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Sheriff visits Northwestern for training

Farwell CUP appeal hearing date set

Minutes after discussing late charges due on two sheriff's office credit cards, the Board of County Commissioners granted a temporary credit limit extension on Sheriff Daryl Crandall's card.

The credit limit extension from \$1,500 to \$2,500 apparently is for meals and lodging related to a 19-day trip to Evanston, Ill., for an executive management training course offered at Northwestern University.

Crandall originally requested that commissioners double his credit limit to \$3,000.

"Not that I'll ever use that much, but just to be on the safe side," the sheriff said.

The sheriff said he received a scholarship to pay for most of the expenses for the class, but didn't share the amount of the scholarship or specifics of the course during the Feb. 7 meeting in Murphy. He said he was the only applicant to receive a scholarship.

Crandall briefly elaborated on what he called "kind of an honor for me" after District 2 Commissioner Kelly Aberasturi asked the sheriff to explain the opportunity for the sake of informing the public.

Crandall said the training is a "feather in our hat" and will be beneficial to the sheriff's office. According to County Clerk Charlotte Sherburn, the training began Monday and lasts through March 9.

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"I have never seen an arrest before, but these guys were slick. He didn't have a chance."

— Bob Briggs



Marsing-area resident Bob Briggs feeds Enrico Ponzo's cows early on Saturday morning. Briggs was talking with Ponzo when FBI Agents arrested him near his Marsing home on Feb. 7.

FBI agents arrest fugitive with mafia connections living outside of Marsing

In what could have been a plot line straight out of Hollywood, Marsing jumped into the national spotlight on after federal agents arrested a former New England-area mobster who had been living on the outskirts of town.

Enrico Ponzo, known by his neighbors and friends as Jeffrey "Jay" Shaw was arrested after nearly two decades on the lam from federal agents.

The media blitz began after the FBI issued a press release following an inquiry by The Owyhee Avalanche.

The 42-year-old was arrested without incident near his home on Hogg Road south of the Homedale-Marsing Cemetery on Feb. 7. The arrest was made by FBI agents along with members of the U.S. Marshals Service Fugitive Task Force, which includes the Ada and Canyon County Sheriff's Offices and the Nampa Police Department.

"... You never think about the Mafia out here," neighbor Bob Briggs said. "That is the kind of stuff you see on television."

Briggs moved to the area in 1956 and said this was probably one of the biggest things to happen in Owyhee County since the Claude Dallas manhunt in the 1980s.

"I have never seen an arrest before, but these guys were slick. He didn't have a chance," Briggs said. "It was a well-operated job. I didn't know what was going on. I was sitting in my truck talking with 'Jay' about hay for his cows. A truck drove past us, and he said to me 'That is a cop'. I didn't think anything about it because I had seen the truck down past my property a few days ago."

"The truck turned around near the cemetery and then another car came out of nowhere and blocked us in. I think another one came out of the subdivision on the hill. I was just flabbergasted at the scene."

Ponzo has been wanted by the FBI in Boston since 1994 for conspiracy to commit murder. He was associated with the New England crime family La Cosa Nostra in the late 1980s.

Briggs said the scene was "like nothing I have ever seen before". He remembered the agents asking Ponzo if he was "Jay Shaw" and then told him they had a federal warrant for his arrest.

"When Jay told me that it was a cop that drove past, I didn't believe him. It sure didn't look like a cop to me," Briggs said. "I asked one of the

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County asks Marsing to pay \$1,693 in back taxes

The City of Marsing is being hit with a bill from the Owyhee County Treasurer's Office in an attempt to recoup \$1,693.32 in back taxes owed on a property the city now owns.

In April, the city purchased a home that went into foreclosure at 211 2nd Ave. W. The city had filed a lien against the property in 2007 for delinquent water bills. In April, a sheriff's sale took place for the delinquent property. Marsing became the owner of the property for \$10,000; no other bids were received at the time of the sheriff's sale.

During the city council meeting on Wednesday night, council members James Ferdinand, Aron Striabel and Marie Herman voted to pay the bill. Stella Bush voted not to pay the bill. A stipulation was made by the council that the bill would be paid if the accrued penalties were removed from the total.

Paul J. Fitzer was present as the city's legal counsel for the Wednesday meeting. He told the council this was a bill that they didn't need to pay. He noted a post-sale lien by the county isn't possible and if the city paid the bill it would be a good faith gesture.

Mayor Keith Green told the council he felt the bill should be paid.

"We can argue and fight the bill and pay the attorneys. Or, we can pay this and be done with it," Green said. "I feel we should pay it and get it over with."

Owyhee County Prosecuting Attorney Douglas D. Emery

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BLM grazing fee unchanged for fourth year

Federal permit/lease cost
still \$1.35 per AUM

The fee Owyhee country cattlemen pay to graze on federal lands will go unchanged in 2011, the Bureau of Land Management announced Wednesday.

The price for permittees remains \$1.35 per animal unit month (AUM). The fee, which goes into effect March 1. The BLM administers nearly 18,000 permits and leases in the West.

The \$1.35-per-AUM fee hasn't changed in four years and is the lowest the federal government

can charge under a presidential Executive Order issued by Ronald Reagan in 1986.

The formula used for calculating the grazing fee, which was established by Congress in the 1978 Public Rangelands Improvement Act, has continued under a presidential Executive Order issued in 1986. Under that order, the grazing fee cannot fall below \$1.35 per AUM, and any increase or decrease cannot exceed 25 percent of the previous

year's level.

The annually determined grazing fee is computed by using a 1966 base value of \$1.23 per AUM/HM for livestock grazing on public lands in Western states. The figure is then calculated according to three factors — current private grazing land lease rates, beef cattle prices, and the cost of livestock production. In effect, the fee rises, falls, or stays the same based on market conditions, with livestock operators paying more when conditions are better and less when conditions have declined.

Richards, Bennett retained for BLM's Boise RAC

Two Owyhee County ranchers have been retained on a federal agency's advisory board.

Brenda Richards of Reynolds Creek and Donna Bennett of Grand View have been reappointed to represent grazing interests on the Bureau of Land Management's Boise District Resource Advisory Council.

Interior Secretary Ken Salazar announced five reappointments to the citizen-based panel last week. Earlier in the Obama administration, veteran RAC member Ted Hoffman's reappointment was denied only to have the rancher/veterinarian reinstated after protests from supporters, including members of Idaho congressional delegation.

Shoshone-Paiute Tribes Duck Valley Indian Reservation official Ted Howard also reappointed to the RAC, which advises the federal agency on public land issues.

Both Richards and Bennett are involved in land issues beyond the RAC. Bennett is the chair of the Owyhee Local Working Group for sage-grouse conservation. Richards is chair of the Owyhee Initiative board of directors and has served on other industry and land issue boards in the past.

"The BLM's Resource Advisory Councils exemplify the collaborative approach taken by the BLM in handling public land issues," Salazar said. "I want to welcome our newly appointed RAC members and salute them for their commitment to public service. Their counsel will serve the BLM well as the agency

works to ensure the health and productivity of America's great outdoors."

The RACs, composed of citizens chosen for their expertise in natural resource issues, help the BLM carry out its stewardship of 245 million acres — the largest land portfolio of any federal agency.

The BLM has established 28 RACs across the West, where most BLM-managed land is located. Each RAC consists of 10 to 15 members with an interest in public land management, such as conservationists, outdoor recreationists, ranchers, Tribal officials, state and local government officials, academics and others.

"RAC members represent a variety of professional backgrounds and perspectives, and together bring a balanced outlook that the BLM needs in managing the public lands for multiple uses," BLM director Bob Abbey said.

Dr. Neil Rimbey of the University of Idaho was reappointed as an academic representative, and Rick Just stays on the panel as a dispersed recreation/state employee rep.

"Idaho's RACs provide advice and recommendations to BLM's district managers throughout Idaho on various issues, from travel management and energy projects to sage-grouse conservation and grazing management," Idaho BLM state director Steve Ellis said. "We value the RACs' perspectives in helping us accomplish our mission."

Public comment sought on BLM's grant bid to clean Cove Rec area

The public has until the end of the month to give comment on a proposed project to mitigate the E. coli problem at the Cove Recreation Site.

The Cove Rec area is located at CJ Strike Reservoir. The discovery of E. coli from an unknown contamination source forced the Bureau of Land Management to discontinue providing potable water at the site until the water system is free of the contaminant. The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality would carry out the mitigation.

The BLM seeks public comment on the project, which could be funded by a \$120,000 grant from the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation. The IDPR grant program gets revenue from boating, recreation and off-road stickers as well as the state

gas tax.

The federal agency will provide matching fund or in-kind contributions for the grant, too.

The Morley Nelson Birds of Prey National Conservation Area Office of the BLM's Boise District is gathering the public comment.

"Of the people that stay overnight, 43 percent use RVs or travel trailers," NCA outdoor recreation planner Jared Fluckiger said.

Tent campers, day users and people using the RV dump also appreciate the convenience of onsite potable water.

The comment deadline is Feb. 28. Mail comments to the BLM Boise District, 3948 S. Development Ave., Boise, ID 83705-5339, e-mail them to jfluckiger@blm.gov or call Fluckiger at (208)384-3342.

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Water report

The Bureau of Reclamation Web site showed that the Owyhee Reservoir was 53 percent full and that water was flowing in the Owyhee River above the reservoir at Rome, Ore., at a rate of 624 cubic feet per second. Water is flowing out at Nyssa, Ore. at a rate of 32 cubic feet per second. The reservoir held 379,824 acre-feet of water, on Monday.

The following statistics were gathered from the Natural Resources Conservation Service Web site at 11 a.m. Monday (Year-to-date precipitation is measured from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30.)

SNOTEL report, Owyhee County sensors

	Snow Equiv.	Snow Depth	Year-to-date Precip.	Previous day's temperature		
	(measured in inches)	(measured in inches)		Max	Min	Avg
Mud Flat						
02/08	6.8	25.0	12.0	40.6	25.9	32.7
02/09	6.8	24.0	12.0	33.4	7.3	23.9
02/10	6.8	24.0	12.0	26.6	2.3	14.4
02/11	6.8	25.0	12.0	36.0	6.4	20.5
02/12	6.8	25.0	12.0	43.7	14.9	27.5
02/13	6.8	25.0	12.0	52.2	23.4	37.8
02/14	6.8	25.0	12.0	51.1	25.7	38.5
Reynolds Creek						
02/08	1.0	2.0	12.8	39.7	24.1	31.5
02/09	1.0	2.0	12.8	30.6	19.4	23.9
02/10	0.9	1.0	12.8	29.8	17.8	22.1
02/11	0.9	2.0	12.8	35.6	20.8	28.4
02/12	0.9	2.0	12.8	44.1	28.6	37.4
02/13	0.9	1.0	12.8	53.8	39.0	45.7
02/14	0.8	1.0	12.8	45.0	33.3	40.3
South Mountain						
02/08	11.6	33.0	21.8	38.1	22.5	30.4
02/09	11.6	33.0	21.8	28.8	17.8	22.1
02/10	11.6	34.0	21.8	32.9	16.3	23.0
02/11	11.6	33.0	21.8	40.3	20.5	28.0
02/12	11.5	33.0	22.0	46.2	28.6	37.0
02/13	11.5	33.0	22.0	48.0	38.8	43.0
02/14	11.5	32.0	22.0	46.4	36.7	40.8

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Weather

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Feb. 8	48	30	trace
Feb. 9	46	22	.06
Feb. 10	42	18	.00
Feb. 11	42	20	.00
Feb. 12	45	20	.00
Feb. 13	50	25	.00
Feb. 14	58	31	.00

Marsing woman to use grant for GPS education

Teacher facilitates COSSA's gifted/talented classes

Canyon-Owyhee School Services Agency gifted/talented students will go geo-caching in the spring thanks to a grant secured by a Marsing resident.

Marlene Moore, a COSSA gifted/talented facilitator, received a \$500 classroom grant from Northwest Professional Educators (NWPE).

According to a press release from NWPE, Moore will use the grant to buy global positioning system (GPS) devices to use in a classroom exercise called Expedition: Geo-Cache Project, which will be taught from March to May to elementary gifted classes populated in COSSA-affiliated school districts, including Homedale and Marsing.

"Northwest Professional



Educators is happy to provide Ms. Moore this grant to enhance student learning," NWPE executive director Cindy Omlin said.

"NWPE is proud to reward educators for their hard work and creativity in the classroom. Ms. Moore's award is certainly well-deserved as she seeks ways to

increase student achievement by involving students in real world activities."

A non-union professional teacher association, NWPE awards teacher scholarships and classroom grants twice a year. All educators are eligible for the awards although NWPE members receive first preference. The next application deadline is March 31.

Visit www.nwpe.org or call 800-380-6973 for more information about Northwest Professional Educators and the teacher scholarship/classroom grant program.

