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Angler wins battle, sets carp record

Hyer gets trophy — fish and gash — with 48-pound haul

Halfway through another typical night's bow fishing excursion, Jake Hyer had a set of unexpected occurrences that ended with him wet, taking home a state-record fish, a bleeding gash below his eye, and a story he won't soon forget.

Aboard his dual-sport hunting/fishing boat, Hyer sat on the forward platform lined with halogen lights, with his wife Kacey looking for fish to his right. She spotted a large, glowing carp and let go with a shot from her bow. She missed, and Jake spun around letting go of a quick shot of his own. He hit it and quickly realized something large was on the other end of the line.

"I knew instantly with the splashing in the water, and she took off like a rocket," Hyer said.

With his bow fishing reel drag set too high, it pulled the bow stoutly away from

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Homedale bow-fishing enthusiast Jake Hyer received a nasty cut under his eye when he hooked this carp in the Snake River. Submitted photo

Hard-working town ready to play for GV Days

Proceeds from several events benefit community programs

Local resident Dale Gray says the annual Grand View Days weekend is chock full of activity because folks are busy working the rest of the year.

But when looking at the schedule of events at the annual community celebration, one would be hard-pressed to convince onlookers

that the town is taking it easy.

Prep work for the fun begins at 5:30 p.m. today with the annual community cleanup. Volunteers will meet at Lions Park.

This year's three-day celebration, which runs Friday

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County to ask for new 911 proposals

Sheriff calls decision to wait a "gamble"

Owyhee County is still looking for the right fit for its next 911 system.

Agreeing with a recommendation from the county's 911 committee, the Board of County Commissioners declined all three bids submitted by communications companies.

A new request for proposal will be issued in time to take advantage of the current grant cycle from the Idaho Emergency Communications Commission. Emergency services coordinator Jim Desmond said the new RFP will be timed so that the county will receive bids about the same time the state grant is expected to be received at the end of Oc-

tober.

The unanimous vote, which included District 2 Commissioner George Hyer by telephone, came during the BOCC's June 14 meeting in Murphy.

In the meantime, White Cloud Communications and Qwest Communications will continue to maintain the current 911 system.

Sheriff Daryl Crandall, the non-voting administrator of the 911 committee, said — given the frailty of the current system — he would like to buy a Positron Viper communications system now with existing 911 Trust Fund monies and apply for a reimbursement grant rather than waiting.

Owyhee County is near the top of the priority list for fiscal year 2011 state emergency communications grants, according to IECC coordinator Eddie Goldsmith.

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4-H horse judging hits town



Homedale's Jaiden Vincent, 9, takes notes during the 4-H District II horse judging on Saturday.

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Man gets at least five years for plot

The former Homedale man who tried to trade drugs for a gun in a plan to shoot Homedale Police Chief Jeff Eidemiller has been sentenced to state prison.

John Wayne Richmond Jr., 24, could spend as many as 10 years behind bars. He was sentenced Friday in Third District Court in



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Homedale summer reading program makes waves

Right to left: Aly and Kary Takashige with Caden Quinlantan made waves for the boat using a parachute Wednesday at the Homedale Public Library. Other activities included mini-boat races and making pirate spyglasses, after reading “A Sea-Wishing Day”. Children’s librarian Laryssa Takashige notes that next week is the final summer program date and that weekly story times will resume Friday, July 2, at 10:15 a.m.



Council holds third budget hearing

Thursday event comes hours before regular meeting

The Homedale City Council will have a busy day Thursday. In addition to the regularly scheduled second business meeting of the month, the council will hold its third workshop on the fiscal year 2011 budget. The regular City Council meeting starts at 6 p.m. The budget workshop is scheduled for noon. Both meetings take place at City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave. During its regular meeting Thursday night, the council is scheduled to ratify an ordinance finalizing an amendment to the FY 2010 budget. The budget amendment was approved earlier

to account for the non-grant portion of the Local Improvement District. Thus far, there has been no public participation in the FY 2011 budget process. No members of the public attended the first two public hearings, which were held June 7 and June 17. After Thursday’s workshop, the council is scheduled to hold a final public hearing on the upcoming budget July 22. Adoption of the final appropriations is scheduled for the Aug. 11 council meeting. During the June 17 budget meeting, the council discussed salary increases for FY 2011.

Councilmen decided the proposed budget would include three percent raises for department heads. Any employee earning a certification during the year also would get a three percent bump. It was also decided that Homedale Police Cpl. Mike McFetridge would receive an additional \$1.25 per hour wage while serving as acting chief. Chief Jeff Eidemiller will deploy with the 116th Brigade Combat Team of the Idaho National Guard later this summer. During the June 17 budget hearing, the council decided the proposed FY 2011 budget would include additional funds to cover more hours for part-time employees to help man the additional hours of operation now offered at the Homedale Public Library.

In a move to help secure part of an available Idaho Division of Aeronautics grant for tarmac improvement at the Homedale Municipal Airport, the council voted to set a grant fund at \$100,000. The city must pay a 25 percent match to receive a portion of the state As much as \$187,000 was available through the grant, but the city is running out of time to procure it.

Derby sponsors’ commercials will benefit Lions Club

First-year member strikes deal with KTRV

It’s hard to think that the Homedale Lions Club Fourth of July Demolition Derby can get any bigger. The event, now in its 29th go-round, sells out every year, and each year the crash-fest at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds draws a bumper crop of eager (some may say wild-eyed) drivers. But the 2010 derby has a new twist that may help its popularity as well as the bottom line for its primary sponsors. Crews from KTRV Channel 12, the Treasure Valley’s Fox television network affiliate, were in town last week shooting footage for commercials at Matteson’s, Pruett Tire Center, Pruett Lumber and for Bauer Heating and Cooling. All four businesses will have commercials aired on Channel 12 in the run-up to the derby, which is set for a Sunday this year. And KTRV is donating proceeds from the ad campaign back to the Lions Club, according to club secretary Mike Conant.

“It was a sweet deal,” Conant said. KTRV’s director of sales, Ken Hunter, said the commercial package includes about 100 spots on Channel 12 and My Boise, digital 12.2 and will could corral about \$5,000 for the Lions Club. He said that the Lions are also welcome to land other commercial clients. “We’re just doing it because of anything we can do for the community,” Hunter said. “I hope we can do it every year as long as I sit in this seat and Ricky Joseph, our general manager, he is supportive.” The TV commercial arrangement grew out of derby driver Jake Ferguson’s desire to see the Homedale event get exposure similar to the Owyhee County Rodeo. Jake’s father, Jim, is on the rodeo board. “Being a driver since 2002, I

wanted to see it put on TV like the rodeo was,” Jake Ferguson said. The Channel 12 folks told Ferguson it would be too expensive to air the derby live. They also said his idea to market DVDs of the action wouldn’t be cost-effective. “Because of our relationship over there in Owyhee County, I just said, ‘What else can we do for you to help you guys raise money?’” Hunter said. So they went to Plan C. “We came up with this talking to the guys and how they would do this commercial,” Ferguson said of the next step. “I told them about the Lions Club and how (derby proceeds go) back into the community.” The owners of the businesses that serve as the derby’s major sponsors — Mike and Kim Matteson, Dennis Pruett and Bob Cooper — all signed on to the project, Ferguson said. Ferguson is a first-year member of the Lions Club. He began his derby career in 2002 and plans to bring a 1973 Chrysler Newport to the party this year. “I ran a Ford the first year, and it was the biggest mistake I ever made,” he said. Channel 12 has aired commercials of major sponsors for the rodeo and also broadcast the championship night of the August event since 2007. Tickets for the derby, which will be held on a Sunday this year, are available at Owyhee Auto Supply NAPA auto parts stores in Homedale and Marsing. The derby takes place at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds rodeo arena in Homedale. Gates will open at 4:30 p.m. and the grand entry is scheduled for 6 p.m. Ticket prices are \$16 for the A section (covered grandstand), \$12 for the B section or \$11 for the C section near the beer garden. Children who occupy seats must have a ticket. All seating is general admission, so organizers urge fans to get there early for the best seats. The pits open at 8 a.m. on July 4 for driver and car entry.

— JPB

Drivers meet tonight

A mandatory meeting for all competitors in the Homedale Lions Club Fourth of July Demolition Derby drivers meeting will be held at 7 tonight. The meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. at the Owyhee Lanes Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St. W., in Homedale. Arulebook for drivers is available at www.homedalelionsclub.com. A driver information sheet, which must be turned in at the meeting, is available for download on the

Web site, too. Drivers also can fill out the information forms during the meeting. Organizers will go over rules and procedures for this year’s derby. The biggest change for 2010 is the ban on Chrysler Imperials. Last year was the final go-round for the unbeatable beasts. Competitors this year say the new coveted crushers are Chrysler Newports or New Yorkers.

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St. Al's reaps benefits of rodeo fundraiser
Owyhee County Rodeo Board president Chris Landa, right, hands a \$2,000 check to Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center mammographer Anna Bossard as rodeo advertising secretary Keri Garrett, left, and mammographer Trinidad Parsons look on.

Rodeo board gives \$2,000 to St. Al's

Money is from Kick Cancer night last year

The Owyhee County Rodeo Board donated enough money last week to provide about 10 mammograms for women in need.

Board president Chris Landa and advertising secretary Keri Garrett presented Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center with a \$2,000 check on June 15 in Marsing.

"It means a lot of women will get mammograms who can't afford them," St. Al's Anna Bossard said after accepting the check with fellow mammographer Trinidad Parsons.

"It means we'll save lives," said Parsons, who is a cancer survivor.

The rodeo board raised funds in conjunction with last year's Kick Cancer program during the Owyhee County Fair and Rodeo. Car magnets and bracelets were sold to promote breast cancer awareness, and rodeo queens collected cash donations in the grandstands during the Thursday night show last August.

According to St. Al's, mammograms cost about \$200 each.

"As a board, it means a lot for

us to be able to help those who can't afford it," Landa said. "To be able to make a difference, that's why we're down there."

Garrett said another cancer awareness night will be held at this year's rodeo, which runs Aug. 11-14. St. Al's is a major sponsor of the rodeo. The Kick Cancer Night is scheduled for Thursday, Aug. 12.

"They're sponsoring the rodeo again this year, and we hope that with the money they make they can put it back into the county," Garrett said."

Parsons and Bossard and the St. Al's mobile mammography unit were stationed at Marsing's Terry Reilly Health Services Clinic early last week to provide breast cancer screenings.

The St. Al's mobile mammography unit will return to Owyhee County in the coming months. Fifteen appointments must be scheduled to assure the visit.

• **Aug. 4** — Homedale Terry Reilly clinic; call 337-3189 to make an appointment.

• **Sept. 3** — Marsing Terry Reilly clinic; call 896-4159 for an appointment.

• **Sept. 30** — Owyhee County El-Ada Community Action Partnership office, Homedale; call 337-4812 for an appointment.

— JPB

Feds cite Grand View feedlots for harmful water discharges

The federal Environmental Protection Agency has taken action against two Grand View feedlots for pollution violations.

Jean M. Smith, owner and operator of Boise-based Wood Creek Livestock Co., has been ordered to cease pollutant discharges into waterways adjacent to its Wood Creek Feedlot near Grand View, including the Snake River.

The company also must remove its cattle from areas with direct access to Corder Creek.

The EPA announced the action on June 15, alleging that manure and urine from Wood Creek's 1,000-head herd was "observed in and along Corder Creek where cattle have direct access." The Grand View-area facility is a winter feeding operation.

"Large feedlots that offer livestock direct access to rivers and streams aren't just environmental health threats ... they're against the law," Edward Kowalski, director of EPA's Office of Compliance and Enforcement in Seattle, said. "When confined cows have direct access, Idaho's waters are being polluted."

EPA inspectors noted that cattle had direct access to Corder Creek,

a tributary to the Snake River.

On June 11, the EPA ordered Simplot Cattle Feeding Co., to halt discharges from its 700-acre feedlot near town. The EPA reported Simplot holds between 30,000 and 65,000 cattle year-round at the facility near the Snake River.

The EPA's order comes because of Simplot's use of a constant flow stock watering system. A portion of the water from the system has been diverted into pasture, irrigation ditches or the Ted Trueblood Wildlife Refuge, and those waters all flow into the Snake River, the federal agency's press release said. Water is discharged at a rate of 1,500 gallons per minute.

Discharge water samples were shown to contain 1,600 colonies

of fecal bacteria per 100 milliliters of sample, the EPA said.

"Simplot's watering system adds fecal bacteria to the Snake River," Kowalski said. "It discharges a tremendous volume of contaminated water to a river already impaired by bacteria and nutrient pollution."

Kowalski said producers can protect water quality and care for livestock by re-routing overflows or storing water for future use.

The EPA said both instances could introduce nutrients such as nitrogen and phosphorus, organic matter, pathogens and sediments into neighboring waterways, creating algae, endangering fish through reduced oxygen level and transmitting waterborne diseases.

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P215/75SR-15	100.55	P185/60HR-14	100.95	P215/60TR-16	122.25
P215/75SR-14	98.00	P185/65TR-14	108.76	P225/60TR-16	132.13
P215/75SR-15	104.24	P185/60HR-15	111.50	P225/60TR-16	135.00
P225/75SR-15	112.30	P185/65TR-15	109.86	P215/60TR-17	150.45
P225/75SR-15	113.00	P205/65TR-15	115.35	P225/60TR-17	153.57
P175/70SR-13	75.55	P215/65TR-15	120.16	P205/60HR-16	140.52
P185/70SR-13	81.33	P205/65TR-16	121.44	P205/65TR-16	136.44
P175/70TR-14	79.55	P215/65TR-16	131.70	P225/55TR-16	158.60
P185/70SR-14	85.87	P235/65TR-16	135.68	P225/55TR-17	176.96
P185/70SR-14	90.76	P185/60HR-14	103.58	P205/50HR-15	105.88
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195/65HR-15	87.43	205/55VR-17	107.95	245/40ZTR-17	146.44
205/65HR-16	85.72	215/55VR-16	127.73	245/40ZTR-18XL	164.57
215/65HR-16	100.96	225/55VR-16	124.07	205/40HR-16XL	100.46
215/65HR-17	95.75	215/55VR-17	132.00	215/40ZTR-18XL	172.99
215/65HR-16	95.75	225/55VR-17	138.95	205/40ZTR-17XL	112.01
195/60HR-14	83.34	225/55VR-16	138.95	205/40ZTR-17XL	112.01
195/60HR-14	79.03	185/50HR-15	85.98	215/40ZTR-17	163.17
195/60HR-15	82.94	205/50HR-15	92.89	225/40ZTR-18XL	172.61
205/60HR-15	86.62	225/50HR-16	124.89	235/40ZTR-18XL	185.32
215/60HR-15	97.86	245/50HR-16	158.52	215/40ZTR-17	163.17
225/60HR-15	113.63	205/50VR-16	107.83	245/40ZTR-18XL	186.71
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Charges dropped in '07 crime spree

Delay in Bernal's release from federal custody leads to dismissal

One man suspected in a four-county crime spree more than two years ago will not face charges in Owyhee County after a delay in getting him out of federal custody.

Four felony charges — three counts of burglary and a grand theft — against Anthony Bernal were dismissed by Third District Judge Gregory M. Culet on June 7. He was accused of three counts of burglary and one count of grand theft stemming from a crime spree that took place in December 2007. Bernal was alleged to be part of a three-person team that was accused of Owyhee County burglaries and a home invasion. Amanda Nichole Ravellette and Joshua Larrea were sentenced to between two and seven years in prison for their roles in the crimes, which

included two car thefts and seven burglaries in Owyhee County. The group allegedly performed a home invasion in Givens during which an elderly woman was handcuffed to her bed for several hours.

Owyhee County Prosecutor Douglas Emery said Culet dismissed the charges because too much time had lapsed between Bernal's Owyhee County court appearance and the time the county had asked federal authorities to present him for prosecution.

Owyhee authorities transported Bernal from a federal prison in Oklahoma where he has been serving a 44-month for a weapons violation committed while out on bail for the Owyhee case, county Prosecuting Attorney Douglas Emery said.

"The Bernal case ... posed a number of evidentiary problems including whether the old photographic lineup was unduly suggestive (as Bernal was the one and only subject in the line up with a facial tattoo) and whether there was sufficient evidence to actually link Defendant Bernal (versus one

of three other identified possible suspects) to the crimes," Emery wrote in an e-mail to The Owyhee Avalanche.

Emery said there also was a delay in federal authorities following through on a county request to have Bernal brought to Idaho to face the charges. Emery requested Bernal's extradition in January; he didn't appear before Third District Judge Thomas J. Ryan for arraignment until April 23.

The prosecutor said federal authorities initially resisted releasing Bernal of Owyhee's custody because of a lack of a writ of habeas corpus. Once the feds relented, county officials transported the suspect after the U.S. Marshal's office refused to provide interstate transport because Bernal was under 21.

Bernal remains in custody locally as he faces charges pending in Canyon County. Bernal has been ordered back to the Oklahoma prison once those cases are cleared.

