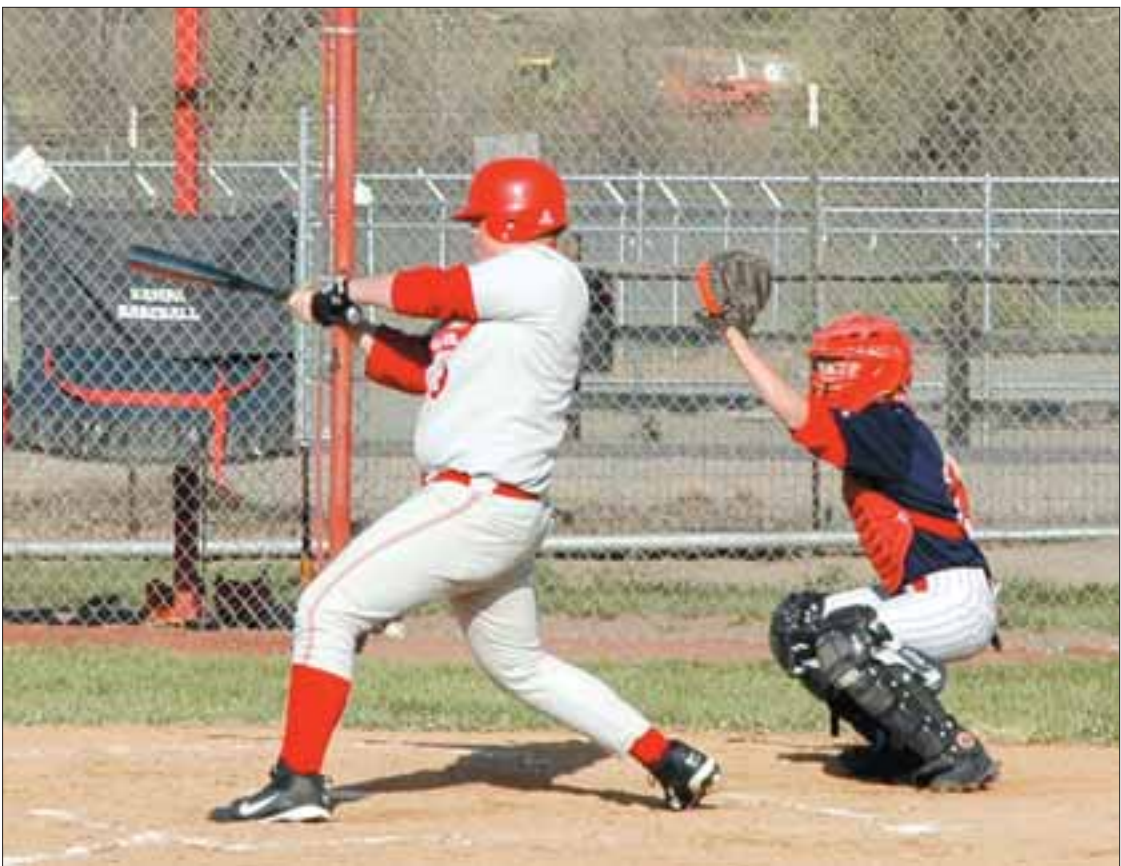
Marsing places fourth and fifth at Parma invitational

The Marsing Huskies placed fourth and fifth at the Parma Invitational last week. Cody Heller led the Huskies with first place in shot put at 48 feet six inches and first in the discus with 136 feet.

Chris Covey placed first in the high jump with 5 feet 10 inches and Dustin Rynearson improved in the long jump by two feet from 13 feet to 15 feet.

The girls team placed fourth in the invite with Breeana Chadez placing first in the long jump at 15 feet 9 inches and in the high jump with 5 feet 4 inches.

M J Usabel won third place in the 100 hurdles, fourth place in the 300 hurdles with 54.9, second in the pole vault with nine feet, and fifth in the long jump with 14 feet three inches. Laura Marcial had a personal record in the 100 m at 15.1.



Swing

Homedale Trojan John Bittick slams a line drive from the plate during a baseball game against Nampa Christian last week. Photo by Jan Aman.

Junior varsity A team wins seventh straight game

JV B team struggles with NC Trojans and Rimrock Raiders

Homedale’s junior varsity A team is on a roll winning its seventh straight baseball game last week and improved to a 12-2 record. Homedale is now 4-1 in SRV league action. The junior varsity B team continues to struggle losing both of its games last week to Rimrock and Nampa Christian.

On April 8 the Trojans came from behind to defeat Middleton 12-10. Trailing 4-2 going into the fourth inning, Homedale scored three runs in each of the 4th, 5th and 6th innings and then held on to win. Trevor Krzesnik and Brandt Graber lead the offensive attack with both collecting three hits on the night. Claudio Garcia came on in relief of Ryan Johnson in the fifth inning and collected the win.

On April 9, after finding themselves down 10-9 in the top of the 5th inning, Homedale picked up a run in the bottom of the fifth and seventh inning to edge Nampa Christian 11-10.

With the scored tied at 10 entering the bottom of the seventh inning, Krzesnik laced a single up the middle to lead off. Josh Jolley followed by laying down a bunt, which a Nampa Christian fielder threw over the first baseman’s head allowing Krzesnik to score the winning run. Leading hitters for Homedale were Jolley and David Liddell who each went 2-3 and Krzesnik who finished 2-4 at the plate. Getting the win on the mound was Johnson who relieved Kzresnik with one out in the top of the fifth inning.

