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SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS

County appoints five to initiative work group

Five new members have been added to the Owyhee Initiative Work Group by county commissioners, as set forth in a resolution adopted on June 6.

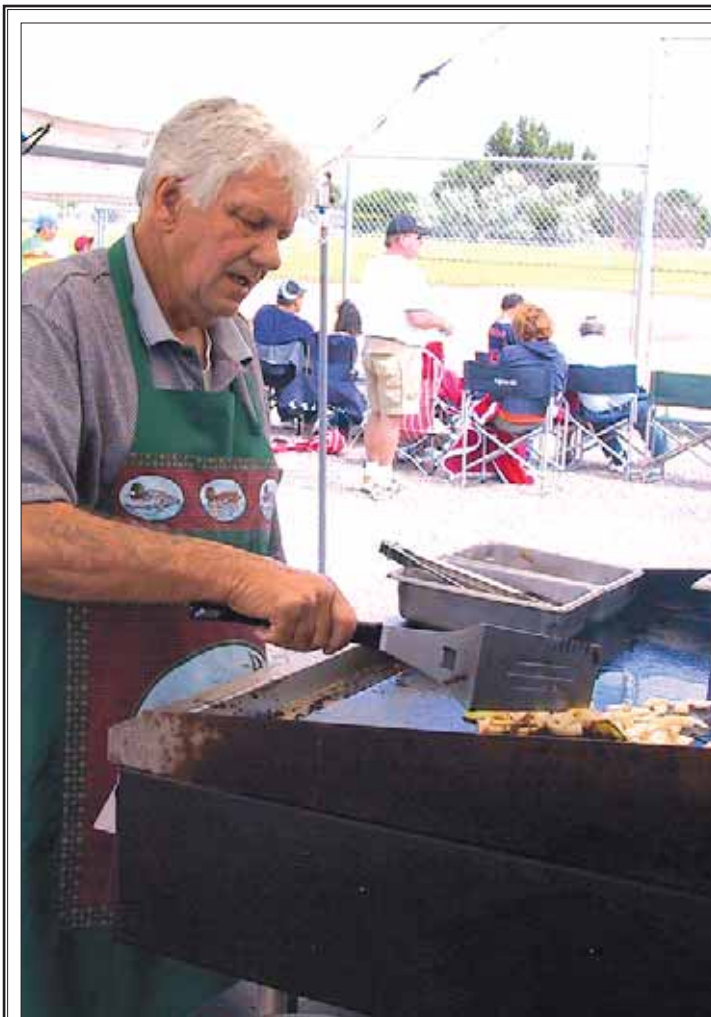
A member from the Shoshone Paiute Tribe, the Idaho Backcountry Horsemen, the Southern Idaho Desert Racing Association, the Owyhee County Farm Bureau and Idaho Rivers United will now have a voting member in the initiative process.

The members will represent two recreation interests, one hunting organization, one river organization and a representative of a landowner organization.

Idaho Rivers United's mission statement says the group is formed to protect, restore and improve the rivers of Idaho and the communities that depend on them.

"Our focus is the ecological integrity of our rivers, but the lens we look through is citizen establishment of instream flows, protection of wild rivers, keeping rivers clean and healthy, defending at-risk populations of fish, and minimizing the impacts of dams on Idaho's rivers," the statement reads.

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Mayoral duties

Homedale Mayor Paul Fink serves up hotdogs, hamburgers and chorizos during a 9-10, 11-12 baseball tournament at Sundance Park on Saturday. Forty-three teams converged on the park this week for the Tri-County 14U softball tournaments. Teams began playing on Monday and will continue through Friday evening. Each game begins at 5:45 and 7:45 p.m.

Three more teachers resign

Brings total to 19 resignations

The Homedale School District has been inundated with resignations since the beginning of the school year in September. Last week, three more staff members turned in letters of resignations and the board approved each of them. As of last Friday, 19 full or part-time positions have been opened due to resignations for a variety of reasons.

In coaching positions, Wayne Skeen resigned in October as seventh grade girls basketball coach, Rich Hoyt in November as golf coach, Randy Potter in January as athlete director (on which the board did not take any action), Mark Weeks in February as girls varsity basketball coach, Scott Michaelson in April as eighth grade boys basketball coach, Tim Fullwood on June 2nd as assistant boys basketball coach and Troy Sullivan on June 13 as track and cross country coach.

Barbie VanderBoegh resigned on November 8 as cheerleading advisor. In April, five staff mem-

bers resigned, including Charity Buckley as third grade teacher, Hoyt as high school counselor, Jamee Sutherland as a fifth grade teacher, Sam Zamudio in maintenance and Michaelson in his basketball position.

On May 9, Angie Bautista resigned as migrant family liaison, John Ehrlich in high school calculus and Sarah Seamount as high school ESL instructor.

Last week, Sullivan resigned his teaching position along with Lorin Tanner as middle school counselor and Craig Dayton as middle school math instructor.

In February, superintendent Bob Lisonbee submitted a letter

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BLM publishes final EIS on grazing changes

The Bureau of Land Management last week announced the availability of a final environmental impact study that concludes upcoming grazing regulation changes will produce long-term benefits for public rangelands. An official notice of the study's availability will be published in the Federal Register on Friday, June 17, 2005.

"This environmental-impact analysis underscores grazing's role as a vital use of public lands in the rural West," Rebecca Watson, assistant secretary of the Interior for Land and Minerals, said. "The revisions will improve BLM's management of public-lands ranching, an activity that not only supports rural economies but also preserves open space and wildlife habitat in the rapidly growing West."

The final environmental-impact study, posted on BLM's

national Web site (www.blm.gov/grazing), analyzes the impact of the upcoming grazing-regulation revisions, including their ecological, cultural, social, and economic effects. More specifically, the study examines the impact of a grazing-management option that tracks with the provisions of the upcoming grazing-regulation changes, as well as the effects of two other management alternatives.

BLM Director Kathleen Clarke said, "This environmental-impact study shows that grazing management under the new regulations will produce long-term rangeland-health benefits. These benefits include increased vegetation along stream banks, which will reduce soil erosion and provide more habitats for wildlife." Under the new regulations, she noted, the BLM's grazing-management decisions will be based on bet-

ter information about rangeland conditions.

Clarke added, "Our agency feels strongly that the public lands should be managed in partnership with those closest to the land, and that's why we sought extensive public input on this regulatory initiative." The BLM received more than 18,000 comments on a draft impact study and a proposed set of regulations, which preceded the agency's work on the final version of those documents.

The new grazing regulations, to be published next month in the Federal Register, are aimed at improving BLM's working relationships with public-lands ranchers. The revisions also reflect the agency's commitment to managing the public lands for multiple uses, including grazing, while ensuring the health and productivity of these lands.

The revisions will retain key

elements of the "Rangeland Reform" initiative that revised grazing regulations nearly a decade ago. Specifically, the regulations will continue the role of BLM's Resource Advisory Councils, composed of citizens across the West who advise and make recommendations to the agency on public-land issues. The revised regulations will also leave intact the rangeland-health standards and guidelines developed by the RACs.

In general, the forthcoming regulations seek to: improve the agency's working relationships with those holding BLM grazing permits and leases, advance the bureau's efforts in assessing and protecting rangelands, and address certain legal issues while enhancing administrative efficiency.

In addition, the new regulations will continue to require the bureau

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Over-nighter

Deputy George Reed surveys the situation that caused two young men and their dog to spend Saturday night in Quintana meadows near Whiskey Mountain. The men and the pickup were hauled out by a wrecker Sunday morning after a search party found them.

Nampa men rescued from Whiskey Mountain

Two injured in separate ATV accidents

Owyhee County emergency response teams were kept busy this weekend by responding to missing men and two separate ATV accidents. On Sunday morning a rescue team was formed to locate two Nampa men who became stuck in the mud near Whiskey Mountain when the tow company they called for help could not find them. Later in the day, crews responded to an ATV accident near Silver City and to another ATV accident near Flint Creek that same afternoon.

The Nampa men spent the night in the Owyhees Saturday after their pickup became stuck in the mud. Josh Fogleman and an unidentified passenger contacted Dan and J's Towing who responded to the area Saturday night. But when they could not locate the pair, they called the sheriff's office for help.

Several posse members and deputies gathered at the cemetery on Reynolds Creek Road and began searching the backcountry for the blue Mazda pickup the pair was stuck in. Following approximately a four-hour search they were located and the tow truck was dispatched to retrieve them. A plane was called in to assist in the search.

On Sunday, two female ATV riders were injured in separate accidents with both being air ambulated to local hospitals. A 24 year-old female ATV driver was reported injured in an accident at Flint Creek Road and Flint Mine. The name of the victim was not available at press time, but an incident report states that she received pelvic injuries. The deputy reported that the woman rolled the ATV she was driving.

Sunday afternoon another report of an ATV accident was received. The accident occurred near Silver City on New York Summit. Trina Allen was taken to a local hospital by air ambulance with leg and hip injuries. An Owyhee County Dispatcher said Allen was a passenger on the ATV with Robbie Allen from Nampa.

County Prosecutor to convene grand jury

Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney has requested that a grand jury be summoned and convened for an upcoming case. PA Matthew Faulks said he could not release any information on any case that may or may not be presented to the grand jury, but he said he feels some cases just make sense being brought before a grand jury.

An order summoning and convening a grand jury was filed with the district court on June 14 ordering a grand jury be summonsed for August 18 at 9:30 a.m. Twenty-five people will appear at the courthouse and 16 people will be selected. Once selected and convened, the grand jury shall serve until the court discharges them. During their term, the jury will meet from time to time as necessary.

Faulks said there are two ways to bring a felony case forward in the State of Idaho. He said one way is by complaint with the criminal information and one is by indictment by a grand jury. He said he did not know how often the jury would be used, but he feels some cases are of sensitive enough nature to empanel a jury.

"With a grand jury, the jury is the one who finds if there is probable cause to go forward with the charges," Faulks explained. "This is a group of people instead of a judge and a prosecutor. The nature of it is a closed proceeding and is given the opportunity to handle certain kinds of cases in that kind of environment. In some cases we have sensitive material that makes sense to bring in this way instead of by complaint and bringing it to

preliminary hearing. "The grand jury gives us an opportunity to give the people of the community a chance to be grand jurors and take a look at the case. It also changes the way we can present evidence to some degree. There are things we can do with a grand jury that can be of assistance in investigations for law enforcement and to the justice system as well.

"Ada County keeps two empanelled at all times. Canyon County keeps at least one empanelled at all times."

The last time a grand jury was empanelled in the county was in 2003 when then prosecutor Ed Yarbrough summoned a jury. A Melba man was arrested for sexual assault a month after the jury was impaneled.



Happy Fathers' Day

Andrew and Cody Anderson of Boise spend time together in a park in Grand View Sunday in celebration of Fathers' Day. Parks were full of picnickers and reservoirs with swimmers to celebrate dads holiday.

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“I Can Do” kids club graduates hear positive message

Homedale Neighborhood Inc, a non-profit organization of 11 people who are committed to making a difference in the lives of kids in the Homedale community, started an After School program at the elementary for children in the first through fourth grade. Board of Directors member Luci Asumendi-Mereness said it was a privilege to watch them on the evening of May 2, when the children in the I Can Do Kids club held their second graduation for the after school program. Fifty-one children graduated from the kids club, which was held at the elementary school.

The after school program began in late September and finished on May 2nd. It was held three days a week, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday and offered computers and nutrition classes through the University of Idaho Extension Service on Monday’s, reading, homework and PE on Tuesday’s and Thursday’s and music all 3 days. After school snacks provided by Idaho Foodbank in Boise.

The evening began with the children performing several songs that they had learned throughout the year. “The music program is one of the most exciting parts of the after school program,” Asumendi-Mereness said. “Pam Silveria has been involved with the music portion of the program since it began and has children actively involved as she teaches the actions to a song as well as the song itself. They looked and sounded great, and Pam’s enthusiasm is a valuable asset to the program.”

The guest speaker, the Honorable Supreme Court Judge, Sergio Gutierrez, highlighted the evening. He spoke to the group and their parents in both English

and Spanish about the importance of family, education and work ethic. His message was about not

giving up and making the most of the opportunities that will come their way. He shared stories of

his childhood and how difficult it was, but also how promising the future can be if people make

good choices.

Each student received a certificate and a T-shirt, which were presented by their teachers. First grade teachers were Lisa Renz and Angela Correa, second grade, Becky Forth and Lori Conant, third grade, Mary Jo Larzelier, Leslie Parker, and Melinda Lathrop and fourth grade, Jim McMillan and Charity Buckley.

At the conclusion of the evening a dinner was served for all graduates and their families, which was organized, by Jim McMillan, Virginia Roberts, Melinda Lathrop, and Sharon Frost.