— JPB

Lengthy probation for Marsing man after burglary try

A 25-year-old man was placed on five years' probation June 11 after his conviction for attempted burglary in Marsing.

Third District Judge Gregory M. Culet sentenced Jorge Luis Rodriguez-Munoz of Marsing to 236 days in jail and up to five years in state prison. Rodriguez-Munoz was credited for 56 days already served and the remainder of the sentences was suspended.

Owyhee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Rodriguez-Munoz on April 25 on suspicion of stealing a Mossberg .12-gauge shotgun and a set of binoculars during a burglary a few days earlier.

At the time Chief Deputy Bill Detweiler called Rodriguez-Munoz a person of interest in burglaries at the Marsing Assembly of God Church and the King Taco building, also in Marsing.

had entered a guilty plea to the felony charge.

County Prosecuting Attorney Douglas Emery said the amount of marijuana found on Birmingham would have resulted in a misdemeanor had he not tried to bring it into the jail.

Culet granted a withheld judgment, giving Birmingham the opportunity ask for a reduce or dismissed charge if he successfully completes probation.

However, if Birmingham violates the terms of his probation, the court can resentence the defendant. Details of the withheld judgment weren't released.

Woman spends two days in jail for DUI

A 22-year-old Middleton woman was sentenced to two days in jail after a driving under the influence conviction.

Magistrate Judge Dan C. Grober sentenced Kelli L. Anderson to six months in jail, but suspended all but two days of the term during sentencing June 2. Anderson got a year of probation and lost her driver's license for six months.

Homedale Police Office Jeff Jensen arrested Anderson for DUI on Feb. 28.

Man who brought pot to jail gets probation

A 21-year-old man who brought a small amount of marijuana into the Owyhee County Jail has been placed on probation.

Melba's Daniel Richard Birmingham was sentenced by District Court Judge Gregory M. Culet on June 11. Birmingham

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June 15	89	50	.58
June 16	74	49	trace
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Third of July Doodlebug Derby entries now available

The Marsing Lions Club has begun selling entries into this year’s Doodlebug Derby.

The derby is held during each Third of July celebration at City Park. Proceeds benefit the fireworks show planned for later in the evening.

Doodlebugs — or ping-pong balls that

will be floated down the creek into City Park — are available for \$3 each or five for \$10.

The top three Doodlebugs win cash prizes for their owners — \$250 for first, \$125 for second and \$75 for third.

Doodlebugs can be purchased from any Lions Club member or by calling Betty

Ackerman at 896-4562 or Cindy Floyd at 830-5560.

Other events planned for the Third of July include the annual Lions Club barbecue in City Park beginning at 6 p.m. Proceeds benefit the Lions’ community service fund. Ticket prices are \$30 for a family, \$8 for adults, \$6 for senior citizens,

\$5 for ages 12-16 and \$3 for children 12 and younger.

At 7 p.m., children’s games will be played at the park.

Food and music will be offered from 6:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. at the Riverpark Event Center across Main Street from the entrance to Island Park.

From page 1

✓ 911: BOCC takes recommendation to decline bids

Goldsmith also said the money could be in the county’s hands by October.

“I don’t know if we can wait that long. I don’t know what our liability will be if we have an emergency and the system fails,” Crandall told the commissioners. “If somebody dies, and the system is not working and we don’t get them help, are we on the hook? I would have to say we are.

“The question that comes down to you guys is ‘Do you want to gamble?’”

Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire Chief Wes Anderson, the 911 committee chair, said the panel recommends conserving 911 Trust Fund proceeds for other system needs, such as an \$11,000 piece of hardware that must be replaced on the 911 computer. Currently, the county is running its 911 system on an AC card borrowed from White Cloud.

“That’s a pretty hefty price to pay to keep

a system going,” Crandall said. “That’s pouring money into a dead horse.”

According to Desmond, White Cloud has said it can maintain the current 911 system until the county receives the FY 2011 replacement grant.

The replacement grant application deadline is Aug. 1, and Desmond said the cost estimates from the original RFPs will be used to build the county’s application.

Three companies — Qwest Communications, Emergency CallWorx of Madison, Ala., and ClearCom Inc. in Hailey — submitted bids to supply a new system.

Emergency CallWorx appeared to have the lowest bid at \$145,016.14, which included five years of technical support for the price of a one-year plan.

Qwest had the second-highest proposal with \$167,420.74 for the Positron Viper system.

ClearCom’s price was \$214,804 for a Zetron Series 3300 system.

“We were looking at how they complied with our (request),” Anderson said. “Some came right out and said they weren’t complying.”

Anderson said the Qwest proposal scored the highest of the three among committee members, with CallWorx second.

Crandall also has misgivings about ClearCom and Emergency CallWorx because of a question of their ability to provide immediate service in an emergency.

Qwest technicians would respond from Boise, while ClearCom employees would be dispatched from the Wood River Valley and Emergency CallWorx has regional technicians who would handle the call, Crandall said.

— JPB

✓ Plot: Man arrested in May 2009 drug bust

Caldwell by Judge Renae J. Hoff.

He must serve half of his 10-year sentence before being eligible for parole.

Richmond was arrested in December after attempting to trade drugs to several undercover police officers for a gun he planned to use against Eidemiller.

Richmond was arrested in connection with Lisa Cascino for possession of methamphetamine with intent to deliver and paraphernalia at Cascino’s Homedale residence in May 2009. Richmond was later found guilty on the paraphernalia charge, and the city moved to seize his 1992 Honda Prelude.

✓ Record: Fish and Game currently analyzing fish for state record book

Jake’s grip. Quickly realizing a big one was on, he knew he didn’t want to lose it — or his newest fishing bow — to the bottom of the muddy Snake River.

“In less than three seconds, I thought ‘Save the bow,’ so I went over,” he said.

The 2½-foot-high knee rail on the hand-built custom boat platform was no match for the combination of a large carp, reel drag set too high, and an off-balance 6-foot-3, 300-pound man. Holding tightly to the new bow, Hyer went over the side and into the river.

Hyer and his fishing partners routinely fish in shallow water, so his fall was surprising but not too dangerous. Trying to gather his bearings in the confusion, Hyer stood quickly in the four-feet-deep river — and too close to the boat —slamming his face into the vessel, leaving a gash under his right eye.

Despite being stunned after hitting the boat, Hyer still held tightly to the bow and realized the boat was drifting downriver away from him. He still had the fish on the line and began reeling it in. His friends and wife trolled back to Jake, where they helped him put the fish aboard and into a large barrel.

Once in the boat, the fishing party saw the damage to Jake’s eye. He knew it was bleeding, but wasn’t too concerned with the injury. His wife wanted him to see a doctor.

“I talked her out of going to

the hospital and we just kept on fishing,” he said of the night in which the group brought in about 75 carp.

The biggest of them — the whopper that dragged Hyer into the river — exceeded the 50-pound limit on Hyer’s on-board digital scale.

Knowing he likely had a record catch, Hyer returned from the trip and searched for a certified scale that would provide a printed certified weigh-in receipt. After Sunday morning stops at Fred Meyer, Zamzows, Sportsman’s Warehouse and Food Service of America, the executive chef found what he needed at D&B Supply — only to realize it wouldn’t print a receipt. The search drug on. After leaving FSA in Meridian, Hyer spotted a FedEx/Kinko’s location.

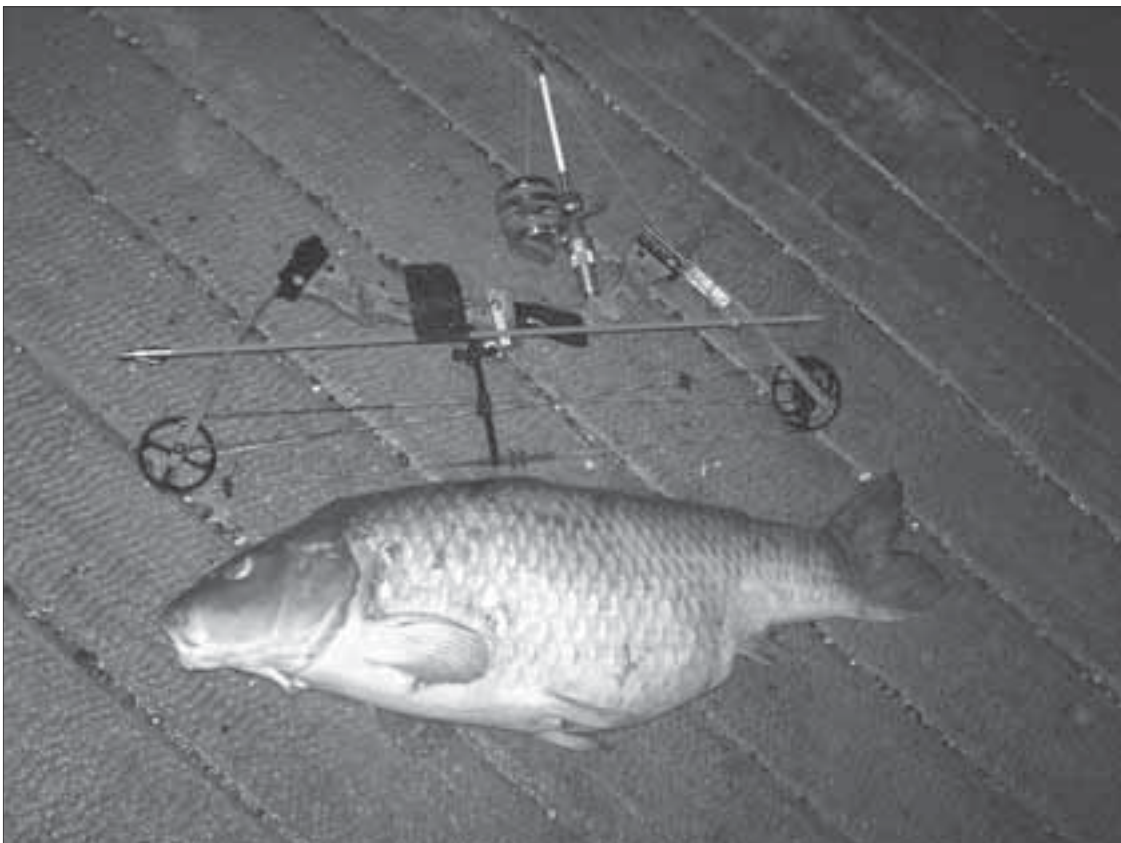
Hyer began that attempt by “sweet-talking” the girl on duty.

“She was pretty hesitant to have this fishy-smelling guy weigh his big slimy fish on her store’s scale,” he said.

The compromise to get the certified printed receipt: Hyer had to first pay for the shipping of the fish.

He got the certification, but the fish wasn’t going anywhere.

The Idaho Department of Fish and Game’s established record for carp is 41 pounds, 14 ounces caught by Emmett’s Rob James in May 2008. Ironically, the IDFG was certifying a possible record carp caught near American Falls recently when Hyer brought in



Jake Hyer’s potential record-setting carp measured 41 inches. Submitted photo

his catch.

Hyer’s carp measured 41 inches long and was certified at 48.1 pounds. IDFG is currently at work establishing it as the new Idaho record.

Hyer plans to hire a taxidermist to preserve the record catch with a fiberglass mold reproduction. Fine details will be carved into the reproduction, which will be airbrushed to match the features and color of the fish. Hyer is not using the popular skin mount method because it routinely costs upwards of \$1,500.

A self-proclaimed “water fowl hunting maniac”, Hyer began bow fishing as a way to pass time between duck hunting seasons.

Jake has been bow fishing for around five years and recently has gotten his wife to join him on the water, teaching her how to fish with the bow. According to the Idaho Bowfishing Association Web site, Owyhee County’s C.J. Strike Reservoir hosted the 2009 Idaho Bowfishing Championships and will host the event again this year on July 24-25. Last year, a whopping 11,211 pounds of carp

were taken in the event.

For more information about Idaho bowfishing, go to www.idahobowfishingassociation.com

— MAB

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Obituary

Carl Robert Bennett

Carl Robert Bennett, 44, of Homedale, passed away on Wednesday, June 16, 2010 at a Boise hospital of natural causes. Funeral services were held on 11:30 a.m. on Monday, June 21, 2010 at the Homedale Friends Community Church.

Carl was born on July 5, 1965 in Terre Haute, Indiana to William and Vicky Bennett. He was raised and educated in Indiana. Carl graduated from Indiana University, KoKomo and attended several years of seminary.

He loved being a pastor and served for 20 years in the ministry. The Bennetts moved to Homedale in 2009 to serve as Pastor of the Homedale Friends Community Church, Homedale, ID.

In 1993 he married Sheri and



to this union came two children, Hannah and Ethan. Carl’s joy in life was spending time with his children and watching them grow. He was a devoted Husband and Father whom we will all greatly

miss.

For the past 10 years Carl has fought cancer and has done so with the support of his family, friends, and his strong belief in God.

Carl is survived by his wife, Sheri Bennett; daughter Hannah Bennett, son, Ethan Bennett, all of Homedale, mom and dad, William and Vicky Bennett of Dalton, Georgia, and brother, Douglas Bennett of Rocky Face, Georgia.

In lieu of flowers the family request that donations be made to the Building Fund of the Homedale Friends Community Church (17434 Hwy 95, Wilder, ID, 83676). Condolences may be sent to www.flahifffuneralchapel.com

School menus

Homedale

- June 23: Hot Dog
- June 24: Fish Nuggets
- June 25: Turkey Sandwich
- June 28: Chicken Patty Sandwich
- June 29: Burrito
- June 30: Corn Dog
- July 1: Pizza
- July 2: PB & J

Marsing

- June 23: Hot dog, fruit & veggie, milk
- June 24: Pork BBQ sandwich, fruit & veggie, milk
- June 25: Chicken fajita, fruit & veggie, milk
- June 28: Mandarin chicken and rice, fruit & veggie, milk
- June 29: Hamburger, fruit & veggie, milk
- June 30: Corn dog, fruit & veggie, cookie, milk

Senior menus

Homedale

Includes beverage

- June 23: Baked fish, macaroni & cheese, California blend vegetables, roll
- June 24: Roast pork, mashed potatoes, California blend vegetables, roll
- June 29: Lasagna w/meat & 3 cheeses, salad, roll
- June 30: BBQ beef, baked beans, potato, roll

Rimrock

- June 24: Sloppy Joes, peas, carrot salad, tomato sauce, roll, apple juice, cookies, pears
- June 29: Tomato soup & sandwich, meat, cheese, egg in sandwich, cream in soup, bread, fruit variety, cookie

Death notice

MIKE MOYSARD, former Homedale Police chief and Owyhee County Sheriff’s deputy, has died in Arizona. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., on Saturday, July 10, 2010, at Island Park in Marsing.

Cole Merrick among top students at CSI

Rimrock High School graduate Cole Merrick earned a spot on the College of Southern Idaho Dean’s List for the spring semester.

The Bruneau resident achieved the status by maintaining a grade-point average of 3.5 of higher during the term.

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Rushing water from the last week’s flooding collapsed a rear wall on the American Legion Post 32 Hall in Homedale. Submitted photo

Cowboy Up hosts feed and auction to repair Legion hall

A spaghetti feed and silent auction will help local veterans repair their meeting hall.

A June 7 storm and downpour in Homedale flooded the Post 32 American Legion Hall, damaging the building. Estimated damage costs stand at more than \$6,000. The back wall of the building sustained significant structural damage.

To assist with repairs, the Cowboy Up Saloon, 2 N. Main St., will host a spaghetti feed on Saturday, July 10. The fundraising event begins at 7 p.m. All proceeds from the evening will go to the disaster relief fund.

The cost is \$3 per person for the feed.

There will also be a silent auction. Some of the items include: rounds of golf at River Bend Golf Course, kitchen/cooking items, ceramics, gift certificates from Rumors Hair & Nails, and gift baskets. Donations for auction items or other donations may be dropped off at the Cowboy Up Saloon, Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Contact Wendy Vaughn at 337-3414 or 989-9105 for more information.

Two years ago, a similar storm caused \$2,700 in damages to the Legion building, Post Commander Robert Keaveny said.



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Joint land use workshops slated

Owyhee properties could be impacted by future Air Force plans

Stakeholders will have a final chance Tuesday to give input on the future use of Owyhee County land linked to Mountain Home Air Force Base.

The Idaho Department of Commerce will hold a final Joint Land Use Study workshop regarding the future use of the air base and its Mountain Home Range Complex from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Mountain Home Council Chambers at City Hall, 160 S. 3rd East.

The range complex includes Owyhee County sites such as the Saylor Creek and Juniper Butte ranges and the Grasmere Electronic Combat Site. Juniper Butte covers more than 12,000 acres in Owyhee.

The Saylor Creek bombing range covers more than 100,000 acres outside Bruneau. The Grasmere site is near Idaho highway 51 south of Grasmere.

The workshop discusses how these areas will be developed in the future, potentially impacting surrounding landowners and the general public. The draft JLUS is designed to protect the future of these military complexes while maintaining the community and economic development potential of the area.

