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Home of Jerry and Kim Stewart

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Kids' health ...

Sadie the Safety Saurus shared winter safety tips with kids at the children's health fair in Meeker Feb. 27-28. The health fair, which provides important screenings for child development, will be in Rangely March 5-6.



A QUIET HERO



(Top) In honor of his WWII service, Meeker's VFW post chose Dave Allen to throw the ceremonial Memorial Day wreath into the White River last year. (left) Married in 1949, Dave and Bessie Allen celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary in January 2012. (right) Allen served in the United States Navy during the Second World War.

COURTESY PHOTOS

By HALLIE BLUNT
Special to the Herald Times

MEEKER I The definition of modesty is "reserve or propriety in speech, dress or conduct, or; the freedom from conceit or vanity." Modesty, reticence and humility are common characteristics among World War II veterans. The sacrifice of those veterans was anything but modest and yet they speak of it as a duty and demand nothing from the benefactors of their bravery. Dave Allen fits that description to perfection.

Dave moved to Meeker in 1927. He was the youngest of three children. Tom, Edna May, and Dave lived in Rock Springs, Wyo., until their father left for Oregon to seek work in the timber industry. He was killed in a car accident, leaving his wife to care for the three young children.

Dave's uncle had a cattle ranch in Wyoming and would come to the Keystone Ranch near Meeker to buy bulls. He got word they were looking for a cook and told his sister the news. She brought her children to the Keystone Ranch where they lived for 10 years. Dave's brother and sister went to Maybell for a time to live with their grandparents and attend school. Dave remained with his mother and attended school in the Price Creek schoolhouse.

When he first arrived, his teacher was Dean Parr's mom. He recalled riding his horse three miles to and from school. If the weather was too bad, he had permission to stop at a friend's house near the school. Once a week he was in charge of picking up the mail for the Keystone Ranch from the post

office southeast of the school. The distance seemed perfect for a horse race and Dave and his friend John decided to see who had the faster horse. During the race, John's horse went in a wash. The event killed the horse but left the children uninjured. It cured them of wanting to race their horses.

Dave remembers his family never went to town. They grew their vegetables, baked their bread and butchered their meat. Life was good on the Keystone. His mother worked extremely hard, sometimes feeding eight to 10 men during haying season. The ranch was sold in 1937 and they moved to the Delaney place near White River City.

While attending the White River City school, Dave remembers the Hollenbecks, the Fritzlan brothers and the Wilsons attending school with him. In 1939 Ed Delaney died of tick fever and Dave's mother moved her family to town.

After completing school in Meeker, Dave enlisted in the United States Navy where he served active duty in World War II. He returned from the service and married his wife Bessie in January 1949. During the early years of their marriage, they lived in trailer houses and traveled following his work for the Department of Transportation building roads all over the state. He worked out of the shop in Craig until 1950 when he was transferred to Granby. In Granby he was assigned to Trail Ridge Road and others, like Willow Creek Road. In the spring he opened up the roads, breaking through snowdrifts as high as houses. He and one other helper would

start near Granby and two other men would start near Estes Park and they worked until they met in the middle.

In 1960 he was transferred to Meeker he has been in the community since then. He was foreman for Rifle, Rangely and the Meeker area. He retired in 1981 after more than 30 years of commitment. He didn't slow down much after retiring. He drove a school bus for Meeker for more than 20 years.

"I miss the kids, the kids at the Keystone and at Rimrock," he said. He shared a story about one young girl arriving home from her first day of school the year Dave retired. The little girl was crying as she told her mom, "He (Dave) wasn't there." The little girl was talking about the bus driver she already missed.

Dave also served on the town council for eight years during the oil shale boom. He was a member of the council when the city wells were drilled and he has seen the water tanks remain full even when you could wade easily through the river because it was so low.

Dave and Bessie have three children, nine grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren. One great-grandson shares Dave's middle name.

"A person needs to keep busy to keep out of trouble," he said. He has always lived by these words. "I'm out of a job now and I don't like it."

From his time on the Keystone Ranch, to his selfless service in World War II, to his incredible longevity with the department of transportation as well as the Meeker School District, Dave is an example of integrity, consistency and citizenship.

RBC commissioners attend oil, gas banquet

By BOBBY GUTIERREZ
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RBC I Rio Blanco County commissioners Shawn Bolton, Ken Parsons and Kai Turner attended the seventh annual Energy Forum and Expo and West Slope Colorado Oil and Gas Association's (WSCOGA) annual banquet last Friday at the Two Rivers Convention Center in Grand Junction.

United States Congressman Cory Gardner, representing Colorado's 4th District and a member of the U.S. House Energy and Commerce Committee, was the keynote speaker at the banquet.

"We were pleased with the turnout at the annual banquet and I believe Congressman Gardner added to it," David Ludlam, director of WSCOGA said by phone. The event was attended by more than 400 people, including energy operators from western slope counties Rio Blanco, Mesa, Garfield, Moffat, Delta and

Routt. Ludlam spoke of Rio Blanco County's active role in the association.

"The theme for this year's expo was 'New Horizons,'" Ludlam said. "In the short-term we have some challenges with the current price of natural gas but new deposits of natural gas found that were not known about even five years ago extend throughout the Piceance Basin. I think long-term the western slope will be the workhorse for energy development."

Ludlam said WSCOGA has a "task force" in each of the counties the association represents and Rio Blanco County is "the most active."

"They are transparent in their planning processes and diligent in their attendance of task force meetings," Ludlam said of Rio Blanco County's commissioners. "It is refreshing to work in a collaborating way."

Last fall, Turner requested a review of the county's current impact

fees and Ludlam was appreciative of the opportunity for his association to be involved in the solution.

"I'm excited the commissioners approached us to see if we can come up with something better," Ludlam said. "Rio Blanco County is the future nucleus and the commissioners are aware of it. We understand the importance of County Road 5 and like that the commissioners are looking at other ways of generating revenue for it."

According to its website, the WSCOGA's mission is to foster and promote the beneficial, efficient, responsible and environmentally sound development, production and use of Western Colorado oil and natural gas. WSCOGA is an affiliated chapter of the Colorado Oil and Gas Association.

WSCOGA strives to educate stakeholders, encourage technology enhancements and foster environmental stewardship throughout oil and gas operations and supply chains.

New administrator in town

By NIKI TURNER
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MEEKER I The town of Meeker's board of trustees named Scott Mezaros as their choice for the new town administrator, effective April 2. Mezaros will replace long-time administrator Sharon Day, who celebrated 30 years working for the town in 2011.

"The board of trustees deliberated heavily on the candidates before making their final choice — taking into consideration education, experience in municipal government, community involvement, leadership experience and being a 'good fit' for Meeker," said Mayor Mandi

Etheridge.

Mezaros is currently serving as the town clerk for Monument, Colo., in El Paso County. Monument, population 6,800, is one of the oldest communities in the state, established in 1879.

Mezaros was one of four candidates chosen from more than 30 applicants who were brought to Meeker last month to tour the town, attend a public reception at town hall and the Meeker Chamber of Commerce annual dinner. The candidates were interviewed by the board of trustees and a panel made up of town staff members.

Mezaros has a master's degree in public administration from Troy



Scott Mezaros

State University and a bachelor's degree from Colorado State University.

He signed a final contract with the town Thursday, Feb. 23 and will begin working for the Town of Meeker on Monday, April 2.

According to Etheridge, Mezaros is "very excited" about moving to Meeker with his wife and three children, and "is looking forward to serving our community."

DISTRICT CHAMPS...



BOBBY GUTIERREZ

The Meeker boys' basketball team won the district tournament last weekend in Kremmling with wins over the Paonia Eagles in the first round and the West Grand Mustangs in the championship game. Cowboys Dylan Mobley, Scott Smith, Trey Morris, Cooper Smith, Kevin Eli, Toby Casias, Raul Lopez, Jeremy Musgrave, Ben Fitzgibbons, Nate Walsh, Scott Smith and Gable Smith, will be the No. 1 seed in the Region 5 tournament held this weekend at Colorado Mesa University in Grand Junction. The Cowboys (20-1) will play Del Norte (16-7) at 7:30 p.m. Friday, with the winner playing in the championship against the winner of the Lutheran (13-9) and Telluride (11-9) game. Only the champion will advance to the "Elite Eight" in Pueblo the following week.

WEATHER



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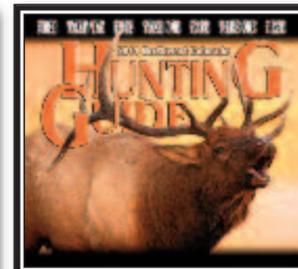
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BRIEFS

Arts, cultural council meeting March 5

MEEKER | The Meeker Arts and Cultural Council will meet Monday, March 5, at 6:30 pm at the Meeker United Methodist Church Annex. This meeting will focus on selecting and seating a board of directors, officers, task force committee chairs and finalization of articles of incorporation and non-profit designation. All friends of the performing and fine arts and cultural organizations are encouraged to attend and participate in this community-based coalition effort to enhance enjoyment of these vital opportunities for the youth and adults of the Meeker community. Youth members are especially encouraged to participate. Refreshments will be served. For more information contact Gary and Laurie Zellers at 878-0554, or e-mail deano65@hotmail.com

Knife, blade collectors show March 3-4

VERNAL, UT | The Vernal Custom Knife and Blade Collectors Show will be held at the Western Park Complex from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. March 3-4. Admission is \$3 for one day or \$5 for the weekend. This donation enters you into a drawing for a custom knife. For more information call 435-781-1848 or email vknifeshow@gmail.com.

Cook named to dean's list at Luther

MEEKER | Kevin Kraus, Luther College vice president for academic affairs and dean of the college, has announced that Sydney Cook, Luther College junior of Meeker, Colo., was named to the 2011 fall semester dean's list. To be named to the dean's list, a student must earn a semester grade point average of 3.5 or better on a 4.0 scale and must complete at least 12 credit hours with 10 hours of conventional grades (A, B, C, D).

Lions scholarship applications due soon

MEEKER | The 2012 deadline for submission of the Meeker Lions Club Scholarship application is Friday, April 20, 2012. The applications are available through the guidance counselor at the high school or you can contact Cindy Welle or Andrea Harmon of the Meeker Lions Club.

ERBM survey response requested

MEEKER | Voice your opinion by completing the ERBM Recreation and Park District survey which was recently placed in mailboxes. District planners are working on a master plan. You can take part in the decision-making process by completing the survey. Survey completion will also qualify you for a chance to win a gift certificate valued at up to \$500.