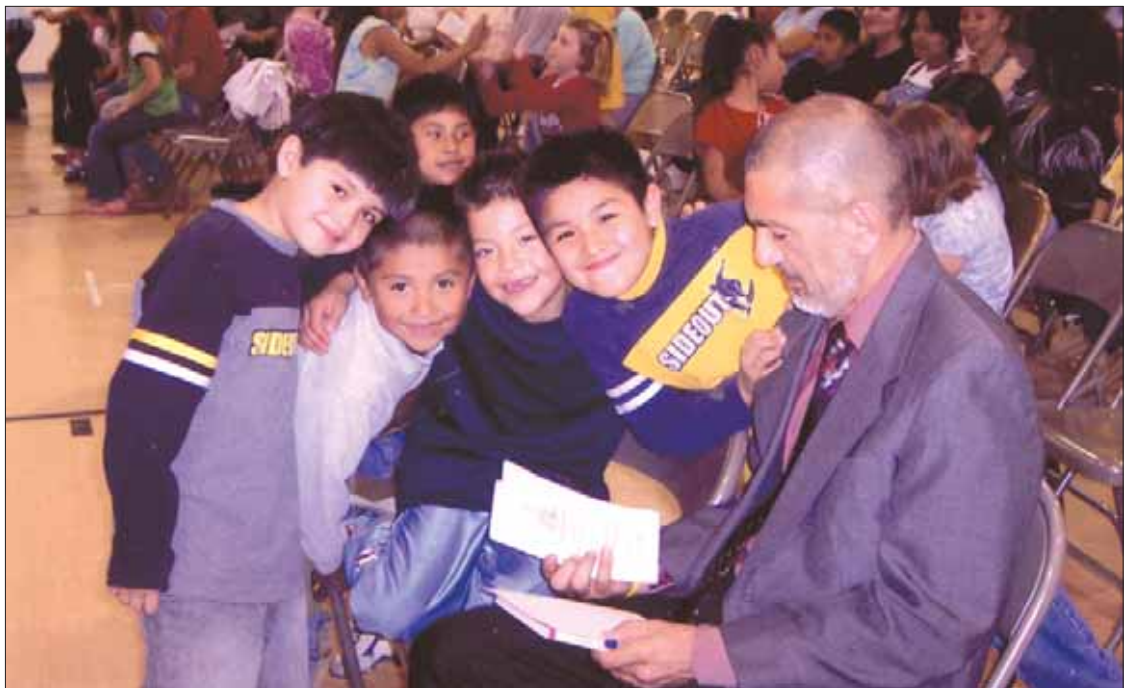
“As enjoyable as the evening was, it would not be possible without the help of teachers and helpers throughout the year,” Asumendi-Mereness continued. “High school kids are involved as well as adult helpers. We need more volunteers for the upcoming school year.”

Plans have begun for the third year of the after school program and the group would appreciate having the help of any adults who want to read to kids, help them with math, use flash cards, or play board games with them, and be a positive role model.

“We need volunteers,” Asumendi-Mereness explained. “If you can work one day a week that would be great. It does make a difference in the lives of these kids.”

For more information, contact Lucia Asumendi-Mereness at 337-3273, “we would appreciate your help.”

The Board of Directors for Homedale Neighborhood Inc is Marc & Val Asumendi, Mary Jo & Doug Larzelier, Scott Freeby, Mike and Leslie Parker, Lois McMillan, Lucia Asumendi-Mereness, Jim McMillan and Virginia Roberts.



Meeting his honor

Abram Albor, Amos Aguilera, Omar Albor, Fernando Hurtado and Hermon Albor, crowd around the Honorable Supreme Court Judge Sergio Gutierrez during afterschool program graduation last month.

BLM hosts “coffee shops” to discuss Birds of Prey

The Bureau of Land Management’s Boise District is hosting informal “coffee shops” to talk with people about the Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area (NCA) Resource Management Plan (RMP). A Coffee Shop will be held in Mountain Home at the Forest Service Ranger District Office today (Wednesday) and in Marsing on Thursday at the Owyhee County Extension office. Each Coffee Shop meeting will take place from 3:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

The coffee shops will provide an opportunity for people to discuss and ask questions about the RMP, and to learn about the draft alternatives for managing the NCA.

John Sullivan, Manager of the NCA, said, “The purpose of the Coffee Shops is not to receive official comments on the alternatives, but to update people on the progress of our resource management planning efforts. We want

people to see where we are headed with the alternatives and how we have incorporated the input of those collaborating with us in this process.”

The development of a new resource management plan for the NCA has been underway for the past four years. Resource management plans provide guidance for the long-term management of the public lands administered by the BLM. As part of a collaborative process, the BLM has convened numerous public meetings and

workshops, conducted formal consultations with Tribal Nations, and met with affected local, state and Federal agencies to ensure consistency with other planning efforts. The Idaho Army National Guard and Owyhee County are involved as cooperating agencies in this process.

For additional information about the RMPs under development in the Boise District, contact Mike O’Donnell (208-384-3315) or John Sullivan (208-384-3338).

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Sworn in
Homedale Assistant District Clerk Faith Olsen swears in newly appointed school board trustee Kevin Miyasako during a special meeting held last week. Miyasako was sworn into office after defeated trustee Benita Miller resigned her position less than one month prior to leaving office. Miyasako will again be sworn in to the position next month as the newly elected trustee.

Chairman resigns weeks before being replaced

Homedale School District Chairperson Benita Miller resigned her position on the board of trustees Tuesday before last following a regular board meeting on Monday evening. Miller’s resignation comes just weeks before she would have left office due to losing a school board election earlier this year to Kevin Miyasako.

“It is my heartfelt desire that the district can move forward in a positive direction and the healing process can begin,” Miller wrote to the board. “I believe that our future is bright and wish all of you the best. Thank you for your commitment on behalf of the students and community of Homedale.”

A special board meeting was called for Thursday night to accept Miller’s resignation and to appoint another member to take her place. Thursday night the board appointed Miyasako into the seat. Vice Chairman Ric Uria will take the chairman position and Kurt Shanley was appointed into the vice chair position.

Miyasako currently is replacing Miller until her term expired next month. During the July 11 meeting, Miyasako and Uria will be sworn in for their elected terms. Uria defeated Samuel Page in zone 4.

Owyhee Restoration Incentive program announced

The Owyhee Watershed Council in partnership with the Owyhee Soil Conservation District and the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality IDEQ announced the opening of a new grant program for Owyhee County landowners and operators. The “Owyhee Restoration Incentive Program” is now taking applications for water quality restoration projects on private/public lands within the Upper Owyhee, Middle Owyhee, Mid-Snake Succor, and Jordan subbasins of Owyhee County.

The goals of the program are to provide technical and financial assistance to landowners for the implementation of on-the-ground restoration projects; to demonstrate feasible and effective solutions for addressing water quality concerns; to promote coordination between local, state, and federal agencies and organizations within Owyhee County; to increase public awareness of local water quality issues, as well as local actions being taken to address those issues; and to promote the implementation of specific Best Management Practices BMPs as a means of addressing water quality concerns. The Owyhee Watershed Council received 319 funding in the amount of \$225,285.00 from IDEQ to accomplish these goals. \$200,000.00 of these funds will be allotted solely for the implementation of on-the-ground projects.

Program priorities are based on TMDL plans / implementation plans developed by the IDEQ and are designated by area as follows:

Priority 1 – Middle Owyhee Subbasin, temperature, improve riparian conditions.

Priority 2 – Upper Owyhee Subbasin, temperature, improve riparian conditions, sediment, reduce sediment inputs.

Priority 2 – Mid-Snake Succor Subbasin, temperature, improve riparian conditions, sediment, reduce sediment inputs, bacteria, reduce animal waste contamination of waterways, nutrients, reduce nutrient inputs, streambank erosion, reduce erosion.

Priority 3 – Jordan Subbasin, temperature, improve riparian conditions, sediment, reduce sediment inputs, bacteria, reduce animal waste contamination of waterways, nutrients, reduce nutrient inputs, streambank erosion, reduce erosion.

While the above is a list of program priorities, all projects proposing to improve water quality within any of the eligible subbasins will be seriously considered for funding. The Owyhee County Small Grant Team, made up of one local representative from each subbasin, will review / approve applications. Individual grant applications cannot exceed \$20,000 in requested funds. Applicants are

required to provide a 40 percent match for their proposed projects. This match may be in the form of hard cash or in-kind services such as labor, equipment use, etc.

Grant applications are available at the Farm Service Agency Office in Marsing; at the Bruneau River Soil Conservation District office in Bruneau; from your local committee representative; or by contacting the Owyhee Watershed Council at 541 889-2588 ext.117. The deadline for application submission is September 1. Applications should be mailed to the following address by September 1, to be eligible for funding: Owyhee Watershed Council, Attn: Jennifer Martin, 2925 S.W. 6th Ave., Ste. 2, Ontario, OR 97914.

For more information or have any questions pertaining to this program, please contact Martin at 541 889-2588 ext.117.

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Teachers

of retirement stating that effective June 30, he would no longer work for the district. The district purchased one year of his contract for \$17,333 and stated that he would remain taking care of the outdoor classroom for a minimum of three years.

In March, Caldwell School District Interim superintendent Timothy Rosandick was hired on a three-year contract with a salary of \$92,000.

Currently all contracts except assistant coaches' contracts have been decided. Lisonbee said during last week's meeting that the assistant coaches have not been hired yet because changes are being made to the district's extracurricular programs-sports policy on addition and reduction. He said due to not having enough athletes for a sports team last year, the district does not want to pay an assistant coach if he is not needed.

"We as an administration did not make any recommendations to hire any assistant coaches," Lisonbee told the board and audience last week. "One reason is the experiences we had last year showed us that we need to have a little caution with what we are doing. Usually we hire most all of them in May for the following year. This year we had a team or two when it came time for that sport to be played, we didn't have enough student athletes to have a team. But the contract was already signed and we were obligated as a school district to pay it and we did pay it. Therefore looking after the taxpayers' dollar, we felt we should be cautious and don't just jump too soon. We are working on the policy and will get it in so if this happens, we don't have to pay anyone unnecessarily. There should be some more done on it in the July meeting."

Minutes obtained from the district's web site show that on April 11, trustee Kurt Shanley moved to approve hiring all tenured and non-tenured staff as recommended. Trustee Ric Uria seconded the motion, which carried. Notes attached to the minutes state that the motion was rescinded on May 9, 2005.

On May 9, the board, moved by Shanley, seconded by Uria, to hire the classified staff for 2005-2006 as recommended and the motion carried, but minutes state that the decision was also rescinded later in the meeting.

In the minutes of the meeting, contracts of the tenured and non-tenured staff were again renewed. But this time four staff members who are related to members of the board were not renewed. Members removed themselves from the meeting as motions to renew their relative's contracts were carried. The same happened with the hiring of classified staff.

According to the web site, coaching positions available

include, assistant football coach, head volleyball coach, cross country, head boy's basketball, assistant boys basketball, head girls basketball, assistant girls basketball, head golf and head track as well as athletic director, elementary counselor, middle school counselor, high school language arts-speech teacher and high school ESL teacher.

Initiative

Owyhee County Farm Bureau is a voluntary, nongovernmental, nonpartisan organization of farm and ranch families seeking solutions to the problems that affect their lives, both socially and economically.

Idaho Back Country Horsemen is also a non-profit organization with 15 chapters spread throughout the state. Their goal is to insure that public lands remain open to recreational use and to insure that public lands remain open to recreational stock use.

The Southern Idaho Desert Racing Association is a not for profit group incorporated club who says it is dedicated to enhancing and promoting the sport of off-road motorcycle riding.

BLM

to consult with the interested public on key matters, such as developing or changing grazing-activity plans; planning range-land-improvement programs; and developing reports that are used as the basis for BLM decisions affecting grazing permits or leases.

The BLM manages more land, 261 million surface acres, than any other federal agency. Most of this public land is located in 12 western states, including Alaska. The bureau, with a budget of about \$1.8 billion, also administers 700 million acres of sub-surface mineral estate throughout the nation. The agency's multiple-use mission is to sustain the health and productivity of the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations. The BLM accomplishes this by managing such activities as outdoor recreation, livestock grazing, mineral development, and energy production, and by conserving natural, historical, cultural, and other resources on public lands.

Weather

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Jun 14	no	read	
Jun 15	88	45	
Jun 16	85	50	
Jun 17	87	52	.16
Jun 18	no	read	
Jun 19	no	read	
Jun 20	84	41	.02

Bruneau teacher aids cleared of allegations

Three teacher aids that were fired for allegedly misusing school district funds have been cleared of the allegations. Now they hope to know if they will be allowed to go back to work for the same school district who made the initial accusations.

Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney Matthew Faulks said last week that he has no intention to pursue the matter any further and finds the allegations to be unfounded. Faulks said after several months of investigation, he feels there is not enough evidence to charge the aids with a crime.

"There are about three or four potential criminal issues out of the complaint," Faulks said. "Various sides have made some complaints. I don't feel there is enough evidence to file any charges."

Judy McBride, Julie Snyder and Patty Jones were fired in February after being accused of misusing funds received from the annual Bruneau Rodeo breakfast. All three stated that a letter from the school district explaining why they were being fired said the termination was because of misappropriation of school funds and insubordination. All three teacher's aids are at-will employees.