The Department of Commerce seeks input from landowners and their representatives, environmental groups, businesses, the Tribal Government and residents of the Duck Valley Indian Reservation, and area residents.

The report should be finalized later this summer after consideration of public comments. The public comment period ends July 15.

From 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Monday, a final JLUS public workshop regarding Gowen Field and the Orchard Training Area will be held at the Ada County Courthouse, 200 W. Front St., in Boise.

Comments can be submitted at the meetings or by e-mail to Gloria.mabbutt@commerce.idaho.gov or greg.seibert@commerce.idaho.gov.

Got News?

Call us! (208) 337-4681. Community happenings, events or issues.

TOPS names basket winners

Submitted by Ruby Miller
The Homedale Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) chapter has named another round of contest winners.
May’s honor roll loser was Homedale’s Nancy Belknap, who received a lighted rose.
Margaret Huff of Wilder won a cash prize in the Yellow Brick Road contest.
We would also like to thank all those who participated in our fundraiser at Paul’s Market on May 15 and May 22. Winners were Julie Camp of Homedale, who won a basket of personal items; Homedale’s Floydine Egurrola (garden basket) and Jason Beckman of Homedale (BBQ basket and portable grill).
There are some changes to the TOPS meetings, which are held each Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., in Homedale.
Open discussions will be held on the first and third week of the month, and programs will be presented on the second and fourth weeks.
TOPS gatherings begin with weigh-ins at 5:30 p.m., followed by the meeting at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call (208) 482-6893.

Calendar

Today

Grand View Days
5:30 p.m., community cleanup, Lions Park, Grand View

Thursday

Vision Church food distribution
2 p.m. to 4 p.m., donations welcome, Vision Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-5407
Homedale City Council meeting
6 p.m., Homedale City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4641
Take Off Pounds Sensibly meeting
5:30 p.m., weigh-in; 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. meeting, First Presbyterian Church, 320 N. 6th St., Homedale. (208) 482-6893
Senior center lunch
Noon, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808
Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Friday

Grand View Days
6 p.m., softball tournament and Firemen’s Dinner, downtown Grand View

Saturday

Grand View Days
10 a.m., parade, various events all day, downtown Grand View
Senior center dance
6 p.m. to 9 p.m., \$4, bring finger food, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Sunday

Grand View Days
Breakfast and Gospel in the Park, Lions Park, Grand View

Monday

Narcotics Anonymous open meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hwy. 95 S., Homedale. (208) 442-2220

Tuesday

Rimrock quilting group
1 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2665
Senior citizens dinner
6 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808
Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Thursday, July 1

Vision Church food distribution
2 p.m. to 4 p.m., donations welcome, Vision Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-5407
Homedale Rod and Gun Club meeting
7 p.m., Owyhee Lanes Restaurant, 18 N. 1st St.

E., Homedale. (208) 463-4383
Take Off Pounds Sensibly meeting
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Owyhee County Fair Board meeting
8 p.m., county fairgrounds, Homedale. (208) 337-4575

Friday, July 2

Story Time at library
10:15 a.m., children’s story, activity and refreshments, Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228, afternoons 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, July 3

Marsing Third of July celebration
6 p.m., Lions Club Barbecue and Doodleburg Derby, City Park; fireworks at dusk, on the river. (208) 896-4562 or (208) 830-5560

Sunday, July 4

Lions Club Fourth of July Demolition Derby
6 p.m., Owyhee County Fairgrounds rodeo arena, Homedale

Monday, July 5

Narcotics Anonymous open meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Friends Community Church, 17454 Hwy. 95 S., Homedale. (208) 442-2220

Tuesday, July 6

Board of County Commissioners meeting
9 a.m., Courtroom 2, Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy
Rimrock quilting group
1 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2665
Senior citizens dinner
6 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808
Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

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Submit information on upcoming fundraisers, meetings, reunions or community events to The Owyhee Avalanche by noon Fridays for inclusion in the calendar. Drop off press releases at the Avalanche office at 19 E. Idaho Ave., Homedale, mail them to P.O. Box 97, Homedale, ID 83628, fax them to (208) 337-4867 or e-mail them to jon@owyheeavalanche.com (an e-mail link also is available on our Web site).
For more information on submissions, call (208) 337-4681.



Bet You Didn’t Know

NYC: Providing street potholes for 350 years

New York City paved its first street with stones in 1657 ... what was it called? Stone Street, what else?

Savannah, Ga., was founded in 1733 as a haven for British debtors ...

What’s the foggiest place in the United States? Place called Cape Disappointment, Wash. Fogged in about 106 days of the year ... Sounds dreary to me.

Al Capone was listed in the 1920 Chicago telephone directory as ... “Second-hand furniture dealer... 2220 S. Wabash Ave.”

The average person receives

eight birthday cards ever year according to Hallmark cards.

More on that Boston tea thing from last week ... what was the tax on tea in 1773? Three cents a pound ...

What state was the first to outlaw slavery? It was Rhode Island in 1774.

The tallest monument in the United States? Why, it’s the Gateway Arch in St. Louis at 630 feet.

— *For more information on Peary Perry or to read more of his writings or to make a comment, visit www.pearyperry.com*

Parker returns from financial convention

Gavin Parker, a financial services advisor at Bowen Parker Day CPAs in Homedale, recently returned from the 24th annual National Conference of H.D. Vest Financial Services.
During the June 7-10 conference in New Orleans, Parker attended workshops, viewed exhibits and heard presentations from financial experts to gather knowledge to help his clients work toward their goals.
Parker has been an H.D. Vest advisor since 2002. He’s a 2002 graduate of The College of Idaho and a 1998 Homedale High School graduate.



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Marsing truck driver dies in Oregon

A Marsing man has died from an apparent heart attack while driving his commercial truck on Interstate 5, according to the Oregon State Police.

Frank R. Forsyth, 59, was northbound on I-5 in the Canyonville, Ore., area on the morning of June 11 when he suffered

the heart attack. OSP identified Forsyth on June 15.

When OSP Trooper Dan Wells responded to a report of a commercial vehicle crash on northbound I-5 at 9:22 a.m. on June 11, he found a semi and trailer stopped in the center median with


no apparent damage, according to an OSP press release.

Emergency personnel performed CPR at the scene. Forsyth, who was driving for Caldwell-based Motorwest Inc., was pronounced dead at Mercy Medical Center in Roseburg, Ore., an hour later.

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Basque picnic features young troupe in 30th year

When the entertainment takes the stage at the Txoko Ona Basque picnic on Sunday, the Herribatza Dantzariak will be in their 30th year of performing, according to their director and Homedale resident Gloria Lejardi.

Entertainment at the picnic begins at 1:30 p.m., and Lejardi says the youth dancers will likely appear toward the beginning of the program. The will perform a variety of dances dating back centuries in Basque history.

Their repertoire of more than 11 different dances is performed by a variety of groups within the troupe.

“Some dances are just the youngest group, some are just the boys or girls and some are combined,” Lejardi said.

The troupe of dancers includes 42 children features 27 or so dancers from the Homedale and Marsing areas as well as participants from Nampa, Caldwell and Melba. The dance group is open to students from kindergarten through eighth grade. Dancers can possibly move on to perform with the Oinkari Basque Dancers, which is comprised of ages 14 and older.

The Herribatza Dantzariak musician Jake Murgoitio is a former dancer in the younger group who now also dances with the older Oinkari Basque Dancers.

He is also a 2010 graduate of The College of Idaho.

Commitment to the group begins in September with weekly practices through April. Once a week, they meet in the Txoko Ona Basque Center in Homedale. Their annual performance schedule includes the Caldwell Basque Dance in January, Homedale Basque Dance in March and the Basque picnic in June.

Every five years, Boise hosts the Jaialdi International Basque Cultural Festival. The Herribatza Dantzariak is scheduled to perform at this international festival near the end of July.

The annual Basque picnic in Homedale kicks off with the meal from noon to 1:30 p.m. The lunch menu includes solomo, beans, salad, a roll, rice pudding and a drink. The price is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children younger than 12. Solomo and chorizo sandwiches will be available as will beverages such as beer, wine, pop and water.

In addition to the dancing, entertainment will include weightlifting and weight-carrying competitions, a tug of war, a sheepherder bread preparation exhibition and sheepdog trials.

There will be live music from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

— MAB

Homedale grad leaves for term in Japan

Mandy Brasher prepares for third year at Dartmouth

Homedale High School alum Mandy Brasher left Tuesday to spend one college term in Japan.

“I’ve never been out of the country, so they told us to expect quite a culture shock,” she said.

The 2008 HHS graduate will begin her junior year at Dartmouth College in the fall. She’s majoring in Human Biology.

On Saturday, she served as an assistant for fellow Homedale grad Kortney Bahem at the 4-H horse judging at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds.

Three days later, Brasher left Tuesday to join 16 other Dartmouth students in a one-term trip to Japan through August. Once in country, they will stay with host families to immerse them in Japanese culture and language. One of the primary objectives of the term is to learn the Japanese language. The program is sponsored by Dartmouth.

Brasher’s goal in the trip is to learn more about herself through the experience.

She already has received an immersion in different cultures and types of people while studying at Dartmouth, an Ivy League school in New Hampshire.

“Dartmouth is not a localized school,” she said. “It has lots of people from different places around the country and the world.”

That doesn’t mean there aren’t some Gem State ties. Three other students from Idaho are in her class.

“No one else that I’ve met comes from a ranch background.”

Even among the fellow Idahoans, however, there is a cultural gap.

“Most of them don’t know what I’m talking about because their horse experience is limited to fancy English riding,” she said.

— MAB

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Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High library renamed for influential teacher

Whiteside spent all but three years of her 39-year career in district

Longtime Rimrock High School teacher Cheryl Whiteside took her desk and went home for good at the end of the school year.

She’s leaving behind a legacy of highly prepared and highly successful citizens, not to mention lasting snapshots of those students through her work as the yearbook advisor.

The Bruneau-Grand View School District has made sure Whiteside’s name will echo in the halls, too.

During the Class of 2010 graduation ceremony last month, school board chair Dixie Black made a surprise announcement that the school’s library will be renamed in honor of Whiteside, who finished a 39-year career teaching English, Literature and Speech to at least two generations of students.

The dedication — and her old oak desk as a retirement present — had to be a surprise, district superintendent Vickie Chandler said, because of Whiteside’s modesty.

“I’ve spent my life flying under the radar,” Whiteside said. “It’s nice feeling appreciated. You can’t get around that. (Chandler has) been a great friend and, when she moved up in the administration, a great boss for many years.”

The final 36 years came at Rimrock, first in the old Grand View High School and then in the new building on Idaho highway 78 between Bruneau and Grand View.

“I was touched when (Chandler) asked for all the kids that I taught to stand up,” Whiteside said of the ceremony. “There were a lot of them.”

Chandler credits Whiteside’s teaching style as a key factor in the success of many Rimrock graduates, including her four daughters — Shelby (2008), Emily (2006), Chelsea (2000) and Kiley (1998).



Cheryl Whiteside

“I know as a student of hers, she changed my outlook on the way I do things in my life,” Rimrock administrative assistant — and 1993 graduate — Julie Lindquist said.

Lindquist once typed a paper for a classmate who received a higher grade than she did on her own work. When she asked Whiteside about her C, the explanation was simple:

“She said she expected more from me than she did from the other student,” Lindquist said. “Ever since then, I have always pushed myself a little harder so that I always do my best and not just ‘C’ work. That way, I never let anyone down.”

Librarian Penny Jones said renaming the library was a salute to Whiteside’s valuable input in providing top-notch reading material for students. Jones said all three of her children arrived at college prepared because of Whiteside’s teachings.

Whiteside, naturally, deflects credit despite playing a role with students who have earned masters and doctorates, graduated from Stanford and attended

service academies such as the Air Force and Merchant Marine academies.

“Our kids have just excelled,” she said. “It’s a privilege to work with kids with fine minds and good parents and good work habits.”

“Most of these kids are farm and ranch kids, and they know the concept of working until the job is done.”

Chandler said Whiteside’s broad and rich taste in literature — from Shakespeare to Hemingway — has helped enrich the quality of the teaching staff, too.

“We actually have been interviewing for the English position, and they’re just in awe,” Chandler said. “We have candidates saying what should be taught and, ‘You probably don’t have these books’ and I say, ‘Yes, we have that, yes, we have that one.’”

Chandler said with Whiteside’s help Rimrock boasts a literary collection rarely seen in other schools its size.

Whiteside graduated from Bruneau High School in 1963, and planned on seeing the old home only in her rear-view mirror.

But a decade later — and after three years teaching in Colorado — she was called home to help her ailing mother. Whiteside took the high school teaching job she’s only now leaving.

Her first classroom was a dank space (“We called it the cave,” she says) in the lower floor of the GVHS building with one window with the view of a rainspout.

“The only good thing in it was this lovely antique oak desk, and I took it when moved,” Whiteside said.

She’s moving again ... and so is the desk.

— JPB

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Owyhee original set to play

Oreana couple starts fourth decade with band

It's not often that a band formed in 1972 is still hanging around.

Yet, The Runnin' For Cover Band has been a fixture in Owyhee County all this time. Only a few other bands formed 38 years ago — like Orleans, the E Street Band and Van Halen — can claim that.

Runnin' For Cover doesn't play nearly as many gigs as it used to, according to bassist and backup vocalist Chris Collett, the wife of founding member Brian Collett, who plays guitar and sings lead.

The Colletts live in Oreana.

"We keep saying we are retired, but it never really seems to happen," Chris said. "Every local kid that gets married just has to have the band, and so we play when we can."

The Y-Bar in Grand View is the next place fans of good music and dancing can see and hear the musicians play favorites such as Johnny Horton's "Whispering Pines" and "Why Did We Die So Young" by the Bellamy Brothers.

Runnin' For Cover will play new and classic country, old rock and roll and, Chris says, "Whatever we feel like" for the Friday night dance that caps the first day of Grand View Days.

Grand View Days also will

feature events on Saturday and Sunday, including the Swede Dawson Band in the city park on Saturday night and Gospel in the Park at Lions Park on Sunday morning.

Friday's dance at the Y-Bar provides an opportunity to see a Runnin' For Cover band that has a dwindling number of gigs, Chris said.

"We don't really play a lot each year; life seems to get in the way," she said.

The band has been playing the Cowboy's Pastime in Bruneau regularly. They also can be labeled the *de facto* house band for the Oreana Community Hall because Chris is in charge of fundraising efforts for the building. The quartet provided music for the dance following February's Owyhee Cattlemen's Association winter meeting there.

It's a long time and a long way since Brian and the original members played their first "bar gig" as The Country Boys 38 years ago at the Grasmere Station. Brian, the lead vocalist and guitarist, was 14. The band landed a paying gig — \$20 apiece and room and board.

The Country Boys became Runnin' For Cover in 1978.

"It was decided to change the name because they were going to town to try and work full time with the band and thought perhaps The Country Boys didn't sound as good," Chris said. The original name also seemed a little

awkward because the boys had become men and were no longer in high school, she said.

What name to choose for the new direction grew out of a joke. Apparently a band member thought that one proposed band name would have the group "running for cover" if they were introduced that way at their next gig on the Duck Valley Indian Reservation.

Chris joined the band as bassist in 1980 and for a couple years in the mid-1980s she and Brian tried to make a living playing gigs. They even served as the Sunday band at Shorty's Saloon in Boise a few years ago, playing a political fundraiser for C.L. "Butch" Otter and for a Professional Bull Riders Finals party.

"That was a hoot," Chris said of the band's Shorty's era.

The current nucleus of the four-piece band — the Colletts and lead guitarist Bruce Mowdy of Emmett — have played together for more than a quarter century. The newest member is a drummer who has been in the fold since New Year's, Chris said.

The band is scheduled to play the OCA summer convention dance next month and a show during the Bruneau Roundup in September.

"We are not trying to make a living doing this, so we play what we enjoy," Chris said. "The crowds seem to enjoy it as well."

— JPB



Firefighters raise money for fireworks

Bill Mead, left, makes a donation during a Grand View Fire Department fundraiser. Volunteer firefighters raised \$1,100 for their Grand View Days fireworks show by taking donations for hot dogs and chorizos at Gus' Gas. Submitted photo

✓ Grand View: Pole contest entries due at 5 Thursday; parade takes lead Saturday

through Saturday, is themed "Grand View of the Owyhees", and entries for the annual adopt-a-pole contest sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce are due by 5 p.m. Thursday. Individuals, organizations and businesses interested in decorating a utility poles in the quest for cash prizes can contact the Chamber's Vicki Deming at (208) 834-2126 to get the rules. Displays must be removed by Tuesday.

While folks are busy decorating poles Thursday, the Funtime Carnival from Payette will start its run Thursday. All-day ride wristbands are being sold in advance for \$13 at Gus' Gas and the Square Deal. The carnival will be open at 3 p.m. Friday and noon on Saturday and Sunday.

Thursday also is the final day to enter the annual softball tournament. Proceeds from the tournament, which runs Friday through Sunday, benefit Grand View Little League. Little League president Sarah Hall said there are about six teams signed up, but others can register by calling her at (208) 834-2672.

