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Above: An abundance of snowpack is resulting in runoff that has the Owyhee Reservoir glory hole active for the first time in five years.
Below: Water flows into the Owyhee River at Nyssa. Monday's flow was more than 7,200 cubic feet per second. See Water Report, **Page 10**



Wild spring weather has reservoir nearing capacity

Owyhee approaching benchmark for having two-year water supply

With above-average rainfall and temperatures remaining cool in the evenings the snowpack in the Owyhees continues to build, providing for an adequate water supply outlook for area growers.

Owyhee Irrigation District manager Jay Chamberlain said Owyhee Reservoir continues to fill and is nearing

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South Board water could flow Monday

The South Board of Control has set the tentative turn-on date for 2011 irrigation water for next Monday.

SBOC secretary Connie Chadez confirmed the date last week after the directors' monthly meeting.

Water orders for Gem and Ridgeview districts can be placed between 7 a.m. and 7:30 a.m. by calling (208) 337-3760, (208) 337-3507 or (208) 337-4141.

BOCC goes with Qwest for 911

Board splits vote; sheriff's Positron preference picked

The long road toward Owyhee County's new 911 communications system has turned a significant corner.

Following a sometimes-argumentative discussion, the Board of County Commissioners agreed in a split vote to award the bid to Qwest Communications for the Positron system.

District 1 Commissioner Jerry Hoagland (R-Wilson) dissented in a 2-1 vote April 4 in Murphy.

The Qwest Positron bid, favored by the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office, is \$219,576.21. The county has an Idaho Emergency Communications Commission grant of \$246,323.

After months of meetings, deliberations and recent product demonstrations, the 911 committee recommended the Qwest PlantCML bid, which came in at \$194,000. The county

— See **911**, page 5

April 18 BOCC meeting nixed

The Board of County Commissioners will not hold at meeting next week.

Commissioners will be in training all day Monday, so they voted last week to cancel their third weekly meeting of April.

The board reconvenes at 9 a.m. next Monday inside Courtroom 2 in the Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy.

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A 2009 supplemental priced at \$410,000 passed with 69 percent approval.

A close-up photograph of a person's open palm holding a small, irregular, light-colored rock fragment. The rock has a rough, crystalline texture. The person is wearing a black wristband on their left wrist. The background is a blurred, light-colored surface.

Invasive species checkpoint worker Michael Collett holds a clump of zebra mussels used to show boaters what inspectors are looking for at the Marsing and Bruneau stations set up by the Bruneau Water and Soil Conservation District and funded by the Idaho State Department of Agriculture. The Owyhee County checkpoints opened earlier this month and are staffed from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. seven days a week. All vehicles pulling boats must stop.

Polling hours will be 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. at each polling place.

The council will also receive a proposal from area-contractor Kevin Hinsdale. Hinsdale is proposing to take over all building inspections for the city. Hinsdale has worked on contract with Owyhee County recently.



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Tax collection on par with recent years

Remainder of outstanding property assessments due June 20

Owyhee County property owners are paying their taxes at a similar rate as the past couple years.

According to treasurer's office records gauging property tax payments through the end of the March, the county has received nearly two-thirds of the total revenue it is scheduled to receive for the 2010 tax year.

The second half of property tax payments aren't due in to the treasurer in Murphy until June 20.

Through March 31, 63 percent of the taxes owed had been paid, according to Treasurer Brenda Richards. The county has collected nearly \$3.2 million in taxes,

leaving a little more than \$1.9 million outstanding.

The total tax charge for 2010 is \$5,110,589.70, which is more than \$400,000 less than the 2009 charge, when 61 percent of the total had been collected by the same time last year.

The 2008 tax base was nearly \$4,981,639.34. The county had received 62 percent of the taxes due by March 31, 2009.

Richards has said in the past that the amount of payment received despite economic times reflects how important home ownership and land ownership is to county residents.

Monument planned to honor former backcountry deputy

George Reed died in 2009 flood

A long-standing plan to memorialize a former backcountry deputy may materialize soon.

Caldwell resident Jerry Stuart, who frequently recreates in Owyhee County, is a driving force behind the plan to honor George Reed for 11½ years of service with the sheriff's office.

A stone found on Vern Kershner's property has been engraved and could be placed on the Owyhee County Courthouse grounds in Murphy at a later date. Details are still being worked out, Stuart said. The exact location of the memorial isn't final, but County Clerk Charlotte Sherburn suggested an area near the front of the sheriff's office during informal discussions with the Board of County Commissioners.

The Owyhee County Sheriff's Posse paid for the engraving work carried out by Boise Valley Monument Co., in Caldwell, Stuart said.

The stone carries Reed's date of birth (March 26, 1947) and date of

death (June 6, 2009) as well as his years as backcountry deputy (June 1997 to January 2009).

"I think it's very tasteful," Stuart said. "I think it's great."

The stone is completed and in storage inside the Owyhee County Historical Museum.

Reed died on June 6, 2009, when floodwaters swept his vehicle off Idaho highway 78 and into the Snake River. He had retired less than six months earlier.

Stuart said the original plan — which had the blessing of the Bureau of Land Management — was to place the stone near the horseshoe pits in Silver City. That idea was scrapped because at least one local resident objected.

Stuart said a Silver City monument would have been fitting because of everything Reed did there.

"You'd run into him down there; you couldn't hardly get away from him. He was lonesome," Stuart joked. "He just did so much for the country down there."

Stuart said that Silver City business owner Paul Nettleton spoke of how motorcycle noise in the town diminished once Reed began patrolling. — JPB



Shorn for a good cause

Caba's owner Ruthi Caba covers her face as hairdresser Karla Callaway continues to shave during Saturday's fundraiser. Bruce Caba looks on. Submitted photo

Caba's patrons Karaoke for Cure

Owner shaves head during fundraiser; business organizing Komen team

Nearly \$3,000 was raised for breast cancer awareness during Saturday's Karaoke for the Cure fundraiser at Caba's Restaurant & Lounge in Marsing.

The money was raised for the Boise Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure, which takes place in Boise on Saturday, May 7.

Caba's owner, Ruthi Caba, followed through on her commitment to have her head shaved after Caba's patrons raised \$1,000 between 9 p.m. and 10 p.m. Saturday. The \$1,000 was raised in 50 minutes.

"Not only was this a fun and crazy way to raise money for an important cause, but we also had some very heartfelt reasons as well," event organizer Jessica Hubler said.

Jody Callaway shaved her head for her mother, who is undergoing treatment for breast cancer. Jody's brother, Lath, said he would donate \$1,000 if she went through with the plan.

Hubler is a five-year survivor of breast cancer after being diagnosed at age 27. Her great aunt, Midge Bassett, died from the disease a few years ago.

"I participate in the Race for the Cure every year and am so proud that our small community has come together in such a loving and generous way to aid in this great cause," Hubler said.

She added the 75 percent of the money raised by the Susan G. Komen Boise affiliate stays in Idaho. Hubler benefitted from a local grant program that covered her annual mammogram and breast ultrasound costs this year.

Local fundraising continues with a Caba's Team training to participate in next month's Race for the Cure. The team continues its fundraising through April.

Hubler and another breast cancer survivor, Tammy Frans, are among the Caba's Team members planning for the race. The team captain, Hubler said there are seven participants ready for the race and another two who will be "sleeping" for the cure, which is another way to pledge money.

People can sign up to run or pledge to the team through April 27. Contact Hubler at Caba's or drop by the restaurant on Main Street in Marsing for more information or to sign up.

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The Purtell family, from left, Tony, Moira and Bryan. Submitted photo

“Playing for Purtell” set April 22

Benefit fundraiser set for Marsing Community Center

Marsing residents are banding together to support a longtime community member and past city councilman with a fundraiser to help the family deal with major medical expenses.

The night of activities supporters are calling “Playing for Purtell” will take place on Thursday, April 22 at 6 p.m. at the Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center, 126 W. 2nd St. N.

The fundraiser is being held to assist Tony Purtell and his family with medical expenses from surgeries and a long stay in the hospital.

Dinner items include baked potatoes with chili and all the fixings as well as desserts and drinks. The Pour House will also be on hand

for beer and wine purchases.

Individual tickets for dinner only cost \$5. A family ticket costs \$25.

A funny money casino night of blackjack, poker, Texas Hold ‘em, craps, and roulette along with a silent auction, live auction, and a funny money auction will take place throughout the night.

Tickets for dinner and the casino night start at \$20 per person with \$500 in funny money and \$30 per person for \$1,000 in funny money.

The funny money auction will allow attendees of the casino night to take their winnings and

bid on items.

One of the auction items is a trip to Las Vegas. Other prizes include several Scentsy baskets, quilts, an Amazon Kindle, massage and spa package, gardening basket, Idaho Vandals and Boise State baskets, tool kits, an In the Grind basket, and a 10 x 10 screened gazebo.

Organizers are also seeking businesses or individuals for \$25 casino table sponsors.

For more information or to purchase tickets contact Michelle Jacobi (208) 283-9832, Kelly Ineck (208) 249-4476, Jennifer Jerome (208) 350-9704, Jolyn Green (208) 318-3982, Pete Smit (208) 863-8742, Melissa Enrico (208) 412-5136 or Angie Malmberg (208) 896-4722.

COSSA career day set

The Canyon-Owyhee School Services Agency and the Idaho Department of Labor are teaming up for the second annual career day for local students to look at career and education opportunities for those entering the labor market.

The event will be held Thursday, April 21 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the COSSA campus in Wilder.

Students and guests will have an opportunity to explore career and education options, apprenticeships, on-the-job training and internships.

Seminars and information

booths will be available for hands-on exploration of occupations.

Representatives from area colleges will also be on hand to provide information about programs offered at the College of Western Idaho, Treasure Valley Community College and Idaho State University.

Students can talk with reps from local police departments, fire departments, emergency medial technicians and a LifeFlight crew.

For information, contact Jeanie Allen at 482-6074, or COSSA at 454-2087.



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Boathouse bid goes to local builders

Two contractors have been selected to build a Marsing boat storage facility for the Owyhee County Sheriff's Office.

The Board of County Commissioners awarded the job to Valley Construction of Marsing and Homedale Electric. Valley bid \$17,500 to build the shed, which will be located behind the University of Idaho Owyhee County Extension Office on 8th Avenue West. Homedale Electric submitted a \$2,700 bid to do the electrical work.

The county Waterways Committee recommended the two bids during the April 4 BOCC meeting. All three Waterways

members — chair Dave Ellis of Homedale, Jerry Benson of Givens and Bob Aldrich of Marsing — attended the meeting.

Ellis said the county will save 12 percent on the total project cost with the division of the electrical and construction bids.

Officials also said that making a decision on the proposals last week could avoid the project cost soaring higher with a bump in metal prices of five to eight percent expected Friday.

The total cost of \$20,200 is on the low end of the preliminary estimate range of between \$18,500 and \$38,500, Ellis said.

The Waterways Committee

solicited three proposals for the project, even though it is under the \$25,000 threshold set by Idaho Code.

OCSO receives donation

Commissioners accepted an anonymous donation of \$27,500 that will go to the sheriff's office to purchase three snowmobiles.

Prosecuting Attorney Douglas Emery said the money is to be put into the sheriff's Search and Rescue budget.

Emery also said that because the money is private funding that the sheriff won't have to seek sealed bids when he buys the snowmobiles.

HHS seniors set fundraiser for graduation night party

The Homedale High School Class of 2011 will hold a fundraiser for the Alcohol- and Drug-free Graduation Night Party.

The yard sale and weather-permitting car wash is slated for Saturday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., in

the HHS gymnasium parking lot. All proceeds from the fundraiser will be used for the graduation night after-party on May 23.

For information or to donate yard sale items, contact Belinda Cuellar at (208) 687-4460.

Teen and Tween marks Easter

The next Teen and Tween program at Homedale Public Library will center on Easter.

The group open to ages 10-17 will meet from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday at the library.

Attendees will do a craft and enjoy a snack of cookies.

There also will be a door prize and another vote for Survivor.

Call Sara Martin at (208) 337-4228, for more information.

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✓ Reservoir: Full Lake Owyhee helps farmers plan for next season, too

capacity, which hasn't happened since 2006.

"Right now, we are trying to look into our crystal ball to predict when the big runoff will be," Chamberlain said. "We are trying to make some more available space to help with the runoff. This is extremely unusual for this time of year."

Chamberlain said in the past few weeks it has been "nerve racking" trying to mitigate the flooding potential downstream from the reservoir. Approaching the middle of the month, he said the runoff will start to pick up more and more each day.

"The inflow has dropped off a little bit, and we are just looking for that balance," Chamberlain said. "We are still flooding some farm ground downstream, but we are really trying to minimize the impacts to the growers."

"Some of the growers haven't been able to get out and work this spring yet because of the minimal flooding. We are trying to get the word out because it is like a ticking time bomb. The watershed is

so saturated. I have never seen it this way."

On Monday, the reservoir was discharging water at a rate of 7,277 cubic feet per second to allow room for the expected spring runoff. Chamberlain said usually they hope for the runoff to spread out over four to six weeks.

"By this time normally, the snowpack is getting depleted and the inflow numbers start to drop off," Chamberlain said. "With this cool weather and rain the snowpack is staying firm. This usually compresses the time when the runoff comes out. If the snowpack gets rained out of the mountains, we could be in trouble. We could see some tremendous flows."

