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Huskies, Sauer crown visiting Pilots



Ethan Sauer

Homecoming king rolls up 200-yard night; Marsing prepares for WIC

It was Homecoming at Marsing High School, and for a time it appeared that opponent Glenss Ferry would not go home soon enough.

In the end, Homecoming King Ethan Sauer gave an effort befitting royalty, and quarterback Tyson Heller had by far his best game of the season as the Huskies came away with a

36-29 non-conference victory over the Pilots.

After being crowned Homecoming king in pregame ceremonies, Sauer churned out 206 yards on 17 carries — an average of 12.1 yards per attempt — and scored a touchdown.

Heller connected on eight of 15 passes for 185 yards and a pair of

touchdowns to Taylor Nielsen. The sophomore also threw two picks on Friday night on two consecutive throws in the third quarter. In two previous games, Heller had been a combined 12 of 35 for 147 yards, with one touchdown and a pair of interceptions.

The beginning of the game was

anything but festive for Marsing, as Glenss Ferry running back Jesus Rodriguez took the opening kick back 88 yards for a touchdown. The situation went from bad to worse for Marsing after the ensuing kickoff. Huskies running back Mike Moore

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Trojans can't shake tenacious Parma

Homedale High School kick returner Trent Acree tries to shake the grip of a Parma tackler. Photo by Gregg Garrett

Kassebaum signals sense of urgency as SRV approaches

Trojans commit five turnovers in Milk Jug Game loss

A football playoff game is scheduled Friday at Deward Bell Stadium in Homedale.

Now, before you got check your calendar or head out and winterize your car, consider that Homedale High School coach Rob Kassebaum hyped this week's 3A Snake River Valley conference opener against Payette as the beginning of the playoffs after the Trojans' frustrating 25-13 loss to Parma last week.

Although the Pirates aren't Fruitland or Weiser — both of which are unbeaten heading into the conference season — the first-year Homedale coach crafted for his players a scenario that made the SRV out to be a single-elimination tournament rather than a four-game sprint to the state playoffs.

"It's the league season," he

Parma
25
Homedale
13

Rodrigo Villarreal returned an interception 99 yards for a touchdown, setting what is believed to be a school record, but the Trojans were stung by a rash of turnovers in losing the Milk Jug Game at home.

said after his post game chat. "There's no more having the focus be improving every week. The focus to meet our goals is going to need to improve."

Focus was the cornerstone of Kassebaum's speech to his players after they had endured their third loss in four non-conference games and watched Parma carry the Milk



Rodrigo Villarreal

Jug off the field for another year.

The Panthers (3-0) rode trickery to the victory, relying on a pass on a fake punt and a touchdown strike off a halfback option — both thrown by senior Mark Finley — to deflate the Trojans defenders who had answered the call throughout the game when the offense put them in a spot.

"The defense played their butts off tonight," Kassebaum said. "So many times there was a turnover that put us on the wrong end of the field, but we came up with a big play on third or fourth down.

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Martinat retires as Homedale assistant coach

Longtime wrestling aide leaves after eight years to concentrate on cattle

The longest-tenured assistant coach in Homedale High School wrestling history has decided to go back to the ranch.

Tony Martinat, who helped head coach Toby Johnson solidify the Trojans team as a force within the Idaho prep ranks and a program that spawned several state champions, announced his resignation earlier this summer.

"Tony was dedicated to the young men in the program," Johnson said. "He had a way of encouraging wrestlers to act with character and to develop integrity.

"He had insight into the sport, and his ability to 'read' a kid and see what needed to be worked on or changed was valuable."

Martinat stepped away from the position after eight years, but his plan all along was to leave once his son, Bryan, had graduated.

Bryan Martinat graduated in the spring after a career in which he won a state championship as a sophomore. He is a freshman at Western Texas College in Snyder, Texas, where he is studying on a full-ride scholarship afforded him through his success as a saddle brone rider.

"I coached Bryan since he was 5 years old and through freestyle," Tony Martinat said, "and that was one of the factors of coaching him in high school. He's so high-energy that I wanted to monitor him."

Keeping his kid under control on the wrestling mat may have been one personal reason for joining Johnson, but Martinat also probably had a score to settle with himself after a Homedale career in which the highest he finished at

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Tony Martinat

Rope and Ride in chutes this weekend in Jordan Valley

The three-day Jordan Valley Rope and Ride, staged to promote multiple use on federal lands, hits town for another run beginning Friday.

The ninth annual event takes place at the Jordan Valley Rodeo Grounds on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, and proceeds from the entries benefit the Owyhee County Cattlemen's Legal Defense Fund and the Malheur Legal Defense

Valley Rodeo Board.

Admission is free.

Through entry fees and other activities during the event, the Rope and Ride raised \$20,000 last year for the two organizations.

"Our goal is to promote multiple uses on federal lands in order to benefit recreation and hunting as well as grazing," rodeo board members stated in a press

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Sports

Marsing youth football opens season

The Marsing Lions Optimist Football season kicked off Sept. 8 with more than 85 boys and girls taking part in the football and cheerleading program.

All games are played at the Marsing High School football stadium, and Marsing is fielding four teams in three age divisions this season. Concessions of hamburgers, hot dogs, chorizos and nachos are available during each day of action.

“Visiting teams love coming out to Marsing because we treat all the kids just like high school players,” commissioner Aaron Benion said. “They get their names announced before the game as well as a play-by-play commentary throughout the game.”

“Cheerleaders also perform halftime shows for the crowd.”

The Marsing league fields the Lions in the 11- to 12-year-old tackle dvision, the Raptors in the 9-10 tackle division and the Mavericks and Tigers in the 7-8



Youth football team opens with victory
Marsing Raptors players Garret Briggs (50) and Isaiah Ponce (87) pursue a Meridian Gold ball carrier as teammate Kelly Wilson (20) provides backup during the Raptors’ 32-6 Optimist Youth Football victory Sept. 8 at the Marsing High School field. Submitted photo

flag division.

All four teams were in action Saturday, and will play Week 3 games this weekend.

The Lions take on Select Equity at 9 a.m., followed by the Raptors and Valley Pump at 10:30 a.m. In the flag football games, the Mavericks face Pizza Factory and the Tigers take on Pro School. Flag football games are played at noon and 1 p.m.

New youth flag football league kicks off at HMS

If the initial turnout of a new developmental league is any indication, Homedale football has a bright future.

Homedale NFL Flag league spokesman Brad Dines said last week that Homedale children make up two-thirds of the nearly 100 young athletes who signed up late last month.

The season starts Saturday at Homedale Middle School with six games in two age groups.

“Two-thirds of the 92 kids that are going out are from Homedale, and that’s great,” Dines said. “Our goal is to get them initiated into football.”

Dines and others organized the league at the behest of new Homedale High School coach Rob Kassebaum, who wanted to see a league to teach basics and fill the gap between backyard games and organized youth football, which starts with fifth-graders in tackle leagues.

Homedale players begin the fifth- and sixth-grade season tonight in the Caldwell Optimist League, Dines said.

Previously, Homedale had a limited presence in a Caldwell flag football league, but Dines said the NFL Flag league allows more Homedale kids to get involved.

Dines said Kassebaum suggested using the NFL-backed program. Half of each player’s \$40 registration fee was sent to the NFL, which in turn supplied uniforms with team insignias for the respective teams. Dines said the other \$20 will be used for insurance and paying game officials.

“Coach Kassebaum was the driving force behind this league,” Dines said. “He has been involved with many different leagues, and he thinks (NFL Flag) is the best for this age.”

Dines likened the games fans will see beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday to backyard football games. The contests will be run-dominated and each team will put five athletes on the field. He said the rosters have seven or eight players each, and there are minimum playing time rules so all children get a chance to get in the game.

“The teams were picked totally random,” Dines said. “We tried our best to do it as unbiased as possible. We wanted to be fair for everybody.”

There are two divisions — first- and second-graders and third- and fourth-graders. Homedale has five teams in the older group, in-

cluding:

- 49ers, coached by Roger Westergard
- Seahawks, coached by Chad Carter
- Patriots, coached by Bret Gomez
- Broncos, coached by Dirk Tolmie
- Colts, coached by Mark Thatcher

Rounding out the eight-team league are two teams from the Greenleaf-Wilder area — the Bears and Dolphins — and the Jordan Valley Packers, who are coached by Silas Skinner.

Four games are scheduled each week for the third- and fourth-graders. The season starts Saturday and runs through Oct. 20.

The first-week schedule includes the 49ers playing the Colts at 10 a.m. on Field 1; the Seahawks taking on the Packers at 10 a.m. on Field 2; the Patriots battling the Bears at 10 a.m. on Field 3; and the Broncos and Dolphins clashing at 11 a.m. on Field 1.

Dines said, thanks to the help of Seahawks coach Carter, the fields will have a professional look to them with yard lines burned into the playing surface. Dines thanked the Homedale School District for allowing the league to take that extra step.

“Chad Carter used his surveying equipment to line out the fields,” Dines said. “We wanted to do it real professional, and I think it’ll look pretty good.”

The fields are located on the north side of the middle school campus on Johnstone Road.

The first- and second-graders also kick off their season Saturday. Like the older players, the schedule runs through Oct. 20.

All four of the younger teams are based in Homedale, but Dines said there is a chance that Jordan Valley will add an entry later this season. For now, all games will be played at 11 a.m. on Fields 2 and 3.

The first- and second-grade teams include:

- The Vikings, coached by Burke Deal
- The Broncos, coached by Jeff Christoffersen
- The Packers, coached by Jason Puri
- The Steelers, coached by Randall Puckett

The first-week schedule pits the Vikings against the Packers on Field 2, while the Broncos and the Steelers face off on Field 3.

Concessions also will be sold during the games, with a different set of teams responsible to work the food and drink stand each week.

Trojan Fall Sports

FOOTBALL

Varsity — Friday, Sept. 21, home vs. Payette, 7 p.m.

Junior varsity — Thursday, Sept. 21 at Payette, 7 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Varsity
Thursday, Sept. 20 at Weiser, 7 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 24 at Cole Valley Christian, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 25, home vs. Payette, 7 p.m.

Junior varsity
Thursday, Sept. 20 at Weiser, 6 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 24 at Cole Valley Christian, 6 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 25, home vs. Payette, 6 p.m.

Freshman
Thursday, Sept. 20 at Weiser, 5 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 24 at Cole Valley Christian, 5 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 25, home vs. Payette, 5 p.m.

SOCCER

Boys soccer
Varsity
Thursday, Sept. 20, home vs. Weiser, 6 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 25, home vs. Ontario, Ore., 6 p.m.

Junior varsity
Thursday, Sept. 20, home vs. Weiser, 4:30 p.m.

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Sports

Trojans JV to play Vale in football

Homedale High School athletic director David Hart announced last week that the Trojans’ junior varsity football team has added a game to its schedule.

Homedale will play host to Vale, Ore., in a 6 p.m. non-conference game Sept. 24 at Deward Bell Stadium.

The game was scheduled to replace the season-opening non-conference game against Melba, which was

We have scheduled a JV football game Monday Sept. 24 against Vale, game time will be 6:00 pm at Deward Bell Stadium. The contest is a replacement game in the schedule.

The JVs didn’t play a scheduled Aug. 24 season opener on the road in Melba because the Mustangs didn’t have enough players to field a team.

