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Stennett seeks temporary legislative replacement

Citing health concerns, senator will miss start of 2009 session

By Jared S. Hopkins Times-News writer

Idaho Senate Minority Leader Clint Stennett, D-Ketchum, announced Wednesday he will forgo the beginning of the 2009 Legislature, citing health concerns as he continues to battle brain cancer.

About a year ago, Stennett was diagnosed with brain

2008 Legislature. The prognosis remains positive but the latest part of his treatment that began last month has left him with adverse side affects, including extreme fatigue, according to a new release. Doctors want him to

"It is hard to know all the obstacles such an illness may place before you, but you

cancer and missed part of the tackle them one at a time, November was elected to an and continue to look forward," Stennett said in a statement. "I remain very fortunate to have the support of my wife, Michelle, and many good friends across Idaho, especially in the Wood River and Magic valleys. I am still positive about my health and look forward to working hard again for District 25."

Stennett. who

eighth term, is recommending Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter appoint Jon Thorson, former Sun Valley mayor, to temporarily replace him. Last year, Thorson filled in as Stennett recovered from brain surgery.

Rep. Wendy Jaquet, D-Stennett for years, said she wished him the best and will



me at the Legislature." Assistant Senate Minority Ketchum, who has known Leader Kate Kelly, D-Boise, will assume leadership duties while Stennett is absent.

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Jaquet said.

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The Associated Press

BOISE — Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter can't turn down a 3 per-

cent pay raise that bumps his salary to \$111,989 for 2009, the state attorney general's office says.

Otter wanted to reject the increase due

to the slumping economy. He has slashed 2009 state budgets by 4 percent, with more cuts planned for 2010.

"The governor was disappointed," his budget director, Wayne Hammon, told The Spokesman-Review Spokane, Wash. "We're bound

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Naranjo pleads guilty

Charge dropped to second-degree murder for 2007 killing of Vicente Gonzalez

By Andrea Jackson **Times-News writer**

A jury waited in wonder Wednesday as a man accused of first-degree murder confessed to a lesser charge in the fatal 2007 shooting of Vicente Gonzalez.

James Naranjo, 28, faces at least 11 and one-half years in prison after pleading guilty Wednesday to second-degree murder under an 11th-hour agreement that preempted his jury trial.

Jurors waited about two hours while lawyers chiseled out the last-minute bargain. Prosecutors plan to push for an indeterminate 21-year prison sentence.

Police say Gonzalez, who was 29 at the time of his murder, was shot multiple times at his home at 434 Fourth Ave. W., after a May 30, 2007, altercation at the Klover Klub in Twin Falls.

Three other men were charged and convicted of accessory to murder in the killing. Reves Duran, 28, got five years probation, while Ben Duran, 33, and Eric Gonzalez, 23, were sent to prison for two to five years.



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

James Naranjo listens to his attorneys Wednesday morning after pleading guilty to second-degree murder for the shooting death of Vicente Gonzalez on May 30, 2007, in Twin Falls. Naranjo faces at least 11 and one-half years in prison.



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WATCH: A video of James Naranjo admitting to second-degree murder in court.

"I shot at the house knowing there were people inside," Naranjo said Wednesday in court.

denied shooting He

Gonzalez in a 2007 police interview, court papers show. Gonzalez tried to hold his

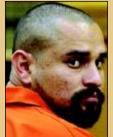
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"As with all cases like this, there were things on both sides." I think it's quite likely there would have been a second-degree conviction if it had gone to trial."

— Twin Falls County Prosecutor Grant Loebs

Other convictions

Three other men charged in connection to the May 2007 slaying of Vince Gonzalez were each convicted of accessory to murder.



Reyes Duran, 28, five years probation, no prison time



Ben Duran, 33, sent to prison for two to five years



Eric Gonzalez, 23, sent to prison for two to five years

T.F. district working to improve publicity

By Ben Botkin **Times-News writer**

Positive publicity can be

hard to come by. That's according to school officials in Twin Falls School District and Blaine County School District. They don't believe it's because the districts have a shortage of good

things going on. Following the lead of an eastern Idaho school district, the districts are planning to launch a series of public service announcements that highlight accomplishments, employees or programs. The PSAs will be broadcast on television and radio stations in the region, providing the public with information that

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WATCH: A clip from a public service announcement that Twin Falls School District has broadcast.