RANGELY 4H COUNCIL MEETING ...



4-H members (left to right, front to back) Shauna Lapp, Keihlin Myers, Miley Chism, Kobey Chism, Tristan Hall, Kacie Lapp, Trenton Files, Raelynn Norman, Samantha Lapp, Paityn Myers, Kaylee Mecham, Elena Cummings, Phalon Osborn, Antionette Dorris, Cheyenne Steele, Caitlyn Ducey, Tessa Slagle and Brittany Babineaux all attended the February 4-H Community Council meeting. They talked about all the work that has been going on in the Rangely 4-H program, including an upcoming shoe drive for the less fortunate called Shoes 2 Share and our Butter Braid Pastry and Classic Breaks fundraisers going on now through March 20. The 4-H members who were enrolled and/or re-enrolled by Feb. 2 will enjoy a swimming party Feb. 24 from 4-7 p.m. The next 4-H Council meeting will be held Monday, March 19 at 6 p.m. at CNCC. The next Eagle Crest Assisted Living Facility activity will be held Monday, March 5 after school. All 4-H members are invited to attend these upcoming events. Don't forget to purchase Butter Braid pastries from the 4-H members.

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Al White speaks at networking meeting

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RANGELY | The weather was bad and some may have expected a low turnout for the monthly Rangely Networking meeting held Tuesday, Feb. 27 at CNCC. Russell George, CNCC president, thanked everyone for attending and introduced his guest.

"This is a larger than normal crowd, thank you all for coming. The mystery is it's a politician who's drawing the crowd, how can that be?" George asked.

"The mystery can be easily solved because it is our friend Al White. He is no stranger to anybody in this room. He's the consummate public servant on behalf of all of us through his elected career and what more important role could he serve for us in Northwest Colorado than the step he's taken now. He's been out there fighting for tourism for Colorado, first as a business person who's livelihood depended on it, then all of his years on the state house and senate making sure all the legislative structure was right to nurture and support tourism."

The former Colorado state senator was appointed by Gov. John Hickenlooper to direct the Colorado Office of Tourism. White's wife, Jean, now holds his senate seat. He thanked George for the introduction and his help when he was "an aspiring legislator" and George was "Mr. Speaker of the House."

"You are very lucky to have Russ here, I know you are all aware of that," White said before sharing the history behind his new office and what they do.

"Some call me the Reverend Al White because I go around the state and deliver the gospel of tourism and

convert the doubters, say hallelujah," White said with enthusiasm. "Tourism has been my passion since coming to the legislature and the governor recognized my passion and appointed me as director a year ago last January and I have been after it ever since."

White spoke of the different programs of his office, saying the heritage and cultural program is gaining

popularity and said when people stop at Colorado Welcome Centers, they stay in the state an additional 2.4 days.

White also mentioned agritourism and that the Capitol Christmas tree will be coming from the White River National Forest near Meeker. His office will spend an additional \$100,000 promoting the tree and the state around the country

and spoke of advertising "our product line" nationally and internationally.

"Our job is to get them into the state, it's your job to get them into your stores," White said.

Commissioner Bolton spoke of the OHV trails being developed on the eastern end of the county and White said his office could help market them.

RIO BLANCO COUNTY

HOME OF:
Jerry and Kim Stewart

DINOSAUR | This week's "home of" honorees are Jerry and Kim Stewart of Dinosaur.

Jerry was raised in Rangely. His father is Randy Stewart and mother is Rhonda Tucker-Hartman, both of Rangely. Kim moved to Dinosaur in 2004. Her parents, Terry and Stella Billings, also live in Dinosaur. Jerry and Kim met at Kim's sister Johna and her husband Kane Coleman's wedding. Jerry and Kim will celebrate their sixth wedding anniversary June 10.

Jerry works at Stewart Welding and Machine in Rangely, the family-owned business started by his late grandfather Alvin Stewart. Jerry's uncle and aunt, Brad and Lynda Cady, uncles Daryl Stewart and Mike Stewart and cousin Kyle Stewart also work at Stewart Welding and live in the area.

Kim has worked at Rangely District Hospital since 2007. She started as a receptionist at the clinic and currently works in the RDH accounts payable department.

Kim's mother Stella runs the Hi-Way Bar and Grill/Rainbow Tavern in Dinosaur and her father Terry is a retired truck driver.

Jerry has three children: son Alvin Stewart, 8, son Jesse Stewart, 7, and daughter Teijah Stewart, 6.

"We enjoy hunting, 4-wheeling, rock crawling, water skiing, knee boarding and other outdoor stuff. We own a boat and go to Kenney Reservoir a lot. We also ride dirt bikes. We stay busy with family and friends," Kim said.

"We went bass fishing on Lake Michigan for our first anniversary. Jerry's hunting buddy Roger Gillespie owns a boat and lives in Montrose, Mich., near Flint, Mich., in northern Michigan. We had a great time, caught a lot of bass and a whole bunch of other fish. Other than that, we've been here," Kim added.

"I like the close family connection with everybody a small town has. I enjoy the easy access to outdoor activities we have and that we're close to Utah lakes and Kenney Reservoir. I love the small town atmosphere of Dinosaur and Rangely," Kim ended.

HERE KITTY, KITTY ...



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Meeker resident Scott Isenhour, general manager of Meeker's REDI Services, went lion hunting with friends on Piceance Creek recently and harvested this mountain lion. "I was with friends, the Palmers, Harrisons, Wilsons and Pattersons who all helped with their dogs. I think they wanted to get me a cat as much as I did. What a great experience and one I won't ever forget. I love living in Meeker," Isenhour said.

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2011 a year of progress, services

Special to the Herald Times

MEEKER "We are excited about the progress and new services being offered at Pioneers Medical Center and the Meeker Family Health Clinic," said Tom Allen, PMC board chair. During the PMC Board of Directors meeting in February the board received a report on the 2011 accomplishments and the goals for 2012. "In 2006, our voters invested in healthcare by passing a mill levy. It is wonderful to see that investment coming to life and paying off," continued Allen.

Ken Harman, Pioneers CEO stated, "We have a dynamic staff, with a 'can-do' attitude, and that has helped us to make in-roads on several key initiatives." Harman highlighted a few of those successes.

In 2011, PMC

■ Expanded surgical care and procedures offered at PMC. Dr. James Jex and Brandon Aven, CRNA, joined the PMC surgery team, to begin offering more regular services. PMC had previously had a team of surgical nurses that assisted any visiting specialist. The addition of Jex and Aven allows PMC to offer general surgery, colonoscopies, cyst removal, dermatology procedures and more. Most of the surgeries performed at PMC are outpatient, which means the patient can usually return home that same day.

■ In June of 2011, PMC began offering MRI services every other Monday. PMC has contracted with BP Perspective Imaging, Inc. to bring a mobile MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) machine on-site. "We have been consistently providing six-eight patients with MRI services each Monday the machine is on site," said Greg Hanberg, PMC radiology manager. "This is a collaborative venture with Rangely District Hospital," continued Hanberg, "Because we coordinated the scheduling of the MRI services together, it makes it affordable to bring this service here locally."

■ Established the Trails to Health program, a preventative care service to improve and maintain a patient's health. Trails to Health offers patients a "plan of action" for healthier lives. It transforms the traditional annual exam into a proactive approach to one's health, it offers assistance for those managing a chronic disease (e.g. diabetes or high blood pressure). And it offers a health coach to help to follow the "plan of action."

■ The Walbridge Wing was refurbished. New flooring was installed in residents' rooms, hallways and common areas. All resident rooms were painted, as well, the sunroom on the west end of the building was painted and redecorated.

■ In 2011, PMC was able to expand the on-site ultrasound coverage. And created an ultrasound suite, which improves privacy.

■ The Meeker Streaker provides senior transportation to take people to doctor's appointments, run their errands and to the Chuckwagon programs. 2011 the program saw an

increase in riders. A second driver was hired, allowing for the expansion of available transportation for the out-of-town doctor appointments, while still maintaining the in-town services.

■ Patients can now pay their bills online. PMC's Patient Financial Services offers several avenues for patients to pay their healthcare bill in a way that is convenient for them. On our PMC website, www.pioneershospital.org, patients can pay their bills conveniently. Additionally, PMC offers a financial assistance program to qualifying patients. For more information about these services call 970-878-9273.

"2012 is shaping up to look equally as promising," said Harman. "We have already added a couple new services this year and are researching the feasibility of adding a few more."

New services planned for 2012

■ January 2012 marked the installation and implementation of a DEXA Scan machine. A DEXA Scan is a bone density tool to screen for osteoporosis. Osteoporosis doesn't often have symptoms, so a bone density measurement of your hip and/or spine can help your physician make recommendations to help you protect your bones.

■ Two new physicians will be joining the PMC and Meeker Family Health Center team. Elizabeth Buisker, D.O., will join the staff in March. Dr. Buisker brings four years of experience in family practice, urgent care and occupational medicine. Chris Williams, M.D., will join the staff in May. Dr. Williams brings 13 years of family practice experience. He has experience in hospice and geriatric care, as well as pediatric care and sports medicine.

■ PMC and Meeker Family Health Center goes 100 percent electronic in 2012. "We will fully implement an Electronic Medical Records (EMR) program," said Christy Atwood, MFHC manager. "The biggest benefit to the EMR is that it will streamline the administrative portion of patient care, and that in and of itself, will help us to improve patient care, diagnosis and treatment," explained Atwood. The Electronic Medical Records means new forms and processes, as staff goes through the learning process, unfortunately the patient may experience a slower check-in or check-out process. MFHC and PMC apologize for these delays.

■ In the latter half of the year, PMC expects to begin offering pain management services. Pain management can be in the form of medication, steroid/nerve injections, treatments or other techniques such as relaxation tools, pacing and exercise that reduces pain and improves quality of life.

These are just a few of the initiatives PMC is developing. "I am thrilled with the direction and expanded services we are able to offer," continued Allen. "I feel confident that we are living our mission ... to provide the best healthcare to improve the health and wellness of our community."



AWARD ...

The first Chevron Natural Resources Scholarship was recently awarded to Taylor Poos-Benson (right) of Morrison, Colo. Jeff Roedel (left) from the local Chevron office was on hand to congratulate Taylor and to present his award certificate.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Thank you from Sizemore family

Dear Editor:
The family of James Sizemore would like to convey their deepest appreciation to all who attended, donated and sponsored the first annual "I Ride with James" poker and fun ride. The turn out was more than we could have wished for. Please know that your kindness and good thoughts throughout this last year have meant the world to us as a family. Thank you again!