Trojans volleyball players suspended

Four players from the Homedale High School junior varsity volleyball team were suspended recently.

Trojans athletic director David Hart only would confirm that the players suspended were from the junior varsity team coached by Jenni Hall. He wouldn’t go into details about the circumstances surrounding the suspensions, only saying that the girls were furloughed because they violated team rules.

David Hann, the first-year varsity coach and leader of the program, refused comment as well.

“I’d like to respond, but due to the nature of the events and protecting our teams from further distractions, I need to refer you to Dave Hart concerning these situations,” Hann wrote in an e-mail to The Owyhee Avalanche.

Melba hosts Marsing for Homecoming

Melba High School’s football team faces Marsing on Friday in the 2A Western Idaho Conference season opener for both teams.

It’s also Melba’s Homecoming game, and the Melba Athletic Club will serve hot pork or hot beef sandwiches for \$2.75 and the MAC Baker (a baked potato with all the trimmings) for \$1.25.

The MAC also would like to thank Mrs. Turnbull from Homedale for the donation of a 31-cubic-foot freezer for the concession stand.

Adrian can’t capitalize on Rogers’ 400-yard night

Kyle Rogers rolled up 428 yards on 34 rushes, accounting for all but 24 of Adrian High School’s total yards from scrimmage Friday, but the improving Antelopes lost a shootout with league-leading Spray-Mitchell’s football squad at Ward Field.

Another bright spot: Adrian cut down on its penalties in a 40-36 High Desert League loss.

Spray-Mitchell scored the first two touchdowns of the second half and kept the hard-charging Antelopes at arm’s length the rest of the contest.

Adrian (0-2 overall, 0-1 HDL)

struck first when Kyle Rogers ram- b l e d 6 2 yards for a first-quarter score. Rogers would finish with five TDs on Friday, including a 75-yarder in the fourth to cap the game’s scoring.

He had touchdown runs of 76 and 25 yards in the second quarter as Adrian held an 18-14 half-time lead.



Kyle Rogers

But Spray-Mitchell opened the third quarter with two scores to grab a 28-18 advantage. The Loggers (2-0, 1-0) would never trail again.

Adrian averaged more than 8 yards a carry in piling up 452 yards on 56 rushing attempts.

Rogers, who was off to an amazing start in 2006 before suffering a season-ending neck injury, scored five times Friday night. He has 679 yards on 60 carries (an average of 11.3 yards per tote) in two games this season, and he has scored seven touchdowns.

Levi Jones backed up Rog-

ers’ running Friday, capturing 46 yards on just four attempts. Jones and Rogers were the only Adrian runners to get positive yardage against Spray-Mitchell.

Even with a high-powered running game, the Antelopes were credited with just eight first downs in the game. But the Antelopes also cut down on their penalties, getting set back just 30 yards on five infractions.

Adrian travels to play Monument-Dayville on Friday.

— Check www.owyhee-publishing.com after the game for results

Tough Crane squad jolts Jordan Valley

The Jordan Valley football team was held to less than 100 yards total offense Friday afternoon in a lopsided High Desert League season-opening loss.

Crane (1-1 overall, 1-0 HDL) created havoc through opportunity and rolled to a 62-0 victory in Jordan Valley.

Crane, which won its first nine games in 2006 before losing the St. Paul in the 1A Oregon state quarterfinals, scored 24 points in the third quarter to blow open a game and led 32-0 at the break. Crane took advantage of turnovers and pulled off huge plays against young Jordan Valley (0-2, 0-1).

Jordan Valley managed just six first downs, and was held to 89 yards total offense. First-year coach Tim McBride’s charges were nailed with five penalties for a total loss of 45 yards.

“We need to work on turnovers and stop the big plays,” McBride said. “But, all in all, I am proud of my kids. Crane is a very tough team.”

Sophomore running back Dusty Easterday accounted for more than one-third of Jordan Valley’s total offense. He caught two passes for 30 yards, but was held to four yards rushing on six attempts.

Easterday led the defensive effort with 12 tackles.

Sophomores also led Jordan Valley in receiving and rushing. Tad Jones had one catch for 35 yards, while Bryce Kershner struggled for 17 yards on 16 tries on the ground.

Jordan Valley hits the road this week for a Friday afternoon HDL game against Burnt River in Unity, Ore.



Easterday a bright spot vs. Crane

Jordan Valley High School running back Dusty Easterday, shown in the season opener against Sherman, was the main offensive force against Crane. Photo by Tara Echave

Young Trojans runners get test at Tiger-Grizz

Homedale High School’s cross country team got a taste of the big time Saturday in the Tiger-Grizz Invitational at Freeman Park in Idaho Falls.

Four Trojans boys runners were listed on the results found on Athletic.net. Jacob Compton, who finished 100th, was the first Homedale athlete to cross the finish line in the 50-team event.

A freshman, Compton ran the course that will be used for the state meets later this fall in 22 minutes, 39.06 seconds.

Also competing for the Trojans were: freshman Nate Perry (108th, 24:25.29); sophomore Drew Farwell (111th, 25:08.16) and freshman Jarod Armenta (117th, 28:22.33).

Homedale was the only 3A

Snake River Valley conference team competing in the meet, which attracted the bulk of its competition from Idaho’s 5A and Idaho Falls. 4A ranks as well as a pair of 3A schools from Utah and 19 Idaho 2A squads.

The Trojans also were scheduled to compete Thursday in the Weiser Invitational at Rolling Hills Golf Course. No results from that meet were provided.

Next on the schedule for coach Nick Schamber’s squad is the prestigious Bob Firman Invitational at Eagle Island State Park on Saturday.



Jacob Compton

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Marsing Huskies

FOOTBALL

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Junior varsity — Thursday, Sept. 20, home vs. Melba, 7 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

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Thursday, Sept. 20 at Nampa Christian, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 25, home vs. Cole Valley Christian, 7 p.m.
Junior varsity
Thursday, Sept. 20 at Nampa Christian, 6 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 22 at Fruitland Tournament
Tuesday, Sept. 25, home vs. Cole Valley Christian, 6 p.m.
Freshman
Thursday, Sept. 20 at Nampa Christian, 5 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 22 at Fruitland Tournament
Tuesday, Sept. 25, home vs. Cole Valley Christian, 5 p.m.

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Rimrock football falls to state No. 2

A second consecutive game against a state-ranked football team had similar results Friday for Rimrock High School.

The Raiders received a 100-yard rushing game from sophomore Ricardo Araujo, but committed four turnovers in a 48-0 non-conference loss to Garden Valley.

The host Wolverines (4-0 overall) entered the game ranked No. 2 in IdahoSports.com's 1A, Div. II statewide media poll.

"Anything and everything that could have gone wrong this game

did," Raiders coach Jim Clark said. "We are going to fix a few things and move on to our next game with Cascade."

The Raiders (2-2) jump back into the 1A, Div. I season with a 7 p.m. game Friday against Cascade. It's Homecoming in Bruneau.

Outside of Araujo's 124 yards rushing on 20 carries, the Raiders managed little offense against Garden Valley. Rimrock amassed only 87 additional yards against the Wolverines.

Araujo fumbled the ball three times, and quarterback Nate Hofer was intercepted.

Alberto Ontiveros was the Raiders' leading receiver with a 21-yard reception from TJ Snyder. Raiders quarterbacks were 2-for-11 with a pick.

Snyder was Rimrock's defensive leader with six tackles and two assists. Carlos Salinas had a sack to go along with five tackles and three assists, and Sam Richardson also had a sack.



Jim Clark

JV volleyball stays perfect in HDL play

Jordan Valley High School's volleyball team looked in the mirror last week and defeated a team that its coach says is much like her own squad.

Kayla Cuvelier registered 10 kills and six blocks as Jordan Valley beat visiting Crane 23-25, 25-5, 25-20, 25-18, in a High Desert League contest.

Jordan Valley (3-1 overall, 2-0 HDL) takes on Burnt River in Unity on Friday.

"Crane is also a younger team, and they have quite a bit of height," Jordan Valley coach Jacque Naegle said.

"I was really excited about the way we played. The first game was fairly close, and I think there was quite a bit of nerves on each side of the net. We were a little disappointed we let the first one get by us, and the second game, the girls just came out hard behind some really tough serving by Jessie White and took control."

White finished with a team-high 21 service points. She also had three kills, a block and a dig.

Setters Catie Kershner and Nickie Naegle amassed a total of 63 assists, with Naegle carding 33. Naegle had four digs, and Kershner added three.

Junior varsity JV def. Huntington 25-8, 25-3

In a junior varsity game played in Jordan Valley, Tessa Matteri had 12 kills, and Ann Marie Eiguren added 12 service points.

"The JV girls did a great job on the floor," Jacque Naegle said. "They were very intense and worked hard this last week on transition from offense to defense and back, especially on any free balls that we get."

Ashley Hebison dished four assists, while Shelly Payne led the team with five setups. Michelle Telleria had two digs.

"They keep improving each game, and we can see the change from the first game this season, and we are really proud of the girls," Naegle said.

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Adrian sweeps to pair of league victories

A rough start turned into smooth sailing Friday as Adrian High School captured a pair of High Desert League volleyball victories at home.

The Antelopes (7-0 overall) served at least five aces and got 13 kills from Paige Branstiter in a 25-18, 25-22, 25-13 victory over Spray in the first match of a HDL tri-meet.

"We seemed to play a little slow on the ball and made too many service errors for my liking," Adrian coach Aimee Goss said. "The girls did a nice job of digging in, though, and finished with a win."

McKenzie Purnell served two aces, set seven assists and booked

two kills. Kirsten Phillips served an ace and had four digs.

Things went a little smoother in the second match against Mitchell.

Goss' junior varsity players competed in the match and came away with a 25-7, 25-20, 25-9 win.

"My JV played against Mitchell, which is a younger and inexperienced team right now," Goss said. "I was happy with how some of my younger players handled the match. It shows promise for the future of our program."

Adrian wrapped up the week in the Cole Valley Christian Tournament.

Simpson memorial bowling tourney deemed successful

More than 20 participants turned out Sept. 8 for the Kathy Simpson Memorial Bowling Tournament at Owyhee Lanes in Homedale.

A trip to Las Vegas and more than \$200 in cash prizes were awarded at the tourney, held in honor of the owner of Reel Time Video on East Idaho Avenue who passed away April 27.

"The whole idea behind this is to honor Kathy and the legacy she leaves behind (by) doing something

she enjoyed so much, bowling with her friends," Owyhee Lanes co-owner Donna Marose said.

Marose said the tournament was a "big success," attracting 22 participants and several spectators.

Jim Watkins of Wilder won the high game award, and Homedale resident Rachael Willmorth won a trip to Las Vegas.

Owyhee Lanes has Bowling leagues on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and also has a thriving youth bowling program, Marose said.