On April 12, the Trojans found themselves quickly behind the visiting Weiser Wolverines 6-1 before rallying to win 7-6. Claudio

Garcia picked up the win going the distance on the mound while Liddell went 3-3 at the plate.

On April 15 the Trojans rolled to a 22-1 victory over the Payette Pirates on a sunny afternoon. The Trojans collected 15 hits on the day highlighted by a Jolley two-run blast over the left field fence. Johnson was the winning pitcher.

Last week, Johnson shut out Parma limiting the Panthers to just one hit in six innings of work in a 10-0 Trojan win. Homedale was led offensively by Liddell who collected two hits and Graber who stroked a double. On Tuesday before last in Fruitland, Homedale avenged an earlier 6-1 loss to the Grizzlies by defeating them 13-1 and taking over first place in the league standings.

Claudio Garcia took a no-hitter into the sixth inning before surrendering a double down the right field line, which scored

Fruitland’s only run on the day. Garcia finished with six strikeouts and no walks. Liddell finished the game 4-5 at the plate and Johnson hit a 2-run triple in the first inning. Graber, Jolley and Garcia each added a double.

Friday afternoon Homedale weathered four wind-blown homeruns by the McCall-Donnelly Vandals and rallied by scoring 13 runs in the third and fifth innings to win 15-5. The Trojans collected eight hits in the game with Johnson hitting a triple and Liddell adding a double. Garcia, Johnson and Liddell each had two hits on the afternoon. Krzesnik picked up the win on the mound.

Homedale’s junior varsity B team did not submit requested stats of its games last week, but Trojan coach Tim Fullwood said the team is at a 2-7 overall record. They lost 11-1 to Nampa Christian and 13-7 to the Rimrock Raiders last week.



Out!

Jessica Mooney tags a McCall runner out at second base. The Varsity girls narrowly defeated McCall, 13-12. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

High School Rodeo action fills weekend



Breakaway

High School Senior Gloria King quickly ropes her calf in the breakaway roping. King placed both days in this event. Photo by Gregg Garrett.



Bronc ridin'

Bryan Martinat Homedale High School rides in the saddle bronc event. Photo by Bill Bruce.



Team ropers

Cory Uria and Wade Hyer competed in the team-roping event. Photo by Gregg Garrett.



Goat tying

Homedale's Cheyanne Andrade makes her dismount during the goat-tying event at the high school rodeo held in Homedale last weekend. Photo by Gregg Garrett.

Partners

District II team ropers Wade Hyer and Cory Uria compete in last weekend's high school rodeo competition in Homedale. Results of the competition were not available at press-time. Photo by Bill Bruce.



Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

April 24, 1980

Well repair eases city water woes

Things began getting back to normal in Homedale Wednesday as city crews finished repairing the “Bank Well,” located just east of city hall.

The repair of the well gave some relief to the water shortage officials have been fighting for more than a week. It also brought an end to an unanticipated “spring vacation” Homedale School District teachers and students have enjoyed.

The water shortage began more than a week ago when residents began drawing on the city system for irrigation purposes. The demand was triggered by warm weather and a lack of irrigation water in the ditches. The irrigation water had been held up due to work on the ditches tied to the new city water system project.

School eyes report

A just completed evaluation of the Homedale School District indicates there may soon be a need for construction and modernization of facilities in the near future.

The recommendation was one of the major conclusions drawn during the evaluation, conducted by educators and administrators from other districts in the Treasure Valley area. The evaluations are conducted every 10 years in all districts in the state.

The results of the Homedale evaluation have been published in a 68 page report designed to be used as a guide by district personnel in planning for the future. The report states that while the district has some strongpoint, there are also areas in need of improvement.

Clean-up planned

“Pick a Project” is the theme of Homedale Clean-up Weeks, scheduled for May 4 – 17. Heading this year’s project are co-chairmen Judy Tolmie and Lydia Duncan.

Community organization are being asked to select a project which will help beautify the city. Suggested projects include the elementary and junior-senior high grounds, athletic stadium and grounds, vacant lots, airport, curbs, and gutters along Idaho Street, corner at West Third and Idaho, Watson’s lot along the rail road right-of-way and all alleyways.

J. H. teams run well

The Homedale Junior high boys track team won two meets in recent weeks and the Trojan girls came away with one win and one loss.

On April 10 the Homedale boys won a three-team meet, scoring 96 points. Fruitland finished second with 54 points and Adrian was third with 25. On April 15 Homedale dominated at four-team meet rolling up 124 points. Parma was second with 73, Notus third with 31 and Marsing fourth with 22.

The girls won the April 10 event with 68 points. Adrian was second at 45 and Fruitland third with 36. In the four team match up on April 15 the Parma girls finished first with 92 ½, followed by Homedale 89 ½; Marsing 19 and Notus 15.

Honor society members

Members of the Homedale Junior High seventh grade honor society include David Hyde, Fred Bruneel, Christy Schlegel, Christie Bautista, Pam Kubosumi, Tisha Wirth, Dee Taggart, Shannon Nash, Julie Badiola, Stephanie Carson, Toni Comstock, Teresa Kubosumi, Randy Shanley, Gary Kushlan, Janice King, Josie Isaguirre.

Fritzley graduates

Navy Ensign Richard D. Fritzley, son of Herbert D. and Sandra T. Fritzley of Homedale, graduated with distinction from the Basic Civil Engineer Corps Officer school.

During the two month course at Port Heuneme, Calif., he received instruction on engineering management, network analysis, financial management, and Naval organization.,

A 1975 graduate of Homedale Senior high school, and a 1979 graduate of the University of Idaho, Moscow, with a bachelor of science degree in civil engineering, he joined the Navy in December 1979.