A copy of the report from the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office states that School District Superintendent Dallas Taylor reported possible missing funds from the Bruneau Elementary School. She said the teaching staff has put on a breakfast during the rodeo for a number of years in which the elementary school finances the initial cost. The funds are repaid from the proceeds of the breakfast and the profits are deposited with the school and used to purchase items for the school. Taylor reported that the money from the 2004 rodeo had not been deposited in the school's checking account and it could not be immediately accounted for. The total amount suspected missing was about \$470.

Sharon Ackley, who had been suspended from her teaching position several weeks earlier, sent a letter to Taylor on Feb. 23

stating that she was enclosing an envelope containing \$382 in cash. She said she believed that the funds represented profits of the staff fundraiser and she did not believe that it was district money.

"It came to my attention just this morning that Sherri Christiansen now believes that these funds could be district money including approximately \$330 that was provided by the district to purchase supplies for the rodeo breakfast," Ackley wrote to Taylor. "I thought it best to turn the funds over to you because the source and nature of these funds is uncertain at this time."

McBride said she was ecstatic about the news and she still hopes to be able to go back to work for the district which she had worked at for about three years. She said she felt in the beginning that the allegations were wrong, but she has no hard feelings for the people she worked with.

"The letter I was given said I was being discharged due to misuse of school funds and for insubordination," McBride said last week. "I understood the misappropriation of funds, but never understood what I did that was insubordinate. Mr. Henderson stated numerous times that he asked me four times for the money, and he never asked me four times for the money. We are all very

hopeful. I would love to go back to work for the school. I miss the staff and especially the children. I can understand now how it got so twisted and tangled. Honestly I had no idea until Sharon's hearing how it all came about. It was all so innocent. There was never any discussion with us. Just the termination. It was shocking."

Jones agreed, stating she would also love to go back to work for the district. She said she also does not know why she was fired for insubordination. She has worked for the district for about 11 years and has worked at the breakfast for as long. She said last year, the group followed the same routine with the money that they have followed for the 11 years she has worked with the breakfast committee.

Jones and McBride said they had requested a hearing on the decision, but they were unaware if anything had been scheduled. Taylor said Thursday that she could not discuss a "confidential staffing issue" when asked if a hearing had been requested or scheduled. She also declined comment when asked if the board would consider reinstating the aids.

"It has been very difficult," Jones said. "It hasn't been very easy on any of us. I feel like we were wrongly done. I would love to go back and do what I was doing."

Caldwell teen killed in accident with house

A Caldwell teen was pronounced dead at the scene of an accident on Highway 55 near Marsing last week. Idaho State Police said 18 year-old Justin Anderson hit a tractor-trailer that was hauling a house on the highway between Marsing and Symms Road near Lizard Butte.

Highway 55 was closed for several hours as law enforcement investigated the scene. A spokesman from Idaho State Police said that the semi truck was pulling the house north on Highway 55 when a Toyota pickup traveling south, collided and came to rest under the back of the home. He said the pickup was pinned underneath the trailer.

Two pilot cars were driving with the truck pulling the house. A passenger in the pickup, Caleb E. Ray was transported to a local hospital, but his condition was not available.



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Tom Taylor

Tom Taylor, age 72 of Weiser, was born at home in Homedale, Id on September 12, 1932, died peacefully at home on June 13, 2005. Memorial Services will be held June 23, 2005 at 10:00 A.M. at the Weiser Christian Church 1299 E 2nd Street. He was preceded in death by his first wife Venice Allred Taylor and baby daughter in January 1962; his mother and father, Joyce Schubert Taylor and Charles Taylor; his step mother Zoa Pierce Taylor; his sisters Vee Taylor and Faye Taylor King; and his brother Mearl Taylor.

He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Ruth Taylor, sons and daughter-in-laws, Dell and Cindi Taylor of Byron, GA, Bill and Ginger Taylor of Weiser, ID, daughter and son-in- law Connie and Rodger Bates of Pleasant Hill, OR, sister-in-law Alice Estes of Portland, OR, sister and brother-in-law June and Duke Pollock of Homedale, ID, brother Dean Taylor of Lewiston, ID, six grandchildren, Benjamin, Danica, Jordan, Braidy, Dakota, Sierra and many nieces and nephews.

Tom loved his family, friends and church. He was a deacon at the Weiser Christian Church and a member of the men’s choir. Tom served his active duty during the end of the Korean War years working on B-52’s jet plane engines. He always enjoyed fixing small engines and keeping things running smoothly from sprinkler systems to lawn mowers around the church and our home. During the changing seasons of the year you could see him mowing lawns or blowing snow around the neighborhood. The highlight of his year was the Fiddle Contest and his friends that kept returning to park in his yard. He looked forward to the times when he could watch his children and grandchildren compete in athletic events. He was very proud of all his children and grandchildren. He will be missed for his great bear hugs and his smiles. He is now at home with his Lord.

In Lieu of flowers memorials maybe made to Weiser Christian Church or Weiser Memorial Hospital. Services under the direction Thomason Funeral Home, Weiser, ID.

Larry Allen Munro

Larry Allen Munro died Monday, June 13, in Grand View, Idaho.

Larry was born in Boise, Idaho on February 28, 1949. He grew up in Grand View on his father’s farm. After graduating from high school in Grand View, he attended College of Southern Idaho in Twin Falls, where he studied agriculture and pitched for the CSI baseball team. While attending school, he also worked for the Department of Idaho State Fisheries. It was at this time, he met the love of his life and future wife, Kathleen Johnson.

Upon graduation from CSI, he went into business with his father on the family farm in Grand View and ran cattle on Florence Springs and Boulder Ranch in the Owyhee Mountains. Kathy and Larry were married in Grand View where they raised their family and successfully farmed and ranched for the past 37 years.

More than anything, Larry enjoyed spending time with his family. He especially loved chasing his six grandchildren who were drawn to his natural strength and gentle-natured affection. The hobbies he enjoyed most were those he could share with his children and friends, which included golf, snowmobiling in the Owyhee Mountains, boating and hunting big game. He also took great pleasure in traveling Idaho’s highways with his wife and best friend, Kathy.

Larry was a natural at farming with his solid work ethic and love for the outdoors. His strengths were centered in integrity, humility, and unending patience. He treated his peers and employees with respect and compassion - traits that were rewarded with loyalty and true friendship. Larry was a member of the Idaho Cattleman’s Association and served on the Board of Directors of the Grand View Mutual Canal Company and Upper Mutual Canal Company.

Larry is survived by his wife, Kathy, of Grand View, his sons, Kelly Munro and his wife, Heidi, of Boise and their children Vanessa and Camille; Corey Munro and his wife, Annette of Colorado Springs, and their sons Samuel and Andrew his daughter, Kristen Rahn, of Grand View and her children Philip and Kara; his brother, Richard Munro, of Denver and, his parents Martha and James Munro, of Oreana. He was preceded in death by his son-in-law, Patrick Rahn.

Funeral services were held at Rimrock High School on Highway 78 on Monday, June 20th at 2:00 p.m., followed by a reception at the Senior Center in Grand View. Memorial contributions can be made to the Grand View Ambulance Service in care of Donna Bennett Grand View, Idaho 83624.

Arrangements under the direction of Rost Funeral Home, Mountain Home, Idaho.



Temps on the rise

Spring like temperatures changed to summer like conditions Tuesday as local thermometers hit the 90 degree plus mark on the first day of summer. Although temperatures are expected to remain warm this week, they will slightly drop by the weekend.

The National Weather Service is expecting partly cloudy conditions today (Wednesday) with highs 83-88 degrees and winds from the west at about 10 miles per hour. Wednesday night through Friday should be mostly clear with lows 49-57 degrees and highs in the upper 80s. Friday through Saturday expect partly cloudy skies with lows 52-57 and highs in the upper 80s.

A chance of rain is expected Saturday night and Sunday morning with lows 51-57 and highs in the middle 80s.

Owyhee Reservoir was at 90 percent full on Monday with 642,906 acre-feet of water. Eight hundred ninety three cubic feet per second entering the reservoir at Rome and 225 cfs being released at Owyhee Dam.

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	Precipitation (inches)
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06/15	20.1
06/16	20.1
06/17	20.1
06/18	20.4
06/19	20.4
06/20	20.4
South Mountain	
06/14	32.5
06/15	32.5
06/16	32.5
06/17	33.0
06/18	33.4
06/19	33.5
06/20	33.5
Mud Flat	
06/14	16.4
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Senior news

Homedale Senior Center

June 23: Roast pork, mashed potatoes/gravy, peas & carrots, rolls, milk.
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June 28: Roast beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, California blend veggies, rolls, milk
June 29: Quarter pound burger/bun, lettuce, tomato, baked beans, milk.
June 30: Stir fried rice & chicken, mixed veggie, rolls, milk.

Marsing Senior Center

June 23: Oven fried chicken, potatoes/gravy, mixed veggies, jello salad, soup, dessert, beverage.
June 27: Chicken pot pie, broccoli salad, soup, dessert, beverage.
June 28: Salisbury steak, potato, Mexican veggies, green salad, soup, dessert, beverage.
June 29: Sweet & sour pork, rice, mixed veggies, pea salad, soup, dessert, beverage.
June 30: Corned beef, cabbage, potatoes, carrots, salad, soup, dessert, beverage.

Marsing Marine completes courses

Marine Corps Pfc. Damien M. Fuller, son of Barbara Troxel of Marsing, Idaho, recently completed the Administrative Clerk Course at Personnel Administration School, Marine Corps Combat Service Support Schools, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

During the eight-week course, Fuller learned basic skills and knowledge in personnel management and administration procedures. With his newly acquired knowledge, Fuller is ready to prepare personnel evaluations and reports, leave authorizations, military identification cards, and official orders for Marines changing duty station.

Fuller is a 2003 graduate of Centennial High School of Boise, and joined the Marine Corps in November 2004.

Watershed council to meet

The next regular meeting of the Owyhee Watershed Council will be July 14th at 7:30 p.m. at the University of Idaho Extension Office in Marsing. This will be a joint meeting between the Mid Snake Succor WAG and the Owyhee Watershed Council.

The speaker of the evening will be Pat Clark and the topic will be shading and water temperature studies. The Executive Committee will meet at 6:30 p.m. just before the regular meeting.


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Historical society tours Diamond Basin

by Mary O'Malley

Dr. Pat Packard led the Owyhee County Historical Society fieldtrip from the Museum in Murphy on June 11. The group went up the old stage road from Murphy to Silver City, then to Diamond Basin.

About 40 members and guests made several stops to identify and discuss the wildflowers and other plants, which are especially abundant this year due to all the rain. Dr. Packard identified and discussed uses of most of the plants at each stop, telling which are edible, which are poisonous and how to tell the difference.

She also told about the different kinds of sagebrush and other bushes, and which animals prefer which. The group enjoyed a potluck at the saddle between Diamond Basin and North Sinker Creek, and shared stories about the area.



Local teens compete in nat'l rodeo finals

Kasey Bruce of Homedale, Daniel Herman of Marsing and Ryan Mackenzie of Jordan Valley competed in the 2005 College National Finals Rodeo in Casper, Wyoming last week. Bruce competed in the barrels, Herman in bareback and Mackenzie in saddle bronc riding. This is the second trip for Bruce who is a sophomore at Blue Mountain Community College and a second trip for Herman who is a sophomore at Treasure Valley Community College and Mackenzie is freshman at the College of Southern Idaho.

Herman scored 56.5 points in the bareback competition giving him a three head total of 183 points Friday for the weeklong event. The score left him at 17th place.

Bruce finished Friday's events in 39th place after two runs with a time of 34.53. She competed in the third go-round Saturday, but results were not available.

Mackenzie finished Friday in 39th place with back-to-back no scores. He also competed on Saturday in the third go-round.

Megan McLeod and Marissa Black wrapped up the local finalists. McLeod of Star competes for Weber State in goat tying and barrels. She finished Friday in 31st place with a two-run time of 28.81 seconds. Black competes in goat tying for Montana State University where she is a sophomore and the 2004 all-around and barrel racing champion for the Big Sky region.

Paul's Markets names scholarship recipients

Paul's Markets has named recipients of its college scholarship program for 2005: Luis Escutia, Homedale High; Emily Ann Kolsky, McCall-Donnelly High; Pat Anderson, Jordan Valley High; Kristin Cooper, Caldwell High; Ana Gonzalez, Nampa High; Ashley Peckenschneider, Mountain Home High; Patrick McCormick, Kuna High; Kendall Brenton, Skyview High; Tanner Hoagland, Melba High; Victoria Kent, Marsing High; Whitney Caldwell, Greenleaf Friends Academy; Jantzen Meza, Vallivue High; Gabrielle Epps, Wilder High; Maria Vicky Barroso, Glenss Ferry High; and Emily Boswell, Mountain View.

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Wild flowers

Dr. Pat Packard leads the Owyhee County Historical Society fieldtrip near Diamond Basin in search of wildflowers in the Owyhee Desert. The group traveled up the old stage road from Murphy to Silver City to Diamond Basin. Photo submitted by Mary O'Malley.



