

Emry hurt as Trojans' season winds down

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Marsing boys out after district defeats

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## HHS grad Ensley heads back to nationals



Jeremy Ensley

Former Homedale High School wrestler Jeremy Ensley takes another shot at a national championship this week.

A sophomore at Northwest College in Powell, Wyo., the four-time Idaho high school state champion earned his second berth into the National Junior College Athletic Association championship tournament during the recent West Central Zone Championships in Rock Springs, Wyo.

The No. 1-ranked 125-pound JC wrestler in America, Ensley was one of seven Northwest College athletes to qualify for the national tournament, which takes place Friday and Saturday in Rochester, Minn. Although he is the top-rated wrestler in the land, Ensley won't get a first-round bye. His first match comes against unranked Nate Williams of Ellsworth Community College in Iowa.

"Ensley was awesome," NWC head

coach Jim Zeigler said after Ensley's performance at the Zone meet. "He just matches up well with everybody he faces. He finds ways to adjust against the competition, and he goes out and wins."

Top-seeded Ensley went 2-0 at the Rock Springs qualifier and won the West Central Zone title for his weight class.

Ensley beat sixth-ranked Tommy Edgmon of Pratt Community College,

5-1, during the first day of the zone tournament. He closed out his stay by pinning No. 4 Lyle Evans of Western Wyoming Community College.

Ensley and teammate Nathan Barzee won titles, and the Trappers finished fifth in the team standings.

Ensley finished fifth in the national tournament last season.

— Information provided by David Dickey, sports editor of the Powell (Wyo.) Tribune.

## WRESTLING STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Homedale, Marsing set to send 17 to Nampa

Huskies put six into 1A/2A bracket in Nampa

Marsing High School finished fifth at the 1A/2A District III Wrestling meet in Marsing on Saturday, with 73.5 points. Parma won the team title with 194 points, while New Plymouth finished second with 169 points, Melba was third with 148, and Garden Valley was fourth with 103.

The Huskies advanced six wrestlers to the 51<sup>st</sup> annual Idaho State High School Wrestling Championships, which will be held Thursday through Saturday at the Idaho Center in Nampa.

Senior Chaz Covey leads the state-bound Huskies contingent, which also includes juniors Carlos Ceballos, Andre Heidt, and Matt Merritt, sophomore John Heidt, and freshman Javier Moreno.

"They are all wild cards," Huskies coach Rick Folwell said of his state qualifiers. "None of them were expected to go. A couple of them have only won a few matches and are going because their weight classes weren't full. But, that's the way you go. Hopefully, they are going to upset somebody. And, they are in the top 16 in the state just by

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#### Straining toward State

Marsing's Andre Heidt tries to pin Melba's Josh Prow in a 171-pound match at the 1A/2A District III Wrestling Championships on Saturday in Marsing. Heidt scored three points for the near-fall, but lost the decision. Heidt finished fourth at districts, while Prow was second. Both wrestlers qualified for the state championships, which begin Thursday at the Idaho Center in Nampa.

Trojans: Cortinas seeded No. 1 after third district title

Coach Toby Johnson begins each wrestling season with renewed hope for an outstanding year for Homedale High School.

But that optimism may be brewing anew even as the 2007-08 year reaches its climax this week with the 3A state tournament in Nampa.

"Anything can happen," Johnson said. "Sometimes you get there and you get surprised, so I'm not counting anybody out."

Two of the Trojans' three standout seniors made the field for the 51<sup>st</sup> annual tournament, which begins Thursday at the Idaho Center.

"Hopefully we'll get a little more of a home crowd," Johnson said of the state tournament shifting from Pocatello to Southwest Idaho for the first time since 2005.

In all, Homedale has 11 wrestlers primed to take a shot at State medals beginning at noon Thursday.

But wrestling observers may be more impressed when they gaze upon the 3A tourney's 112-pound bracket and find two Homedale freshmen in the mix.

— See *Trojans*, page 3B

### Adrian girls, JV boys reach state playoffs

Two of the four teams from Adrian and Jordan Valley high schools gunning for berths in the Oregon basketball state playoffs accomplished their tasks last week in the 1A District 8 Tournament.

The Adrian girls and Jordan Valley boys qualified for the 1A state tournament, with the Antelopes winning the district championship Saturday and the Mustangs wrapping up the third and

final district berth into the state playoffs with a 73-56 win over archrival Adrian on Saturday.

#### Girls

The sixth-ranked Adrian girls beat Monument-Dayville in Saturday's district championship game at Grant Union High School in John Day, Ore., and earned a first-round bye in the state playoffs.

While Monument-Dayville and

third-place Crane represented the High Desert League in opening-round state playoff games Tuesday, coach Gene Mills' Antelopes won't delve into the state competition until Friday.

The Antelopes are slated to play host to a second-round game against the winner of Tuesday's opener between Alsea and Elkton.

A victory Friday sends the An-

— See *Playoffs*, page 2B

### Rimrock boys one win from State bid

It's not the road he had in mind, but Gary Jones has his Rimrock High School boys basketball team one win away from a state tournament appearance.

The Raiders (15-7) battle Wilder (17-6) at 6 p.m. today in a 1A District III Tournament consolation bracket semifinal

at Columbia High School in Nampa.

A victory sends Rimrock into a first-round game of the Real Dairy Shootout state tournament next Wednesday in Caldwell. A loss ends the Raiders' season.

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Trojans  
JVs lose  
tournament  
title game

The Homedale High School junior varsity boys basketball season ended last week with a loss in the 3A Snake River Valley Tournament to Fruitland.

The Trojans, coach by Mark Shafer, finished the season with an 18-3 record, including a 6-2 record in conference play to clinch the 3A SRV regular-season championship.

Homedale opened the district tournament with a narrow 57-54 victory over Payette. Reece Landa nailed his fourth 3-point goal of the game with 20 seconds left to give the Trojans the victory.

Landa led all scorers with 18 points, while Justin Harrell had 15 points and four rebounds and Alex Mereness scored 15 points and grabbed eight rebounds.

Homedale closed out the regular season with a 70-50 loss at Weiser on Feb. 6 before beating Payette, 47-32, in the teams' regular-season finale Feb. 8 on the Trojans' floor.

Marsing holds  
youth signups

Marsing Youth Summer Baseball and Softball signups take place this week, and registration forms are available at either Marsing Elementary School or Marsing Middle School.

For more information, call Sharron Green at 250-2131.

City bowling  
tournaments on tap

The annual city bowling championships will be held in the coming weeks at Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant.

The Homedale Women's Bowling Association city tournament will be held Saturday and Sunday. This year marks the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the town's women's bowling organization.

The Homedale Men's Bowling Association city tournament will be held March 8-9.

Stop by Owyhee Lanes at 18 N. 1<sup>st</sup> St. W., or call 337-3937 to register for the tournament or to get more information.

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Huskies ousted at district tourney

Marsing's run in the 2008 2A District III boys basketball tournament lasted just two games. Parma upset the Huskies 53-38 in Marsing on Feb. 12, and then Nampa Christian showed the Huskies the door with a 72-40 thrashing on Saturday at Vallivue High School in Caldwell. Marsing ends its season at 5-17.

The Huskies seemed a step behind their opponents throughout both tournament games. Marsing was outscored in seven of the eight quarters played, the exception being a 15-14 second quarter against Nampa Christian. The one-point margin brought Marsing to within 10 points at 32-22 after Nampa Christian had taken an 18-7 lead after the first period of play.

Marsing's best chance for a win was against Parma. The Huskies had split games against the Panthers this season, losing 34-31 in Parma on Jan. 12, and winning convincingly 55-29 at home on Jan. 30. The Huskies trailed from the beginning, however, in the rematch in the district tournament's opening game. One of the biggest contributing factors in the loss was the turnover ratio, with Marsing coughing up the ball 17 times while Parma gave it up just five times.

"I think we were flat the whole night," Marsing coach Jake Walgamott said after the game. "Maybe Parma was just that much more pumped up. They out-hustled us on defense, they out-hustled us on offense. They were ready, and we weren't."

Both teams appeared flat in the first half, as the Panthers took a 9-7 lead after the first quarter, and led 19-14 at the half.

In the third quarter, the Huskies got the score to 26-22, but consecutive 3-pointers by Bryant Timmons and Travis Kiser put Parma up by 10 and Marsing did not threaten the rest of the way. Timmons and Kiser were Parma's scoring leaders on the night. Timmons poured in 21 points, while Kiser netted nine on three treys.

Kelsey Cook led the Huskies with 10 points, Taylor Nielsen added nine points and seven rebounds, and Tyson Heller threw



Nielsen scores nine vs. Panthers

Marsing's Taylor Nielsen focuses on the hoop despite defense from Parma's high-flying Bryant Timmons and Jace Grenier.

in seven points and pulled down eight boards.