50 years ago

April 28, 1955

Owyhee Telephone Co. plans \$250,000 expansion in area

Harper Saunders, manager of the Owyhee Telephone company which provides telephone service to the Homedale, Marsing, and Wilder areas, announced today that the company was planning a program of expansion and modernization of its telephone facilities which will cost approximately \$250,000 according to preliminary estimates.

The main obstacle to this program in the past has been the lack of funds available for these purposes. Over the past few years, the company has been negotiating with several financial agencies in an effort to finance this program. Negotiations which were commenced last year with the Rural Electrification administration recently resulted in the approval by that agency of the required preliminary engineering has bee completed but all available information indicates that final approval will be given.

Carter, Soper, Bullock elected as 317 cast votes in city election Tuesday

Les Carter, incumbent, was elected to a two-year term as mayor of Homedale; George Bullock was re-elected councilman from the second ward fro the next four years and Orville Soper was elected councilman from the first ward for a four year term at the biennial city election held Tuesday.

There were 178 votes cast in the first ward, with balloting at the American Legion hall, and 139 second ward voters visited the polls in the Friends Community church basement.

Marsing results

Seventeen votes were cast in Marsing to elect Fred Hale, Justo Yzaguirre and John Flick to the village board. Hale received 14 votes and Yzaguirre and Flick each received 16 votes. Write-in candidates Dean Hazen, L. A. Hamilton, George Christiansen and Elmer Wilson each received one vote.

Owyhee Cattlemen schedule meeting at Bruneau Sat.

Bruneau – The 77th annual meeting of the Owyhee County Cattlemen’s association will be held in the Bruneau high school Saturday, starting at 2pm. All cattlemen and their wives may attend the sessions.

A panel discussion of livestock problems will be moderated by Marshall Anderson of Nampa, manager of King’s Packing plant. Others on the panel will be Harley McDowell, a grazing specialist; Dr. A. P. Schneider, state veterinarian; Charles Graybill of Twin Falls, a rainmaker, and Max Yost of Boise, with the Associated Taxpayers of Idaho. Subjects will include rainmaking, diseases of livestock, feeding, grazing and taxes.

Other officers of the association are Allen Sircin of Homedale, vice president ; Kenneth Downing of Murphy, secretary-treasurer, and Gene Davis of Bruneau; D. I. Foreman of Oreana, Frank Baltzor of Jordan Valley, Frank Maher of Jordan Valley, and Edward Riddle of Riddle, directors.

Homedale ships 2,332 carloads

A total of 2,332 carload shipments were made from Homedale during the period April 1, 1954 to April 1, 1955, according to Wally Smith, Union Pacific agent.

The shipments, which represent the 1954 harvest, include carload lots as follows:

Beets, 953; potatoes, 889; onions, 218; prunes, 101; plums, 24; apples, 18; pears, 7; peaches, 7; wheat, 95; hay, 18; miscellaneous, 2.

Marsing teacher to be shifted

Virginia Farner will be transferred to Marsing school vocal department from the elementary school for the coming year.

Miss Farner with a major in music will replace Barbara Clauser, who has resigned to finish her masters degree at the University of Idaho. Mrs. Kathleen Stafford of Marsing will replace Miss Farner in the second grade. Mrs. Stafford, having 17 years teaching experience in the primary grades, has been visiting and working with Mrs. Cary’s first grade, the boys and girls she will have next fall.

Girls chosen to represent Homedale and Wilder at Girls’ State June 5-11

Sally Phillips and Betty Brokaw, chosen as representatives to Girls State from Homedale and Wilder, and their alternatives, Nina Leavitt and Shirley Hodge, are all juniors in high school and are generally active in many school affairs.

138 years ago

April 27, 1867

A MEMBER OF CO. M. 1st U.S. Cav., writes us from Camp Lyon, 11th inst:

We have just returned from our Winter campaigns, after being out for nearly three months. During which time we experienced very cold weather – specially on our route to Camp Warner, Oregon, when we had to lead our horses over twenty fee of snow, the drifting of which prevented our seeing three yards before us. But through the energy of our guides – Reede and Archy, we got in safe. It s encouraging to us soldiers to have some citizen volunteers, as we had in our engagement on the Owyhee in February. We are now preparing for another expedition, and being in hopes of using our arms on some of the Indians, are in very good cheer.

CHARITY ABOUNDETH in Owyhee as much as anywhere. The past five months of business stagnation has operated as a financial drainage upon this community. The cry of distress and want reaches here well authenticated, and the response by our people is indicative of our relationship with the human family. A meeting was held last Sunday for the purpose of siding the starving population in the South – the proceedings of which will be found elsewhere. Up to Thursday pm the Silver City Committee had received subscriptions to the amount of eight hundred and seven dollars, and cash thereon to the amount of five hundred thirty-six and a half dollars legal tenders. The subscription is all expected by today, and Mrs. Jennings informs us that many have promised funds by that day who have not yet subscribed. A full thousand will be raised in Silver and Ruby. Considering the season is the one most barren of each of any in Owyhee, we think the contribution creditable and even generous.

THE SNOW has rapidly disappeared during the last two weeks. The different roads to the mines on War Eagle are nearly free from snow – the Oro Fino road quite so. The road along the creek from its source to Wagontown – eight or ten miles below Silver – is the worst for snow in the country; the Reynolds Creek road from the summit to Babbington’s is equally tedious, perhaps, on account of the many springs. Five miles almost any direction will take the traveler to where the green grass is several inches high. After the manure to Tom Moore’s celebrated picture of provoking attitude – “beholding Heaven and telling Hell” – we might say that to be perched upon a snow bank for one half the year and yet enabled to see bare ground all the time, as it were, is sort of force work at best – d-decidedly aggravating.