Overall, with the reservoir nearing its 715,000 acre-feet of water capacity, Chamberlain said growers could expect a nearly two-year supply of water. During the growing season, the dam spits out nearly 450,000 acre-feet to satisfy the 120,000 acres of farm ground.

"Having the two-year supply really helps the growers forecast



Owyhee Irrigation District manager Jay Chamberlain points out the buoy system in place to keep boaters away from the glory hole on the north end of the reservoir.

for the following year," Chamberlain said. "Knowing the supply will at least be adequate helps growers plan for the fall and then

also for the following spring."

Chamberlain noted the way things are shaping up with runoff and the condition of the snowpack

there will be strong stream flows during the summer.

— JLZ

✓ 911: Panel of responders preferred PlantCML proposal from Qwest

currently uses a similar PlantCML model, but has its maintenance contract through White Cloud Communications.

The 911 committee comprised of first-responders from around the county vetted six proposals in all. The Qwest Positron bid was the highest and also the only one over \$200,000.

Sheriff Daryl Crandall said that Grand View Ambulance representative Donna Bennett voted for the PlantCML bid because of the low price. He said she preferred the Positron system but was concerned about the expense.

"Are they getting the point that this is not their tax dollars that we're spending?" Crandall asked. "It's grant money that we're spending, and as the bid comes in we negotiate and the bid comes down."

Grant funding is derived from a monthly 25-cent fee charged on all telephone numbers in the county.

Before the commissioners made their decision, Crandall told them that the Positron system was the best choice because the dispatchers favored it.

"I need to have those dispatchers to get the most out of that system, and they're not going to do it if they don't like the system," he said.

"That's the same thing you're running into now with the PlantCML. They don't like it, they don't understand it. They can't use it, so they won't use it."

"They have to have a system that they understand and that they want. If you don't do it, you're wasting your money."

Hoagland questioned whether the dispatchers were using the

existing PlantCML system to its full capability.

"They've never been taught how to use that, and getting training on it is exceptionally hard," Crandall said.

Chief dispatcher Bev White said the dispatchers' recommendation came down to a user-friendly system with reliable maintenance and service.

Crandall said that the Positron system is widely used in other Southwest Idaho counties, including Canyon, Ada and Elmore. He also said that the No. 1 trainer for the system is employed in Canyon County and that Qwest can provide fast response to any problems.

"All the dispatchers who wrote letters like Positron," he said. "It's just the better of the systems, in our opinion."

Crandall presented the

dispatchers' recommendations during last week's meeting. The deadline to award the bid was April 5.

"Bev said she'd pass on the dispatcher reports to the committee, and we never got them," Jim Desmond, the commissioners' 911 committee liaison, said.

"They're here now," Crandall said. "If you'd like to take a look at them, you can have them. I just got them this morning."

Murphy-Reynolds-Wilson Fire Chief Wes Anderson, who chaired the 911 committee, said that the panel of first-responders chose the Qwest PlantCML bid because it scored highest among three final proposals. He said the determination was made in a telephone conference call among committee members.

"Well, I'm the administrator

of the 911 system. I didn't know anything about a telephone conference call," Crandall said. "The last meeting I went to, when we all voted on that, we voted to go with the Positron system, and that's what I recommended and that's what the dispatchers all recommended."

Desmond explained that the meeting of which Crandall spoke was to narrow the field of applicants down for in-house demonstrations. After the demos, the finalists were subjected to the scoring criteria again at the guidance of deputy prosecuting attorney Chuck Saari.

Hoagland also pointed out that the county's 911 committee ordinance allows both the committee and the sheriff to make separate recommendations to the BOCC.

— JPB

Obituaries

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Gerald “Jerry” Bowman

Gerald "Jerry" Bowman passed away on April 3, 2011 at home in Marsing at the age of 70. He was born on Feb. 12, 1941 in Rupert, Idaho to Ralph and Zella "Babe" Bowman. He was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather. Jerry was raised in Rupert, Caldwell, and Marsing, ID.

He married Laura Arriaga on August 12, 1961. They had two children: Denise Bowman Finley and J. Lynn Bowman.

Jerry joined his father in 1959 in Marsing, forming the structure of the family business, Bowman Produce, and retired in 2003.

Jerry has been a member of the Marsing Lions Club since 1964, served numerous years on the Marsing Fire and Ambulance, Marsing City Council, Marsing Disaster Auction, Idaho-Eastern Oregon Fruit and Vegetable Assoc. where he held numerous positions including Board of Directors and President, and on the Idaho-Eastern Oregon Transportation Committee. He also served on several Idaho-Eastern Oregon



Onion Promotion Committees. He was inducted into the Idaho-Eastern Oregon Onion Committee Hall of Fame in 2005.

Jerry was very involved in supporting the Marsing community and one of his fondest contributions was donating the land for the Marsing American Legion Community Hall. He was quoted in the Idaho Press-Tribune for people who make a difference by stating that his philosophy of giving was simple: "It keeps the community moving forward, and that's very important."

Jerry was preceded in death by his grandparents, parents, and brother-in-law, Lyle Coons. Jerry is survived by his wife of 49 years, Laura; his daughter Denise, son Lynn and wife Tammy, a sister Wendy Coons, and numerous nieces & nephews. And the light of his life are his grandchildren Sean, Annie, Kimber, Bailey, and Megan.

Rosary was recited on Thursday, 7:00 pm at Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Caldwell, 624 Cleveland Blvd, Caldwell, ID, and Jerry's Funeral Service was at 10:30 am, Friday, April 8, 2011 at Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church on the corner of Farmway and Linden Roads, Caldwell, ID. Private family burial will be held at a later date. Condolences may be given at www.flahifffuneralchapel.com.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to the Marsing Lizard Butte Public Library, 207 8th Ave. West, Marsing, ID 83639, or Marsing Community Center, P.O. Box 606 Marsing, ID 83639 or Marsing Ambulance, P.O. Box 132 Marsing, ID 83639.

John E. Whitley

John E. Whitley threw his last rope on April 6, 2011 at his home in Marsing, Idaho, with his wife Deanna and caregiver Brittany Schamp by his side. He had fought a long and valiant fight with heart disease for many years. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Monday, April 11, 2011 at Flahiff Funeral Chapel, Caldwell. A Western Barbeque followed at the American Legion Hall in Marsing, Idaho.

John was born in Three Rivers, George West, Texas, on December 14, 1933, to Opal G. Teague and Jack E. Whitley.

He lived most of his youth in Texas before going into the military. John served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict. He served two tours of duty and was highly decorated, receiving a Purple Heart, Silver Star, and two Bronze Stars, just to name a few.

After the war, he lived and worked in California and Oregon before moving to Boise in the late 1950s. He was a very talented carpenter, worked as a policeman, in a sawmill, owned a dog kennel, worked for the Boise Fire Department, and owned his own barbeque restaurant, "Whit's Pit." In the 1970s, he went to



Anderson McBride, brother, Ray Dell Whitley (Dorothy), eight grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brothers, Nathan L. Whitley, Bill J. Whitley, daughter, Angela Marie Murrah, and grandson, Traiton Ray Everett McBride.

A special thank you to Dr. J'Cinda Bitters and Dr. Walter Seale. You cared for my precious husband with the very best of care and he loved and appreciated you both as not only doctors, but as dear friends and he knew you did the very best you could for him. I couldn't have made it without you both. Also, a special thank you to West Valley Medical Center for caring for John many times with excellent care and the Cardiac Unit at Saint Alphonsus in Boise, Idaho.

Condolences may be sent to Deanna Everett-Whitley (4766 Edison Rd., Marsing, ID 83639). In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Marsing Ambulance Fund (P.O. Box 132, Marsing, ID 83639). They helped and assisted John and Deanna many times through his battle.

An inurnment will be held at a later date in Shelley, Idaho.

Senior menus

Homedale Senior Center

April 13: Beef burrito, refried beans, rice
 April 14: Turkey, mashed potatoes/gravy, peas
 April 19: Spaghetti w/meat sauce, bread
 April 20: Finger steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, beets, roll

Rimrock Senior Center

April 14: Sweet & sour pork, cottage cheese, red, green peppers, cabbage salad, fried rice, jello, roll, baked custard
April 19: Sausage & eggs, biscuits & gravy, hash browns, orange juice, milk
April 21: Baked ham, yams, green beans, cranberry salad, roll, pie

School menus

Homedale Elementary

April 13: Hamburger or French dip sandwich, baked beans, fruit & veggie bar, sugar cookie, milk

April 14: Lasagna or mini corn dogs, corn, fruit & veggie bar, turnover, roll, milk

April 15: Fish nuggets or turkey sandwich, fries, fruit & veggie bar, cookie, milk

April 18: Sloppy Joe or hot dog, tots, fruit & veggie bar, pudding, milk

April 19: Spaghetti or pizza hot pocket, green beans, fruit & veggie bar, bread stick, milk

April 20: Crispito or toasted cheese sandwich, taco salad, fruit & veggie bar, churro, milk

Homedale Middle

April 13: Burrito or fish sandwich, corn, fruit & veggie bar, apple crisp, milk

April 14: Spaghetti or meatball sub, bread stick, fruit & veggie bar, milk

April 15: Pizza or popcorn chicken, fruit & veggie bar, cookie, milk

April 18: Chicken patty or rib-b-que, tots, fruit & veggie bar, whole wheat sugar cookie, milk

April 19: Wiener wrap or sloppy Joe, carrots, fruit & veggie bar, cake, milk

April 20: Beef or chicken taco, corn, fruit & veggie bar, fruit rollup, milk

Homedale High

April 13: Enchilada or pizza hot pocket, mixed veggies, fruit & salad bar, milk

April 14: Malibu chicken or deli sandwich, potato wedges, soup, fruit & salad bar, turnover, milk

April 15: Crispito, chicken taco or burrito, corn, fruit & salad bar, milk

April 18: Pizza, philly steak/cheese hot pocket or chef salad, fruit bar, strawberry shortcake, milk

April 19: Beef nuggets or chicken filet, mashed potatoes/gravy, roll, fruit bar, milk

April 20: Lasagna or pizza hot pocket, string cheese, French bread, fruit bar, milk

Bruneau

April 13: Lasagna, tossed salad, French bread, blueberry yogurt
parfait, milk
April 14: Burrito & salsa, Spanish rice, corn, fruit salad, milk
April 15: Waffles/strawberries, whipped cream, scrambled eggs/
cheese, hashbrowns, maple bar, milk
April 19: Sub sandwich, tots, veggie, fruit, cookie, milk
April 20: Spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic bread, peaches, milk

Marsing

April 13: Pulled pork sandwich, cheesy chicken noodle bake, mixed veggies, salad bar
 April 14: Spaghetti, tossed salad, bbq chicken tenders, baked beans, roll
 April 15: Pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, egg rolls, rice, salad bar
 April 18: French dip, cole slaw, mac & cheese, roll, salad bar
 April 19: Corn dog, sharks & whales, mixed veggies, salad bar, cinnamon twist
 April 20: Pepperoni pizza, corn, chicken nuggets, salad bar, rice krispie treats

Death notice

JAMES DAVID LEE, 53, of Adrian, Ore., died Saturday, April 2, 2011, at home. No services will be held at his request. Lienkaemper Chapel, Nyssa, is handling arrangements. (541) 889-5353



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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

Homedale Senior Center board meeting
1:30 p.m., Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

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

Grand View City Council meeting
7 p.m., Grand View City Hall, 425 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 834-2700, Monday through Wednesday

Marsing City Council meeting
7 p.m., Marsing City Hall, 425 Main St., Marsing. (208) 896-4122

Thursday

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) meeting
9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. morning session, childcare provided for children up to 6, Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 697-1509 or mvcmops@yahoo.com.

El-Ada commodity distribution
10:15 a.m., old Merc building, corner of Ruth and Belle, Bruneau. (208) 337-4812

Owyhee County P&Z hearing
10 a.m., Owyhee County Courthouse Annex, 17069 Basey St., Murphy. (208) 495-2095

Owyhee Conservation District board meeting
10 a.m., USDA Service Center, 250 Old Bruneau Hwy., Marsing. (208) 896-4544, ext. 102

El-Ada commodity distribution
11:15 a.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Boise Ave., Grand View. (208) 337-4812

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

Senior center Easter dinner
Noon, donation: \$5 for 59 and younger, \$3 for 60 and older, Homedale Senior Citizens Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

Rimrock quilting group
1 p.m., Rimrock Senior Center, 525 Main St., Grand View. (208) 834-2665

Owyhee Gardeners monthly meeting
1 p.m., Lizard Butte Library, 111 3rd Ave. W., Marsing. (208) 459-2860

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

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) meeting
6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. morning session, childcare provided for children up to 6, Mountain View Church of the Nazarene, 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder. (208) 697-1509 or mvcmops@yahoo.com.