The task of winning was much more difficult in the consolation bracket against Nampa Christian. The Trojans swept the regular-season series from the Huskies, winning by an average of 21 points. In fact, Nampa Christian would top that margin in the second half of Saturday's game, outscoring the Huskies 40-18 in that span.

The Trojans scored at will on backdoor lay-ups, as baseline cutters were open on both sides of the lane throughout the game. And Nampa Christian dominated Marsing on the glass, pulling down 48 rebounds to 22 for the Huskies.

"We gave up too many back-side cuts," Walgamott said. "We

got smoked on the boards. Their coach said that their game plan was to make sure that Taylor didn't get any, and he didn't get any. They went out purposely to keep Taylor from getting rebounds, because they know that that's the way he gets things, and they kept us from being aggressive and physical. I think we just overall didn't do a good job of playing team defense.

"Kelsey Cook did a good job. He stepped up on both ends, I think, the whole night."

Cook scored seven points for the Huskies. Nielsen led Marsing with 11 points, and Heller added seven.

Walgamott said that the team had some successes this season and can build on that next season.

"We did some good things this season. We beat Cole Valley twice, we split with Parma during the season, we played really close against Parma over there, so there's two teams that we were competitive with. We played Melba tough and we played New Plymouth tough in our gym, so I think our home-gym advantage is getting better.

"We've got guys coming back for next year. I think we can replace our losses with some of the JV kids that we have and some of the guys that we've got who have been coming off the bench. I think it's just a matter of coming back, going to work, and doing the things in the summer that we need to do to make ourselves better."

— RTH

√ Playoffs: Mustangs boys open state run tonight on road

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telopes into the state tournament final bracket, which will be played next Wednesday through March 1 at Baker High School in Baker City, Ore.

Adrian (24-2) streaked into the title game with a 63-41 win over Prairie City on Thursday.

The Jordan Valley girls, led by first-year coach Doug Rutan, lost their opening-round district game Thursday to eventual No. 3 state seed Crane.

No other details were provided.

Boys

Jordan Valley blew open its third-place game with Adrian late to nail down the district's final berth into the state tournament.

Up by two points after three quarters, the Mustangs went on a 10-point run late in the fourth quarter to fuel a 21-6 finishing kick.

"We knew if we could keep it close going into the fourth quarter we had a chance," Adrian coach Brent Ishida said. "But Zac Fillmore and Koehl Trautman were tough to contend with in the post.

We had made some adjustments at half to deny their 6-foot-6 players the ball, but it wasn't enough."

Kyle Dondero scored 18 points to lead Adrian, while Blake Purnell kicked in 17 points. Jordan Valley statistics weren't provided.

"I told the boys after the game that it's been a while since the Adrian boys have been to this level in a number of years," Ishida said. "They have nothing to be ashamed of. It has been a great season. These are some of the finest young men I have had the privilege to coach."

The Mustangs visit District 2 second seed Perrydale at 7 p.m. MST today. Jordan Valley must win tonight and beat District 3 No. 1 Mohawk on the road Saturday to reach the final bracket, which begins next Wednesday in Baker City.

Adrian opened districts with a narrow 54-52 win over Prairie City on Thursday behind senior Maurus Hope (15 points, 12 rebounds).

Crane ran past the Antelopes, 75-43, in Friday's semifinal. Hope had 17 points, and Purnell tossed in 10.



# Sports

## HHS' Emry hurt as curtain falls

The end of the Homedale High School boys basketball team's season may have repercussions on the Trojans' track and field season.

State champion high jumper Austin Emry twisted his ankle in Homedale's 56-55 opening-round loss to Payette in the 3A District III Tournament on Feb. 12 in Ontario, Ore.

A junior who was the Trojans' leading scorer this season, Emry didn't see action in Homedale's season-ending 65-57 loss to McCall-Donnelly on Thursday at Treasure Valley Community College.

The extent of Emry's injury is unknown. The track and field squad and the rest of Homedale's spring sports teams are scheduled to begin practice

Friday.

The Trojans ended the season at 8-13 after Thursday's setback against the Vandals. Zach Tolmie hit a 3-point goal and finished with 11 points in his final high school game.

Grant Sweet, another junior starter for coach Kenny Thomas, led the Trojans with 19 points and 15 rebounds.

Marcus Harris paced McCall-Donnelly with 20 points. He was perfect in



Grant Sweet

10 attempts from the foul line.

The Vandals wiped out Homedale's 30-29 halftime lead by holding the Trojans to nine points in the third quarter and outscoring them 24-18 in the final period.

Colin Hershey led all scorers with 29 points in Payette's win on Feb. 12.

The game was close throughout, with the Pirates grabbing a 46-43 lead heading into the final eight minutes.

Emry scored eight points before his injury, while another junior, Tyler Gibson, led Homedale with 13 points and seven rebounds.

Junior Ryan Garrett chipped in nine points.



### Tolmie cans 11 in prep finale

Homedale High School senior Zach Tolmie ended his final high school basketball game with 11 points during Thursday's elimination game loss to McCall-Donnelly in the 3A District III Tournament in Ontario, Ore. Photo by Gregg Garrett

## ✓ Trojans: Freshman Ensley beats teammate for 112-pound district crown

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Given his surname, Justin Ensley (26-3) isn't the surprise there. But teammate Philip Moulton (7-10), who lost Saturday's 3A District III championship match to Ensley by pinfall, took advantage of a first-round bye then pinned Weiser's Dillon DeCroo in the district semifinals to reach State.

"We knew that (Moulton) was going to be a legitimate shot getting into the district final," Johnson said. "He had beaten DeCroo at a match earlier in the season and didn't wrestle well against him in the dual. But you could see that (beating DeCroo again) could happen."

Ensley, a highly ranked 112-pounder in the state, will open the state tournament against Snake River junior Jonathan Turpin (23-14). Moulton challenges another freshman, Kimberly's Chandler Holcomb (16-7), in the opening round.

While the freshmen in the lighter weights may have stolen the spotlight with their heads-up showdown in Fruitland on Saturday, Homedale's veteran wrestlers also made their mark.

Heavyweight Amador Cortinas (16-2) notched a pair of pins, including a championship-clinching fall against Payette's Cory Harrison. Cortinas had lost to Harrison in double overtime during the Trojans' dual season finale Feb. 12 on the road.

Cortinas is a three-time district champion for Homedale.

Despite a shoulder injury muddying the early part of the big man's final high school season, the senior will have the No. 1 seed at the state tournament when he opens against Lonnie Roberts (12-11), a junior from Timberlake.

"He's got a shot, but it's going to be tough," Johnson said.

Cortinas' 275-pound teammate, Jaime Uriarte — a fellow senior — saw his career end with a decision against Fruitland's Jesse Aguilar. Harrison sent Uriarte into the consolation bracket with a decision in the semifinals.



### Trojans look for escape routes

**Top:** Homedale's 171-pounder Kevin Abels tries to stay off the mat against Weiser's Trevor Maddox in the 3A District III semifinals Saturday in Fruitland. Abels lost, and Maddox went on to the championship. **Right:** Trojans senior heavyweight Jaime Uriarte tries to escape the grasp of Payette's Cory Harrison during their semifinal Saturday. Harrison won to advance to the title match against Homedale's Amador Cortinas.

"That weight class may be the toughest one in the district, and we knew that at least one or two kids or more that were good state-quality, state-placing material weren't going to make it," Johnson said. "We were just hoping it wouldn't be one of ours."

While Cortinas earned the top seed in his bracket, Ensley was lower in the 112s despite an impressive debut season, but neither placing shocked Johnson. The veteran coach said Ensley was placed lower than his resume may have suggested because of the presence of defending state champion Josh Morris of Marsh Valley.

Morris (29-1) is seeded second. The only loss of his senior season came against top-seeded senior Brock Banta of South Fremont (29-2).

Junior Danny Zenor needed just two victories to win the district title at 140 pounds. After receiving a first-round bye, he decided Weiser's Logan Iverson in the semifinals before beating Payette's Ryan Opdahl in the final by decision.

Zenor (14-16) faces Priest River senior Justin Lopez (32-

6) in the first round of the state tournament Thursday.

"The thing about Danny is we always knew he could do it," Johnson said. "He had to make up his mind, and he did."

"He made up his mind that he was going to take the championship. And that's what you love to see. He probably did the best wrestling job of his career."

Another Homedale junior, Joe Hernandez (12-19), will wrestle this week after finishing second at 145 pounds. Hernandez pinned Keegan MacKenzie of Fruitland in the semifinals before losing the championship match by pinfall to Weiser's Zack Sena.

Homedale finished a distant second to Weiser in the team standings.

"We took 20 guys and came home with 16 placings," Johnson said. "That's a pretty good day. And with more bodies in the right places, I think we could have given Weiser a run for their money."