NEW ARRANGEMENTS. L. Lobenstein, Agent of the Railroad Line, has received notice to charge \$75 fare to Hunter’s Station from Silver.

Fresh stock is being sent along the road and new eleven passenger coaches will be placed on the route next week, and the time shortened and comfort of travelers be enhanced, as the new coaches will be more roomy. The last trip was made to Baxter’s from Hunter’s in four days, and but for the bad piece of road of the Valley, the passengers, mails and express would have reached here in that time.

GENERAL CROOK is to receive a most valuable additions to this present force in the way of a full Company of Warm Spring Indians, from Oregon. They are now on the way from Dallas, mounted on good steeds and armed effectively, and under command of Captain McKay. This Company have performed good fighting work, and possessing a thorough knowledge of Indian trails, habits, and a deadly hate towards the Snakes, will be most acceptable auxiliaries to the Command of General Crook.

FLOWERS. One thing in favor of our short summers, vegetation and flowers make their appearance as soon as the snow melts away. There is but a brief interval between the snows of winter and green awards and flowers of summer. Last week we were shown a small bouquet of wild flowers, and a look over the landscape in view discloses but here and there a bare spot of ground. We are told that the city of Flint have been delighted with the sight and perfume of wild flowers for some weeks past.

THE NEW CROP of gold dust is making its appearance in town. If it can be kept pure as that now brought in by miners, it will be a pleasure to receive and pay it out as currency. From what we can learn, it will go among business men as an article of merchandise – some at more and some at less than old rates. The amount that will be put in circulation from this forward will do much to enliven business, and if taken at what it is worth when assayed, will be just with all hands.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense

Meals on wheels for roping steers

Jessie Winchester wrote a song called Mississippi On My Mind. It contained the line, *Where the dogs are hungry all the time*. The same can be said about team roping steers. They’re bred to stay thin and rarely are they overfed.

Shannon had a little arena and always kept a handful of *flaco corrientes* (svelte bovidae). He asked Byron to find him some cheap hay and offered to let him use his homemade flatbed fenderless trailer. In a couple of days Byron located a stack of Hi Gear that had been baled during the Clinton administration and put up wet. He got it for a dollar a bale. He managed to get 60 bales on the old stout trailer and started for Shannon’s.

Just a few miles down the road Byron began to smell smoke. He scanned the passing farms. It wasn’t the right time of year for Mesilla Valley farmers to be burning ditches. The answer appeared in his rear view mirror. The bales were stacked on top of the tandem axle tires. Friction was busy igniting the hay! Byron panicked and called Shannon on his cell phone. The answering machine picked up. It was a raspy but enthusiastic voice advising any interested caller that the Shannon’s Arena & Livestock Exchange had ropings 3 days a week, boarded horses, did excavation, hoof trimming, horse chiropractory and drywall. Please call back or leave a message, adios y’all...beep.

“Shannon! It’s Byron! The trailer’s smoking! Call me!”

Cars were whizzing by honking and pointing. Flickers of fire could be seen, fanned by the head wind.

Punch, punch, punch...seven times. “You have reached Shannon’s Arena and Livestock Exchange. Team roping every Tuesday, Wednesday...etc.” “Shannon! The hay’s on fire! Call me!” Byron swerved his pyrotechnic hay wagon into a gravel clearing. He mashed on the brakes and three flaming bales toppled off the right side in front of the “Land of Enchantment Nursing Home!”

Punch, punch...seven times. “You have reached...etc.” “Shannon! We’re cooked! Call me!”

Well, between the nursing home garden hose and the local fire department, Shannon’s hay and trailer tires were soon soaked and out of danger. Byron proceeded on and parked the rig in Shannon’s arena.

As everyone knows, it is impossible to extinguish a stack of burning hay. Two days later, it was warm to the touch. Every time a bale was pulled off it would hit the oxygen and flame up. Shannon finally scattered the mess as best he could and turned thirty hungry roping steers onto it. They ate it with relish. Byron said it was no wonder, “It’s not everyday they get a hot meal!”

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... *but possibly of interest*



Breakfast was the most important meal of our day when I was growing up, and mush was the cornerstone.

My mother believed a child should start the day with a hot meal that would “stick to his ribs.” Mush filled the bill -- especially the sticking part.

Mush stuck to places other than the ribs. If you tried to eat the cooked wheat cereal without modification, it sometimes stuck in the throat. Mush eaters developed techniques to make the cereal more palatable. My personal approach was to thin it down by dumping about a half a bowl of sugar on it. After some energetic stirring, the sugar dissolved and turned the mush into sort of a whole-wheat syrup.

Dad used a different technique. He covered his hot mush with cold milk. He didn’t try to mix the milk and the mush together. The cereal just laid there in a big lump -- an island in the middle of a white lake.

Mother sometimes whipped up a double batch of mush. She put the leftover cereal in a shallow pan and left it in the refrigerator overnight. She sliced the jelled mixture into strips the following morning and fried it in bacon grease. We considered fried mush a genuine delicacy.

There weren’t a lot of ready-made snacks available in the 1950s. Being inquisitive by nature, I developed my own menu of snacks that didn’t come from a kitchen cupboard.

Molasses beet pulp, a popular cattle feed supplement, was fairly tasty, although you had to chew it for quite a while. Rolled oats weren’t bad either.