Sports

✓ **Martinat:** Assistant, boss just seemed to ‘click’ on job

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State was sixth place in 1982 under coach Larry Goto. That was also the first Trojans team to grab a top four finish at State.
“I didn’t really get a good taste for the sport until a little bit later on,” Martinat said of his days after high school. “I could have done better, but I didn’t take advantage of the tools I had and what the coaches had given me.
“It’s something you want to give the kids: ‘Take the time and get what you can because you’ll look back and wish you had worked a little bit harder.’
“You’re always kind of left empty after you do anything and you don’t put the kind of effort you should into it.”
With memories of what he could have achieved, Martinat has pushed today’s Trojans to give 110 percent on the wrestling mat to ensure that regret doesn’t

‘He truly cared for every wrestler and enjoyed working with them.’
— **Toby Johnson**
Homedale wrestling coach on his retiring assistant, Tony Martinat

creep in later in life.
The intensity that Martinat brought to the program was simpatico with Johnson’s philosophy.
“It’s a big loss for us,” Johnson said of Martinat’s retirement. “Whenever you lose a person like Tony, the chemistry changes.
“Tony and I just seemed to ‘click’ from Day 1. We communicated well and were always honest with each other. He truly cared for every wrestler and enjoyed working with them.”
Martinat said that working with Johnson came naturally.
“As far as law and order, he always had everything taken care of,” Martinat said. “My job was relatively easy. All I had to do was monitor the boys.
“One thing about Toby is he never bends or breaks any of the rules. It was always cut-and-dry, and that made for a good work environment. He follows his set of rules and believes in integrity. His deal is we’re trying raise good young men.”
Martinat said he wants to spend more time concentrating on running cattle on his land. He and

his wife, Kim, live near the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery off U.S. Highway 95 with their daughter, Kelsi, a junior at Homedale.
Raising cattle has been Martinat’s business throughout his time with the Trojans.
“That was one of the kind of nice things about doing this,” Martinat said of coaching. “It gave me a chance in the winter time to do something a little bit different, so it was a lot like playing to me.
“I got to meet a lot of people and made friendships with a lot of coaches.”
Even though Martinat said it’s time to go back to work, he probably won’t be far from the wrestling mat. His daughter has signed up to be a statistician for the team this season.
“I guess I’m going to go watch wrestling so I can watch the stat girl,” Martinat said.
— JPB

Trojans hunt for baseball coach

Tony Martinat isn’t the only coach that Homedale High School’s athletic program lost recently.
During the same school board meeting in which Martinat’s resignation was made public, it was announced that Tim Fulwood had left the baseball program and the high school altogether.
“Tim Fulwood is no longer baseball coach,” Trojans athletic director David Hart said. “We are in the process of hiring a head baseball coach — we have some very strong candidates.”
Homedale High School principal Mike Williams said Monday that Fulwood resigned as a physical education and health teacher to take a position in the Meridian School District.
Fulwood had served as varsity baseball coach for six years. The Trojans were 7-12 last spring.



Marsing quarterback has strong Homecoming game
Tyson Heller (4) drops back to pass against Glenns Ferry on Friday. Mike Moore (44), Carlos Ceballos (70) and Kris Young (34) provide protection for Heller, who threw for season-highs in yards (185) and touchdowns (two) in the Huskies’ 36-29 non-conference win over the Pilots.

✓ **Huskies:** Homecoming audience gets its money’s worth with high-flying contest

From Page 1B
coughed up the ball on Marsing’s first play from scrimmage, and Glenns Ferry recovered the fumble.
The Huskies’ defense held the Pilots out of the end zone, however, allowing the offense to get the team back into the game. Heller hit Nielsen on a short pass up the middle, and the senior tight end outran the Pilots’ secondary for a 70-yard score.
There was a fireworks display after the game as part of the Homecoming celebration, but fans didn’t have to wait that long.
The game saw 11 plays of 20 or more yards, five of which went more than 50 yards. Sauer

had runs of 58 and 69 yards, the former hitting pay dirt and the latter setting the Huskies up inside the Glenns Ferry 5-yard line.
Rodriguez had a 60-yard touchdown run in the waning seconds of the first half to go along with his long kickoff return. The Huskies overcame a huge performance by Rodriguez in their victory on Friday. Rodriguez had 271 all-purpose yards and scored four TD for the Pilots (1-3 overall).
Kris Young ran for 52 yards and a touchdown for the Huskies, while Mike Moore picked up 41 yards and a touchdown on a dozen carries. The Huskies continue to spread the running chores among Moore, Sauer and Young. All

three found the end zone for the second consecutive week.
Marsing’s offense appears to be picking up steam just in time for 2A Western Idaho Conference play, which begins Friday at Melba.
Marsing and Melba are both 2-1 on the season, and have faced two common opponents. Melba dropped a 14-6 decision against Payette on Aug. 31, while the Huskies defeated the Pirates 26-12 the next week, and on Sept. 7, the Mustangs defeated Glenns Ferry, 39-34.
— Log on to www.owyhee-publishing.com after Friday’s game to learn the outcome.
— RTH

Rimrock rolls to wins on the court

The Rimrock High School volleyball team seemingly hit their stride last week as the 1A Western Idaho Conference season heated up.
The Raiders (4-2) lost just one game while winning all three of their conference matches.
On Thursday, Rimrock outlasted Wilder in a wild second third game en route to a 25-16, 18-25, 28-26, 25-13 victory. A dink shot by junior outside hitter Kaile Murray pushed Rimrock over the brink in Game 3.
Earlier in the week, Rimrock beat Idaho City 25-20, 26-24, 25-23, behind 17 assists and eight digs from Shelby Chandler. Anna Cantrell added nine kills.
The Wildcats received a kill from MaLeesha Barnhill.
The second win of the week came with a 25-5, 25-17, 25-19 decision over Notus behind eight kills from Ellie Cantrell.
Anna Cantrell had four aces
Nicole Harding served three aces and set 15 assists for Notus.



Cantrell carries Raiders
Sophomore Anna Cantrell, shown Thursday against Wilder, averaged nine kills in Rimrock’s two wins over Notus and Idaho City.

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Sports

Trojans soccer suffers winless week



McCall-Donnelly blanks Homedale

A Homedale High School boys soccer player tries to take a McCall athlete off his dribble during Thursday's game at Sundance Park. Photo by Dick Selby

Patience and a strong work ethic will be the key to the second half of the Homedale High School boys soccer season, according to coach David Correa.

The Trojans (1-6 overall, 1-3 conference) played tough in two of their three games last week, and were shut out by 3A Snake River Valley conference front-runner McCall-Donnelly.

"We had a hard week, especially because we could have won two of those three games we lost," Correa said.

Sophomore goalkeeper Tony Oehmichen made 14 saves Thursday, but the Trojans couldn't contain McCall in a 4-0 loss.

The week began with a 3-2 conference loss to Payette on Sept. 10. The Pirates scored twice in the first half and held on for the victory.

Junior Nestor Machuca and sophomore Luis Escutia scored the goals for the Trojans, while Oehmichen notched 12 saves.

Both SRV games were played at Sundance Park.

Correa's charges played on the road and up a division Saturday against 4A Emmett. The Huskies

scored three times in the first half and cruised to a 3-2 victory.

Miguel Vasquez scored both goals for the Trojans — one in each half — while Oehmichen had eight saves and shut out Emmett after halftime.

"Against Payette and Emmett, the team looked confident and relaxed," Correa said. "The team kept possession of the ball by controlling the midfield.

"Passing had been an issue in the past. This week, I saw an improvement in that area."

Correa said ball control is the key to a better second half for Homedale. The Trojans continue the season with a pair of games at Sundance in the coming days — Thursday against SRV foe Weiser and Tuesday against non-conference opponent Ontario, Ore.

Both games begin at 6 p.m.

"If we continue improving on our passing game and making the ball available to our attacking front, we will have a better second half of the season," Correa said.

"I have asked my players to be patient and to continue working hard."

Fruitland sweeps HMS in football

Trey Corta scored three touchdowns last week, but Homedale Middle School's eighth-grade football team lost a shootout with Fruitland.

The Grizzlies prevailed 34-24 in the 3A Snake River Valley conference opener for both teams, which was played at Deward Bell Stadium on Sept. 11.

Danny Magdaleno also scored for the Trojans, who drew first blood with a touchdown to end the first quarter. Homedale missed the extra point try and led 6-0.

The tone of the game was set, however, when Fruitland scored a TD and went ahead with the PAT on the final play of the first half to hold a 7-6 advantage.

In the seventh-grade game, the Trojans were doomed by fumbles in a 28-8 loss to Fruitland.

The season continues Tuesday against Ontario, Ore., at Deward Bell Stadium. The first game starts at 4:15 p.m.

The Trojans visited Weiser on Tuesday. Results weren't available at press time.

The HMS eighth-grade volleyball team travels to Payette on Thursday. The seventh-graders are home for a 4:15 p.m. match.



Grizzlies handles HMS eighth-graders

A Fruitland defender flings Homedale Middle School eighth-grade quarterback Connor Landa out of bounds near the Trojans' bench during last week's season opener.



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Homedale offense

Passing	G	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yards	YPG	TDs
Eric Engum	3	17	42	2	.405	299	99.7	2
Ryan Ryska	3	3	8	0	.375	27	9.0	0
Kenny Esparza	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0.0	0
Totals	4	20	50	2	.400	326	81.5	2

Rushing	G	Att.	Yards	YPC	YPG	TDs	Long
Micheal Wilhelm	4	52	312	6.0	78.0	2	32
Rodrigo Villarreal	4	31	191	6.2	47.8	2	32T
Daniel Valadez	4	30	170	5.7	42.5	0	26
Kevin Mercado	1	6	11	1.8	11.0	0	6
Ryan Ryska	3	14	3	0.2	1.0	1	10T
Eric Engum	3	22	-1	0.0	-0.3	1	8
Emilio Cuellar	1	1	-1	-1.0	-1.0	0	-1
Alex Mereness	2	6	-1	-0.2	-0.5	1	3
Sam Hart	1	1	-2	-2.0	-2.0	0	-2
Totals	4	163	682	4.2	170.5	7	32T

Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs	Long
Zach Tolmie	4	5	159	31.8	39.8	1	53T
Micheal Wilhelm	4	4	57	14.3	14.3	0	20
Grant Sweet	4	2	24	12.0	6.0	0	13
Trent Acree	4	4	44	11.0	11.0	1	30T
Rodrigo Villarreal	4	2	17	8.5	4.3	0	15
Emilio Cuellar	1	1	10	10.0	10.0	0	10
Daniel Valadez	4	1	9	9.0	2.3	0	9
Austin Ferguson	4	1	6	6.0	1.5	0	6
Totals	4	20	326	16.3	81.5	2	53T

Scoring	G	TD	FG	PAT	2-PAT	Total	Avg.
Rodrigo Villarreal	4	3	0	7	0	25	6.0
Micheal Wilhelm	4	2	0	0	0	12	3.0
Ryan Ryska	4	1	0	0	1	8	2.7
Trent Acree	4	1	0	0	0	6	2.0
Eric Engum	3	1	0	0	0	6	3.0
Alex Mereness	3	1	0	0	0	6	2.0
Zach Tolmie	4	1	0	0	0	6	1.5
Totals	4	10	0	7	1	69	17.3

Marsing offense

Passing	G	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yards	YPG	TDs
Tyson Heller	3	20	50	4	.400	332	110.7	1
Taylor Nielsen	3	1	2	0	.500	23	7.7	0
Totals	3	21	52	4	.404	355	118.3	1