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Owyhee County man faces six felony charges involving two minors

A 46-year-old Owyhee County man is facing six felony charges for alleged lewd contact with children dating to 2000.

Lee E. Green Jr. of Marsing will appear at a felony arraignment hearing on Feb. 25 before Third District Court Judge Thomas J. Ryan.



Lee E. Green Jr.

Green is charged with four felonies of lewd conduct with a minor under the age of 16 with one minor and two felony charges of sexual battery of a child 16 or

17, another minor.

Green is being held in the Owyhee County Jail on a \$750,000 bond after his arrest following an investigation by Idaho State Police.

According to the charge documents, two of the lewd conduct felony charges claim the incident(s) took place between 2000 and 2009. The other two charges stem from incident(s) between 2008 and 2009.

The sexual battery charges stem from two incidents that took place in July 2010.

Green could face life in prison if convicted of all six felony charges.

— JLZ

ITD plans pavement rehab on 51 and 78

The Idaho Transportation Department announced more work for state highways running through Owyhee County.

Nampa-based Idaho Sand & Gravel has been awarded a \$3.4 million contract to rehabilitate stretches of Idaho highway 51 and Idaho 78. ITD reported work could start in late spring.

A thin overlay will be applied to existing roadway on a 16-mile stretch of Idaho 51 from milepost 60 to the Snake River bridge, and

another 16-mile stretch of Idaho 78 will be rehabbed from Grand View to the road's junction with Idaho 51.

The rehabilitation is necessary to correct cracking and roughness and to preserve the existing highway system, according to an ITD press release.

Motorists can expect a one-lane roadway during the construction with pilot cars moving traffic through the work area.

NRCS funding available for improving irrigation practices

Deadline for applications is March 15

The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has approved funding for a Cooperative Conservation Partnership Initiative (CCPI) project that was submitted by the Idaho Soil and Water Conservation Commission to study water quality issues in the Jump Creek and Succor Creek drainages.

Landowners living in the specified areas can apply for funding to improve irrigation practices to reduce runoff from their fields.

Landowners should apply in person at the NRCS office

in Marsing, 250 N. Bruneau Highway. Applications are due by March 15.

Employees from the NRCS will work with landowners to evaluate their operations for ways to reduce runoff from fields and pastures. Proposed treatments include converting to sprinkler systems to improve irrigation management or implementing cross-fencing to improve grazing management.

For more information, contact Diane French (208) 896-4544, ext. 110 or Ron Brooks at (208) 896-4544, ext 106.

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✓ **Ponzo:** Was living in the area for the last 10 years before the FBI found him

agents how he knew it was a cop, he asked me ‘How do you know when a cow is sick?’ ”

In 1997 after he disappeared, Ponzo was charged along with 14 others, in a 40-count federal indictment for racketeering, racketeering conspiracy and plotting to murder and attempting to murder individuals of the Patriarca Family of La Cosa Nostra. The murder plot was targeted at Frank “Cadillac Frank” Salemme, the head of the Patriarca Family.

Bob’s son, Jim, can look out his front window at the home where Ponzo has lived for the past 10 years. Jim said a school bus was dropping children off at the subdivision on Hogg Road when the arrest took place.

“There were kids that went home and told their parents ‘Mr. Briggs is getting arrested!’ It was kind of funny,” Jim said. “It is



Above: The home on Hogg Road outside of Marsing where Enrico Ponzo lived for nearly 10 years. Below: Neighbor Bob Briggs closes the fence leading to the property of the man he knew as Jay Shaw.

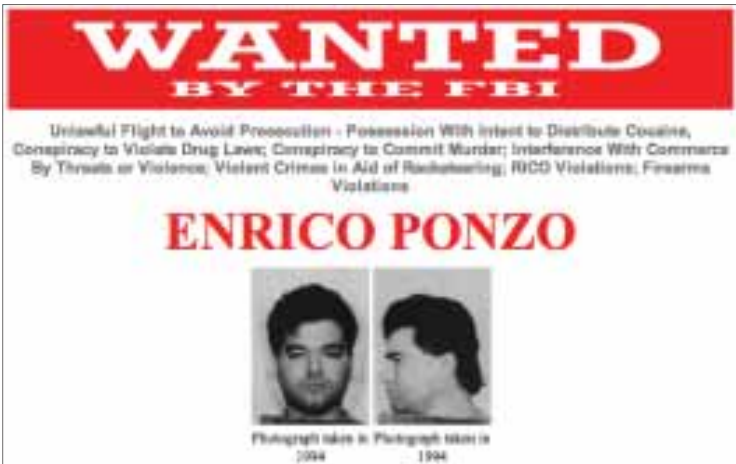
a real shock. We could see him out our front window. You would see him out there in the field wearing bib-overalls and a straw hat. You would never expect a thing. We talked across the fence a bunch of times. He asked a lot of questions when he moved in about agriculture.”

Jim said when Ponzo’s common-law wife Cara Lyn Pace moved out around Thanksgiving, Ponzo was devastated. At the beginning of December, paperwork was filed for a custody hearing that was

scheduled for March.

“Those kids are what I’m worried about,” Bob said. “Every time I would drive past and they were out in the field, they would wave at me and say ‘Hi Bob!’ They were good kids. That is the hardest part about all this.”

Ponzo admitted to his identity in a U.S. District Court hearing last Wednesday in Boise. On Friday, at a detention hearing, U.S. Magistrate Judge Ron Bush ruled that Ponzo would remain in custody and U.S. Marshals would



The 1994 mugshots and wanted poster from the FBI showing the man known around Marsing and “Jay Shaw”.

transport him back to Boston to face his charges from 1994.

Bob said the neighbors and community have really stepped up in taking care of Ponzo’s property. Bob along with many surrounding neighbors have made a rotation for feeding his 12 cows and

watching after the two dogs that remain on the 12-acre farm.

“We worked out a deal to take care of the cows,” Bob said. “We gotta take care of them. Hopefully they will go to a good home after all this gets taken care of.”

— JLZ



✓ **Marsing:** Had the only recorded lien on the property which sold in April

sent a letter to the city addressed to Green on Jan. 21 asking for payment of the back taxes owed on the property. According to the documents sent by Emery, the taxes have accrued since 2008.

In the letter, Emery wrote, “The City of Marsing’s tax-exempt status on the property did not

become effective until after the subject sale. Such status does not negate the \$1,693.23 property tax obligation which existed prior to the City’s acquisition”.

In response to the letter from the county, Marsing deputy legal counsel Loren W. Anderson of Moore Smith Buxton & Turcke,

Chtd., sent a letter on Jan. 24 to the Owyhee County Treasurer’s Office explaining that Marsing is the “bona fide purchaser of the property free and clear”.

The letter explains that the city isn’t responsible for back taxes because the county didn’t record a lien on the property. The city

had the only lien on the property, which prompted the foreclosure.

The letter also states, “It appears to us, the dispute the county has concerning any back taxes is with the Sheriff’s Department, not the City of Marsing”.

On Wednesday, the council asked City Clerk Janice Bicandi to

contact county Treasurer Brenda Richards to have the accrued penalties removed from the bill.

The council didn’t discuss a plan of action if the county refuses to remove the charges.

— JLZ

✓ **BOCC:** Sets public hearing on proposed salvage yard near Homedale

refused to give Crandall his full request, Aberasturi pointed out that a bigger limit could be obtained with a simple phone call, if needed.

Prior to granting the increase, commissioners withdrew two claims to pay late fees on OCSO credit cards from the weekly set of bills. The board agreed to follow existing policy that requires the holders of the credit cards to pay for all late fees.

Farwell CUP appeal date set

The commissioners decided they will hear neighbors’ appeal of a proposed Homedale auto salvage yard at 1:30 p.m. on March 7 in Murphy.

Several neighboring property owners have gotten behind a movement to appeal the county Planning and Zoning Commission’s decision to allow a conditional use permit for a wrecking yard Sean Farwell

wants to build southwest of the Homedale city limits.

BOCC receives most quarterly reports

Commissioners were expected to accept the sheriff’s office’s most recent quarterly financial report during Monday’s meeting, one week after other county departments submitted their reports.

Crandall turned in his department’s quarterly report late during the Feb. 7 meeting, but later in the week Sherburn told The Owyhee Avalanche that the report was incorrect and would be resubmitted this week.

The Assessor’s Office and Recorder’s Office turned quarterly reports in on time during last week’s meeting, but Crandall left the meeting and called Jayne Kingston to find out where the OCSO quarterly report was. Minutes later, Sgt. Lynn Bowman delivered the

report.

But, saying that the document was incorrect, Sherburn didn’t include the OCSO report in a public records request answer to the Avalanche later in the week. Sherburn did not elaborate on why the sheriff’s report was incorrect.

The Recorder’s Office reported first-quarter revenue of \$12,633.80, while the Assessor’s Office quarterly report showed

\$346,247.98 for the opening quarter of fiscal year 2011.

Marsing probation office moved

After an Aberasturi motion, commissioners unanimously agreed to relocate the county probation office at the Marsing annex at 19 Reich St. to another part of the building.

Aberasturi asked for the relocation to the front of the

building for the safety of probation officers who work on the weekend. He pointed out that the current probation office wasn’t visible from the street, creating a dangerous after-hours working environment.

“I’m not very comfortable with that because in today’s world we have people who are not of sound mind, and it’s a matter of the safety of our people,” Aberasturi said.

— JPB



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Obituary

Paul Edward Brown

Paul Brown was his own man. He died on his own terms on Tuesday, February 8, 2011, in the Vallejo, Calif., home he had shared with his wife, Zelda, since 1966. He was 72 when he peacefully left us with true friends around him.

Paul was born on January 17, 1939, in Banner/El Reno, Okla. His family moved to California in 1946. He lived on a Petaluma chicken farm before he and his mother, Ann, settled on the east side of Benicia.

Paul attended school in Benicia, where he was a member of the North Bay Pipers car club. But his teenage life wasn't the typical hang out at the soda shop. He was one of the first people to use Interstate 780, albeit not for commuting – he often told stories of drag racing a local police officer in the days before the roadway was open to traffic.

Paul's self-determined single-mindedness (most called it stubbornness) manifested itself early. He left school in 10th grade, and began the life of a hard-working man. He worked in fabrication most of his life, beginning with Yuba Manufacturing where he helped build components for the original Benicia-Martinez Bridge.

He married Zelda Mae Raney in Reno in June 1961. They welcomed



a son, Jon Paul, in 1967.

He served 13 years in the California National Guard. Naturally, he departed on his timeline, despite a promotion to sergeant on the horizon.

Paul drove ambulance for Jimmy Burton in Vallejo before moving on to Bird and Son, Carlson Communications, and eventually Electrometals in Vallejo, from which he retired in 1986 to pursue a life of not-so-much leisure, reconnecting with his love for classic cars and working hard as always to provide a comfortable home for his family. He could be found with his car buddies at Canyon Café most Thursdays, or “bench-racing” at a local coffee shop on Saturdays.

He was a Lucky Strike and Zippo man. Gruff and no-nonsense, but

quick with a playful remark and a smile that came not so much from his lips as from his eyes. He always had a helping hand for those he respected. He was a man of few words, but you knew what was in his heart – or on his mind – by looking in those eyes. His conviction was much like the sound of that Zippo's metal lid drawing shut. When he made up his mind, that was it.

Paul was preceded in death by a daughter, Dawn Denise, and son, Paul Edward Jr., parents, Ann and Harold, sister Lois, beloved mother-in-law, Iola Raney, and brother- and sister-in-law Merle and Sandy Holliday.

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Zelda, their son, Jon (Cindy) of Nampa, Idaho, Paul's daughter, Twila (Greg) Webb of Carlsbad, Calif., two daughters from a previous marriage, granddaughter, Amelia Anne Brown (named for his mom), and grandsons Jesse and Steven Webb as well as father-in-law Clifton Raney and sister-in-law Cindy Stephenson, both of Emmett, Idaho, and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

At Paul's request, there were no services. Cremation arrangements were through Wiggins-Knipp Funeral Home, with inurnment at Sunrise Memorial Cemetery in Vallejo.

Thomas B. Hook

Thomas Balman Hook of Murphy, Idaho was born on May 6, 1940 in Pueblo, Colorado to Leon C. and Evelyn Hook of Canon City, Colorado. Tom graduated from Canon City High School. He received a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Colorado College and attended Denver University working towards his Master's degree.

Tom was a fourth-generation rancher growing up on a ranch in the Wet Mountain Valley of Colorado. That ranch had been in his family for four generations. Tom loved to explore new areas and while in high school and college traveled extensively with a Royal Canadian Mounted Police Mountie throughout Canada and Alaska. He developed a love for this rugged, untamed, north country and eventually bought the Empire Valley Ranch in British Columbia, Canada, where he ranched and raised a family. He later returned to the U.S. and bought a ranch near Ashwood, Oregon. At the time of his death he was ranching near Murphy, Idaho. His sons are fifth-generation ranchers carrying on with that ranch.