The President's club

Obama hails 'extraordinary' moment with past presidents

By Ben Feller

Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Confronting a grim economy and a Middle East on fire, Barack Obama turned Wednesday to perhaps the only people on the planet who understand what he's in for: the four living members of the U.S. presidents' club. In an image bound to go down in his-

tory, every living U.S. president came together at the White House on Wednesday to hash over the world's challenges with the president-elect. There they stood, shoulder-to-shoulder in the Oval Office: George H.W. Bush, Obama, George W. Bush, Bill Clinton and Jimmy Carter.

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George W. Bush, center, poses with Presidentelect Barack Obama, and former presidents, from left, George H.W. Bush, Bill **Clinton and** Jimmy Carter, Wednesday in the Oval Office at the White **House in** Washington.

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MORNING BRIEFING

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Paul Tillotson Trio with special guest Grammy award winner Lew Soloff on trumpet live, 4:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sun Valley Duchin Lounge, Sun Valley, 622-2266.

Auditions for Oakley Valley Arts Council "Oliver" production, be prepared with short musical number and ready to read from provided script, 7 to 9 p.m., Howells Opera House, 160 N. Blaine, Oakley, 312-4911, 431-9245 or



"The Laramie Project," presented by Random Acts of Theatre, 7 p.m., College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Theater, Twin Falls, proceeds to the Graydon Stanley family to help with medical expenses for son Graham Stanley, \$10 per person, 732-6262.

The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged), featuring the Bruin High Players and design work of Production and Design students, 7:30 p.m., Roper Auditorium, Twin Falls, \$5 (student prices and faculty discounts available with activity card), HaycockJa@tfsd.k12.id.us.

BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

Sloppy Joe dinner, hosted by Kimberly Booster Club, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., Kimberly High School cafeteria, during Kimberly wrestling match between Kimberly, Jerome, Gooding and Spring Creek, Nev., open to the public, \$5 for adults and \$3 for students, (208) 420-1736. American Legion Bingo, 7:20 p.m. Bonanza bingo and 7:30 p.m. Regular bingo, 610 W. Main St., Wendell, \$500 and \$1,195 Black

BUSINESS

outs, 536-6358.

Kickstand Southern Idaho, with guest panelists Shellien Gilliland, Whitney Been, Brian Croner and moderator Debbie Currier on "Marketing's a Must: Understanding and Implementing the Basics for Your Business," 6 to 7:30 p.m., Pandora's Restaurant, 516 Hansen St. S., Twin Falls, no cost, appetizers and drink tickets provided by Idaho TechConnect, brandon.armstrong@idahotechconnect.com or (208) 324-3455.

CHURCH EVENTS

Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University Classes, beginning of 13 weeks of classes, 7 p.m., First United Methodist Church, 360 Shoshone St. E., Twin Falls, \$100 (materials must be ordered for walk-ins), (208) 736-7315, (208) 329-0254 or (208) 733-5872.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

CANCELED: Rupert Historic Preservation Commission meeting, to be rescheduled in February, 431-0400.

Twin Falls Kiwanis weekly meeting and lunch, a volunteer organization serving the community and children, noon, Turf Club, 734 Falls Ave., visitors welcome, trent.stimpson2@sci-us.com.

Twin Falls Monarch Lions club meeting and nohost lunch, program: Community Service Director Leanne Trappen of South Central Community Action, noon, Loong Hing Restaurant, 1719 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, 735-9092 or 733-3429.

Twin Falls Optimist Club, open to interested members of the community, noon, Mandarin House, 324-3333 or chris@southernidahofreightliner.com.

Magic Valley Quilters Guild meeting, 1 p.m., Southside Electric, Declo, quilters of all levels of expertise welcome, 673-5577.

Veterans of Foreign Wars, 8 p.m., VFW Hall, 554 Hiland Ave., Burley, 679-1506.