OCHS membership meeting
7 p.m., McKeeth Hall, Owyhee County Historical Museum, 17085 Basey St., Murphy. (208) 495-2319

Bruneau-Grand View School Board meeting
7 p.m., Rimrock Jr.-Sr. High School (generally, call for specific location), 39678 State Hwy 78, Bruneau. (208) 834-2253

High school play
7 p.m., \$6, Adrian High School gymnasium, 305 Owyhee St., Adrian. (541) 372-2335

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

High school play
7 p.m., \$6, Adrian High School gymnasium, 305 Owyhee St., Adrian. (541) 372-2335

Saturday

High school play
7 p.m., \$6, Adrian High School gymnasium, 305 Owyhee St., Adrian. (541) 372-2335

HHS fundraiser yard sale
8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Homedale High School

Monday

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

Tuesday

Foot clinic
8 a.m., \$10, appointment necessary, Homedale Senior Center, 224 W. Idaho Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-3020

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

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

El-Ada commodity distribution
1 p.m., El-Ada Community Action Partnership Owyhee County office, 15 W. Colorado Ave., Homedale. (208) 337-4812

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

Friends of the Lizard Butte Library board meeting
Lizard Butte Library, 111 S. 3rd Ave W., Marsing, ID 83639

Wednesday, April 20

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, across from Marsing Senior Center, Marsing. (208) 337-4812

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

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



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Boy Scouts set to serve annual bean feed

Troop 409 of Homedale is getting ready for the annual Boy Scout Bean Feed, which will take place next Wednesday.

The dinner of chili and tortillas with pie and ice cream for dessert will be served from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Homedale LDS Church, 708 W. Idaho Ave.

A silent auction featuring goods and services from scouts and friends of Scouting also will be held.

Tickets are available from any Boy Scout or at the door. They cost \$20 for a family ticket, \$6 for adults, \$5 for senior citizens and \$4 for children ages 6-11. Preschool-age children eat for free.

Jordan Valley Boosters plan bingo night

The Jordan Valley Boosters have planned a full night of activities on Friday night starting at 6 p.m., in the old gymnasium.

The bingo night fundraiser will feature pulled pork sandwiches, salad and dessert. Dinner costs \$15 per family, or \$3 for children and \$5 for adults.

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Obituary

Adolph Trautman

Ade Trautman 78 passed away April 4, 2011 at his home in Jordan Valley, with family by his side. He was born February 25, 1933 at Napoleon, North Dakota to Jacob and Johanna Graf Trautman. They moved to Driscoll, North Dakota soon after to make their home. When he was 8 years old they packed up and moved to Idaho. He went to Central Cove School and later went to Homedale. He and his brother Elton graduated from high school in 1951, three days later they enlisted in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War.



He served on the Destroyer USS Monssen DD798 as a seaman (deckhand) and was stationed on the West Coast. He wanted to see the world so he transferred to the DDR 883 USS Newman K. Perry on the East Coast. They stopped at several foreign ports, Spain, Italy, France, Greece and others. He had a good time. He was honorably discharged on May 29, 1955. He went to Detroit and bought a new 1954 Ford and drove it home. He worked at Baker Sand and Gravel, CB Oil, and Leslie Jones Conoco. In 1970 he started his career as a truck driver by working for Silverwheel Freightliner, which had just moved into the Nampa area and he worked there until they closed down. He then went to work for Delta, and retired from Consolidated Freightways in 1995. He had several safe driver and safe working awards.

On December 16th, 1961 he married Kaye Kurpuweit at the home of Sam & Dora Bell. Ade & Kaye were approaching their 50th wedding anniversary at the end of this year. Their son Tal was born in 1963 and son Audie in 1965. He was very helpful with the kids and he loved them very much. Ade enjoyed hunting & fishing so the family went somewhere almost every weekend. When the grandkids came they were off and starting all over again.

The family spent fun times in many places like Deadwood Lake, Cascade, on the banks of the Snake River, Owyhee County and the Oregon Coast.

He is survived by his wife Kaye and his son Tal (Jennifer) Trautman of Jordan Valley and son Audie

Trautman of Marsing, last living brother Robert (Julia) Trautman of Meridian, sister-in-law Helen Trautman of The Dalles, Oregon, four grandchildren, Cassia (Bryan) Greenfield of Nampa, Sequoi, Koehl, and Wyatt Trautman. Twin great granddaughters: Hayden Kaye & Reese Ann Greenfield, and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jacob & Johanna Trautman, two brothers Elton and Raymond Trautman and nephew Kelly Trautman. Ade was respected for his work ethic, loyalty and honesty. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Jordan Valley High School Athletics Program, P.O. Box 99 Jordan Valley, OR 97910.

He loved watching the kids play sports: volleyball, football, and basketball. He was really proud of his grandkids and all the kids.

Friends met for Graveside Services at the Marsing-Homedale Cemetery, Marsing, ID at 11:00 am on Saturday April 9th 2011. Services under the direction of Flahiff Funeral Chapel, 27 E. Owyhee, Homedale, ID 83628, (208) 337-3252. Condolences may be given at www.flahifffuneralchapel.com



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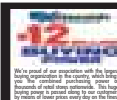
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Vehicles line up to receive herbicide during Saturday's first Spray Day of 2011. The North Owyhee Cooperative Weed Management Area and Owyhee County Weed Department handed out about 1,500 gallons of spray in Marsing and Homedale. Submitted photo

Spray days continue to help keep weeds down

Steady turnout for NOCWMA distribution Saturday

The North Owyhee Cooperative Weed Management Area and Owyhee County Weed Department handed out about 1,500 gallons of herbicide during Saturday's first Spray Day of 2011.

With Robin Howard and Regina Rose from the county weed department set up at two stations in Marsing and Homedale, land owners picked up telar XP to battle puncture vine.

"Many people commented how happy they are with this program," Owyhee Conservation District administrative assistant Gina Millard said. "Those who received this product two years ago and last year saw a dramatic reduction and want to keep up the effort."

In addition to the chemical mixture distributed at the U.S. Department of Agriculture Service Center in Marsing and at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds in Homedale, Millard said 500 ounces of non-diluted telar XP was handed out to those who are certified to mix their own chemicals.

Millard said the spray day is part of a plan that cuts down on the labor for many landowners who spray 2-4-D, hoe and dig throughout the summer trying curtail the spread of puncture vine.

Millard also said that assistance in battling puncture vine is still available by calling the OCD office at (208) 896-4544, ext. 102 or ext. 110.

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Water report

The Bureau of Reclamation Web site showed that the Owyhee Reservoir was 88 percent full and that water was flowing in the Owyhee River above the reservoir at Rome, Ore., at a rate of 4,237 cubic feet per second. Water is flowing out at Nyssa, Ore. at a rate of 7,277 cubic feet per second. The reservoir held 626,995 acre-feet of water on Monday.

The following statistics were gathered from the Natural Resources Conservation Service Web site at 8:30 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)			Max	Min	Avg
	(measured in Fahrenheit)					
<i>Mud Flat</i>						
04/05	9.3	25.0	16.9	54.1	21.2	38.1
04/06	9.4	25.0	16.8	43.5	23.7	37.2
04/07	8.9	25.0	17.0	47.3	22.6	38.2
04/08	9.3	-99.9	17.0	42.6	22.8	30.2
04/09	9.0	24.0	17.1	40.1	17.1	29.8
04/10	9.2	25.0	17.2	41.2	27.1	32.9
04/11	8.5	23.0	17.2	50.9	28.0	39.4
<i>Reynolds Creek</i>						
04/05	0.1	1.0	19.6	48.0	32.2	41.0
04/06	0.0	1.0	20.1	44.8	27.0	35.1
04/07	0.1	1.0	20.2	38.8	24.8	31.1
04/08	0.0	1.0	20.2	34.7	22.5	27.0
04/09	0.1	1.0	20.3	35.6	21.2	28.6
04/10	0.0	1.0	20.3	40.1	26.8	32.4
04/11	0.1	1.0	20.1	46.6	28.4	37.6
<i>South Mountain</i>						
04/05	21.3	54.0	33.4	46.2	29.7	38.7
04/06	21.6	56.0	33.9	43.2	28.4	34.9
04/07	21.9	58.0	34.1	41.4	23.5	31.5
04/08	22.2	-99.9	34.4	34.2	19.4	25.3
04/09	22.3	-99.9	34.5	37.6	18.7	26.8
04/10	22.5	59.0	34.6	39.2	23.2	29.5
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Reay shines in classroom, rodeo arena at Blue Mtn.

Adrian High School graduate Bryan Reay is keeping busy early in his college career.

The freshman recently landed on the Blue Mountain Community College's winter term honor roll for carrying a grade-point average between 3.0 and 3.39.

Reay attends the Pendleton, Ore., school on a rodeo scholarship. He's one of 42 members competing on the team. The men's team is ranked No. 1 in the Northwest Region after four rodeos.

Reay also finds himself in the regional rankings, showing up fifth in steer wrestling, seventh in tie down roping and 15th as a header in team roping.

He finished second in the men's all around during the second rodeo of the season, held Oct. 16-17 and hosted by Treasure Valley Community College in Ontario, Ore. During that rodeo, he won the steer wrestling and finished second in tie down roping to teammate Dakota Eldridge,



Bryan Reay

another Idaho product.

The son of Mike and Brenda Reay was third in steer wrestling at the March 11 Northwest Region No. 2 rodeo.

He tied for sixth as a header in team roping at the March 12-13 rodeo at Walla Walla Community College.

Northwest Regional No. 3 will take place April 22 at Central Washington University in Ellensburg, Wash., followed by an April 23-23 rodeo at the same location and hosted by CWU.

Marsing FFA has strong showing at state convention

Students from the Marsing FFA came home from the State FFA Convention on Saturday with some hardware to recognize their hard work throughout the year.

The sales team consisting of senior Kacie Salove, juniors Deidrie Briggs and Grayson Kendall, and sophomore Gabe Miranda finished just shy of Preston High School, which picked up first place.

"I was very, very pleased with how they did," Marsing FFA advisor Mike Martin said. "It was a little disappointing to be so close. We were very, very close. Just a couple of points, and we would have had first. Preston kind of came out of nowhere. Everyone had it pegged between us and Fruitland."

Overall, during the three-day competition on the College of Southern Idaho campus in Twin Falls, Marsing picked up a few other placings. Salove problem-solved her way to first in customer relations.

"Kacie did great. Those competing in the customer relations are given a problem that a customer might bring in," Martin said. "The competitors are given 10 minutes to study and come up with a solution to determine if the product is defective, the customer is wrong or there was a misapplication for the product. Kacie came to

me afterwards before leaving and said she thought she did OK and then got first."

In the sales presentation competition, Briggs pulled in a second-place finish.

"In sales presentation, the students have a product they have researched," Martin said. "Deidrie has a hand protectant which puts a monomolecular layer on the hands. She did really well showing her product."

Kendall also picked up third place in prospecting.

"For prospecting, you are given a scenario to study for 10 minutes and you conduct a cold call sales call," Martin said. "You have one of two options, you sell it right on the spot or you tell the person about the product and get them to come to an informational meeting."

"You have no idea what you are going to get involved in. You try and entice him to take on your product line."

In horse judging, Marsing nabbed 25th overall out of 43 teams.

"I am certainly happy with all the placings," Martin said. "There are so many different contests that can be entered. We all do the traditional livestock and other events, but you have to be versed in other areas. We have really specialized in marketing and sales, and it has paid off."

—JLZ

Homedale Senior Center plans steak dinner fundraiser for May 7

The Homedale Senior Center is hosting a steak dinner fundraiser on May 7. It will begin at 5 p.m., at 224 W. Idaho Ave, in Homedale.

The dinner will include a 16-ounce steak with baked potato,

veggies, salad, beverages and a dessert.

Tickets cost \$15 and will be sold on a first-come, first-serve basis. Only 96 tickets are available for the event.

Proceeds from the dinner will

be used to support the Meals On Wheels program the center offers.

To purchase tickets, contact Lori Volz at (208) 337-3456. Call (208) 337-3020 for more information.

Life and times in Silver City discussed at Bruneau and Beyond

Julie Hyslop, Owyhee County Historical Society secretary, is the guest speaker for this month's Bruneau and Beyond luncheon.

Hyslop, author of the three-volume Foundations of Silver City book series, will speak at noon next Wednesday at the Bruneau Valley Public Library, 32073 Ruth St., in Bruneau. The presentation and lunch is free, but those wishing to attend must

RSVP by Monday to ensure enough food is prepared.

Call (208) 845-2131 or (208) 845-2345 to reserve a spot. If more room is needed, the meeting will be moved to a larger space and notices will be posted at the library.

Now a volunteer at the Owyhee County Historical Museum, Hyslop will discuss the businesses, people, mining

and life in Silver City. Hyslop served as the county museum director for 18 years.

A Nampa resident and Canyon County native, Hyslop and her husband owned a getaway home in Silver City.

The Bruneau and Beyond program is funded by a grant from the Walter & Leona Dufresne Fund of the Idaho Community Foundation.

Holy Week luncheons start Monday

In celebration of Holy Week, luncheons begin Monday and run through April 22 at Mountain View Nazarene Church.

The luncheons will be served from noon to 1 p.m. at the church,

26515 Ustick Road, north of Homedale.

Different churches throughout the area are responsible for lunch each day, including the Assembly of God, Catholic, Seventh-Day

Adventists, Christian, Lutheran, Nazarene, Presbyterian, Friends Community and Wilder Methodist churches.

For more information, call Marianne Paul (208) 899-5049.