Mom grew parsley in the garden and I considered it a treat. For a time I thought I had discovered a variety of giant parsley growing near a neighbor’s house. At about the same time I began eating giant parsley, I started having dizzy spells. I had to lie down for an hour or so until the world stopped spinning. The dizzy spells stopped when I lost interest in giant parsley. I later learned the giant parsley was probably a poisonous plant

called nightshade.

By the time I reached junior high, my tastes had become more commercial. I could put away a quart of milk and a box of Wheaties or a whole carton of graham crackers at one sitting. I would eat anything, including a lot of stuff for which mother had other plans. I ate little cans of sliced mushrooms. When the mushrooms were gone, I went to work on the canned tuna. I also developed a taste for uncooked noodles. When I got home from school, sometimes I consumed the equivalent of a family-sized casserole without turning on the stove.

Bisquick flour straight out of the box wasn’t bad if you washed it down with condensed milk. I even developed a taste for brown-and-serve rolls -- straight out of the freezer, unbrowned and still frozen.

I even ate yeast, caked or dry.

Mother tried to counter by hiding the groceries. It didn’t take long to find the canned shrimp in the pressure cooker in the back corner of the pots and pans cupboard. It took a little longer to locate the maraschino cherries under the refrigerator. Hiding stuff only complicated matters because I burned up energy searching and that made me even hungrier.

The amazing thing was that despite my gastronomic excesses,- I exited high school at a skinny 165 pounds. I stayed at that weight until I went to Army basic training three years later. When I returned home two-months later I was 20 pounds heavier. I was in my forties when my metabolism really caught up with me.

Nowadays, my eating habits are different. My partner in life seems determined to keep me around for a few years by heaping my plate with vegetables so I won’t overindulge when the real food (meat) is served. I’m also so full I don’t have any inclination to search the cupboards for hidden goodies.

One of these days, however, I may fry up some mush, just to see if it is really as good as I remember.

Letters to the editor

Says input disregarded

I am writing to give OwyheeAvalanche readers the other side of the Owyhee Initiative (OI) story. I represent one of the groups belonging to “People for the Owyhees”, which represented recreation on the OI Work Group. Joe Aman’s editorial (April 6, 2005) raised an interesting point about guaranteed access across private property. Throughout the OI’s 4 years of development, People For the Owyhees repeatedly proposed access easements through private property parcels, including the land north of Crutcher Crossing. These easements would ensure access for a variety of pursuits, including hunting and fishing, which was not represented in the OI Work Group. At this point Senator Crapo’s staff cannot give us reasonable assurances that the legislation will secure easements guaranteeing public access.

Although we worked hard to develop a reasonable proposal, our input was disregarded and then ultimately dumped by a manipulated “resignation”. (“Group worked hard”, Sandra Mitchell, March 16, 2005). People for the Owyhees was outnumbered 9 to 1 on the Work Group. It’s makeup included 4 seats for grazers, 4 for environmental groups, 1 for Outfitters and Guides, and 1 for recreation. Votes on important issues regarding access and keeping existing roads open were 9 to 1, against our proposals. If recreation interests had been equitably represented, perhaps an agreement could have been reached that was responsive to everyone’s concerns. Anyone who did not go along with the majority was labeled obstructive. It is a shame to call

this a collaborative effort built on consensus.

We appreciate those Owyhee County landowners who grant access across their private lands to the public lands beyond their property. We hoped the Owyhee Initiative would provide some certainty on these issues, just as the ranchers want certainty on grazing. Unfortunately the OI falls far short of this simple objective.

Ann Libengood
Boise

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Public notices

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES APRIL 11, 2005 OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE MURPHY, IDAHO

Present were Commissioner Tolmie, Commissioner Reynolds, Commissioner Salove, Clerk Sherburn, Treasurer Wright, Fred Grant and Jim Desmond.

The Board approved amending the agenda to include a letter to DEQ for a permit modification.

The Board approved the quarterly report for publication as presented by the Treasurer.

The Board approved a certificate of residency for a student attending North Idaho College.

The Board held a hearing on a motion to dismiss on the J&M Cattle Co. C.U.P. Testimony was taken by the Board. A motion was made to take the matter under advisement and render a decision on April 18th

A hearing was held on the Wildland-Urban Interface Wild-fire Mitigation Plan. The Board made a motion to approve the plan.

The Board took the following action on pending Indigent & Charity cases. I.C. Case #05-23 and #05-24 liens were approved by the Board I.C. Case #04-24 the Board approved a withdrawal. I.C. Case #05-19 the Board denied, incomplete application.

The Board approved and sent a letter to the Mayor and Council Members in Homedale on the renegotiation of the Homedale City Impact Agreement.

The Board approved a request by Larry McDaniel to send a letter to Port of Entry stating they could set up on county roads.

A quarterly jail inspection was conducted by the Clerk and Board.

The Board approved a letter to DEQ on a permit modification for wastewater brought into the county.

The Board approved a weed agreement with BLM for control of weeds on federal ground.

The Board approved the minutes from the last Board meeting.

There being no further business the Board moved to adjourn.

The complete minutes can be viewed in the clerk's office.
s.s/ Harold Tolmie, Chairman
Attest: s.s/ Charlotte Sherburn
4/27/05

NOTICE OF SCHOOL PLANT FACILITY LEVY ELECTION HOMEDALE JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 370 CANYON AND OWYHEE COUNTIES, IDAHO

Public Notice is hereby given according to law, and the requisite action of the Board of Trustees of Homedale Joint School District #370, Canyon and Owyhee Counties, Idaho, that a School Plant Facilities Reserve Fund Levy election will be held on Tuesday, May 17, 2005, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said District their vote and determination of a School Plant Facilities Reserve Fund tax levy.