*The Sizemore Family
Meeker*

Amick family expresses thanks

Dear Editor:
The family of Sarah Elizabeth Kathryn Delaney Amick wishes to extend their sincere appreciation and heartfelt gratitude to all of the family and friends of Elizabeth who so kind-

ly attended the Rosary service and Mass of the Christian Burial conducted Feb. 18 at Holy Family Catholic Church.

The Irish people celebrate life as a joyous occasion with an "Irish wake" in honor of their cherished family members. Elizabeth celebrated 97 years of an exceptional and extraordinary life as a cherished and beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt and friend to many youth and club members. She was a member of the respected Delaney pioneer family of Meeker and Rio Blanco County. Donations in remembrance of Elizabeth were kindly made by friends and family to the Rio Blanco County Historical Society and to the General Federation of Women's Clubs' Minnie L. Harding Memorial Scholarship fund. A very special thanks to the Moffat District of the Colorado General Federation of Women's Clubs and Lucy Myring for their kind remembrances of their friend and fellow clubwoman Elizabeth.

As is traditional for the Meeker and Glenwood Springs communities, many generous gifts of food, phone calls, flowers, visits, cards and letters were provided and gratefully appreciated by Elizabeth's family members.

The family is especially grateful to Holy Family Catholic Church and Father Jim Fox, Deacon Bill Ertmer, for their hospital and home visits, and for beautifully conducted services for Elizabeth. Thanks also are extended to Sharon Clapper and the Bereavement committee for their kindness and support during this time. Thanks also to Father McMillen of St. Stephens Catholic Church of Glenwood Springs.

Ms. Anna Todd and Mr. Bob Eggebraten provided a selection of beautifully performed vocal and organ music during the Mass which included Elizabeth's favorite Irish songs and liturgical hymns.

Diane Delaney and the Print Shop of Glenwood Springs wrote and published the remembrance booklets and snapshot photo albums commemorat-

ing Elizabeth's life. Brooke, Dean, Bailey and Doak Mantle produced a beautiful slide show celebrating Elizabeth's life accompanied by her favorite Irish Music.

A very special thanks goes to Kris and Henry Arcolesse of Ma Famiglia's Restaurant for the generous donation of delicious food provided for the reception following the services.

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With sincere best wishes and gratitude to all on behalf of Elizabeth's extended family,

Robert Amick; Sandra and Harold Bradfield; Brooke, Dean, Bailey and Doak Mantle; Hank, Carmen, Tyler, Alexis and Joe Mckay; Haley and Bill Kracht; Diane Delaney; Rob Delaney; Ralph, Betty Ryan and Laurie Delaney

Colorado bill that is currently going through the process of becoming law, that is House Bill 1027. This bill was started by my sister. A few years ago her husband was laid off. They have two kids and my sister was a stay-at-home mom. While he was out of work and they were trying to make ends meet she discovered a talent for decorating cakes. She is very good! She found that this could be a way to help the financial strain and bring in extra income.

In the state of Colorado, it is not legal to sell baked goods from one's home. My sister, of course, wanted to obey that law and started her business out of a rented commercial kitchen. This kitchen space is rented for blocks of time and is shared by a variety of vendors. She had to pay a monthly fee to be a part of it and an hourly fee to use it. The hours she could find with small children were very late in the evening to very early in the morning. She made it work for almost a year but the cost she was paying for that time was eating any profit she was making despite the overwhelming support of those who wanted to buy her product. She had to leave the business incubator and is no longer able to sell. In an effort to fix the problems she and many bakers like her are facing she went to our state representatives and together they wrote up a bill to allow home bakeries, HB-1027. It has had overwhelming support from the house and many small bakers across the state who are looking for a way to help themselves in this struggling economy.

In order to keep this as short as possible I encourage you to read the bill here:
<http://www.leg.state.co.us/clics/cli>

cs2012a/csl.nsf/fsbillcont3/BE84697C2242E39C87257981007DD7BB?ope

HB-1027 made it through the house with a vote of 67-0 in favor of the bill. It now is sitting in the Senate. It has been assigned to the agricultural committee, why, I don't know, as this bill is not relevant to agriculture. To shed some light on the purpose of this assignment let me introduce the competition. There is currently another bill they say is similar: SB12-48. Again to keep this as short as possible I ask you to read through it here:

<http://www.leg.state.co.us/CLICS/CLICS2012A/csl.nsf/fsbillcont3/F8EA74C8447BB62387257981007DD1AD?Ope>

Here are the basic differences: HB-1027 is in favor of the selling of non-potentially hazardous foods as defined by the FDA out of one's home. It has no income cap. It allows for inspections to be done of the place where product is made and sold from. These are things that SB12-48 does not do. This bill would be better assigned to the Senate Business, Labor and Technology or the Senate Health and Human Services committees as it has nothing to do with agriculture.

The problem for HB-1027 is that the committee chair for agriculture is the same person who sponsored SB12-48 and she is not happy about the competition of HB-1027 which may in turn kill HB-1027. I personally feel that this is a conflict of interest, not to mention a little unethical, as do many bakers in Colorado, and does not give HB-1027 a fair hearing. For more about what affects this I invite you to visit <https://www.facebook.com/ColoradoCottageLaw> on Facebook. Thank you for your time and consideration of this topic.

*Julie Alexander
Grand Junction, Colo.*

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Cottage Law

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Oil shale can provide jobs for future

By GLEN VAWTER
Special to the Herald Times

RBC I Developing America's abundant oil shale resources will create tens of thousands of new American jobs and generate new revenue to help pay for infrastructure improvements, thereby creating even more jobs. Good paying jobs and infrastructure go hand in hand. As oil shale is commercialized, there will be a need for updated infrastructure to support the communities where workers will live and bring up their families. Local sales and property taxes, royalties and severance tax revenues from oil shale projects will support those communities. And, upfront payments by industry for improvements that are needed before tax revenues begin — during construction of the projects — will be made if the cost of those improvements can be credited against future tax, severance and/or royalty payments.

At the present time jobs are being created for ongoing oil shale research, development and demonstration (R,D&D) programs. But

many more jobs are needed to make up for the jobs lost during this recession. It is estimated that firms conducting these R,D&D programs are employing about 300 people in Colorado and Utah, and an additional 100 jobs outside the region. This does not include the indirect jobs created by these activities. Employment opportunities are expected to increase over the next few years as more of these programs move from the laboratory to field demonstrations.

Commercial scale projects are expected to develop in a phased manner and not bring unbridled instantaneous population growth to communities in the West. It is estimated that an oil shale industry of 0.5 to 2 million barrels per day of crude oil production could happen over a 20-50 year time frame, beginning 5-10 years from now, if economic and political factors are favorable. The huge size of the oil shale resource makes it possible to have a sustainable industry for many decades without the past booms and busts experienced in this region. Commercial scale plants are estimated to produce from 10,000 to 50,000 barrels of

crude oil per day. Depending upon the technology and capacity, each of these plants would create between 500 and 2000 good paying jobs. It is uncertain how large an oil shale industry may evolve, but over the coming decades it could provide a sizeable tax base for local communities and opportunities for employment and local businesses.

What kind of jobs would be available in an oil shale industry? They would include highly technical positions like engineers and technicians, clerical and administrative staff, process operators and maintenance personnel, and environmental and safety compliance staff. In addition local contractors would be utilized for construction and other services.

Our nation needs the new jobs and the crude oil that would be produced from this important domestic resource. Oil shale can serve as a bridge fuel for our cars, trucks, planes and trains during a period when the nation is moving toward less reliance upon our current sources of transportation fuels — which come predominantly from crude oil imported from outside our borders.

So what is standing in the way of companies moving forward with commercializing oil shale projects and beginning to employ thousands of workers throughout the nation? It is a complex question involving factors such as technological advancement, resource availability, economics and politics. But the major factor today lies in the political and policy arena. For instance, leasing of oil shale from the federal government is on hold. The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) controls about 80 percent of the western U.S. oil shale resource. Industry is able to lease other resources such as coal, oil and gas and uranium. But oil shale leasing has been stopped and the BLM has begun a series of planning studies that will delay the leasing process established by the last administration in 2007. The flip-flops in federal oil shale policy have placed a damper on the willingness of companies to aggressively invest in the technological advancement of oil shale processing that is needed to make it a viable source of energy for our nation's future.

UP AND DOWN EL RIO BLANCO

Pay Attention

By BOBBY GUTIERREZ
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It has been fun traveling around the state the past couple of weeks watching our local kids compete but I was reminded of my need to pay attention to my driving, especially in Meeker.

I traveled to Denver a couple of weeks ago to watch eight Rio Blanco County wrestlers compete in the 2012 Colorado State Wrestling Championships in the Pepsi Center and last Saturday I drove to Kremmling to watch three of our high school basketball teams compete in the district tournament.

We sure do live in a beautiful state and I don't mind driving when the roads are good, which they were last Saturday. My wife was traveling to Colorado Springs the same day. Thanks to modern technology, we were able to talk to each other while on the road.

I called my wife from the top of Rabbit Ears Pass. She was on top of Hoosier Pass when we spoke. We both mentioned how beautiful the scenery around us was, under clear blue skies with a feeling of being on top of the world in both places.

I enjoy watching our kids compete and the highlight was witnessing the Meeker boys win the district tournament.

Thirteen hours and 300 miles later, I returned safely to Meeker. After driving through town to see "what was happening" on a Saturday night in Meeker at 8:30 (which wasn't much ... I was the only car on the street), I turned off Market Street onto Main Street. I noticed the flash-

ing lights when I turned north on Sixth Street.

"Oh no," I thought, thinking of what I may have done to get pulled over. It's not the first time I've been pulled over and ticketed. Thankfully, I've learned my lesson and it has been almost 14 years since I made the mistake of driving after drinking. I've been stopped for speeding a couple of times, but I'm usually a very conscientious driver, except for the other night, I guess.

The officer who pulled me over was not a local policeman or a deputy sheriff, but a Colorado State patrolman.

"Do you know why I pulled you over," the officer asked, flashlight in hand.

"No sir," I replied.

"I watched you make three turns and never use your blinker and you did not come to a complete stop at two stop signs," he said, and requested my driver's license, insurance and registration.

I apologized, didn't argue and told the officer I was just getting back from Kremmling, from the district basketball tournament. He asked how the teams did and I told him.

My "paperwork" was in order and I was hoping to just get a warning but that wasn't the case. He told me he was going to write me a citation but would give me a break and only cite me for one of each infraction. He also gave me a \$1 break by not correctly adding the fine and surcharges, so it will only cost me \$199.50 and not \$200.50. What a way to end the day!