Six Trojans qualified for the state tournament by surviving Saturday's consolation bracket and finishing third in their respective divisions.



• Senior 135-pounder Frankie Obregon (14-10) extended his high school career with a pin of Payette's Troy Taylor in Saturday's third-place match. Obregon beat Taylor by technical fall in the opening round then lost to Weiser's Ryan Jaggi in the semifinals before his rematch with Taylor. Obregon is slated to meet fellow upperclassman Blair Gerratt of Gooding (33-4) in the first round of State.

• At 119, freshman Chris Bueno pinned teammate Todd Bahem in the third-place match. Bahem won his first-round match, and Bueno got a bye into the semifinals, where both wrestlers lost. While Bahem received a bye into the third-place match, Bueno had to pin Nick Shurte of Payette to keep his afternoon going.

Bueno (10-9) meets Timberlake senior Bryan Walker (26-8) in Thursday's first round of the state tournament.

• Trevor Meligan (6-8) reached the state tournament in his junior season after losing to eventual 130-pound district champion Michael Watkins in the quarterfinals. Meligan then pinned Fruitland's Dave Jangula and Payette's Taylor Gonzalez to punch his ticket to state. Meligan will take on fellow junior Jose Alonzo of Declo (18-

8) in Thursday's opening round.

• Sophomore Cassidy Cook will compete at State at 189 pounds after registering a decision over Tony Sivero of Weiser in the third-place match Saturday. Cook (15-11) will face Doug Yearout (7-2), a senior from St. Maries in Thursday's opener.

• In another Trojan war, junior Brandon Valadez (11-5) pinned teammate Wes Taggart in the 215-pound third-place match. Valadez drew a tough assignment in Sugar-Salem senior Cade Hillman (30-8) in the first round of the state tournament.

• At 171, Kevin Abels beat Payette's Joe Barbion for third place and a trip to State. Abels will meet No. 1 seed KC Qualls (14-2), a senior from American Falls, on Thursday.

"There are those kids on your team that you just don't know if they're going to put it together or not," Johnson said. "And Cassidy Cook and Kevin Abels put it together when they had to, and so did Brandon Valadez and Chris Bueno."

Rye Hyer (160 pounds) and Ulysses Vargas (152) lost third-place matches Saturday and had to settle for fourth-place medals.

— JPB



Sports



Key contributor

Rimrock senior Chris Hipwell, shown driving against Cascade's Alex Gonzalez, knocked down big free throws all night for the Raiders.

✓ Rimrock: Raiders rebound from loss to Cascade

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Rimrock and Wilder split their regular-season series, but the Raiders won the most recent meeting, a 35-31 triumph in Bruneau on Jan. 18.  
The Raiders kept their season alive Friday by ending the year for Horseshoe Bend with a 47-32 victory.  
Logan Thomas and Chris Hipwell scored 12 points apiece for Rimrock, while Sam Richardson added 11 points. A senior, Thomas capped a double-double performance with 16 rebounds.  
The Raiders took control with a 23-10 showing to start the second half.  
The Mustangs received a game-

high 15 points from sophomore Lukus Beckman.  
Rimrock fell into the losers bracket after a tough-fought 40-39 opening-round loss to Cascade on Thursday. The Ramblers will play Garden Valley for the district championship at 7:30 p.m. Friday.  
But despite early trouble handling the ball, the Raiders gave Cascade all it could handle in the opener at Emmett High School.  
“We had our opportunities there,” Jones said. “Were we disappointed? Yes. Are we discouraged? No.”  
Thomas scored 12 points and grabbed

10 rebounds before fouling out while seemingly making a clean steal against Anthony Beskoon with 5.9 seconds left and Cascade ahead, 40-38.  
Beskoon scored 19 points for the Ramblers.  
“There are eight teams left in the tournament,” Jones said after the Cascade loss. “Four of those teams go to State, and we will be one of those teams.”  
If Jones’ prophecy comes true tonight, this will mark the first time this decade that a Rimrock team has advanced to the boys basketball state tournament.

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# Looking back...

*from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle*

## 25 years ago

### February 16, 1983

#### Highway work to begin on US 95 near cemetery

Division of Highways Resident Engineer Gary Hazen said last week that Western Construction, Inc., Boise, has been awarded a \$189,441.90 contract to construct a new roadway, drainage, aggregate base, and plant mix pavement on 0.5 miles of US Highway 95 between Marsing and Homedale in Owyhee County.

Hazen said two dangerous curves will be eliminated and better alignment will be provided by the new roadway. There will be minor inconvenience during construction but traffic will be maintained.

The two corners are near the Marsing-Homedale cemetery.

Work is expected to begin in early March and the contractor will have 100 working days to complete this safety improvement.

#### Ordinance authorizes industrial revenue bonding

The wheels are in motion to make available industrial revenue bonds to facilitate “economic development and employment opportunities” in Homedale

Last Wednesday night, during the regular monthly meeting of the Homedale City Council, the council adopted ordinance number 237, creating a public corporation known as “The Economic Development Corporation of the City of Homedale.”

The passage of the ordinance will allow revenue bonds to be sold for the purpose of expansion and development of industrial and manufacturing operations within the city. The interest earned by the persons purchasing the bonds are non-taxable, and, in theory, should result in lower interest rates to the users of the bonds.

Five members are to make up the board of directors of the corporation, one of who will, by ordinance, be the mayor. The directors will be qualified electors of the city.

#### Kindergarten tours Homedale post office

Four groups of about 20 kindergarten children each, toured the Homedale Post Office last week. This is an annual kindergarten field trip and each child made a valentine for his/her parents, addressed it and brought it to the post office to mail.

Joyce Turner, Postmaster, showed them how the sacks are locked up and explained about letters being private and how they are protected and the seriousness of a postal offense.

The importance of zip codes was discussed and the children learned how to weigh packages, how to use the stamp machine, and each cancelled his/her letter with the canceling machine.

The tour also included information on stamp collecting as a hobby and how stamps tell stories. Joyce said that they enjoyed the kindergarteners and that the tour provides a good opportunity for them to become familiar with the Post office, stamps, the mail, etc.

#### Dam proposed for Jordan Creek

Interest in a flood control and irrigation project on Jordan Creek near Jordan Valley has surfaced again. Dr. Ted Cowgill, Jordan Valley, presented a proposal to the Corps of Engineers in Walla Walla in December, asking them to build the earth-filled dam. The recommended location is at the confluence of Williams Creek with Jordan Creek upstream from Jordan Valley. It is in Idaho. The plan recommends a 163 ft. high earth-filled dam, which is 18 feet higher than a similar dam studied in 1965.

The idea of building a dam on Jordan Creek is not a new one. There has been local talk about it for 100 years. Studies were made in 1954, again in 1961, and 1965, and as late as 1973.

The 1973 study rejected the idea from several points. One was the saline content of the irrigated land in Jordan Valley. Jordan Valley ranchers feel this saline content is a result of percolation in short water years and that irrigation will automatically improve the soil condition.

## 50 years ago

### February 20, 1958

#### PTA hears report on need of school expansion

Buck Selders, chairman of the citizens’ committee, spoke Monday night at the regular PTA meeting on the great need for and the possibility of expansion of high school facilities.

Various chairmen of the committee also speaking on the subject were Pete Rathbone, enrollment chairman, who stated that 28 students will be lost after this year and 100 new students will be gained next year.

Pete George spoke on possible location for a new building, and it was decided that such a building would be built on present school property.

Mrs. Lewis Cegnar spoke on curriculum based on visits to six schools in the area. She said that in comparison with these schools Homedale rates the same except for the agricultural department and foreign languages which are not provided here.

Everett VanSlyke talked on the financial situation, stating that the only way to obtain money would be through taxation.

Fourth grade room mothers served refreshments in the form of a tea in recognition of PTA Founders Day. Mrs. Bud Ross, PTA vice president, poured.

#### Firemen called to rural brush fire

Homedale volunteer firemen were called Tuesday evening to the foothills behind Parson’s turkey farm and hatchery, Fargo, where a sagebrush fire was feared out of control when a wind came up.

The blazes were under control by the time firemen reached the scene, according to Fire Chief John Matteson. No damage was done.

#### Trojans blast Wilder 58-48 in final league game

Homedale blasted off to an early lead over the Wilder Wildcats here Saturday night and climaxed its basketball season with a resounding 58-48 upset victory.

The Trojans led 27-13 at halftime and held a 45-21 margin after three periods.

#### Livestock club takes 2<sup>nd</sup> place in judging

The Homedale 4-H Livestock club took second place in judging last Friday at a swine show in Caldwell. Thirty-two members participated.

Lister Leavitt had the high score of the club; Bob Wason, Eddie Applegate, Jimmy Eidemiller and James McClure tied for second; Vivian Marble, Kenny Brown and Delores Sweep, tied for third.