The Firemen's Dinner pit barbecue with all the fixings will be held at Centennial Park from 6 p.m. to dusk on Friday. Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$5 for children 12 and younger. Grand View Fire Department also will sell raffle tickets for a chance to win a rifle, too. Tickets are \$10 each, and only 150 will be sold, according to assistant chief Ed Collett. Proceeds from the raffle will help pay for the Friday fireworks, which will cost more than \$3,000 this year, Collett said.

The fireworks will go off at dark, and Collett said any location within a mile of town is a good place to see them.

Saturday is the centerpiece day for the event, with a 10 a.m. parade through downtown followed by the fire department's annual water fight. At 11:30 a.m., the second annual Toilet Race will be run.

The Rubber Duck Race will be held in the canal Saturday, too. Entries are available at the Y Bar and Café, JC Landing or through Ria Collett at (208) 834-2393. Ducks are \$5 each and the race is limited to 200 entries.

Collett said two helicopters — one from Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center Life Flight and a military craft — will be on display Saturday.

Another fundraising activity Saturday is the Rimrock Senior Center's dessert sale and garage sale on Saturday. Pie, ice cream, milkshake, cones and other desserts will be offered to raise funds for the center. Call Vera Lea Jayo at (208) 834-2252 for more information.

A horseshoes tournament will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday at the beer garden in the park, and Swede Dawson will play a concert in the park at night.

At 7 p.m. Saturday, a revival meeting will be held at the American Legion Hall in Grand View. Chaplain Mike Bachmann of the Idaho Corrections Center and Prison Town USA Ministries will lead the fellowship. There will be a free chili feed starting at 5:30 p.m. before the event. Call Tom or Tammy Payne at (208) 834-2927 for more information.

Grand View Days concludes Sunday with the annual breakfast and Gospel in the Park program at Lions Park. Breakfast will be available for a donation.

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ITD: Several county projects set to start

Idaho 78
resurfacing near
Givens to begin
July 6

The Idaho Transportation Department has announced a timeline for pavement projects on three Owyhee County highways. A 20-mile resurfacing job on Idaho 51 from Sheep Creek Road to the Nevada state line will begin in late June. Crews from Valley Paving & Asphalt Co. from Cottonwood are expected to take about a month to complete the \$1.92 million project. The affected 20-mile stretch of road is about 50 miles south of Bruneau.

The work entails a thin overlay of asphalt measuring about 1.8 inches thick on the first 11.4 miles of the route. Once that phase is complete, the entire 20-mile stretch will be seal coated.

Rehabilitation work on U.S. Highway 95 south of Homedale could begin within two months, according to the Idaho Transportation Department.

Four bids were opened earlier this month, with Boise's Western Construction Inc. coming in as the apparent low bidder at \$3.49 million, ITD spokesman Reed Hollinshead confirmed Thursday.

Hollinshead said the process shifts into a monthlong verification mode for the bid, bonding and insurance before the job is awarded and a pre-construction meeting is held.

"Once the (meeting) is held, barring any unforeseen weather or equipment issues, it is usually just a matter of days — at most a week or so — before work begins," Hollinshead said. "So I would guess it'll be about six to eight weeks until dirt turns."

Crews are scheduled to rehabilitate a 7½-mile stretch of pavement on U.S. 95 between Homedale's south city limits and the Idaho highway 55 junction. State maintenance crews prepped the area by adding gravel shoulders. The rehabilitation process will use the Cement Recycled Asphalt Base Stabilization method.

An accompanying job entails a 1.8-inch thick resurfacing of U.S. 95 for about 8½ miles from the Marsing Port of Entry to the Idaho 55 junction.

Other bids for the project were received from Idaho Sand & Gravel Co. of Nampa (\$3.7 million), Knife River of Boise (\$3.96 million) and Central Paving Co., Inc. of Boise (\$4.2 million).

Hollinshead also reiterated that pavement rehab projects are scheduled to start next month on Idaho 78 between its junction with Idaho 55 in Marsing and Idaho 45 outside Givens.

Idaho Sand & Gravel is the apparent low bidder on that \$2.64 million project, which is expected to begin July 6 and last until mid-August.

One lane will be maintained in each direction. Pilot cars and flaggers will be used as needed, according to an ITD press release.

Nearly 20 miles of pavement will be rehabilitated, including 11½ miles from Idaho 55 to Givens Hot Springs and 8.3 miles from Givens to Idaho 45.

On Thursday, the Oregon Department of Transportation announced plans to install variable message reader boards at Rome Hill on U.S. 95 near milepost 51 about 40 miles south of Jordan Valley.

Motorists in the area can expect occasional lane closures, flaggers and minor delays. The project will begin later this year with a completion date of spring 2011.



Motorcyclist injured on Idaho 51

Emergency crews work to stabilize a 48-year-old man for transportation by Life Flight on Friday morning south of Bruneau. Submitted photo

Man spills bike en route to rally

Rider airlifted to Boise
on Friday morning

A 48-year-old man lost control of his motorcycle and wrecked Friday morning on Idaho highway 51 south of Bruneau.

Ed Collett, assistant chief for the Grand View Fire Department, said the man crashed after he became distracted while traveling southbound to a rally in

Elko, Nev. Collett said about 1,000 motorcyclists were on the highway during the weekend heading to the Elko Motorcycle Jamboree Rumble in the Rubies, which ended Sunday.

The one-cycle accident occurred at mile marker 53 on Idaho 51. Bruneau Quick Response Unit and Grand View EMS responded, according to Collett. The motorcycle rider was transported to Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise by Life Flight.

Snake River Livestock 4-H news

Submitted by Nick Bennett,
vice-president

The Snake River Livestock 4-H Club has been quite busy. All the market animals have been weighed in. All of our members are now caring for their projects to prepare for fair.

On June 1, we all participated in county demonstrations. We had topics that included cooking, sheep predators, wool products, retail beef cuts, pig diseases, photography and caring for

pygmy goats, just to name a few. Everyone did a great job, and we are very relieved to have them done.

Our club is now selling tickets for our annual Fourth of July/BBQ basket.

The members will be selling tickets on their own as well as at Grand View Days on Saturday. We will also have a float in the Grand View Days parade.

The club held a family BBQ as its June 14 meeting.

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Lightning strikes tree only feet from home

The Ensley family were enjoying friends and beginning to barbecue at their home west of Homedale when lightning struck a tree just feet from the front of their home on Sunday evening.

It was around 7 p.m. when, Kevin Ensley said, “The storm looked like it had passed and was fizzling out.”

Some family friends were in the front room of the home when the lightning hit.

“The sound of it rattled the house so hard, there were picture frames that fell off the walls and the glass broke. I was looking that direction and everything just lit up,” Ruthann Ensley said. “The kids came running to the back of the house because of the loudness of the strike. They heard the glass break and thought it hit the house.

“Instantly, in the confusion I could smell smoke, thought it hit the front of the house and I started to call the fire department.”

Some in the home saw pieces of wood fly by the windows more than 30 feet away from the tree. In the backyard, they found pieces of bark and wood that had flown over the top of the house and more than 150 feet from the tree.

As friends and neighbors investigated, they realized the tree had been split all the way to the ground by the bolt and that it



had blown the bark off the tree like it was peeled. Some strips of bark were as long as 12 feet and more than a foot wide.

“This is such a strong tree that even the meanest wind storms don’t knock branches out of it,” Kevin said.

Ruthann was relieved that the tree remained standing, however it will have to be removed.

“I’m glad it is so strong and didn’t fall on the house,” she said. “I hate to lose such a great shade tree. I’d have to guess that it has to be over 75 years old.”

— MAB



Upper left: Sunday’s lightning strike stripped bark and split the trunk of the tree. Above: The Ensley family, from left, Ruthann, Kevin, and Marissa hold up large strip of bark blown off the tree by lightning.

Record number take part in county 4-H demos

Submitted article

A record number of presentations were made during the 2010 Owyhee County 4-H Oral Presentations on June 1 in Bruneau and June 4 in Marsing.

Organizers reported a record 134 presentations as youth shared their knowledge with judges and audience members. The number of presentations has grown 59.5 percent — or 50 entries — since 2008.

Ten Cloverbuds, ages 5-7, worked hard to prepare and practice their talks. They impressed the judges with all they had learned about horses, goats, sheep, rabbits, rocketry and photography. Receiving participation ribbons and 4-H pencils were: Trinetey Bachman, Laura Gasper, Jonathan Ineck, Justin Ineck, Lainey Keppler, Martin Law, Kiana Quintero, Tyler Roberts, Christian Sharek and Fallon Wasson.

Julianne Mori of Bruneau Canyon 4-H gave the top Illustrated Talk in the Junior 1, ages 8-9, Family and Consumer Science (FCS) division. With her presentation on A Stitch in Time, Kyla Mills, also of Bruneau Canyon 4-H, won the Junior 2, ages 10-11, FCS division. Other participants were Aislinn Dowell, Jazzlinn Dowell and Logan Stansell.

In the Junior 1 Agriculture division, Amber Good tied for first



Owyhee County 4-H’er Aislinn Dowell gives a demonstration on how to care for your cat. Submitted photo

with her Demonstration on Halter Breaking with Sophie Nash and her illustrated talk on How to Pick a Pig. Other Junior 1 Ag participants were: Michael Babcock, Hannah Field, Kenley Folwell, Joseph Ineck, Jeffrey Law, Ashley Loucks, Hanna Mayer, Dallin Mills and Julianne Mori.

There was another tie for first in the Junior 2 Ag division between Annie Bass, demonstrating Wranglin’ a Rope, and Michael Lejardi giving his illustrated talk on Swine Pneumonia. Other Junior 2 Ag participants were Nick Bennett, Quinton Bennion, Jordan Brisbin, Ryan Crifffield, Travis Erwin, Cooper Folwell, Wyatt Grim, Riley Haun, Mikaela Keppler, Krista Mayer, Ana-

leise Mills, Garrett Prow, Hailey Sharek, Megan Smith and Katelyn Wilson.

Sam Monson, from Wilson Butte 4-H, took first in the Junior 1 Horse division, demonstrating How to Groom Your Horse. Second was Louisa Metcalf of Owyhee Silver Spurs. Lyndsey Salutregui of South Mountain Cowboys was third, Cheylah Volkers of Wilson Butte 4-H was fourth, Josie Hall of the Dust Devils was fifth, and Montana Wasson of Owyhee Silver Spurs was sixth. Other Junior 1 participants included: Jacqueline Bodily, Darion Boman, Baylee Davis, Cheyenne Davis, TJ Davis, Mikaela Dolan, Wade Hegerhorst, Cheyenne Hopson, Megan Houser, Mylee Meyers, Jaiden Vincent, Kari Woods and Halie Workman.

First place in the Junior 2 Horse division went to Morgan Monson, followed by Arlie Stevenson demonstrating Proper Steps to Saddling and Bridling a Horse. Bryana Hampton placed third, McKenna Hall was fourth, Lena Metcalf placed fifth, and Haley Hegerhorst was sixth. Other Junior 2 Horse division participants were Janey Clay, Andrea Gonzalez, Andrea Greeley, TJ Hopson, Bailie Jewett, Krista Mayer and Sage Raine.

Intermediate members, ages 12-14, must give Demonstrations

or Illustrated talks eight to 12 minutes long. In the Horse division, Jesse Watson of the Owyhee Silver Spurs took first place talking about how to lay your horse down. In second was Carlie Purdom of the Dust Devils, and third place with “No Shoe! What to Do?” went to Jaycee Engle of Reynolds Creek 4-H. Alexis Bodily from Bruneau Sage Riders was fourth with “Ropin’ Up a Halter.” Fifth place went to another Dust Devil, Quincy Hall, and Ria Kent of Owyhee Silver Spurs placed sixth with a talk on “Gypsy Vanners.” Other Intermediate Horse participants were: Bridget Black, Hailey Boman, Taylor Coons, Abe Cunningham, Carey Dines, Hayleigh Green, Morgan Hall, Kyla Jewett, Jackie Phillips, Adrianna Salutregui, Bonnie Standlee and Samantha Woods.

First place in the Ag division was a tie between Wade Bass with his Demonstration on “Smokey the Pig or Salty the Pig, Curing Meat,” and Johanna Mori with an Illustrated Talk entitled “What’s on the Menu?”

First place in the Speech category was Zach Tindall of Bruneau Canyon 4-H, on Ethics in Youth Livestock Programs. Other Intermediates were Esteban Lejardi of Shoofly Livestock with his talk on Enterotoxemia, Brittany Roberts of Wilson Butte, Tori

Nash with her talk on Diseases and Their Control, and Cooper Folwell of Barnyard Brigade.

The experience showed through in the Senior division. Tyler Blackstock took first with his presentation on Ranch Management. Following closely were Kate Blackstock of Wilson Butte, Abby Caballero of Snake River Livestock with a dramatic reading on Sheep Logic, and Shelbie Crifffield of Shoofly Livestock, who gave an excellent talk on her experience with a prolapsed sheep.

Wilson Butte 4-H’ers Kate Blackstock and Lacey Usabel tied for first in the Senior Horse division. Caleb Cunningham of South Mountain Cowboys was third, and Marissa Ensley of Dust Devils, was fourth. Bruneau Sage Rider’s Brittany Rahier followed in fifth, with her talk on “Shots, Please,” and Evon Timmons of Wilson Butte was sixth. Other Seniors with horse projects were Jordan Boman, Becky Carter, Jesse Cavanagh, Abby Clay, Shelbie Ferdinand, Liz Gramps, Josie Grim, Stephanie Hylton and Shana McCarthy.

Judith McShane, Owyhee County 4-H program coordinator, expressed her appreciation to the judges for their time and efforts. She also thanked Marsing and Bruneau Elementary schools for use of their facilities.

District II 4-H horse judging

Aspiring hippologists invade county fairgrounds for meet



District II 4-H horse judging held at fairgrounds

Eh Capa 4-H Club members, from left, Codi Ratliff, 15, Lindsey Varley, 15, and Alyssa Williams, 17, score the Western Pleasure horse class at Saturday's horse judging competition.

Results

4-H District II Horse Judging Saturday in Homedale Team

- 1. Payette 2 — MaKenna Little, Hailey Jenkins, Dusty Goff and Rylee Dolven
- 2. Payette 2 — Haliey Alexander, McCall Alexander and Cosi Goade
- 3. Gem/Boise A — Sierra Crisp, Joelle Alexander, Coltin Patnaude and Brianne Charters
- 4. Desert Wind Riders-Ada County — Kiarra Rothwell, Megan Kelsch, Carina Marsh and Chelsea Bagby
- 5. Canyon County — Saidee Jones, Hailey Cortez and Anna Lambright
- 6. Trail Blazers, Ada County — Haylee Palmer, Jessica Astel, Sara Weekes and Ashley Nourse

Individual results

- Senior** — 1. Mason Sideroff, Gem; 2. Hailey Alexander, Payette; 3. Sierra Crisp, Gem; 4. Kiarra Rothwell, Ada; 5. Kallie Leonard, Boise; 6. Haylee Palmer, Ada
- Intermediate** — 1. MaKenna Little, Payette; 2. Saidee Jones, Canyon; 3. McCall Alexander, Payette; 4. Hailey Jenkins, Payette; 5. Joelle Alexander, Gem; 6. Cosi Goade, Payette
- Junior** — 1. Dusty Goff, Payette; 2. Bobby Sue Oliver, Payette; 3. Charlina Lancaster, Payette; 4. Dasha Goade, Payette; 5. Morgan Solders, Canyon; 6. Alexis Reece, Payette



Mandy Brasher, left, assists Kortney Bahem by logging her observations during the horse judging Saturday at the fairgrounds.

The District II horse judging competition took place Saturday at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds in Homedale. The event boasted 87 participants from Ada, Canyon, Gem, Boise and Owyhee counties.

Junior (ages 8 to 11), Intermediate (ages 12 to 14), and Senior (ages 15 through 18) groups competed in judging a variety of horse classes, with and without riders.

The 4-H horse judging competition required participants to judge a group of horses simultaneously with an appointed judge, which was Homedale High School graduate Kortney Bahem. At the conclusion of a set of horses being shown, the student judges scored the set and turned in their cards. Bahem then gave her placing order of horses and explained her reasoning behind the ranking of those horses.

The only exception was when a class of horses was selected as a “reasons class” by the judge. In those classes, the judge did not explain the rankings. Instead, the student judges gathered at the conclusion of the event and gave their reasons for the selected classes. Their scores could have been increased by how compelling their case was, for their differences with the judge’s ranking.

Students that ranked the horses identical to the judge, received a perfect score of 50 points. Deductions or “cuts” to the student’s score were determined by the differential of how far apart two horses were ranked by the official judge. For example, if a pair of horses are ranked No. 1 and No. 2, but are narrowly separated by judges score, a student reversing that order in their rankings would have a smaller cut from their score.

The District II Hippology (the study of horses) competition also was held Saturday at the fairgrounds.