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Carillo picks up first in shot put

HHS tennis wins top-seeded matches

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Hardy throws a no-hitter to open conference play

Marsing softball falls to non-conference foe Payette

With Marissa Hardy pitching a no-hitter in a 10-run mercy rule shutout, the Marsing High School softball team opened 2A Western Idaho Conference play with a dominating 13-0 win over host Nampa Christian on Thursday. “Nampa Christian was a great game,” Marsing coach Sean Hardy said. “Marissa threw a great game. With everyone I have talked with, this is our only no-hitter in school history. It was especially great to have it against Nampa Christian in the conference opener.” Hardy was dominant in her conference debut, throwing 11 strikeouts over five innings. She also picked up a double and one run batted in. Lacey Usabel went 3-for-5 at the plate, picking up a triple. Kayla Hardy added one

double and an RBI to go 3-for-4. Josie Grimm picked up a single and an RBI. “It really was a great way to open up conference,” Sean Hardy said. “We played hard. Marissa works hard at her pitching and is always practicing.” **Saturday: Payette 5, Marsing 1** — In a non-conference game, the Huskies’ bats went cold, posting up four hits throughout the game. “Losing was disappointing,” Hardy said. “Our bats went real cold. We have been hitting pretty well the past few games. It is hard to put runs up when you aren’t hitting the ball.” Overall, Hardy was pleased with the team’s effort in limiting errors

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Marissa Hardy threw a no-hitter during Marsing’s conference opener against Nampa Christian on Tuesday in Nampa.



Jonny Stacey celebrates after scoring the winning run during Homedale’s ninth inning win against Weiser on Friday. The Trojans pulled off a bottom of the ninth 1-0 over the Wolverines.

HHS gets thrilling baseball win

Stacey, Lowder provide spark in ninth vs. Weiser

Homedale High School can never be accused of being a boring baseball team. The Trojans leveled their conference record Friday with a dramatic ninth-inning run in a 1-0 win over visiting Weiser. Senior catcher Jonny Stacey scored the only run of the 3A Snake River Valley conference game in the bottom of the second extra frame. Wolverines right fielder Nayar Barron overthrew catcher Garrett Crawford after handling Phillip Moulton’s fly ball for the second out of the inning. Zac Lowder pitched a three-hitter and struck out seven to get the complete-game victory. He walked only three, and Homedale’s defense was tagged with just three errors, well below the early-season average for coach Burke Deal’s squad. Moulton, Cody Lynde, Jordan Jarvis and Mike Mavey all had singles against losing pitcher Mitch Svedin, who had two of Weiser’s three singles against Lowder. Weiser didn’t get a base runner to third base until there were two outs in top of the seventh inning when John Barron reached on an error and made his way around to third on Crawford’s two-out hit. Drew McKie walked to start the inning, but Lowder came up with what turned out to be a game-saving pickoff play for the first out. Stacey made a pivotal play minutes before scoring the winning run. In the top of the ninth, he gunned down

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Mario Toyoda, who was trying to steal third base after leading off the inning with a walk. **April 5: Vale, Ore., 4, Homedale 2** — The Trojans cut down on their errors, but couldn’t get enough offense to catch the host Vikings. Jordan Jarvis took the loss despite striking out eight over five innings. All four of the runs he allowed were earned as Homedale committed just two errors. After Vale scored runs in the first and second innings, Homedale cut the deficit in half in the top of the third. Drew Beckman reached on an error to lead off the inning and scored on a Logan Jarvis double. Seve Yraguen and Kyle Barras were hit by pitches with the bases loaded as Vale added two more runs in the bottom of the fourth innings. Jonny Stacey and Cody Lynde laced two-out singles in the sixth inning, with Stacey scoring Homedale’s final run on an error. **April 4: Homedale 9, Melba 1** — Trey Lane lost his no-hitter after 5 1/3 innings, but the Trojans brought him home a winner in a non-conference game. Dustin Steelsmith singled with one out in the sixth inning, but was erased on a double play when he failed to tag up on Danny Talbot’s subsequent pop fly. The visiting Mustangs couldn’t cash in on three walks issued

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Grizzlies nip Trojans in golf opener

Homedale High School opened the 3A Snake River Valley conference season on a strong note. With Reed Maggard missing out on medalist honors by two strokes, the Trojans finished one shot behind tournament winner Fruitland on April 5 at Scotch Pines Golf Course in Payette. In a tightly contested match in which four schools finished within six strokes of each other, the Grizzlies notched a 173. Led by Maggard’s 41 in the par-36 nine-hole meet, Homedale totaled 174. Payette’s Brice Boudreaux nabbed medalist honors with

a 39. Rounding out the Trojans’ scoring were Hayden Krezsnik (43), Brett Ryska (44), Nick Ryska (46) and Cole Twedt (50). The Trojans play host to a 3A SRV weekly tournament at 3 p.m. Monday at River Bend Golf Course in Wilder.

Sports

Corta collects gold at Melba Invite

Trojans boys place third; Craft runner-up in girls' high jump

Junior Trey Corta took part in two victories Thursday during the Melba Invitational track and field meet.

The Homedale High School sprinter won the 100-meter dash with an 11-second effort and also ran a leg in the 4x100 relay.

The Trojans finished third in the team standings behind Melba and meet champion Payette. On the girls' side, Homedale was fifth out of six teams.

Danny Magdaleno, Jed Jones and Levi Elsberry joined forces with Corta to run a 46.07 in the 4x100.

Corta also crossed the line in second place in the 200 (23.46) as Elsberry picked up fourth with a 24.21.

Junior Seth Bayes was another winner for the Trojans, posting the best triple jump distance at 36 feet, 3¾ inches. Casey Christoffersen grabbed fourth at 34-5¾.

Elsberry was a staple in relay races throughout the day.

He teamed with Corta, Bayes and Salvador Cardenas for third in the 4x400 relay in 3 minutes, 55.89 seconds, and he was part of the third-place 4x200 tea (1:42.32) with Jed Jones, Brett Shanley and Magdaleno.

Homedale sprint medley relay squad also was a runner-up, running in 4:14.78.

Sophomore Braxton Morris and junior David Clampitt pulled in a pair of top-five finishes in the throws. Morris had the second-

longest throw in the discus with a 117-foot effort, while Clampitt was fifth at 105-3, and junior Tyler Scott pulled off an eighth-place 86-2.

In the shot put, Morris was fifth at 37-5, and Clampitt was seventh at 36-2.

Lauren Craft's silver medal in the high jump was the best finish for coach Thomas Thomas' girls' team. A freshman, Craft cleared 4-8 as three Trojans crowded into the top 10. Sophomore Emilee Hann (4-4) was fourth, and sophomore Rebecca Coffmen went 4-0 for eighth.

Craft and Hann ran with Leavel Hicks and Mariah Mackie for second place in the 4x400 relay with a time of 4:50.67.

Mackie was third in the long jump with a 13-9½ effort. Hicks was sixth at 13-1¼.

Hicks and Coffmen were part of the fourth-place sprint medley quartet with Juliana Hart and Ashley Leslie. The team was clocked at 2:21.86.

Hicks, Craft, Coffmen and Mackie finished third in the 4x200 relay at 2:03.

Mackie finished fourth in the 200 at 29.63.

Two freshmen grabbed top-four showings in the 300 hurdles with Kathryn Thatcher third at 1:01.35 and Alissa Martin fourth at 1:09.12.

Henry was third in the shot put (31-6½) and fellow senior Kyla Hiser was seventh at 28-3. Henry was fifth in the discus (79-2), and Hiser was seventh (78-3), while sophomore Veronica Sanchez was ninth at 64-8, and Shawnee Davis grabbed 10th at 61-9.



In the 100-meter dash, Ashley Leslie, right, finished with a time of 14.81 for 13th place, while Kathryn Thatcher finished 15.44 for 18th overall for Homedale on Thursday in Melba.



Shot put competitors watch as Homedale's Veronica D'Alessio throws during the Melba Invitational on Thursday. D'Alessio posted a 23-foot, 4-inch throw for 11th place.

Homedale: 3 hits for Mavey

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by Lane or seven errors committed by the Trojans' defense.


Homedale snapped a 1-1 deadlock with four runs in the bottom of the third inning and returned with another four-spot in the bottom of the fifth.

Mike Mavey tied the game in the bottom of the second with a single to plate Phillip Moulton, who had


doubled.

Then, the Trojans took control in the third. Cody Lynde ripped two-run single with the bases loaded. He scored on the second of Mavey's three hits.


Mavey's triple launched a two-out rally in the fifth inning. He scored when Trevor Lootens reached on one of Melba's eight errors. Jonny Stacey also had an RBI single.




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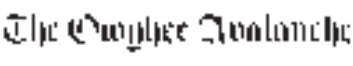
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Student Athlete Spotlight



Trey Lane

Fr. Baseball

Stats: Threw a one-hitter in Homedale's 9-1 victory over Melba on April 4.

Lane struck out four and allowed a first-inning unearned run. He lost his no-hit bid with one out in the sixth inning on Dustin Steelsmith's single.

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Sports

Huskies snag quick times, looking to improve for Parma meet

Carillo claims first in shot put, sixth in discus

With a handful of teams on hand for the Melba Invitational, the Marsing High School track and field team kept its pace and pulled in high marks and secured spots atop the 2A Western Idaho Conference ladder on Thursday.

Despite a fifth-place finish for the boys and a sixth-place posting for the girls, the Huskies had an opportunity to improve their scores and standings for districts, coach Jim Eisentrager said.

Pedro Carillo still sits atop the standings of the 2A WIC after picking up a 41-foot, 1-inch throw to claim first from 40 other throwers. Carillo also picked up sixth in discus with a 102-5 throw.

Shannon Malmberg picked up second in the 100-meter hurdles with a posting of 17.75 seconds. She also snagged sixth overall in the 100-meter dash with a time of 13.80.

The girls' sprint medley team of Margarita Contreras, Andrea Rodriguez, Gloria Martinez and Malmberg pulled in second overall with a finish of 2:07.80.

Today, the Huskies will look to improve and hopefully pick up a few personal records as they head to Parma.

"This week in Parma we

expect some stiff competition," Eisentrager said. "There are a reported 25 teams coming, so we will need to be at our best to compete. Warmer weather is predicted for the week so that should help cement some of the training we have been doing."

Boys' 100 meters: (7) Tristan Jacobi, 12.29; (8) Raul Garcia, 12.32; (11) Mariano Estrada, 12.50; (16) Tyler Malmberg, 13.46. **200:** (10) Jacobi, 26.10;

(13) Troy Parquer, 29.50. **400:** (6) Nathan Danner, 59.41; (13) Raul Garcia, 1:03.86; (16) Ruben Rodriguez, 1:06.00. **800:** (6) Miguel Leon, 2:20.00. **3,200:** (4) Michael Collett, 11:25.00. **4x100 relay:** (6) Nathan Danner, Estrada, Jacobi, Garcia, 48.01. **4x400 relay:** (6) Rodriguez, Dillon Danner, Adrian Garcia, Collett, 4:09.00. **Sprint medley:** (3) Estrada, Jacobi, Garcia, Rodriguez, 4:30.21. **Shot put:** (1) Pedro Carillo, 41-1; (11) Miguel Acuna, 34-4. **Discus:** (6) Carillo, 102-5; (7) Acuna, 98-9. **High jump:** (2) Jason Galligan, 5-4.

Long jump: (4) Galligan, 17-8½; (8) Mariano Estrada, 16-7. **Triple jump:** (9) Galligan, 32.

Girls' 100 meters: (6) Shannon Malmberg, 13.80; (7) Margarita Contreras, 13.87. **800:** (2) Andrea Rodriguez, 2:47.61. **1,600:** (3) Deidrie Briggs, 6:31.56. **3,200:** (3) Ofelia Herrera, 13:42. **100 hurdles:** (2) Malmberg, 17.75. **4x100 relay:** (3) Contreras, Malmberg, Gloria Martinez, Herrera, 55.87. **Sprint medley:** (2) Contreras, Malmberg, Rodriguez, Martinez, 2:07.80. **Shot put:** (6) Rodriguez, 28-5½; (8) Lilly Bowers, 27-10; (10) Mykaela Dines 23-10. **Discus:** (4) Rodriguez, 83-11; (8) Bowers, 71-07. **Long jump:** (4) Bowers, 13-08. **Triple jump:** (7) Bowers, 26-5¾.



Pedro Carillo



Marsing's Michael Collett competes against Homedale's Max Glezer during the 3,200 at the Melba Invitational on Thursday. Collett picked up fourth place with a time of 11:25.00 followed by Glezer in fifth posting an 11:30.00.

MARSING HUSKIES

Student Athlete Spotlight



Marissa Hardy Fr. Softball

Stats: Threw a no-hitter over five innings against Nampa Christian High School on April 5.

Coach's comment: "Missy works hard at her pitching and is always practicing. She is a good motivator for the team and helps to keep the confidence up for everyone."

— Sean Hardy

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✓ Marsing: Preps for Glenns Ferry

From Page 12 and using the non-conference game as a building block.

"It was still a good game. We are improving on our defense," Hardy said. "We limited our errors, and that is a positive outcome from that game. We are excited to start competing in conference and keep the momentum rolling."

April 5: Marsing 10, Horseshoe Bend 0 (5) — Picking up their first shutout of the season, the Lady Huskies grabbed another non-conference win from the host Mustangs.

"It was a good game and a long trip," Hardy said. "We are really just working on the basics in these games. It allows us good field time to build on the day-to-day work."