EXHIBITS

Russ Hepworth's Retrospective, 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Jean B. King Gallery, Herrett Center for the Arts and Science, College of Southern Idaho campus, 315 Falls Ave., no cost, 732-6655.

"Little Reminders," collection of new work by Magic Valley native Grant Olsen, noon to 5 p.m., Magic Valley Arts Council's La Galeria Pequena, 132 Main Ave. S., Main Street Plaza, Twin Falls, free admission, 734-2787 or Magicvalleyartscouncil.org.

GOVERNMENT

Twin Falls County commissioners, 8:30 a.m., courthouse, 425 Shoshone St. N., 736-4068. Sun Valley Planning and Zoning Commission, 9a.m., City Hall, 81 Elkhorn Road, 622-4438. Sun Valley City Council, 3 p.m., City Hall, 81 Elkhorn Road, 622-4438.

Jackpot Advisory Board, 6 p.m., Jackpot Library, 2301 Progressive Drive, (775) 755-2356. Bellevue City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 115 E. Poplar St., 788-2128.

Fairfield City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 407 Soldier Road, 764-2333.

Kimberly Public Library Board, 7 p.m., library, 120 Madison St. W., 423-4556.

Murtaugh Highway District, 7 p.m., district office, 108 W. Archer St., 432-5469. Oakley City Council, 7 p.m., city office, 200 W. Main St., 862-3313.

Twin Falls County Planning and Zoning Commission, 7 p.m., 246 Third Ave., 734-

Cherry St., 431-4101.

Wendell City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 300 Main St., 536-5161. Minidoka City Council, 7:30 p.m., City Hall, 402

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) ID No. 48 Chapter of Jerome, a weight-loss support group, 10 a.m., Jerome Public Library, 100 First Ave. F., 420-3823.

Senior Health Insurance Benefit Advisory (SHIBA), 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Minidoka County Senior Center, 436-9107 for appointment. Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class. 10 to 11 a.m., Living Waters Presbyterian Church, 821 E. Main St., Wendell, no cost, 737-5988. Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m., First Segregation Fire Station, Eden, no cost,

737-5988. Ongoing exercise program for people with Parkinson's disease, offered by Magic Valley Regional Medical Center, 11 a.m. to noon, the Episcopal Church of the Ascension, 371 Eastland Drive N., Twin Falls, no cost, 737-

SilverSneakers Fitness Program, innovative exercise program designed specifically for Medicare beneficiaries' unique health and physical needs, 11:15 a.m. to noon, Twin Falls YMCA, 1751 Elizabeth Blvd., no cost for Humana-insured or YMCA members and \$5 per class for non-insured, 733-4384.

TOPS Weight Support Group Chapter No. 256, 5:15 p.m., Heyburn Elementary School lunch room, 1431 17th St., 678-2622.

Overeater's Anonymous, 6 p.m., 109 Seventh Ave. E., (red log building with cannon), Jerome, 324-5019.

Introduction to massage and complimentary alternative and integrative therapies, what they are and how they can help you, 7 p.m., 140 Hansen St. E., Ste. 9, Twin Falls, no cost,

ACTS Program, a 12-week, ongoing course based on self-help, recovery and education, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., Bethel Temple Apostolic Church, 929 Hankins Road (behind D & B Supply), Twin Falls, no cost, 731-3210.

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Pinochle, 1 p.m., Twin Falls Senior Center, 530 Shoshone St. W., fifty cents, open to the public, 734-5084.

LIBRARY

Daycare Storytime, 10 am., for children of daycares and homeschools, Jerome Public Library, (208) 324-5427.

Filer Public Library Preschool Storytime, 10:30 a.m., Filer Public Library, 219 Main St., 326-

Afternoon Book Club. discussion of Cokie Robert's book, "Founding Mothers," 1:30 p.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no cost,

Burley Public Library Storytime, with stories, rhyme, song and a craft for toddlers, pre-schoolers and their caregiver, 7 p.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no cost, 878-7708.