Rushing	G	Att.	Yards	YPC	YPG	TDs	Long
Ethan Sauer	3	60	551	9.2	183.7	3	69
Kris Young	3	37	112	3.0	37.3	3	11
Matt Hill	3	1	19	19.0	6.3	0	19
Mike Moore	3	26	121	4.7	40.3	3	21
J.T. Corta	3	3	11	3.7	3.7	0	9
Tyson Heller	3	12	-38	-3.2	-12.7	0	4
Totals	3	139	776	5.6	258.67	9	57

Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs	Long
Ethan Sauer	3	3	53	17.7	17.7	0	23
Kalob Myers	3	8	85	10.6	28.3	0	15
Taylor Nielsen	3	9	213	23.7	71.0	3	70t
Jose Paramo	3	1	4	4.0	1.3	0	4
Totals	3	21	355	16.9	118.3	3	70t

Scoring	G	TD	FG	PAT	2-PAT	Total	Avg.
Ethan Sauer	3	3	0	0	1	20	6.7
Marcus Miller	3	1	0	2	0	8	2.7
Taylor Nielsen	3	3	0	0	1	20	6.7
Kris Young	3	3	0	0	0	18	6.0
Kalob Myers	3	0	0	0	1	2	0.7
Mike Moore	3	3	0	0	1	20	6.7
Totals	3	13	0	2	4	88	29.3

Rimrock offense

Passing	G	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	Yards	YPG	TDs
Nate Hofer	4	15	25	1	.600	211	52.8	3
TJ Snyder	4	8	34	0	.235	90	22.5	1
Billy Smith	1	1	3	0	.333	14	14.0	0
Totals	4	24	62	1	.387	315	78.8	4

Rushing	G	Att.	Yards	YPC	YPG	TDs
Ricardo Araujo	4	62	443	7.1	110.8	8
TJ Snyder	4	35	166	4.7	41.5	1
Francisco Garcia	2	11	33	3.0	16.5	0
Nate Hofer	4	12	28	2.3	7.0	0
Kody Schiermeier	2	5	13	2.6	6.5	0
Totals	4	125	683	5.5	170.8	9

Receiving	G	Rec.	Yards	YPR	YPG	TDs
Sam Richardson	4	6	112	18.7	28.0	2
Ricardo Araujo	3	9	105	11.7	35.0	1
Brian Simper	3	5	42	8.4	14.0	1
Alberto Ontiveros	1	1	21	21.0	21.0	0
Stetson Dick	1	1	14	14.0	14.0	0
Billy Smith	1	1	5	5.0	5.0	0
Totals	4	23	299	13.0	74.8	4

Scoring	G	TD	FG	PAT	2-PAT	Total	Avg.
Ricardo Araujo	4	10	0	0	4	68	17.0
TJ Snyder	4	1	0	0	0	6	1.5
Brian Simper	4	1	0	0	2	10	2.5
Sam Richardson	4	2	0	0	1	14	3.5
Totals	4	14	0	0	7	98	24.5

PREP STANDINGS
Football

3A SRV	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
Fruitland	0	0	3	0
Homedale	0	0	1	3
McCall-Donnelly	0	0	1	2
Payette	0	0	2	1
Weiser	0	0	4	0

Friday's games

Payette at Homedale
Fruitland at Weiser
McCall-Donnelly at Orofino

Last week's scores

Parma 25, Homedale 13
Fruitland 49, Wood River 20
Payette 21, New Plymouth 8
Nampa Christian 20, McCall-Donnelly 0
Weiser 35, La Grande, Ore., 3

2A WIC	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
Cole Valley Chr.	0	0	0	2
Marsing	0	0	2	1
Melba	0	0	1	2
Nampa Christian	0	0	3	0
New Plymouth	0	0	0	3
Parma	0	0	3	0

Friday's games

Marsing at Melba
New Plymouth at Cole Valley
Christian
Parma at Nampa Christian

Last week's scores

Marsing 36, Glens Ferry 29
Parma 25, Homedale 13
Payette 21, New Plymouth 8
Nampa Christian 20, McCall-Donnelly 0
Cole Valley Christian at Buhl, ccd.

1A, Div. I	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
Council	2	0	4	0
Idaho City	1	0	3	0
Wilder	1	0	2	1
Cascade	0	1	0	3
Horseshoe Bend	0	1	0	4
Rimrock	0	1	2	2
Tri-Valley	0	1	2	1

Friday's games

Cascade at Rimrock
Wilder at Greenleaf Friends Academy
Idaho City at Council
Horseshoe Bend at Tri-Valley

Last week's scores

Garden Valley 48, Rimrock 0
Wilder 76, Horseshoe Bend 36
Idaho City 36, Cascade 14
Council 48, Tri-Valley 0

High Desert	Conf.		All	
	W	L	W	L
Crane	1	0	1	1
Harper	1	0	1	1
Prairie City	1	0	1	2
Spray-Mitchell	1	0	2	0
Adrian	0	1	0	2
Burnt River	0	1	0	1
Jordan Valley	0	1	0	2
Mon.-Day.	0	1	0	1

Friday's games

Adrian at Monument-Dayville
Jordan Valley at Burnt River
Prairie City at Harper
Crane at Spray-Mitchell

Last week's scores

Crane 62, Jordan Valley 0
Spray-Mitchell 40, Adrian 36
Harper 46, Monument-Dayville 0
Prairie City 34, Burnt River 20

PREP RESULTS
Football

Parma 25, Homedale 13
Parma 0 6 12 7—25
Homedale 0 7 0 6—13

Second quarter

Hom — Villarreal 99 interception return (Villarreal kick), 1:43
Parma — Black 1 run (kick failed), 6:55

Third quarter

Parma — Black 7 run (pass failed), 6:47
Parma — Ford 35 pass from Finley (pass failed), 8:35

Fourth quarter

Hom — Tolmie 53 pass from Engum (run failed), 6:23
Parma — Ford 11 run (kick failed), 10:57

Team statistics	Parma	Hom
First downs	10	8
Rushes-yards	46-103	32-38
Passing yards	90	114
Passing	4-17-2	6-15-1
Total yards	128	152
Punts-avg.	7-33.6	4-37.8
Penalties-yards	7-66	9-59
Fumbles-lost	2-0	8-4

Individual statistics

Rushing — Parma: Finley 18-53, Koplin 13-34, Black 8-15, Ford 1-11, Nelson 2-(minus 2), Portenier 4-(minus 8). Hom: Villarreal 6-29, Wilhelm 12-22, D. Valadez 6-11, Engum 8-(minus 24)

Passing — Parma: Portenier 2-14-2 25, Finley 2-3-0 64. Hom: Engum 6-15-1 114

Receiving — Parma: Ford 1-35, Portenier 1-29, Kiser 1-13, Riley 1-12. Hom: Tolmie 2-66, Wilhelm 2-22, Villarreal 1-15, Sweet 1-11

Interceptions-yards — Parma: Black 1-21. Hom: Villarreal 2-99

Marsing 36

Glens Ferry 29

Glens Ferry 6 16 0 7—29
Marsing 8 14 6 8—36

First quarter

GF — Rodriguez 88 kickoff return (kick failed)

Mar — Nielsen 70 pass from Heller (Moore run)

Second quarter

GF — Rodriguez 3 run (Self pass from Brown)

Mar — Nielsen 3 pass from Heller (Miller kick)

Mar — Sauer 58 run (Miller Kick)

GF— Rodriguez 60 run (Self pass from Brown)

Third quarter

Mar — Moore 10 run (kick failed)

Fourth quarter

Mar — Young 3 run (Myers pass from Heller)

GF — Rodriguez 9 run (Arevelo kick)

Team statistics

	Mar	GF
First downs	17	11
Rushes-yards	43-280	39-217
Passing yards	185	21
Passing	8-15-2	2-7-1
Total yards	465	238
Punts-avg.	1-50.0	4-37.8
Penalties-yards	5-40	9-32.3
Fumbles-lost	3-2	1-0

Individual statistics

Rushing — Marsing: Sauer 17-206, Young 11-52, Moore 12-41, Heller 3-(minus 19). GF: Rodriguez 19-182, Jacobsen 7-28, M. Crane 5-19, A. Crane 3-3, Brown 5-(minus 15)

Passing — Marsing: Heller 8-15-2 185. GF: Brown 2-7-1 21

Receiving — Marsing: Nielsen 5-150, Myers 2-21, Sauer 1-14. GF: M. Crane 1-20, Rodriguez 1-1.

Interceptions-yards — Marsing: Myers 1-17. GF: Valle 1-16, A. Crane 1-9.

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Homedale Vikings vs. Homedale Packers, Field 2

Homedale Broncos vs. Homedale Steelers, Field 3

Sept. 29 games

Homedale Vikings vs. Homedale Steelers, Field 2

Homedale Broncos vs. Homedale Packers, Field 3

Oct. 6 games

Homedale Vikings vs. Homedale Broncos, Field 2

Homedale Packers vs. Homedale Steelers, Field 3

Oct. 13 games

Homedale Vikings vs. Homedale Packers, Field 2

Homedale Broncos vs. Homedale Steelers, Field 3

Oct. 20 games

Homedale Vikings vs. Homedale Steelers, Field 2

Homedale Broncos vs. Homedale Packers, Field 3

Third- and fourth-graders

Saturday's games

Homedale 49ers vs. Homedale Colts, Field 1, 10 a.m.

Homedale Seahawks vs. Jordan Valley Packers, Field 2, 10 a.m.

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Homedale Patriots vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Bears, Field 3, 10 a.m.
Homedale Broncos vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Dolphins, Field 1, 11 a.m.

Sept. 29 games

Homedale 49ers vs. Jordan Valley Packers, Field 1, 10 a.m.
Homedale Seahawks vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Bears, Field 2, 10 a.m.
Homedale Patriots vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Dolphins, Field 3, 10 a.m.
Homedale Broncos vs. Homedale Colts, Field 1, 11 a.m.

Oct. 6 games

Homedale 49ers vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Bears, Field 1, 10 a.m.
Homedale Seahawks vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Dolphins, Field 2, 10 a.m.
Homedale Patriots vs. Homedale Colts, Field 3, 10 a.m.
Homedale Broncos vs. Jordan Valley Packers, Field 1, 11 a.m.

Oct. 13 games

Homedale 49ers vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Dolphins, Field 1, 10 a.m.
Homedale Seahawks vs. Homedale Colts, Field 2, 10 a.m.
Homedale Patriots vs. Jordan Valley Packers, Field 3, 10 a.m.
Homedale Broncos vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Bears, Field 1, 11 a.m.

Oct. 20 games

Homedale 49ers vs. Homedale Broncos, Field 1, 10 a.m.
Greenleaf/Wilder Bears vs. Jordan Valley Packers, Field 2, 10 a.m.
Homedale Patriots vs. Homedale Seahawks, Field 3, 10 a.m.
Homedale Colts vs. Greenleaf/Wilder Dolphins, Field 1, 11 a.m.