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Marsing FFA news

Summer time brings the road to the Owyhee County Fair. Live-stock members are feeding and leading as they work towards the big show, August 8 to 13. During the final days of the school year, the Botany/Greenhouse class prepared several flowerpots to be used to decorate the fair grounds. Members are again planning to set-up the Coke trailer for fair week.

Snake River Stampede Calf Scramble will be held on July 19 – 23. This event gives 4-H and FFA members the opportunity to catch a calf during the rodeo and receive a \$1,000 scholarship to be used to purchase a purebred beef of dairy heifer. This year about 12 members of the Marsing FFA have applied to participate in the event.

The calf scramble will be held during two performances. Forty young people will have the chance to catch a calf during either the Tuesday night performance or the Saturday matinee rodeo.

Several years ago the University of Idaho Extension, Marsing of- fice developed a cooperative with the Marsing School District and the Marsing Agriculture Department to develop a community garden. Be- ing such large undertaking this program has continually been growing each year. Under the direction of Judith McShane, with the University of Idaho CYFAR Program this year the garden is going and growing quite nice.

What a wonderful opportunity for a community program, some place where families can come work with the University of Idaho to grow garden plants. If you would like information or a garden spot at the community garden please contact Judith at 208-896-4104.

This year’s officer retreat will be held on July 25 – 27 in Pine, Idaho. The group has been making plans for our annual retreat.

Trade adjustment assistance offered for Idaho potatoes

Potato producers who grew potatoes in Idaho in crop year 2003 for fresh market may be eligible to apply for benefits under the Trade Adjustment Assistance program announced Wyane Hammon, State Executive Director of the Idaho Farm Service Agency. The deadline to submit a complete application is June 27

Assistance to eligible producers is being made because imported potatoes caused a 20 percent or greater price decline to the Idaho fresh market in the 2003 crop year. Eligible potatoes are those produced in Idaho and sold in the fresh market between August 2003 and July 31, 2004. Potatoes sold to a co-op, broker, or other entity may be eligible under this TAA program. Potatoes sold exclusively to a processing and or frozen market are not eligible. Also, seed potatoes are not eligible.

Potato producers are encouraged to visit their local FSA county of- fice as soon as possible as a complete FSA-229 must be submitted by June 27, along with acceptable ptduction evidence that verifies fresh market sales from August 2003 to July 2004.

All producers who apply for benefits under TAA must attend a three hour, no cost, technical assistance workshop from the USDA, Cooperative, State, Research, Education and Extension Services. Dates and locations for these workshops have been scheduled and will begin June 27. To find the location nearest you and to pre-register, contact the University of Idaho District IV Extension Office in Idaho Falls at 208-529-8376.

Other required application documentation includes verification that an applicant’s net farm income was less in 2003 than in 2002 and completion of the CSREES training. This documentation must be provided by September 30.



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FAMILY FEATURES EDITORIAL SYNDICATE

It's that time of year: Just as the last snow bank disappears, many of us wish we could melt away a few pounds for a more slender summer silhouette. It's time for a diet that jump-starts weight loss without gimmicks, helps establish healthy lifestyle habits and is easy to both swallow and follow.

Dreaming? Nope. A diet that is rich in whole grains and fiber can be a useful tool in losing weight, and maintaining your loss. Fruits and vegetables, and cereals, breads and pasta made with whole grains, are delicious and satisfying — filling you up, not out.

The easiest way is to wake up and begin at the breakfast table. "Start the day right with a bowl of whole grain cereal, fat free milk and fruit," said Jackie Newgent, registered dietitian and culinary consultant. "In fact, I counsel my weight-loss clients to include two whole grain cereal meals daily, with their third meal being well-planned, tasty and balanced."

Why the emphasis on whole grains? "Americans need to close the whole grains gap," said Newgent. "Nine out of 10 Americans do not get the recommended three or more servings they need daily. Whole grains are rich in vitamins and minerals and are also loaded with fiber — a great tool for weight management because it fills you up and keeps you satisfied."

Newgent points out that we need look no further than the classic whole grain cereals that we've enjoyed for years. "Whole grain cereals are familiar, satisfying, taste great and offer the utmost in convenience for busy consumers," she said.

What you add to your cereal can elevate it to a real taste sensation and nutritional powerhouse. Newgent suggests the following ideas and encourages her clients to create their own:

Scrumptious, Speedy Ways for Cereal With Style

- Dress Up Your Cereal:** Don't just serve cereal with plain ol' milk; serve it with fat free milk and fruit, low fat yogurt and fruit, or fat free soy milk and fruit. Try exotic fruits new to you or farmers' market picks. There are nearly endless varieties.
- Cereal Sundae:** Layer your favorite cereal in a wine, martini or parfait glass along with low fat yogurt and fresh, seasonal fruit.
- Mix-n-Match to Create Your Own Favorite Combination:** Know you should choose the higher fiber cereal but prefer the taste of a lower fiber one? Just mix them together to get the best of both — nutrition and taste.
- Bag It to Go:** Toss cereal in a sealable plastic snack- or sandwich-size bag with dried fruit and nuts of choice. Try dried cranberries and almonds for a nutritious kick — and super flavor.
- Sprinkle It ... Just a Little Bit:** Want to add a little crunch to a salad or casserole, but want a nutritious alternative to croutons, fried onions or potato chips? Toss or top with *Grape-Nuts* instead!

Satisfaction in a bowl might be the key to weight loss. Participants in a clinical trial conducted by the Rippe Lifestyle Institute lost an average of 10 pounds and up to 3 inches off their waistline in 12 weeks. The plan was simple: Every day participants replaced two meals with a serving of *Post Healthy Classics* (*Post Raisin Bran*, *Post Grape-Nuts*, or *Post Shredded Wheat*) and one-half cup of fat free milk and fruit, ate a balanced third meal and included 30 minutes of light exercise like walking.

During a 12-week maintenance phase of the study, dieters ate one meal of *Post Healthy Classics* cereal and two balanced meals. Most participants not only maintained their weight loss but, on average, lost an additional 2 pounds and maintained reductions in their heart disease risk factors: low blood pressure and triglyceride levels.

In addition to being a critical component to weight loss and maintenance, whole grain foods fight several serious chronic diseases, according to Newgent. "Whole grain consumption has been linked with lowered risks of heart disease, diabetes, obesity and some forms of cancer. Eating whole grains is also associated with lower blood pressure and blood lipid levels," she said.

"For professionals concerned with public health, the recommendation to eat more whole grain foods is a dream come true." Newgent points to the new dietary guidelines for Americans, which focus on weight management, physical activity, adequate nutrients and specific whole foods like whole grains.

"Healthful lifestyles include portion control and mindful eating — choosing healthful foods that taste good to you, and enjoying your meals. This is a critical component of any healthful diet," said Newgent, who also emphasizes regular exercise as part of a diet of whole grains.

"Physical activity is critical for weight loss and maintenance, stress management and positive outlook. And the best exercise is one that you'll actually do. It can be as elementary as taking a walk."

Ready to cinch an inch? For more information on *Post Healthy Classics'* 3-step weight loss plan, cereal serving ideas, tips on diet and nutrition, healthy recipes and healthy lifestyle tips, check out www.posthealthyclassics.com.

Consult your physician before starting any diet or exercise program. Results may vary.

Hot Ideas With Whole Grain Cereals

Adding more fruits, vegetables, low fat dairy and whole grains to your daily diet can be as delicious as the following recipes.

Morning Berry Parfait
Prep: 5 minutes

- 1 cup strawberry slices, blueberries or raspberries
- 1/2 cup Breyers Light Fat Free Yogurt, any flavor
- 1/4 cup Post Grape-Nuts or Spoon Size Shredded Wheat cereal

LAYER half each of the strawberries, yogurt and cereal in a medium glass. REPEAT layers. Serve immediately. Makes 1 serving

Tabbouleh Salad
Prep: 15 minutes plus refrigerating

- 1 pint cherry tomatoes, quartered
- 1/2 cup finely chopped yellow or white onion
- 1/2 cup finely chopped green onions
- 1/2 cup finely chopped fresh parsley
- 1/4 cup prepared Good Seasons Zesty Italian Salad Dressing & Recipe Mix for Fat Free Dressing
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 4-1/2 teaspoons finely chopped fresh mint
- 1 cup Post Grape-Nuts cereal

MIX all ingredients except cereal in large bowl; cover. REFRIGERATE at least 1 hour to allow flavors to blend. STIR in cereal 30 minutes before serving. Let stand at room temperature until ready to serve. Makes 6 servings

Chocolate Popcorn Trail Mix
Prep: 10 minutes

- 3 tablespoons Baker's Semi-Sweet Chocolate Chunks
- 1 cup dried cranberries
- 2 cups Post Spoon Size Shredded Wheat cereal
- 2 cups popped reduced-sodium reduced-fat microwave popcorn

MELT chocolate as directed on package. Pour over cranberries in small bowl; toss to coat. Set aside. MIX cereal and popcorn in large bowl. Add cranberries; mix lightly. SPREAD into single layer on large piece of wax paper. Cool. Makes 4 servings, 1-1/4 cups each

Orange Bowl Cereal
Prep: 5 minutes

- 1 cup Post Spoon Size Shredded Wheat cereal
- 2/3 cup mandarin orange segments and their juices (about 1/2 of 11-ounce can)
- 1/4 cup Breyers Vanilla Lowfat Yogurt

PLACE cereal in serving bowl. Top with mandarin orange segments and juice. TOP with yogurt. Makes 1 serving

Strawberry Cereal Shake
Prep: 5 minutes

- 1 cup fat free milk
- 1 cup unsweetened frozen strawberries
- 1/2 cup Post Fruit & Bran with Dates, Raisins, Walnuts cereal
- 1 tablespoon honey

PLACE all ingredients in blender container; cover. BLEND on high speed 30 seconds or until well blended. POUR into large glass. Serve immediately. Makes 1 serving





The pitch

Emilio Cuellar pitches a fast one during an 11-12-baseball tournament at Sundance Park Saturday. Summer recreation ball will continue through the end of June. For dates and times of games, contact Homedale City Hall for schedules.

New business plays matchmaker to landowners, sportsmen

“Bringing landowners and sportsmen together”

A new locally owned business, Hunting Lease Network www.nationalhuntingleases.com, has opened in Boise. The primary goal of the company is to help landowners and hunters throughout Idaho connect online to establish leases for exclusive hunting rights to the land. The company also coordinates recreational leases for popular eco-tourism activities

Shoo-Fly 4-H News

by Deena Emry
On June 12th, the Shoo-Fly 4-H club held a meeting at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds. After the group said the pledges and read the minutes from the last meeting, members who attended the sheep weigh-in gave a brief report.

Under old business, the group still do not have their T-shirts ordered yet. For new business announcements, county demonstrations have been moved to Tuesday, July 19th in Marsing and everyone is encouraged to participate. Sue Williams, 4-H leader, needs all pre-registration forms from clubbers who will be participating.

Next, the club separated into groups of four to compete in the Skill-A-Thon Championships. The winning group included Ashlynn Uria, Lane Matteson, Lawson Matteson and Esteban Lejardi. Each won a gift certificate to the Homedale Drive-In with only four questions wrong out of 30.

Before the meeting was adjourned, the club had their committee meetings with parent volunteers. The next meeting will be July 10th at the fairgrounds at 7 p.m. The meeting will also be project book night so everyone is reminded to bring their CCS books to the meeting. The scrapbook committee said they would also like members to bring any pictures of club activities and pictures of each member and their project animal.

such as bird watching, camping, hiking and mountain biking.

J.R. Simplot Company has purchased the Hunting Lease Network franchise serving all of Idaho, and is now part of the first hunting lease network franchise in the world. The Hunting Lease Network offers complete recreational lease management services to landowners seeking additional income from their land and outdoorsmen longing for assurance of a quality experience.

“The purpose of Hunting Lease Network is to make leases hassle-free for the landowner and the outdoorsman, so that they can both just enjoy the benefits of the arrangement, and the peace of mind that we’re handling all the details,” said Vince Restucci, manager of Hunting Lease Network and Simplot’s director of national accounts and large grower strategy. “Simplot knows the challenges that Idaho farmers are facing with water supply and commodity prices,” said Restucci. “We see hunting leases as the new ‘rotation crop’ to help farmers get more income out of their land. And the Hunting Lease Network can help maximize the lease value of the land by helping farmers improve wildlife habitat. At the same time, we’re responding to Idaho outdoorsmen’s desire for more available, high-quality land.”

“The services that Simplot now provides through Hunting Lease Network are a perfect fit for our overall goal to develop new revenue sources for local farmers and help them increase their profitability and save time,” said Restucci.

To use the Hunting Lease Network service, landowners pay a \$100 enrollment fee, which covers the time and effort for the company to build a web page for each landowner’s property that is located on the Hunting Lease Network’s web site generating nationwide exposure for the landowner’s posting and to coordinate lease bids from outdoorsmen registered on the web site. This competitive bidding process ensures landowners receive fair market value for the

recreational lease.

“We handle the lease writing, accounting, wildlife harvest reports, hunting liability insurance carried by hunters, and lease renewals,” said Restucci. “Basically, we serve as the liaison between the landowner and the outdoorsman for the life of the lease.”