Tom was always involved in the local Cattlemen's Associations wherever he ranched, serving on their boards. He also served on a missionary board for InterAct Ministries for over 30 years, a ministry of spreading the Gospel to the native people of Canada, Alaska and Russia. He also served as a pastor in the many little communities' churches wherever he ranched.

Tom served in the Air Force National Guard for 6 years and was stationed in San Antonio, Texas and Denver, Colorado.

Tom's love of ranching was his hobby. He especially loved

working with his registered Horned Hereford Cattle.

His is survived by his wife, Connie Longaker Hook; two sons, Theron Thomas Hook and his wife, Wendy Organ Hook and Tristan Kenneth Hook and his wife, Jolynn Cox Hook; three grandchildren, Thane, Chandra and Timothy, all of Murphy, Idaho; one brother, Douglas Hook of Denver, CO; and his mother-in-law, Mildred Longaker of Canon City, CO

He was preceded in death by his father, mother, stepmother Reta Allen Hook and father-in-law, Kenneth Longaker.

Tom's love of his Lord Jesus Christ, his family, his many friends and his ranches and cattle was what made up his life. His positive attitude and encouraging ways will be missed.

Tom will be buried in the Melba Cemetery preceding a memorial service at the Vision Community Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing, ID at 2:00 P.M. Friday, February 18, 2011. Arrangements are under the direction of the Nampa Funeral Home, Yraguen Chapel. An online guest book may be signed at www.nampafuneralhome.com

School menus

Homedale Elementary

Feb. 16: Hamburger or French dip sandwich, baked beans, fruit & veggie bar, sugar cookie, milk

Feb. 17: Lasagna or mini corn dogs, corn, fruit & veggie bar, turnover, roll, milk

Feb. 18: Fish nuggets or turkey sandwich, fried, fruit & veggie bar, cookie, milk

Feb. 21: No school.

Feb. 22: Spaghetti or pizza hot pocket, green beans, fruit & veggie bar, French bread, milk

Feb. 23: Crispito or toasted cheese sandwich, taco salad, fruit & veggie bar, churro, milk

Homedale Middle

Feb. 16: Spaghetti or meatball sub sandwich, bread stick, fruit & veggie bar, milk

Feb. 17: Burrito or fish sandwich, corn, fruit & veggie bar, apple crisp, milk

Feb. 18: Pizza or popcorn chicken, fruit & veggie bar, cookie, milk

Feb. 21: No school.

Feb. 22: Wiener wrap or sloppy Joe, steamed carrots, fruit & veggie bar, cake, milk

Feb. 23: Idaho haystack or split top sandwich, churro, fruit & veggie bar, milk

Homedale High

Feb. 16: Enchilada or pizza hot pocket, mixed veggies, fruit & salad bar, milk

Feb. 17: Chicken patty or deli sandwich, potato wedges, soup, fruit & salad bar, turnover, milk

Feb. 18: Crispito or rib-b-que, corn, taco salad, fruit bar, milk

Feb. 21: No school.

Feb. 22: Beef nuggets or chicken filet, mashed potatoes/gravy, roll, fruit bar, milk

Feb. 23: Lasagna or pizza hot pocket, string cheese, French bread, fruit bar, milk

Bruneau

Feb. 16: Pizza, salad, corn, pineapple, milk

Feb. 17: Haystacks, green beans, fruit cup, cinnamon twist, milk

Feb. 18: Roast beef w/cheese/bun, potato wedges, veggie, fruit, brownie, fruit, milk

Feb. 22: Chicken strips, twice baked potato, salad, fruit pudding, milk

Feb. 23: Spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, peaches, milk

Marsing

Feb. 16: Tater tot casserole, steamed peas, chicken sandwich, salad bar

Feb. 17: Pepperoni pizza, salad w/ranch, egg rolls, rice, salad bar, fortune cookie

Feb. 18: Pulled pork sandwich, mixed vegetables, burrito, salad bar

Feb. 21: Sichuan chicken & rice, wiener wrap, green beans, salad bar, pudding

Feb. 22: Pepperoni pizza, salad w/ranch, taco, rice, salad bar, jello

Feb. 23: Cook's choice.

Senior menus

Homedale Senior Center

Feb. 16: Sausage & biscuits, country gravy, carrots, potato

Feb. 17: Chicken chow mein, fried rice, stir fried vegetables

Feb. 22: Stuffed ravioli w/meat sauce, salad, roll

Feb. 23: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, peas & carrots, roll

Feb. 24: Roast pork, mashed potatoes/gravy, California blend vegetables, roll

Marsing Senior Center

Feb. 16: Baked potato bar, w/bean soup, broccoli, chili, cheese, etc., fruit, bran muffin, milk

Feb. 17: Beef stroganoff, pasta, broccoli, carrots, salad, roll, raspberry jello, cake, milk

Feb. 21: Closed.

Feb. 22: Roast pork, mashed potatoes/gravy, baked squash, sauerkraut salad, apple & raisin salad, roll, fruit cup, milk

Feb. 23: Chicken & noodles, mashed potatoes, carrots, watergate salad, bread, strawberry shortcake, milk

Feb. 24: Beef stew, potatoes, carrots, onions, coleslaw, pears, biscuit, cookies, milk

Rimrock Center

Feb. 17: Spaghetti, salad, fruit, cheese garlic rolls, strawberry jello cake

Feb. 22: Hot roast beef sandwich, mashed potatoes/gravy, broccoli, cauliflower & carrots, bread, apple crisp

Feb. 24: Chinese casserole, 7 up salad, apple roll, fruit cocktail, ice cream

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Calendar

Today

Preschool story time
10:30 a.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690 weekday afternoons

El-Ada commodity distribution
11 a.m. to noon, Main Street near Freddie’s Tacos, Marsing. (208) 337-4812

Grand View Chamber of Commerce meeting
6 p.m., Grand View Firehouse, 721 Roosevelt Ave., Grand View

OCHS board of directors meeting
7 p.m., Helen Nettleton Library, Owyhee County Historical Museum, 17085 Basey St., Murphy. (208) 495-2319

Eastern Owyhee CWMA meeting
7 p.m., Grand View Firehouse

Thursday

Senior center lunch
Noon, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808

Vision Church food distribution
2 p.m. to 4 p.m., donations welcome, Vision Church, 221 W. Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-5407

Soup and prayer day
3 p.m. to 5 p.m., freewill offering accepted, Marsing Assembly of God Church, 139 Kerry St., Marsing. (208) 965-1650

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

Celebrate Recovery
6 p.m., Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 337-3151

Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Friday

Story time at library
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228 between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday

Monday

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

Tuesday

Senior citizens lunch
Noon, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808

Afterschool story time
4:15 p.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave W., Marsing. Kindergarten through third grade welcome. (208) 896-4690 weekday afternoons for more information.

Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Wednesday, Feb. 23

Preschool story time
10:30 a.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690 weekday afternoons

Thursday, Feb. 24

Senior center lunch
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Homedale City Council meeting
6 p.m., Homedale City Hall, 31 W. Wyoming Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4641

Celebrate Recovery
6 p.m., Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 337-3151

Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Friday, Feb. 25

Story time at library
10:15 a.m., Homedale Public Library, 125 W. Owyhee Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4228 between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday

Saturday, Feb. 26

Bruneau Booster Club fundraiser
5:30 p.m., dinner, 6:30 p.m. auction, American Legion Post 83, Belle Avenue, Bruneau. (208) 845-2842 or (208) 845-2282

Senior center dance
6 p.m. to 9 p.m., \$4 and bring finger food, Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Monday, Feb. 28

Board of County Commissioners meeting
9 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Hwy. 78, Murphy. (208) 495-2421

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

Tuesday, Mar. 1

Blood pressure clinic
10 a.m., free, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Grand View Irrigation board meeting
11 a.m., Grand View Irrigation District office, 645 Idaho St., Grand View. (208) 834-2350

Homedale Chamber of Commerce meeting
Noon, Owyhee Lanes and Restaurant banquet room, 18 N. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3271

Senior citizens lunch
Noon, Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2808

Ridgeview Irrigation District board meeting
1 p.m., South Board of Control office, 118 S. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3760

Gem Irrigation District board meeting
1:15 p.m., South Board of Control office, 118 S. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3760

South Board of Control board meeting
1:30 p.m., South Board of Control office, 118 S. 1st St. W., Homedale. (208) 337-3760

Afterschool story time
4:15 p.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave W., Marsing. Kindergarten through third grade welcome. (208) 896-4690 weekday afternoons for more information.

Grand View PTA meeting
7 p.m., Grand View Elementary School, 205 First St., Grand View

Homedale AA meeting
8 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 571-4048

Wednesday, Mar. 2

Preschool story time
10:30 a.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave W., Marsing. (208) 896-4690 weekday afternoons

TRIAD meeting
1 p.m., Marsing Senior Center, 218 Main St., Marsing. (208) 337-4466

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Homeland Harmony performance slated at Marsing Nazarene church

A local Southern gospel quartet will present a morning full of gospel music at the Marsing Church of the Nazarene beginning at 11 a.m. on Sunday.

The church is located at 12 S. 2nd Ave. W. in Marsing. The free concert is open to everyone.

The quartet consists of four area-men who have been singing gospel music for many years. The group consists of Stephen Watkins (Nampa), tenor Philip Batton (Caldwell), baritone and State of Idaho Treasurer Ron Crane (Nampa) and bass Pete Wilson (Nampa).

Txoko Ona readies for annual Basque dance

Preparations are under way for the 11th annual Homedale Basque Dance, which is set for Saturday, March 12.

The doors will open at 6 p.m. at the Txoko Ona Basque Center, 333 S. Main St., in Homedale.

Admission is \$5, and there will be dance performances from the Oinkari Basque Dancers of Boise and the Herribatza dancers. The latter troupe is comprised of local youth under the direction of Homedale resident Gloria Lejardi.

The evening also will include live and silent auctions and dancing to live music from Amuma Says No!

Chorizos, hotdogs, chili, pop, wine and beer will be available.

Ben Badiola is the chairman for this year’s dance.

In addition to the food and dancing, there will be a raffle for a big-screen television and an iPod Touch electronic device. Tickets will available the night of the event.

The Txoko Ona Basque Club also will be selling its new cookbook featuring traditional Basque dishes for \$12 each. The cookbook is currently in production.

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Full slate of activities planned at the Homedale library

The Homedale Public Library will have a full slate of events next week, including Story Time, Teens and Tweens and a library taxing district exploratory committee meeting.

First up is Story Time featuring the story of “Madeline” by Ludwig Bemelmans. The reading for preschoolers takes place at 10:15 a.m. on Friday.

In addition to the story, there will be songs, refreshments and crafts.

For more information, call the library at (208) 337-4228

afternoons between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m.

The next Tween and Teen Program runs from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the library and will focus on George Washington, whose birthday is the same day. The Washington theme will be carried out with a word search, a word scramble and a scavenger hunt using the library’s card catalog. The first person to finish the scavenger hunt will win a prize.

There also will be a door prize and another round of voting for Survivor.

For more information, call the library and ask for Sara.

The library district exploratory committee will meet at 9 a.m. on Saturday at the library.

The library is located at 125 W. Owyhee Ave.

Owyhee Lanes event helps local schools

Area schools, including Homedale, Marsing and Adrian received more than \$125 in donations after a Feb. 4 “lock-in” event at Owyhee Lanes.

Students from Homedale Middle School and Homedale High School made up the bulk of the 63 students who participated in a night of open bowling, karaoke and “Minute to Win It” games.

Owyhee Lanes owner Donna Marose said students from Marsing, Adrian, Notus and Nampa also participated, with the bowling alley donated \$2 for every student to their respective schools.

“This was a successful event and we plan to do another one in March,” Marose said. “We want kids to have a local, fun place to go, where parents can drop them off and know they are safe.”

The evening included open bowling, Monte Carlo bowling and Cosmic Black Light bowling. There was karaoke from 11 p.m. to 6 a.m., prize giveaways and the students ate pizza, nachos, juice, donuts and soda.

New business has support of locals



Anita Brown of Anita's Little Shop in Homedale.

In today’s economic climate, some businesses are being forced to close up shop. But for one of Homedale’s newest businesses the timing was just right to throw open the doors.

Anita’s Little Shop, located at 411 W. Idaho Ave., has only been open a few short months, but owner Anita Brown has been forced to expand her operation to add more space for the consignment clothing and accessories she showcases.

Brown supports local artists by displaying handcrafted jewelry and other accessories. She sells gently used and new clothing, shoes and handbags.

The business is open Tuesday through Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.


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Homedale's final International Smorgasbord



The line at the Homedale International Smorgasbord started to form about 30-minutes before the doors were opened.