Lions Optimist schedules
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Marsing Lions

Sept. 15 Alliance
Sept. 22 Pauls Market
Sept. 29 Select Equity
Oct. 6 Meridian Gold
Oct. 13 playoff
Oct. 20 playoff

Tackle, 9-10
All games 10:30 a.m.
Marsing Raptors

Sept. 15 Land America
Sept. 22 Valley Pump
Sept. 29 Little Broncos
Oct. 6 Big Creek
Oct. 13 Meridian Blue
Oct. 20 Trinity Mortgage

Flag, 7-8
All games start at noon and 1 p.m.
Marsing Mavericks

Sept. 15 T-K's Place
Sept. 22 Pizza Factory
Sept. 29 Access Live
Oct. 6 Les Schwab
Oct. 13 Nampa Paving
Oct. 20 Marsing Tigers

Marsing Tigers

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Trojans open SRV schedule with Homecoming

With his squad in a five-team conference with two of the best 3A teams in the state, Rob Kassebaum is well aware that every game is crucial.

But the Homedale High School football team is facing a double-dose of difficulty Friday night with its 3A Snake River Valley conference opener.

The Trojans are at home for a 7 p.m. kickoff against Payette at Deward Bell Stadium.

With three teams from the five-team 3A SRV reaching the playoffs, early wins could build momentum to reach the road to State for the first time in several years for the Trojans.

But the Pirates stand in the

way.

“Payette is much improved,” Kassebaum said. “They play multiple sets and run and pass. They mix it up.”

Add to that the fact that Friday’s game caps a Homecoming week — chock full of non-football activities and distractions — and the situation is crucial for the

Trojans.

“There’s always a huge concern with Homecoming,” Kassebaum said. “It’s a blessing and a it can be the kiss of death.”

Check www.owyheepublishing.com to find out how the Trojans fared in the conference opener.

— JPB

√ SRV: Panthers pull out bag of tricks in non-league win

From Page 1B

“Even on the big plays, the kids weren’t out of position.”

The Panthers essentially broke open the game with one of those big plays 8 1/2 minutes into the third quarter.

One play after Amador Cortinas and Micheal Wilhelm sacked Parma quarterback Rance Portenier on a 3rd-and-1 from the Trojans’ 25, Finley fired a 35-yard halfback pass to Tyler Ford on 4th-and-11 to give Parma an 18-7 lead.

It was the second touchdown in five plays for the Panthers. And it was the second consecutive time the team led by former Homedale coach Greg Asbury had converted a fourth-down play for a score.

The score that put Parma ahead for good, 12-7, also came in the wake of a key defensive play by the Trojans. The drive also was prolonged when a punt by Finley glanced off the Trojans’ Alex Mereness and the Panthers retained possession.

Later, on 4th-and-2 from the Trojans’ 7-yard line, Ian Black blasted through to give the Panthers a five-point lead. Two plays earlier, Daniel Valadez and Zach Tolmie had put Parma in a 3rd-and-15 hole by pounding Dalton Koplin for a 7-yard loss when he couldn’t find a clean handle on an option pitch from Portenier.

It was the second time on the eight-play drive that the Panthers had converted on fourth down. On a 4th-and-13 from the Homedale 44, Finley zipped a pass on a fake punt that Portenier carried 29 yards for a first down. It came one play after Finley had thrown an incomplete halfback pass.

Kassebaum said the play didn’t surprise his coaches; the Panthers merely executed the fake punt — something Homedale failed to do earlier in the game.



Wilhelm continues to terrorize quarterbacks

Homedale High School senior defensive lineman Micheal Wilhelm sacks Parma’s quarterback Rance Portenier. Portnenier’s teammates Ian Black and Mark Finley watch helplessly. Photo by Gregg Garrett

“We left our defense on the field; we didn’t put our punt return team on the field,” the coach said. “It was just another mental mistake.”

Parma had the ball back on the ensuing kickoff when a hard hit jarred the ball from the hold of Trojans kick returner Trent Acree.

Between muffed punts, fumbled returns and dropped carries, Homedale put the ball on the ground a season-high eight times Friday night. Parma recovered half of those, and the Panthers scored their final two touchdowns after Homedale turnovers.

Still, the Trojans trailed by less than a touchdown with less than six minutes left in the game after Tolmie won a battle with Ford to snag a sideline pass by Eric Engum. Tolmie broke free from

Ford at the Parma 38 and raced into the end zone to complete a 53-yard scoring play.

Alas, mistakes put a large amount of pressure on the defense — something of a recurring theme in the Homedale program for at least the past two years.

“I thought they played their hearts out,” Homedale assistant coach David Hart said of the defense.

“They had a short field on us quite a bit, and they made stops.”

No stop was more dramatic nor did any stop come on a shorter field than when junior cornerback Rodrigo Villarreal picked off a Portenier pass in stride and flashed 99 yards for a touchdown to give Homedale a 7-0 lead in the second quarter.

The play is believed to be a

school record for the longest interception return, and Villarreal was just getting warmed up.

On the next Parma play from scrimmage, he intercepted Portenier again. The next time Portenier tried the throw the ball — about seven minutes later — Villarreal seemingly picked off a third pass, but the officials issued a questionable ruling that the junior cornerback had trapped the ball.

“The secondary played well because we went man-to-man about 90-percent of the time, and they came up with some key picks,” Hart said. “The corners played exceptionally well.

“I thought the whole defense played well. They were very physical.”

— JPB

√ Jordan: Annual rodeo benefits Malheur, Owyhee funds

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release.

The Rope and Ride starts at 9 a.m. Friday with cow dog trials. The cow dog finals featuring the top 10 dogs will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday.

Saturday is the first full day of the event, with stock saddle

bronc riding and muley roping hitting the arena after the cow dog competition.

The stock saddle bronc competition, which carries a purse of \$500 added, begins at noon. Rodeo board treasurer Jerry Raburn said 15 riders have entered the competition this year.

A ride-off pitting the top six cowboys will be held after the preliminary competition.

On Sunday, the Last Chance horse and muley roping starts at 10 a.m.

Raburn said entries for the roping competition will be taken the day of the event. Last year, 65

teams took part in the Saturday roping warm-up, and about 90 teams were on hand for the Sunday competition, Raburn said.

In addition to the rodeo action in the arena, there will be displays, silent auctions and raffles. The winning ticket in a four-wheeler raffle will be drawn Sunday.

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

September 15, 1982

Dallas murder trial begins today

The trial of accused murderer Claude Lafayette Dallas, Jr. is scheduled to begin today at the Canyon County Courthouse in Caldwell. The trial was originally scheduled to be held in Murphy but was changed due to “extensive prejudicial publicity,” and for security reasons.

Dallas is charged with the murder of two Idaho Fish and Game officers in January of 1981 in the southwest corner of Owyhee County. The two officers, Conley Elms and William Pogue, had allegedly been slain by Dallas following a confrontation at the defendant’s camp on the South Fork of the Owyhee River. Elms’ body was found the following day near the camp, but Pogue’s body has yet to be located.

Dallas was captured in a not-too-distant trailer house following a 15-month nationwide search.

Jury selections will begin today. Owyhee County Prosecutor Clayton Andersen and Attorney General assistant Mike Kennedy will present state’s evidence against Dallas, Dallas will be represented by Michael Donnelly, Boise.

City council to seek grant funds

The Homedale City Council approved an engineering firm to make application for a state grant for economic development during its regular meeting Wednesday night.

The block grant application is to be prepared by J-U-B Engineering at a cost of between \$2,000 and \$3,000. The request is for \$350,000, and will not include resurfacing of streets, as originally suggested by Mayor George Murray.

The grant, if approved, would be used to create new jobs and aid local businessmen in keeping the economic base they presently have. The philosophy discussed at several earlier meetings includes (assuming the grant is approved), setting up a board to loan money to present and potential businesses for capital improvements at a low interest rate, Murray said.

Hirsch store to open in old Homedale landmark

When the new Hirsch Value Center opens its doors it will be doing so in one of the oldest brick buildings constructed in Homedale.

Hirsch manager, Doug Sower, said the store will open in the near future — possibly next week — but the firm’s grand opening is scheduled for the last of the month.

The building was constructed nearly 70 years ago — 1913 — and was known as the Peck Building. At about the same time another brick building — the Heath Building — was being built where the Flahiff Funeral Chapel now stands.

The Peck Building presently houses the state liquor store, an apartment upstairs adjacent to the Tango Lounge, and Hirsch.

Several tenants have occupied the structure, including the First Bank of Homedale, the Post Office, drug store, general merchandise store, Golden Rule, Idaho Department Store, a pool hall, and others.

The Odd Fellows Lodge was once housed above the liquor store, while the Doolittle Hotel was above the Hirsch store.

Trojans surprise Vikings with 13-6 victory

Following the Homedale Trojans’ first game loss to Weiser, the team came back to clobber the Middleton Vikings 13-6 last Friday night at Middleton.

Both teams went through the first quarter scoreless, but the Trojans came alive in the second period to earn all 13 of their points.

The first touchdown was the result of a 34-yard pass from quarterback Mike Matteson to flanker Eric Kushlan, who went over the goal line for six points. Darren Krzesnik then successfully kicked for the extra point.

50 years ago

September 19, 1957

Kiwanis sponsors annual kids day parade Saturday

The Homedale high school band, directed by Burgess Crandall, will lead the Kiwanis kids day parade here Saturday it was announced at the regular Kiwanis meeting Wednesday noon at El Gavilan.

The 18-piece band will be led by Mary Ellen Buck, majorette. Several twirlers will also participate.

The parade will form at the old armory on West Idaho Avenue at 10:30 o’clock and will start at 11, proceeding through town to the city park, where the awarding of prizes totaling \$45 in three classifications — costumes, pets and vehicles — will be held.

Kenny Hammond, Boise, will entertain children with a clown act. The Kiwanis pancake breakfast will be held at the park that day from 6:30 am to 1 pm. In case of rain the breakfast will be moved to the armory.

A moving picture on the production and testing of polio vaccine was shown through arrangements by Dr. George Wolff.

Dr. Wolff also discussed the production of vaccine for prevention of Asian flu, and said he was recommending that persons holding key jobs be vaccinated.

Trojans wallop Fruitland 25-7 in first home game

Last Saturday’s football game between Homedale and Fruitland turned into a walk away with the Trojans winning 25-7.

Play opened with Fruitland receiving. On 3rd and 4 Fruitland passed and Homedale intercepted on the visitors’ 41. Homedale did little and was forced to punt. Fruitland moved the ball 22 yards before being forced to punt. The punt was partly blocked and netted only 8 yards.

The Trojans took over on the visitors’ 34. They advanced to the 9 but the downs ran out.

After losing yardage Fruitland punted from its end zone. Junior Uranga took the pigskin on the 40 and returned it 39½ yards. Homedale scored on the next play, and the first quarter ended with Homedale leading 6-0.

The second quarter saw Homedale score 12 more points. Once the Trojans traveled 76 yards in three plays. Runs of 40, 13, and 23 yards led to pay dirt.

TD number three came via a blocked punt, which Homedale recovered on the 19. The next play was a hand-off from Uranga to Nolan Taggart who went off the weak side and outran the secondary for the score.

The first half ended, Homedale 18, Fruitland 0. At this point Fruitland had advanced the ball only to Homedale’s 41 yard line.

The third quarter was scoreless. Fruitland controlled the ball but never threatened. Homedale lost the benefit of a 27-yard run because of a player violation.

The fourth quarter was evenly played. The Trojans once found themselves on their own five because of penalties, but held and later scored again to make the count 25-0.

Fruitland went 61 yards in 10 plays in the last minutes and scored again to make the final tally 25-7, thus saving face but not the ball game.