Pay attention, Bobby, and be thankful!

MEEKER LOCALS

Wahoo! Both the girls' and the boys' basketball teams are headed off to the next step toward a state championship! Congratulations!

The Meeker Chamber of Commerce has encouraged local businesses to decorate their windows this week in support of the teams.

The old saying about March is "in like a lion, out like a lamb." We shall see if that holds true this year.

HAROLD TYMES



Today is National Pig Day as well as Peanut Butter Lovers' Day. Please do not attempt to combine the two. For those who like to plan ahead, next week is national bubble week and national crochet week. If it's cold enough, you can try blowing bubbles and letting them freeze. If it's that cold, it would also be a good time to wear something crocheted.

Happy birthday this first week of March to Martha Cole and Joseph

Scherbarth, March 1; Ted Gilchrist, Patrick Love and Nori Pearce, March 2; Tia McKee and Sam Nieslanik, March 3; Matthew Goss, March 4; Brady Nay, March 5; Heather Merriam, Hayden Garcia, Brandon Jensen and George Back, March 6; Rylie Allen, March 7.

Happy anniversary to Dennis and Ruth Koenig, March 5.

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How Should We Study Doctrine?

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There are many ways to study doctrine.

One method is the Exegetical (or Expository) Theology. This simply deals with doctrinal subjects as we encounter them when we exposit the Scriptures. For example, during an exposition of Romans, we could explain the doctrine of justification when we

first encounter it in Romans 3:24. Through the years, I have done this many times.

Another way to study doctrine is the Systematic Theology approach. Many great works have been done here by men such as Charles Hodge, Augustus Strong, Henry Thiessen, and Louis Sperry Chafer. This approach simply takes each doctrinal topic in turn and systematically presents it, usually in outline form. Both of these approaches have their place, and I love both of them.

Another way to study doctrine, however, is the Catechism approach. **Catechism** is defined as, "A summary of the principles of the Christian faith in the form of questions and answers." This easy method has been used through the centuries as an effective means to teach doctrine. Children, for example, were taught in this way. When asked, for example, "What is the chief end of man?" they would immediately reply, "Man's chief end is to glorify God and to enjoy him forever."

This was, in fact, true right here in America. *The New England Primer*, first introduced in Boston in 1690 by Benjamin Harris, was the first textbook printed in America. For 100 years it was *the* beginning textbook of students. Even up to 1900 it remained a principle textbook in all types of American schools. Equivalent to today's 1st grade reader, the Founders, as well as most other Americans, learned to read from *The New England Primer*.

All editions of the *Primer* contained three areas. *First*, "The Rhyming Alphabet" displayed a short rhyme for each letter; "A" for example was, "Adam's Fall we sinned all," and "C" was, "Christ crucified for sinners died." *Second*, "An Alphabet of Lessons for Youth" listed each letter of the alphabet with a Bible verse beside it. *Third*, "The Shorter Catechism" of the Westminster Confession of Faith gave the student a firm foundation in biblical doctrine. The value of this catechism was explained in 1843 edition of the *Primer*:

"Our Puritan Fathers brought the Shorter Catechism with them across the ocean and laid it on the same shelf with family Bible. They taught it diligently to their children . . . If in this Catechism the true and fundamental

doctrines of the Gospel are expressed in fewer and better words and definitions than in any other summary, why ought we not now to train up a child in the way he should go—why not now put him in possession of the richest treasure that ever human wisdom and industry accumulated to draw from?"

In addition to the *Primer*, other textbooks, such as geography, science, and even math were based on Scripture.

Needless to say, that is no longer true in this nation. We kicked God out of the classroom long ago and are seeing the consequences of that madness every day. But even more tragic is the fact that we're not doing this in our churches either. We are teaching our children to be as experienced oriented as we are. We teach them little definitive truth, even less discernment, and very few absolutes.

Among the greatest of the evangelical catechisms were the Longer and Shorter Catechisms of the Westminster Confession Faith of 1647, the confessions of Presbyterians. Much of its language was written into the Savoy Declaration of 1658 of the Congregationalists and the London Baptist Confession of 1689. In fact, as Baptist Charles Spurgeon wrote of the latter, it differs only from the Westminster in the areas of Baptism, the Lord's Supper, and Church government. Spurgeon's *Puritan Catechism*, in fact, is much like that of the Westminster Shorter, as is the one by Benjamin Keach, also a Baptist. Spurgeon is worth quoting here:

"I'm persuaded that the use of a good Catechism in all our families will be a great safeguard against the increasing errors of the times, and therefore I have compiled this little manual from the Westminster Assembly's and Baptist Catechisms, for the use of my own church and congregation. Those who use it in their families or classes must labour to explain the sense; but the words should be carefully learned by heart, for they will be understood better as years pass."

This prepares us for our study. In the next several installments, I would like to encourage you with one of the most pivotal statements that appears in the Westminster Shorter Catechism, Spurgeon's Puritan Catechism, and Keach's Catechism: *What is the chief end of man?*

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Food bank to receive an emergency grant

Special to the Herald Times

RANGELY I For the fifth time since the start of the economic downturn, El Pomar Foundation is distributing emergency funds to Colorado nonprofit organizations helping those who continue to struggle meeting basic needs. Throughout the state more than 150 nonprofit organizations that focus on direct human service support will receive grants totaling \$1 million over the next month, including Rangely Food Bank of Rio Blanco County, which will receive \$1,000. The money is being distributed through El Pomar's Colorado Assistance Fund V, a follow up to CAF I (\$1 million in November 2008), CAF II (\$1 million in August 2009), CAF III (\$1 million in early 2010) and CAF IV (\$1 million in early 2011).

Rangely Food Bank was recommended for funding by El Pomar Foundation's Northwest Regional Council, an advisory board of com-

munity leaders representing 10 counties in northeastern Colorado. The grant will be delivered March 1. Audrey Danner, Moffat County Commissioner, is a member of the Northwest Regional Council.

While there are indications that economic conditions may be improving, a recent survey of more than 150 Colorado health and human service providers conducted by El Pomar Foundation indicated that the needs are still great. According to respondents:

■ 88 percent saw an increase in demand for services over the last 12 months

■ 59 percent saw a decrease in donations over the last 12 months

Other grant recipients in northwestern Colorado include: Mountain Family Center \$10,000 (Grand County), Grand Valley Catholic Outreach, Inc. \$5,000 (Mesa County) and LoveInc. of the Yampa Valley \$1,500 (Routt County). In total, northwestern Colorado non-

profits have received a combined \$305,000 from CAF I-V.

"Throughout the state, health and human service providers are still challenged by an increase in demand for services coupled with a decrease in funding," said El Pomar chairman and CEO William J. Hybl. "The trustees of El Pomar feel strongly that this remains an area where the foundation can make a significant difference by providing resources for those organizations that are supporting Coloradans still struggling to get by on a daily basis."

El Pomar Foundation, based in Colorado Springs, is one of the oldest and largest private foundations in the Rocky Mountain West. El Pomar contributes approximately \$20 million annually through grants and community stewardship programs to support Colorado nonprofit organizations involved in health, human services, education, arts and humanities, and civic and community initiatives. Spencer and Julie Penrose

founded El Pomar in 1937.

The Northwest Regional Council is an El Pomar advisory board of local leaders representing Garfield, Grand, Jackson, Mesa, Moffat, Rio Blanco, and Routt. The council provides local insight and grant recommendations to trustees of El Pomar Foundation. Since its inception in 2004, the council has recommended grants totaling \$4.4 million. Council members include: Tillie Bishop, University of Colorado Regent (Grand Junction); Audrey Danner, Moffat County Commissioner (Craig); Tim Foster, President Colorado Mesa University (Grand Junction); Tom Kenning, regional president, Alpine Bank (Glenwood Springs); Gregg Rippey, Grand River Construction (Glenwood Springs); Diane Schwenke, president and CEO Grand Junction Area Chamber of Commerce (Grand Junction); Al White, Colorado Director of Tourism (Hayden); Jean White, State Senator District 8 (Hayden).

Legislature recognizes farms, ranches

Special to the Herald Times

RBC I Colorado farmers and ranchers who have maintained ownership and operation of their land for more than a century were recognized by the Colorado State Legislature today for their strength, endurance and perseverance despite the economic challenges modern farming and ranching presents.

Sen. Gail Schwartz, Senate Agriculture Committee chair, and Rep. Jerry Sonnenberg, House Agriculture Committee chair, sponsored Senate Joint Resolution 12-011, which was read on the floor in both the House and the Senate.

Sen. Schwartz and Rep. Sonnenberg supported Colorado middle and high school students

involved with the Colorado Preserve America Youth Summit in the drafting of the resolution. The youth summit is an award-winning program that creates opportunities for youth 13 to 18 to get into the field to learn about history, archeology, heritage tourism and preservation.

"We are so pleased to dedicate a day at the capitol to honor centennial family farms and ranches and their remarkable agricultural heritage," said Sen. Schwartz. "Their steadfastness across generations has truly shaped our state's identity, and has enabled them to endure over time to continue to feed their local communities and support the state economy."

"Today we honor the families that have provided the food and fiber

for over a hundred years," said Rep. Sonnenberg. "I am also proud of the students that made it a priority to recognize those instrumental in making agriculture a leading industry in Colorado."

The Colorado Centennial Farms program was started in 1986 by former Gov. Richard D. Lamm. The program recognizes that these farms are vital to Colorado's economy and history, and families of designated centennial farms are honored annually at the state fair in Pueblo, Colo. In the last 25 years, 414 family farms and ranches in 61 out of 64 Colorado counties have been designated through the program.

Colorado Centennial Farms was created by History Colorado and the Colorado Department of Agriculture

and is administered by the State Historical Fund. It supported by the Colorado State Fair and the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

"We appreciate the legislature's recognition of the contributions centennial farm and ranch families, and all family agriculture producers, make to Colorado and our nation," said Rebecca Goodwin, an Otero County centennial farm/ranch family. "For generations, our farm — along with many Colorado centennial farm and ranch families — have proudly helped feed America. We choose a way of life that has been a rich part of Colorado's heritage since before statehood, and we are proud to help it to become the state's second largest industry while still balancing stewardship of the land."

Breeder recognized nationally

MEEKER I Strang Black Angus, Meeker, Colo., has been recognized nationally by the American Angus Association® for having two registered Angus cows included in the association's 2012 Pathfinder® Report.

Only 2,027 of the nearly 30,000 American Angus Association members are represented in this year's report, according to Bill Bowman, chief operating officer and director of performance programs of the Association with headquarters in Saint Joseph, Mo.