HMS seventh-grader John Collett picks up silverware from Joan and Wayne Myrick of Caldwell. The Myricks have attended the smorgasbord for nearly 24 consecutive years.



Two-year old Hayden Bowen and his mother Jennifer point to a frosted-cupcake at the dessert table.



Face masks were decorated to reflect students personalities.



Doug Larzelier cleans up in the kitchen during the final smorgasbord.



Smorgasbord visitors look at split-image portraits created by students.



Kelly Schamber and Becky Anderson serve up a helping of spaghetti and meatballs at the Italian booth.

Adrian boys roll into districts with a win

Rimrock knocks off higher seed teams

Avalanche Sports

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2011

Trojans drop game in Parma

Almaraz posts 38 points in final two games of regular season

Even with three of the Homedale High School boys' basketball starters posting double figures against Parma on Friday night, the Trojans fell 73-56 in their final 3A Snake River Valley conference game.

Senior Walter Almaraz paced Homedale (11-9 overall, 3-5 conference) with 13 points, followed by Jonny Stacey with 12 points and seven rebounds. Kenny Esparza went 4-for-8 from the line to finish with 11.

Homedale boys hoops



Homedale	56
Parma	73



The Marsing High School girls' basketball team admires the plaque they received after narrowly edging Melba in the 2A District III Championship on Saturday night.

Lady Huskies claim district championship

Seven years ago, the Marsing High School girls' basketball team earned its first district title — in any sport at the 2A level— and a berth to the state tournament. In the crowd at that game were four of the girls who this year as seniors who helped the Lady Huskies to State for a second time.

Children in the fifth grade often dream of being astronauts, firefighters and doctors. For Andi Merritt, Candy Leon, Kate Blackstock and Rebecca Cossel watching the Lady Huskies of 2004 play — against the same opponent — inspired them to greatness.

During the 35-mile trip back from Ontario, Ore., in 2004, they made a pact that when they were seniors, it would be their team receiving a District III championship and a chance to

take on the best of state's 2A class.

"We told each other that was going to be us when we were seniors," Kate Blackstock said. "We yelled it the whole way back."

After Thursday's narrow 23-22 victory over third-seeded Melba, Blackstock and her fellow seniors are heading to State.

In a game that went into halftime with top-seeded Marsing leading 10-8, both teams fought tooth-and-nail for the hardware at the end of the game. On Thursday night, the seniors' dream was captured with a nail-biting, fist-pumping, get-out-of-your-seat battle with the Mustangs.

"All of our games have been really close. We know going in that we will win," Candy Leon said. "We pick each other up and never

stop believing in each other. We were down last night, but that didn't scare us. We have developed a trust with each other that keeps us going."

Ashley Hull was put in the driver's seat of the Lady Huskies' bid for the championship. With less than a second left in the game, she squared up for her patented three-pointer and was fouled, sending the 77 percent free-throw shooter to the line for three tries. Hull missed the first bucket, and a timeout was called.

"I always debate, 'Should I say something to the kid or should I not?' I decided that I should say something," Marsing coach Tim Little said. "I told (Hull), 'Just go up there with confidence and put them in'."

"She told me, 'I got this. I got this, the game

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Wednesday: Homedale 66, Fruitland 64 — Almaraz dominated the court, posting a staggering 25 points to lead all scorers.

Almaraz hit 8-of-15 from the line and picked up four rebounds on Senior Night as the Trojans posted their third win over the Grizzlies in the past six tries.

Esparza finished with 10 points and two rebounds. Mario Gonzalez hit 3-of-4 from behind the arc for nine points and had five rebounds.

Corta added six points and eight rebounds.

Lowder and Stacey each had five points.

Jarvis picked up four points and six rebounds. Tanner Lair and Gibson each had one point.

Marsing preps for back-to-back state champ West Jefferson

Lady Huskies open 2A State at 8 p.m. Thursday at BK in Boise

The Marsing High School girls' basketball team is in the 2A Real Dairy Shootout state tournament — for only the second time in school history — and will square up with the back-to-back defending state champions from West Jefferson.

The city of Terreton sits nearly 45 miles northwest of Idaho Falls and in the past two years produced the 2009 and 2010 2A state champions in girls' basketball. The Lady Huskies are ready to take on the Panthers at 8 p.m. on Thursday at Bishop

Kelly High School in Boise.

When asked if they are ready to take on the Real Dairy Shootout, the four seniors on the Lady Huskies squad answered in unison, "Oh yeah!"

Marsing put the final nail in the 2A District III championship on Saturday night with its win over No. 3 seed Melba but will face District IV's champs in the opening round. Both Marsing and West Jefferson hold 20-2 records heading into Thursday's matchup.

"There is a lot of hype with

them being two-time state champs," Marsing coach Tim Little said. "They are a good program with good basketball players. I told the girls after the Melba game, 'When you get to State you don't necessarily have to be the best of all eight teams. You just have to be the best against the team you play that night.'"

Little is banking on the Lady Huskies' eagerness to succeed, experience in tight games and time-to-score situations heading into the game to help lead Marsing to a win.

"We have been getting a lot of experience. That is helping them develop a lot of confidence going

in," Little said. "We focus a lot on the time-to-score situations and being the best at it in the state. We aren't the biggest team or the strongest. We have to rely on our smarts and the attitude that these girls have about playing."

With a win on Thursday night, Marsing will play Friday at 8 p.m. If the Lady Huskies loose they would play at 3 p.m. on Friday.

For results and game times check The Owyhee Avalanche Website, www.owyheeavalanche.com.

Bishop Kelly High School is located at 7009 W. Franklin Road in Boise.

— JLZ

Sports

Homedale wrestlers fare well in marathon weekend

Trojans pick up third place, Marsing takes fifth at Pine Eagle

The Homedale High School wrestlers took on a marathon week starting in Homedale on Thursday, jumping on a bus with Marsing to head to Cambridge and then wrapping up on Saturday in Halfway, Ore.

The Trojans brought home third place from the Pine Eagle Invitational on Saturday.

Homedale finished behind No. 1 Crane (189.5) and No. 2 Baker (174.5) with a score of 141.5. Rounding out the top five was Marsing at 99.5 behind Melba, which had a team score of 105.

“We had a pretty good week overall,” Homedale coach Toby Johnson said. “We brought home a lot of hardware and finished third in the team standings.”

(1) Crane, Ore., 189.5; (2) Baker, Ore., 174.5; (3) Homedale 141.5; (4) Melba 105; (5) Marsing 99.5; (6) Pine Eagle 99; (7) Elgin-Wallowa, Wa., 95; (8) Heppner, Ore., 81; (9) Irrigon, Ore., 75; (10) Grant Union, Ore., 66; (11) Tri-Valley 41; (12) Adrian 36; (13) Joseph 34; (13) Nyssa 34; (15) Joseph 25; (16) Elgin 18; (17) Union 17.

Saturday at Pine Eagle Invitational, Halfway, Ore., — (112) Todd Bahem 3rd (2-1); (112) Michael Deleon 5th (2-1); (125) Phillip Moulton 3rd (2-1); (130) Cole Jeppe 6th (2-2); (130) Tell Hyer (0-1); (135) Alan Kennedy 5th (2-1); (140) Tano Montes 2nd (3-1); (140)

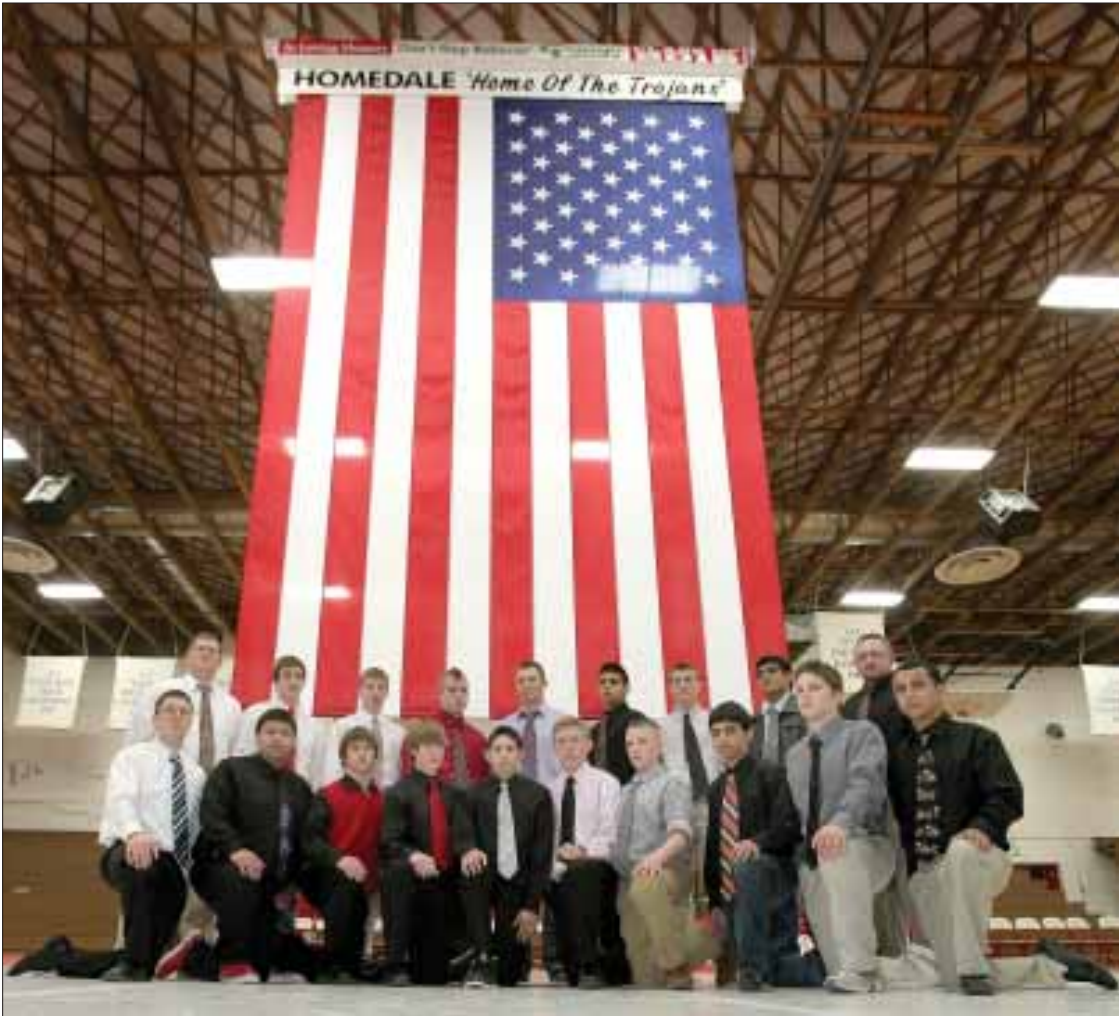
Max Glezer (0-2); (145) Curtis Stansell (0-2); (152) Ethan Brand 5th (4-1); (152) Dustin Sprague (0-2); (171) Ismahel Mendoza 2nd (3-1); (171) Jed Jones (1-2); (189) Brad McCain 4th (2-2); (215) Bodie Hyer 4th (1-2); (285) Jorge Hernandez (0-2).

Friday at Cambridge High School (Tri Valley), with Marsing — 125-pounder Phillip Moulton won by technical fall 22-6 over Ismahel Hinojosa of Marsing, pinned S. Jaeger (TV). (130) Cole Jeppe pinned Marsing’s Adrian Garcia, pinned W. Hopkins (TV). (130) Tell Hyer pinned by W. Hopkins (TV), pinned by Marsing’s Adrian Garcia.

Alan Kennedy (135) pinned J. Jaeger (TV), pinned by Marsing’s Dillon Danner. (140) Tano Montes pinned J. Jaeger (TV), pinned Dillon Danner (M). (140) Max Glezer pinned by M. Ball (TV), pinned by J. Jaeger (TV). (145) Curtis Stansell pinned by Marsing’s Nathan Danner, win 10-6 over Dillon Danner (M).

(152) Ethan Brand win 8-4 over Nathan Danner (M), pinned Marsing’s Javier Moreno (M). (152) Dustin Sprague pinned Javier Moreno (M), and pinned M. Ball (TV).

Ismahel Mendoza (171) technical win 17-1 over Marsing’s Austin Williams, pinned M. Baladez (TV). (171) Jed Jones pinned by M. Baladez (TV). (189)



The 2010-2011 Homedale High School wrestling team.


Bodie Hyer pinned by Marsing’s Austin Glenn. (189) Brad McCain pinned by Austin Glenn (M). (285) Jorge Hernandez pinned Steven Escarzaga (M).