Homedale locals

Overnight guests at the Deward Bell home last Wednesday were her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Owens, Burley.

Jo Jayo, Oreana, was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Adams and daughter Marilyn, Saturday. Jo, Marilyn and Carmen Landa spent Sunday together.

David Townsend accompanied Keith Stansell to Moscow Sunday where they will be freshmen at the University of Idaho this year.

Mrs. Parl Percy, Mrs. Dee Percy and Mrs. Hattie Pierce were hostesses with a surprise house warming for Mr. and Mrs. Ell Finn at Middleton Sunday. The Finns who were former residents at Mule Springs and had spent some time in California before moving to Middleton several weeks ago. About 25 persons attended the party.

140 years ago

September 14, 1867

THE FUTURE OF OWYHEE is as bright as the gold and silver veins that everywhere sparkle on the bosom of her mountains. Not a week is numbered with the past that does not place before us new and rich discoveries of unbounded wealth that only awaits energy, enterprise and capital to repay a hundred fold and largely augment the treasure of the earth. Our mines have hitherto been worked in a very circumscribed manner, and yet large amounts of bullion have been produced, as our record from time to time will show. No other country on the globe can boast of such rich mines as the Poorman and Oro Fino, and present discoveries and developments show that we have many others just as rich which are scarcely heard of in the outside world because their owners are too poor to open and work them. A quartz ledge differs very much from a placer mine. The latter can be worked immediately at small expense, and if it pays at all, will pay from the beginning; not so with the former, no matter how rich it may be. Considerable capital and time must be expended before any profit can be realized therefrom.

We have been compelled to chronicle several failures among our mining companies, most of which have been brought about by the mistaken idea that quartz mines should pay profitable dividends from the beginning. For example, an Eastern Company would send out an agent who, after looking round awhile would buy a ledge or mine, set about erecting a mill, and by the time it was ready to run the Company would probably be in debt to the amount of seventy-five or one hundred thousand dollars. Then they would commence crushing ore and after a few days would clean up fifteen or twenty thousand dollars. At this stage of the business, merchants, laborers, and various other creditors are all clamorous for their pay, thinking (as was perhaps promised them) that the first “clean-up” ought to pay them all; while the truth of the matter is there is only twenty thousand dollars on hand with which to pay one hundred thousand. A crisis approaches. Some one, more impatient than the remainder, lays an attachment on the mill or mine. This alarms the others and they also take legal steps to secure their pay. Thus the Company is bound down beneath the financial pressure and their mine pronounced worthless, because the first fifty tuns of ore will not pay the indebtedness, or rather because twenty dollars will not pay one hundred! What folly! Very different would it have been had they been prepared to pay every dollar they owed when their mill was ready to run, or else have obtained a longer credit. The mine would then very likely have been pronounced a good paying one and the prosperity of the country thereby enhanced.

But a brighter day is dawning; the old idea is being exploded, and people are becoming confident and cheerful.

BROKE JAIL. The horse thief, of whom we made mention last week, took “French leave” of the jail last Saturday night. He somehow got out of his cell, and either by his own handicraft, or by help “from the outside,” he managed to unlock the main entrance door. He was heavily ironed, but ere this has probably had them removed. Sheriff Springer and assistants have been searching for him for several days, but as yet without success.

WE HAVE NEGLECTED the weather item for the last three weeks, during which time it has been exceedingly fine, clear and gradually becoming cooler, and now we have a real, unadulterated Indian Summer, its hazy atmosphere dimming the brightness of the sun, and causing the moon to shed a milder light upon the earth.

ONIONS EXTRAORDINARY. “Red” received a load of onions last week from the ranch of McComt & Cowghays, in Boise Valley, six miles below the city. We were shown a specimen of them which measured twenty-one inches in circumference and weighed a trifle over two and a half pounds.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense

The Farm Bill 2008

A big debate rages on the five-year, \$286 billion Farm Bill. Its supporters on the Congressional Ag Committee are mostly from farm states, which is to be expected.

- At the same time:
- The percent of unionized laborers in the work force continues its decades-long plunge.
 - America continues its tendency to lose industries: steel, automobile, shoes, oil, mining, timber, tools, electronics and publishing.
 - The economic well-being for workers stagnates despite increasing minimum wage and a booming Wall Street.
 - Illegal Mexican immigrants contribute mightily to the U.S. economy yet still have enough to send money home to their families in Mexico.
 - China, India, Philippines and East Asian and South American manufacturing and natural resource economies prosper.

All of these tectonic forces are related. The Farm Bill is all about subsidizing farmers to ensure an abundant cheap food supply to consumers. Over the years, we producers in agriculture have considered “unionizing,” banding together, negotiating with a common voice. Dairy men and grain growers, among others have made visible protests, all for naught.

What if 50 years ago farmers had been able to organize and barter for higher prices for our lamb, corn, beef, soybeans, wheat, poultry, avocados, oranges, pork and milk? It would have been the equivalent of “unionizing” farmers. The resulting higher food prices would have required more protectionist legislation from Australian lamb, Canadian wheat, Dominican Republic sugar, Chinese cotton, Argentinean beef, Mexican vegetables and dairy products and Brazilian soybeans.

But, in response to consumer demand for cheaper food, I think politicians would have been forced to remove restrictions on imports, just as they have done for industries like energy, steel, clothing, timber, fishing, mining and automobiles. This would have resulted in an increasing dependence on politically shaky Third World countries for our daily bread. Today, we would be at their mercy. To put it in perspective, consider our present perilous dependence on the Middle East for oil.

According to the U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), 25,000 people die each day from hunger.

So, to those senators and representatives from urban districts who think subsidized farming is extravagant ... it is. Think of it as famine insurance.

Wayne Cornell

Not important ...

but possibly of interest

European epiphany



It has been more than six months since we returned from our Grand Tour of Europe. When I think back on those two weeks, it seems like a dream. Did we really see all those places?

When Sara and her sisters-in-law started planning our adventure more than a year ago, I wasn’t terribly excited. Europe? Who cares about Europe? Isn’t that where all those snooty people live who think they are more sophisticated than Americans? When you’ve seen one statue or church you’ve seen ’em all.

But Sara was determined, so I went — and I’m glad. In two weeks, I learned a lot of my preconceptions weren’t correct. Yes, there are a lot of statues. But each one tells a story about a person, historical event or a myth. The statues aren’t just decorations. They are cultural mile markers.

There are a lot of churches in Europe. But every time I was almost church-ed-out, I would walk around a corner and there would be a church that would take my breath away.

Like the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore in Florence. It took 170 years to build, and its dome is made of more than 4 million bricks. It can hold 30,000 people and was completed 30 years before Columbus set sail on his first voyage of discovery!

When you stand on the walkway between the two bell towers of Notre Dame and look out over the city of Paris, you wonder what the first people to stand here saw 650 years ago.

Or walk through Westminster Cathedral or St. Paul’s in London and stand next to the crypts of Elizabeth I or General Wolfe or Nelson or Wellington (his real name was Arthur Wellesley) or Gladstone.

But the best part of the trip was the people we met. The South Africans in our tour group were as curious about us as we were about them. There was the patient checker at a neighborhood market in Frankfurt and the middle-aged woman who is smiling at me in a picture taken in Munich. I remember the cheerful young man who was our waiter when four of us had the hotel dining room all to ourselves

one evening in Florence.

There were the American honeymooners from Los Angeles whom we met on a rainy day at Notre Dame and the clerk in the drug store on a Paris side street whose English was as bad as my French — but I still managed to buy some shaving cream. There was the security man in Westminster Cathedral who cheerfully explained how to spot folks who are trying to sneak pictures in forbidden areas. A customer at the table next to us in the pub in Stratford-upon-Avon went out of his way to tell us we needed to go to the bar to order our food (otherwise we might still be waiting for someone to take our order).

And on the most beautiful spring day you can imagine, there was the friendly woman who served us tea and scones as we sat at picnic tables outside the post office and tea shop she operates in her house at Castle Rising.

Granted, on a two-week tour you don’t get to know anybody very well. I had heard stories about rude treatment American tourists sometimes receive in Europe. But the people we met seemed to genuinely like us — not just as tourists spending money, but as people. The only bad encounter I had on the entire trip involved somebody from Florida.

The most important thing I learned during our travels is while people in other countries may speak different languages or have different customs (like driving on the wrong side of the road), they aren’t that different from us. Average Europeans, like their American counterparts, are too busy living life — paying the bills and raising their families — to worry about world politics.

So we got our first taste of Europe, and both the Europeans and us survived. Someday I would like to go back. But my mate is already planning new adventures. And my Chinese is even worse than my French, German or Italian.

By the way, if you happen to be passing through Los Angeles International Airport and see an unattended black canvas jacket with metal-zippered pockets in a waiting area, it’s probably mine.

Reader view

Rescue workers’ valiant efforts locate kids

by Pamela Myhre and Manuel Vega-Palacin

At last Saturday evening’s (Sept. 8) Star Party at Bruneau Dunes, our son and two of his friends went exploring “a dune too far” and became lost in the state park. As the sun set and we couldn’t find the boys, we turned in panic to the park ranger, Steve Russell.

The next nine hours were every parent’s worst nightmare as the night wore on and we searched in vain, aided by volunteers and the other boys’ parents. Owyhee County Deputy Sheriff Daryll Crandall joined the search and called in the county’s search and rescue team.

There are no words to express our joy and gratitude when at 5:18 a.m. the boys were found and returned to us safe and sound.

We are writing to thank each one of these heroic, angelic strangers for all they did. (Apologies for not getting the full names of so many of these heroes; we were just out of our heads with fear and exhaustion.)

Thanks go to: Bruneau Dunes State Park Ranger Steve Russell, who went sleepless through the night, climbing 470-foot dunes and slogging through difficult terrain, hour after hour, without complaint. His kind professionalism was unwavering.

Ronda Weygant, a volunteer at the Star Party and state

employee who also stayed with us all night, and whose hugs and kind encouragement meant more than we can express.

Bob Niemeyer at the observatory, who kept watch and helped with coordination.

Hikers Anita and her husband, and their dogs, who searched extensively out of sheer kindness.

Eric, a camper who also volunteered and helped tirelessly with the search.

Deputy Sheriff Daryll Crandall, who worked closely with Steve and the search and rescue crew to plan and execute the search of an enormous, difficult wilderness.

The search and rescue team — Joe Aman, Ed Olson, Tony Malmberg, Jason Ineck and Dick Downum — who were literally angels on ATVs. These heroes were volunteers that jumped in their trucks in the middle of the night to drive in from Homedale and Marsing to help complete strangers.

There are just no words to describe our profound gratitude for the generosity and kindness of all of these selfless folks.

— Pamela Myhre and Manuel Vega-Palacin are Boise residents.

Commentary

Letter to the editor

Commission, volunteers help Marsing Senior Center thrive

This is a great big thank you to our Owyhee County Commissioners, Dick Freund, Hal Tolmie and Jerry Hoagland, from the Marsing Seniors for their generous contribution to our center. Each of the centers in the county receive \$4,500 because, as Hal Tolmie has stated, we keep the frail in their own homes rather than the county being responsible for their stay in a nursing home.