Bruce Hansen, Marsing, tied for the highest individual score of the show with an Ada county boy.

Transportation was furnished by Jim Miller, Everett VanSlyke, Ben Wason, Larry Smith, Henry Sweep and John Marble, leader.

#### High school news

The sophomore class held a special Valentines sock-hop last Saturday night in the study hall after the Wilder game. Judy Lewis, class president, Gale Anderson, and Vicki Chandler were in charge.

A pep assembly was held last Friday and immediately following were class meetings and the presentation of Sandra Ross’s “Future Homemaker of Tomorrow” pin, in the home ec room.

The junior class has chosen the cast for their all-girl play, “For Beauty’s Sake,” which will be presented the first of April. Members of the cast are Pearl Jordan, Sandra Vance, Marybelle Huddleston, Shirley Titmus, Cleora Graber, Frances Mrak, Arlene Kiester, Diane Roberts, Dixie Bright, and Louise Egurrola, Mrs. Betty Ferguson is director.

#### Homedale locals

Mrs. Hattie Pierce and Mrs. Pearl Percy attended a Stanley breakfast Friday morning at the home of Mrs. John McGuire.

## 140 years ago

### February 15, 1868

#### TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY

Washington; 6<sup>th</sup> – Blaine’s Army Appropriation bill contains a provision for the gradual reduction of the army until the force is reduced to twenty-five regiments of infantry, seven regiments of cavalry and five of artillery. No new commissions will be issued except to West Point cadets, as Second Lieutenants. The Secretary of War is directed to consolidate the regiments as rapidly as practicable till the minimum is reached.

The total expenses of the Government this year will be \$275,000,000 being \$100,000,000 less than last year.

WILL LEAVE. Wm. Clemmens, pioneer Postmaster of Owyhee, will bid a final farewell to this country about the first of next month, which we regret. In his official capacity he has been efficient and obliging, and wherever known is universally liked. He will go overland to St. Joe, his old home, from which he has been absent eighteen years. On his way he will visit Salt Lake, Cheyenne, Fort Sanders and the Sweetwater mines. After visiting the scenes of his youthful days, it is his intention to proceed to Washington, where, it is rumored, he has a “good thing” in view. In connection with the Post office Mr. Clemmens has kept a stationery and book store, which has been purchased by Mr. A. V. Bradley, a very accommodating and good business gentleman, who will most likely be our future Postmaster, Mr. Clemmens having resigned in his favor.

NEW TOWN. A new town situated on the sunny side of Oro Fino mountain, a short distance east of the Oro Fino mine, has recently been laid out and recorded. Next summer there will be five hundred men at work in its immediate vicinity. Already, Mr. A. D. Miller has removed his large hotel from Ruby, and rebuilt it. A saloon and store will soon be erected. It is named “Fairview” — very appropriate, as it commands a magnificent view of Snake River Valley above and below; of the Boise mountains far to the north, and of the lofty Salmon River Range, still farther away in a northeasterly direction. It is a scene that for beauty, grandeur and sublimity, is unsurpassed — the noble river, the vast plain, through which it flows, and the dreamy looking mountains in the dim distance beyond, form a landscape which one could never grow weary in viewing.

THE WEATHER. “What delightful weather!” Exclaims every one, and it is indeed charming — its like was never before known in these mountain. Strange as people all around us are complaining of the extreme cold weather.

THE AGENTS of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, says the Humboldt Register, have fixed the first crossing of the Humboldt river at a point about two miles above Smith’s crossing. This will leave Oreana on the opposite side of the river, and perhaps one or two miles distant from the road.

NEW STRIKE! Judge Watson has discovered a new ledge on War Eagle mountain, at the head of Web-foot Gulch. It was struck about two hundred and fifty feet north of the northern limits of the Poorman, and on a direct line with that famous mine. We have been shown pieces of rock from the new discovery, and it certainly very much resembles Poorman ore. It is very probable that the Judge has stumbled on the counterpart or rather the extension of the richest Poorman on record.

WATER WORKS. The Idaho Hotel, kept by Eastman & Co., is abundantly supplied with water from a limped spring on the side of Florida Mountain. It is conducted nearly a mile to a reservoir in the hotel, a portion of the distance in a ditch, and the remainder in pipes. It is really a splendid and valuable acquisition; the water is sweet, and in summer time it is icy cold. Taken altogether Eastman has splendid water works.

# Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM

## On the edge of common sense



### Cowboy pampers

It is not uncommon to see real cowboys in the communities where cattle are part of the economy. I don’t mean posing in the street like gunfighters in Tombstone, or passing out casino flyers on a corner in Las Vegas during rodeo week, but in the middle school parking lot picking up their kids, in the latte drive-up, or at the lumber store. One lady told of seeing two authentic-looking cowboys strolling up the aisle at Safeway. She described them as wearing “dusty jeans, ten gallon hats, and well-worn boots with jangling spurs.”

“What could they be buying in here?” she wondered ... “Probably beer and tobacco.”

Personally, my first thought was Metamucil, Prilosec, or Ben Gay. But our lady of this story made a point to follow these two cowboys through the checkout and saw them leave, “strutting” out the door, carrying under their arms four jumbo-sized boxes of disposable diapers!

I can immediately see the misconceptions she might have had: that these two cowboys each had a toddler at home and were forced under the threat of NO SUPPER-NO CLEAN SOCKS-NO ROPING PRACTICE and ENFORCEMENT OF THE THREE-FOOT RULE unless they made the didy run!

However, for the lady’s benefit I can think of many more logical reasons they were on a diaper-buying mission. For instance, Huggies are quite handy as blinders on a bad horse when he won’t let you swing up! OR for keeping stray mongrels from bothering your good blue heeler female when she’s in season, OR placing over a bull’s nose for the same reason, OR to tape on like boxing gloves around the wrists of your daughter’s boyfriend before a date.

It could be that these two rustic cowboys were using the nappies for protection in some contact sport to wrap knees, elbows or feet. Maybe they were skinny, pot-bellied, hair stickin’-up team ropers who were trying out for the sumo wrestling team? It is also possible they lacked enough natural padding and long hours in the saddle made their seat bones sore. They could be wadding up the diapers and wearing them like their old bareback pad (for the really skinny, it takes two!)

Author’s note:

There are many, much more logical reasons a cowboy would be buying disposable diapers than the obvious one. As ornamentation, wild rag, hat cover, ear muffs, saddle pad, pillow, hanky, coin purse, saddle bag, bed roll, small Batman cape, blindfold, facemask, moustache protector, and handy wipe in case your horse poops on the carpet.

I, myself, use one in my lunch box to carry my soup. But not like you might think. I just saturate the pampers with chicken noodle. I can wring it out into a cup when I’m ready or just chew on it now and then as a treat.

Um um good, um um good, that’s what ...

Wayne Cornell

## Not important ... *but possibly of interest*



### The dumbing of America, Part II

When I was growing up, a lot of the adults I knew only had an “eighth-grade education”. I always wondered how all those folks got so smart in later life?

Below is the eighth-grade final exam from 1895 in Salina, Kansas. It was taken from the original document on file at the Smokey Valley Genealogical Society and Library in Salina, and reprinted by the Salina Journal.

8th Grade Final Exam: Salina, Kansas — 1895

Grammar (Time, one hour)

1. Give nine rules for the use of capital letters.
2. Name the parts of speech and define those that have no modifications.
3. Define verse, stanza and paragraph
4. What are the principal parts of a verb? Give principal parts of “lie,” “play,” and “run.”
5. Define case; illustrate each case.
6. What is punctuation? Give rules for principal marks of punctuation.
- 7 - 10. Write a composition of about 150 words and show therein that you understand the practical use of the rules of grammar.

Arithmetic (Time, 1 hour 15 minutes)

1. Name and define the Fundamental Rules of Arithmetic.
2. A wagon box is 2 feet deep, 10 feet long, and 3 feet wide. How many bushels of wheat will it hold?
3. If a load of wheat weighs 3,942 lbs., what is it worth at 50cts/bushel, deducting 1,050 lbs. for tare?
4. District No. 33 has a valuation of \$35,000. What is the necessary levy to carry on a school seven months at \$50 per month, and have \$104 for incidentals?
5. Find the cost of 6,720 lbs. of coal at \$6 per ton.
6. Find the interest of \$512.60 for 8 months and 18 days at 7 percent.
7. What is the cost of 40 boards 12 inches wide and 16 feet long at \$20 per metre?
8. Find bank discount on \$300 for 90 days (no grace) at 10 percent.
9. What is the cost of a square farm at \$15 per acre, the distance of which is 640 rods?
10. Write a Bank Check, a Promissory Note, and a Receipt.