Marsing now preps for a marathon day, leaving the school at 6:30 a.m. to play a game at 10 a.m. and then again at 3 p.m., to take on Glenns Ferry. They return home to face McCall-Donnelly on Friday at 5 p.m.

Baseball
Thursday, April 14 at Glenns Ferry (2), 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.
Friday, April 15, home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 5 p.m.
Tuesday, April 19 at Melba, 5 p.m.

Softball
Thursday, April 14 at Glenns Ferry (2), 1:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.
Friday, April 15, home vs. McCall-Donnelly, 5 p.m.
Tuesday, April 19 at Melba, 5 p.m.

Track and field
Wednesday, April 13 at Parma Invitational, 3:30 p.m.

Sports

Trojans take battle of shorthanded tennis squads

Homedale wins nearly every top-seeded match

Even with a shortage of matches, Scott Michaelson could see the advancement of the Homedale High School tennis team.

The Trojans' first-year coach witnessed the latest leaps and bounds Thursday in a 3A Snake River Valley conference victory over Payette.

The boys won, 3-2.5, and

the girls prevailed, 4-1.5.

Both teams were shorthanded due to players at out-of-town school activities," Michaelson said. "We didn't play the second mixed doubles, and each team forfeited one other match. All of our players



continued to show improvement and played well."

The Trojans forfeited the second boys' doubles match, while the Pirates gave up the point in the No. 3 girls' singles match, which was awarded to Homedale exchange student Marita Raita.

Tanner Lair (No. 1) and Jordan Meligan (No.

2) swept to victory in the first two boys' singles matches. Lair beat Leo Brito, 6-3, 6-1, while Meligan ran through Matt Bake, 6-0, 6-2.

Jarod Armenta and Dominic Christiansen swept Ahren Hoskins and Ryan Robinson, 6-2, 6-2, in the top boys' doubles match.

Mackenzie McMichael triumphed in the No. 2 girls' singles match, beating Brenda Beunett, 6-3, 7-5.

The Trojans swept the girls'

doubles matches, too. At No. 1, Sarah Maggard and Becka Krasko sailed through their match, 6-1, 6-0, over Kara Winsor and Maria Valasquez. In the second match, Kirsy Thatcher and Edmy Vega rebounded from a first-set loss for a 3-6, 6-3, 6-3 victory against Valerie Jenkins and Angeliza Caballos.

"I was particularly happy with the doubles teams being more aggressive," Michaelson said. "They worked on volleys and it paid off in their matches."

Galvez wins debut for Marsing baseball

At the start of 2A Western Idaho Conference play, the Marsing High School baseball team is sitting steady at 5-3 overall.

On Saturday, the Huskies picked up a 13-2 non-conference win over Payette as Charlie Galvez made his pitching debut. Galvez notched three innings giving up three hits and no runs. Relieving Galvez in the fourth was Junior Gonzalez who gave up Marsing's only two runs on three hits. Braden Glenn closed the game pitching a perfect fifth inning.

"Our pitching has been very good," Marsing coach Jerry Stacy said. "We're also starting to get key two-out hits with runners in scoring positions."

The Huskies cinched up the win off the bat of Reece Middleton in the top of the fifth with a bases-loaded triple.

Thursday: Marsing 14, Rimrock 3 (5) — In a non-conference game on the road, the Huskies were able to easily dispatch the host Raiders as they picked up their fourth win of the season.

Josh Larsen pitched four innings giving up three runs on four hits.



Marsing's Justin Glenn throws a pickoff to first baseman Dakota Hill during the Huskies' loss to Nampa Christian on April 5.

Gonzalez closed the game with three strikeouts in the fifth inning in Bruenau.

Austin Williams picked up four runs batted in on three hits. Glenn went 3-for-5 with four RBI.

On April 5, Marsing was beaten on the road, 6-2 by Nampa Christian in the Huskies' conference opener. On April 4, Marsing made short work of host Horseshoe Bend, 11-1.

Anglers club plans Owyhee River cleanup

The Indianhead Fly Fishers Club will host its annual Owyhee River Clean-up on Saturday, April 30.

Volunteers will meet at the Owyhee River Wildlife Viewing Area off Owyhee Lake Road at 9 a.m. for coffee and donuts. Trash bags will be provided.

After the work is completed at noon, the volunteers will meet at the park below the Owyhee Dam for lunch. Volunteers are encouraged to bring gloves. Nearly 100 people have shown up for past events annually.

There also will be fly fishing after lunch for catch-and-release of some of the river's trophy brown trout.

Donations to help with the project are also welcome.

For more information, call (208) 550-2264.

Trojans trek to Kimberly softball tourney

Homedale High School's softball team is poised to play four games in less than 30 hours this weekend.

And, the road doesn't get any easier once the wheels stop turning. The Trojans are scheduled to play the third-place team from last year's 3A state tournament.

The Trojans step out of 3A Snake River Valley conference play and make their annual trip to the Magic Valley on Friday and Saturday for the fourth annual Lady Dawg Spring Classic.

The eight-team round-robin event is staged by Kimberly

High School, but coach Larry Corta's team never has to worry about seeing the hosts, who beat Fruitland for the state championship a year ago.

Homedale starts its participation at 11 a.m. Friday on Field 2 against Spring Creek, Nev., and follows that up with 5 p.m. game on the same field against 2010 3A state tournament qualifier Teton.

Saturday's action starts at 11 a.m. on Field 1 against South Fremont, and the Trojans wrap up the tournament with a 3 p.m. on Field 2 against Buhl, which finished third at the 3A state tournament last year.



Homedale's Raven Kelly gets an out at first base during the Lady Trojans game against Weiser on Friday. Homedale lost 3-2. Results were not provided for the game.

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OCHS bazaar recruits vendors

Table space is available for the Owyhee County Historical Society’s spring bazaar, scheduled for Saturday, April 23.

Vendors can rent a six-foot table for \$20 during the bazaar, which runs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at McKeeth Hall inside the Owyhee County Historical Museum, 17085

Basey St., Murphy.

Local vendors will sell arts and crafts and food will be available for purchase, including sloppy joes, hot dogs, soup and fresh bread, cinnamon rolls and desserts.

For more information, call (208) 495-2319.



Owyhee County Fairgrounds caretaker Leroy Ellis displays graffiti work that has plagued the Armory building in Homedale.

Honor society to rehab Armory paint job

Homedale Middle School eighth-graders will cover up graffiti at the Owyhee County Fairgrounds on Saturday.

Organizer Misty Zenor said that between 20 and 25 students from the National Junior Honor Society and the Congressional Award Program will paint the Armory exhibit hall and weed around the fairgrounds buildings beginning at 8 a.m.

She said that Tolmie’s Ace

Hardware provided painting supplies at a discounted rate.

The Board of County Commissioners unanimously approved up to \$600 to help the community service project, too.

According to District 2 Commissioner Kelly Aberasturi, who made the motion for the donation at the April 4 meeting, the students will paint over graffiti “tags” on the 50-year-old building.



Homedale High School sophomores Katia Rios, front, and Mariela Vega check out the selection of dresses at the Owyhee Closet of Dreams at the Owyhee County Probation office.

Owyhee Closet of Dreams readies for prom season with dress rentals

Probation office helping area teenage girls year-round

With prom season in full swing, the Owyhee County Probation Office is helping make the big day more affordable for area girls.

In only the second year of the dress rental program, probation officer Ivy Cardenas is thrilled with the support from the community in making teenage girl’s prom experiences a reality.

“Last year went really well for the first year,” Cardenas said. “We had girls from as far as Payette and Fruitland coming in to get dresses. This year, we invited more schools to participate, which is exciting. We added Caldwell High School and Canyon Springs alternative school.”

Cardenas said the Owyhee Closet of Dreams is open to all

Owyhee County high schools — Homedale, Marsing and Rimrock — as well as Adrian, Jordan Valley, Wilder, Parma and Notus.

“The girls that come in are very pleased,” Cardenas said. “We had a mother tell us that her daughter wouldn’t have been able to attend the prom without the program.”

The room inside the probation office is filled with all the needed items for the prom: dresses, shoes, purses and jewelry. Girls can rent their wardrobe for a \$10 cleaning deposit.

Throughout the year, girls can rent a variety of items for any formal event, Cardenas said.

Cardenas said it is best for anyone wishing to rent dresses to call the probation office at (208) 337-3702

to set up a time. The office is located at 8 N. 2nd St. W., in Homedale.

“Little by little we are building the program,” Cardenas said. “The one thing that we could use is dresses from size 12 and larger, and we can always use accessories.”

Donated items can be dropped off at the probation office or at the Moxie Java Bistro at the corner of U.S. Highway 95 and Industrial Road in Homedale.

“We are looking for gently used items. If there are repairs that are necessary, we will get them ready,” Cardenas said. “The best thing to do is call the probation office to make sure someone is there to pick up the donation.”

“Hopefully, every year the word will continue to spread and we can continue to offer help to area girls.”

— JLZ

County Easter egg hunts set for April 23

Owyhee County children are getting ready for the Easter bunny’s visit, which means a series of Easter egg hunts on Saturday, April 23.

Homedale

The annual hunt sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce is scheduled for 10 a.m., at Homedale Elementary School.

There will be four age groups for this year’s egg hunt; one year old through three years, four through five, six through seven and eight through 10.

The Shoo-Fly 4-H Club and members of the Homedale High School softball team will stuff 2,200 plastic eggs with candy at the Rehab Authority clinic.

Marsing

The Lions Club will host its annual Easter breakfast beginning at 7 a.m. at the Phipps-Watson Marsing American Legion Community Center. Cost is \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors and children younger than 12 and \$20 for a family pass.

The breakfast will run until 10 a.m. when the Easter egg hunt begins at the Marsing High School football field, and the meal will resume around 10:30 a.m.

The menu is the usual ham, hotcakes, eggs and juice or coffee.

There are four age groups for the egg hunt, and fourth-graders and younger can participate.

For more information, call Chris Salove at 896-4162.

Grand View

The Lions Club’s annual Easter egg hunt begins at 11 a.m. at City Park and the adjacent fenced area at the Eastern Owyhee County Library on Main Street. Age groups include toddlers through sixth grade.

For more on the Easter egg hunt, call Dixie McDaniel at (208) 834-2350 or (208) 834-2217.

Bruneau

The Bruneau Canyon 4-H Club sponsors an Easter egg hunt open to preschoolers through sixth-graders.

The event begins at 10 a.m. at Bruneau Elementary School.

Age groups will include preschool, kindergarten and first grade, second and third grade and fourth through sixth grade. The top egg gatherers will win Easter baskets.

The Ladies Aid Society also will hold a bake sale at the school that morning.

For more information, call Celia Tindall at (208) 845-2828.

Jordan Valley

The Jordan Valley FFA chapter will present its annual Easter egg hunt at 11 a.m., at the Jordan Valley High School football field.

Age divisions include preschool and kindergarten, first- and second-graders and third- to sixth-graders.

After the Easter egg hunt, the chapter will host the FFA Appreciation Brunch in the lunchroom. All community members are welcome to attend as the chapter thanks community members for their continued support throughout the year.

For more information, contact FFA advisor Nick Usabel at Nick.Usabel@malesd.k12.or.us or (541) 586-2213.



Tango nameplate returns

Allied Signs owner Mark Jolley puts the finishing touches on a banner announcing the rechristening of the Tango Club on the corner of Idaho Avenue and Main Street in Homedale. Mike Simpson bought the former Cowboy Up and is now looking for anyone with historical information and memorabilia for the Tango, which opened in 1946. Call Simpson at (208) 337-3414.

Looking back...

from the files of The Owyhee Avalanche and Owyhee Chronicle

25 years ago

April 16, 1986

Preliminary budget set by trustees

The Homedale School Board Monday night approved a preliminary budget and set May 12 as the date for a public budget hearing.

The budget, which was drawn up by school officials, will likely gain final approval at the May meeting, Homedale Supt. Deward Bell said.

The 1986-87 budget is very similar to the 1985-86 budget. Losses in school funding because of cuts by the Idaho Legislature, however, have led to spending decreases by the district.

“It’s probably what you’d call a bare bones budget,” Bell said. He noted that revenue for the district is very limited.

That May 12 hearing will be held at the Homedale Junior High School at 8pm.

In other business, the board set a special meeting May 20 at 8:45 to canvass the results of the school board election.

The board also decided to check into the possibility of self-insurance for the district because of the skyrocketing cost of school insurance through Blue Cross of Idaho.

Marsing house numbers

Marsing residences have been assigned house numbers, which will be distributed to people when they report to City Hall, according to City Clerk Mamie Were.

“People should report to City Hall; call in or just come by with their lot numbers from their tax papers,” Were said. “Then I can give them their house numbers.”

Were said she is happy the city has set up the numbering system, and has officially named all of the city’s streets. She said street signs will be installed, hopefully, by next fall.

Were said the city has been working on the numbering project for about four years.

City council adopts zoning, subdivision laws

The Homedale City Council unanimously approved Wednesday night the zoning and subdivision ordinances that had been in the works more than four years.

There was little discussion of the ordinances in the sixth public hearing regarding the ordinances, just prior to the regular council meeting.

JUB Engineers, Inc. representative Wayne Forrey recommended at the hearing that the ordinances be approved by the council.

The groundwork for approval of the ordinances had been established at a March meeting of the Homedale Planning and Zoning Commission.