The Pathfinder program identifies superior Angus cows based upon recorded performance traits economically important to efficient beef production. These traits include early and regular calving and heavy weaning weights, Bowman says. Over 1.9 million eligible dams and more than 6.5 million weaning records were examined to determine Pathfinder status. All registered Angus cows that meet the strict Pathfinder standards are listed, along with their owners, in the Pathfinder Report that is published annually by the association.

SOLAR CAR CHALLENGE RACE ...



Rangely Middle School seventh grade science students held a competition where they designed and built solar cars. Each group was given the same materials: a photovoltaic solar panel, balsa wood, motor, gears, wheels, tires and axles. Students then designed and constructed their cars, using concepts about friction, aerodynamics, gear ratios. Races were held to determine the winners using stop watches and distance. Students collaborated as teams to use critical thinking skills and integrate math concepts, as well as learning about the global implications of solar energy. First place: Antoinette Dorris and Katye Allred (left to right); second place (not pictured) Mikey Sheppard, Zach Sulser, Anthony Martin; (third place) Sean Woodall, Braylee Cassavaugh and Jarrod Fiscus (pictured left to right).

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— Look to regional tournament vs. Del Norte Tigers —

By DALE DUNBAR
Special to the Herald Times

MEEKER I The Meeker Cowboys won the District 5 tournament in Kremmling in convincing fashion Friday and Saturday with victories over Paonia on Friday 62-43 and West Grand on Saturday 70-56. With the wins, Meeker received the top seed in the Region 5 tournament this weekend in Grand Junction at Colorado Mesa University.

Friday in Kremmling, the Cowboys started the semi-finals of the tournament against the Paonia Eagles whom they had already beaten twice during the season. The Cowboys wasted no time getting on the scoreboard as Cooper and Gable Smith paced the 'Pokes to a 16-11 first quarter lead.

Meeker increased their scoring in the second with Trey Morris accounting for the majority of the quarter's points. At halftime, the 'Pokes had posted an 11 point half-time lead 35-24. Meeker seems to get rejuvenated on defense over the break and the third period was no exception. Holding the Eagles to just six points, Meeker again increased its lead to 15 at the end of the third quarter 45-30. A 16-12 run in the final game propelled Meeker into the championship game against the West Grand Mustangs who earlier in the day upset Hayden. Cooper Smith led all scorers in the game with 19 points.

Saturday's championship tilt

marked the fourth time in the past six years the Cowboys have had the opportunity to play for the trophy. West Grand wasn't about to give up the gold on the home court easily. The Mustangs quickly jumped out to a nine point lead on the strength of solid three point shooting to end the first quarter up 23-14. Having faced deficits that large this season, the Cowboys began their workmanlike effort to get back into the game. Shutting down the West Grand's offense and limiting them to three field goals and four free throws in the second quarter Meeker's offense regained command of the game 34-33 at the halftime break. The third period was a defense effort on both sides, but Meeker was able to gain the upper hand in the quarter, and a 50-39 lead to start the fourth period. Meeker used free throws to put the game away in the final period shooting a torrid 12 of 15 from the charity stripe while also canning four field goals. The final score 70-56 brought the championship trophy back home to the Cowboys trophy case after a two-year hiatus.

Saturday's championship marked the third District 5 tournament championship in the past six years for Cowboy coach Klark Kindler. With the win Meeker will now be the number one seed in the regional tournament that begins Friday in Grand Junction. The 'Pokes will square off against the Del Norte Tigers (16-7) in their first game at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Colorado Mesa University



Meeker senior Trey Morris dribbles around a West Grand defender in the District championship game last Saturday in Kremmling. The Cowboys won 70-56 and will be the No. 1 seed in the regional tournament, playing Del Norte Friday at 7:30 p.m. Morris finished the game with 12 points.



Cowboy senior Cooper Smith goes up for two of his 26 points in the district championship game against the West Grand Mustangs. Smith also led the Cowboys with 19 points in the semifinal game against the Paonia Eagles. Smith and his younger brother Gable have been a welcome addition to the team this season.

gymnasium.

Preliminary scouting reports have the Tigers as a team that averages 6-feet in height, a very scrappy bunch that play good defense. Should the Cowboys prove victorious in the game against Del Norte, they will play on Saturday against the winner of Lutheran (13-9) vs. Telluride (11-9). Many pundits are

predicting a Meeker vs. Lutheran game on Saturday with the winner advancing to the Elite Eight and the state tournament in Pueblo next week.

Lutheran has played a vigorous schedule this season and should prove to be a good challenge for the Cowboys. Championship game time is set for 12:30 p.m.

Ladies earn 2nd at districts

By BECCA NIELSEN
Special to the Herald Times

MEEKER I Meeker defeated the Rangely Panthers Friday, Jan. 23 to move into the championship game in the district tournament held in Kremmling. Saturday the Lady Cowboys lost to Paonia, ranked number one in the state for 2A girls' basketball.

Meeker's second place finish sends the eighth-ranked lady Cowboys to Durango where they will compete against Del Norte Friday night at 7 p.m. The winner of this game will advance Saturday into the "Sweet 16" portion of the state playoffs against the victor of the Hoene and Ridgeway game. Saturday's winner is then part of the "great 8" and will progress to play in the state tournament in Pueblo.

The lady Cowboys started their weekend off with a bang. They outscored the Panthers 13-7 in the first quarter. The second quarter Meeker lost sight of the rim and was outscored by three. Halftime closed with Meeker leading 23-20. In a third quarter rush the lady Cowboys quickly added nine points to the board while holding Rangely to only four. Late in the quarter, the Panthers rallied again to close the gap, but with Meeker still in the lead 35-30. To begin the fourth period the lady Cowboys seized an 11-point lead until a couple key turnovers changed the momentum and Rangely capitalized on the line to make it a four point game. With 35 seconds left in fourth quarter both teams were in double bonus and Rangely was forced to foul. Meeker hit their last four out of eight shots at the line to stay alive.

The majority of the lady Cowboys team contributed to this win as eight players scored. Junior Kaysyn Chintala led with eight, junior Katie Dinwiddie and sophomore Taylor Neilson both bucketed seven, senior Kathryn Doll and sophomore Aly Ridings cashed in six each, senior Aubrey Walsh and freshman Sydney Hughes each had five, and junior Kacey Collins drained four.

Playing Paonia in the championship game, Meeker could not find the bucket for the first 2 minutes and Paonia led 11-0. Finally, Hughes opened up the game with two and the rest of the team followed suit as the first period ended 16-13, Paonia. Meeker came out firing, but Paonia could not miss leaving the lady



Meeker senior Kathryn Doll pulls in a rebound over Rangely's Quincey Thacker in the first round of the district tournament. Meeker beat Rangely but lost to Paonia in the championship game.

Cowboys down by 14 (35-21) at the half way marker. The Eagles stretched out their lead in the third quarter 61-34. Finally in the fourth quarter Meeker picked up speed to outscore the Eagles 12-8, but the buzzer sounded and Meeker lost the battle 69-46. Paonia was shooting the lights out in this game as they shot the best percentage they have all season.

Once again the Cowboys showed a team effort as 10 girls found the score board. Hughes dished in 10, Chintala and Neilson each added seven, sophomore Piper Haney drained six, Collins bucketed four, Walsh and Ridings each made three, and Dinwiddie and junior Bailey Atwood had a bucket a piece. Commenting on the even scoring, head coach Greg Chintala felt that the lady Cowboys "played well."

"It was a definite team effort; we got quality minutes from the entire team in both games."

As for the rest of the district tournament, Hayden defeated Rangely to win the consolation bracket. Paonia will play in Grand Junction, Hayden and Rangely will both travel to separate Denver locations to compete in their brackets of the regional tournament.

Lady Panthers finish 4th

— Play Lutheran Friday in Denver —

By BOBBY GUTIERREZ
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RANGELY I After losses to Meeker and Hayden in the district tournament, the lady Panther basketball team will advance as the fourth seed in the Region 4 tournament this weekend in Denver and will play Lutheran at Metro State College at 6 p.m. Friday.

Rangely lost 44-48 in the district semifinals to Meeker, then lost 43-61 to Hayden in the consolation game Saturday in Kremmling.

"It was another close game with Meeker," head coach Jimmie Mergelman said. "We kind of ran into some bad luck with Hailee (Russell) spraining her ankle in warmups, so she could not play. She has started practicing as of today, so that she will be able to play this weekend."

Rangely trailed by five points in the first quarter of the Meeker game, with Brittany Babineaux scoring five of her team's seven points, including a three pointer. Babineaux scored five more in the second quarter, while classmate Quincey Thacker added six and lone senior Haeley Enterline added a basket to help their team pull within three at halftime.

Babineaux, who led all scorers with 17 in the game, scored six more in the third quarter but Rangely was outscored 12-10 and trailed 30-35 going into the final quarter. The lady Panthers made a run and outscored Meeker by one point in the fourth quarter but it wasn't enough.



Rangely senior Haeley Enterline reaches out for a rebound over Meeker's Taylor Neilson, with teammate Brittany Babineaux also ready. The lady Panthers will play Lutheran in the District 4 regional tournament held at Metro State College this Friday, starting at 6 p.m.

Thacker finished in double figures with 13 points, Enterline added six, ?? Frichen scored four, Kelsey Prosser two and Aimee Hogan made a free throw.

"I thought we played OK against Hayden but definitely not up to our potential and Hayden played well last weekend," Mergelman said.

Thacker scored 10 of Rangely's 13 points in the first quarter and Babineaux added a three-pointer but the Panthers still trailed by two after eight minutes of play. Hayden scored 15 more in the second quarter and led by seven at halftime.

Babineaux hit another three-pointer and scored eight points of Rangely's 11 points in the third quarter but Hayden's Erin Koehler scored 12 by herself, giving the lady Tigers

a 48-34 lead with one quarter left to play, where the Panthers were out scored 9-13.

Babineaux again led the Panthers with 19 points, Thacker finished with 15, Enterline, Hogan and Fricken each added two and Holly Lepro added a free throw.

The lady Panthers are one of 32, 2A teams remaining and in the first round of state playoffs, which begin being played around the state this Friday with the "Elite Eight" emerging Saturday.

"We have Lutheran (16-5) on Friday night at Metro State College at 6 p.m.," Mergelman said of the next challenge for her 14-8 lady Panthers. "They are a good team but definitely beatable if we all play well and together as a team."