Two-thirds (2/3) of the votes cast must be in favor for the proposal to pass.

The polls will be open from 1:00 o'clock p.m. until 8:00 o'clock p.m. at the following locations:

Canyon County Residents: Seventh Day Adventist Fellow-

ship Hall, 16613 Garnet Road, Wilder, Idaho

Owyhee County Residents: Board Room, Homedale School District Administrative Offices, 116 East Owyhee Avenue, Homedale, Idaho

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

The question submitted will be:

"Shall the Board of Trustees of Homedale Joint School District #370, Canyon and Owyhee Counties, Idaho be authorized and empowered to levy a School Plant Facilities Reserve Fund Levy in the amount of \$150,000 (one-hundred fifty thousand), for the first fiscal year beginning July 1, 2005 and continuing each year in the amount of \$150,000 (one-hundred fifty thousand) for 10 (ten) years for the purpose of allowing the District to acquire, purchase or improve school site or sites; to accumulate funds for and to build a school house or school houses or other building or buildings; to demolish or remove school buildings; to add to, remodel or repair any existing building; to furnish and equip any building or buildings, including all lighting, heating, ventilation and sanitation facilities and appliances necessary to maintain and operated buildings of the District; to purchase school buses; for lease and lease purchase agreements for any of the above purpose and to repay loans from commercial lending institutions extended to pay for the construction of school plant facilities."

Qualified electors who expect to be absent from the District on May 17, 2005, or who will be unable, because of physical disability or blindness, to go to a polling place, may vote by absentee ballot. Written application for an absentee ballot may be made to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees on a form made available at the School District Administrative Offices, 116 East Owyhee Avenue, Homedale, Idaho on Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Such application must be made no later than 12:00 o'clock noon, May 17, 2005. Electors applying in person may obtain their ballots starting April 19, 2005. Electors applying by mail should submit their requests as soon as possible. The absentee ballot must be received by the Clerk no later than 8:00 p.m. on the day of the election.

By Order of the Board of Trustees.

Faith K. Olsen, Assistant Clerk

4/20,27;5/4/05

NOTICE OF RESUMPTION OF HEARING

On May 3, 2005 at 10 AM in the Magistrate Court Room #2 in the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, Idaho, the hearing as to the status of Triangle Road will reconvene before the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners. Following the initial hearing held on March 7, 2005, the record was kept open to allow the parties to submit further evidence in the form of additional exhibits. The hearing will resume solely for the purpose of consideration of the additional exhibits and testimony relating to those exhibits.

The purpose of the hearing, as previously noticed, is to inquire into the status as a private or

public road, or public RS 2477 right of way, of Triangle Road located in Owyhee County. The road is marked on United States Geological Survey maps numbered 47, 57 and 58 by the Owyhee County Assessor and the maps are available for review in the County Assessor's office.
4/27/05

NOTICE TO CREDITORS CASE NO. CV-05-04939 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
VELMA MABEL WOODARD, Deceased.

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

DATED this 28 day of March 2005.

JOSEPH MADRIL
Personal Representative
Address: 11792 W. Bronte Dr.
Boise, ID 83709
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, At the entrance to the Owyhee County Courthouse, Highway 78, Mile Marker 29 ½, Murphy, ID 83650, on 07/27/2005 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 Stewart 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 expense 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: March 28, 2005
STEWART TILE OF BOISE, INC.

Successor Trustee
/s/Linda D. Irwin, Trust Officer

Name and Address of the Current Trustee is:

STEWART TITLE OF BOISE, INC.

9196 West Emerald, Ste 100
Boise, ID 83704

Phone: (800) 281-8219 for information.

4/6,13,20,27/05

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On 7/29/2005, at the hour of 10:00 A.M., of said day, Pioneer Title Company of Owyhee County, in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, off Highway 78, Murphy, Owyhee County, Idaho, on behalf of Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC, as the Successor Trustee; will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in Owyhee County, Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

The parcel is a portion of the NE1/4 NW1/4 of Section 16, Township 3 North, Range 5 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and is more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said NE1/4 NW1/4; thence South 89 degrees 16' 11" East along the north boundary of said NE1/4 NW1/4 a distance of 403.57 feet to a point which lies North 89 degrees 16' 11" West a distance of 891.63 feet from the northeast corner of said NE1/4 NW1/4; thence South 04 degrees 22' 32" East a distance of 168.18 feet; thence South 01 degrees 03' 35" East a distance of 80.45 feet; thence South 58 degrees 50' 55" West a distance of 9.52 feet; thence South 13 degrees 10' 17" West a distance of 10.78

feet; thence North 89 degrees 16' 11" West parallel with the north boundary of said NE1/4 NW1/4 a distance of 409.68 feet to a point on the west boundary of said NE1/4 NW1/4; thence North 00 degrees 31' 13" East along said west boundary a distance of 263.49 feet to the Point of beginning.