There were four phases. Horse judging was followed by a written exam that assessed participants’ knowledge of diseases, anatomy, colors, markings, breeds and nutrition management. Students then went to stations where they have to identify some of those above elements in visual examples. The last phase was a team problem. A horse-related problem was given to each team, and they had 10 minutes to develop their presentation. They were judged upon their knowledge and presentation.

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Above: Homedale High School graduate Kortney Bahem, the official judge for Saturday's contest, explains her reasons for horse placement in her evaluations to competitors at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds. Below: Bahem inspects one of the horses on hand for Saturday's competition.

Bahem returns as official judge for 4-H competition

Kortney Bahem, fresh off of receiving her Associates degree in Animal Science from Casper College, returned home to a familiar setting.

She was the official judge at the District II horse judging competition on Saturday at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds in Homedale.

The 2008 Homedale High School graduate plans to return to school in the fall at Colorado State University and compete on their livestock judging team.

The daughter of Kenny and Sylvia Bahem had the opportunity to pass on some of her knowledge to the local 4-H youngsters through her judging comments at Saturday’s event.



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Avalanche Sports

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 2010

Jordan Valley grad reaches national rodeo

HHS’ King, Matteson make Silver State show next month

A strong showing in the second go helped Dusty Easterday prolong his high school rodeo career.

The Jordan Valley High School graduate

cashied in a 62-point ride for a third-place finish in the Idaho High School State Finals Rodeo last week in Pocatello and qualified for the National High School Finals Rodeo next month in Wyoming.

Easterday’s 34 points were well behind state champion Cody Spencer, who took home the buckle with 50.5 points. But the top four cowboys in each state event qualify for the July 18-24 national rodeo

in Gillette.

Those who place fourth through eighth at the state rodeo can compete in the Silver State International Rodeo July 5-9 in Fallon, Nev.

Homedale’s Rosie King had two top-five finishes in three go-rounds and nailed seventh place in pole bending at the state rodeo with 25.5 points. She is eligible to travel to Fallon.

Her performance at the Bannock County Fairgrounds included a third-place time of 21.29 seconds in the first go, and a fifth-place time of 21.3 in the third go.

Another Homedale product, Lane Matteson, also can travel to Fallon. He and partner Taylor Duby finished seventh in team roping with 24.5 points. The pair

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Back row, from left: Dwayne Fisher (director), Devin Fisher, Devon Schoonover, Joel Campos, Cayetano Montes, Tim McDonald, Cole Jeppe, Jake McDonald, Joe Egusquiza (coach)

Second row, from left: Nash Johnson, Adam Campos, Jaegar Rose, Jordan Packer, Andy Montes, Daniel Montes

Front row, from left: Willy Haun, Jace Love, Kegan Christensen, Spencer Fisher, Trenton Fisher, Joseph Egusquiza, Mike Kelly (coach)

Youth wrestlers eye glory at regional tournament

Homedale Freestyle fields largest team in club history

The Homedale wrestling room on Wednesday night was a sea of red.

Homedale Freestyle Club director Dwayne Fisher made good on his promise to give club jackets to wrestlers who stuck out the entire season. The new red team jackets on these 20-plus wrestlers and coaches are a sign of what is to come, Fisher said.

“The theme for the year was ‘The Future is Bright’, and this group proves it,” Fisher said. “The turnout this season and their success shows what quality athletes we have in the pipeline for our junior high and high school wrestling programs.”

This season’s turnout was the highest in the history of the freestyle club.

After handing out the team jackets, Fisher had a reminder for the wrestlers:

“Wear these jackets with pride, because you’ve earned them. Wear them around town, at school, and everywhere you can, because we want others to know how much fun it is to wrestle, and we want to have an even bigger team next year.”

Some of the club wrestlers are not finished quite yet. Sixteen are in Pocatello this week for the Western Regional Tournament, competing against the best youth wrestlers from 11 western states, including Alaska, Hawaii, Washington, Montana, Oregon, Idaho, California, Nevada, Arizona, Utah and Wyoming. Coach Mike Kelly pointed out, “The Regionals

are the second-largest tournament in the world.”

The tournament began Monday inside Holt Arena on the Idaho State University campus. It concludes Saturday.

Many Homedale club wrestlers qualified for the regional tourney, but the following 16 are participating: Joel Campos Jr., Adam Campos, Joseph Egusquiza, Spencer Fisher, Cole Jeppe, Nash Johnson, Jace Love, Daniel Montes, Andy Montes, Cayetano Montes, Devon Schoonover, Willy Haun, Tim McDonald, Jake McDonald, Jaegar Rose and Jordan Packer.

If the grapplers continue their winning ways, the next step could be the national tournament in Heber City, Utah at the end of the month. It is rare that the regional tournament and national tournaments are both so close to Idaho.

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Martinat winds up seventh at CNFR

77-point Saturday ride moves HHS grad up standings

Bryan Martinat got all his rides out of the way early last week at the College National Finals Rodeo in Casper, Wyo.

Then he had to sit and sweat it out to see if he would make Saturday’s short-go for a shot at defending his saddle bronc national title.

He eked into the final 12-man field — with a 12th-place seed, no less, after sitting as high as third earlier in the competition.

Then Martinat went out Saturday at the Casper Events Center and nailed a 77.5-point ride aboard Pine Cone. It wasn’t enough for the championship, but the Homedale High School graduate and Blue Mountain Community College cowboy was able to solidify seventh. He finished with a four-ride score of 293.5, or a 73.3 average.

Ranked as high as third after completing his three preliminary rides by June 15, the son of Tony and Kim Martinat slipped to eighth after Thursday’s go-round.

He entered Saturday’s championship ride with a three-head score of 216 points for a 72-point average.

Martinat won the 2009 saddle bronc title while competing for Western Texas College.

Martinat started his 2010 CNFR with a 75-point ride. He has also posted rides of 71 and 70 points. Three cowboys, including Asay, have had rides of 81 points or better.

Martinat finished his first season at Blue Mountain far and away the best saddle bronc riding in the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association’s Northwest Region.

He scored 1,240 points in 10 rodeos, nearly 800 points better than second-place Timothy Hannan of Ontario, Ore.’s Treasure Valley Community College.

Homedale football fundraiser winds down

Homedale High School football players are in the final days of a fundraising drive aimed at paying for transportation, equipment and completing a weight room upgrade.

Trojans players are selling helmet plaques, which will be adorned with donors’ names, in an effort to raise nearly \$8,600 for the three areas of need.

For a donation of \$150, a supporter’s personalized plaque will hang to form a border around the Deward Bell Stadium locker room.

Orders for the helmet plaques are being taken through Friday. Players who sell multiple plaques will receive incentives for summer camp costs, according to a flyer outlining the fundraiser.

Proceeds will help pay:

- Transportation costs for the regular season as well as travel to the summer team camp at Eastern Oregon University in LaGrande, Ore., and a leadership retreat in New Meadows. The total goal for transportation costs is approximately \$3,500.
- Refurbishing equipment, such as helmets and shoulder pads, practice pants, uniforms and footballs. The program has a goal of \$5,000.
- Purchasing rubber flooring to complete the weight room renovation at an approximate cost of \$90.

For more information on the fundraiser, contact coach Matt Holtry at mholtry@homedale-schools.org or 412-7398.

Owyhee County Church Directory

Iglesia Misionera Biblica Homedale Pastor Fernando Gomez 132 W. Owyhee • 337-5975 Servicios: Mar - 7pm - Oracion Mier - 7pm Predicacion, Vier - Oracion Dom - 10am Esc. Dom y 6pm "Una Iglesia Diferente."	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 Pastors Ron & Martha 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 Sunday School 9:30 am Worship Services: 10:45 am Sundays Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 5:30 pm Wednesday CLC: 3:15 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 Church Homedale - 337-4248 Sunday Services 10am Rev. Ross Shaver, Pastor Youth and Adult Sunday School 9-9:45am Wed. Adult Bible Study 7-8:30pm Visitors Always Welcome!	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 Travis Kraupp Bishop Ronald Spencer 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 107 W. Main • Marsing, Idaho Pastor Jose Gutierrez 208-461-9016 or 880-6172 Sunday School 10:00 am Sunday Service 1 pm • Wednesday Service 7 pm Bilingual Services/Español	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, 337-3425 Pastor Ron Franklin Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7:30	Assembly of God Church Marsing 139 Kerry, 965-1650 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm
Lizard Butte Baptist Church Marsing Pastor David London 116 4th Ave. W., 859-2059 Sunday worship: Morning: 11am-Noon• Evening: 6-7pm Sunday school 10 am-10:55am Wednesday evening 6pm-7pm	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, 9:00 a.m. Bishop Jensen Sunday 2nd Ward, 12:30 p.m. Bishop Parry	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 June Fothergill 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 2010 Mass Schedule - the following Saturdays at 9:30am March 13 - April 10 - May 22 - June 26 - July 24 - Aug. 14 Sept. 11 - Oct. 23 - Nov. 27 All are welcome! 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

Sports

Younger Reay readies for Jr. High National Finals

The Reay family of Adrian isn't quite done with school rodeos this year.

Tyler Reay, the son of Mike and Brenda Reay, will compete in boys' breakaway roping at the National Junior High School Finals Rodeo next week.

Tyler's brother, Bryan, just finished up the Idaho State High

School Finals Rodeo during the weekend.

Tyler Reay's participation in the NJHSFR begins Tuesday night with his first go in Gallup, N.M.

His second go comes on the morning of July 1.

The NJHSFR runs Sunday through July 3.

✓ Rodeo: More locals ride

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was fifth after the first go with a 9.23-second performance. The had the third-best time in the second go at 9.10.

Kade Eiguren of Jordan Valley and partner Dalton Jim of Owyhee, Nev., were fourth after the first go in team roping with an 8.76-second showing. They finished 14th overall.

Another Jordan Valley cowboy, Brandan Mackenzie, was 13th in steer wrestling with 16.5 points. He had the third-best performance in the second go, taking down his

animal in 5.53 seconds.

Adrian's Bryan Reay wound up 17th in steer wrestling with 10 points. He was sixth after a first-go time of 6.32 seconds.

Reay and Mackenzie also competed at State in team roping, while Dusty Easterday also competed in steer wrestling and tie-down roping. Jim also qualified for the state rodeo as a saddle bronc rider.

Adrian's Maddy Pendergrass made her first state finals rodeo appearance in breakaway roping.

✓ Wrestlers: 16 make trip

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At the Idaho State Tournaments held in April and May, several club members brought home medals:

- Devon Schoonover — Novice 85 lbs. — Third place (Greco-Roman), second place (Freestyle)
- Joel Campos Jr. — Cadet 112 lbs. — Second place (Greco-Roman), third place (Freestyle)
- Cayetano Montes — Cadet 140 lbs. — Third place (Greco-Roman), second place (Freestyle)
- Cole Jeppe — Cadet 140 lbs. — Fourth place (Freestyle)
- Jake McDonald — Novice 140 lbs. — Second place (Freestyle)
- Nash Johnson — Novice 90 lbs. — State champion (Freestyle), third place (Greco-Roman)
- Adam Campos — Novice 75 lbs. — Double state champion (Greco-Roman and Freestyle)
- Jaegar Rose — Intermediate 65 lbs. — Third place (Greco-Roman), eighth place (Freestyle)
- Jordan Packer — Intermediate 65 lbs. — Seventh place (Freestyle)
- Daniel Montes — Novice 100 lbs. — Fifth place (Freestyle)
- Willy Haun — Pre-Bantam 60 lbs. — State champion (Freestyle)
- Jace Love — Bantam 60 lbs. — Fifth place (Freestyle)
- Spencer Fisher — Bantam 60 lbs. — State champion (Freestyle)
- Trenton Fisher — Pre-Bantam 50 lbs. — Second place (Freestyle)
- Joseph Egusquiza — Bantam 50 lbs. — Fifth place (Freestyle)
- Katherine Renz — Schoolgirl

- 120 lbs. — Sixth place (Greco-Roman)
- Matthew Renz — Schoolboy 128 lbs. — Fourth place (Greco-Roman), eighth place (Freestyle)
- D'Orr Packer — Pre-Bantam 45 lbs. — Fourth place (Freestyle)
- Kade Fenton — Pre-Bantam 50 lbs. — Fourth place (Freestyle)
- Jace Elumbargh — Pre-Bantam 50 lbs. — Fifth place (Freestyle)
- Colton Gordon — Pre-Bantam 50 lbs. — Sixth place (Freestyle)
- Brantyn VanDyke — Pre-Bantam 55 lbs. — Fourth place (Freestyle)
- Jose Luis Cortez — Pre-Bantam 75 lbs. — State champion (Freestyle)
- Michael Babcock — Bantam 55 lbs. — Fourth place (Freestyle)
- Owen Houser — Bantam 60 lbs. — Sixth place (Freestyle)
- J.T. Garcia — Bantam 60 lbs. — Fourth place (Freestyle)
- Rhyalee Nixon — Bantam 70 lbs. — Fifth place (Freestyle)
- Robert Nix — Intermediate 80 lbs. — Seventh place (Freestyle)
- Megan Houser — Intermediate 103 lbs. — Sixth place (Freestyle)
- Trey Lane — Schoolboy 128 lbs. — Seventh place (Freestyle)
- Josie Meyers — Cadet — 130 lbs. — Sixth place (Greco-Roman), sixth place (Freestyle)
- Justin Ensley — Juniors — 119 lbs. — State champion (Freestyle), second place (Greco-Roman)

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Did You Know?

Wild Blueberries are a different berry from cultivated blueberries. They grow naturally in the fields and barrens of Maine and Canada. They are smaller in size, have a unique sweet-tart taste, and are only available frozen.

Chicken Breast with Sweet and Sour Wild Blueberry Sauce

- Prep Time: Approximately 20 minutes
Serves 1
- 1 6-ounce skinless, boneless chicken breast
 - Salt and pepper to taste
 - 1 teaspoon oil
 - 1 small red pepper
 - 1 small green pepper
 - 2 tablespoons fig jam (or apricot jam)
 - 4 teaspoons balsamic vinegar
 - 1/4 teaspoon sugar
 - 2 tablespoons sweet and sour chili sauce
 - 2/3 cup frozen Wild Blueberries, thawed and drained

Season chicken breast with salt and pepper. Heat oil in small, non-stick frying pan. Fry chicken breast for 12 to 15 minutes. Remove from heat and let cool.

Wash, seed and cut peppers into bite-sized pieces. Cut cooked chicken breast into bite-sized pieces; combine with peppers. Mix jam with balsamic vinegar, sugar and chili sauce. Gently stir in Wild Blueberries.

Wild Blueberry Gingered Lemon Muffins

- Prep Time: 30 minutes
Yield: approximately 36 muffins
- 6 cups cake flour
 - 2 tablespoons baking powder
 - 2 teaspoons baking soda
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 2 cups low-fat buttermilk
 - 1 1/2 cups (12 ounces) egg substitute
 - 1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
 - 1/2 cup canola oil
 - 4 cups frozen Wild Blueberries
 - 1/3 cup (3 ounces) crystallized ginger, chopped
 - 1/3 cup granulated sugar, for topping
 - 2 tablespoons lemon zest
- In bowl combine flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt; reserve.
- In another bowl beat together buttermilk, egg substitute, 1 1/2 cups sugar and oil; stir into flour mixture just to blend. Fold in Wild Blueberries, ginger and lemon zest.
- Scoop 1/4 cup batter into each greased 1/3-cup muffin tin. Sprinkle each muffin with sugar. Bake in 400°F conventional oven or 375°F convection oven 18 to 22 minutes or until firm to the touch. Serve warm.



Wild Blueberry Lemon Jam

- Prep Time: 25 to 30 minutes
Yield: about 8 half-pints
- 5 cups frozen Wild Blueberries
 - 1 package dry pectin
 - 5 cups sugar
 - 1 tablespoon lemon zest
 - 1/3 cup lemon juice
- Crush thawed Wild Blueberries one layer at a time, or chop frozen in food processor.
- Combine thawed, crushed Wild Blueberries and pectin in a large saucepot. Bring to a boil, stirring frequently. Add sugar, stirring until dissolved. Stir in grated lemon zest and lemon juice. Return to a rolling boil. Boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly.
- Remove from heat. Skim foam if necessary. Ladle hot jam into hot jars, leaving 1/4-inch headspace. Adjust two-piece caps. Process 15 minutes in a boiling water canner.

Wild Blueberry Ice Cream Pops

- Prep Time: Approximately 15 minutes, plus thaw and freezing time
Yield: 6 Pops
- 1 cup frozen Wild Blueberries
 - 1 ounce milk chocolate chips
 - 2 cups fat-free vanilla frozen yogurt, softened slightly
- Materials: small wooden or plastic sticks
- Thaw Wild Blueberries and purée. In a bowl, combine puréed Wild Blueberries, chocolate and frozen yogurt. Mix thoroughly.
- Rinse 6 standard muffin cups with cold water and spoon in Wild Blueberry mixture, dividing it evenly between the cups (silicone muffin cups need not be rinsed first). Place a stick in the center of each “muffin” and freeze until firm, at least 2 hours.
- Tip: Mixture can also be frozen with plastic sticks in small glasses or espresso cups.