SEASONAL EVENTS

Heyburn Christmas Tree collection, sponsored by Heyburn Horizons Program: Boy Scouts collect trees left on curb through Jan. 10 in Heyburn, (208) 260-1139.

To have an event listed, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Suzanne Browne by e-mail at sbrowne@magicvalley.com; by fax, 734-5538; or by mail, Times-News, P.O.Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Deadline is noon, four days in advance of

Pat's Picks ... Pat Marcantonio

Three things to do today

• Please, sir can I have an audition? The Oakley Valley Arts Council is auditioning for "Oliver," from 7 to 9 p.m. and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday at Howells Opera House, 160 Blaine Ave. Performances will be March 26 through April 11. Come prepared with a short musical number and ready to read.

• Random Acts of Theatre presents "The Laramie Project" at 7 p.m. at the

College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Theater with proceeds going to the Stanley family to help with medical expenses for their son Graham, who was severely beaten in a random attack in Arizona. The play, about the 1998 beating death of a gay student in Laramie, Wvo.,

continues through Saturday.

Tickets are \$10 at the door. As Adam Sandler would sing, "Sloppy Joe, slop, sloppy

Joe." The Kimberly Booster Club hosts a sloppy Joe dinner from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. and you can watch the school wrestling match.

Cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for students.

Have your own pick you want to share? Something that is unique to the area and that may take people by surprise? E-mail me at patm@magicvalley.com.



Crime scene tape surrounds 434 Fourth Ave. W. in May 2007 after Vicente Gonzalez, 29, was shot and killed at the Twin Falls residence. James Naranjo pleaded guilty to second-degree murder Wednesday for the shooting death of Gonzalez. Three other men involved in the shooting death have been charged with accessory to murder.

Murder.

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door shut as shots were fired through it and a window, striking him multiple times, in the home that was also occupied by children.

Naranjo acted out of control and "pumped up" after the shooting, according to what Reyes Duran told police in court records.

At the time of his arrest, police recommended he be charged with aiding or abetting second-degree murder.

Falls Twin County Prosecutor Grant Loebs said Wednesday he doesn't think

Naranjo actually Gonzalez while firing a .22caliber rifle. "I don't believe he saw the man who he shot."

second-degree Unlike murder, the first-degree version requires premeditation.

Loebs said he wanted a first-degree conviction, but wasn't convinced a jury would agree. "As with all cases like this,

there were things on both sides," Loebs said. "I think it's quite likely there would have been a second-degree conviction if it had gone to trial."

Prominent area lawyer Keith Roark defended Naranjo, lodged at the Twin Falls County Jail since May 2007. Naranjo told the court

Wednesday he felt cornered by the case, prompting him to plea out. Loebs told the court

Gonzalez's family approved of the plea deal. A sentencing date has not

vet been set.

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doesn't always pass through the filter of a news story or broadcast.

School officials acknowledge that public education doesn't always get the best publicity in the media. "In the national news, it's

easy to see public education being laughed at or sometimes it gives the impression it's not doing its job," said Beth Pendergrass, the community relations specialist for Twin Falls School District.

Twin Falls Superintendent Wiley Dobbs said that coverage of poor national education statistics and large urban school districts with problems tend to paint all school districts with the same brush.

Jim Lewis, superintendent of Blaine County School District, agreed that it's hard to get information out.

We just want to reach the patrons," he said.

The idea developed out of a meeting that Dobbs had with other superintendents in the state. He heard that Bonneville School District in Idaho Falls was using PSAs to get information out.

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"We see it as a good investment to help the general public know what the school district is doing and give some positive PR to what the school district is doing rather than the more negative stuff that hits the papers."

— Kathy MacMillan, president of the Twin Falls School **District Education Foundation**

Twin Falls and Blaine County districts are making plans to work with a production company and get public service announcements produced as soon as a couple months from now.

Production costs are about \$1,500 for each PSA. With the costs of paying media outlets to air them, the final price for each one is estimated at about \$2,000.

Twin Falls School District is lining up sponsors to cover the costs so the PSAs won't come out of the district's budget, officials said.