For purposes of compliance with Idaho Code 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the address of No Available in the public records, Contact Lori @ Pioneer-LTS at 208-373-3655 for specific location and a Plat and Legal Description of 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 Robert Paul Darling, a married man as his sole and separate property to Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC, as Successor Trustee, for benefit and security of Denise L. Collingham, an unmarried woman as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been recorded on 5-4-2004 as Instrument No. 247663, records of Owyhee County, Idaho. The above Grantors are named to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506 (4) (a). No representation is made that they are or are not presently responsible for this obligation.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure of the Grantors to: make monthly installments as set forth on the Deed of Trustee Note secured by said Deed of Trust. The original loan amount shows \$19,500.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6.75% per annum as evidenced by the note dated 4/27/2004. The monthly installment in the amount of \$216.49 plus \$2.50 (the monthly long term escrow handling fee) or more is due for 1-30-2005 and on or before the 30th day of each and every month thereafter until such default is cured or until 4-30-2009 at which date the entire remaining principal balance and all accrued interest shall be due and payable in full. In addition, to the monthly installment, an additional principal only payment shall be due annually each and every July 1st, in the amount of \$2,500.00 All amounts are now due and payable along with all costs and fees associated with this foreclosure, including, but not limited to, attorney fees, property insurance and county taxes, together with any and all assessments, penalties and interest; for the purpose of protecting the beneficial interest of the beneficiary. The principal balance is \$18,624.26 plus accrued interest, costs and fees.

DATED 3-31-2005
PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC

/s/ Lori A. Ball, Senior Trust Officer

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The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy 78, Murphy, ID 83650, on 08/08/2005 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 09/17/2004 as Instrument Number 249263, and executed by Louise E Dillon, as Grantor(s), in favor of "MERS" Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as Beneficiary, to ReconTrust Company, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, state of Idaho: Lot 2 Block 1 of Ponderosa Addition, Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the Official Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 404 West Colorado Avenue Homedale, ID 83628 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 12/01/2004 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.990% 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 \$55,882.40, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. Notice is hereby given that this firm is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose, and that the debt may be disputed. The above grantors are named to comply with Section 45-1506(4)(a) Idaho Code. No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation. Dated: -- ReconTrust Company, N.A., 177 Countrywide Way Lancaster, CA 80028-1821 Phone: (800) 281-8219 Successor Trustee -- ASAP641800

4/20,27;5/4,11/05

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On August 17, 2005, at the hour of 1:00 o'clock PM of said day, at the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, State Highway 78, Murphy, ID, CHARLES C. JUST, ESQ., Attorney at Law, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

Lots 12 and 13, Block 39, AMENDED PLAT OF THE TOWNSITE OF HOMEDALE, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the plat filed August 9, 1911 as Instrument No. 7284, records of said County.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of 216 West Montana, ID aka 216 West Montana Ave., Homedale ID, is sometimes associated with the said real property.

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

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Boyce E. Dupree and Barbara A. Dupree, husband and wife, as Grantor(s) with U.S. Bank National Association as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded October 26, 1999, as Instrument No. 230276, in 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 the amount due under the certain Promissory Note and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows:

Monthly payments in the amount of \$735.12 for the months of October 2004 through and including to the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$84,948.66 as principal, plus service charges, attorney's fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 5.75% from September 1, 2004, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of sale.

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

Dated this 13th day of April, 2005.

Paula Peterson
Trust Officer for
Charles C. Just, Esq.

P.O. Box 50271
Idaho Falls, ID 83405
(208) 523-9106 FAX (208) 523-9146
For information concerning this sale please contact The Just Law Office at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you.
4/27;5/4,11,18/05

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On Tuesday, the 26th day of July, 2005, at the hour of 11:00 a.m. of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Hwy. 78, Murphy, Owyhee County, State of Idaho, HOLGER UHL as successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, to-wit: Parcel I:

A portion of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 35 in Township 4 South, Range 1 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Section corner common of Sections 26, 27, 34 and 36 Township 4 South, Range 1 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence

South 1320 feet along the Section line common to Sections 34 and 35 a distance of 1320 feet to the Southwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 35; thence

East along the South line of said Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter a distance of 558 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

North parallel with the West line of said Section 35 a distance of 165 feet; thence

East and parallel with the South line of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter a distance of 175 feet; thence

South and parallel with the West line of said Section 35 a distance of 165 feet to a point on the South line of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 35 that is East a distance of 175 feet from the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

West along said South line of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter a distance of 175 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING.

Parcel II:

An easement for ingress and egress over a parcel of land located in the Northwest Quarter of Section 35, Township 4 South, Range 1 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho. Being further described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the Northerly right-of-way of Oreana Loop Road from which the East Quarter corner of said Section 35 bears South 68° 05' 05" East a distance of 3,483.22 feet;

thence along said right-of-way on a curve to the left with a radius of 456.77 feet and a central angle of 13° 02' 31", an arc length of 103.97 feet (with a chord bearing of South 74° 35' 55" West, and a chord distance of 103.75);

thence leaving said right-of-way North 89° 44' 39" West a distance of 34.65 feet;

thence South 86° 52' 41" West a distance of 101.22 feet;

thence along a curve to the right with a radius of 956.00 feet and a central angle of 08° 09'