Freezer Facts

- Here are some of the reasons frozen produce is a perfect option for people looking to fill the pantry with healthy foods all year round.
- Frozen offers great value when compared to in-season pricing.
 - No aging or spoiling means no waste, saving you money.
 - Frozen produce is ideal for smoothies, entrees, desserts, breakfast, and most recipes that call for blueberries.
 - Frozen Wild Blueberries are thoroughly washed and have no caloric syrups or additives.

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FAMILY FEATURES

If you’re looking for tasty ways to improve your diet, you’re in luck. You can get big taste and big benefits from a little fruit — Wild Blueberries.

The Color Connection

A diet rich in fruits and vegetables can help maintain a healthy weight and reduce the risk of chronic diseases like diabetes, heart disease and some cancers. Eating across the color spectrum is important so you get a variety of nutritional benefits.

Wild Blueberries get their color from naturally occurring phytochemicals, which are primarily responsible for antioxidant activity. Wild Blueberries are antioxidant rich, making them a great choice for their nutritional benefits and disease fighting potential. In fact,

- USDA studies rank Wild Blueberries highest in antioxidant capacity per serving, compared with more than 20 other fruits including cranberries, strawberries, apples and even cultivated blueberries.
- Health magazine has named Wild Blueberries high on its list of “America’s Healthiest Superfoods for Women,” singling out their variety of potential health benefits, including preventing memory loss, improving motor skills, lowering blood pressure, and fighting wrinkles.

Wild Blueberries are available year-round in supermarkets nationwide. Frozen at the peak of ripeness, all the farm-fresh taste and nutritional benefits are locked-in. Most studies show that frozen fruits and vegetables are higher in vitamins, minerals and phytonutrients because they are frozen near the time of harvest.

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Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

June 26, 1985

Spray plane drops pesticides at airport

The Homedale bridge on U.S. 95 was closed for two hours Sunday morning as city and county law enforcement officers mopped up a spill of liquid parathion, a potentially dangerous pesticide slated for grasshopper control.

At around 9:30am, a Cessna crop duster, piloted by Ken Whipple of Nyssa, dropped a partial load of 180 gallons of 3% parathion on the apron of the Homedale Airport. The drop trailed up the highway approach to the bridge, releasing around one gallon into a diversion ditch into the Snake River and around five gallons onto the bridge, said Homedale Chief of Police Allen Bidwell. The bridge was closed for two hours as workers placed gravel containing lime on the liquid to absorb the chemical.

Greenway Tractor crosses river to new business location

The best word for Greenway Tractor these days is activity. The John Deere dealership is in the midst of a grand-scale move from their former location on East Idaho Avenue to the old Tom Morris Equipment center on the Canyon side of the Snake River.

The lion’s share of the implements were moved in a matter of days last week, said manager Jim Clarke. Employees, customers, high school students, and wives drove the tractors and combines over the bridge to the location on Friday. The business was open on Monday, but some loose ends are still waiting to be tied.

Greenway handles thousands of service parts for the John Deere tractors and combines, and these are in the process of being transported, he said. While they planned to refurbish the interior of the building before moving, that was not completely accomplished, so carpeting and carpentry is going on around the staff. The new facility will have an expanded parts warehouse, more office space, a service library for tech manuals, a lunch room and conference room.

Clarke said he is satisfied with the location. Several years ago, the company intended to build at Highway 95 and Boehner Road. Through a series of planning and zoning hang-ups the plan for a larger building was shelved.

Parts outlet established

Harvey Grimme and Bob Johnson have just opened the MAT Parts Warehouse, located one-and-a-half blocks south of Main Street in Marsing on the Bruneau Highway. MAT (short for Marsing Auto and Towing) offers windshields and glass for your vehicle, body parts, spare parts, tires and wheels, new or used. Harvey said the new shop was located near the grain elevator.

Frank Baltzor is to be Grand Marshal of Vale rodeo

Jordan Valley’s old-time rancher, Frank Baltzor, has been chosen to be the Vale Rodeo Grand Marshal this year. He will have a busy schedule. July 2 he will be honored at noon by the Vale Chamber of Commerce at the Red Rock Center. On July 3 from 5-6pm there will be a barbecue in his honor at the City Park. A roast will be done by his friends during this time. He and his family are invited to ride by stagecoach in the parade at 5:30pm on July 4. He will be introduced each night at the rodeo, which starts at 8:15pm July 3 through 6.

Frank was born Nov. 3, 1907, on a homestead five miles West of Sheaville, Oregon. He was the eighth in a family of nine children and attended Cow Creek school through the eighth grade. His family moved to Arena Valley (near Wilder) for a couple of years while an older brother ran his father’s ranch on Cow Creek. They moved back to the ranch in 1931 and Frank has lived in that area ever since.

Over coffee

Wayne Breshears of Homedale filmed last week’s business district fire which was shown on KTVB news at 5, 6 and 10pm, Friday evening, with credit from the station for his work.

50 years ago

June 23, 1960

Fire department extinguishes 3 blazes last week

Three fires, seemingly all caused by burning weeds, were quenched the past week by the Homedale volunteer fire department, Fire Chief John Matteson said Tuesday.

An alarm went in Monday about 2:30pm that a grass fire on the riverbank in back of the homes of Dale Jackson, Richard Eismann and Vic Uria was getting too close to the homes for safety. The fire was immediately put out.

Two fires Sunday called the firemen from their day of rest, one shortly after noon was across the river on the Powell Thomas place. An unused chicken house had caught fire and was destroyed. Rural Fire Chief Bruce Smith said the blaze was evidently started by burning weeds.

About 4pm Sunday a grass fire near the J. C. Palumbo potato cellar ignited the doors and side walls of the structure and caused some damage before extinguished.

Owyhee Historical Society has field trip to Silver City

The Owyhee County Historical Society on a field trip to Silver City June 19. Approximately 250 persons attended, counting children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold (Rusty) Statham of Boise were in charge of giving information about the old town and its buildings. Mrs. Statham is a former resident of Owyhee County and was born in Silver City. She has recently been putting in an unbelievable amount of research on Owyhee County, including reading 40 years of issues of the Owyhee Avalanche completely. Mr. and Mrs. Statham are at present members of both the State and Owyhee County historical organizations.

One highlight of the day occurred when the board of directors of the Owyhee County Cattlemen’s Association opened the old school house and allowed the field trip participants to see the interior.

Cattlemen to convene at Silver City July 30-31

The Owyhee county Cattlemen’s Association board of directors and officers met in Silver City Sunday to discuss plans for the annual convention to be held July 30 and 31.

The Silver City school house, built in 1892, was leased by the association and will be used as a meeting hall. Plans for restoring and repairing the building were also made.

Part of the building will be made into a “brand” room to display Owyhee County brands. Each brand will be burned on a pine block and members assessed \$5.00 to have it displayed.

Historical relics will be on display there sometime in the future.

Present were Alvin Benson, president, and Mrs. Benson; Frank Baltzor, vice-president; Ralph Samson, secretary, and Mrs. Samson; Carl Agenbroad and Mrs. Agenbroad, Walt Morgan and Mrs. Morgan, Ed Mink and Mrs. Mink and John Malmberg and Mrs. Malmberg. The men are members of the board of directors.

Homedale locals

Guests at a picnic lunch Sunday at the Wendell Hyer home were Mr. and Mrs. Deward Bell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Deward Bell, Joan and Patty spent Friday night camping near Idaho City.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Carter, Becky and Mrs. Carter’s niece, Nancy Taylor, Boise, joined Mrs. Carter’s sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burdick and family, Burlingame, Calif., and her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, and family, Irvington, Calif., at Lake Tahoe from Wednesday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lemrick and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haddox, Boise, plan to attend the National Reactor Testing station open house near Arco next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Johnstone and family, Marsing, met with the 1940 graduating class of Homedale Saturday night at El Gavilan for a banquet and Sunday at the park where a picnic was held.

140 years ago

June 11, 1870

THE LATE ELECTION in Silver City, and throughout the entire county, as far as we can ascertain, passed off in a remarkably quiet and orderly manner. The number of votes cast at this election is 575 as against 1,147 two years ago. In 1868 the entire Democratic ticket was elected; this time seven of the candidates on the Republican county ticket are elected, viz: Gilmore Hays, to Council for long term; W. H. VanSlyke, to Assembly; A. Robinson, District Attorney; Jas. Gardner, Treasurer; W. J. Hill, County Clerk; H. W. Millard, County Commissioner, and Dave Dorsey, Coroner. Two Republican officers are elected for Silver City Precinct – Rufus King, Justice of the Peace, and George Gilmore, Constable. But little money was expended and no great exertions put forth by either party. Both tickets were composed in the main of good men, and, we have no doubt, but that the successful candidates will prove worthy of the trust reposed in them by the people.

SHERIFF THACKER, says the Winnemucca Register of June 4th, arrested three men last Monday charged with stealing five or six head of horses belonging to Hill Beachey. They were taken before Justice Pease for a hearing, when the case was continued till Thursday to procure testimony on the part of the prosecution, meantime the Justice was called to Elko as a witness in the Lindsay and Cage suit, and Thursday at the appointed hour the Sheriff brought his prisoners into court but the court being none the prisoners were released.

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS is about to be entered on the list of Saints. Forney’s Press nominates Galileo as the next candidate for the honors of canonization. Both of them interfered with the Copernican system — only in different ways — and their labors deserve equal appreciation.

DECORATION DAY was observed in the principal cities on this coast as well as at the East, on May 30th. When carried out in the proper spirit, the custom is a most beautiful and appropriate one, and can be made to do much towards softening the feelings and healing the wounds caused in our late civil strife. By all means let us honor those who died in vindication of what they thought was right, and for the welfare of their native land.

PRECINCT OFFICERS. In Flint District, Geo. King is elected Justice of the Peace and Thos. McAvin, Constable; Oro Fino, W. McDonald, Justice of the Peace and R. Martin, Constable; Wagontown, Thos. Walls, Justice of the Peace, and John Kowell, Constable.

LOCAL HINTS AND HAPPENINGS. There is a scarcity of laborers in this camp at present. At least 60, and perhaps 100 men could get immediate employment here at mining, wood chopping &c.

According to the Grand Jury report, the county debt on the 8th of April was \$53,262.53. Cash in the Treasury, \$1,661.37, of which, they say, \$929.35 is on special deposit with Thos. Cole, Jr., & Co. Exactly; and it will remain on deposit a long while with Thos. Cole, Jr., & Co.

Hon. T. J. Butler is now editing a Republican paper just started in Elko. It is called the Chronicle, is about the size of the Avalanche and published semi-weekly. Those who desire to keep posted on that locality cannot do better than subscribe for the Elko Chronicle- \$8 per year.

John Brunzell came in from Cope on Wednesday. He reports the road in very good condition, except three or four muddy places which are fast drying up. Mr. B has disposed of some of his mining interest out here and will remain in Silver perhaps all summer.

An immense amount of scratching was done on both sides last Monday. Probably not more than fifty straight tickets were voted in Silver City precinct.

W. H. Van Slyke has returned from the Webfoot country, fat and wholesome looking — but no wife. How’s that, Van?

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense Lizard abuse

1 APR 2038 HEADLINE: X-HSUS FILES SUIT AGAINST GEICO FOR LIZARD ABUSE!

(AgP) Attorneys for the Extreme Humane Society of the United Suers (X-HSUS) have filed suit in the San Francisco Court of Steals, Deals, Repeals and Conceals against Geico (Government Engineered Insurance Conspirators) for Mistreatment, Mental Anguish and Misrepresentation of Reptiles. Conjugal charges involve Impersonation of the British (a protected aboriginal group in western European Socialist Republic) and using humor for frivolous purposes.

“It’s been a long time coming,” said Sly d’Sieversson, executive director of the X-HSUS. “After we protected the horses, eliminated factory farming, outlawed fishing, interspecies cow milking, aquariums, zoos, circuses, the study of Marine Biology, farming salmon, shrimping, crabbing, lobstering, and hunting of any kind, reptile protection was the next logical choice.”

According to the Department of Social Intervention, the current generation is only vaguely aware that America once had an abundance of food at modest prices. There were no long lines around the block, no waiting for hours to buy the legally approved organic staples of wheat, beets and leafy spurge. As shortages began, government produce vendors were allowed to count weevils, nematodes and fecal contamination from wild livestock toward the protein content on the label.

When asked about the likelihood that the court would actually agree to hear their case, because it is well known that the lizard in the commercial is not real, Sly replied, “Simple. We have learned from years of experience that it is not the abuse and mistreatment that has furthered our financial and prosecutorial success, it is the ‘illusion’ of abuse and mistreatment!”

OFF THE RECORD

Reporter: “But the lizard isn’t real.”

Sly: “Kids don’t know that. They grow up to be adults that don’t know that.”

Reporter: “You’ve sure done a good job of pulling the wool over their eyes, so to speak.”

Sly: “Careful. That joke is illegal under the Animal Defamation Act.”

Reporter: “What’s next?”

Sly: “Off the record? Companion animals. We’ve eliminated personal ownership, dog and cat shows, the Iditarod, greyhound racing, bird or Frisbee retrievers, purebred raising, training for livestock work, security, drug sniffing, helping the blind, the old, the disabled, the selling of any kind of animal for any purpose (Animal Slavery Act). Only alternative oral or topical all-natural treatments are allowed on animals but no physical or medical restraint is permitted during administration. No house breaking, either. No ear, tail, or claw trimming, and no neutering. Reproduction is a natural act.

“It is our conviction that companion animals, as such, should be as free as a mustang, as a bird, as a rodent ... as a fire ant. Look how well rats and roaches have done since the elimination of pesticides, insecticides and genetically modified foods! Ours is not to question why, ours is but to do or die!

“Someday, in a perfect world, the only species in cages will be EVIL HUMANS!”

— Visit Baxter Black’s Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features, merchandise and his latest book, “The Back Page”.

Wayne Cornell

Not important ... but possibly of interest Fannie Mae or may not



A while back, I related how we purchased a used pickup truck. When the engine went bad on the second day, the dealer wanted to charge us an additional \$1,600 to make the truck roadworthy — even though it came with a 30-day warranty. We declined, got our money back and found a different truck.

Fannie Mae is an agency established by Congress in 1938. It is supposed to help people obtain home loans. One of the reasons the housing market is in such a shambles right now is that Fannie Mae made a lot of loans to folks who weren’t really qualified.

Recently, several Fannie Mae houses in this area were scheduled for auction. One of the houses was only a couple of miles from our place. In fact, Sara took accordion lessons at the house when she was a kid. We decided to attend the auction. We thought if the house went for a low enough price, we could spruce it up and either sell up for a profit or rent it.

On auction day, we joined about a dozen people in the backyard of the house. There also were several Internet bidders. The auction company flew in three people for the sale — an auctioneer from Louisiana and two guys from the home office in Tulsa. The house of interest to us was the first up for bid. Sara was handling our bidding.

In less than five minutes, to our surprise, we had bought a house.

After the auction, we signed a contract. The clerk said we would be notified within 10 days if we were the winner. I found that rather odd, as I thought that it already was decided because we were the winner of the auction. That shows how much I know.

We spent the rest of the morning making arrangements

to get the financing for the house and the remodeling we intended to do. It was after lunch when we got home. The telephone rang.

The caller was a woman at the auction company in Tulsa. She said Fannie Mae had made a counter offer \$2,500 higher than our bid. Would we accept their counter offer? We said no and pointed out there had been no minimum bid at the auction. We said in auctions, as long as the minimum is met, the high bidder wins. We said that we suspected that if we had called them and said we had changed our minds about our bid, we would have been held to the contract we signed. So what right did Fannie Mae have to up the ante after the auction ended?

The woman said that if we read the contract closely we would see that the seller had the right change the rules at any time. Essentially, it means Fannie Mae has rights, the buyers have no rights, and the auction wasn’t really an auction.

The woman said Fannie Mae probably wouldn’t auction the house again. Instead it will be offered “to a list of investors.” And I’ll just bet one of those “investors” — who definitely are in that business to make a profit — will get the house for even less than what we offered. I wonder how one gets on the investor list?

So, the car dealer sold us a car and then wanted additional money to make it run as advertised. Then Fannie Mae tells us being the high bidder on a house only works if we pay more than we bid.

Seems to be a pattern here.

— Go to www.theowyheeavalanche.com to link to some of Wayne’s previous columns on his blog. You’ll find the link in the bottom right-hand corner of the home page.

Sen. Mike Crapo

From Washington Administration seems oblivious to what Americans really need



Last summer, the U.S. House of Representatives passed the American Clean Energy and Security Act, also known as the Waxman-Markey “cap and trade” legislation. The Senate has attempted to pass similar legislation, but the American people are wise to the act. They have pushed back to let their elected representatives know that they oppose a massive energy tax that will send more jobs overseas and significantly undermine our global competitiveness. Unfortunately, though, instead of signaling that they hear the American people loud and clear, the Obama administration is planning to regulate greenhouse gas emissions under the Clean Air Act (CAA). This is like trying to jam a square peg into a round hole, and it will have very serious adverse effects on our economy.