This donation allows us to deliver Meals on Wheels to around 30 people every day, as well as pay insurance on our vehicles. We also have a bus that goes to Givens every week, and takes anyone who doesn't drive to doctor's appointments. This bus is wheelchair-accessible. Our bus is also available for fun trips like the one we recently took to Sumter, Ore., where we rode the train.

We board members also want to thank our staff for their wonderful job. Juan Delgadillo delivers Meals on Wheels and drives our bus. He is trained in all fields to maintain our DOT number and service seniors and general public with transportation needs.

Ellen Delgadillo is a fabulous cook, and Mary Jo Sharp is always coming up with a new and delicious dessert. They are assisted by "Aunt Ruby" Robertson, who will soon start a Cookie Cart around town. She also has taken over the thrift shop from Bertha Weygandt, who retired at age 90.

Our "Johnny on the Spot" is Deneice Beecher, who fills in where she is needed.

Supervising this great crew is our coordinator, Alana Squires, who is gifted with many skills, computer, sorting out Medicare problems, but most of all compassion.

Come and join us, and if you need our services, call 896-4634.

Marsing Senior Center Board of Directors
Joy Rimington
Dick Burman
Bonny Willer
Mary Mahler
Roman Usabel
Chris Potter
Rick Sherrow

Letters to the editor policy

The Owyhee Avalanche welcomes letters to the editor.

Our policy is that locally written letters receive priority. We do not publish mass-produced letters. The length must be limited to 300 words; the letters must be signed and include the writer's address and a daytime phone number where the writer can be reached for verification.

Letters can be e-mailed to owyheeavalanche@cableone.net or faxed to (208) 337-4867 or mailed to P.O. Box 97, Homedale ID, 83628.

The deadline for submitting letters to the editor is noon on Friday. For more information, call 337-4681.

The Owyhee Avalanche

Sen. Mike Crapo

From Washington

Individual vigilance honors memories of 9/11 victims

by Sen. Mike Crapo

Taken from CNN transcripts, September 11, 2001:

"This all began at about 8:48 this morning. Again, what we know in case you are just joining us, a small plane, not a Cessna-type or five- or six-seater, but instead, perhaps a passenger flight ran into the north side of the World Trade Center..."

"perhaps some type of navigating system or some type of electronics would have put two planes into the World Trade Center within it looks like about 18 minutes of each other..."

"Associated Press is reporting that a plane, it was a plane that crashed at the Pentagon. And the Pentagon is being evacuated. There's a large fire there ... We can tell you that the White House has been evacuated..."

"So air travel in this country has come to a halt this morning as clearly people are trying ... to figure out what exactly is going on. There are several, now, incidents that look for all that we can tell to be a major terrorist attack here in the United States. So all airports, all across the country are closed, all bridges and tunnels coming into Manhattan are closed..."

Not since the Japanese military attacked Pearl Harbor in 1941, has our nation been in the grip of such panic and uncertainty as on September 11, 2001. That fall morning, when almost 3,000 lives disappeared in flames and black smoke, changed our nation. It changed the way we view the world, permanently altering our sense of security. 9/11 brought us into shocking, horrifying contact with our true vulnerabilities and the threat our American way of life poses to a small deadly sector of an already restless part of the world.

For some, 9/11 seems like a lifetime ago. Like Kennedy's assassination or the Space Shuttle disasters, most of us can remember it with remarkable clarity, but the resulting urgency and call to action has faded. We fly in and out of airports, often not even paying attention to the current national threat advisory level. 9/11 seems to symbolize security hassles at airports and public buildings rather than a true, chilling threat to our way of life.

It's a good thing that there are those among us whose job it is to not forget. Those responsible for keeping vigilant watch include additional law enforcement at shopping malls and other public places, Transportation Security Administration personnel at our travel hubs and our local, county, state and federal law enforcement.

Here at home, the Idaho Bureau of Homeland Security works with the emergency support function of every state agency as well as county emergency coordinators, county commissioners, Idaho Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster, Idaho Citizen Corps, Community Emergency



The U.S. and Idaho state flags flew at half-staff last week at Homedale City Hall in observance of Patriot Day, a national day of reflection begun by President Bush to recall the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001.

Response Training (CERT) and others to help keep Idahoans informed about what to do in case of a natural disaster or terror attack.

Everyone has a role in emergency preparedness. Be vigilant. Pay attention to questionable activity and behavior in public places. If in doubt, report it to proper authorities. When it comes to natural disasters such as the forest fires that raged across Idaho this summer, following instructions of emergency responders is the best way to keep you and your family safe.

As we reflect on 9/11, we can be immensely grateful for all those who have worked to prevent another horrific attack on our homeland. We can celebrate the freedom of movement and expression we have been able to maintain despite these threats.

Most importantly, we can remain vigilant. The threat is no less real or deadly than it was one sunny September morning in 2001.

— Mike Crapo is a Republican U.S. senator from Idaho. Find more information about National Preparedness Month, which is this month, on his Web site at <http://crapo.senate.gov>.

Wednesday morning in Owyhee County



That's when the Owyhee Avalanche hits the news stands

Public notices

OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MINUTES SEPTEMBER 4, 2007 Owyhee County Courthouse MURPHY, IDAHO

Present were Commissioner’s Freund, Tolmie and Hoagland, Clerk Sherburn, Treasurer Richards, Assessor Endicott, Sheriff Aman, Fred Grant and Jim Desmond.

The Board amended the agenda to include: Pay authorization for Assessor’s employee, Appeal on CUP denial for Idaho Power, and Solid Waste issues.

The Board set a CUP Appeal Hearing requested by Idaho Power for October 22nd at 10:00 a.m.

The Board approved payment of all bills from the following funds:

Current Expense \$52,359, Road & Bridge \$101,025, District Court \$1,280, County Fair \$1,759, Probation \$465, Indigent & Charity \$15,673, Revaluation \$2,420, Solid Waste \$2,326, Tort \$90, Veterans Memorial \$900, Weed \$423, 911 \$686.

The Board sent a letter to the BLM concerning the county plan for post-fire stabilization and rehabilitation.

A budget hearing for the 2008 proposed budget was held. Each department presented their budgets and answered questions.

The Board approved certificate of residency for students attending College of Southern Idaho.

The Board adopted Resolution 07-18 setting out the duties of the Public Information Officer, Brenda Richards.

The Board approved the White Horse Subdivision road into the County Road System.

The Board adopted Resolution 07-19 setting the 2008 budget.

The Board took the following action on pending indigent & charity cases:

- 07-36 lien approved.
- 07-37 lien approved.
- 07-35 applicant approved with reimbursement.

06-57 assignment to Cat approved at 53.8%.

The Board approved a person to inspect loads at the Bruneau-Grandview Landfill one day per week.

The Board approved portable fencing at the Bruneau-Grandview Landfill.

The Board called for an executive session on a personnel issue.

The Board reviewed the contract with deputy prosecutor Douglas Emery. No action was taken.

The Board approved a pay authorization presented by Assessor Endicott for newly hired appraiser at an 8A on the pay scale.

The complete minutes can be viewed in the Clerk’s office.

s/ Richard Freund
Attest: /s Charlotte Sherburn
9/19/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the County Commissioners of Owyhee County on September 24th 2007 at the Owyhee County Museum at 17085 Basey Street in Murphy starting at 7:00 p.m. The Commissioners will take public comment on the petition presented to the Board on August 20th 2007 at which time The Owyhee Ridge Runner Club asked that the restriction on ATV’s and motorcycles be removed in

the following area: Flint Creek Road at the intersection with Pleasant Valley Road in Section 1 T6S R6W to the intersection of Flint Creek Road and Bachman Grade Road in Section 13, T7S R3W. Bachman Grade Road at Toy Pass, Section 14 T6S R2W to the South end of Bachman Grade Road in Section 25 T5S R3W.

The public is invited to attend and offer input.

Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk
Board of County Commissioners
9/12,19/07

NOTICE OF FILING DEADLINE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That declarations of candidacy for the office of Commissioners of Sub-District No. 1 and of Sub-District No. 3 of the Homedale Rural Fire Protection District must be filed with the district clerk/secretary whose address is 19 East Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho no later than 12:00 p.m. on the 28th day of September, 2007.

Such declarations are available at the district office at 19 East Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho or at the office of the County Clerk.

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.

/s/Mikael D. Parker
Clerk/Secretary of Taxing District
9/19/07

NOTICE OF PROPERTY TAX INCREASE BY SCHOOL BOARD

The Marsing (Jt.) School District No. 363 has proposed to increase the amount of ad valorem tax dollars it collects by certifying a school emergency fund levy pursuant to section 33-805, Idaho Code for the period 2007 through 2008. The total amount of dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy is estimated to be \$95,883.33. The amount of dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy on a typical home of \$50,000 taxable value last year is estimated to be \$30.00. The amount of dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy on a typical farm of \$100,000 taxable value last year is estimated to be \$60.00. The amount of dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy on a typical business of \$200,000 taxable value last year is estimated to be \$120.00.

CAUTION TO THE TAXPAYER: The amounts shown in this schedule do NOT reflect tax charges that are made because of voter approved bond levies, override levies, supplemental levies, or levies applicable to newly annexed property. Also, the amounts shown in this schedule are an estimate only and do not include a homeowner’s exemption. The dollar amounts can also vary with the certified levy and the taxable value of individual property.
9/12,19/07

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 6, 2007 at DAVID JONES RESIDENCE IN Bruneau, Owyhee County, Idaho, an election will be held for the election of three commissioners of the Bruneau Cemetery District, which election will be open from 8 o’clock of said day.

One commissioner will be elected for a three-year term.

One commissioner will be

elected for a two-year term.

One commissioner will be elected for a one-year term.

Any person residing in the above named district and who possess all qualifications of an elector under the General Laws of Idaho is entitled to vote at this election.

In order to nominate a candidate so his name will appear on the ballot, nominating papers must be presented to the secretary of the district not later than 5 o’clock p.m. September 28, 2007 signed by not less than five or more than ten qualified electors of the district.

Dated this 11th day of September 2007.

David H. Jones, Secretary
Bruneau Cemetery District
9/19,26/07

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to IDS 43-201 to 43-207, inclusive, the election of one Director from Division 3 Reynolds Irrigation District will be held on November 6, 2007 to elect a Director for a term of three (3) years beginning January 1, 2008, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Nomination for Director may be made by petition, signed by at least six (6) electors of the District qualified to vote for the candidate nominated and filed with the Secretary of the District not less than 40 days nor more than 60 days before the date of the election. Petitions may be obtained from Brad Huff, Secretary of the District, P.O. Box 12, Melba, ID 83641, and Ph. 495-2950. (Petition due date is September 27, 2007)

In the event more than one (1) candidate is nominated within the Division, notice of time and place of election will be posted as required by IDS 43-206.

Dated: September 4, 2007
Reynolds Irrigation District
Brad Huff, Secretary
9/12,19/07

LEIN SALE

1953 M-38 Willys Jeep VIN# 453GB230843. Sale will be held Tuesday, October 2nd, 2007 at 9:00am, 2626 Old Dump Road, Homedale, Idaho.

9/19,26/07

NOTICE

The Southwest District Board of Health will hold a **Board Meeting** on Tuesday, September 25, 2007 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at Southwest District Health, Room 206, 920 Main Street, Caldwell, Idaho.