Because the franchise system is a subsidiary of Farmers National Company, the largest farm-management company in the United States franchise owners can also draw upon the resources of Farmers National Company to provide landowners with related additional services such as wildlife habitat development.

Through its Hunting Lease Network service, Simplot is now part of an industry that shows no signs of weakening. According to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service’s 2001 National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Wildlife Associated Recreation, more than \$624 million is spent annually on hunting leases in the United States.

The Hunting Lease Network’s corporate-owned franchises already have opened more than 210,000 acres of private land to hunting since they began managing hunting leases in 1995. The company plans to continue awarding 15 franchises per year for the next six years throughout the United States.

Hunting Lease Network’s plans for expansion are in response to growing demand from landowners and outdoorsmen alike for full-service recreational lease management.

For more information about the Hunting Lease Network office serving Idaho, to post land available for recreational use, or to view available leases, visit www.nationalhuntingleases.com or contact Vince Restucci at (208) 672-2767 or by email at restucci@simplot.com.

For more information about Hunting Lease Network franchise opportunities nationwide, visit www.nationalhuntingleases.com or contact Troy Langan at (402) 496-3276 or by email at tlangan@farmers-national.com.



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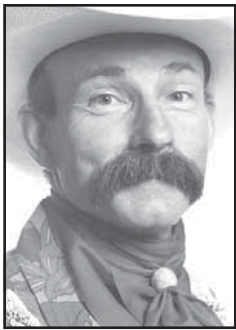
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Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

On the edge of common sense



The turkey menace

Normally the only time turkeys make the paper is in November, but this spring photos of wild turkeys appeared in both the Long Island, NY and Spokane, WA newspapers. Both stories involved potential overpopulation and “infestation,” “inbreeding,” or “attacks.” In each instance it was the result of well-intentioned humans manipulating the turkey population.

Washington hunters all over the state have had a bonanza spring turkey season. The State Department of Fish & Wildlife says “Emphasis is swinging from spreading birds across the state...” to “...helping landowners cope with flocks big enough to raise havoc...”

In New York, wild turkeys have escaped from the Boys Ranch into the community. “Obviously it got out of hand.” said the ranch manager. The director of Environmental Conservation suggested rounding them up and euthanizing them for the needy to eat. That brought a passionate response from both sides. It was even too hot for the animal rights groups to get involved.

We do it to ourselves; Canadian geese, kudzu, white-tailed deer, grizzly bear, mountain lions, starlings, wolves, fescue, buffalo. We hunt them to extinction, we import them, we protect them, we euthanize them, we eat them, they eat us, and still we fumble on. It might appear that the best way to manage wildlife to ensure its abundance, is to domesticate it!

Salmon, for instance, catfish, rice, sheep, trout, horses, elephants, turkeys, strawberries, and alligators are all found in the wild, but also grown in captivity. Even to the point that you can hunt or fish for your trophy on a game ranch or a stocked stream. Which, I expect in another half millennium, will be how we will solve the contentious problems created by humans moving into wildlife habitat.

But for now, there is still wild country where the presence of humans is transitory. We go to the woods, or the mountains or rivers or plains, fly fish or shoot antelope, then return to our urban caves where we eat frozen food and drink out of cans.

From the looks of it, the wild turkey menace will always be lurking beneath the surface as Game & Fish Departments continue to count and relocate, while farmers and homeowners swat and sweep them off their front porch, out of the backyard, or out of City Park.

But every now and then a gobbler will step over the line and later make an appearance in a croissant somewhere...minus his feathers.

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... *but possibly of interest*



Gracie, our first-and-only slightly-spoiled grandchild, now is two years old. Unfortunately for her parents, she appears to be her mother’s daughter.

Grace is a little small for her age but she makes up for it with advanced verbal skills. She is a genuine chatterbox, seldom at a loss for words. I think her mom started speaking later but had much the same in word output once she got going. When she was little, she talked and talked and talked, and didn’t seem to really care if anyone was listening. But it turns out her daughter does care if someone is paying attention.

It was late on a weekday afternoon. Gracie’s mom stopped at our house after work to pick up the kid. She sat down in a chair in the family room and started telling a fairly lengthy story about an accident, involving a cat, she had witnessed on her way to work. Grace, was sitting on her mother’s lap, eating some shelled peanuts given to her by Grandma.

The monologue had gone on for some time when Grace turned and looked up at her mother.

“I like peanuts,” Gracie said.
Mom ignored the declaration pf preference and continued telling her story. By this time she had set the scene, weather, traffic and road conditions, and was well into developing the characters.

More time passed. Grace popped another nut into her mouth, chewed it up with obvious relish, then turned again to her mom.

“I like peanuts,” Gracie repeated.
The speaker again did not acknowledge her

youngster’s second attempt to report. She was getting into the real meat of her story by this time - the feeling she experienced during the incident - her relief at missing the cat, her agony when another vehicle didn’t miss.

“I like peanuts,” Gracie said.
The story continued without pause or acknowledgement of Gracie’s declaration The teller was making progress but obviously was still a ways from the climax. Grace carefully examined the remaining nuts in her tiny hand, selected one she considered perfect.

“I like peanuts,” she said.
Still no reaction. Our daughter was nearing the end of her story. But she didn’t get there quite fast enough. Her child, obviously irritated by the lack of recognition, faced her mother and pointed a tiny finger directly at her nose.

“STOP!!!” yelled Gracie
The yell brought the startled speaker’s story to a screeching halt in mid sentence. She looked down at her finger-pointing offspring.

“I like peanuts,” said Gracie, popping another one into her mouth.

I didn’t personally witness the incident. But my mate made the mistake of relating it to me while I was eating dinner. The final “I like peanuts,” almost sent a piece of hamburger down the wrong pipe.

I’m glad Gracie is our granddaughter rather than our daughter because I think her mama’s gonna have her hands full.

Letters to the editor

We support the Initiative

We support the Owyhee Initiative. I find it appalling that people who do not live in or have no more than a recreational interest in Owyhee County are trying to kill the Initiative process. We view the OI as an economic stabilizer for the County and its citizens. The Initiative has something for everyone. Does everyone get everything they want? No. The Initiative is a compromise, but one from which we will all gain. It addresses Wilderness and Wild and Scenic Rivers, Travel and Recreation, Cultural Resources, the need for a Conservation and Research Center, and establishes a Science Review for certain actions. It is a completely new and innovative process that will help protect our natural resources through the transitioning into the 21st century that our growing populations create.

It has come to our attention that People for the Owyhees has started a letter writing campaign in opposition to the Owyhee initiative. They are trying to undermine the efforts of a group of individuals working in the best interest of all. The PftO want unlimited vehicle access to all of Owyhee County, whether it is federal or private land, a sensitive area or wilderness. And they are unwilling to compromise. They want it their way or not at all. We joined the members of that organization in opposition to creation of the Owyhee Canyon Lands National Monument which would have economically strangled Owyhee County. The threat of monument status has not gone away but our best way of fighting that specter is by supporting the Owyhee initiative.

Write your congressmen, write to the paper, get your neighbor to write. Make it as simple as “I support the Owyhee Initiative, my economy depends on it!” Ours sure does!

Connie and Richard Brandau
Wilson

Thank you, Lola

I live in Los Angeles, California and read Blossom’s column regularly. Her local anecdotes about the school teachers, ranchers and happenings around town bring a smile to my face. Blossom’s obituaries are especially unique because she writes them with a familiarity found only in America’s heartland. Her straightforward descriptions of this social event or that community meeting remind me that small town life is alive and flourishing. And that is a comfort to my soul. Thank you, Lola Blossom.

Sara Miller
San Gabriel, CA

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Commentary

Accuracy in media

Was Mark Felt Really Deep Throat?

By Cliff Kincaid, editor of the AIM Report

History professor Joan Hoff of Montana State University, an expert on the Watergate scandal, finds it interesting that Bob Woodward is claiming that he had a close relationship with former FBI official Mark Felt, now identified as Deep Throat, when Felt suffers from serious health problems, including dementia, and can't deny it. "It's just like when he said he interviewed [former CIA director Bill] Casey when Casey was comatose," she says.

Len Colodny, co-author of *Silent Coup*, about the "removal" of President Nixon, finds the identification of Mark Felt as Deep Throat to be rather remarkable: "A Deep Throat who can't talk."

The fact is, as AIM founder Reed Irvine documented, Woodward has been known to make things up. Woodward's Casey "interview" is a case in point. As Reed noted, "In his 1987 book, *Veil*, Woodward claimed he had interviewed William J. Casey, the CIA director, after Casey had brain surgery and could not speak intelligibly. Woodward didn't know that, and he made up an interview in which Casey is supposed to have spoken 19 intelligible words. It was clear that this was a falsification not only because of Casey's condition, but because his hospital room was guarded and Woodward was never admitted to it."

Hoff believes the identification of Deep Throat is part of "an orchestrated publicity stunt on the part of the Post and Woodward" because Woodward plans to publish his own book on Felt. "Lo and behold," says Hoff, "Felt's family decides he's Deep Throat and Felt can't say whether he is or not, and we get the big story."

In fact, despite his serious health problems, Felt can still utter a few words. He was captured on film outside his home yesterday saying that he enjoyed the publicity and that, "I'll arrange to write a book or something, and collect all the money I can." A New York Times account indicates that members of the Felt family have been envious of the money that will be made from the Deep Throat disclosures and that they were trying to pursue their own book deal independent of Woodward after he rebuffed their pleas for a collaborative effort.

Felt seems to have been a source of some kind for Woodward. But was he the source known as Deep Throat? Hoff isn't the only one who has some doubts.

Colodny says that what is known about Felt "doesn't match what Woodward wrote in his book. He describes Deep Throat as someone he had known for a long time and had many discussions about power in Washington and so on. There's not a shred of evidence that Felt is that person."

In the June 2 Post, Woodward describes for the first time the details of his "friendship" with Felt. They are said to have met accidentally when Woodward, then a young Navy Lieutenant, was delivering Navy documents to the White House in 1970. Hoff points out that Felt, because of his severe memory problems, can't deny any of this and the account "is based only and exclusively on Woodward's word."

But there are other reasons to doubt that Felt is Deep Throat.

Colodny and Hoff point to the claim in the Woodward/Bernstein book, *All the President's Men*, that Deep Throat provided the Post reporters exclusive information about the "deliberate erasures," as "Throat" told Woodward in November of 1973, on the White House tapes. "There's no reason to believe that Felt had access to that information because it was closely held in the White House," says Colodny, "and Felt had left the FBI in April—six months earlier."

Hoff agrees. "It's conceivable that as the second in command at the FBI, the deputy director, he could have gotten information from somebody about this," she said. "But I don't think he gave them this information. I think it was somebody in the White House. At that point, the White House was so embattled over the tapes and the possible subpoena [of them], there were only 3 or 4 people who had access to those tapes."

That means, apparently, that either Felt is not Deep

Throat or that he had his own Deep Throat.

But if Felt did somehow have access to that information and provided it to Woodward, important questions are raised.

"The guy is deputy director of the FBI," Colodny says. "Why is he not protecting the tapes? Why is he not arresting the people who are doing this? Why doesn't he go to [Watergate Judge John] Sirica's court, which is hearing this? He's a sworn law enforcement officer. He knows there's a crime being committed. But instead of doing something about it, he goes in a garage and talks to Woodward."

Hoff makes the same basic point. "He is the top law enforcement officer in the country because there's only an acting director [of the FBI] at that point," says Hoff. "Why didn't he go to Sirica or a grand jury and blow the story open?"

If Felt was concerned about the hostility between the FBI and President Nixon, Hoff counters, "This is the very story that he could have killed the Nixon Administration with. Why in God's name would a top law enforcement

officer meet in a garage with a rookie reporter and give him this information? It makes no sense."

Hoff predicts that the story will rebound to the discredit of Woodward. It's another flashy story, she concedes, "but I think they made a mistake in choosing Felt."

Last February 4, when the University of Texas in Austin opened the Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein Watergate papers (for which it had paid them \$5 million), Hoff participated in a symposium with Woodward and suggested that he put Deep Throat on videotape. Hoff wrote that she told Woodward that "he should video tape that individual as soon as possible so the public could be sure of the authenticity of the man Woodward would ultimately reveal as Deep Throat when the person could not deny it."

Of course, this should have been done years ago. The Felt family has affirmed the Deep Throat designation but it's now clear that they had a financial interest in doing so as well. And the questions about the conspiracy behind the Watergate conspiracy will be shunted aside and will remain unanswered.

Liberty matters

Fish & Wildlife plan all wet

A U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS) proposal to severely curtail public use of the Upper Mississippi River met with strong opposition from those attending a public meeting on the subject in Winona, Minnesota, last week. The FWS plans to limit overnight camping to main channel islands and shorelines. Boaters could use only electric motors and obey a 5-mph speed limit on 14,500 backwater acres. No-hunting zones would increase from 22 to 34, encompassing thousands of acres where hunters would be limited to 25 shells. Ken Rackow, who has spent much of his life hunting and fishing along the Mississippi, said; "They didn't think it out clear enough for the public, and I think they need to turn around and rethink this situation a lot better than they already have." Renee Walz, a Wisconsin resident, thinks Fish and Wildlife's plans to curtail camping along the Mississippi will throw a monkey-wrench into Wisconsin's efforts to encourage tourism, while others recognized the plan for what it is; an effort to keep people away from the Mississippi River. "Sometimes it seems that the birds and animals and insects are more important than what the people want," observed Daniel Burt. Hearings will continue to be held throughout the summer and comments accepted until the end of August. A new plan will be adopted early next year.