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CHAMPIONS of the WEEK



Brittany Babineaux, Junior Rangely High School

Babineaux led the lady Panthers in scoring last weekend in district games against Meeker and Hayden. Babineaux scored 17 points against the Cowboys and 19 against the Tigers. The lady Panthers will now play Lutheran in the first round of the Region 4 tournament Friday at 6 p.m., at Metro State College in Denver.

MHS Boys' Basketball Team Meeker High School

The Cowboys were the 2012 northwest league champs and won the district tournament last weekend in Kremmling and will now advance to the Region 5 tournament as the No. 1 seed. The Cowboys have a 20-1 record and will play the Del Norte Tigers at 7:30 p.m., at Colorado Mesa University in Grand Junction this Friday.



Meeker youth wrestling sign-up March 6

MEEKER I Sign up for K-6 youth wrestling in Meeker will be March 6 at 6 p.m. at the Meeker High School wrestling room. Practice will start Thursday, March 8 for third- through sixth-graders and Monday, March 19 for K-2. The first youth wrestling tournament will be March 31 in Craig. Practice times and a tournament schedule will be available at registration. Please bring any and all singlets and shoes issued for redistribution. Registration is \$10 and T-shirts will be ordered. There is an \$8 registration fee for each tournament.

Wrestlers open in Craig



Barone Middle School head wrestling coach Lee Overton said his team "wrestled well" in their first tournament last Saturday in Craig, including some beginners like Sam Nieslanik (above). "Sam won his first three matches," Overton said. The young Cowboys won four of five duals in Craig and will compete in Hayden this Saturday.

By **BOBBY GUTIERREZ**
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MEEKER I "It was a successful first outing," Barone Middle School wrestling coach Lee Overton said of the five duals the young Cowboys wrestled in Craig last Saturday. "We're growing in numbers and starting to have more success."

The BMS wrestlers beat Rifle (63-31), Steamboat Springs (69-21), Rangely (54-27) and Orchard Mesa (57-30) before losing to Craig 27-64. Seventh-grader Casey Turner

was the only Cowboy to wrestle and win all five of his matches, all by pin fall at 110 pounds. Eighth-graders Dillon Frantz (140) and Devon Pontine (155) both wrestled and pinned all four of their opponents and classmate T.J. Shelton pinned all three of his opponents at 165.

"We had 15 varsity wrestlers and seven wrestled as independents," Overton said. "We had a lot of beginners perform very well. Tom Chitwood won four matches, Sam Nieslanik won his first three matches and Cody Nielson came from behind

twice to win."

Seventh-graders Sheridan Harvey (90) and Josh Cochran (95) went 4-1 during the day, as did eighth-grader Robby Jensen (105). Jacob Henderson (115) won three matches, Hunter Garcia (120), Connor Fisher (125) and Jake Neilsen (130) each won two, Brenan Guire (85) and Chase Rule (135) each won a match, while Nick Burri (100) and Caleb Bradford (145) will try for their first win this Saturday.

Meeker will compete in a bracketed tournament Saturday in Hayden.

HOOPS ...



Meeker's Cole Rogers finished second in the 8-9 year old division of the state competition of the Elks National "Hoop Shoot" Free Throw Contest, making 19 of 25 free throws last weekend in Salida. Rogers won the local and district competition, qualifying him for the state contest, where he tied for second and made 4 of 5 in a shoot off to secure the second place trophy. The champion made 20 of 25.



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4/9 @ GJHS-Frosch/So - 12 noon
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OBITUARIES

Daryl Ivie

May 3, 1930 ~ Feb. 17, 2012

Daryl Dean Ivie passed away peacefully at the VA Community Living Center in Grand Junction, Colo., on Feb. 17, 2012. Daryl was born in Aurora, Utah, to Ernest and Flora (Mason) Ivie on May 3, 1930. He joined the Marines and was on active duty from Dec. 1951 thru Dec. 1954 and served in the Korean War for 14 months.

He married Alice Brandt in May 1954. Daryl started ranching at a young age. He owned his own ranch in Meeker, Colo., from 1955-1974. He loved the outdoors. He could always be found in the hay fields or working with cattle. He also loved hunting, fishing, camping, bowling and the occasional trip to any handy

casino. After retiring from ranching, he and Alice started traveling with their RV, becoming camp hosts at many campgrounds in Colorado and Arizona.

Daryl was preceded in death by his parents; his brothers Rex and Lenard Ivie, and grandson Travis Ivie. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Alice Ivie and five children: Gary Ivie (Linda) of Grand Junction, Colo., Terry Ivie (Gala) of Meeker, Colo., Don Ivie (Cher) of Eagle, Colo., Cheryl Foster (Steve) of Cedaredge, Colo., Holly Ivie of St. George, Utah.; 10 grandchildren, Heather, Amanda, Shelli, Clay, Nathan, Tyson, Stephanie, Stacey, Shanie, Kaden.; 12 great-grandchild-



Daryl Ivie

Services for Daryl are to be held on March 16, at 1 p.m., at the Veterans Memorial Cemetery of Western Colorado in Grand Junction, Colo. The family asks that donations can be made to the VA Community Living Center, 2121 North Ave., Grand Junction, Colo., 81501.

dren, Kourtini, Dalton, Sierra, Addison, Parker, Emily, Reagan, Cali, Cadence, Ethan, Tommy, and Cooper. He is also survived by his sister Arloa Young.

Ronald Wayne Ereckson (Cooper)

Oct. 11, 1968 ~ Feb. 14, 2012

Wayne Ereckson (Cooper), 43, of Las Vegas, Nev., passed away at his home.

Wayne was born in Vernal, Utah, on Oct. 11, 1968, to Corrine and Ronald Ereckson.

Wayne and Corrine moved to Rangely, Colo., in 1970. Corrine soon married Norman Cooper of Rangely.

Wayne was graduated from Rangely High School and went on to CNCC and majored in IMP.

Wayne worked as a mechanic in Colorado, Utah, Wyoming and Nevada.

Wayne is survived by his fathers, Norman Cooper and Ronald Ereckson, brother Kurtis Cooper, son Jesse Ereckson, nephew Korbin Cooper, niece Skyely Cooper and many aunts, uncles and cousins that dearly loved him and he will be missed by all.

Wayne is preceded in death by



Ronald Ereckson

his mother Corrine Cooper and his brother Jeffery Cooper.

A memorial service will be held on March 5, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at the Christian Church in Rangely, Colo.

Cynthia Lou Blanco

March 2, 1959 ~ Feb. 24, 2012

Cynthia Lou Blanco was born March 2, 1959, in Fort Dodge, Iowa, to Sharon Kay Askeland.

Blanco had two children, Anna born in 1982 and Jason Jay, born in 1985. She had four sisters: JuaNita, Ronda, Sonja and Shar; one brother, Heath; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews and a number of great friends.

In the end, Cynthia was disabled but enjoyed numerous jobs in her life including traveling with the carnival, bartending, bouncing, housekeeping and anything else that kept her busy.

She loved going camping and fishing with her friends and family above Meeker and watching the fireworks on the Fourth of July. She loved family dinners around the table

and just hanging out with her family and friends.

Cynthia was a runaway from the time she was 13 years old. Even after she became an adult, she never seemed to stay in one place for long, going from Iowa to Colorado and even to Mexico. She just never seemed to be content until she moved to Rangely. She loved the people and finally felt like she belonged. She was home for the first time in her life. Cynthia had a heart of gold and a sense of humor loved by all who knew her. She made a huge impact on every person she met and will be missed deeply by all. Cynthia is preceded in death by her mother, grandparents, a brother-in-law and a nephew.



Cynthia Blanco

Services will be held at the Bible Baptist Church on East Main in Rangely, March 2, 2012, at 12:30 p.m., followed by a birthday celebration of her life at the Elk Lodge afterward. In lieu of flowers, the family is asking

for memorial contributions. An account has been set up at the First National Bank of the Rockies in the name of Cynthia Blanco. Arrangements and services were entrusted to the care of the Blackburn Rio Blanco Funeral Home.

RIO BLANCO COUNTY DAYS GONE BY

The Meeker Herald — 100 years ago

■ One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the winter was the "Pumpkin Rollers" dance, given last evening by Charley Bloomfield and his fellow dry farmer of Oakridge park.

■ The Gem theatre picture shows are good; Thursday, Saturday and Sunday nights.

■ New photograph gallery, Seventh and Water streets, one block south of Dougan's blacksmith shop — the Big Tent. Photo work done to order.

■ Tom Kilduff was looking over K-T cattle interest in the lower country during the week. He returned to town last evening.

The Meeker Herald — 50 years ago

■ Welcome "Podna" to the Stage Coach Inn. Dance to Al Wear's "4 Wheels."

■ Meeker's undefeated Ray McKee won the state division II, 180 pound mat title at Englewood Saturday night.

■ For those hunters who get too many jackrabbits, you might consider selling them to the Craig Steel and Salvage Company. This company has purchased 33,000 jackrabbits at 50 cents each so far this season. The rabbits are trucked to Laramie, Why., where the pelts are used to make felt for hats and the carcasses become mink food.

The Meeker Herald — 25 years ago

■ In what he hopes will be a long and prosperous friendship, automobile importer Malcomb Bricklin and his friends laid out the welcome mat for about 50 community leaders Wednesday afternoon at his recently purchased lodge upriver.

■ For the first time in seven years and just the second in the past 20 seasons, the Meeker Cowboys have a

chance to play in the state basketball tournament — if they can get by the Olathe Pirates in Friday's district tournament game.

Rangely Times — 45 years ago

■ Swinging to victory in the NWL, the Panthers head for further glory Friday in the district tournament: coach Bob Plant, Kent Oldham, Don Roberts, Larry Gierhart, Ron Brenton, Jack Dembowski, Dale Kenyon, coach William McDaniel, Mark Row, Pete Miller, Dale Matrisciano, Junior Matrisciano, Gary Chism, Jerry Mobley, Mike Hutton and Tony McPhail.

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Rangely Times — 35 years ago

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Rangely Times — 25 years ago

■ Continuing efforts to reduce its cost of production, Deserado Mine announced the layoff of 38 more employees.

■ It took more than 1.5 hours to go over nine policy issues regarding mobile home regulations.

■ Tuesday morning around 2-3 a.m., a white female, 20, was raped, bound and gagged in her college dormitory room. A full investigation is underway.

■ Thirty-four Panther middle and high school students attended the solo and ensemble festival, including Monica Correll, Maura McBride, Laura Atkinson, Scott Cline, Michelle Atchley, Shawnee Tomlinson, Christ Rogers, Michelle Kiggins, Leah McBride, Joel Gerhart, MaryLou Allred, Monica Deliz, Dawn Henricks, Bryan Conkle, Lisa Norlin and Billy Jo Smithy.