U.S. History (Time, 45 minutes)

1. Give the epochs into which U.S. History is divided
2. Give an account of the discovery of America by Columbus.
3. Relate the causes and results of the Revolutionary War.
4. Show the territorial growth of the United States.
5. Tell what you can of the history of Kansas.
6. Describe three of the most prominent battles of the Rebellion.

7. Who were the following: Morse, Whitney, Fulton, Bell, Lincoln, Penn, and Howe?

8. Name events connected with the following dates: 1607, 1620, 1800, 1849, 1865.

Orthography (Time, one hour)

1. What is meant by the following: alphabet, phonetic, orthography, etymology, syllabication
2. What are elementary sounds? How classified?
3. What are the following, and give examples of each: trigraph, subvocals, diphthong, cognate letters, linguals
4. Give four substitutes for caret ‘u.’
5. Give two rules for spelling words with final ‘e.’ Name two exceptions under each rule.
6. Give two uses of silent letters in spelling. Illustrate each.
7. Define the following prefixes and use in connection with a word: bi, dis, mis, pre, semi, post, non, inter, mono, sup.
8. Mark diacritically and divide into syllables the following, and name the sign that indicates the sound: card, ball, mercy, sir, odd, cell, rise, blood, fare, last.
9. Use the following correctly in sentences: cite, site, sight, fane, fain, feign, vane, vain, vein, raze, raise, rays.
10. Write 10 words frequently mispronounced and indicate pronunciation by use of diacritical marks and by syllabication.

Geography (Time, one hour)

1. What is climate? Upon what does climate depend?
2. How do you account for the extremes of climate in Kansas?
3. Of what use are rivers? Of what use is the ocean?
4. Describe the mountains of North America.
5. Name and describe the following: Monrovia, Odessa, Denver, Manitoba, Hecla, Yukon, St. Helena, Juan Fernandez, Aspinwall and Orinoco.
6. Name and locate the principal trade centers of the U.S.
7. Name all the republics of Europe and give the capital of each.
8. Why is the Atlantic Coast colder than the Pacific in the same latitude?
9. Describe the process by which the water of the ocean returns to the sources of rivers.
10. Describe the movements of the earth. Give the inclination of the earth.

So, I’m no longer wondering how old people with “only an eighth-grade education” seem so smart. And it doesn’t take a rocket scientist to figure out why many graduates of today’s “teach to the lowest common denominator” public school system have trouble tying their shoes.

— Read some of Wayne’s previous columns on his Internet blog at <http://swcornell.com/wordpress/>

## Economic stimulus Tax rebates shift burden to another sector

by Sheldon Richman

Not understanding basic economics is dangerous because you’re vulnerable to political con games foisted by unscrupulous politicians.

Economics properly conceived is just common sense about human activity. An examination of the economic stimulus package signed by President Bush makes this clear.

Nearly all politicians claim that the economy needs a stimulus that only they can provide. That is odd right off the bat. Politicians produce nothing; they spend other people’s money and, in the process, interfere with people’s productive activities. Why would anybody think they could stimulate an economy?

A Republican president and Democratic congressional leaders devised a \$168 billion package of tax rebates and business incentives. This is said to be to keep “the economy” from falling into a recession. Democrats insist it’s teetering on the edge of recession. Republicans prefer to say the economy may be entering a “slowdown.”

Even the words that politicians use to talk about the subject are chosen to convey that their power can be constructive. Their language, however, is deceptive. “The economy” is a concept, not a thing. The convenient term stands for nothing apart from people exchanging their property (goods and money) and labor in order to acquire

— See **Burden**, next page



# Commentary

## County P&Z amendments Proposals will mean higher taxes, lower land values

by Ed Frisbie

I am writing to express some information about the proposals being submitted by the P&Z. I was one of the original members that resurrected the planning and zoning commission in Owyhee County. The desire was to protect the county from Ada and Canyon county rejects and protect private property rights.

I viewed the No. 1 priority of the county then and still today as the tax base. Without a diversified and strong base, the county, schools and residents will suffer. I have read the analysis, and my feelings have not changed. I have found nothing to enhance the tax base. In fact, the statement on pages 20 and 21 indicating growth is an adverse impact indicates the source wants more taxes on bare ground and/or less services and less funding for schools. Emmett schools are in dire financial difficulties right now for similar reasons.

I would like to provide the following:

Oregon and Malheur County have the 160-acre limit and other similar restrictions. The result is less attraction for

business and industry, lower land values and higher property taxes with less services. Ontario, Vale, Nyssa and other cities are close to being ghost towns.

Both Ada and Canyon counties have experienced size of acreage building problems, but this proposal does not take advantage of those experiences. To think 10 lots are a major development is not the real world today.

The people most affected by this proposal are the property owners.

The millions of dollars which will be lost are astronomical. Even today on a depressed market, the difference can be \$3,000 to \$10,000 per acre. The river frontage and the three major accesses to services and the freeway (Homedale, Marsing and Walters Ferry) will suffer greater. I



Ed Frisbie

have two neighbors, lifetime residents, who want to sell but are facing the above. The ranching industry is heading into the most challenging times in history. Owyhee County is making it worse for the individual owner by reducing their options.

Developers can be good for everyone. They provide ground for schools, parks, sports facilities, a multitude of community facilities, roads, extended public services and more. If handled properly, all can benefit.

Your provision for violations is a paradox. Your administrator is the only daily employee. The county commissioners and the Planning and Zoning Commission only meet officially once a month. There are many examples of how adverse this can be.

With these proposals, who are we protecting and who is benefiting? What happened to private property rights? What is the true cost of these proposals?

— Ed Frisbie, who lives in the Melba area, is a former county Planning and Zoning commissioner.

## Letters to the editor

### Community, businesses spur success of Marsing auction

The 47th annual Marsing Disaster Auction Committee would like to thank everyone who supported this year's auction, making it again an incredibly successful event.

Thank you to our wonderful community, who made it possible for us to raise over \$99,000.00, from buying raffle tickets, food items, auction items and donating cash.

Thank you to businesses who continue to support us, and to all of our talented and hard-working neighbors who donate money, merchandise, services, baked goods and hand-made items. Thank you to our countless volunteers who help in the preparation and production of the auction.

Thank you to the media who help with the advertising aspect of our auction.

Thank you to the middle school students, community members and businesses who sold and displayed our raffle ticket merchandise and auction items.

And finally, a huge thank you to the hard-working auctioneers and their staff who unselfishly donate their time

and expertise. We simply couldn't do it without you.

We are truly blessed to live in such a caring, giving, and wonderful community. Please remember to support all the businesses, auctioneers and individuals who helped make this years Auction possible.

Thank you all. Our apologies if we've omitted anyone.  
Marsing Disaster Auction Committee

### Weatherby's views make P&Z commissionersh questionnable

Joe Weatherby appears to be an honest, sincere person. He also doesn't appear to understand either planning or energy, which makes him an odd choice to be author of the Owyhee Energy Plan. I base my statement on a reading of the published "plan." Check it out at [www.owyheenergysummit.org](http://www.owyheenergysummit.org). Then think about a plan of your daily activities. Or think of a farmer's tilling, planting or harvest plan. Or a small business plan.

The plans you imagine have a few common elements. They have timelines. They have milestones, and likely have

some underlying economics. The county "plan" has none of the above. Something named an energy plan also should have some real energy numbers, maybe even balances. The Owyhee document has none of the above. Instead it reads like a Boise or Sun Valley tree hugger's dream fantasy: lots of pie in the sky, no reality.

Energy planning is a serious matter that demands a significant amount of technical expertise that the published document plainly lacks.

Mr. Weatherby's recent opinion piece opposing the Idaho Nuclear Complex should call into question his continued service on the county Planning and Zoning Commission. Most of the arguments put forth in the column are based on rumor and are certainly not based on scientific fact. I don't know the principals of the proposed plant, but the concept is clever and innovative. One of the arguments for the continued support of the plant is that they have not come to either the county or the state with their hands out looking for government support.

That puts their credibility above Mr. Weatherby.  
Glen Schorzman  
Marsing

## √ Burden: It's easy for government to interfere with economic growth

From previous page

the things that will make their lives better.

But politicians and most economists talk about the economy as though it were a machine or a vehicle separate from the people who make it up. In this misleading view, the economy can slow down or overheat. It may need a stimulus, after which it may need a cooling down.

Politicians are attracted to this language because it justifies the power they wish to exercise. If people automatically translated statements about the economy into flesh-and-blood terms, they wouldn't let their (mis)leaders and public (self-)servants get away with the standard mischief.

Government officials are endlessly capable of interfering with our economic activities. Their central bank can inflate the money supply, artificially lowering interest rates and distorting investment decisions while raising consumer prices. Bureaucrats can promise to bail out banks and firms when they make bad decisions, guaranteeing an abundant

supply of such decisions. Regulators can pile burdens on business owners, making the cost of expansion prohibitive. The tax collectors can siphon off so much capital that investment is stymied, inhibiting growth. Politicians can shovel so many advantages at established firms that new competition is crippled or even stillborn.