One sponsor is the Twin Falls School District Education Foundation, a non-profit organization that has agreed to pay for half of the costs.

Kathy MacMillan, president of the foundation, said that will help the district and raise awareness about the foundation.

"We see it as a good invest-

ment to help the general public know what the school district is doing and give some positive PR to what the school district is doing rather than the more negative stuff that hits the papers," she said.

Recently, the school district ran an unrelated announcement with Dobbs informing people to contact the district if they have questions because misinformation and rumors can run rampant. Dobbs said one example was when someone asked him about the swimming pool at Canyon Ridge High School.

The problem: Canyon Ridge is not getting a swimming pool.

'We try to communicate with the patrons in a number of ways," Dobbs said.

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Kempthorne, Bureau of Reclamation name plant after key bureau head

By Nate Poppino Times-News writer

The U.S. Bureau of Reclamation plans to honor a former commissioner who spent most of his career in the Pacific Northwest.

Reclamation announced Tuesday that it plans to name a 312-megawatt power and water pumping plant at Washington's Grand Coulee Dam after John W. Keys III. Keys died at age 66 in an airplane crash on Mav 30, in Utah's Canyonlands National Park.

He spent 34 years in public service, nearly 20 of those as regional director for the northwest. After retiring from that job in 1998, he returned at former Interior Secretary Gale Norton's request to be appointed commissioner from 2001 to

The name change came at the prompting of former Idaho Gov. and current U.S. Secretary of the Interior Dirk Kempthorne, who said in a press release that Keys "left the West and the nation an enduring legacy." pumping plant serves as the source of water for the Columbia Basin Project, irrigating 670,000 acres in central Washington.

The agency also named an award after Keys. Its first recipient, announced in December, was James Trull, manager of the Sunnyside Valley Irrigation District in Washington.

Over the years, Keys was a player in a number of Idaho water issues. In the 1990s, he was a key figure in the debate over using water from the Snake River to improve the salmon population in the Columbia River. And he was involved in the 2004 water-rights settlement with the Nez Perce Tribe that resolved issues regarding virtually all the water in the Snake.

Chris Ketchum, assistant

area manager Reclamation's Burley office, said he was only able to visit one-on-one with Keys maybe 10



times over the years. But that didn't stop the latter from being able to remember everything Ketchum had talked about years later — even details about his family. Ketchum was a natural resources specialist at the time.

"I just don't think you can do that if you don't have a genuine interest in people," said Ketchum, who also praised Keys' ability to get warring sides in a debate to talk to each other.

Norm Semanko, executive director of the Idaho Water Users Association, first met Keys in 1989 when Semanko worked for then-U.S. Rep. Larry Craig. The two continued to interact over the years on various water issues, and Semanko said he was always impressed with Keys' respect for state water law and water rights.

Semanko was also struck by the bureaucrat's dedication to his family and active personal life — he found out at one of Keys' four funeral services that for a while, he was a head refereeing official in the Big Sky Conference.

"He was just a prince of a guy," Semanko said.

Bill Sedivy, executive director of Idaho Rivers United, didn't always agree with Keys.

But he said he admired Keys' ability to seek out diverse opinions and work across partisan and philosophical boundaries to resolve problems.

"He was an incredible public servant in the truest, best sense of the word," Sedivy said.

"John's been a great asset to CSI," Beck said. "We

would never stand in the

way of somebody making that kind of progression in

By Jan. 22, Williston's

search committee will make

state's board of higher edu-

cation, said Barb Slagle, a

staffer for the committee. On

Feb. 9, the board will invite

finalists in for another round of interviews and make a

decision, she said, adding that she doesn't know what

the new president's start

enrollment of 850. The

search committee reviewed about 40 candidates over the

Williston State College is a two-year college with an

their career."

date will be.