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Notification of meeting for the Rangely Town Council, Board of Trustees

The Town of Rangely Town Council meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month starting at 7:00 p.m. in the Court Room at 209 E Main, Rangely, CO 81648. Agendas are posted in the lobby at Town Hall and at the Rangely District Library. The meetings are televised live on channel 3 through Bresnan Cable TV. All meetings are open to the public.

District Court RIO BLANCO County, Colorado, Court Address: 555 Main Street, PO Box 1150, Meeker, CO 81641

In the Matter of the Petition of:
Parent/Petitioner: Christy Lynn Richardson for Minor Child: Ghislaine Annalise Tapia
For a Change of Name to:
Ghislaine Annalise Richardson
Case Number 12CV7

PUBLIC NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Public Notice is given on 2/24/12 that a Petition for a Change of Name of a Minor Child has been filed with the RIO BLANCO COMBINED Court, PO Box 1150, 555 Main Street, Meeker, Colorado 81641.

The Petition requests that the name of Ghislaine Annalise Tapia be changed to Ghislaine Annalise Richardson.

Susan Mills
Clerk of Court
By *Is/Joan Jensen*
Deputy Clerk

Published: March 1, 8 and 15, 2012
Rio Blanco Herald Times

PUBLIC NOTICE RIO BLANCO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HEARING

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, April 9, 2012 the Rio Blanco County Board of Commissioners will hold a public hearing beginning at 1:15 p.m. at the Rio Blanco County Administration Building, 200 Main Street, Meeker, Colorado, to consider the following: Brennan Minor Subdivision #12-02, Rezoning #12-1 and Conditional Use Permit #12-1 - the applicant, James Brennan/Lov Land Co., L.L.P., is proposing the Brennan Minor Subdivision, creating 3 2-acre lots and rezoning those lots from Agriculture to Mixed Commercial (MC). Also included is a request for a Conditional Use Permit to allow residential dwelling in the MC zoning district and a summer-time-only residential use of an RV on the remaining acreage outside of the platted subdivision (located in Sections 16 & 21, T2S, R97W, 6th P.M., PIN #166121200004) Copies of the documents may be obtained from the Planning and Development Department at 200 Main Street in Meeker, Colorado, or you may call (970) 878-9580 for more information between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Published: March 1, 2012
Rio Blanco Herald Times

Public Notice

A public hearing has been scheduled for March 6, 2012 at 7:15 pm at the Meeker Town Hall, 345 Market Street, to consider a Special Events License request by the Meeker Chamber of Commerce to be used at 200 Main Street, Meeker, CO 81641 for After Birth Ball on April 21, 2012 from 5:00 pm to 12:00 am. Information or questions please call Town Hall 970-878-5344.
\$Kathleen Sizemore
Liquor Clerk
Published: 03-01-2012
Rio Blanco Herald Times

LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE RANGELY JUNIOR COLLEGE DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES Regular Session Monday, March 5, 2012 Johnson Building Banquet Room

AGENDA

- 12:00 noon
- 1.0 Call Meeting to Order
 - 1.1 Changes to the Agenda
- 2.0 Consideration of Previous Minutes
 - 2.1 Approval of the Monday, February 6, 2012 RJCD Board minutes
- 3.0 Action/Discussion Items
 - 3.1 CNCC College Report - Russell George
 - 3.2 Future plans for Rector Building - John Bottelberghe
Tour of Rector Building - Todd Ward
 - 3.3 Payment of RJCD bills - Linda Gordon
- 4.0 Other
- 5.0 Adjournment

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REVISED TOWN OF MEEKER BOARD OF TRUSTEES AGENDA

March 6, 2012 - 7:00 P.M.
Town Hall - 345 Market Street

- I. Call to Order
 - II. Roll Call
 - III. Approval of the Agenda
 - IV. Approval of the Previous Minutes
 - V. Approval of the Monthly Vouchers
 - VI. Public Participation
 - VII. New Business
 - A. Request from Meeker Chamber of Commerce for Special Events Liquor License approval for The After Birth Ball Fundraiser, April 21, 2012, event to be held at the Fairfield Center, 200 Main Street B. Wells Fargo Presentation
 - C. Presentation by Kate Nowak, Yampa Valley Partners concerning grant project to Raise Recycling Access - Rio Blanco County
 - D. Public Hearing 7:45 P.M. - Consideration of Ordinance #1, Series 2012, An Ordinance Authorizing The Sale And Disposal Of A Certain Portion Of Real Property Located In The Ute Park Triangle Parcel, Described As: A Portion Of The Parcel Of Land, Located South Of Main Street And North Of Highway 13, And Authorizing The Grant Of A Certain Distribution Line And Transmission Line Utility Easement To The White River Electric Association, Inc., As Provided By The Memorandum Of Understanding Between The Town Of Meeker And The White River Electric Association, Inc., Dated February 7, 2012.
 - E. Bid award for new 2012 1/2 ton 4 wheel drive extended cab pickup
 - F. Decision concerning request from SGM for change order to the Market Street Sidewalks/Trails project
 - IX. Mayor's Remarks
 - X. Town Manager's Reports
 - XI. Town Attorney's Reports
 - XII. Other Board Business
 - XIII. Adjournment
- Published: March 1, 2012
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MEEKER SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1 Board of Education Meeting

Tuesday, March 6, 2012 • 7:00 p.m.
Meeker High School Cafeteria
550 School Street

Agenda

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Action: Approval of the Agenda
- Presentation: Reading Therapy Dogs
- Action: Approval of the Minutes
- Presentation: ES Repairs Update
- Discussion/Possible Action: Terracon Geotechnical

LEGAL NOTICES

MEEKER SANITATION DISTRICT March 7, 2012 • 7:00 PM REGULAR BOARD MEETING

The Regular Board Meeting of the Meeker Sanitation District will be held at the Meeker Sanitation District Office, 265 8th Street, Meeker, Colorado.

1. Call to order
2. Additions or Changes to the Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Public Comments
5. New Business
6. Old Business
 - A. Disinfection System Progress
 - B. 8th Street Settling Progress
 - C. Rate Study Progress
 - D. Vault Wastewater Report
 - E. Plant Report
 7. Attorney
 8. Board
 - A. Delinquent Accounts
 - B. Approve Current Bills
 - C. Employee Hours Review
 - D. Election
 9. Recess

This agenda is subject to change without further notice. Agenda is posted at the office of the Meeker Sanitation District, 265 8th Street.

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PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, March 6, 2012, the Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing at Town Hall, 345 Market Street, Meeker, Colorado. The public hearing will be held at 7:45 p.m. to consider Ordinance #1, Series 2012, An Ordinance Authorizing The Sale And Disposal Of A Certain Portion Of Real Property Located In The Ute Park Triangle Parcel, Described As: A Portion Of The Parcel Of Land, Located South Of Main Street And North Of Highway 13, And Authorizing The Grant Of A Certain Distribution Line And Transmission Line Utility Easement To The White River Electric Association, Inc., As Provided By The Memorandum Of Understanding Between The Town Of Meeker And The White River Electric Association, Inc., Dated February 7 2012.

Further information is available at Town Hall, 345 Market Street, during regular business hours or you may call 970-878-4960.
Sharon Day
Town Administrator
Published: March 1, 2012
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LEGAL NOTICES

Services Agreement

Public Input
Action: Meeker Education Foundation
Action: Meeker Education Foundation Board of Directors
Information
Other
Adjournment
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COMBINED NOTICE CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 11-39

To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:

On December 21, 2011, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.

Original Grantor(s): Calvin Leischer
Original Beneficiary(ies): Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as nominee for Fidelity Mortgage Company
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: Wells Fargo Bank, NA
Date of Deed of Trust: 7/24/2008
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 7/24/2008
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 293058
Original Principal Amount: \$123,068.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$119,022.76

Pursuant to CRS §38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.

THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN. LOT 18, TAMARRON SUBDIVISION, TOWN OF RANGELY, COUNTY OF RIO BLANCO, STATE OF COLORADO.

Also known by street and number as: 243 East Raven Avenue, Rangely, CO 81648. THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.

NOTICE OF SALE

The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.

THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 04/18/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Court-house, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.

First Publication: 2/23/2012
Last Publication: 3/22/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times

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A NOTICE OF INTENT TO CURE FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-104 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO THE FIRST SCHEDULED SALE DATE OR ANY DATE TO WHICH THE SALE IS CONTINUED; A NOTICE OF INTENT TO REDEEM FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-302 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE NO MORE THAN EIGHT (8) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER THE SALE;

DATE: 12/22/2011

Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold

By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
Robert J. Aronowitz, Esq. #5673, Monica Kadmas #34904, Randall M. Chin, Esq. #31149, Stacey L. Aronowitz, Esq. #36290, Andrea Rickles-Jordan #39005, Susan J. Hendrick #33196, Joel T. Mecklenberg, Esq. #36291, Joan Olson, Esq. #28078, Lisa Cancanon Esq. #42043
Aronowitz & Mecklenberg, L.L.P. 1199 Bannock Street, Denver, CO 80204 (303) 813-1177
Attorney File # 9105.03115

The Attorney above is acting as a debt collector and is attempting to collect a debt. Any information provided may be used for that purpose.
(c)Public Trustees' Association of Colorado Revised 6/2011

LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF DINOSAUR DISBURSEMENTS FOR FEBRUARY 2012

VENDOR, DESCRIPTION, TOTAL
Gross Salaries, \$4,605.53
Contract Labor, \$-
P.E.R.A., Monthly Contributions, \$996.15
Colorado Dept. of Revenue, CWT, \$113.00
First National Bank of the Rockies, FW/ Med, \$443.56
Centurylink, Phone, Fax, \$171.63
Gateway Services, Gas, Oil, Grease, \$385.98
Moon Lake Electric, Electricity, \$1,285.43
Rangely Trash Service, Trash Service, \$82.00
Rio Blanco Herald Times, Disbursements, \$20.16
White River Electric, Internet service, \$49.95
Garfield & Hecht P.C., Professional services, \$30.00
Mesa County Health Dept, Water test, \$20.00
Caselle Inc, Support, \$241.00
Walmart, Bleach, charger, cleaners, coffee, \$187.14
Personnel Concepts, Law Posters, \$151.85
Moffat County, 1st Qtr Law Enforcement, \$12,000.00
Office Depot, Pencils, calendar, post its, certificates, \$62.25
International Code Council, Member dues, \$125.00
HACH, Chlorine pillow packs, \$185.95
Basin Rentals Inc., Concrete saw, \$38.00
West, Court law books, \$222.50
TOTAL ACCOUNTS PAYABLE, \$21,417.08
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

ATV, BOAT and Snowmobile Owners! You can now renew your Colorado OHV registrations on line at: www.parks.state.co.us



The Rio Blanco Herald Times accepts all major credit cards. You can fax your classified ad or subscription to (970)878-4016 or email to: deb@theheraldtimes.com

RIO BLANCO Masonic Lodge #80 meets 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:00pm, at 7th and Park, Meeker.