Hostile take-over

A conservation group, Berryessa Trails and Conservation (BT&C), is hoping the Bureau of Reclamation (BOR) will oust long-time private interests along man-made Berryessa Lake in Napa County, California. The group wants the owners of mobile homes out of the way so the lake can be turned into a canoeing, kayaking, and hiking paradise for urban yuppies and their dogs. Currently, about 1,300 mobile homes dot the shore line, along with dozens of travel trailers owned by people who have long-term rental agreements with the federal government. BT&C opposes private enterprise and private ownership as revealed on its website: "The Vision for Lake Berryessa is a proposal submitted to the government to redevelop the Lake to become a recreation area where one can learn about and enjoy nature, in addition to boating recreation. [BT&C] generally supports: (1) parity for nature-based (as opposed to motorized) recreation and (2) public (not commercial for-profit) management of all parks, day use areas and campgrounds." Carol A. Kunze, executive director of BT&C claims that the government is subsidizing the private interests surrounding the Lake. However, it is unclear how Ms. Kunze figures the government can revitalize the lake shore for the public without squandering more taxpayer dollars when it plans to evict all 1,300

mobile homeowners and close the privately-operated concession areas.

Only in San Francisco

The City of San Francisco has imported ten garter snakes from Denmark. The snakes were welcomed last Saturday at the San Francisco Zoo by local and national environmental dignitaries as well as the U. S. assistant secretary of Interior. "This snake is one of the most beautiful serpents in North America and it's associated with one of the most beautiful cities in North America," cooed Harry McQuillen, of the Sacramento office of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. McQuillen indulged in a bit of hyperbole when he said; "Imagine that San Francisco lost the Golden Gate Bridge. The same thing would be true with the snake." According to McQuillen, the Service had to import the snakes from Denmark because it was reluctant to rile the California Game and Fish Department by asking for a few of the wild ones that inhabit coastal areas of San Mateo County. When asked if the imported snakes could be considered "invasive species," McQuillen said, "No," because they are descendents of snakes that were confiscated from smugglers in California and sent to European zoos in the early eighties. The imported garter snakes will be used as propaganda and brainwash props for outreach and education purposes in the school systems and will not be released into the wild.

Mayors Urged to Promote Sustainable Development

During last week's United Nation's "World Environment Day," conference in San Francisco, the nation's mayors were urged to commit their cities to adopting "sustainable" practices to conserve energy and to follow UN guidelines that will eventually lead to top-down control of every aspect of human life from food production to health care to community development. The mayors were expected to comply with the "Green Cities Declaration," that set out a very specific agenda in every town and city in the nation, "using culturally and economically appropriate local actions," to implement the UN's global governance goal. The second document, "Urban Environment Accords," outlined 21 specific tasks (Agenda 21) to be accomplished within a certain time frame. These include formulating policies to increase the use of "renewable" energy by 10% within seven years and to adopt policies to force citizens to reduce individual water consumption by 10% by 2020. If Mr. Mayor toes the UN line and forces his city into the dark ages, he will be rewarded by green stars and a meaningless title such as "Global Sustainable City," and America will take another step down the "road to serfdom."

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

50 years ago

June 23, 1955

Youth recreation program starts Mon. at Homedale

An organization to sponsor a summer recreation program in Homedale got underway Monday at the high school under the direction of Russ Semba.

This program will be conducted for children in the fourth grade through the freshman class of this coming fall.

Seventy girls and boys signed up and it is hoped than many more are planning to take part in this recreation program. The fee is only \$1 per family, no matter what the number of children in the family is. Interested persons are asked to see Mr. Semba.

Balance of the cost of the program is being underwritten by various organizations of Homedale.

Hotshots win and lose in two tilts

The Homedale Hotshots lost an 8 to 3 game Thursday night at Nampa, but made up for it the following Tuesday when they won over Weiser 14 to 7. Nampa made only one earned run Thursday night.

Against Weiser J. Johnstone hit a homer in the sixth inning with no men on base. Mecham hurled 10 strikeouts and Newbill seven.

The next game will be Friday with Payette there. Homedale will play Wilder at Wilder Tuesday, June 28.

Owyhee County fair for construction of three buildings

The Owyhee county fair board awarded bids for construction of three buildings to Jackson Plumbing company, Homedale, and Elwin Moore, Marsing, at its meeting last week.

Two of the bids, for \$2,457.25 and \$1,028.20 went to Jackson, and the third went to Moore for \$2,334.45.

Plans for the three buildings call for a cinder clock building, complete with plumbing, two shelters, 12 by 120 feet to be built on the north side of each barn, and a 30 x 80 foot building built over a concrete slab north of barn No. 1. These buildings are to be completed by August 10, in time for this year's fair August 18, 19, 20, according to Harold McJunkin, Marsing, secretary-manager, Marsing.

Maj. Gen. John E. Walsh and Capt. James E. Brooks presented plans for the armory to the fair board. The armory building, which will be used in connection with the county fair as well as armory building, will be approximately 90 x 100 feet, concrete foundation and of pumice blocks and will cost approximately \$65,000. The building will be owned jointly by the county and state.

Boy scout troops hold camporee

Troop No. 132 and 9 of the Homedale Boy Scouts and troops No. 10 and 12 of Marsing enjoyed a camporee last Thursday and Friday at Sinker Creek. The boys were taken to their destination by Kenny Edgett and Bill Beam who drove two National Guard trucks.

Elders who supervised were Mr. Edgett and Mr. Beam and Dean Hazen, Marsing, Gem District camping director, Marvin Parkins, a troop leader from Marsing, Elmer Frank and Laurel Leavitt, both of Homedale. Thursday the camp was set up and Friday games and contests of scout craft were enjoyed with prizes being awarded to the winners by Elmer Frank.

Lucky Peak Dam dedicated today

Lucky Peak dam on the Boise river 10 miles east of Boise, which has been under construction the past five years, will be dedicated at 2:30 p.m. today (Thursday) by George H. Roderick, assistant secretary of the army.

Lucky Peak is a 328 foot high earth fill dam and rests on a hard rock foundation 80 feet below the level of the river bed.

Chroniclings...

Lynn and Lyle Taggart and their friends had a big project planned. They would fill Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Taggarts' house with paper while the newlyweds were gone. But at the time set to do the deastarly deed they found the young couple home...The Les Carters' nephew and two young friends just couldn't stand the big city any longer, so they cam to Homedale for a few days in the wide open spaces...The Norm Tolmies apparently thought winter was going to last all summer. It was a pretty hot day Tuesday when they drove to Ontario to visit the Mendenhalls, but they thought it surely wasn't that hot. On the way home they discovered the car heater was on!

138 years ago

June 22, 1867

AHEAD. Authors generally bestow much labor on the prefaces and dedications of their work, and to a great extent the style and readability thereof lead many to peruse their works or cast them away as worthless. We believe "Mark Twain" a few stories of any comic author in originality and pointedness in the dedication to his new book. The dedication is in words as follows: "To John Smith, whom I have known in diverse and sundry places throughout the world, and whose many and manifold virtues did always command my esteem, I dedicate this book. It is said that the man to whom a volume is dedicated always buys a copy. If this proves true in the present instance, a princely affluence is about to burst upon the author." The title of the book is - "The Jumping Frog of Calaveras, &c."

"Mark" sailed for Europe on the 8th inst. - intending to visit the Paris Exposition, stroll round the Mediterranean and over into Paris. We sincerely hope that he will not go off and do like a Temus Ward, before he has time to go by Old World to his satisfaction; for we expect to derive as much comfort fro his letters to the Alta on what he sees round Old Jerusalem as we ever hope to receive from any one thing we may discover in the New - but let that pass. "Mark" will go through the regions of Sodom and Gomorrah, the scene of the Lot family, and Land of Canaan, like unto a dose of salts; take a 'smile' at the Pool of Johosaphat, put new life into the Egyptian mummies, make fun for the million from the frogs and flies over which Pharaohs was vexed nearly to death and laugh and grow fat over the lean kind that foretold a seven year's famine. Indeed will he.

BRASS BANDS flourish in this region of perpetual snow. Person 'd think (and not think much then) the air was too light here for much of a flourish of trumpets, but 't isn't. hence, isn't it reasonable to expect the sound of Gabriel's trump to reach this people? Profile in brass-bands. Bilkus-sees nothing inconsistent in that. Says he could procure enough brass out of half the faces he meets to make a trombone - and the other half already stretched to play anything however low down. Bilkus will be announcing himself next as a chief among lyrc-ists. But seriously-

The Owyhee Brass Band has improved so much within the last six weeks, that its performance semipublic is universally admired. The Band includes half a dozen old bands, and the Leader (we don't know his other name) has no superior anywhere in his line. The members all take pride in the institution - are every way harmonious, which is more than average. Their first appearance since their reorganization, was a complete success.

MESSRS. BUTCHER & LEFOIR have got their goods annually arranged in their new store on Jordan Street, opposite the Banking House of King, Webb & Co. A little cash will buy a pile of goods at their store. Just try it.

RETURNED. Mark A. King, of the Banking House of King, Webb & Co., of this place, reached here on the 14th from an extended visit throughout the Eastern States. His appearance indicates that he has enjoyed the period of his absence and he intimates that all things being just to his liking in a business way, he could easily pass life in "God's Country." Business there does not depend upon the state of the weather or what may be found in the earth, but is of a permanent character everywhere and plenty of it. Welcome back, Mark, and may fortune continue to smile on you.

JERRY SHONNFELD, on Jordan Street, Silver, has as fine a stock of cigars, tobaccos, stationery, jewelry, candies, nut, toys &c., as was ever brought to a mountain market, and he is determined to sell out at cost and freight. Anybody wanting to engage in such a business will fin it advantageous to make a dicker with Jerry. In the meantime, he will continue to retail wondrously cheap. Go round and see.

THE COSMOS MILL has been running all week, and all preparation are made for its constant continuance. Mr. L. J. Lewis is giving the business his divided attention and is determined to make a success. Mr. E. H. Dewey started to San Francisco on Thursday morning for his wife and will soon return.

TEAMSTERS have put the price of hauling quartz down to the lowest figure at which it seems possible to yield them any profit. From all we can learn, the price will range at three dollars per ton from War Eagle to the mills along the Jordan. Last year it averaged over six dollars. This item of saving will materially enhance the profits to the

mining companies. We hear some say that the teamsters must lose money - of this, we don't know and expect the mining companies have little care. It is pretty certain that no extravagant prices will be paid for any kind of labor performed by contract, as there are many anxious contactors for every thing. Expenses of production and milling ore this year will be much lighter than last, and it foretells profits to mining stockholders, who have so far not been over laden with heavy dividends.

THE POORMAN mine is yielding very rich gold and silver ore at placed not strongly suspicioned of containing the clear stuff, which will be acceptable news to the stockholders.

Right here we take pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of the Report of last years' operations by W. D. Walbridge, Esq., Superintendent, to the Company. Before its receipt we had some extracts from it in type from an Oregonian correspondent.

Very important repairs about the mill are nearly completed, and it will commence crushing the ensuing week. Mr. R. H. Leonard is putting the inside works in a condition to not need such extensive repairs soon again.

THE MORNING STAR MILL keeps pounding away on Oro Fino rock, with results satisfactory. Another clean up will be made tomorrow.

There seems to be some little dissatisfaction on the part of some that the company charges toll on the road, but it is unquestionably a right the Company possesses. It requires continual labor to keep the road in repair and neither the public nor individuals bear any portion of the expense, and it is unreasonable to ask any better terms than the Company is willing to make with those whose business requires them to use the road constantly.

See notice to the Stockholders of the Company, elsewhere in the paper.

THE PHOTOGRAPHIC MAPS of Silver City, executed by F. P. Castleman have arrived from San Francisco, and subscribers can get them at Junk & Leslie's Gallery, in silver; also, those desiring a copy who did not subscribe will fin some extras for sale. They truly represent the city and adjacent scenery, mills and leading business houses. Mr. Leslie s desirous to have subscribers come forward and get their maps; and all others desirous of purchasing to call at his room over Wells, Fargo & Co.

The generosity of Mr. L. is acknowledged to be timely, as but for a donation of one we should surely have invested.

OPEN FOR TRAVEL. The Minear Mining & Milling Company's road to Flint via Sawpit Gulch is again open for the passage of wagons. A large force of laborers shoveled out the remaining snow blockades this week.

MANY CASES have been adjusted at the present Court, but the term will last through the coming week at least. The Grand Jury found a bill against Don McCarty, but his trial is put off.