Thursday: Home vs. Payette — (103) FFT to Chase Neill; (112) Alfonso Barbosa pinned Jake Garcia; (119) Michael Deleon win by FFT; (125) Phillip Moulton win by FFT; (130) Cole

Jeppe pinned by Jeff Waters; (135) Alan Kennedy pinned by Oscar Gallegos; (140) Tano Montes win by FFT; (145) Curtis Stansell win by FFT; (152) Ethan Brand pinned by Woody Thomas; (160) Dustin Sprague pinned by Andrew Sparks; (171) Ismahel Mendoza win by FFT; (189) Brad McCain pinned by Mike Jones; (215) FFT to Joe Barbion; (285)

Jorge Hernandez lost 1-4 to Rusty Penson.

Other matches: Michael Deleon win 13-4 over Chase Neill; Tell Hyer pinned by Jake Deleon; Jed Jones won 9-5 over Matt Youngberg; Ismahel Mendoza pinned Michael Shepherd; Jed Jones pinned by Michael Shepherd; Bodie Hyer lost 6-8 OT to Colton Bullington.

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Saturday, Feb. 19 at 3A District III Tournament, Treasure Valley CC, Ontario, Ore., if nec., opponent and time TBA

Tuesday, Feb. 22 at 3A District III Tournament, Treasure Valley CC, Ontario, Ore., if nec., opponent and time TBA

Junior varsity

Wednesday, Feb. 16, home for 3A Snake River Valley conference Tournament final, if nec., 7:30 p.m.

Frosh-soph


Wednesday, Feb. 16, home for 3A Snake River Valley conference Tournament final, if nec., 6 p.m.

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Sports



The Lady Huskies 'were all smiles after their nail-biting win over Melba on Saturday night in Nampa.



Students from Marsing help make some noise during the Melba game on Saturday night.

√ Marsing: Takes control

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is over.' After she missed the first one, I called a timeout and pulled (Merritt and Cossel) off the line, and she made the final two.”
On the night, Hull had 11 points, going 5-for-7 from the line. Merritt finished with eight points, five rebounds and three steals. Cossel picked up
Ashley Hull (23) hit 5-of-7 from the line and cinched up the game for Marsing on Saturday.

six rebounds, two assists and two points. Andrea Rodriguez pulled in five boards from the Mustangs’ glass and had two points. Leon had three assists and three rebounds. Deidrie Briggs and Lacey Usabel each picked up one rebound.
“Every game we have had seems to be down to the wire,” Little said. “There was never really any doubt. We play each other and scout each other so much that it really comes down to who makes the fewest mistakes in the game.”
Little said he likes close games. It gives him a comfort level with the team knowing they can hold others to a low score.
“It has always been said that when Marsing gets down they can’t get back up. I think in the past we could be doing well and then at the last minute give up,” Cossel said. “This year, we are fighting until the very end, pushing and never giving up.”
— JLZ

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Sat., Feb. 19, 2A Real Dairy Shootout state tournament, Nampa or Boise, if nec., opponent and time TBA

Boys’ Basketball

Wednesday, Feb. 16 at 2A District III Tournament, time, opponent and site TBA
Saturday, Feb. 19 at 2A District III Tournament, if nec., Vallivue H.S., Caldwell, time and opponent TBA
Tuesday, Feb. 22 at 2A District III Tournament, if nec., Vallivue H.S., Caldwell, time and opponent TBA

Wrestling

Tuesday, Feb. 22 at 2A/1A District III Tournament, Garden Valley, 10 a.m.

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Sports

Adrian boys roll into districts with rout of Huntington

Strong play for the first three quarters carried Adrian High School to a 1A High Desert League East Division boys' basketball victory Friday night.

The visiting Antelopes built a 27-point lead through 24 minutes en route to a 77-58 victory over Huntington. The contest marked the end of the regular season for coach Brent Ishida's squad.

"We controlled the tempo early and were able to play all of our bench," Ishida said. "This was a nice way to end the regular season and prepare for districts."

Senior Blake Purnell scored 24 points and grabbed 17 rebounds. Teammate Kurt Nielson had

17 points, and Paxton Shira added 10.

Bobby Wiley led the Locomotives with 23 points, while teammate Austin Wilcox scored 12.

Feb. 7: Adrian 56, Ambrose 51 — The Antelopes needed every point from four

players in double figures to beat the Archers in Meridian.

After erasing a narrow deficit with a 23-point third quarter of the non-league game, Adrian had to hold as Ambrose cut its own 10-point deficit in half during the final eight minutes.

Purnell led the Antelopes in every category with 16 points, 15 rebounds, seven assists, six steals and three blocks.

Nielson and Shira scored 12

points each, and David Stones chipped in 10 points and four rebounds.

Thirteen of Ambrose's 16 turnovers were steals by Adrian, which only turned the ball over three times.

Ambrose also had three players in double figures, including 16 points from Jackson Yenor, 14 from Davin Liimakka and 12 from Connor MacMahon.

Junior varsity, Feb. 8: Adrian 39, Harper 28 — The Antelopes seized control quickly with a 22-point first quarter.

German exchange student Uwe Fanghaenel pulled off a double-double for host Adrian with 11 points and 12 rebounds.

Dustyne Hicks scored 16 points for the Hornets.



Adrian's Uwe Fanghaenel hits a shot in the key over a Harper defender. Photo by Bob Radford

Adrian girls pound Huntington

A balanced attack allowed Adrian High School to double up Huntington in a 1A High Desert League East Division girls' basketball game Friday.

The Antelopes closed the regular season with a 42-21 victory on the Locomotives' floor.

Madison Purnell scored 10 points and snagged seven rebounds to lead the way. Rebekah VanCorbach chipped in nine points and eight boards, while Ester Gordon had eight points.

Adrian led 24-7 at halftime and widened its lead to 39-14 after three quarters.

Sara King had nine points for Huntington.

Feb. 8: Adrian 49, Harper 28 — Madison Shira scored



Adrian's Maddy Pendergrass (32) and Madison Shira (14) apply defensive pressure during their game against Harper. Photo by Bob Radford

13 points and Madison Purnell pulled down 13 rebounds on the Antelopes' floor. Nichole Orosco

added eight points.

Jordan Jackie scored 14 points for the Hornets.

Greenleaf Friends Owyhee connection thwarts Rimrock

Two Owyhee County athletes helped Greenleaf Friends Academy end the boys' basketball regular season on a sour note for Rimrock.

Marsing's J.B. Bermudez-Koch and Homedale's Dalton Penrod scored five points each Feb. 7 as the Grizzlies rolled 53-32 in the Raiders' final 1A Western Idaho Conference game of the season.

The Raiders (8-9 overall, 2-6 1A WIC) fell behind, 15-8, in the first quarter and could never recover. First-year coach John Hannah's squad takes a four-game losing streak into next week's 1A, Div. I District III Tournament.

The Raiders will be the fifth seed from the 1A WIC and face a road game on the home court of a higher seed in Thursday's

opening round of district play.

Oscar Gomez scored 10 points for Rimrock, while Clay Cantrell chipped in six.

Penrod also had a team-high three steals for the Grizzlies, who wrapped up 1A WIC's top seed in the district tournament. Bermudez-Koch blocked a team-high three shots.

Brandon Fisk's 18 points for Greenleaf led all scorers.

Underdog Raiders win JV girls' title

Rimrock knocks off two higher seeds at Meridian tourney

The future looks bright for the Rimrock High School girls' basketball program after the junior varsity won the conference tournament earlier this month.

Under the guidance 1A Western Idaho Conference coach of the year Sadan Selimovic, the Raiders (8-6 overall) pieced together two narrow victories in Meridian on Jan. 31 and Feb. 1 to claim the crown.

Rimrock entered the four-team tournament on Jan. 31 as the fourth seed and immediately knocked off top-seeded Ambrose, 30-27, in the semifinals.

A day later, the Raiders stormed a come-from-behind 26-22 championship game win over third-seeded Victory Charter of Nampa by scoring 14 points in the game's final six minutes.

The Raiders pushed ahead with two minutes remaining in what their coach called a "gut-wrenching game" after No. 3 seed Victory Charter controlled the tempo for the first three quarters.

"We couldn't penetrate their defense and had trouble on offense," Selimovic said. "We tried attacking the wings but it just wasn't working."

Everything changed in the fourth quarter, and the coach credited a complete team effort, including a fast pace set by freshman guards Sami Jo Bachman and Desiree Meyers, the play of freshmen wings

Bridget Black and Jackie Prow and a post game anchored by juniors Jordan Boman and Dallace Meyers and freshman Heather Morrison.

"We kept our heads in the game and held the lead to win the game," Selimovic said. "I also want to acknowledge the fine efforts of Maira Mura and Am Tanaka (both juniors), who, without their hard work, showed great effort all season long."

Bachman (141 points) and Desiree Meyers (122) were the Raiders' leadings scorers for the season. Rimrock was winless against non-conference teams, but turned things around for a 6-2 record in the 1A WIC.

Selimovic, who completed his second season as Rimrock coach, deflected the credit for his coach of the year honor and

"I am very proud of that accomplishment, but this award belongs to all of us as a team not only to myself," he said.

"Without the teamwork, we wouldn't be able to reach that point. So I would congratulate my team on their sportsmanship throughout the whole season and their outstanding performance."

Selimovic also extended special thanks to Doug Thurman and Rimrock varsity coach and athletic director Mike Chandler for their support during the season.

— JPB

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Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense

The corn attack

In the past few years, we have watched an increasing attack on corn. The skewed reasoning is: corn syrup is available, reasonably priced, and good for the average person, therefore, it must be bad! This is the kind of logic that has been applied to farmed salmon, Big Macs, lower taxes, capitalism and pasteurized milk.

I'm sure this same kind of reasoning was applied to earlier "civilizing" discoveries such as air conditioning, the steam engine and fire. In the book *The Omnivore's Dilemma*, by Michael Pollan, © 2006, it was noted that "too much" corn syrup can make you fat, reduce the popularity of competing vegetables like beets and wheat straw, AND someone can make a profit on it!

In the book *FIRE*, © 5286 BC, the author noted that "too much" fire could cause global warming, reduce your ability to withstand the cold, and someone could likely invent matches and make a profit!

Too often, in the long-established profession of the Luddites, Nay-Sayers and otherwise unemployed columnists, their motives can be found by "following the money." To sell a book or theory, wacko as it may be, you must first find a trend, discovery, or product that is well-known and well-liked. Then you make a persuasive observation casting doubt on the safety, ecological impact, availability and/or the morality of its use. The purpose is to create a problem where none exists; i.e., wild horses, hormone implants, preservatives, oil drilling the tundra, pesticides, irradiation of food, hog confinement sheds, Alar in apples and antibiotics in cattle. Look at what a waste of common sense and money has resulted from the discovery of BSE ... in one cow in the United States! It was a fear monger's feast!

So while lettered experts, authorized "mullers", activists and writers are trying to portray corn syrup as some evil substance, others of their kind are searching for easy prey so they can be the "nay-sayer de jour"... Potential headlines:

- "Burnt toast, a carcinogen suspect!"
- "People who lean have a tendency to fall over!"
- "Carrots used as weapons in Arctic battle!"
- "Could bovine dewlap be related to snood shrinking in turkeys?"
- "Should Holsteins sue the Dairy Improvement Association for the Chick-Fil-A ads?"
- "Is Tractor Fantasy Dangerous?"
- "Can Tolstoy save your Marriage?"
- "Packers blame the tennis ball shortage in New Zealand for the drop in the beef market!"

The corn attack has stimulated discourse on why we eat so good, have so much cheap food, and can feed the world's hungry if need be. The majority of this discussion has been among non-producers, non-scientists and journalists, wherein common sense, economic impact, scientific validity, and overwhelming acceptance are not on the table.

Michael Pollan in his book *The Omnivore's Dilemma* caused a ripple. He put corn syrup on the stage for its 15 minutes of fame. But, as Lincoln said when his dog swallowed an Indian head penny, "This too shall pass."

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Sen. Mike Crapo

From Washington

Producers are important to Idaho's vitality



Idaho is home to more than 25,000 farms and ranches growing 185 different commodities. Many of the farm families that comprise Idaho agriculture have persevered through great adversity, difficult economic times and natural disasters to help sustain our economy and provide a sector of resilience, especially during our nation's economic difficulty.

The contribution of Idaho farmers and ranchers to our economy and communities is considerable. In a recently released report, University of Idaho agricultural economists indicated that Idaho's 2010 net farm income is estimated to be \$1.44 billion, an increase of 55 percent from 2009 levels. Idaho agriculture cash receipts increased 12 percent to \$5.78 billion. The strong performance is across many segments. Despite recent challenges within the dairy industry, Idaho milk revenue increased 36 percent to an estimated \$1.95 billion. Revenue from cattle and calves increased 16 percent to \$1.11 billion. Dry bean revenue jumped 13 percent. Greenhouse and nursery revenues received a 12 percent boost, and wheat was estimated to increase six percent. Onion revenues rose an astounding 93 percent to \$76.2 million.