SAFEHOUSE

If you are being abused physically or mentally, you can call SAFEHOUSE for confidential shelter and help.

MEEKER CAT Coalition accepting cat food or monetary donations for spay/neuter and health care. Donations may be left at The Vet Clinic in Meeker or call 878-3560 or 878-4429 for more information.



RECYCLE THIS NEWSPAPER

COMBINED NOTICE

CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 11-38

To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:

On December 9, 2011, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.

Original Grantor(s): James I. Owens
Original Beneficiary(ies): PPF NEWCO, LLC
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: PPF NEWCO, LLC
Date of Deed of Trust: 5/9/2011
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 5/10/2011
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 301202
Re-Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 5/23/2011
Re-Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 301283
Original Principal Amount: \$300,000.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$300,000.00

Pursuant to CRS §38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.

THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN.

Covering the land in the State of Colorado, County of Rio Blanco described as:

Township 1 North, Range 94 West of the 6th P.M.
A parcel of land described as beginning at the Corner No. 6 of Tract No. 109, Section 34, Township 1 North, Range 94 West of the 6th P.M.,
Running thence North 89°48' East along tract line, 1335.2 feet to Corner No.5 Tract No. 109;
Thence South 0°05' East along tract line, 1320.00 feet to Corner No. 4;
Thence South 89°47' West along tract line a distance of 1303.0 feet;
Thence North 0°05' West a distance of 50.0 feet;
Thence South 89°47' West a distance of 32.0 feet;
Thence North 0°05' West a distance of 1270.5 feet to said Corner No. 6
The place of beginning, all being in Tract No. 109, Township 1 North, Range 94 West of the 6th P.M., as shown by Plat of the Resurvey approved October 31, 908.

TOGETHER with all water and water rights, ditches and ditch rights, including 5 shares in the Miller Creek Ditch, the water reserved from the Miller Creek Ditch through the ditch line east of the land described herein for the purpose of irrigating 3 or 4 acres lying under said ditch and between the ditch and the creek as reserved in Book 266 at Page 379.

TOGETHER with the Huff reservation of the right to run a sufficient amount of their Miller Creek Ditch water through the ditch lying East of the land conveyed to the Dorrels for the purpose of irrigating three or four acres lying under said ditch and between the ditch and creek in that Warranty Deed from Frank A Huff and Evalon J Huff to Clinton Dorrell and Marge Love Dorrell recorded August 12, 1965 in Book 266 at Page 379, Reception No. 130430.

SUBJECT TO reservation contained in patent from the United States, prior mineral reservation, easements and rights-of-way in use or of record, including ditch easements, and utility easements.

Also known by street and number as: 1533 County Road 13, Meeker, CO 81641. THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.

NOTICE OF SALE

The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.

THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 04/11/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Court-house, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.

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DATE: 12/09/2011

Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold

By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
Lawrence F. Peek Attorney at Law 2910 Black Canyon Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80904 (719) 337-0308
Attorney File # Owens
The Attorney above is acting as a debt collector and is attempting to collect a debt. Any information provided may be used for that purpose.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

AA & Al-Anon Meetings - Rangely
Alcoholics Anonymous - Open meetings Tues & Thurs, 7 pm, 115 Kennedy Dr., St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, Rangely. Al-Anon meets Monday, 8:15 pm, 207 S. Sunset, 1st Baptist Church, Rangely. Al-Anon info call 970-629-5064 or 970-629-2970.

RANGELY ROCKCRAWLING & 4 Wheel Drive group in Rangely meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month at the Rio Blanco Water Users Building on Hwy. 64 at 7 p.m.

VFW POST 5843 and Ladies Auxiliary monthly meetings are now held at Kilowatt Korner in Meeker: VFW Post 5843 - 6:30 p.m. 2nd Monday. Ladies Auxiliary - 5:30 p.m., 2nd Thursday.

Alcoholics Anonymous

Mon. 8 pm, Weds. 7 pm, Fri. 7 pm
St. James Church - enter from back parking lot, meetings are downstairs in Richards Hall, 4th & Park, Meeker
878-4158 • 878-5919
• 878-5636

Rangely Victim Services

An open door for the protection and care of abused and battered persons. **Non-emergency call 629-5729 or 629-0709. Emergencies call 911.** Providing assistance for victims of violent

NEW EDEN Pregnancy Care Services - pregnancy tests, emergency supplies, guidance by trained volunteers, classes on pregnancy and child care, post-abortion support, referrals. Mondays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., 345 Main Street, Meeker. Email: newedenpcs@gmail.com or (970)878-5117. All services are confidential.

PENNIES PLUS PROJECT

The Rio Blanco County Historical Society is asking everyone to share your pennies (PLUS...all other coins accepted!) to help us pay off our book loan debt. **We need...10 MILLION PENNIES!!!** Coin containers are everywhere in Meeker as well as the White River Museum

MOMS GROUP meeting, open to anyone with a child 0-5 years, Grace Baptist Church, Rangely, first Thursday of every month, 8:45 a.m. to 11 a.m. Info. call Heather Zadra (970)629-9937

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www.pioneershospital.org

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Pioneers Hospital
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Veterans Service Offices
Rio Blanco County: Veterans Service Officer - Joe Dungan, Wednesday, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., County Administration Building, 200 Main Street Suite 300, Meeker. 878-9690 office, 878-3219 home. Fax 878-9581.
Rangely: Veterans Service Office - Tuesday and Thursday, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., County Annex, 17497 State Hwy 64, Rangely. 878-9695 office.

MEEKER LIONS CLUB BINGO
1st & 3rd Wednesdays
Dinner 6 p.m. • BINGO 6:30 p.m.
RBC Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall
Progressive Bingo
Concessions & Dinner Available
Meeker Streaker available for transportation to Bingo, call 878-9368.

Driver License Offices - Note: Drive tests by appointment only. Reinstatement info.: (303)205-5613. *Need proof of physical address to renew license.* Check website for renewal requirements: www.colorado.gov/revenue Meeker open 1st, 3rd & 5th Fridays, 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Rangely open 2nd & 4th Fridays, 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Craig open Mon. through Thurs., 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

MEEKER HOUSING Authority Board of Directors meet the 2nd Thursday of the month at 4 p.m. at The Pines, 875 Water St., Meeker.

RIO BLANCO County Woolgrowers will meet Friday, March 2, 2012 at Kilowatt Korner in Meeker. Trail meeting starts at 8 a.m. Regular meeting follows at 10 a.m. If you are interested in sheep/goats, you are invited to attend. Lunch will be served along with doughnuts and coffee in the morning.

I WILL be out of the salon March 5th-7th to attend facial training and product knowledge classes in Los Angeles, CA. Call today to request a facial for the month of March and April to receive 25% off Yonka skin care products. Cheryl at Tips to Toes in Meeker. (970)878-0505.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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PLEASE SAVE the date May 19, 2012 for the Fifth and Final Coach Bob Tucker Golf Tournament.

RADINO & CHUCKWAGON
Please call before 9:00 a.m. day of meal
878-5627 or 675-8112
Senior Citizen Nutrition Program
Meals served at noon.
Suggested Donation Over 60 - \$2.50. Under 60 - Guest Fee \$7.
****MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE****
FRIDAY, MAR. 2: Lasagna, green beans, tossed salad, holiday fruit mold, Italian bread. CAL:758, PRO:58, FAT:30, CAR:67, CHO:91, SOD:1014.
MONDAY, MAR. 5: Chili relleno casserole, Spanish rice, tossed salad, fruit cocktail. CAL:719, PRO:31, FAT:24, CAR:94, CHO:70, SOD:1425.
TUESDAY, MAR. 6: Baked ham with raisin sauce, au gratin potatoes, rainbow salad, cranberry mold. CAL:655, PRO:29, FAT:15, CAR:104, CHO:50, SOD:1380.
WEDNESDAY, MAR. 7: MEAL SITES CLOSED.
FRIDAY, MAR. 9: Fish sandwich, macaroni and cheese, red cabbage toss, apricots. CAL:820, PRO:33, FAT:32.

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- ◆ 340 CR 95, Dinosaur, 4 BdrM, 3 Ba, huge 3 car garage, wells, on 35 Acres, isolated beauty. \$270,000
- ◆ 226 Dakota, 1344 SF, Metal roof forced air and gas water heater, stove, refrigerator, 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath, unfinished 1/2 basement (528 sq. ft.). \$98,000
- ◆ 402 Lake St. Vacant Lot. Recent survey, soil samples, blue prints, ready to build. \$30,000
- ◆ COMMERCIAL BUSINESS: 322 W. Main St. White River Drive-In. Very clean. 1950s-style drive-in, recently updated, new ceiling, new stucco. \$285,000
- ◆ COMMERCIAL BUSINESS: 114 Steele St. NW Colorado's only full service laundry, turn key operation 10,000 SF lot with building and 2 bedroom rental apt. for extra income. \$395,000
- ◆ 889 Park Ave. Great potential! corner of Park and 9th Street, two lots, currently a church, and set up as a Day Care facility, chain link fencing and playground equipment in back. \$119,000
- ◆ 1188 County Rd 63: Unique property with secluded location, 5+ acres, 3 Bdrms 1 1/2 bath home, small pond, several outbuildings and 4 car carport. Good water, Beautiful landscaping with great exterior improvements. \$199,000
- ◆ 1112 Mark Circle, 4 brm, 2 3/4 bath, Super low heating bills, oversize lot, 1232 SF on each level, 2 car garage, Wood stove, Excellent views, lots of space \$189,000
- ◆ 440 Garfield Street: 768 SF on main level with 630 SF basement, 8x24 sunroom and 1246 SF garage on oversize 8625 SF lot. \$130,000
- ◆ 1153 Market Street: 15,000 SF lot with 2 bedroom, 1 bath home, Highway comm. Reduced to \$116,000.
- ◆ 7319 Hwy. 64: Large house with 5 bedrooms, 3.5 baths on 31 acres. Quonset hut with power and water. Priced to sell! \$340,000

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