05", an arc length of 136.01 feet (with a chord bearing of South 82° 48' 09" West, and a chord distance of 135.89 feet);

thence South 78° 43' 37" West a distance of 16.97 feet;

thence along a curve to the right with a radius of 190.00 feet and a central angle of 34° 08' 57", an arc length of 113.24 feet (with a chord bearing of North 84° 11' 54" West, and a chord distance of 111.57 feet);

thence North 67° 07' 26" West a distance of 132.65 feet;

thence along a curve to the right with a radius of 162.00 feet and a central angle of 57° 53' 42", an arc length of 163.69 feet (with a chord bearing of South 83° 55' 43" West and a chord distance of 156.82 feet);

thence into a tangent reverse curve to the right having a radius of 139.00 feet and a central angle of 16° 00' 01" and a length of 38.82 feet, (with a chord bearing of South 62° 58' 52" West , and a chord distance of 38.69 feet);

thence along a curve to the right having a radius of 474.00 feet and a central angle of 18° 35' 17";

thence westerly along the arc, a distance of 153.78 feet (with a chord bearing of South 80° 16' 32" West, and a chord distance of 153.01 feet);

thence South 89° 34' 10" West a distance of 364.49 feet;

thence along a curve to the right with a radius of 60.45 feet and a central angle of 80° 02' 33", an arc length of 84.45 feet (with a chord bearing of North 51° 23' 44" West, and a chord distance of 77.75 feet);

thence South 85° 29' 29" East a distance of 30.23 feet;

thence along a curve to the right with a radius of 32.45 feet and a central angle of 65° 16' 28", an arc length of 36.97 feet (with a chord bearing of South 58° 46' 46" East, and a chord distance of 35.00 feet);

thence North 89° 34' 10" East a distance of 364.49 feet;

thence along a curve to the right with a radius of 446.00 feet and a central angle of 18° 35' 17", an arc length of 144.69 feet (with a chord bearing of North 80° 16' 31" East, and a chord distance of 144.06 feet);

thence along a curve to the left having a radius of 111.00 feet and a central angle of 06° 00' 01", an arc length of 31.00 feet (with a chord bearing of North 62° 58' 52" East, and a chord distance of 30.90 feet);

thence along a curve to the right having a radius of 190.00 feet and a central angle of 57° 53' 42" and a length of 191.99 feet, (with a chord bearing of North 83° 55' 43" East, and a chord distance of 183.92 feet);

thence South 67° 07' 26" East a distance of 132.56 feet;

thence along a circular curve to the right with a radius of 162.00 feet and a central angle of 34° 08' 57", an arc length of 96.55 feet (with a chord bearing of South 84° 11' 55" East, and a chord distance of 95.13 feet);

thence North 78° 43' 37" East a distance of 16.97 feet;

thence along a circular curve to the right with a radius of 984.00 feet and a central angle of 08° 09' 05", an arc length of 139.99 feet (with a chord bearing of North 82° 48' 09" East, and a chord distance of 139.87 feet);

thence North 86° 52' 41" East a distance of 102.04 feet;

thence South 89° 44' 39" East a distance of 135.37 feet to the Point of beginning.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of 19100 King Lane, Murphy, Idaho 83650, is sometimes associated with this real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrance to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by KARLA KAY KING LOVE, an unmarried woman, as Grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of BANK OF THE WEST, a California Corporation, as Beneficiary, recorded July 28, 2004, as Instrument No. 248616, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

Failure to make principal and interest payments on the original loan amount of \$86,500.00, with interest thereon at a variable rate, presently the rate of 5.88% per annum, with monthly payments of \$613.49 for principal and interest due and owing for the month of November 2004 , and each and every month thereafter, through the date of reinstatement or sale, along with all costs, fees and late charges associated therewith; and the balance owing as of March 21, 2005, on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is \$89,124.21; consisting of \$86,119.07 principal, \$2,389.21 accrued interest, \$265.83 late charges, and \$350.10 escrow impound shortage, with interest accruing on the unpaid principal at an annual rate of 5.88%;

The above Grantors are named to comply with Idaho Code § 45-1506(4)(a). No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation.

DATED this 25th day of March, 2005.

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Notice of Public Hearing: Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the Planning & Zoning Commission of the City of Homedale on the 11th day of May, 2005, at 7:30 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho. The subject matter of the public hearing is the Application for Vacation of Public Right-of-Way submitted by Rick Echevarria, seeking to vacate that portion of Railroad Avenue between 6th and 7th Streets. Sylvia L. Bahem, Administrator - Planning & Zoning Commission, City of Homedale.

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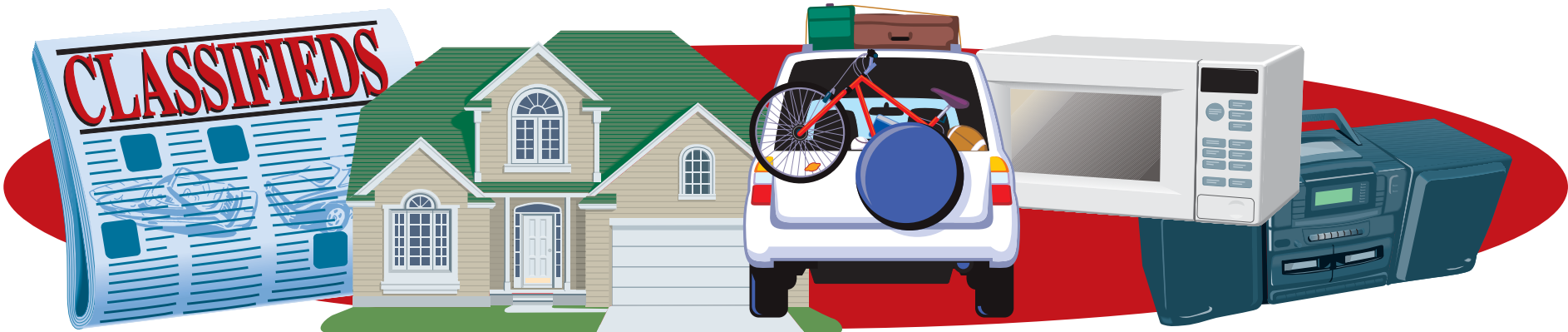
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