At the March meeting, Forrey and Dave Curtis worked with Homedale realtor Paul Bull, the commission and others in attendance on numerous working changes in the proposals.

The two ordinances affect further development in Homedale, and not currently existing structures.

Resident tells students of 1910 Halley’s Comet sighting

George VanDerhoff first saw Halley’s Comet in 1910, two years before he moved to Homedale.

VanDerhoff, 88, talked to Homedale fifth-graders Tuesday about the view he had of Halley’s Comet back then. It was a view unobstructed by air pollution, he said.

VanDerhoff said the front end of the comet was light blue, and the tail was fairly heavy.

VanDerhoff, who had moved to Diamond, Oklahoma, from Timber, Montana, in a covered wagon, watched Halley’s Comet with his brothers.

“We laid out on a canvas and watched it two and a half or three hours,” Vanderhoff said.

“When it disappeared, it looked like it was going straight down,” he added.

It was easier to see in that siting than in this year’s siting because the atmosphere was clearer then.

50 years ago

April 13, 1961

Girls, Boys State discussed at legion meeting

About 30 members attended the combination meeting of the American Legion and auxiliary held April 5, at the Homedale Legion Hall.

Guests attending to discuss Girls and Boys State were Lou Babb, state adjutant of Boise; Mike Morfitt, Margaret McArthur and Dauna Miller, Wilder; Carol Porter, Donna Caler, Mike Leavitt, Alfred Eiguren, Mac Simpson and Calvin DeCoursey, Homdale.

Jo Wharton reported on her recent experiences as an entrant in the Americanism speech contest.

Henry Quast gave an explanation and report about the plaques which the legion will donate to the Wilder and Homedale schools. The plaques will be engraved with the name of an outstanding student each year (for a total of 14 years), and will be displayed in the school buildings.

The first names on the plaques will be engraved this year. Students will be chosen for leadership, scholarship, courage, honor and service.

Neil closes dept. store; moves to Vanderford bldg.

Jim Neil began moving the remainder of merchandise of Neil’s Department store this week from the Jackson building to the Vanderford building, where the business will continue to operate until the stock he now has and some bankrupt stock he has purchased are completely liquidated.

Mr. Neil stated Wednesday that “Due to ill health, I have been advised by my doctor to retire as soon as possible from active business responsibilities. It is with regret that we are forced to take this action.

“We would like to express our appreciation to the people of Homedale and the surrounding area for their loyal support for the past 15 years we have been in Homedale.”

Mr. and Mrs. Neil came to Homedale in August, 1945, and purchased an interest in the Golden Rule store which they operated until 1953, when they sold out and purchased the Homedale Dept. store located in the Logan building. In 1958 the business was moved to the Jackson building where it has been since that time.

Moss named coroner of Pulaski Co., Mo.

Clarence Moss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moss of Homedale, was recently appointed coroner of Pulaski County, Mo., by Gov. John Dalton of Missouri.

Mr. Moss has been in the undertaking business for 15 years and recently, along with his wife and Mrs. Maude Williams, purchased funeral homes in Richland and Stoutland. Moss-Williams purchased two other funeral homes in Waynesville and Crocker last fall.

The Mosses are also the owners of the Moss Floral and Gifts in Waynesville.

Kiwanis discusses swimming pool Wednesday noon

Discussion of the swimming pool project occupied the Homedale Kiwanis club at a business session Wednesday noon.

Gordon Cahill, swimming pool chairman, urged members to attend the open meeting to be held Thursday night at the Washington school.

The Kiwanis club decided to hold its director’s meeting next Monday noon in connection with the swimming pool planning committee meeting at Bicandi’s.

Homer Anderson, New Plymouth, a 25-year member, was inducted into the Homedale club by Dr. George Wolff.

Garland Carson, Payette, formerly with Idaho Power company’s Homedale office, was a guest.

Homedale locals

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rowen of Homedale and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ommen of Nampa attended a meeting of the northwest Odd Fellow association from Friday until Sunday in Salmon. Representatives from Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia attended.

140 years ago

April 15, 1871

WILLOW CREEK. Col. Buford of Rock Island, Ill., and J. H. Johnson, President and Secretary of the Malheur and Burnt River Consolidated Ditch and Mining Company, arrived at Eldorado from Chicago a couple of weeks ago. Lively times are expected in the mining camp this season.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS. Board met in regular session at 1 o’clock p.m., Monday, April 10th. Present, R. S. Miles and Jas. Graham, Commissioners, and W. J. Hill, Clerk. Following is a synopsis of the transactions of the Board during the week:

Ordered that the levy of taxes for the year 1871 be as follows: For Territorial purpose a tax of 80 cents on each \$100 or taxable property; for Expense Fund, 50 cents on each \$100; for Redemption Fund, 60 cents on each \$100; for Hospital Fund, 50 cents on each \$100; for School Fund, 30 cents one ach \$100; for General Fund, \$1 on each \$100.

Approved and accepted the additional bond on P. J. Ragan as Tax Collector, in the penal sum of \$15,000; of W. S. Stevens, as Tax Collector, in the penal sum of \$13,000.

Official bond of E. H. Murphy, as Justice of the Peace for Bruneau Precinct (Snake River mines) in the penal sum of \$1,000 approved and accepted.

In pursuance of the new school law, the Board appointed Geo. H. Coe and Arthur O’Keefe as Trustees for School District No. 1, to serve till their successors shall be duly elected and qualified.

INDIANS, &C. Our old rambling friend, Bob Baird, returned from a short sojourn at Cable’s Ferry on the Owyhee this week. He informs us that there are about twenty-five Indians engaged in fishing and hunting on Jordan Creek, between the Sheep ranch and Inskeep’s. A number of them have fire-arms and are abundantly supplied with ammunition. They manifest a very friendly disposition, and appear desirous of living on the terms of peace with the whites. The red rascals often make enquiries at the ferry about the big pale-face chief who was wont to “heap fight” them in years ago. They mean “Old Hill,” but he is not particularly anxious to renew their acquaintance. Old Winnemucca visited Bill Heckle at the ferry several times during the winter. He was stopping with his band about 20 miles below on the river, but has now gone to Camp Harney. Mr. Merrill of the Sheep ranch is extensively engaged in farming. He has 175 acres under fence, and will sow about 50 acres of barley this season.

COUNTY FINANCES. From Treasurer Gardner’s report for the quarter ending April 10th, we learn that there are warrants outstanding on the General and 45 per cent funds to the amount of \$42,040.54, exclusive of interest; outstanding Hospital Warrants \$3,832.14; outstanding Expense Warrants, \$2,113.45 — making a total of \$47,896.13. Deducting \$1,250.47, cash on hand to the credit of the respective funds, the total county indebtedness, exclusive of interest, is found to be \$46,735.66

LOCAL HINTS AND HAPPENINGS. In the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board last Saturday, Golden Chariot was selling at \$32 ½; Ida Elmore \$17; Mahogany \$9 ½.

Alex. Frazer and Pat. McCabe made a novel bet of \$5 on “hair,” the other night. Wonder what those mountain boys will be up to next? “Not a spear.”

Quite a large force of men is again at work in the Peck & Porter, from which a large amount of ore has been hauled to the Fairview mill this week.

The Mahogany suit still drags its slow length along before Justice Lyman. The second trial resulted like the first, the Jury agreeing to disagree. This makes another trial necessary and a third Jury was being impaneled yesterday.

Commentary

Baxter Black, DVM



On the edge of common sense The wandering bull

June was taking a renegade bull with a tendency to “wander” to the sale barn in Dodge City. Her son helped her load the beast into their stock trailer. It was an authentic ranch trailer with lights that worked intermittently, gates that swung almost even, tires that didn’t match, and compressed rubber floor-planks whose 99-year warranty had expired!

A few miles outside of Dodge, June heard and felt a thump, crack and crunch loud enough to be heard above George Strait on KBUF. In her rear-view mirror she watched a dark object helicopter out from under the second axle!

She swerved to the right and stopped on a slant in the bar ditch. Upon examination, she found a hole in the floor of the front compartment of the trailer. The bull, butt to the front, was eyeing the hole nervously. “Simple,” she surmised, “I’ll just open the divider gate and move him into the rear compartment and be on my way.”

She unlatched the gate, and it swung open. The bull was coaxed around the hole to the rear and June hurried around to close the divider. It was on a good slant. She pushed it closed and raced back around to latch it ... BUT, not in time! It swung back open. Three times she attempted the maneuver, when she heard someone say, “Can I help you?”

A handsome, strong Kansas state trooper smiled. June left him to push and hold while she went around to catch and latch. When the divider banged closed, it spooked the bull, which tried to climb over the back gate, slid to the down side and spooked the trooper, who fell back writhing in agony! He was on the ground grasping his knee! She reached to help him, “No,” he groaned, “I can do it!” He keyed his collar mike, “Officer down! Officer down! I’ve been injured and need assistance!”

Within five minutes the horizon in all directions was filled with red and blue flashing lights and sirens blaring! They closed Hwy. 400. Well, nobody could get around all the Dodge City Police cars, Ford County Sheriff deputy pickups, the ambulance, fire trucks, tow truck, first responders and one Wildlife and Park Service utility vehicle.

After a thorough questioning, they realized the truth. The upset June told them she thought they were going to handcuff her and leave her in the ditch while they searched her rig for contraband! One big burly officer laughed and said, “Yeah, but if we’d done that, you could’ve told ’em it took six of us to get the job done, and you put one of us in the hospital!”

— *Can’t get enough Baxter? Visit his Web site at www.baxterblack.com for more features and to purchase Baxter Black merchandise, including books and DVDs.*

Frank Priestley — Idaho Farm Bureau

Voice of Idaho ag Idaho legislators correct to strengthen Right to Farm Law



Our hats are off to Idaho’s citizen legislators and the work accomplished during the 2011 session. They should be commended for passing several bills that will benefit Idaho residents without raising taxes during a difficult economic time period.

One such bill that shows a lot of foresight strengthens Idaho’s Right to Farm Law, and demonstrates the continuing value of agriculture to the state’s economy. At a time when many other states are wishing they would have done more to protect farm land and the open spaces it provides, Idaho’s legislature granted overwhelming support to a law protecting farms and ranches from nuisance lawsuits. Further, it protects expansion of agricultural operations from nuisance lawsuits as long as they obtain necessary permits, comply with local planning and zoning regulations and operate in accordance with all state and local regulations.

This legislation rose from the need to protect agriculture from increasing conflicts caused by urbanization. Conflicts between Idaho farmers and ranchers and folks who want a rural lifestyle but don’t understand all it entails are on the rise. People who move out to Idaho’s abundant rural regions should first understand that farmers work all hours of the day and night during the growing season and many

of the activities generate dust. Hay is often bailed in early-morning hours to take advantage of the presence of dew. Livestock and the spreading of manure on fields can create odors and harbor flies. Anyone who wants to know more about rural living should read a publication titled “The Code of the West,” which can be found on the Internet or by contacting the Idaho Farm Bureau Pocatello office.

Several misperceptions about this new law, especially at the county level, arose. Following is an explanation of what the bill does and does not do: The legislation amends current law by adding a comprehensive list of generally recognized farming activities or agricultural operations that are protected from being declared a nuisance by a lawsuit or local ordinance. The current law only applies to a facility that produces or processes agricultural products. The legislation also extends the law’s nuisance protections to an expansion of an agricultural operation.

The key provision of the law reads: “No agricultural operation, agricultural facility or expansion thereof shall be or become a nuisance, private or public, by any changed conditions in or about the surrounding nonagricultural activities after it has been in operation for more than one year, when the operation, facility or expansion was not a

— See *Farm*, Page 19

Sen. Mike Crapo

From Washington Water drives state’s productivity, prosperity



Annual snowfall in Idaho’s mountains is what feeds most Idaho waterways, and measurements of snowpack provide an excellent forecast of expected water resources. Around this time of year, people from all sectors are eagerly reviewing this information and planning their year. Without a doubt, our water supply is a critical element to Idaho’s economy and a major factor in annual productivity.

The importance of water to Idaho communities cannot be overestimated. Public and domestic water supplies support Idaho’s population of more than 1.5 million. Over the past 10 years, Idaho was the fourth-fastest growing state in the nation, and water fed this growth and development. Water is essential for Idaho agriculture’s production of more than 185 different commodities. It sustains Idaho’s aquaculture industry, which produces a remarkable 73 percent of our nation’s trout. Water supports nearly three million head of domestic livestock in Idaho. It supports a multitude of fish and wildlife populations, helping to boost our tourism industry. Water produces power that diversifies our energy sources and helps meet the need for domestic energy production. Access to water is crucial for almost all Idaho industries, municipalities and recreational interests.

Fortunately, this year’s estimates look promising. From January through June, the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) measures snowpack to help provide water supply estimates. While ultimately spring precipitation will play an important role in what our water supply will look like, the March Idaho Water Supply Outlook Report predicts Idaho’s snowpack is expected to provide an adequate water supply this season for most users. NRCS also reported that “reservoir storage is in good shape, with many reservoirs reporting average

or better amounts for the end of February.” Other notable points in the report include the following: the Bear River Basin’s snowpack of 124 percent of average is the highest since 1997; the lowest snowpacks in Idaho are 79 to 89 percent of average; and the Snake River near Heise is expected to have a 110 percent of average streamflow from April through July.