The upshot is that the economy is you and me. Our economic activities are at the mercy of government power.

Politicians prefer that we not understand that. They want us to believe their job is to tend the economic machine. The big lie is they know what they are doing. They don't.

Consider the economic stimulus package. If the plan were to remove the mountain of burdens that government has imposed on us, that would make sense, recession or not. But that's not the plan. No burdens will be removed, but new ones will be created. This is easily seen once you realize that government creates no wealth. Government can only move it around. When it sends out tax rebates

without cutting spending, it must get the money by taxing others, borrowing it, or in effect printing it (inflation). But each of those methods reduces other people's wealth. When inflation pushes up prices, everyone's wealth shrinks. How can these measures "stimulate the economy?"

True, if the government suddenly puts money in lots of people's hands, economic activity will appear to be stimulated. But as the great 19th-century French economist Frédéric Bastiat wrote, the key to understanding economics is to look for the unseen effects. If the government weren't borrowing and taxing in order to hand out money, it would be available for the production of goods and services.

The government's plan diverts resources from investment to consumption. But consumption is the effect not the cause of economic growth. You can't consume what doesn't exist.

— Sheldon Richman is senior fellow at The Future of Freedom Foundation ([www.fff.org](http://www.fff.org)) and editor of The Freeman magazine.

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OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE  
MURPHY, IDAHO**

Present were Commissioner’s Hoagland, Tolmie and Freund. Deputy Clerk Evans, Prosecutor Faulks, Building Inspector Tietz, and Jim Desmond.

The Board amended the agenda to include the following items: letter to Dept of Water Resources, Road District 1, and Soil Conservation Building.

The Board approved a letter to the Director of Idaho Department of Water Resources concerning applications for water rights submitted for comment.

The Board approved the hiring of extra help for Road District 1 in the Jordan Valley area for snow removal.

The Board approved the Prosecuting Attorney’s closing of the sale on the Soil Conservation Building in Marsing.

Representatives of the Bruneau-Grandview School District met with the Board to discuss waiver of building permit fees on the remodeling of schools in the District. The Board approved waiving the fees.

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

08-04 a lien was approved on applicant.

07-09 an assignment to Catastrophic was approved.

07-26 an assignment to Catastrophic was approved.

08-01 the applicant was denied pursuant to I.C. 31-3505 (b)

08-04 the applicant was denied pursuant to I.C. 31-3505 (17)

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

Current Expense \$87,541, Road & Bridge \$38,968, District Court \$1,694, County Fair \$1,831, Probation \$4,525, Historical \$832, Indigent & Charity \$2,539, Revaluation \$1,567, Solid Waste \$3,262, Weed \$12,408.

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

/s/Jerry Hoagland, Chairman  
Attest /s/Charlotte Sherburn  
2/20/08

**BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION**

On March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2008 beginning at 10:00 AM the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear testimony in the Annex Building, Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy, Idaho on the following matters at the times listed below, When hearings are finished the commission will take up administrative matters:

10:00AM The Commission will hear 00-10 Lone Hawk Estates, LLC., Combined short plat for their proposed subdivision. On July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2000 the Planning and Zoning Commission granted conditional use permit 00-10 to subdivide 64 acres into 5 parcels filed by Mike and Dorothy Gudel, and Gene and Mary Hazen with special conditions. The applicants appealed the special conditions, however The Board of Commissioners affirmed the decision of the Planning and Zoning Commission and on May 1, 2001. Subject property is approximately 78.91 acres located at the end of Lootens Lane, south of Homedale, Idaho, in Section 23, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County Idaho.

2:00PM The Commission will hear application 08-04 Jim and Jackie King. This application requests permission to establish a single family residence at 3695 Cemetery Road, Marsing, Idaho. Subject property is in an agricultural zone in Section 3, Township 2 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

3:00PM The Commission will hear application 08-05 filed by Idaho Energy Complex, Inc./ Don Gillispie, Representative/ Pecchenino & Associates, Inc. Mark Pecchenino. The Idaho Energy Complex (IEC) an Idaho Corporation is requesting a Conditional Use permit for the following:

1. One (1) 10 - Meter Meteorological Tower (32.80 feet in height); and
2. One (1) 60 - Meter Meteorological Tower (196.85 feet in height); and
3. One (1) Temporary Office Trailer (12 x 60 feet); and
4. One (1) Temporary Office Trailer (12 x 56 feet).

The towers will be used to gather meteorological data for a proposed nuclear facility in the same general location. The temporary office trailers will be used for IEC staff and consultants while working on site. Subject property is located on a portion of the Crystal Springs Ranch, at 29830 C. Tindall Road, Bruneau, Idaho. Subject property is 320 acres located in an agricultural zone in Sections 19 and 30, Township 5 South, Range 5 East, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.

For additional information on any of the above matters, please contact the Planning and Zoning office at 495-2095.

2/20/08

**ORDINANCE NO. A-167**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MARSING, IDAHO, ADOPTING THE LATEST EDITION OF THE INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE (IBC), THE INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CODE (IRC), PARTS I-IV AND IX, AND THE INTERNATIONAL ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE; EXEMPTING RESIDENTIAL DECKING AND FENCING FROM THE IBC, THE IRC AND THE INTERNATIONAL ENERGY CODE; ESTABLISHING A ROOF SNOWLOAD REQUIREMENT FOR ALL DWELLINGS AND/OR BUILDINGS REQUIRING A BUILDING PERMIT; ESTABLISHING REQUIREMENTS FOR PERMANENT FOUNDATIONS FOR STRUCTURES USED AS A PERMANENT DWELLING; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCE(S) IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS OF LAW, SEVERABILITY, SAVING PROVISIONS AND AMENDMENTS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho:

**SECTION 1:** Adoption and Election to Enforce the Latest Edition of the IBC, IRC Parts I-IV and IX, and the International Energy Conservation Code  
A. Code Adoption: That the approved editions of the following nationally recognized codes as adopted by the State of Idaho or the Idaho Building Code Board, are the official building codes of the Cit of Marsing, Idaho except

as provided in Section B; International Building Code International Residential Code, parts I-IV and IX

International Energy Conservation Code

The adopted versions of the foregoing codes shall be deemed superseded by successive versions of such codes as they are adopted by the Idaho Building Code Board effective on the date any such codes are made effective by the Idaho Building Code Board.

B. Amendments To Adopted Codes: That the following amendments shall be applicable to the adopted building codes:

1. To the International Building Code:
  - a. Section 101.1 shall be amended by inserting City of Marsing
  - b. Delete IBC Sections 101.4.1 and 2701.1 for referenced standard for electrical installation provisions, and any reference to codes and standards dealing with electrical installations which shall be governed by the codes and standards as established by Idaho Code 54-1001
  - c. Delete IBC Sections 101.4.4 and 2901.1 for referenced standard for plumbing installations which shall be governed by the codes and standards as established by Idaho Code 54-260
2. To the International Residential Code, excepting Parts VII and VIII:
  - a. Section R 101.1 shall be amended by inserting City of Marsing
  - b. Amend IRC Table R 301.2(1) Climate and Geographic Design Criteria as established by the Building Official.
  - c. Amending Section R 301.2.3, Snow Loads to read as follows: Roof Snow Load Requirements (for buildings that require a City of Marsing building permit):

1) All structures must be engineered per IRC 301.2.3.

3. To the International Energy Conservation Code, as hereby amended:
  - a. Amended IECC Section 101.1 inserting City of Marsing
  - C. Exemptions: These codes shall not apply to:
    1. Residential decking (less than 30 inches from grade), and fencing less than 6 feet in height, but shall remain subject to placement requirements established by zoning regulations and;
    2. Nothing herein shall act to eliminate the requirement of a building permit for these structures.

**SECTION 2:** Requirements and Exemptions for Permanent Foundations for Structures Used as a Permanent Dwelling:

A. All structures used as a permanent dwelling shall be permanently affixed to a permanent foundation and said foundation shall meet the building code requirements as set forth in the International Residential Code and/or the building code as adopted by the City of Marsing.

The requirement for permanent foundation dwelling structures shall not include recreational vehicles or travel trailers.

**SECTION 3:** Repeal of Previous Ordinances: It is the intention of the Marsing Council that all prior ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4:** Conflicts of Law:

A. These regulations are not intended to interfere with, abrogate

or annul any other ordinance, rule or regulation, statute or other provision of law. Where any provision of law, whichever provisions are more restrictive or impose higher standards shall control.