MEATS in variety at the Washington Market, in Ruby. "Dutch Phillip" is a popular dealer in all kinds of flesh. Always prompt and reliable. Good thing to make his acquaintance over a glass o' lager or butcher's block.

CHARLEY WEEKS says he's on hand with good usage for hauling, driving or riding - warranted not to buck. Charley made the trip to Boise City last week in seven hours and a half. Will take passengers at any time.

SALT. If this article will save the country, Ewing, Boving & Co. have the saving stuff in abundance, fresh from the Humboldt mines.

COOL and foaming lager at the Star Brewery Saloon - below Ben Bernstein's store. Try George and his lager and he'll see that all his patrons are suited.

DR. BECKETT has purchased the Drugstore of A. E. Woodson, and is running it as he knows how. Will move it into a new building soon.

DAN CARLING, Road Supervisor, informs us that the street from Henry Myers & Co.'s south shall receive some improvement, and that as soon as men generally get in fund so road taxes can be collected. He has contemplated bestowing considerable work at the point named.

Public notices

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES JUNE 6, 2005 OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE

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

The Board moved to amend the agenda to include Membership to the Owyhee Initiative Work Group, and agreement with BLM for additional funding for Law Enforcement.

The Board approved the cancellations for property tax on Parcel No. MH 4S 1W 36 0001 in the amount of \$145.26, and Parcel No. RP 009100000000 for \$212.88.

The Board approved the refund of property taxes with interest to Northwest Pipeline and Pacificorp. Utility values for 2003 and 2004 were overvalued. The refund amount to Northwest Pipeline will total \$21,893.90. Pacificorp will receive \$3,989.23.

The Board adjourned and convened as Board of Equalization, there being no business the Board of Equalization reconvened as Board of County Commissioners.

The Board adopted Ordinance No. 05-02 amending Section III of Ordinance 87-01 increasing the membership of the Owyhee County Historic Preservation Commission to seven members from five.

The Board approved payment of all outstanding bills to be paid from the following funds. Current Expense \$47,666, Road & Bridge \$43,191, Airport \$477, District Court \$7,228, Fair Bldg & Grounds \$428, Probation \$4,070, Health District \$4,251, Historical Society & Museum \$190, Indigent & Charity \$9,529, Junior College \$500, Revaluation \$263, Solid Waste \$45,611, Tort \$1,375, Weed \$255, 911 \$1,868

Kit Kamo with Idaho Department of Commerce met with the Board to answer any questions and offer the Department's assistance.

The Board approved the purchase of a used tractor and scraper in the amount of \$18,500 from Iron Man. The equipment was purchased for solid waste.

The Board made a motion to approve the minutes from the last meeting.

Betty Stappler with Desert High Realty met with the Board to discuss a county easement to property owned by the Good's in Murphy. The matter was taken under advisement until the Prosecuting Attorney has time to review it.

The Board moved to approve the sub grant agreement with Homeland Security, The Grant has previously been approved, this motion broke down the categories for funding.

The Board approved beer and wine license's for the following businesses, Murphy General Store, Blue Canoe, ION Truck Stop, Jumbo's, Owyhee Lanes, Davis Foods, Square Deal Store, Mr. B's Market, Spitfire Ventures Inc., and Salinas Raiders Express.

The Board took the following action on Indigent & Charity cases presented:

No. 05-29 the Board approved payment of medical bills with a lien to be placed.

No. 05-30 the Board approved a lien to be placed.

No. 05-25 the Board approved payment of medical bills with reimbursement.

No. 05-26 the Board denied the applicant, the county is not the last resource.

No. 03-01 the Board approved an assignment to Catastrophic.

No. 04-19 the Board reviewed the Notice of Trustee's Sale on applicant

No. 04-01-04-14 the Board approved payment of bills, with St. Lukes hospital settling on 50% of the Medicaid rate. This motion was made under the advisement of William Wellman, acting on the Counties behalf.

The Board made a motion to adopt Resolution 05-11 which gives authorization of Owyhee County Recreation Task Force and Statement of Mission for a Task Force. This task force will consist of 11 entities reviewing repeated issues regarding conflicts of use involving motorized and non-motorized recreation, livestock grazing, private property and environmental concerns.

Mike Freeze with Senator Craig's office met to discuss and answer any questions the Board may have. Discussion was held on the Owyhee Initiative, OHV use at Hemingway Butte, and Pilt Money for the coming year.

The Board moved to adopt Resolution 05-12 appointing five more members to the Owyhee Initiative Working Group. Those members are The Shoshone Paiute Tribes, The Idaho Backcountry Horsemen, The Southern Idaho Desert Racing Association, The Owyhee County Farm Bureau and Idaho Rivers United.

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
Attest: s.s/ Charlotte Sherburn
5/22/05

PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

On July 13th 2005 beginning at 10:00AM the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear testimony on the following matters at the time listed below. When hearings are finished the commission will take up administrative matters.

10:00-LARRY JOHNSON has filed an application to place a wind generator on 3 acre parcel adjacent to his residence. Subject parcel is located southeast of Dan's Ferry Service off of Highway 78 in Section 29, 1 South, 2 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

10:30- KEVIN LAWSON has filed an application to establish residential use on a approximately 3 acre parcel in size. Subject parcel is located northwest of Grand View off of River Road and Highway 78 in Section 26, Township 4 South, Range 2 East, Boise, Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho

11:00-LESLIE & LAVADA LOUCKS have filed an application for a conditional use permit to split 6 lots from an approximate 13 acre parcel in size. Subject parcel is located north of Marsing off of Old Bruneau Highway in Section 27, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho
6/22/05

HOMEDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT #370 NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of Home-

dale Jt. School District #370, Canyon and Owyhee Counties, pursuant to Section 33-601, Idaho Code, as amended, has determined that it is in the best interest of said school district to sell the property as identified below.

Description of property to be sold is as follows: 4,500-5,000 gallons of #2 Diesel (to be pumped by the successful bidder from the underground tanks at the high school)

Said property will be sold by sealed bids only to the highest bidder with a minimum bid of 20¢ per gallon in the tank (the appraised value). Bidders will be responsible for the cost of testing the fuel, if they desire to have it tested. The successful bidder will have 30 days from the date of the acceptance of the bid to remove the diesel from the tank. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Sealed bids will be opened at 11:30 a.m. on July 8, 2005 at the Homedale School District Office, 116 East Owyhee Ave., Homedale, Idaho. Any bids received after the bid opening will not be considered.

The property to be sold may be inspected at Homedale School District, 116 East Owyhee Ave., Homedale, Idaho from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. between the dates of June 20, 2005 and July 8, 2005.

Faith K. Olsen
Assistant Clerk
6/22/05

NOTICE OF FILING DEADLINE HOMEDALE HIGHWAY DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That declarations of candidacy for the office of Commissioner of the Homedale Highway District must be filed with the district clerk/secretary whose address is P.O. Box 713, Homedale, Idaho 83628, no later than 5 p.m. on the day of June 24, 2005.

Such declarations are available at the district office at 102 East Colorado Avenue in Homedale, Idaho or at the office of the County Clerk in Murphy, Idaho.

Individuals who run as write-in candidates must file a declaration of intent no later than 5:00 p.m. on the 25th day prior to the election.

Election of one (1) commissioner to a four (4) year term in sub-district 2, will be held on August 2, 2005.

Terri Uria
Clerk/Secretary
Homedale Highway District
6/8,15,22/05

NOTICE TO CREDITORS CASE NO. CV-05-05042 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

MAGISTRATE DIVISION
IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF

GEORGE JOHNSTONE, 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 the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

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

DATED this 14th day of June, 2005.

/s/Anita J. Johnston

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6/22,29;7/6/05

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Notice of Trustee's Sale Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: June 2, 2005 Sale date and time (local time): October 05, 2005 at 10:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: Route 1 Box 777 nka 7343 Meininger Road Marsing, ID 83639 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009-0997 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: David Freeman and Virginia L. Freeman, husband and wife Original trustee: First American Title Co. Original beneficiary: Washington Mutual Bank, FSB Recording date: April 22, 1999 Recorder's instrument number: 228309 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of June 2, 2005: \$103,808.16 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: That part of Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 35, Township 2 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the North boundary line of said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter which point is 376 feet East of the Northwest corner of said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter; thence South on a line parallel with the West boundary line of said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter a distance of 463.5 feet; thence West on a line parallel with the North boundary of the said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter a distance of 188 feet; thence North on a line parallel with the West boundary line of the said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter a distance of 463.5 feet, more or less, to the North boundary line of the said Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter a distance of 188 feet, more or less, to the Point of Beginning. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7066.20769) 1002.39534-FEI
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 05-05556 Doc ID #000357163442005N Title Order No. 5610178 Parcel No. D060000000040 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 10/12/2005 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 06/24/2004 as Instrument Number 248244, and executed by Victoria L. Melton, a single woman, as Grantor(s), in favor of Olympus Mortgage Company, 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 4 of Grand Owyhee Estates, according to the Official Plat thereof. Filed as Instrument No. 234712 Official Records 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, 4 Estate Drive, Grand View, ID 83624 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 06/01/2005 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.650% 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 \$66,999.63, 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, LAN2-88 Lancaster, CA 80028-1821 Phone: (800) 281-8219 Successor Trustee -- ASAP708005
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
LOAN NO. 0432117174
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On September 20, 2005, at the hour of 11:00am, of said day, at In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, Murphy, Idaho, First American Title Insurance Company, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier’s check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: A portion of east one-half of the Northeast quarter Northwest quarter, section 9, township 3 north, range 5 west, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the North quarter of section 9, aforesaid; thence South 1° 01’ East, 635.11 feet to a point; thence North 89° 54’ West, 267.58 feet, to the Northwest corner of the Fry Subdivision in section 9, the true point of beginning; thence continuing North 89° 54’ West, 400.0 feet to a point; thence South 681.5 feet, more or less, to the Southwest corner of the East one-half of the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9; thence East 675 feet, more or less, to the Southeast corner of the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9; thence North 0° 01’ West, 276.4 feet, more or less, to the Southeast corner of Fry Subdivision in section 9; thence North 89° 54’ West, 272.41 feet to a point; thence North 0°20’ West, 405.0 feet to the true point of beginning. Save and except therefrom: a portion of East one-half of the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the North quarter of section 9, aforesaid; thence South 1° 01’ East, 635.11 feet to a point; thence North 89°54’ West, 267.58 feet to the Northwest corner of the Fry Subdivision in section 9; thence true point of beginning; thence continuing North 89° 54’ West, 400.00 feet to a point; thence South 581.5 feet, more or less, to a point 100.00 feet North of the South boundary of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9; thence East 403.4 feet parallel to the South boundary of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9, to a point on the West boundary of Fourth Street West extended; thence North 0° 20’ West along the West boundary of Fourth Street West extended and Fourth Street west 580.8 feet, more or less, the true point of beginning. Also save and excepting therefrom: A Part of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9, township 3 North, range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, more particularly described to-wit: Commencing at the Southwest corner of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9, township 3 North, range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence South 89° 52’ 14” East 943.48 feet, along the South line of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of the initial point of this description which is North 89° 52’ 14” West 100 feet

from the intersection of the West side of Fourth Street West extended with the said South line of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter; thence North 0° 20’ West, 100 feet, along a line parallel to the said West side of Fourth Street West extended; thence North 89° 52’ 14” West, 295.49 feet, along a line parallel to the South line of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter; thence South 0° 12’ 08” East (formerly of record South 0° 22’ 08” east) 100 feet; thence South 89° 52’ 14” East, 295.74 feet to the initial point of this description. Also save and excepting therefrom: A part of Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, section 9, township 3 North, range 5 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, section 9, township 3 north, range 5 west, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence north 89° 46’ 40” east, 943.36 feet, along the south line of northeast quarter of the northwest quarter to the initial point of this description; thence continue north 89° 46’ 40” east, 100.00 feet, to a point on the west line of Fourth Street West extended; thence north 0° 38’ 50” west, 100.59 feet (formerly of record north 0° 20’ west, 100.00 feet) along the said west line of Fourth Street West extended; thence south 89° 45’ 20” west, 100.00 feet; thence south 0°38’ 50” east, 100.55 feet (formerly of record south 0° 20’ east 100.00 feet), parallel to the said west line of Fourth Street West, to the initial point of this description; thence continue north 89° 46’ 40” east, 100.00 feet, to a point on the west line of Fourth Street West extended; thence north 0° 38’ 50” west, 100.59 feet (formerly of record north 0° 20’ west, 100.00 feet) along the said west line of Fourth Street West Extended; thence south 89° 45’ 20” west, 100.00 feet; thence south 0° 38’ 50” east, 100.55 feet (formerly of record south 0° 20’ east 100.00 feet), parallel to the said west line of Fourth Street West, to the initial point of this description. Also save and excepting therefrom: A parcel of land being a portion of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 9, township 3 north, range 5 west, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a found brass cap marking the north quarter of said section 9, township 3 north, range 5 west of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence south 00° 05’ 17” east 1040.69 feet along the easterly boundary of said northeast quarter of the northwest quarter section 9 to a found ½” iron pin marking the southeast corner of Fry Subdivision as recorded in instrument no. 108607, records of Owyhee County, Idaho, said point lying on the southerly boundary of Utah Avenue and marking the point of beginning; thence north 89° 13’ 47” west 273.26 feet along the southerly boundary of said Fry subdivision, and along the southerly boundary of Utah Avenue to a found ½” iron pin marking the southwest corner of said Fry Subdivision; thence south 00° 22’ 05” west, 92.00 feet along the westerly right-of-way of Fourth Street west extended to a set 5/8” iron pin; thence south 89° 13’ 47” east 273.99 feet parallel to the southerly boundary of said Fry Subdivision to a point on the easterly boundary of said

northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 9, and to a set 5/8” iron pin; thence north 00° 05’ 17” west 92.01 feet along the easterly boundary of said northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 9 to the point of beginning. And also save and excepting therefrom any portion thereof lying west of the west boundary of said Fourth Street Extended. Commonly known as 401 South Fourth Street West Homedale ID 83628-3140. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Thomas W. Driscoll and Lois Hart-Driscoll, Husband And Wife as Grantor, to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of North American Mortgage Company as Beneficiary, recorded April 04, 2000, as Instrument No. 231950, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due February 1, 2005 of principal and interest and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$93,880.54, including interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale, and trustee’s fees and/or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. First American Title Insurance Company C/o Cal-western Reconveyance Corporation P.O. Box 22004 El Cajon CA 92022-9004 (800)546-1531 Dated: May 20, 2005 First American Title Insurance Company Signature/By Kathleen M. Mayerle, Asst. Sec. R-119102