In late January, I joined 41 Republican and Democratic senators to introduce a resolution to essentially stop the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) from imposing much of the cap and trade proposal on the American people without Congressional authorization. I co-sponsored this resolution because this effort to use the EPA to impose a cap and trade-like mandate is nothing more than an end run around Congress, where the decision should be made. The CAA was not intended to function as a regulatory system for America’s greenhouse gas emissions. Despite all this, though, and despite strong opposition to this form of regulation across America, including from members of Congress on both sides of the aisle, the resolution failed to pass the Senate.

The threat of EPA regulations started out as just that — a threat. The administration was trying to force Congress into passing climate legislation, hoping that Congress would cave in. It knew what the economic implications of these regulations would be. For example, an internal memo from the White House Office of Management and Budget stated that “making the decision to regulate CO2 under the CAA for the first time is likely to have serious economic consequences for regulated entities throughout the U.S. economy, including small businesses and small communities.” Nevertheless, faced with a lack of support by the public, who has a strong resistance to the ever-increasing size and scope of the federal government, the administration has chosen to unleash a regulatory monster that will hurt businesses all across our country.

This country has not yet recovered from the largest economic contraction since the Great Depression. Unemployment is still at a record high, and people continue to struggle. Yet the administration and its allies in Congress do not seem to get it. Instead of getting back to the basics and focusing on jobs, we are spending trillions of dollars that we do not have on bailouts, so-called “stimulus” bills, and growing government programs that we simply cannot afford. The American people have made it crystal clear that they want us to get our fiscal house in order, and we ought to listen to them. Our economic future depends on it.

— Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho’s senior U.S. senator.

Commentary

Financial management Tax refund just means you gave Uncle Sam too much

Dear Dave,
We got a big income tax refund earlier this year, but I heard you tell someone to adjust their tax withholding so they don't get a refund. Why should you do this?
— Justin



Dear Justin,
Let's say you get a \$3,000 refund. Do you know why you got that refund? It's because you had \$250 too much taken out of your paycheck every single month during the past year. Basically, you loaned the government \$3,000 of your own money interest-free for 12 months. A refund isn't free

money, Justin. You get back your own cash because you paid in too much during the previous year. Believe it or not, Santa Claus doesn't live in Washington, D.C. There's no free ride! So rather than loan the government money that you earned and worked hard for, how about bringing it home and using it to get out of debt and

get control of your finances?
— Dave
Dear Dave,
Do you feel that some people are born leaders, or do you have to read and study to become one?
— Michael

Dear Michael,
I don't believe anyone is born a leader. I've watched all three of my kids being born, and not once did the doctor say, "Congratulations, Dave! You have a little eight-pound, six-ounce leader!" No, I believe people make choices. I'm 49, and I've been studying

leadership ever since I opened my company almost 20 years ago. I was awful when I first started. I made many bad, dumb mistakes! But I'm a world-class leader now. I've learned how to do this stuff, and it has taken thousands and thousands of hours of reading and studying and lots of experiences — good and bad — to get to this point. It's also meant realizing that I don't know everything and taking time to examine my mistakes and learn from them. In a fabulous book called Outliers, Malcolm Gladwell studied people who are unusually successful. He discovered that while some people

may have a natural predisposition toward some areas, the key was they took the gifts they had and practiced and studied for thousands of hours to turn their gifts into world-class talents. In other words, these people made choices, and their "talents" were really acquired skills. This stuff doesn't just occur. You're not a born leader any more than you're a born football player, actor or musician. You may start with a gift, but you have to make a choice to work your tail off if you want to develop that gift to its fullest potential!
— Dave

Letters to the editor

Local master gardener's work worth knowing about

Doggone it! I just found out, surfing the net, that last Saturday was "National Weed Your Garden Day." I guess you know that means I can't weed my garden again until next year on June 12.
My wife will kill me! Or worse yet, she will make me go out after dark in my Black Ninja suit and weed when no one can see me.
Maybe if I go down to the county Extension Office I can get Jan Aman, the official Owyhee County Advanced Master Gardener to give me official permission to get an extension — after all, even the IRS is forgiving (kind of) on things like this.
By the way, I don't think that a lot of folks here in Owyhee County realize the service Jan makes available

for gardeners. I think it would be a real service to run an article on her and her program.
Maybe even a weekly or monthly Gardening Column in one of our local newspapers.
Ray Heidt, avid amateur weed picker
Marsing

Marsing dog owners should show courtesy for others

The residents of Marsing must be aware of this problem and be responsible.
I am a blind woman and live in the wonderful rustic city of Marsing. I recently returned from Guide Dogs of America in California with my new guide dog. These guide dogs are specially trained for the blind at a cost of \$40,000.

I have walked the streets of this little city with my husband and his dog as I am sure many of you have seen. Drivers have been very alert and have stopped for me and my dog when crossing the streets. The problem lies with the other dogs and their owners.
We do have leash laws here in Marsing but that is not always followed. I have come across dogs running loose and my dog was even attacked by a large bulldog when I was walking home. I have come upon dog feces on the sidewalks and of course I am blind so I step in it.
We need to be aware of our dogs and what they are doing and where they are and keep them on leashes or tied up. Be sure you know where your dog is and be aware of others' safety.
I thank the dog owners that do follow the laws and know where their dogs are.
Donna Ramos
Marsing

Frank Priestley — Idaho Farm Bureau

Voice of Idaho ag Humane Society charade exposed

The Humane Society of the United States (HSUS), a powerful political organization with a vegetarian agenda, doled out \$280 million on salaries, lobbying, advertising and fundraising during a recent three-year period. Yet less than one-fifth of one percent of the organization's total budget during the three-year period was used for programs that benefit unwanted pets.
Numbers from HSUS' 2006-08 IRS filings show only a pittance of the money generated from seemingly uninformed donors was given to pet shelters in 45 states. At the same time, HSUS spent huge sums of money supporting ballot initiatives like Prop. 2 that created new regulations on hog, egg and veal production in California, a ballot initiative to ban greyhound racing in Massachusetts, promoting a ban on dove hunting in Michigan and a ballot initiative in Arizona that put strict regulations on hog production.
HSUS had duped thousands of donors into believing they are helping unwanted pets. However, tax records analyzed by Humanewatch.org, a non-profit organization set up to monitor HSUS, People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA), and other radical groups, show a surprisingly different set of circumstances. A poll taken in February of this year shows how adept the group has become at convincing people to donate to the cause and then using the money to fulfill their dubious agenda. The poll by Opinion Research Corp. shows 71 percent of respondents agreed

with the statement "HSUS is an umbrella group that represents thousands of local humane societies all across America." In addition, 59 percent of respondents agreed that "HSUS contributes most of its money to local organizations that care for dogs and cats."
It's unfortunate those statements aren't true. However, HSUS tax records show that helping to take care of unwanted pets isn't a priority to this hypocritical organization. HSUS tax records show the organization made zero payments to pet shelters in Maine, Nebraska, South Dakota and Wyoming during the three-year period. Idaho shelters received \$17,000 during the period.
The Humanewatch.org report shows how few of the millions of dollars raised by HSUS each year actually reach local shelters across the country. The report called "Not Your Local Humane Society," lists each shelter grant given by HSUS to every state from 2006 to 2008. In Arizona, the group spent just \$1 on local pet shelters for every \$300 in lobbying expenditures for a "humane farm" ballot initiative and other anti-animal agriculture legislation.
In 2008, HSUS' budget increased by more than \$8 million dollars, yet only 15 states received donations for local pet shelters. From 2006 to 2008, the organization left out five states entirely. HSUS reported having more than \$162 million in assets at the end of 2008.



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 jon@owyheeavalanche.com 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.

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Public notices

**SYNOPSIS OF BOARD MINUTES
JUNE 1, 2010**

Approved closeout of the 2006 BHS Grant for Emergency Planning.

Approved the MOU for the Idaho Benefit Eligibility System with H&W.

Approved the progress report to Sage Community Resources on the Museum Grant.

Approved catering permit for Murphy Outpost Days.

Indigent & Charity: 10-25 lien, 10-17,10-19 approved applicants.

Cancelled Board meeting for June 8th due to lack of a quorum.

Payment of Bills: Current Expense \$28,644, Road & Bridge \$186, District Court \$1,344, Probation \$635, Health District \$4,100, Indigent & Charity \$11,960, Revaluation \$168, Solid Waste \$17,529, 911 \$44.

Tabled Silver City Road Right of Way application.

The complete minutes can be viewed online at owyheecounty.net or in the Clerk’s office.

6/23/10

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised that a public hearing will be held before the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Homedale on MONDAY, JULY 12, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho, for the purpose of gathering public testimony regarding the following: HOPKINS WESTERN FUND, LLC, has filed an Application for Variance and an Application for Special Use Permit. Hopkins wants to convert the property located at 216 Arizona from a single-family home to a duplex. In addition, the lot size is 6,250 square foot and the current zoning ordinance requires 7,000 square feet. Therefore, Hopkins is requesting a variance from the 7,000 square foot requirement and a special use permit to convert the residence to a duplex.

The public is invited to attend and offer input.

Sylvia L. Bahem, Administrator
Planning & Zoning Commission
6/16,23/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

T.S. No.: ID-244479-C
Loan No.: 7418591939 A.P.N.: Rp03N04W328419A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 8/16/2010 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey St., known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, Owyhee County, ID, 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 and personal property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows: The land referred to in this commitment/policy is situated in the State of Idaho, County of Owyhee and is described as follows: TRACT ONE: A portion of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 32, Township 3 North, Range 4 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and is more particularly described as follows; COMMENCING at the Southeast

corner of said Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter; thence North 0° 33’48” East along the East boundary of said Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter a distance of 478.55 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 89° 15’07” West a distance of 273.00 feet; thence North 0° 33’48” East parallel with said East boundary a distance of 159.61 feet; thence South 89° 13’58” East a distance of 273.00 feet to a point on said East boundary; thence South 0° 33’48” West along said East boundary a distance of 159.52 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. TRACT TWO: A 50 foot Road Easement that lies the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and in the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 32, Township 3 North, Range 4 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho and is more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the Southeast corner of said Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter; thence North 0° 33’48” East along the East boundary of said Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter a distance of 613.07 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 89° 13’58” West a distance of 2186.48 feet; thence Southwesterly 28.91 feet along the arc of a curve to the left having a central angle of 82° 49’43” a radius of 20.00 feet and a long chord which bears South 49° 21’27” West a distance of 26.46 feet; thence Northwesterly 275.05 feet along the arc of curve to the right having a central angle of 262° 38’53”, a radius of 60.00 feet and a long chord which bears North 40° 43’35” West a distance of 90.12 feet; thence South 89° 13’58” East a distance of 2265.85 feet to a point on the said East boundary; thence South 0° 33’48” West along said East boundary a distance of 50.00 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 purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address sometimes associated with said real property is: 5781 COUNTRY ESTATES DRIVE MARSING, Idaho 83639 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: EDWARD W. CREGO AND JULIE A. CREGO, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as grantors, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR HOMECOMINGS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC. A CORPORATION, as Beneficiary, dated 10/16/2003, recorded 10/21/2003, as Instrument No. 245505 and re-recorded, records of Owyhee County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note

dated 10/16/2003. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of 1109.59, due per month from 11/1/2009 through 8/16/2010, 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 \$108,650.76, plus accrued interest at the rate of 8.75% per annum from 10/1/2009. 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. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: 4/14/2010 PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC By Executive Trustee Services, As Attorney In Fact Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727 ASAP# 3532201
6/2,9,16,23/10

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On Tuesday, the 5th day of October, 2010, at the hour of 10:00 o’clock a.m. of said day at the front steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, on the corner of Hwy. 78 and Hailey St., Murphy, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Charles W. Fawcett, 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:

THE NORTH HALF OF LOT 7 AND THE NORTH HALF OF THE WEST HALF OF LOT 6 OF BLOCK 2 OF THE AMENDED TOWNSITE PLAT OF HOMEDALE, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF ON FILE AND OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER FOR OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Successor 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 Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 631 W. Nevada Ave., Homedale, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by KARLA FISHER, an Unmarried Person, Grantor, to Charles W. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION, recorded November 2, 2007, as Instrument No. 262950, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT SHE IS, OR IS NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is (1) the failure to pay when due, monthly installment

**ORDINANCE NO. 391
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE AMENDED OFFICIAL ZONING ORDINANCE MAP OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, IDAHO BY REZONING CERTAIN PROPERTIES NOW ZONED AS INDUSTRIAL TO EITHER COMMERCIAL OR RESIDENTIAL, REZONING ONE PROPERTY FROM RESIDENTIAL TO COMMERCIAL, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND SEVERABILITY.**

WHEREAS, there are numerous properties within the City Limits of the City of Homedale, Owyhee County, Idaho, west of Highway 95, that are zoned Industrial; and

WHEREAS, some of these properties are properly zoned as Industrial; and

WHEREAS, many of these properties are residences for which the proper zoning is Residential; and

WHEREAS, many of these properties are commercial businesses for which the proper zoning is Commercial; and

WHEREAS, there is one property that is currently zoned Residential that should be zoned Commercial.

BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, COUNTY OF OWYHEE, STATE OF IDAHO:

Section 1: That the Official Amended Zoning Map is amended by changing the following addressed properties to the zoning designated in the column entitled “New Zoning.”

ADDRESS	NEW ZONING
302 E. Owyhee	Commercial
2 S. 2 nd St. W.	Residential
125 W. Wyoming	Residential
117 W. Wyoming	Residential
112 S. Main	Commercial
111 S. Main	Commercial
16 E. Wyoming	Commercial
226 E. Colorado	Commercial
232 E. Colorado	Commercial
122 W. Colorado	Residential
112 W. Colorado	Residential
115 S. Main	Commercial
9 Kansas	Commercial
24 E. Colorado	Commercial
309 S. Main	Commercial
301 S. 3 rd St. E.	Residential
608 2 nd St. E.	Commercial

Section 2: That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication, according to law.

Section 3: That should the Court having jurisdiction declare any part of this Ordinance invalid, unauthorized or unconstitutional or in conflict with any other part of the Ordinance, then such unconstitutional, unauthorized or invalid part shall be stricken from this Ordinance, and shall not affect any other part whatsoever of this ordinance. The Mayor and City Council of the City of Homedale, Idaho, declare that it would have passed this Ordinance, and each part hereof, irrespective of parts declared invalid, unauthorized or unconstitutional.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, IDAHO, THIS 9th DAY OF JUNE, 2010.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, IDAHO, THIS 9TH DAY OF JUNE, 2010.

/s/HAROLD WILSON, Mayor
ATTEST: /s/ALICE E. PEGRAM, City Clerk
City of Homedale
6/23/10

payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated November 1, 2007, in the amount of \$784.00 each, for the months of January through May, 2010, inclusive; and for each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reimbursement; and (2) the failure to occupy the premises as required by the Addendum to the Deed of Trust. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 5.91% per annum from December 1, 2009. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$112,636.75, plus accrued interest at the rate of 5.91% per annum from December 1, 2009.

DATED This 4th day of June, 2010.

CHARLES W. FAWCETT, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE
6/16,23,30;7/7/10

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho: 57-11750

JOHN TEETER,
STEPHANIE TEETER, 15401 BATES CREEK RD, OREANA, ID 83650

Point of Diversion NENW S32 T04S R01W OWYHEE County Source GROUND

WATER Tributary
Use: IRRIGATION 03/01 to 11/15 0.4 CFS
Use: STOCKWATER 01/01 to 12/31 0.02 CFS
Use: DOMESTIC 01/01 to 12/31 0.04 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.46 CFS
Date Filed: 7/9/2008
Place Of Use:
STOCKWATER AND DOMESTIC
T04S R01W S32 NENW
Place Of Use: IRRIGATION
T04S R01W S29 SESW
SWSE
T04S R01W S32 NWNE
NENW
Total Acres: 20

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 7/6/2010. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Interim Director
6/16,23/10

Public notices

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
CASE NO CV2010-01567
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
STATE OF IDAHO,
COUNTY OF OWYHEE
MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

In the Matter of the Estate of:
Clifton Lee Taylor, Deceased
Person.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that the undersigned has been
appointed Personal Representative
of the above named estate. All
persons having claims against
the said decedent 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 both filed with
the Court and presented to the
Personal Representative of the
estate at the law office of Julie
Adams DeFord, 317 12th Avenue
South, Nampa, Idaho 83651. 208-
461-3667 Fax 208-461-7077

DATED this 10th day of May,
2010.