Lands bill returns to Congress

The package includes several items affecting Idaho, including a proposal by Sen. Mike Crapo for an 807-square-mile Owyhee wilderness area, \$3 million tabbed by former Sen. Larry Craig for water storage projects in the state and suggested "wild and scenic" status for a 387mile stretch of the Snake River and its tributaries in

Many of its contents have been in the works for a long time, and the package's defeat last fall signaled another setback for those

Now known as Senate Bill 22, the omnibus bill has officially been reintroduced and could see its first action on Friday, Crapo spokesman Nothern Lindsay

It won't have to go back to committee, and it's possible that Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid, D-Nev., could even call for a weekend session to handle the bill, Nothern said.

The bill's main sponsor is once again Sen. Bingaman, D-N.M.

The bill has drawn detractors as well as supporters — a variety of business and public lands groups mobilized to fight its last appearance in November, while much of the Senate supported it. But the person largely responsible for its momentary demise was Sen. Tom Coburn, R-Okla., who threatened to drag out a rushed session of Congress by filibustering any discussion.

Calls to Coburn's press secretary on Wednesday were





Times-News writer

John Miller, the instructional dean at the College of Southern Idaho, is a finalist for the president's job at Williston State College in

North Dakota. Miller, who has been at recommendations to the CSI since 2005, is one of six finalists for the job who will visit the college next week for on-campus interviews. The position's location in North Dakota makes it attractive to Miller, who has friends and family there because his wife was raised in the state.

"It's a very good opportunity for me professionally to advance into something that I've wanted to do," Miller said.

He stressed that he's happy with his job at CSI, which entails working with the college's off-campus dual credit programs.

CSI President Jerry Beck said that Miller would be missed if he leaves, but that



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Owyhee, dam studies, scenic rivers could be debated Friday

By Nate Poppino Times-News writer

A collection of more than 150 various lands bills and related issues compiled in one massive omnibus package has officially returned to

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not returned.

But on Tuesday, the senator blasted the bill's return in a press release, criticizing it again as an example of congressional waste and questioning why Senate leaders have put it ahead of several weeks of hearings on an economic stimulus package.





OF A 100-MAN CHORUS

to sing the National Anthem at a CSI basketball game

Saturday, January 24th

All male singers are invited to participate, including those from area schools and churches.

Since The Star Spangled Banner will be sung in four-part harmony, two short rehearsals will be held at First United Methodist Church in Twin Falls at

7:30pm Tuesday, Jan 13, and Tuesday, Jan 20

All singers will be admitted free to both women's and men's games on January 24th. For more info, call Chuck: 543-5480 or Fred: 324-5365.

opportunity to spend several days discussing the contents of this legislation on the Senate floor," Coburn said in his release. "However, the millions of Americans who are worried about their jobs and their homes are hardly eager for Congress to build roads to nowhere, spend \$1 billion to rescue 500 salmon and help a city in Florida plan a party six years in advance," he added, referencing several items he

opposes. Coburn didn't specify in the release what steps he might take against the bill. But Nothern said the changes in the 111th Congress may prevent Coburn from pulling a repeat performance.

"He may not have the votes to sustain a filibuster," Nothern said, adding that the bill's backers have been holddiscussions Coburn's office.

"We're trying our best to work with him on this, and hopefully we can have a good outcome."

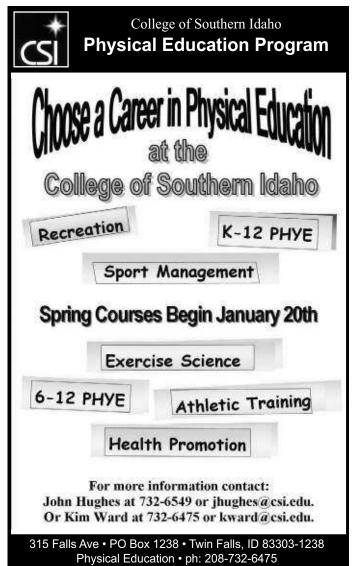
If it clears the Senate, the lands bill will still have to pass the House, where Nothern said he understands it shouldn't face much opposition.

Though some December discussions focused on attaching Rep. Mike Simpson's Central Idaho Economic Development and Recreation Act to the package, Simpson spokes-

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"I would welcome the woman Nikki Watts said she return to the Senate. expects the House to leave the package as it is, passing and preventing a npoppino@magicvalley.com.