NRCS’s full report can be accessed through the following link: <http://www.id.nrcs.usda.gov/snow/>. The Idaho Department of Water Resources also provides links to water supply information, such as river flow information by river, snow cover information, reservoir reports and precipitation and weather forecasts, compiled from state and federal water management agencies: <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/WaterInformation/WaterSupply/supply.htm>

Access to an ample water supply enables the land and resource use that is instrumental in Idaho’s continued advancement. Water, along with hard work and ingenuity, grew our economy and made it possible for Idahoans to help feed the world and build our state and nation. Water will continue to be a crucial resource for Idaho. As we put it to beneficial use, we must ensure that we manage it effectively, conserve it judiciously and adjudicate its disputes fairly.

While we continue to prepare for the scarce years, let us hope for many more years of a plentiful water supply to support Idaho’s production and progress.

— *Republican Mike Crapo is Idaho’s senior member of the U.S. Senate. He recently began his third six-year term and has been serving in the Senate since 1999. Prior to that, he was a three-term Idaho Second District congressman.*

Commentary

Financial management

Free T-shirts (a k a credit card offers) can derail debt-free plans

Dear Dave,
I'm 19 and about to start college. Thanks to my part-time job and generous parents, I'll be able to pay for college without student loans. Since I won't be borrowing money, what's my next financial step?

— Patrick

Dear Patrick,
Stay away from the free T-shirt tables. Those things always have credit cards hiding behind them. Remember, if it seems too good to be true, it probably is. But since the money is already there for school, the only thing you really need to do is save all the cash you can for after graduation.
The first couple of years after college may be the most life-changing and volatile period of your life. If you keep working



and saving like you have already, you'll have cash on hand for an emergency fund and to start your new life. Plus, you'll be able to plan for the future by investing in good, growth stock mutual funds, and maybe a Roth IRA after that!

— Dave

Dear Dave,
My broker has recommended a managed futures fund. I've never heard of these, and I got the feeling she doesn't know much about them, either. She's

always been very conservative and reliable before, so we're concerned. Can you explain something about them?

— Krista

Dear Krista,
It sounds a little like she jumped off the cliff and became a roulette dealer. The term "managed futures" is virtually an oxymoron. I think she needs to explain her behavior and the investment after this stunt!

With managed futures you're basically betting on the future price of a commodity. What's the price of gold, or oil, or wheat going to be somewhere down the road? You're guessing as to what the future will bring, and managing a group of those guesses. What a joke!

People in the brokerage business

represent dumb things every day. The sad thing is this is someone you thought you could trust.

— Dave

Dear Dave,
I know you usually recommend having eight to 10 times your income in life insurance. I'm 25, single, and I have no kids. Do I still need that much life insurance?

— Anonymous

Dear Anonymous,
The need for life insurance is very low in situations like yours. All you really want is enough to cover burial expenses, and clean up any mess you may leave behind. If you own a home you may not have to worry about any remaining debt, because the sale of the house might cover it.

Many times an employer will

furnish you with life insurance equal to your yearly salary, or maybe twice that amount. In lots of cases, that alone will take care of things for young singles. Check into it!

— 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 37027.

✓ Farm: Law expands nuisance protections

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nuisance at the time it began or was constructed.”
Here's what the bill doesn't do: It doesn't provide protection for improper or negligent agricultural operations. It doesn't impair a local government's zoning and planning authority. An agricultural expansion still must go through the local permitting process and obtain any necessary permits.
— Frank Priestley is Idaho Farm Bureau president.

Letters to the editor policy

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Letters can be e-mailed to jon@owyheeavalanche.com or faxed to (208) 337-4867 or mailed to P.O. Box 97, Homedale ID, 83628.
The deadline for submitting letters to the editor is noon on Friday. For more information, call 337-4681.

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The Owyhee Avalanche will accept letters to the editor pertaining to the May 17 election until noon on Friday, May 6.
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SYNOPSIS OF OWYHEE COUNTY COMMISSIONER MINUTES MARCH 28, 2011

Approved a contract with Branch Enterprises for Juniper Mastication Signed the liability application for Murphy and Grasmere airstrips. Authorized pay for part-time building inspector at \$16.98 per hour. Approved Grant from Bureau of Homeland Security.
Approved MOU with Bureau of Homeland Security. The complete minutes can be viewed online at owyheecounty.net or in the Clerk’s office.
4/13/11

REQUEST FOR BID

Owyhee County is taking bids for a new patrol boat. The bid specifications are posted on the Owyhee County Sheriff’s website at www.owyheecountysheriff.us on the Owyhee County website at www.owyheecounty.net or at the Sheriff’s office in Murphy, telephone 208-495-1154.

Bids will be accepted until April 15th at 5:00 PM. The bid will be awarded at 10:00 AM on April 25th by the Board of County Commissioners.
4/6,13/11

BEFORE THE OWYHEE COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION

On Thursday May 5th, 2011 beginning at 10:00 AM the Owyhee County Planning and Zoning Commission will hear testimony at the Annex Building of the Owyhee County Courthouse in Murphy, Idaho on the following matter at the time listed below.
Beginning at 10:00 am, the Commission will hear conditional use permit application Z11-06 submitted by AMERICAN WIND GROUP / Don Barnhill requesting to construct up to 6 wind turbines on a 240 acre parcel of land in the Murphy Flat region of Owyhee County approximately 4 to 5 miles southeast of the Townsite of Murphy. The wind turbines will be on a 263 ft tower that has a blade rotor diameter of 328 feet. The bottom of the blade will be about 99 feet above ground level. The top tip of the blade will be at approximately 427 feet high. In addition to the turbines, American Wind Group is requesting to construct a substation, and an operations and maintenance office/shop. American Wind Group is proposing placement of the wind turbines and facilities in such a manner as to minimize effects on wildlife and existing agricultural uses while maximizing total energy output.
The subject land is 240 acres including lots 2 & 3, the SWNE, SWNW, and the W ½ SE all located in Section 5 of Township 3 South, Range 1 West, Boise, Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho.
A copy of the proposed project is available for review in the Planning and Zoning office. For additional information please contact the Planning and Zoning office at 495-2095.
4/13/11

PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHTS

Don Becker of 31237 Hot Creek Rd., Bruneau, Idaho, 83604, filed Application No. 77040 to transfer two water rights with 1966 priority dates from ground water totaling 8.07 cfs. The purpose of the transfer is to change the permissible place of use boundary and move 0.10 cfs and 5 acres of irrigation to

another location about 0.75 miles north. The new place of use is contiguous with the current 585-acre permissible place of use. There are no changes proposed to the points of diversion or delivery system. The water will continue to be used in the same general area, about three miles south of Bruneau, Idaho.

Please see www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRFiling.asp for a full description of the right(s) and the proposed transfer. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Director, IDWR Western Region, 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before April 25, 2011. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Interim Director
4/6,13/11

NOTICE TO CREDITORS CASE NO. CV 2010-01811 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 LAUREN B. SWEET, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Heidi S. Matalka has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent 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 25 day of March, 2011.
/s/James R. Gillespie, Attorney for Heidi S. Matalka,
James R. Gillespie, ISB #I020, 300 West Myrtle St., Suite 100, P.O. Box 2337, Boise, ID 83701. (208) 344-8400 Fax (208) 344-7100, Attorneys for Petitioner.
4/6,13,20,27/11

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today’s date: March 29, 2011 File No.: 7037.07667 Sale date and time (local time): July 28, 2011 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse, 20381 State Highway 78, Murphy, Idaho 83650 Property address: 12811 Rocky Top Lane Melba, ID 83641 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Timothy J. Arent and Paula R. Arent, husband and wife Original trustee: Transnation Title and Escrow, Inc. Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for First Mortgage Company of Idaho LLC Recording date: 07/21/2008 Recorder’s instrument number: 265675 County: Owyhee Sum owing on the obligation: as of March 29, 2011: \$217,536.38 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: A parcel of land being a portion of the West half Northwest quarter of Section 14, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at an aluminum cap marking the Northwest corner of said Section 14; thence along the Westerly boundary of said West half Northwest quarter of Section 14, South 00 degrees 37’ 50’’ West 2337.90 feet to an iron pin being the Real Point of Beginning; thence continuing South 00 degrees 37’ 50’’ West 333.98 feet to an aluminum cap marking the West quarter corner of said Section 14; thence along the Southerly boundary of said West half Northwest quarter of Section 14 South 89 degrees 26’ 57’’ East 662.14 feet to an iron pin; thence North 00 degrees 39’ 50’’ East 333.69 feet to an iron pin; thence North 89 degrees 25’ 28’’ West 662.33 feet to the Real Point of Beginning. Excepting therefrom any mobile home(s) located upon the land therein. 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# 7037.07667) 1002.165330-FEI
4/6,13,20,27/11

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On the 12th day of July, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. of this day (recognized local time), in the Lobby of the Owyhee

County Courthouse, Murphy, Idaho 83650, in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash or cashier’s check (cash equivalent), in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in Owyhee County, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

A parcel of land being the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 17, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, B.M., Owyhee County, Idaho, and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING AT A 5/8’’ iron pin marking the Northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 17, T3N, R5W, B.M., Owyhee County, Idaho, said iron pin being the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING and more particularly described as follows: thence

South 89°28’35’’ East 1,336.39 feet along the Northerly boundary of the said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 17, to a brass cap marking the Northeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, said Section 17; thence leaving said Northerly boundary

South 0°58’40’’ West 1,307.49 feet along the Easterly boundary to a 5/8’’ iron pin marking the Southeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, said Section 17; thence leaving the said Easterly boundary of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter

North 89°48’01’’ West 1,331.29 feet along the Southerly boundary of the said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, to a 5/8’’ iron pin marking the Southwest corner of the said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, said Section 17; thence leaving said Southerly boundary

North 0°45’07’’ East 1,314.98 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of

compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of **2517 Succor Creek Rd, 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 Dennis C. Griffith, an unmarried man and Bonnie C. Porter, an unmarried woman, as Grantor(s), to TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as trustee, and Henry Ogden, an unmarried man and Michelle Hurst, an unmarried woman, as Beneficiary, recorded October 8, 2010, as Instrument No. 272623, in the records of Owyhee County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, the principal sum of FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$40,000.00) with interest thereon at six percent (6%) per annum from April 1, 2008, until paid in full as set forth on the Note secured by said Deed of Trust. That as of February 24, 2011, the Grantor is \$46,963.29 in arrears. Interest continues to accrue at the rate of six percent (6%) per annum. All amounts are now due and payable, 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 and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Dated: March 11, 2011
T I T L E O N E CORPORATION Trustee
By: Amy L. Wilcoxson, Trust Officer
3/23,30;4/6,13/11

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Loan No.: 0022693279 T.S. No.: 10-11420-6. On 07/22/2011 at 11:00 am (recognized local time), 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. In the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Fidelity National Title Insurance Company as successor Trustee on behalf of WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. 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: PARCEL I: This parcel is a portion of the SW1/4 SW1/4 of Section 23, Township 2 North, Range 4 West of the Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, and is more particularly described as follows: COMMENCING at the West one-quarter corner of said Section 23; thence South 0° 20’ 13” East along the West boundary of the SW1/4 of said Section 23 a distance of 1679.82 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 87° 41’ 33” East a distance of 745.35 feet; thence South 6° 56’ 08” East a distance of 498.04 feet; thence North 68° 15’ 16” West a distance of 666.17 feet; thence North 0° 20’ 13” West parallel with said West boundary a distance of 175.00 feet; thence South 87° 41’ 33” West a distance of 184.94 feet to a point on the West boundary of said SW1/4 SW1/4; thence North 0° 20’ 13” West along said West boundary a distance of 50.03 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. PARCEL H: A 50.00-foot wide road and utility easement described as follows: COMMENCING at the Northwest corner of Government Lot 3 of Section 23, Township 2 North, Range 4 West of the Boise Meridian; thence South 0° 20’ 13” East along the West boundary of said Government Lot 3 a distance of 311.80 feet to a point on the Southerly boundary for Hidden Valley Road as shown on the Plat for HIDDEN VALLEY ESTATES, filed as Instrument No. 214934, records of Owyhee County, Idaho; said point is the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING for said easement; thence traversing said road boundary as follows: South 43° 16’ 03” East a distance of 40.00 feet; Northeasterly 24.47 feet along the arc of a curve to the right having a central angle of 70° 06’ 09”, a radius of 20.00 feet and a long chord which bears North 81° 47’ 06” East a distance of 22.97 feet; South 0° 20’ 13” East parallel with said West boundary a distance of 1341.93 feet; Southwesterly 235.62 feet along the arc of a curve to the right having a central angle of 270° 00’ 00”, a radius of 50.00 feet and a long chord which bears South 44° 39’ 47” West a distance of 70.71 feet to a point on said West

boundary; thence North 0° 20’ 13” West along said West boundary a distance of 1418.07 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 7524 HILLCREST DR., MARSING, 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: ROSS CAVAZOS, AN UNMARRIED MAN, As grantors, To: FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, As Trustee, for the benefit and security of OPTION ONE MORTGAGE CORPORATION, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION, As Beneficiary, ASSIGNMENT OF DOT TO WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., RECORDED 03/16/2011 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 273752, dated 12/18/2006, recorded 12/27/2006, as Instrument No. 259289, of the records of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 12/18/2006. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of \$2,329.45, due per month from 05/01/2010, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$305,182.77, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.02500% per annum from 04/01/2010 . All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated By: March 23, 2011 Fidelity National Title Insurance Company 1920 Main Street, Suite 1120, Irvine, CA 92614 949-252-4900 Juan Enriquez SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.lpsasap.com AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION please call 714-730-2727 ASAP# 3951351

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

At 10:00 o’clock A.M. (recognized local time) on July 20, 2011, on the front steps of the Owyhee County Courthouse, located at, 20381 St. Hwy 78,

Murphy, Idaho, First American Title Company Inc., as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in Owyhee County, Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 13, 14, and 15 in Block 5 of the Revised Townsite of Butte, Now the City of Marsing, Owyhee County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Recorder for Owyhee County, Idaho.