Farmers and ranchers strengthen our communities. Farm families live and work on or near their farms, contributing financially to local businesses and municipalities and supporting their communities through involvement in local organizations and activities. They pump revenue back into their communities through purchases of implements and services from area businesses and supporting public services and schools. Farm families provide and support local jobs. For 2009, Idaho agriculture businesses were estimated to support 137,000 jobs and \$3.5 billion in wages. Farmers and ranchers also contribute indirectly to supporting jobs through value-added sectors, exports and farmer-related services. Idaho agribusiness exports

have been estimated to amount to 26 percent of Idaho's exports, and Idaho exports nearly \$1.5 billion in food and agriculture products.

We can strengthen our economy and nation by removing impediments to growth. For example, we must aggressively obtain more market opportunities for farm families through advancement of the pending free trade agreements with Colombia, Panama, South Korea and others that are expected to boost U.S. agriculture exports. I recently co-sponsored a Sense of the Senate resolution calling for the immediate approval of these important trade agreements. We must also review our tax code. Permanently and fully eliminating the Death Tax, an especially burdensome penalty for family farmers in rural states, will better prevent the sell-off of productive farmland to pay the tax bill when a loved one is lost. Additionally, as Congress prepares to rewrite the Farm Bill, producers deserve a business environment that protects necessary freedoms to produce and thrive while also providing the necessary assistance to weather tough times. Proper investment in research is also important to ensure that producers can meet the needs of an increasing population while facing greater pressure to grow more on less land. We must also rein in overly burdensome regulations to prevent the unfortunate consequence of pushing the best stewards off the land.

Nationally, Idaho ranks in the top 10 in 26 crops and livestock, including ranking first in potato, trout, Austrian winter peas, organic barley for grain seed and organic hay production. Idaho farmers and ranchers are propelling our economy and deserve an environment that best enables them to continue to grow and strengthen our communities. Our economy will further reap the harvest of productive conditions.

— *Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho's senior member in the U.S. Senate.*

New GOP apparently "going Gingrich"

by Howard Rich

Have recent elections taught Republicans nothing?

Routed from power in 2006 and 2008 for their wholesale betrayal of the American taxpayers, the GOP was granted a new lease on life because Democrats chose to put Bush-era bailouts and deficit spending on steroids while forcing a socialized medicine monstrosity down the throats of the American people.

Yet scarcely a month after being handed control of the U.S. House, Republicans are already losing sight of why they were given another chance. In retreating from their commitment to cut \$100 billion from the budget (which let's face it – will barely make a dent in our \$14 trillion debt) the GOP is demonstrating a fundamental but all too familiar lack of courage. Republicans are also refusing to address the entitlement behemoths of Medicare, Medicaid and Social Security – ticking time bombs that pose even graver dangers to our nation's long-term solvency.

Such squeamishness is not surprising given the party's recent pattern of backing down in the face of an ideologically inferior foe. In fact, I refer to this flight reflex as "going Gingrich."

Riding a similar wave of limited government fervor in 1994, former House Speaker Newt Gingrich's "Republican Revolution" promised taxpayers balanced budgets, less government and term limits – but quickly caved on all fronts. As a result the "era of big government" that Democratic President Bill Clinton promised was "over" ended up coming to pass – under GOP rule.

"The party that in 1994 would abolish the Department of Education now brags in response to Clinton's 2000 State of the Union Address that it is outspending the White House when it comes to education," Cato Institute founder Ed Crane wrote a decade ago, noting that "the combined

budgets of the 95 major programs that the Contract with America promised to eliminate have increased by 13 percent."

Far worse was coming. With Republicans holding the purse strings, federal spending jumped from \$1.79 trillion in 2000 to \$2.73 trillion in 2007 – a 23.5 percent increase after adjusting for inflation. By contrast, America's population grew by just 9.7 percent over the course of the entire decade.

Where was Gingrich during this then-unprecedented orgy of new spending? Embracing the fuzzy science of global warming in a television commercial with House Speaker Nancy Pelosi.

"Our country must take action to address climate change," Gingrich said in the ad.

Pelosi took action – spending billions of American tax dollars to create "green jobs" in other countries.

Gingrich also helped advance the Pelosi agenda in other, more direct ways. In a 2009 special election in New York, he endorsed Dede Scozzafava – the union-backing, stimulus-supporting "Republican" who later dropped out of the race and campaigned against Conservative Party candidate Doug Hoffman.

"If you seek to be a perfect minority, you'll remain a minority," Gingrich said in justifying his decision.

Translation? Principles be damned.

No wonder Gingrich has dismissed the Tea Party movement as nothing more than the "militant wing of the Republican Party." And no wonder he refused to defend the tea party when the NAACP played the race card against it last summer – calling the unfounded assault a "teachable moment."

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Commentary

Financial management Straighten hubby out with counseling, not enabling

Dear Dave,

My husband likes to borrow money on fix-up projects around the house. He says he knows how to manage money, and will pay the loans back quickly. The other day, he came to me for money to make the payment on the latest loan he took out. Then, he started fussing at me when I didn't have the money to make the payment. It's not the first time this sort of thing has happened. How can I make it stop?

— Crystal

Dear Crystal,

This guy needs a swift kick in his rear end! He says he knows how to manage money, but he doesn't know how to save up to re-wire the garage? It sounds to me like you've got an overgrown teenager on your hands instead of a husband. It's bad enough that he can't take care of his own responsibilities, but



then he turns around and fusses when you won't do it for him. That's ridiculous! Marriage is all about unity. Once the rings go on those fingers it's a *we* thing, not a *me* thing. Husbands and wives should work together to form a game plan that will help them win in life, and that includes finances. I think you should take the money he's asking for and use it to see a good marriage counselor. There are some real issues here that need attention. You guys need to deal with them, and create a real marriage, before this situation gets any worse!

— Dave

Dear Dave,

I'm fairly responsible with finances, but my girlfriend is in a terrible financial situation with a lot of credit card debt, an expensive car payment, and a big, fancy apartment. Plus, she just quit her job because she didn't like it anymore. Now, she's thinking about filing bankruptcy and thinks us moving in together will help solve her problems. If she can't handle her finances on her own, what's going to happen if we get together? Can you help?

— Dino

Dear Dino,

This is someone to keep dating, not marry right now or move in with, and see if she changes her spending habits. You'd have a very tough life being married to this woman, unless she makes some real attitude adjustments where her money is concerned. I can't say if she's technically

bankrupt, but she definitely needs to move into a cheaper apartment and sell the car for starters. Still, bankruptcy's not going to solve anything if she's got a heart problem. By this, I mean if she buys stuff to try and make her happy *and* lives beyond her means in the process. Lots of people have the idea that they are what they drive, or they are where they live. Those are heart problems, and that's the way I was many years ago until I had some sense knocked into me by going broke. Then, I realized I had to stop and make some changes. This doesn't mean that she isn't worthy of your love or she's a terrible person, but it does mean that the girl has got some growing up to do. Money matters aside, you don't quit your job without a plan unless you're being sexually harassed or abused, or there's some matter of principle at stake.

Leaving one job for another is OK. But the idea of deciding you just don't like something, and walking away from it when you've got a bunch of bills, is just plain irresponsible. She's probably not bankrupt, but there are some definite character issues that need to be addressed. Hopefully, you two can work through this together.


— Dave

— Dave Ramsey is the bestselling author of *The Total Money Makeover*. He also is the host of *The Dave Ramsey Show* that airs at 6 p.m. daily on the Fox Business Channel. He also has a radio call-in show. You can find tools to help with finances or previous columns at davesays.org. For more financial advice, visit the Web site or call (888) 22-PEACE. Have a question for Dave? Send correspondence to syndication@daveramsey.com or write Dave Says, 1749 Mallory Lane, Brentwood, TN 3702.

✓ Rich: “going Gingrich”

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Of course Gingrich is as shameless as he is spineless. In a recent editorial in *The Wall Street Journal*, he was rightly assailed for pandering on ethanol subsidies in corn-fed Iowa – where he is actively courting 2012 GOP Caucus voters. “Even Al Gore now admits that the only reason he supported ethanol in 2000 was to goose his presidential prospects, and the only difference now between Al and Newt is that Al admits he was wrong,” the editorial observed. Meanwhile, in an effort to burnish his credentials with social conservatives, Gingrich has said that he supports a Singapore-style drug enforcement program that would “dramatically expand” random testing and make rehabilitation mandatory for anyone who fails these tests. Apparently his support for individual liberty is as dubious as his support for limited government. Gingrich is also leading a highly publicized movement to ban sharia law in U.S. courtrooms – despite the fact there is precisely one docket in America in which a family court judge ruled in accordance with its tenets (a ruling which was quickly struck down on appeal). Nonetheless, Gingrich recently told a group of social conservatives that “stealth jihadis” were conspiring to “replace Western civilization with a radical imposition of sharia.” He then chided liberals for ignoring this “direct mortal threat” to American values. For this irrational fear-mongering, Gingrich was rightly pilloried by the left. “There is no left-of-center movement dedicated to fighting the steady, stealthy insinuation of sharia into America’s legal system because no such thing is happening,” Eugene Robinson of *The Washington Post* noted. “Gingrich invents an enemy and then demands to know why others haven’t sallied forth to slay it,” Robinson added. Sadly, in the fight to protect our liberties and our tax dollars there is no need to invent enemies. There is, however, a need for defenders of freedom and free markets to stand firm against those who would encourage us to cave against these enemies. After all, “going Gingrich” is one of the reasons we’re in such a fine mess in the first place. -- Howard Rich is chairman of Americans for Limited Government.



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Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

February 19, 1986

Marsing slates \$1.35 million bond election next Tuesday

Patrons of Marsing School District No. 363 will have the opportunity to vote yes or no next Tuesday, Feb. 25, on the question of whether to approve a \$1.35 million bond levy election.

The Marsing School Board made final Jan. 24 plans for the election, which, if approved by a two-thirds majority of the district’s voters, would make funds available to replace the existing high school with a junior-senior high school.

The board voted unanimously at a Jan. 23 meeting to put the question of the 20-year proposed bond before its patrons. The board also authorized Nampa architect Stan Olson to continue with plans for a 27,000-square-foot structure that would house 250 students in grades 7-12.

Broken pipe leaves city dry

A pipe break in Homedale’s water system early Tuesday morning caused city residents to lose access to water service, and forced the schools to close for the day.

City Superintendent Bill Waterson said a water pipe which runs under Succor Creek broke between 5 and 6 a.m. Tuesday. Waterson said the heavy rainfall Monday night and Tuesday morning caused the creek’s water to flow more rapidly. That increased water flow loosened the sand which covered the pipe, and the full force of the water pressure on the pipe caused it to break, Waterson said.

Mayor Paul Fink said, however, that the pipe may have been exposed to the water flow before Monday’s storm.

“By the way it looks, the water was running over the pipe before the storm ever hit,” Fink said.

Fink said poor engineering allowed the pipe to be uncovered. He said the pipe, which was installed in 1980, was originally buried just four feet under the creek bed. Fink said the pipe should have been buried at least eight feet underground with a concrete barrier for further protection.

Trojans win over Marsing

Center Kimmo Salonaho scored five of his game-high 17 points in the overtime to lead the Homedale Trojans to a 47-45 high school boys basketball victory over Marsing Friday night.

Homedale’s victory evened the season series between the two squads, and marred Marsing’s senior night game.

The Valentine’s Day victory gave Homedale a final regular season record of 7-11, and a Western Idaho Conference record of 2-8. Marsing fell to 11-9 overall and 3-7 in league play.

John Cossel had 15 points for Marsing and Randy Lankford added 13.

Headley wins Jefferson award

A voice on the other end of the telephone line gave Adriane Headley a pleasant surprise.

The voice, that of Channel 6’s Eileen Kavanaugh, told Headley a week ago Monday that she had been chosen as one of five recipients of the Jefferson Award. Headley, a Marsing-area resident, was selected from a list of more than 70 candidates for the award which is given on the basis of outstanding community service.

Headley, an artist who donates many hours to the Marsing schools, was shocked by the news coming through the receiver.

“It’s really strange, because people can’t usually surprise me. My husband knew about it, and my parents knew about it. It was a total shock,” Headley said in a Friday interview. “For what I do here every day, I get enough awards from the children here. I didn’t expect any more than that.”

Headley and the four other recipients will receive their awards Friday morning at 10 from Idaho Gov. John Evans. The presentation will be made in Evans’ office at the Statehouse.

50 years ago

February 16, 1961

Homedale cagers spring 76-51 upset on Fruitland

Homedale’s Trojans sprang a Snake River Valley B basketball upset here Saturday night with a 76-51 victory over the Fruitland Grizzlies. But the Grizzlies didn’t have to give up the top spot in the conference since co-leader Middleton was knocked off by Notus 48-44.