6/15,22,29;7/6/05

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
LOAN NO. 0418928396
T.S. NO. 1075681-09
PARCEL NO.
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On September 13, 2005, at the hour of 11:00am, of said day, at In the lobby of the Owyhee county courthouse., 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, Murphy, Idaho, First American Title Insurance Company, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier’s check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, state of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: Lot(s) 9 and 10 of block 21 of the revised townsite of butte, now the city of Marsing, Owyhee county, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the recorder for Owyhee county, Idaho. And

a part of government Lot 6, section 34, township 3 north, range 4 west, Boise Meridian, more particularly described to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of government lot 6, section 34, township 3 north, range 4 west, Boise Meridian; thence south 90°00’ east 197.84 feet, along the south line of government lot 6, to the westerly corner of lot 10 of block 21 of butte plat of Marshing, Idaho, the Initial point of this description; thence north 56° 33’ east 123.5 feet; thence south 33°27’ east 52.80 feet, along the southwesterly right of way of the Oregon shortline railroad; thence south 56°33’ west 43.58 feet, to the point on the said south line; thence north 90°00’ west 95.78 feet to the initial point of this description. Commonly known as 218 1st Avenue West Marsing ID 83639. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Ellen G Boatman, A Married Woman As Her Sole and Separate Property as Grantor, to Pioneer Title Company, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Homecomings Financial, Inc as Beneficiary, recorded November 19, 2003, as Instrument No. 245891, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTA-

TION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due February 1, 2005 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$74,041.35, including interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale, and trustee’s fees and/or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. First American Title Insurance Company C/o Cal-western Reconveyance Corporation P.O. Box 22004 El Cajon CA 92022-9004 (800)546-1531 Dated: May 13, 2005 First American Title Insurance Company Signature/ By Marisa Herrera, Asst. Sec. R-118936

6/8,15,22,29/05

NOTICE

The Southwest District Board of Health will hold a **Board Meeting** on Tuesday, June 28, 2005 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the Southwest District Health, Room 206, 920 Main Street, Caldwell, Idaho.

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RESCHEDULED NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On the 20th day of July, 2005, at the hour of 10:45 A.M., of said day, (recognized local time), in the Office of lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho.

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

SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT A
By reason of the automatic stay provisions of U.S. Bankruptcy Code 11 U.S.C. 362, the original sale was discontinued, and pursuant to provisions of Idaho Code 45-1506(A) this sale is re-scheduled and will be conducted as allowed by the expiration or termination of the effect of the stay in the manner provided by that section.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of 5591 Old Bruneau Hwy, Marsing, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by JAMES E SAIZ, an unmarried man, as grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, for the benefit and security of FIRST HORIZON HOME LOAN CORPORATION, as beneficiary, recorded March 12, 2003, as Instrument No. 242793, and Re-Recorded March 14, 2003, as Instrument No. 242829, Mortgage Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds of \$1,049.88, due per month for the months of August through October, 2004 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with interest accruing at 7.25% per annum, and continuing to accrue from July 1, 2004. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$118,238.45, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Date: November 30, 2004
FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC.
By Jana M Artis, Jr Trust Officer
FA-18729/rcb-fhh
First American Title Company of Idaho
Trust Dept. 1-208-375-0455
EXHIBIT A
ATTACHED TO RESCHEDULED NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

A parcel of land lying in a portion of the Southeast Quarter of Section 28, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, said parcel being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at a found ½ inch iron pin marking the Center Quarter Corner of said Section 28, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence

South 89° 16’33” East 2611.77 feet along the North boundary of the said Southeast Quarter of Section 28 and along the Bruneau Highway to a found ½ inch iron pin marking the East Quarter Corner of said Section 28; thence

South 0° 06’30” West 2096.41 feet along the East boundary of the said Southeast Quarter of Section 28 and along the said Bruneau Highway to a set ½ inch iron pin, said pin bears

North 0° 06’30” East 537.81 feet from a found Brass Cap marking the Section Corner common to Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, said ½ inch iron pin also marking the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

North 70° 33’48” West 770.73 feet to a set ½ inch iron pin; thence

North 27° 23’47” West 348.71 feet to a set ½ inch iron pin; thence

South 72° 21’45” East 931.60 feet to a set ½ inch iron pin lying on the said East boundary of the Southeast Quarter of Section 28 and the said Bruneau Highway; thence

South 0° 06’30” West 283.80 feet along said East boundary of the Southeast Quarter of Section 28 and the said Bruneau Highway to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

Melissa Boone
Trustee Verification
6/8,15,22/05

**SUMMONS
CASE NO. CV-05-04984-M
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY
OF OWYHEE**

WASHINGTON MUTUAL HOME LOANS, INC.,
Plaintiff,
Vs.

BARRY N. ZIEGLER; and/or DOES 1-10 AS INDIVIDUALS WITH AN INTEREST IN THE 1994 GUERDON MANUFACTURED HOME, VIN No. GDB0ID24948011A, located on the real property commonly known as 5282 Tobias Lane, Homedale, Idaho 893628,
Defendants.

YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF. THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 DAYS. READ THE FOLLOWING BELOW.

TO: DOES 1-10 AS INDIVIDUALS WITH AN INTEREST IN THE 1994 GUERDON MANUFACTURED HOME, VIN NO. GDB0ID24948011A

You are hereby notified that in order to defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must be filed with the above-designated court within 20 days after service of the Summons on you. If you fail to so respond, the court may enter judgment against you as demanded by the Plaintiff in the Compliant.

The nature of the claim against you is for, among other things is for declaratory relief and title elimination of the manufactured home on the real property located at 5282 Tobias Lane, Homedale, Idaho 83628.

A copy of the Compliant is served with this Summons. If you wish to seek the advice of or representation by an attorney in this matter, matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be filed in time and other legal rights protected.

An appropriate written response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) and other Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and shall also include:

1. The title and number of this case.
2. If your response is an Answer to the Compliant, it must contain admissions or denials of the separate allegations of the Compliant and other defenses you may claim.
3. Your signature, mailing address and telephone number, or the signature, mailing address and telephone number of your attorney.
4. Proof of mailing or delivery of a copy of your response to Plaintiff’s attorney, as designated above.

To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the above-named court.

DATED This 26th day of April, 2005.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

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ORDER SUMMONING AND CONVENING A GRAND JURY

**CASE NO. 2005-1
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT OF
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND
FOR THE COUNTY OF
OWYHEE**

IN THE MATTER OF PETITIONING THE DISTRICT COURT TO CONVENE A GRAND JURY IN OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County, Idaho, has petitioned this Court for an order, ordering that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County. After careful review of the Petition and the Idaho statutes and rules regarding grand of jury proceedings, and for good cause,

the Court finds that the public interest of Owyhee County requires that a grand jury be summoned to inquire into public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County for the reasons set forth in the Petition filed by the Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County, Idaho, on the 18th day of August, 2005, at the hour of 9:30 A.M., to commence inquiry into the matter of public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County. The Court finds that the public interest requires this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Jury Commissioner shall summon twenty-five (25) legally qualified jurors to appear at the Owyhee County Courthouse, on the 18th day of August 2005 at the hour of 9:30 A.M., and that from those twenty-five (25) persons, a grand jury of sixteen (16) persons shall be selected;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County shall attend the District Court on the 18th day of August, 2005, at the hour of 9:30 A.M., and then he or a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, shall attend all sessions of the grand jury offering advice, information, and assistance to the grand jury pursuant to Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6 (d);

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County shall cooperate with and assist the Court in securing a room and facilities for use by the grand jury as required by Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6 (e);

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that once selected and convened, the grand jury shall serve until discharged by the Court, and during its term shall meet from time to time as necessary to conduct its business;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order shall be filed with the Clerk of this Court and that said Clerk shall post a copy of this Order at the locations where court schedules are posted, on the general bulletin board where public notices are posted in the Courthouse, at the location where public notices are posted at the office of the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners, and shall furnish a copy of this Order to the newspaper which has been designated by the Owyhee County Board of Commissioners for publication of legal notices. Said copy shall be posted and provided to the designated newspaper no later than forty-eight (48) hours prior to the convening of the grand jury.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court shall designate a deputy clerk and a substitute deputy clerk who will be made available to process records and documents pertaining to the activities of the grand jury in such a manner that the secrecy requirements of the law as well as all other provisions of Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6 regarding grand jury proceedings will be satisfied.

DATED this 14th day of June 2005.

/s/James C. Morfitt, District Judge

Matthew W. Faulks
Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney
Owyhee County Courthouse
P.O. Box 128
Murphy, Idaho 83650
Phone 208-495-1153
Facsimile 208-495-2592
6/22/05

Owyhee County Church Directory		
Assembly of God Church Homedale 15 West Montana, 337-4458 Pastor George Greenwood Sunday School 9:30am Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Service 6:00pm Wed. Bible Study 7:00pm	Crossroads Assembly of God Wilder Hwy 19 & 95, 482-7644 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening Worship 6pm Wed. Bible Study 7pm	Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church 1122 W. Linden St., Caldwell 459-3653 Mass: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:30 am Spanish Mass: Sunday Noon
Mt. Calvary Lutheran Homedale 337-4248 or 454-1528 SE corner Idaho and West 7th Sunday School: 9:00 to 9:45 am Services: 10:00 am Wednesday Night Bible Study: 7 to 8:30 pm	Friends Community Church Homedale 301 W. Montana, 337-3464 Pastor: John Beck Summer Worship: 9:30 am	Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Homedale 708 West Idaho Ave 337-4112 Bishop Alan McRae Bishop Dwayne Fisher Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm
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First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am	Calvary Holiness Church Wilder Corner of 3rd St. & B Ave., 482-7767 or 482-7499 Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening: 7:00 p.m.	Seventh Day Adventist Homedale 16613 Garnet Rd., 880-4685 or 453-9289 Pastor Allan Payne Sabbath School Sat. 9:30am Worship 11am Wednesday Prayer Mtg. 7:30
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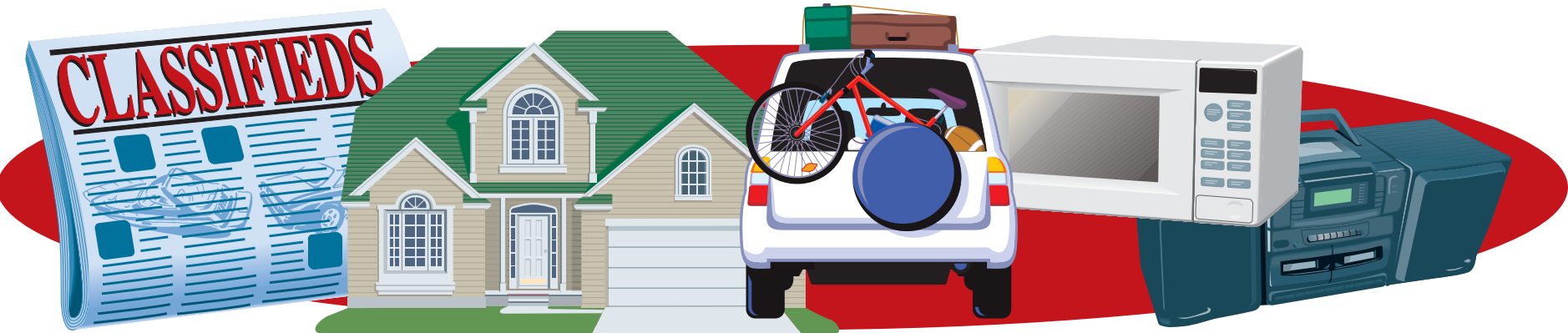
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