B. These regulations are not intended to abrogate any easement, covenant or any other private agreement or restriction; provided, that where the provisions of these regulations are more restrictive or impose higher standards or regulations than such easement, covenant, or other private agreement or restriction, the requirements of these regulations shall govern. Where the provisions of the easement, covenant or private agreement or restriction impose duties and obligation of these regulations or the determinations of the City in approving a subdivision or in enforcing these regulations, and such private provisions are not consistent with these regulations or determinations there under, then such private provisions shall be operative and supplemental to these regulations and determinations made there under but cannot be enforced by the City.

**SECTION 5:** Severability:

If any part of any provision to these regulations or application thereof to any person or circumstances is adjudged invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall be confined in its operation to the part, provision, or application directly involved in all controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered and shall not affect or impair the validity of the remainder of these regulations or the application thereof to other persons or circumstances. The City hereby declares that it would have enacted the remainder of these regulations even without any such part, provision or application.

**SECTION 6:** Saving Provisions:

These regulations shall not be construed as abating any action now pending under, or by virtue of, prior existing subdivision regulations, or as discontinuing, abating, modifying, or altering any penalty accruing or about to accrue, or as affecting the liability of any person, firm or corporation, or as waiving any right of the municipality under any section or provision existing at the time of adoption of these regulations, or as vacating or annulling any rights obtained by any person, firm or corporation, by lawful action of the municipality except as shall be expressly provided for in these regulations.

**PASSED BY** the City Council and approved by the Mayor of the City of Marsing, Idaho this 13<sup>TH</sup> day of February, 2008.

CITY OF MARSING

/s/Keith Green, Mayor

ATTEST: /s/Janice C.

Bicandi, City Clerk

2/20/08

**The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 57-11696**

JUNAYO RANCH LTD PARTNERSHIP

1087 W RIVER ST STE 230

BOISE ID 83702

Point(s) of Diversion SESE S14 T02S R04W OWYHEE County Source COTTLE CREEK Tributary TO MACKS CREEK Use: IRRIGATION STORAGE 01/01 To 12/31 300 AFA Use: IRRIGATION FROM 03/15

To 11/15 225 AFA

STORAGE

Use: STOCKWATER STORAGE

01/01 To 12/31 8 AFA

Use: WILDLIFE STORAGE

01/01 To 12/31 300 AFA

Total Diversion: 300 AFA

Date Filed: 04/26/2007

Place Of Use: IRRIGATION STORAGE

T02S R04W S14 SESE

Place Of Use: IRRIGATION FROM STORAGE

T02S R04W S13 SWSW SESW

T02S R04W S14 SWSE

Number of Acres 45

Place Of Use: WILDLIFE STORAGE

T02S R04W S14 SESE

Place Of Use: STOCKWATER STORAGE SAME AS WILDLIFE STORAGE

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-203A, Idaho Code. Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resource, Western Region, 2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 03/10/2008. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR.,  
Director  
2/20,27/08

**PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHT**

Chris and Catherine Unruh of 25289 Hipwell Lane, Grandview ID 83624 filed Application No. 74415 to transfer 12 water rights with priority dates 1922 to 1968 from ground water totaling 10.97 cfs. The purpose of the transfer is to add a new well to alleviate production problems for 2 wells currently serving the combined 611 acre irrigation system. The applicants propose to limit use from the new well to 5.57 cfs. The new well will be about 220 feet deep. The site is east of Mud Flat Road near Shoofly Creek about 6 miles south of Grandview.

For specific details regarding the application, please contact the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) Western Region at 208-334-2190 or visit [www.idwr.idaho.gov](http://www.idwr.idaho.gov) with detail provided under “new water right applications.” Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Director, IDWR Western Region, 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before March 10, 2008. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR.,  
Director  
2/20,27/08

**NOTICE**

Offered for sale: Two Haybuster no-till drills as-is, where-is. Sealed bids for drills accepted by Bruneau River Soil and Water District at Bruneau until March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2008 at 12:00 noon. Drills may be inspected by calling Barb at 845-2299 or by mail to – BRSCD, P.O. Box 590, Bruneau, Idaho 83604

2/20/08

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# Public notices

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
CASE NO. CV-08-0526  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT OF  
THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN  
AND FOR THE COUNTY OF  
OWYHEE**

**MAGISTRATE DIVISION  
IN THE MATTER OF  
THE ESTATE OF JUANITA  
JOHNSTONE, Deceased.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

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

DATED this 29<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2008.

/s/Anita J. Johnston, 19735 Middle Rd., Caldwell, ID 83607. 208-459-0615

/s/Melville W. Fisher II (ISB 2136) Fisher Pusch & Alderman LLP, PO Box 1308, Boise, ID 83701. 208-331-1000  
2/6,13,20/08

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S  
SALE**

Notice of Trustee’s Sale Loan No. 0642454482 T.S. No. ID-07-102509-DL On 5/16/2008, at 11:00AM (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of OWYHEE, State of Idaho: In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Halley Street, known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee on behalf of Wells Fargo Bank, NA 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 real property, situated in the County of OWYHEE State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 4, BLOCK 1, EAGLE VIEW ESTATES, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT RECORDED AS INSTRUMENT NO. 215482, RECORDS OF OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, AND AS AMENDED BY AMENDMENT TO THE PLAT OF EAGLE VIEW ESTATES RECORDED JUNE 18, 1997 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 222082, OWYHEE COUNTY, RECORDS. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 12532 CINNABAR WAY, MURPHY, ID 83650 is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title,, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by CHRISTOPHER J. BARRON AND SHANNON BARRON, HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR WEBSTER BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, is named as Beneficiary and FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY as Trustee and recorded 11/21/2005

as Instrument No. 254212 in book -, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder 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 11/16/2005. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,157.35, due per month for the months of 4/1/2007 through 12/31/2007, and all subsequent installments 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 \$149,406.01 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 6.50000 per cent (%) 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. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder’s sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 1/16/2008 By: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101, as Agent By: Paul Johannsson, Assistant Vice President \*\*\*For Sale Information Call: 714-259-7850 or Login to: [www.fidelityasap.com](http://www.fidelityasap.com) If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder’s rights against the real property only. This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 974373  
1/30;2/6,13,20/08

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S  
SALE**

On May 29, 2008, at the hour of 11:00 o’clock AM of said day, at the Owyhee County Courthouse, State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho, JUST LAW, INC., as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

See Attached Exhibit “A”  
The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of 6057 Claytonia Way, Marsing, ID, is sometimes associated with the said real property.

This Trustee’s Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other

conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful bidder’s funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the Beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Kenneth D. Park and Shawna M. Park, husband and wife, as Grantor(s) with Nationstar Mortgage LLC fka Centex Home Equity Co., LLC as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded April 7, 2006, as Instrument No. 255861, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay the amount due under the certain Promissory Not and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$1,381.52 for the months of September 2007 through and including to the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$157,226.78 as principal, plus service charges, attorney’s fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 9.93% from August 1, 2007, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of sale.

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

Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2008

/s/Paula Peterson, Trust Officer for Just Law, Inc.

For information concerning this sale please contact Just Law, Inc. at [www.justlawidaho.com](http://www.justlawidaho.com) or toll free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you.

**Exhibit A**

A parcel of land being a portion of the East One-Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at a found Brass Cap marking the Northwest corner of said Section 28, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and being the centerline intersection of Dunlap Street and Edison Street, said Brass Cap bears

North 0° 00’ 00” East, 2666.85 feet from a found 5/8” iron pin marking the West Quarter corner of said Section 28 and being the centerline intersection of said Edison Street and Bruneau Highway; thence

South 88° 52’ 33” East, 1996.52 feet along the North boundary of the said Northwest Quarter of Section 28 and along the said centerline of Dunlap Street to a found 5/8” iron pin; thence

South 01° 06’ 45” West,

1315.59 feet along the centerline of an existing concrete irrigation ditch to a point, said point being witnessed by a found ½” iron pin which bears

North 89° 09’ 40” West, 5.00 feet; thence

North 89° 09’ 40” West, 326.12 feet to a set ½” iron pin, said pin marking the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; thence

South 0° 34’ 46” West, 674.44 feet to a set ½” iron pin lying on the South boundary of the North One-Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 28; thence

North 89° 09’ 40” West, 319.85 feet along said South boundary of the North One-Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 28 to a found 5/8” iron pin marking the Southwest corner of the said North One-Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 28; thence

North 0° 02’ 49” East 674.50 feet along the East boundary of the said East One-Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 28 to a set 1/2” iron pin, said pin bears

North 0° 02’ 49” East, 9.99 feet from a found 5/8” iron pin marking the Northwest corner of the said North One-Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of section 28; thence

South 89° 09’ 40” East, 326.12 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