Homedale went to town early, taking a 20-10 first-quarter lead. At the close of the third period, the Trojans led 62-39 and had the win in the bag.

Pacing Homedale was Tony Wolff with 21 points while teammates Dan DeGroat hit 20 and Dick Frazier hit 19. High for Fruitland was Ken Ellis with 14 points.

Legion Auxiliary commended for reaching quota

The regular dinner meeting of the Homedale American Legion auxiliary was held at El Gavilan Tuesday night with 22 members and 10 guests present.

Elsie Good, Nampa, third district vice president, spoke to the group on membership and complimented Homedale group on having their goal plus five. She said Homedale unit would receive an award at the next meeting at Weiser for reaching their goal before October 1.

Helen Robinson, president of the Caldwell unit, presented President Verda Johnston with the traveling poppy basket. Mrs. Verna Tibbett, Nampa department Pan American chairman, was introduced.

Owyhee Heights

Bert Adams, Ross Evans, Jack Stansell, Harold Glanzman, Charles DeGeus and Allen Richards bowled in the men’s State Bowling tournament Saturday at Burley. They bowled on the White Satin Sugar team. Ross Evans and Bert Adams attended the tournament as delegates from Homedale.

Wilder drops game to Adrian 56-41 Saturday

Adrian’s Antelopes took a wide 18-3 first-quarter margin Saturday night at Adrian and then sprinted home to tuck away a 56-41 Snake River Valley B basketball victory over Wilder.

The win was Adrian’s 10th in the league compared to four losses. The loss dropped the Wildcats to an 0-12 mark in loop action.

Adrian led 28-13 at halftime with Marvin Haney’s 15 points tops for the team. High for Wilder was Don Kelly with 10.

St. Teresa five drops G.V.

St. Teresa’s Academy pulled the game out of the hat in the final five seconds Friday night on two foul shots by Ron Brown for a 43-42 Skyline conference basketball victory over Grand View played in Boise.

Lee Reaves paced the victors with 22 points while Grand View’s Lynn Harris took top honors with 28 points.

Grand View led after the first quarter, 8-7, and at halftime, 17-13. Then the Saints came up to tie the count at 29-all at the close of the third period.

Homedale locals

Mrs. Lester Carter and Mrs. R. E. Johnston were guests of Mrs. Alvin Benson Thursday at the legisladies luncheon and style show held in Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hamilton and children, Boise, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bishop, Caldwell, were visitors in Homedale Saturday. Mr. Bishop was speaker at the Seventh-day Adventist church service.

Joe Sevy suffered a heart attack Saturday and was taken to the Mercy hospital at Nampa. Mrs. Sevy said Tuesday “he is holding his own” but is not allowed to have visitors.

Mrs. G. J. Feucht is spending an indefinite time in Boise with her daughter Mrs. Cy Radcliffe and family while Mr. Radcliffe is making a tour of speaking engagements.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Baker and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris and family at Boise Sunday.

140 years ago

February 18, 1871

A MODEL EDITOR. The following requisites; according to an exchange, constitute a model editor:

1st. He must be able to fight his weight in wild cats and come out without a single scratch.

2d. He must be able to drink with every man who asks him, and never “fall in the action.”

3d. He must go armed with at least two pistols and a bowie knife, and never go off half- cocked.

4th. He must entertain and express such views on all subjects, as will suit the views and tastes of all his readers. It matters not what their views on the subject may be.

5th. He must know exactly how to construct his articles so as to please everybody, and offend no one.

6th. He must know how to lie fluently, and when he tells a lie, to stick to it with becoming dignity.

8th. He must write temperance articles for temperance men, and at the same time advocate the cause of saloon keepers.

9th. And lastly, he must be all things to all men, and a devil of a fellow generally.

PRUSSIAN WAR SAUSAGE. The Prussian Government gave \$27,775 to a Berlin cook for a secret he held on making pease pudding sausages that will not turn sour. An immense quantity of these delicacies, which are strengthened with bacon and flavored with onions, are being made daily for the Prussian army. Each sausage weighs a pound and is a day’s ration for one man.

ROLLER SKATING. A gentleman from San Francisco, named A. B. McKay, has been in town during the week endeavoring to make arrangements for starting the popular amusement and pastime of roller skating, and will probably make it a success. He leaves for Boise City this morning, where he intends to establish a rink and return to Silver City in about two weeks. Mr. McKay has now on the way from New York, by express, 100 pairs of Plimpton’s patent roller skates, the best in existence, and the same as used in the great Pavilion rink San Francisco. They have straps and a foot piece similar to common skates, but instead of the steel runner, there are four rollers on each, and instead of ice, the skating is done on a smooth floor. Roller skating has become a very fashionable and fascinating amusement, besides, as an exercise. It is believed to be better adapted to the wants of the public than anything heretofore introduced. It may be made easy or active as each may desire. If a suitable building can be obtained, with reasonable charges for admission, roller skating will undoubtedly be a success in Silver City. It is one of the mot exhilarating and social amusements known in which both sexes can indulge to their heart’s content.

CHINESE NEW YEAR. Last evening our celestial fellow citizens were all dressed in their Sunday-going-to-meeting costumes and inaugurated the festivities of their New Year by partaking of a sumptuous feast at headquarters on Jordan Street. To-morrow the Temple or Joss House will be decked in the paraphernalia of the Orient and will be a sight worth looking at by “outside barbarians.”

GOLDEN CHARIOT bullion to the amount of \$24,000 was shipped to San Francisco this week. Total shipments during January amounted to \$136,491. A dividend of \$6 per share was declared, payable February 10th.

LOCAL HINTS AND HAPPENINGS

To-morrow is Quinquagesima Sunday.

Wells, Fargo & Co. shipped from here this week 10 bars of bullion, valued at \$25,758.

We understand that Mr. Cassell has superceded T. B. Pheby, as Superintendent of the Mahogany mine.

Charley Books, Pete Brayman and Bigelow’s teamster, got in with freight from Winnemucca this week.

The San Francisco Mazeppa died last Saturday, and it is to be hoped that the obscene and filthy nuisance will never be resurrected.

Public notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP

Please be advised that a public workshop will be held before the Council and Mayor of the City of Homedale on the 24th day of February at 7:00 p.m. at Homedale City Hall, 31 West Wyoming, Homedale, Idaho.

The subject matter of this workshop is Local Improvement District (LID)

The public is invited to attend and offer input.

Alice E. Pegram, City Clerk/
Treasurer - City of Homedale
(208-337-4641)
2/16,23/11

NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE
CASE NO CV-2011-01852
IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

IN RE: Nicholas Lino

A Petition of change of name of Nicholas Lino, a minor, now residing in the City of Grand View, State of Idaho, has been filed in the District Court of Owyhee County, Idaho. The name will change to Nicholas Lino-Araujo.

The reason for the change in name is: We want Nicholas to have both parents last name as his last name.

A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 11:30 o'clock a.m. on 2/28/2011 at the Owyhee County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can show the court a good reason against the name change.

Date: 1/20/11

Charlotte Sherburn, Clerk of the District Court

By: /s/Lena Johnson
1/26;2/2,9,16/11

NOTICE OF CREDITORS
CASE NO. CV2010-1730H
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF OWYHEE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALTAM. MEYERS, Deceased.

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

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

DATED this 26th day of January, 2011.

Jeff Weller, Personal Representative, c/o MARGARET P. WHITE, Deputy Attorney General, P.O. Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0009

LAWRENCE G. WASDEN, ATTORNEY GENERAL, STATE OF IDAHO

S. KAY CHRISTENSEN, ISB No. 3101, CHIEF, CONTRACTS AND ADMINISTRATIVE LAW DIVISION

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2/2,9,16/11

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: January 18, 2011 File No.: 7301.26792 Sale date and time (local time): May 19, 2011 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 205 1st Street North 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: Alejo Deluna, an unmarried man Original trustee: Land America One Stop Original beneficiary: Citicorp Trust Bank, fsb Recording date: 09/26/2006 Recorder's instrument number: 258255 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of January 18, 2011: \$65,080.43 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: Lots 21 and 22 in Block 14 of the Revised Townsite of Butte, now the City of Marsing, according to the official plat thereof, filed March 9, 1946 as Instrument No. 71472, 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# 7301.26792) 1002.183225-FEI
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, ID, 83650, on May 23, 2011 at 11:00 AM, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 12/31/2007 as Instrument Number 263489, and executed by CALVIN R THOMPSON, AND JANELLE M THOMPSON, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, State of Idaho: LEGAL DESCRIPTION: A PORTION OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, BOISE MERIDIAN, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE

NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER NORTHEAST QUARTER (NORTH 1/16 CORNER) MONUMENTED WITH A REBAR, 5/8" DIAMETER, WITH A PLASTIC CAP MARKED ALPHA-LS 832; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 18' 30" EAST 206 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH 0 DEGREES 18' 30" EAST 360.38 FEET; THENCE NORTH 63 DEGREES 18' 56" WEST 224.44 FEET; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 18' 30" WEST 261.02 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 35' 20" EAST 200 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 4993 MARKET ROAD, Marsing, ID 83639 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 06/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.375% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$143,406.34, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 01/11/2011 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 TS # 10-0110356 FEI #:1006.111752
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On June 2, 2011 at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A.M., of said day, on the steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, Murphy, Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

Parcel 1: Lots 3 through 10 in Block 5 and Lots 5 through 8 in Block 6 of Oreana Subdivision, according to the official plat filed as Instrument No. 165543, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

Parcel 2: Lots 1 through 4 in Block 6 of Oreana Subdivision, according to the official plat filed as Instrument No. 165543, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

Parcel 3: Lots 1 and 2 in Block 5 of Oreana Subdivision, according to the official plat filed as Instrument No. 165543, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

Parcel 4: Lots 1 through 4 in Block 7 and Lots 1 through 4 in Block 8 of Oreana Subdivision, according to the official plat filed as Instrument No. 165543, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

Parcel 5: Lots 5 through 8 in Block 7 and Lots 5 through 9 in Block 8 of Oreana Subdivision, according to the official plat filed as Instrument No. 165543, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THERE IS NO STREET ADDRESSES ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY. For more information on the exact location of the property, please contact Alliance Title.

If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by Hart Creek Ranch LLC, an Idaho limited liability company, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Blackburne & Sons Mortgage Company, Inc, as the authorized agent of the holders of

the interests of each Beneficiary, recorded August 3, 2010 as Instrument No. 271766, Mortgage records of Owyhee County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

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

Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$725,000.00 together with interest thereon at an adjustable rate, initially and currently 12.9% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated July 30, 2010. Payments are in default for the months of October 2010 through and including January 2011 in the amount of \$7,963.32 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance as of January 12, 2011 is \$724,794.60 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 12.9% per annum. The per diem is \$259.72. In addition to the above, there is also due delinquent real property taxes for part of 2010, together with penalty and interest, and any other real property taxes that may become delinquent during this foreclosure, any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.

The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$724,794.60 , excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

Dated: January 27, 2011

Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., By: Melissa Ambriz, Trust Officer Phone: 947-1554

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
Loan No.: **PRIVATE - PS,**
LLC T.S. No.: **20000.2216 TSG**
No.: **201010209**

On **5/10/2011** at **11:00 AM** (recognized local time), **AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE HIGHWAY 78 MURPHY, ID 83650.** In the County of **Owyhee**, State of Idaho, Pioneer Title Company of Ada County, dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, as Trustee on behalf of the beneficiary 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:

Lots 1 and 24 in Block 1 of Royal Vista Estates Subdivision, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, recorded April 4, 2002 as Instrument No. 239203, Official Records of Owyhee County, Idaho

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: **Lot 1 & 24, Block 1, Royal Vista Estates, Owyhee County, ID,** 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: **PS, LLC,** As grantors, To: **Stewart Title of Boise, Inc.,** As Trustee, for the benefit and security of **The Mista Muffin Trust, dated the 30th day of August, 2006, Martha C. Noakes and Karen S. Miller, Trustees,** As Beneficiary, dated **7/6/2007,** recorded **7/6/2007,** as Instrument No. **261607,** records of **Owyhee** County, Idaho.

Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), ID 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 **7/6/2007. THE BALANCE OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST WHICH BECAME DUE ON 7/15/2008, ALONG WITH LATE CHARGES, FORECLOSURE FEES AND COSTS ANY LEGAL FEES OR ADVANCES THAT HAVE BECOME DUE..** The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is **\$180,000.00,** plus accrued interest at the rate of **13%** per annum from **7/6/2007.** All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to

satisfy said obligation.
Dated: **December 21, 2010**
By: Pioneer Title Company of Ada County, dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services
Amy L. Bowles, Assistant Trustee Officer
2/16,23;3/2,9/11

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s date: January 17, 2011 File No.: 7023.91498 Sale date and time (local time): May 19, 2011 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 2417 Patch Ditch 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: Joshua E. Eells and Amber M. Eells, husband & wife Original trustee: Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for First Horizon Home Loan Corporation Recording date: 02/08/2007 Recorder’s instrument number: 259768 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of January 17, 2011: \$213,359.56 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: Parcel 3: A parcel of land being a portion of the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 8, Township 3 North, Range 5 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 8, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian; thence South 00 degrees 28 minutes 57 seconds East 2600.89 feet along the West line of said Section 8 to the Southwest corner of the Northwest quarter (West quarter corner); thence South 89 degrees 51 minutes 48 seconds East 806.53 feet along the South line of the Northwest quarter, the Real Point of Beginning of this description; thence North 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 374.66 feet to a point on the centerline of the Patch Canal; along said centerline the following; thence North 69 degrees 13 minutes 49 seconds East 238.13 feet to a point; thence North 72 degrees 55 minutes 59 seconds East 37.15 feet to a point; leaving said centerline; thence South 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds West 470.62 feet to a point on the South line of the Northwest

quarter; along said South line; thence North 89 degrees 51 minutes 48 seconds West 258.17 feet to the Real Point of Beginning of this description. Parcel 4: A parcel of land being a portion of the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 8, Township 3 North, Range 5 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 8, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, thence South 00 degrees 28 minutes 57 seconds East 2600.89 feet along the West line of said Section 8 to the Southwest corner of the Northwest quarter (West 1/4 corner); thence South 89 degrees 51 minutes 48 seconds East 1064.79 feet along the South line of the Northwest quarter, the Real Point of Beginning of this description; thence North 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 470.62 feet to a point on the centerline of the Patch Canal; along said centerline the following: thence North 72 degrees 55 minutes 59 seconds East 40.97 feet to a point; thence North 81 degrees 28 minutes 47 seconds East 216.87 feet to a point on the East line of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter; leaving said centerline; thence South 00 degrees 30 minutes 12 seconds East 515.41 feet to the Southwest corner of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter; along the South line of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest Quarter; thence North 89 degrees 51 minutes 48 seconds West 258.17 feet to the Real Point of Beginning. Subject to restrictions, reservations, easements, covenants, oil, gas or mineral rights of record, if any. 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# 7023.91498) 1002.182975-FEI
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
Trustee’s Sale No. ID-LTE-112255
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, Pioneer Title Company of Ada County, dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on **June 21, 2011,** at the hour of **11:00 AM,** of said day, **ON THE STEPS OF THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, LOCATED AT THE CORNER OF HIGHWAY 78 AND HAILEY STREET, MURPHY, ID,** 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 and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the “Property”), situated in the County of OWYHEE, State of Idaho, to-wit:
LOTS 1 AND 2, BLOCK 1 OF METZER ADDITION TO THE CITY OF HOMEDALE, O W Y H E E C O U N T Y, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF FILED MAY 27, 1946, AS INSTRUMENT

NO. 72147, OWYHEE COUNTY RECORDS
The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 708 & 710 W. CALIFORNIA STREET , 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 CLINT COONS, as Grantor, to PIONEER TITLE COMPANY OF CANYON COUNTY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of DAVID J. OLSEN AND ANITA OLSEN, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Beneficiary, dated 7/1/2007, recorded 8/13/2007, under Instrument No. 262064, Mortgage records of OWYHEE County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by DAVID J. OLSEN AND ANITA OLSEN, HUSBAND AND WIFE.
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 is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 7/1/2007, FAILURE TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL BALANCE OF \$62,302.22 PLUS ACCRUED INTEREST AND CHARGES AS SET FORTH, WHICH BECAME DUE AND PAYABLE BY REASON OF BENEFICIARY’S EXERCISE OF ITS RIGHT TO ACCELERATE THE LOAN SECURED BY SAID DEED OF TRUST, WHICH RIGHT OCCURRED UPON THE VIOLATION OF THE PROVISION OF THE DEED OF TRUST WHICH ALLOWS BENEFICIARY TO CALL ALL AMOUNTS DUE AND PAYABLE IN FULL UPON DEFAULT OF MONTHLY PAYMENTS.
All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$62,302.22, together with interest thereon at 8.000% per annum from 7/1/2010, until paid.
The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.
Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same.
DATED: 2/9/2011.
Pioneer Title Company of Ada County, dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services
Trustee By: Amy L. Bowles, Assistant Trustee Officer, c/o Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, 8151 W. Rifleman Street, Boise, ID 83704 Phone: 888-342-2510
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE
Trustee’s Sale No. 02-FHF-104659 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on May 19, 2011, at the hour of 11:00 AM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE OWYHEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 20381 STATE HWY 78, MURPHY, ID, 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 and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the “Property”), situated in the County of OWYHEE, State of Idaho, to-wit: LOT 2, BLOCK 2, SHARI HILL ESTATES PHASE I SUBDIVISION, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED AS INSTRUMENT NO. 211614, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY RECORDER, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 6350 SHARI HILL WAY, MARSING, ID 83639, 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 SHAGAYE DALTON, AKA WRETHA S. DALTON & IRA N. DALTON, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to PIONEER TITLE COMPANY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of BENEFICIAL MORTGAGE CO. OF IDAHO, as Beneficiary, dated 12/2/2005, recorded 12/6/2005, under Instrument No. 254372, Mortgage records of OWYHEE County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Beneficial Financial 1 Inc., successor by merger to Beneficial Idaho Inc., successor by merger to Beneficial Mortgage Co. of Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION, The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 12/2/2005, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 5/9/2010 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of January 12, 2011 Delinquent Payments from May 09, 2010 1 payments at \$841.26 each \$841.26 8 payments at \$593.91 each \$4,751.28 (05-09-10 through 01-12-11) Late Charges: \$222.90 Beneficiary Advances: \$140.00 Suspense Credit; \$0.00 TOTAL: \$5,955.44 All delinquencies are



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now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$76,183.59, together with interest thereon at 8.980% per annum from 4/9/2010 to 6/9/2010, 8.980% per annum from 6/9/2010, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 1/12/2011 PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By Kara Lasberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: <http://www.rtrustee.com> ASAP# 3887121 1/26;2/2,9,16/11

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 10-0082439 Title Order No. NWT006202 Parcel No. RP008200030040A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, known as 20381 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650, on 06/20/2011 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 08/23/2005 as Instrument Number 253132, and executed by TONY S AEVERMANN, AN UNMARRIED INDIVIDUAL, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Owyhee County, state of Idaho: LOT 4, BLOCK 3 ALL IN SHARI HILL ESTATES PHASE 1 SUBDIVISION, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED AS INSTRUMENT NO. 211614, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY RECORDER, OWYHEE COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 6327 SHARI HILL WAY, MARSING, ID 83639 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 03/01/2010 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.000% per annum; together with all subsequent sums

advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$58,265.06, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and /or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 02/07/2011 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800)281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee /S/ Tonya Malugen ASAP# FNMA3906365 2/16,23;3/2,9/11

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SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 2011

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<p>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."</p>	<p>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</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>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</p>	<p>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</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>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!</p>	<p>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</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Homedale Baptist Church Homedale 212 S. 1st W. Sunday School 10am & 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls</p>	<p>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</p>	<p>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</p>
 <p>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/Espanol</p>	<p>Iglesia Evangelica Wilder 317 3rd st., Pastor Ramiro Reyes 10 am Sunday School 11 am Service 482-7484 Bilingual</p>	<p>Marsing Church of Christ Marsing 932 Franklin, Marsing Minister Gib Nelson Sunday Bible Study 10am Sunday Worship 11am</p>
<p>Christian Church Homedale 110 W. Montana, 337-3626 Pastor Maurice Jones Sunday Morning Worship 11am Church school 9:45</p>	<p>Bible Missionary Church Homedale West Idaho, 337-3425 Pastor Ron Franklin Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7:30</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church Marsing 139 Kerry, 965-1650 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm</p>
<p>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</p>	<p>Nazarene Church Marsing Pastor Bill O'Connor 896-4184 12 2nd Avenue West Worship Services - Sunday 11am and 6pm Sunday School - 9:45am Mid Week TLC Groups</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>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</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>United Methodist Church Wilder Corner of 4th St. & B Ave. 880-8751 Pastor June Fothergill Sunday Services 9:30am</p>
<p>First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am</p>	<p>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</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Iglesia Bautista Palabra de Esperanza Homedale 711 W. Idaho, 463-9569 Pastor Jose Diaz Servicios: Los Domingos 11:00 am</p>	<p>Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church - Oreana 2011 Mass Schedule - the following Saturdays at 9:30am Feb.12 - March 12 - April 9 - May 14 - June 11 - July 9 - Aug. 13 Sept. 24 - Oct. 22 - Nov. 26 - Dec. 10 All are welcome! For more information, call St. Paul's Church, Nampa 466-7031</p>	<p>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</p>



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Will that union function again in the war on terror?

Should all Christians unite on common points of interest?

What role will Biblical teachings play in the future?

Is there a war on Christianity in the western first world countries?

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PRESIDENTS' DAY

February 21



Beef

T-Bone Steak



\$5¹⁹ lb.

Pork

Blade Steak



\$1⁷⁹ lb.

Large Choice

Navel Oranges



59¢ lb.

Dole Spinach or

Classic Romaine



\$1⁶⁹ ea.
9 oz.

Gold-N-Plump Fresh

Whole Chickens



\$4⁴⁹ ea.

Pork

Shoulder Roast



\$1⁶⁹ lb.

Small Pink Texas


Grapefruit



3 \$1 for

Large

Tomatoes



99¢ lb.

Ball Park

Franks

\$2⁷⁹ ea.

Bar-S 16 oz.

\$2⁹⁹ ea.

Bacon

\$2⁹⁹ ea.

Market Pack

Sausage

\$1⁶⁹ lb.

Sea Blend 16 oz.

Imitation Crab

2 \$5 for

Bar-S 48 oz.

\$5⁴⁹ ea.

Corn Dogs

\$5⁴⁹ ea.

Deli

Corn Dogs

59¢ ea.

Red or Green

Seedless Grapes

\$2⁰⁹ lb.

3 lb. Bagged

Fuji Apples

\$1⁶⁹ ea.

2 lb. Cello

Carrots

\$1³⁹ ea.

5 lb. Bag

Red Potatoes

\$2⁴⁹ ea.

3 lb. Bag Medium

Yellow Onions

\$1²⁹ ea.

Lemons

3 \$1 for

Atta Boy

Dog Food



\$10¹⁹ ea.
17.6 lb.

Western Family 19 oz.

Traditional Soup

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Western Family

Orange Juice



\$1⁶⁹ ea.
Frozen 12 oz.

Western Family 24ct .5 ltr

Premium Drinking Water

\$4⁵⁹ ea.

Cocoa Cola

Products



\$5⁹⁹ ea.
12 Pack Cans

2 Liter Bottle

Coke Products

\$1⁶⁹ ea.

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\$14⁴⁹ ea.
18 Pack Cans or Bottles

30pk Cans Beer

Natural Light or Ice Beer

\$14⁹⁹ ea.

Yoplait Yogurt

6 oz.

69¢ ea.

Pillsbury Crescent,

Cinnamon & Orange

Danish Rolls 8-13.9 oz.

\$2¹⁹ ea.

Hidden Valley

Ranch Dressings

16 oz.

\$3²⁹ ea.

Hunt's

Squeeze Ketchup

24 oz.

\$1²⁹ ea.

Sara Lee Whole Grain

White or 100% Wheat

9-18 oz.

\$2⁵⁹ ea.

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White or Wheat Bread

20 oz.

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Salsa

24 oz.

\$3⁴⁹ ea.

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Granola Bars

6 ct.

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Bugles, Chex Mix

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Dinty Moore

Beef Stew

24 oz.

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Betty Crocker

Cake Mixes

18.25 oz.

\$1⁵⁹ ea.

Betty Crocker

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16 oz.

\$2¹⁹ ea.

Vitamin Water

20 oz.

\$1¹⁹ ea.

Hamburger, Tuna &

Chicken Helpers

\$1⁸⁹ ea.

Betty Crocker

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\$2⁴⁹ ea.

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15.2-17.5 oz.

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Ziploc

Freezer Bags

6-24 ct.

\$2⁶⁹ ea.

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Warm Serve Rolls

6-9 ct.

\$2³⁹ ea.

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2-Ply White Bath

Tissue 4 Roll

\$1³⁹ ea.

Nabisco

Premium Saltines

16 oz.

\$2⁷⁹ ea.

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Microwave Popcorn

3pk

\$1⁶⁹ ea.

Keebler Cookies

& Townhouse

Crackers

\$2⁶⁹ ea.

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9-15 oz.

2 \$6 for

Lay's Regular, Fritos,

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