9/19/07

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 2-10326

STEPHEN A TRUELOVE
8900 QUAIL RUN DR
MELBA ID 83641-4297
Point(s) of Diversion L1 (SWSESE) S6 T01N R03W Owyhee County Source SNAKE RIVER
Tributary To COLUMBIA RIVER

Use: COOLING 06/01 To 11/01 0.02 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.02 CFS
Date Filed: 10/03/2006
Place Of Use: COOLING T01N R03W S6 SESE Lot 1

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DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR.,
Director
9/19,26/07

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 2-10334

RICHARD A SYMMS
WEBB LLP
14068 SUNNY SLOPE RD
CALDWELL ID 83607
Point(s) of Diversion L1 (NWNW) S23 T02N R04W Owyhee County Source SNAKE RIVER
Tributary To COLUMBIA RIVER
Use: IRRIGATION 03/01 To 11/15 1.1 CFS
Total Diversion: 1.1 CFS
Date Filed: 04/03/2007
Place Of Use: IRRIGATION T02N R04W S10 NWSE T02N R04W S15 NWNW
Number of Acres 54.5

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE Loan No: 0014789796 T.S.No.: 07-9455-ID On 1/7/2008 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), In the lobby of Owyhee County Courthouse, Murphy, ID. In the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, First American Title Insurance Company as Trustee on behalf of Option One Mortgage Corporation, A California Corporation will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows: Exhibit “A” A tract of land having 192 1/2 foot frontage on the Grand View to Bruneau Highway in the north half of the northwest quarter, section 22, township 5 south, range 3 east, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the section corner common to section 15, 16, 21 and 22, township 5 south, range 3 east, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho; thence south 0° 17’ east 14.10 feet along the section line to a point; thence south 79° 27’ east 235.10 feet along the south highway right of way line to a point on the curve; thence along a curve to the right having the following description, a central angle 5° 55’ tangent of 296.1 feet, a radius of 5,729.58 feet, a 1° curve, and whose south right of way long chord bears south 78° 20’ 30” east 586.24 feet to a point on the tangent; thence south 73° 32’ east 580.64 feet along the southerly right of

way line of the Murphy-Bruneau Highway to the northeast corner of lot 6 of the Sheldon Burghardt Survey, an iron pin, the true point of beginning; thence south 73° 32’ east along the south right of way line of the Bruneau-Grand View Highway 192.5 feet to an iron pin; thence south 05° 39’ 40” west 120.00 feet to an iron pin; thence north 73° 32’ west a distance of 192.5 feet to an iron pin; thence north 05° 39’ 40” east, a distance of 120.0 feet to the true point of beginning. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for the purposes of compliance with section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 420 Frontage Rd. Grand View, ID 83624, is sometimes associated with the 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: Gilbert R. Chapa, a married man as his sole and separate property, As grantors, To: First American Title Insurance Company as successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Option One Mortgage Corporation, A California Corporation, as Beneficiary, dated 11/26/2004, recorded 11/29/2004, as Instrument No. 250083, records of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please Note: 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 set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 11/26/2004. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of \$600.02 due per month from 4/1/2007 through 1/7/2008, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$52,146.82, plus accrued interest at the rate of 10.75% per annum from 3/1/2007 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. Dated: 9/5/2007 By: First American Title Insurance Company By Allnation Default Services, Its Duly Authorized Agent 4665 MacArthur Court Suite 250 Newport Beach, CA 92660 949-252-2800 Lisa Bradford, Trustee Sale Officer P317244
9/19,26;10/3,10/07

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On **Thursday**, December 6, 2007 at the hour of **11:00 o’clock A.M.**, of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey St., Murphy, Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block 4 of Townsite of Bruneau,

according to the official plat thereof, on file and of recorded in the Office of the County Recorder, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: 32531 Belle Ave., Bruneau, ID 83604, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.

If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful

in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by Bradley S. Roscoe and Regina Roscoe, Husband and Wife, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Boyd Campbell, a married man as his sole and separate property as Beneficiary, recorded December 18, 2006 as Instrument No. 259174, 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:

1. Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$50,400.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 8.00% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated December 8, 2006. Payments are in default for the months of June 2007 through and including July 2007 in the amount of \$421.00 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement.
2. Provide, maintain and deliver to Beneficiary, fire insurance satisfactory to and with loss payable to Beneficiary. The principal balance as of July 9,

2007 is \$49,865.23 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 8.00% per annum. The per diem is \$10.929. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.

The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust if \$49,865.23, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee’s fees and/or reasonable attorney’s fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

Dated: August 6, 2007
Alliance Title & Escrow Corp.
By: Melissa Ambriz, Trust Officer
Phone: 947-1554
8/29/9/5,12,19/07

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Snake River Valley Fellowship Wilder/Homedale 16613 Garnet Road Sunday 10 am Worship Tuesday 7 pm Pure Word and youth group Thursday 7 pm Worship 475-3733 or 880-8962 Pastor Robert Cooperstein	Knight Community Church Grand View Pastor Paul H. Ryan • 834-2639 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study: Wednesday, 7 p.m. Knight's Neighborhood: (Youth Activity Group) Friday 5-6:30 pm	Crossroads Assembly of God Wilder Hwy 19 & 95, 482-7644 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening Worship 6pm Wed. Bible Study 7pm
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	Friends Community Church Wilder - Homedale 17434 Hwy 95, 337-3464 Pastor: John Beck Sunday School 9:35 am Worship Services: 10:45 am Sundays Adult Sunday School: 8:30 am Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6:30 pm	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: Saturday 7:00 pm 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 Adult Bible Study: 7 to 8:30 pm	Chapel of Hope Hope House, Marsing Look for the Blue Church South Bruneau Hwy at the Hope House Welcoming Families, especially those with special needs children. Keith Croft, Pastor 880-2767 Jake & Alisha Henriouille, Youth Pastors 761-6747 Sunday Services at 10 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
Homedale Baptist Church Homedale 212 S. 1st W. Sunday School 10am & 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls	Wilder Church of God Wilder 205 A St. E, 482-7839 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Service 11am Sunday Eve. 6:00pm Wed. Eve. 7:00pm	Mountain View Church of the Nazarene 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder 337-3151 Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30 Adult & Youth Bible Class: Wednesday 7:00 pm Bible Based Recovery: Friday 7:00 pm
 MARSING APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY Asamblea Apostolica de Marsing 221 W. Main • Marsing, Idaho Pastor Ricardo Rodriguez 896-5552 or 371-3516 <small>Sunday School 1:30 pm • Sunday Service 3 pm Thursday Service 7 pm • (Bilingual Services/Español)</small>	Iglesia Evangelica Wilder 317 3rd st., Pastor Ramiro Reyes 10 am Sunday School 11 am Service 482-7484 Bilingual	Marsing Church of Christ Marsing 932 Franklin, Marsing Minister Gib Nelson Sunday Bible Study 10am Sunday Worship 11am
Christian Church Homedale 110 W. Montana, 337-3626 Pastor Maurice Jones Sunday Morning Worship 11am Church school 9:45	Bible Missionary Church Homedale West Idaho, 337-4437 Pastor Paul Miller Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7:30	Assembly of God Church Marsing 139 Kerry, 896-4294 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm
Lizard Butte Baptist Church Marsing Pastor London 116 4th Ave. W., 859-2059 Sunday worship 11am-12pm Sunday school 10 am-10:55am Sunday evening 7pm-8pm Wednesday evening 7pm-8pm Every 3rd Sat. family video at 6 pm	Nazarene Church Marsing Pastor Bill O'Connor 896-4184 12 2nd Avenue West Worship Services - Sunday 11am and 6pm Teen Services Sundays 7:00 pm Sunday School - 9:45am Mid Week TLC Groups	Trinity Holiness Church Homedale 119 N. Main Pastor Samuel Page 337-5021 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Thursday Evening 7:30pm
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Marsing 215 3rd Ave. West, 896-4151 Sunday 1st Ward, 12:30 p.m. Bishop Streibel Sunday 2nd Ward, 9 a.m. Bishop Payne	Vision Community Church Marsing 221 West Main Marsing, Idaho 208-896-5407 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. Adult, Kids & Youth Meetings Wed. 7:00 p.m.	United Methodist Church Wilder Corner of 4th St. & B Ave. 880-8751 Pastor Carolyn Bowers Sunday Services 9:30am
First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am	Calvary Holiness Church Wilder Corner of 3rd St. & B Ave. 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. Food Pantry Open Fridays 10 am - Noon	Seventh Day Adventist Homedale 16613 Garnet Rd., 880-0902 or 453-9289 Pastor Chuck Dimick Sabbath School Sat. 9:30am Worship 11am Tuesday Prayer Mtg. 7:00 pm
Iglesia Bautista Palabra de Esperanza Homedale 711 W. Idaho, 463-9569 Pastor Jose Diaz Servicios: Los Domingos 11:00 am	Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church - Oreana 2007 Mass Schedule - the following Saturdays at 9:30am Jan. 27 - Feb. 17 - March 10 - April 28 May 12 - June 9 - July 21 - Aug. 11 Sept. 8 - Oct. 13 - Nov. 24 - Dec. 22 For more information, call St. Paul's Church, Nampa 466-7031	Amistad Cristiana de Wilder UMC Esquina de 4 y calle B Domingos Servicio: 12:00 pm El Ropero (Banco de ropa) Miercoles 12- 2pm Martes y Jueves: 6:30 pm Ingles Sabados: 12:00 pm Arte Infantil Todo en Espanol, Inf. 989 7508



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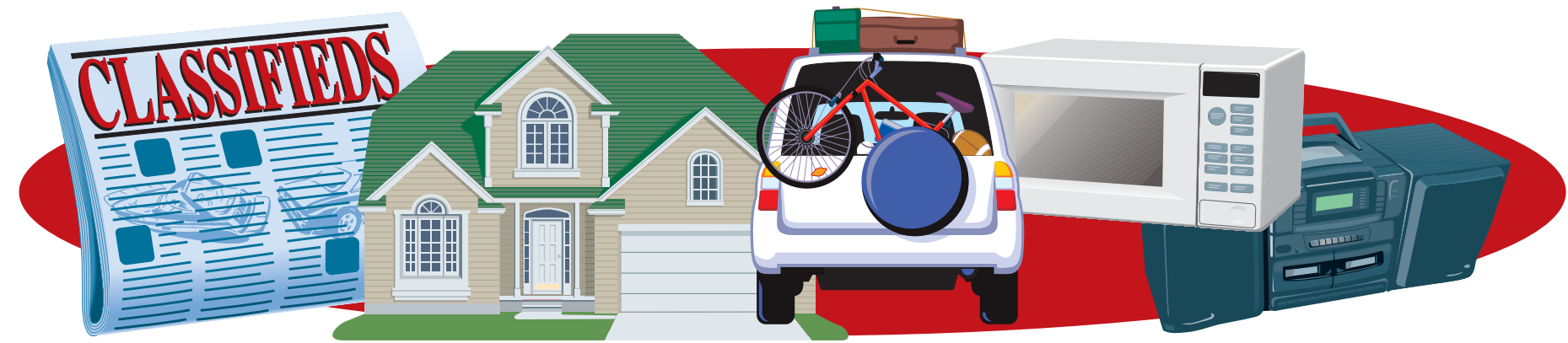
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