/s/Bart L. Taylor, Personal
Representative
6/16,23,30/10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S
SALE**

T.S. No.: ID-244882-C
Loan No.: 0601746678 A.P.N.:
RP009800010260A NOTICE IS
HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER
LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES,
LLC the duly appointed Successor
Trustee, will on 8/30/2010 at
11:00 AM (recognized local
time), In the lobby of the Owyhee
County Courthouse located on the
corner of Highway 78 and Hailey
St., known as 20381 Highway
78, Murphy, Owyhee County,
ID, 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 and personal property,
situated in the County of Owyhee,
State of Idaho, and described as
follows: LOT 26 IN BLOCK 1
OF WHISPERING HEIGHTS
SUBDIVISION NO. 2, OWYHEE
COUNTY, IDAHO, FILED FOR
RECORD NOVEMBER 8, 2000
AS INSTRUMENT NO. 234317
AND AFFIDAVIT TO CORRECT
RECORDED NOVEMBER 22,
2000, AS INSTRUMENT NO.
234425, 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 sometimes associated
with said real property is: 5818
WHISPERING HILLS DRIVE
MARSING, Idaho 83639 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: JAY
HEITZ AND KAREN HEITZ,
HUSBAND AND WIFE, as
grantors, to LANDAMERICA
TRANSNATION, as Trustee,
for the benefit and security of
MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,
INC., AS NOMINEE FOR
SIERRA PACIFIC MORTGAGE
COMPANY, INC. A
CORPORATION, as Beneficiary,
dated 12/12/2006, recorded
12/22/2006, as Instrument No.
259251 and re-recorded, records
of Owyhee County, Idaho, the
beneficial interest in which is
presently held by MORTGAGE

ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION
SYSTEMS, INC.. THE ABOVE
GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO
COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-
1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO
REPRESENTATION IS MADE
THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT,
PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE
FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The
Default for which this sale is to
be made is the failure to pay when
due, under Deed of Trust and Note
dated 12/12/2006. The monthly
payments for Principal, Interest
and Impounds (if applicable) of
2373.67, due per month from
1/1/2010 through 8/30/2010, 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
\$399,336.70, plus accrued interest
at the rate of 5.375% per annum
from 12/1/2009. 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.
The Beneficiary elects to sell or
cause the trust property to be sold
to satisfy said obligation. Dated:
4/28/2010 PIONEER LENDER
TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC
By Executive Trustee Services,
As Attorney In Fact Dee Ortega,
authorized signatory C/O
Executive Trustee Services, LLC
2255 North Ontario Street, Suite
400 Burbank, California 91504-
3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727
ASAP# 3548742
6/23,30,7/7,14/10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S
SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s
date: May 18, 2010 File No.:
7023.73901 Sale date and time
(local time): September
17, 2010 at 11:00 AM Sale
location: in the lobby of the
Owyhee County Courthouse,
20381 State Highway 78, Murphy,
Idaho 83650 Property address:
4567 Market Road Homedale,
ID 83628 Successor Trustee:
Northwest Trustee Services,
Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O.
Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009
(425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust
information Original grantor: Jose
C. Almazan-Salgado and Cynthia
Mae Almazan, husband and wife
Original trustee: Pioneer Title
Company of Ada County Original
beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank,
N.A. Recording date: February
1, 2008 Recorder’s instrument
number: 263862 County: Owyhee
Sum owing on the obligation: as
of May 18, 2010: \$190,915.43
Because of interest, late charges,
and other charges that may vary
from day to day, the amount due
on the day you pay may be greater.
Hence, if you pay the amount
shown above, an adjustment may
be necessary after we receive your
check. For further information
write or call the Successor Trustee
at the address or telephone number
provided above. Basis of default:
failure to make payments when
due. Please take notice that the
Successor Trustee will sell at
public auction to the highest bidder
for certified funds or equivalent
the property described above.
The property address is identified
to comply with IC 60-113 but is
not warranted to be correct. The
property’s legal description is:
Lot 6 in Block 1 of Market Road
Estates Subdivision, according to
the official plat thereof, recorded
March 2, 2003 as Instrument
No. 246921, official records of
Owyhee County, Idaho. The sale

is subject to conditions, rules and
procedures as described at the
sale and which can be reviewed
at www.northwesttrustee.com or
USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale
is made without representation,
warranty or covenant of any kind.
(TS# 7023.73901) 1002.157381-
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6/2,9,16,23/10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S
SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s
date: June 10, 2010 File No.:
7777.12922 Sale date and time
(local time): October 12, 2010
at 11:00 AM Sale location:
in the lobby of the Owyhee
County Courthouse, 20381 State
Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho
83650 Property address: 10329
Givens Rd Marsing, ID 83639
Successor Trustee: Northwest
Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho
Corporation P.O. Box 997
Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-
1900 Deed of Trust information
Original grantor: Todd Hughes
and Tanya Hughes also shown of
record as Tonya Hughes husband
and wife Original trustee:
Pioneer Title Company Original
beneficiary: Wells Fargo Financial
Idaho, Inc. Recording date: April
26, 2007 Recorder’s instrument
number: 260729 County: Owyhee
Sum owing on the obligation: as
of June 10, 2010: \$105,770.56
Because of interest, late charges,
and other charges that may vary
from day to day, the amount due
on the day you pay may be greater.
Hence, if you pay the amount
shown above, an adjustment may
be necessary after we receive your
check. For further information
write or call the Successor Trustee
at the address or telephone number
provided above. Basis of default:
failure to make payments when
due. Please take notice that the
Successor Trustee will sell at
public auction to the highest bidder
for certified funds or equivalent
the property described above.
The property address is identified
to comply with IC 60-113 but is
not warranted to be correct. The
property’s legal description is: In
Township 1 North, Range 3 West,
Boise Meridian, Owyhee County,
Idaho. Section 21: A parcel of
land in Southwest quarter of the
Northwest quarter described as
follows: Beginning at the
Northeast corner of the Southwest
quarter of the Northwest quarter;
thence South 660 feet; thence
West 660 feet; thence North 660
feet; thence East 660 feet to the
Point of Beginning. The sale is
subject to conditions, rules and
procedures as described at the
sale and which can be reviewed
at www.northwesttrustee.com or
USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale
is made without representation,
warranty or covenant of any kind.
(TS# 7777.12922) 1002.159912-
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6/23,30,7/7,14/10

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S
SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s
date: June 10, 2010 File No.:
7777.13011 Sale date and time
(local time): October 12, 2010
at 11:00 AM Sale location: in
the lobby of the Owyhee County
Courthouse, 20381 State Highway
78, Murphy, Idaho 83650
Property address: 9466 Sleepy
Hollow Dr. Melba, ID 83641
Successor Trustee: Northwest
Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho
Corporation P.O. Box 997
Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-
1900 Deed of Trust information
Original grantor: Ray Melhouse
Johnson and Fawn Dee Johnson

husband and wife Original trustee:
Alliance Title and Escrow Corp.
Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo
Financial Idaho, Inc. Recording
date: May 16, 2008 Recorder’s
instrument number: 265049
County: Owyhee Sum owing
on the obligation: as of June 10,
2010: \$221,523.59 Because of
interest, late charges, and other
charges that may vary from day
to day, the amount due on the day
you pay may be greater. Hence, if
you pay the amount shown above,
an adjustment may be necessary
after we receive your check.
For further information write or
call the Successor Trustee at the
address or telephone number
provided above. Basis of default:
failure to make payments when
due. Please take notice that the
Successor Trustee will sell at
public auction to the highest
bidder for certified funds or
equivalent the property described
above. The property address is
identified to comply with IC
60-113 but is not warranted to be
correct. The property’s legal
description is: Parcel I: A parcel
of land being a portion of the
Northeast quarter of the Southeast
quarter of Section 7, Township
1 North, Range 3 West, Boise
Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho,
and more particularly described as
follows: Beginning at a brass cap
marking the Southeast corner of
the Southeast quarter of Section
7, Township 1 North, Range 3
West, Boise Meridian; thence
along the Easterly boundary of
the said Southeast quarter of
Section 7, North 00 degrees 06’
50” West 1331.80 feet to an iron
pin marking the Southeast corner
of the said Northeast quarter of
the Southeast quarter of Section
7; thence leaving said Easterly
boundary, and along the Southerly
boundary of the said Northeast
quarter of the Southeast quarter
of Section 7, South 86 degrees 19’
25” West 1312.29 feet to an iron
pin marking the Southwest corner
of the said Northeast quarter of
the Southeast quarter of Section
7; thence leaving said Southerly
boundary, and along the Westerly
boundary of the said Northeast
quarter of the Southeast quarter,
North 00 degrees 01’ 21” East
886.46 feet to an iron pin said
iron pin being the Real Point of
Beginning; thence continuing
along said Westerly boundary,
North 00 degrees 01’ 21” East
123.69 feet to an iron pin marking
a point of curve; thence leaving
said Westerly boundary along a
curve to the right 33.84 feet, said
curve having a central angle of
12 degrees 55’ 38”, a radius of
150.00 feet, tangents of 16.99
feet, and a long chord of 33.77
feet bearing North 43 degrees 07’
47” East to an iron pin marking
the point of tangent; thence North
49 degrees 35’ 36” East 449.77
feet to an iron pin on the Westerly
right of way of the Opaline Ditch;
thence along said right of way,
South 38 degrees 33’ 05” East
506.50 feet to an iron pin; thence
leaving said right of way South 86
degrees 19’ 25” West 682.69 feet
to the Point of Beginning. Parcel
II: A 20.00 foot ingress-egress
easement being a portion of the
Northeast quarter of the Southeast
quarter of Section 7, and a portion
of Government Lot 3 of Section 8,
Township 1 North, Range 3 West,
Boise Meridian, Owyhee County,
Idaho. Beginning at a brass cap
marking the South corner of the
Southeast quarter of Section
7, Township 1 North, Range 3
West, Boise Meridian; thence
along the Easterly boundary of
the said Southeast quarter of

Section 7, North 00 degrees 06’
50” West 1331.80 feet to an
iron pin marking the Southeast
corner of said Northeast quarter
of the Southeast quarter of Section
7, said iron pin also being the
Real Point of Beginning; thence
leaving said Easterly boundary,
and along the Southerly boundary
of the said Northeast quarter of
the Southeast quarter of Section
7, South 86 degrees 19’ 25”
West 1312.29 feet to an iron pin
marking the Southwest corner
of the said Northeast quarter of
the Southeast quarter of Section
7; thence leaving said Southerly
boundary and along the Westerly
boundary of the said Northeast
quarter of the Southeast quarter
of Section 7, North 00 degrees
01’ 21” East 20.04 feet to a point;
thence leaving said Westerly
boundary, North 86 degrees 19’
25” East 1312.23 feet to a point;
thence North 89 degrees 24’ 55”
East 199.15 feet to a point; North
21 degrees 21’ 18” West 217.83
feet to a point; thence North 51
degrees 54’ 12” East 118.37
feet to a point; thence South 84
degrees 04’ 26” West 645.98
feet to a point; thence North 68
degrees 22’ 56” West 94.31 feet to
a point; thence North 21 degrees
37’ 04” East 24.30 feet to a point;
thence North 19 degrees 10’ 58”
West 412.28 feet to a point; thence
North 18 degrees 14’ 59” East
116.11 feet to a point; thence North
38 degrees 33’ 05” West 563.89
feet to a point; thence North 49
degrees 35’ 36” East 20.01 feet
to an iron pin on the Southerly
right of way of the Opaline Ditch;
thence along said Southerly right
of way of the Opaline Ditch the
following courses and distances;
thence South 38 degrees 33’ 05”
East 575.36 feet to an iron pin;
thence South 18 degrees 14’ 59”
West 120.14 feet to an iron pin;
thence South 19 degrees 10’ 58”
East 412.94 feet to an iron pin;
thence South 21 degrees 37’ 04”
West 11.74 feet to an iron pin;
thence South 68 degrees 22’ 56”
East 69.41 feet to an iron pin;
thence North 84 degrees 04’ 26”
East 686.97 feet to an iron pin;
thence South 43 degrees 31’ 50”
East 12.55 feet to an iron pin;
thence South 51 degrees 54’
12” West 154.18 feet to an iron
pin; thence South 21 degrees 21’
18” East 217.51 feet to an iron
pin; thence South 60 degrees 13’
11” East 26.68 feet to an iron
pin on the Southerly boundary
of Government Lot 3 of Section
8, Township 1 North, Range 3
West, Boise Meridian; thence
leaving said Southerly right of
way of the Opaline Ditch and
along said Southerly boundary
of Government Lot 3, South 89
degrees 24’ 55” West 246.20 feet
to the Point of Beginning. The
sale is subject to conditions, rules
and procedures as described at the
sale and which can be reviewed
at www.northwesttrustee.com or
USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale
is made without representation,
warranty or covenant of any kind.
(TS# 7777.13011) 1002.159861-
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Public notices



NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
T.S. No. ID-10-360821-TD
On 9/14/2010, at 11:00:00 AM (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 Hailey Street, known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, Pioneer Title Company of Ada County dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services as Trustee, on behalf of HSBC Bank USA, National Association as Trustee on behalf of SG Mortgage Securities Trust 2007 AHL1 Asset Backed Certificates, Series 2007 AHL1 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 7, Block 2 as shown on the plat known as “Plat showing Silver Sage Subdivision No. 1”, filed May 29,1998 as Instrument No. 225021, 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 203 Silver Sage Way, Homedale, ID 83628 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 DONALD B. YOUNG , AN UNMARRIED MAN as Grantor/ Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR ACCREDITED HOME LENDERS, INC. A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION A CORPORATION, is named as Beneficiary and PIONEER TITLE COMPANY OF CANYON COUNTY as Trustee and recorded 5/31/2007 as Instrument No. 261173 in book xxx, page xxx 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 5/24/2007. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$855.93, due per month for the months of 2/1/2010 through 5/11/2010, 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 \$149,398.58 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 6.8800 per cent (%) per annum from 1/1/2010. 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. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee’s Attorney. Date: 5/13/2010 By: Pioneer Title Company of Ada County dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services as Trustee , Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Agent 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 Tara Donzella, Assistant Vice President ***For Sale Information Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to: 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# 3571445
6/2,9,16,23/10

THANK YOU
To my valued customers: Smiles & Styles Salon and formerly The Hair Depot will no longer be in business next to Paul’s market. I would like to thank everyone who has supported me or that I have had the opportunity to meet in the past three years. It has been a pleasure to be your hair dresser and massage therapist. I apologize for any inconvenience that my health problems or car troubles have caused anyone!! I have met many wonderful people in Homedale and my life is truly blessed by the relationships I have formed with you all. I’m excited to announce that I will be re-opening Smiles & Styles Salon at a new location in Caldwell. I hope that someday I may see your smiling faces again. If you are in the area please feel free to stop by the new location. I will be opening soon. Love & happiness, Helene Hannus - Smiles & Styles Salon, 1123 Blaine St, Caldwell, ID 83605. 208-455-5226

HELP WANTED
Owyhee County has a part time Administrative Assistant position available in the Planning & Zoning Department. High school diploma or equivalent and minimum of one year of general office experience required. All applicants will be subject to a background check. Job descriptions and applications are available at the Planning & Zoning office located at 17069 Basey St. behind the courthouse in Murphy, Idaho. Applications will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on June 30th. Owyhee County is an equal opportunity employer. **Drivers-Top Pay** with Regional Opportunities! CDL Training in Salt Lake City, UT! Teams - New pay upto 48cpm! Central Refrigerated: 877-369-7885

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INTERNET ONLY
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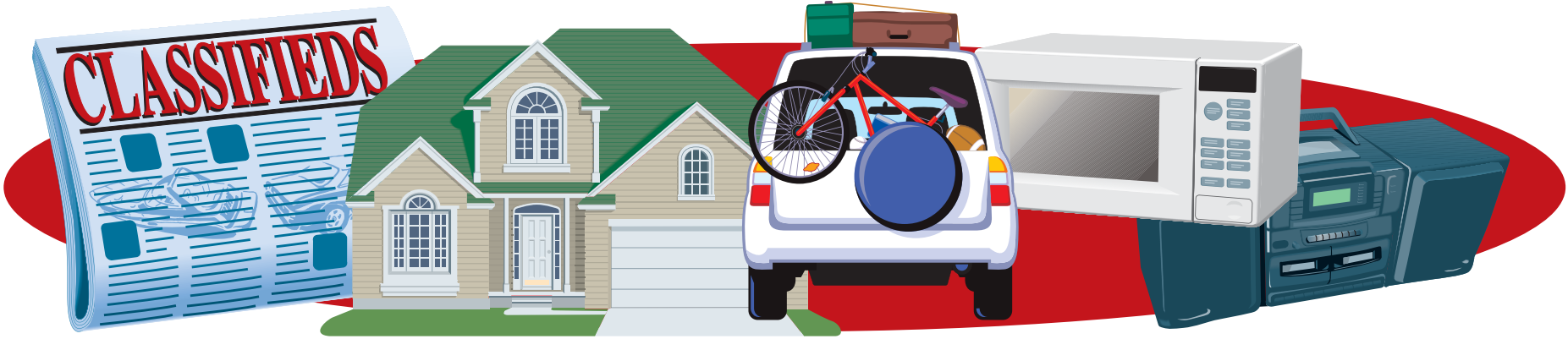
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