2/6,13,20,27/08

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S  
SALE**

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE TS No. 08-02065 Title Order No. W830085 Parcel No. RP 03N05W240070 A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey St., 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, on 06/16/2008 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 07/03/2003 as Instrument Number 244140, and executed by MICHAEL R TIDMARSH, AN UNMARRIED MAN, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, state of Idaho: A parcel of land lying in the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 24, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Northwest corner of the Northeast quarter of Section 24, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian; thence South 89°&#186; 32’ 00” East 259.58 feet along the North line of the Northeast quarter to a point; thence South 00°&#186; 28’ 00” West 498.52 feet to a point; thence North 89°&#186; 32’ 00” West 259.58 feet parallel with the North line of the Northeast quarter to a point; thence North 00°&#186; 28’ 00” East 498.52 feet to THE REAL POINT OF BEGINNING of this description. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed

that the street address of 4653 MARKET ROAD, HOMEDALE, ID 83628 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier’s check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 09/01/2007 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 5.125% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$104,426.64, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and /or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys’ fees, Trustees’ fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED : 01/31/2008 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY 2380 Performance Dr, RGV-D7-450 Richardson, TX 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY Successor Trustee Cathy Craig, Assistant Secretary ASAP# 984740  
2/13,20,27;3/5/08

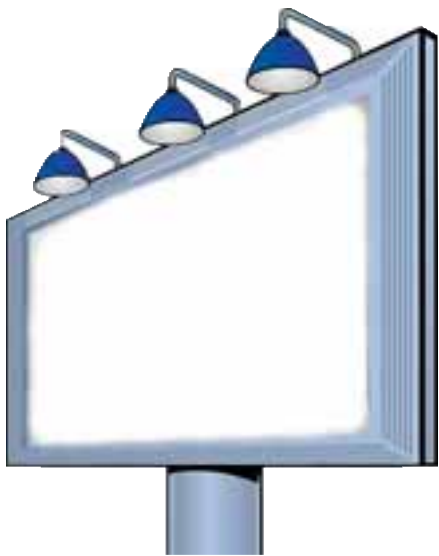
**PUBLIC  
HEARING**

Southwestern Idaho Cooperative Housing Authority (SICHA) has developed its agency plan in compliance with the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998.

The plan, attachments and support documents are available for review at the SICHA administrative office located at 1108 West Finch Drive, Nampa, Idaho 83651 between the public business hours of 9:30 a.m and 3:30 p.m. In Owyhee County, the plan and attachments can be examined at the El-Ada Community Center, 15 West Colorado, Homedale, Idaho. In addition, a Public Hearing will be held at the SICHA administrative office in Nampa at the address indicated above on April 11, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend.







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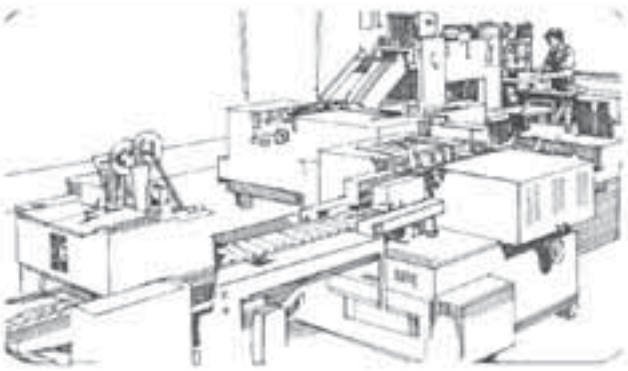
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ORDER SUMMONING AND  
CONVENING A GRAND  
JURY

CASE NO. 2008-1  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT  
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL  
DISTRICT OF  
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND  
FOR THE COUNTY OF  
OWYHEE

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

The Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County, Idaho, has petitioned this Court for an order, ordering that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County. After careful review of the Petition and the Idaho statutes and rules regarding grand jury proceedings, and for good cause, the Court finds that the public interest of Owyhee County requires that a grand jury be summoned to inquire into public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County for the reasons set forth in the Petition filed by the Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a grand jury be summoned and convened in Owyhee County, Idaho, on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2008, at the hour of 9:00 A.M., to commence inquiry into the matter of public offenses committed or triable within Owyhee County. The Court finds that the public interest requires this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Jury Commissioner shall summon forty (40) legally qualified jurors to appear at the Owyhee County Courthouse, on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 2008 at the hour of 9:00 A.M., and that from those forty (40) persons, a grand jury of sixteen (16) persons shall be selected;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED

that the Prosecuting Attorney of Owyhee County shall attend the District Court on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 2008, at the hour of 9:00 A.M., and then he shall attend all sessions of the grand jury offering advice, information, and assistance to the grand jury pursuant to Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6 (d);

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

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

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

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court shall designate a deputy clerk and a substitute deputy clerk who will be made available to process records and documents pertaining to the activities of the grand jury

in such a manner that the secrecy requirements of the law as well as all other provisions of Idaho statutes and Idaho Criminal Rule 6 regarding grand jury proceedings will be satisfied.

DATED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 2008.

/s/Gregory M. Culet, District Judge

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Tuesday, March 25, 2008  
Tuesday, April 22, 2008  
Tuesday, June 24, 2008  
Tuesday, July 22, 2008  
Tuesday, August 26, 2008  
Tuesday, September 23, 2008  
Tuesday, October 28, 2008  
Tuesday, November 25, 2008

The meetings are held from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at Southwest District Health, Room 206, 920 Main Street, Caldwell, Idaho.

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# Sports

## Miss weight, miss State

Top Husky disqualified at district tourney

About three slices of white bread. Or, if you prefer, about a quarter of a can of pop.

Actually, in Mike Moore’s case, it was a few Sun Chips and some water to wash them down with. Moore’s 2007-08 wrestling season came down to 3.2 ounces, or 0.2 of a pound. That was how much he was overweight on the two official scales at the 1A/2A District III Wrestling tournament on Saturday morning.

A handful of Sun Chips and some water. The fateful 3.2 ounces was enough to disqualify Moore, a two-time district champion, from district competition. The district disqualification also keeps the junior out of the state tournament, where he finished sixth in 2007.

“Point-two,” Marsing coach Rick Folwell said, before philosophically adding: “Point-one’s enough to not make it.”

Moore had been on weight on Friday afternoon, and said that between weigh-ins he had eaten



Mike Moore

some Sun Chips, and drank two pops and some water. A little more than three ounces of the chips and liquid cost him a shot at a third consecutive district crown and possibly Marsing’s best shot at a state title in 2008.

“We struggled all year at the 145 weight class, because he was coming down from above 160,” Folwell said. “It was a constant weekly battle. We discussed whether to wrestle him at 152 or

not, but we said, ‘Hey, you’ll be more competitive at 145,’ and we got him down there. He was on weight yesterday, under weight yesterday, and he went home, drank a lot of water, and it just turns out he was not able to make it.

“It’s a big disappointment. He would have been a three-time district champion as a junior, I’m pretty sure. He’s beaten the other guys before, and he definitely had a shot at placing at state. He really had a great shot. He was sixth at state last year.”

Moore was disappointed, but was already looking forward to next year.

“It feels terrible,” Moore said, watching teammate Andre Heidt finish fourth to qualify for state at 171. “But things happen. You can’t let it ruin your whole week. This means I’m that much closer to football.”

Moore said that he loves flying around and crashing into people in football, and is looking forward to being a wedge buster on kickoffs, but he is also looking forward to wrestling next year.

“I’ll be a senior. I won’t be able to mess up at all,” Moore said.

— RTH

## ✓ Huskies: Three Marsing wrestlers grab bronze medals

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showing up; that’s what we’ve gotta think about.”

Junior Mike Moore and freshman Jesse Carlson would also have qualified for the state championships, but failed to make weight at the district tournament (See Moore’s story on this page). The top four wrestlers in each weight class at the district meet advanced to state, and four or fewer wrestlers entered districts in Carlson’s and Moore’s divisions. Carlson, at 103 pounds, would have been the fourth wrestler in that class, while only two other wrestlers entered the district meet in Moore’s 145-pound division.

Covey took a third-place medal at 152 pounds at the district meet. He is 17-11 on the season, and faces Kamiah’s Cameron Hagen (31-6) in the first round of the state meet.

John Heidt (14-10) also finished third at the district championships. The 215-pounder meets Kurtis Allen of Soda Springs (18-15) in his first match at state.

Andre Heidt (11-14), who was a fourth-place medalist at districts, goes up against Justin Campbell of Malad (27-12) in his first-round match at 171 pounds.

Carlos Ceballos (4-10) finished fourth at the district meet at 189 pounds. He is matched against Grangeville’s Callen Jackson (24-3) in the opening round at state.

Matt Merritt (3-19), who defeated teammate Javier Moreno (1-21) for third place at 125 pounds at the district meet, faces Taylor Walker of Firth (26-13) to open his state tournament. Moreno, who finished fourth at districts, goes up against Ryan Minden of Potlatch (19-14).

— RTH

*‘ ... They are in the top 16 in the state just by showing up; that's what we've gotta think about. ’*

— Rick Folwell, Marsing wrestling coach

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