EXCEPTING therefrom any portion of the vacated alley that would have attached by operation of law.

Information concerning the foreclosure action may be obtained from the Trustee, whose telephone number is (208) 785-2515. According to the Trustee’s records, the street address of 118 Old Bruneau Highway, Marsing, Idaho 83639 is sometimes associated with said property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust for Idaho executed by, Genoveva Gonzalez, an unmarried woman, as Grantor(s), First American Insurance Company, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of, the United States of America acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture, as Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust was recorded February 07, 2006 as Owyhee County Recorder’s Instrument No. 255141.

The default for which this sale is to be made is as follows: Failure to make the monthly payment of \$544.28 due for the 6th day of July, 2009 and a like sum of \$544.28 due for the 6th day of each and every month thereafter;

The above Grantor(s) 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. As of February 10, 2011 there is due and owing on the loan an unpaid principal balance of \$136,443.96, accrued interest in the amount of \$12,336.99, Subsidy granted in the amount of \$8,918.28 and Fees currently assessed in the amount of \$1,613.00 for a total amount due of \$159,312.23. Interest continues to accrue on the Note at the rate of 5.375% per annum with a per diem rate of \$20.2813 after February 10, 2011. All delinquencies are now due together with any late charges, advances to protect the security, and fees and costs associated with this foreclosure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or

cause said property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

DATED March 16, 2011
FIRST AMERICAN
TITLE COMPANY, INC.,
SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE
/s/ Becky Stucki, Trust
Officer
3/30;4/6,13,20/11

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

Loan No.: 0102111705 T.S. No.: 10-11429-6. On 07/22/2011 at 11:00 am (recognized local time), In the lobby of the Owyhee County Courthouse located on the corner of Highway 78 and Hailey Street, known as 20331 Highway 78, Murphy, ID 83650. In the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, Fidelity National Title Insurance Company as successor Trustee on behalf of Wells Fargo Bank, NA will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Owyhee, State of Idaho, and described as follows: PARCEL I: A parcel of land located in the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 12, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian, Owyhee County, Idaho, described as follows: COMMENCING at the Northwest corner of said Section 12; thence along the West line of said section South 00° 00’ 00” East 261.59 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING (said point being on the centerline of an irrigation ditch); thence along said centerline the following four courses: South 40° 15’ 01” East 642.82 feet; thence South 69° 27’ 24” East 32.89 feet; thence North 84° 58’ 18” East 39.50 feet; thence North 89° 41’ 48” East 139.19 feet; thence South 00° 10’ 36” East 223.31 feet; thence North 90° 00’ 00” West 625.38 feet to the West line of said section; thence along said West line North 00° 00’ 00” West 721.27 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. PARCEL II: A 28-foot wide ingress-egress easement lying 4 feet each side of the following described centerline: COMMENCING at the West 1/4 corner of said Section 12, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian; thence along the West line of said Section North 00° 00’ 00” West 1032.93 feet; thence South 88° 53’ 10” East 267.50 feet to the approximate centerline of State Highway No. 78 said point being the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 88° 53’ 10” East 459.50 feet; thence North 49° 22’ 35” East 173.25 feet; thence North 56° 18’ 47” East 98.16 feet; thence North 26° 12’ 17” East 135.42 feet; thence North 03° 36’ 49” East 184.85 feet; thence North 25° 34’ 41” West 178.12 feet; thence North 07° 16’ 27” West 55.76 feet; thence North 25° 50’ 30” East 161.99 feet AND A 28-Foot wide ingress-egress easement lying 14 feet each

side of the following described centerline: COMMENCING at the West 1/4 corner of said Section 12, Township 1 South, Range 3 West, Boise Meridian; thence along the West line of said Section North 00° 00’ 00” West 1032.93 feet; thence North 88° 53’ 10” East 172.69 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence North 00° 00’ 00” West 614.75 feet. 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: 10629 QUARTER HORSE LANE, MELBA, 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: JOSHUA POLFER (WHO ACQUIRED TITLE AS JOSH POLFER) AND SABRINA POLFER, HUSBAND AND WIFE, As grantors, To: PIONEER TITLE COMPANY, As Trustee, for the benefit and security of Wells Fargo Bank, NA, As Beneficiary, dated 05/21/2009, recorded 06/02/2009, as Instrument No. 268318, of the records of Owyhee County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 05/21/2009. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of \$1,402.56, due per month from 06/01/2010, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$218,138.05, plus accrued interest at the rate of 4.50000% per annum from 05/01/2010 . All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee’s fees, attorney’s fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: March 23, 2011 By: Fidelity National Title Insurance Company 1920 Main Street, Suite 1120, Irvine, CA 92614 949-252-4900 Juan Enriquez SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.lpsasap.com AUTOMATED SALE INFORMATION please call 714-730-2727 ASAP# 3951521

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Owyhee County Church Directory

Iglesia Misionera Biblica Homedale Pastor Fernando Gomez 132 W. Owyhee • 337-5975 Servicios: Mar - 7pm - Oracion Mier - 7pm Predicacion, Vier - Oracion Dom - 10am Esc. Dom y 6pm "Una Iglesia Diferente."	Knight Community Church Grand View Pastor Paul H. Ryan • 834-2639 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study: Wednesday, 7 p.m. Knight's Neighborhood: (Youth Activity Group) Friday 5-6:30 pm	Crossroads Assembly of God Wilder Pastors Ron & Martha Hwy 19 & 95, 482-7644 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening Worship 6pm Wed. Bible Study 7pm
Assembly of God Church Homedale 15 West Montana, 337-4458 Pastor George Greenwood Sunday School 9:30am Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am Sunday Evening Service 6:00pm Wed. Bible Study 7:00pm	Friends Community Church Wilder - Homedale 17434 Hwy 95, 337-3464 Sunday School 9:30 am Worship Services: 10:45 am Sundays Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 5:30 pm Wednesday CLC: 3:15 pm	Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church 1122 W. Linden St., Caldwell 459-3653 Mass: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:30 am Spanish Mass: Saturday 7:00 pm Spanish Mass: Sunday Noon
Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church Homedale - 337-4248 Sunday Services 10am Rev. Ross Shaver, Pastor Youth and Adult Sunday School 9-9:45am Wed. Adult Bible Study 7-8:30pm Visitors Always Welcome!	Chapel of Hope Hope House, Marsing Look for the Blue Church South Bruneau Hwy at the Hope House Welcoming Families, especially those with special needs children. Keith Croft, Pastor 880-2767 Jake & Alisha Henriouille, Youth Pastors 761-6747 Sunday Services at 10 am	Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Homedale 708 West Idaho Ave 337-4112 Bishop Travis Kraupp Bishop Ronald Spencer Sunday 1st Ward 9am Sunday 2nd Ward 12:30pm
Homedale Baptist Church Homedale 212 S. 1st W. Sunday School 10am & 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7pm Pastor James Huls	Wilder Church of God Wilder 205 A St. E, 482-7839 Pastor Ray Gerthung Sunday School 9:45am Sunday Service 11am Sunday Eve. 6:00pm Wed. Eve. 7:00pm	Mountain View Church of the Nazarene 26515 Ustick Road, Wilder 337-3151 Sunday School 9:30 Worship 10:30 Adult & Youth Bible Class: Wednesday 7:00 pm Bible Based Recovery: Friday 7:00 pm
 MARSING APOSTOLIC ASSEMBLY Asamblea Apostolica de Marsing 107 W. Main • Marsing, Idaho Pastor Jose Gutierrez 208-461-9016 or 880-6172 Sunday School 10:00 am Sunday Service 1 pm • Wednesday Service 7 pm Bilingual Services/Español	Iglesia Evangelica Wilder 317 3rd st., Pastor Ramiro Reyes 10 am Sunday School 11 am Service 482-7484 Bilingual	Marsing Church of Christ Marsing 932 Franklin, Marsing Minister Gib Nelson Sunday Bible Study 10am Sunday Worship 11am
Christian Church Homedale 110 W. Montana, 337-3626 Pastor Maurice Jones Sunday Morning Worship 11am Church school 9:45	Bible Missionary Church Homedale West Idaho, 337-3425 Pastor Ron Franklin Sunday School 10am Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Wednesday Evening 7:30	Assembly of God Church Marsing 139 Kerry, 965-1650 Pastor Rick Sherrow Sunday School 10am Sunday Worship 11am & 6 pm
Lizard Butte Baptist Church Marsing Pastor David London 116 4th Ave. W., 859-2059 Sunday worship: Morning: 11am-Noon• Evening: 6-7pm Sunday school 10 am-10:55am Wednesday evening 6pm-7pm	Nazarene Church Marsing Pastor Bill O'Connor 896-4184 12 2nd Avenue West Worship Services - Sunday 11am and 6pm Sunday School - 9:45am Mid Week TLC Groups	Trinity Holiness Church Homedale 119 N. Main Pastor Samuel Page 337-5021 Sunday School 10am Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening 7pm Thursday Evening 7:30pm
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Marsing 215 3rd Ave. West, 896-4151 Sunday 1st Ward, 9:00 a.m. Bishop Jensen Sunday 2nd Ward, 12:30 p.m. Bishop Parry	Vision Community Church Marsing 221 West Main Marsing, Idaho 208-896-5407 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. Adult, Kids & Youth Meetings Wed. 7:00 p.m.	United Methodist Church Wilder Corner of 4th St. & B Ave. 880-8751 Pastor June Fothergill Sunday Services 9:30am
First Presbyterian Church Homedale 320 N. 6th W., 337-3060 Pastor Marianne Paul Sunday Morning Worship 11am Sunday School 11am	Calvary Holiness Church Wilder Corner of 3rd St. & B Ave. Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening: 7:00 p.m. Food Pantry Open Fridays 10 am - Noon	Seventh Day Adventist Homedale 16613 Garnet Rd., 880-0902 or 453-9289 Pastor Chuck Dimick Sabbath School Sat. 9:30am Worship 11am Tuesday Prayer Mtg. 7:00 pm
Iglesia Bautista Palabra de Esperanza Homedale 711 W. Idaho, 463-9569 Pastor Jose Diaz Servicios: Los Domingos 11:00 am	Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church - Oreana 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	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



NOTICE

Jordan Valley Boosters Bingo Night April 15, 6 pm in the old gym Pulled pork sandwiches, salad & dessert \$5 adult, \$3 Children or \$15 per family. Great prizes: winco gift certificate, Gem shell gas card, FFA flower gift card & more! Come have a great time & support your school!

THANK YOU

The Nichols family extends their heartfelt thanks to all who sent cards, flowers, food & for the kind thoughts and offers of help. We deeply appreciate you all. Bonnie Nichols, Paul & Brenda Pearson & family, Charley Nichols, Amy & Chris Thomas and family.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the comforting thoughts, prayers, flowers, donations, food during this recent time of sorrow. The Jerry Bowman family

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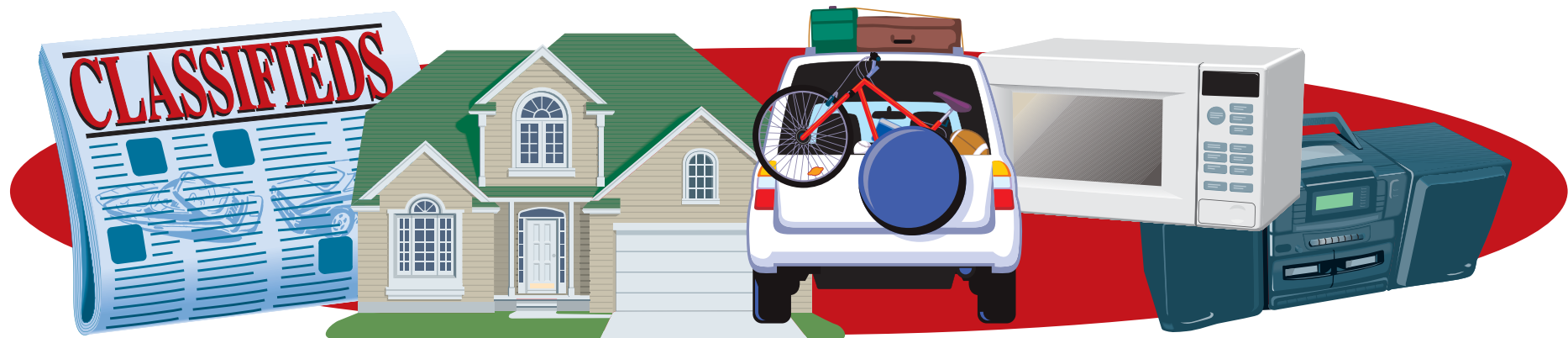
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