Nate Poppino may be increasing its chances of reached at 208-735-3237 or



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to do it, so he's going to take the money and then donate it to the scholarship fund."

Hammon said Otter will donate the raise of \$3,262 to the state's Opportunity Scholarship fund or to the Governor's Cup Scholarship

An opinion by Deputy Attorney General Bill von Tagen issued late last month said Otter and other statewide elected officials can't reject their pay increases.

Idaho's Constitution "specifically prohibits the Legislature, during the term of the elected official, from zeroing out an increase that has been enacted properly before that term began," von Tagen wrote. "This process insures that the salary of an officer is not increased or diminished in the officer's term. The restriction within the Constitution was intended to prevent the salaries of officers from becoming political bargaining chips.

"Additionally, the office survives whoever holds it. Therefore, a subsequent holder of the office should not be hindered by the political maneuvers of the current holder of the office."

State Rep. Darrell Bolz, R-Caldwell, vice chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, had requested the opinion.

Republican and Democratic lawmakers planned to reject a recommended 5 percent increase in their pay when the 2009 session starts Monday. The increase, from \$16,116 to \$16,921, was advanced by the Legislative Compensation Committee in June.

Von Tagen's opinion says legislators can reject or reduce the committee's recommendation.

"When economic times are tough, I was just thinking elected officials shouldn't be held to a different standard than anyone else," Bolz said. "If you're asking that all these people who work for the state be held to no pay raise, why should we be any different?"

Presidents

Continued from page A1

"This is an extraordinary gathering," Obama said, looking plenty at ease in the humbling office that will soon be his.

"All the gentlemen here understand both the pressures and possibilities of this office," Obama said. "And for me to have the opportunity to get advice, good counsel and fellowship with these individuals is extraordinary. And I'm very grateful to all of them.'

Bush, blistered without mercy by Obama during the campaign season, played the role of gracious host.

"All of us who have served in this office understand that the office transcends the individual," Bush said as Obama nodded in thanks. "And we wish you all the very best. And so does the country."

It was a moment of statesmanship that tends to happen when presidents get together, no matter how bitter their previous rivalries. In a photo opportunity that lasted less than two minutes, Carter, Clinton and the senior Bush smiled but said nothing. They deferred to the nation's incoming and outgoing leaders.

Earlier, Bush and Obama met privately in the Oval Office in a chat expected to cover events of the day, mainly the troubled economy and Middle East. The two have shown solidarity since Obama's win in November, with

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-President George W. Bush to President-elect Barack Obama

one previous Oval Office sitdown and at least a few phone calls in recent weeks.

All sides were determined to say as little as possible about what was discussed. Presidents — new, old, incoming — like to keep their conversations private.

offering Without specifics, Obama press secretary Robert Gibbs said all the presidents "had helpful advice on managing the office as well as thoughts on the critical issues facing the country right now. The president-elect is anxious to stay in touch with all of them in the coming years."

From the White House, press secretary Dana Perino said the discussion was "wide-ranging" but declined to comment further. Before the gathering, she had said she could not imagine the leaders would meet without discussing the Middle East, where conflict rages in Gaza, or the economy, which is sinking.

The White House would not even say what the men ate. allowing only that they ordered off the menu of the White House

mess, as Bush does all the time. Intentionally or not, Bush opened the media moment in a curious way, suggesting that he was already out the door.

"I want to thank the president-elect for joining the expresidents for lunch," said Bush, who is in fact still the president until Jan. 20.

"One message that I have, and I think we all share, is that we want you to succeed," Bush added, a beaming Clinton at his other side. "Whether we're Democrat or Republican, we care deeply about this country."

White House aides tried to usher the media out of the Oval Office when Bush stopped speaking. The lighting for the event even went dark.

But sometimes, there is more than one president at a time.

Obama spoke up on his own, the lights went back on, and the cameras kept rolling.

"I just want to thank the president for hosting us," Obama said. When a reporter asked Obama what he could learn from the mistakes of the four presidents surrounding him, he



President-elect Barack Obama looks on as President George W. Bush speaks in the Oval Office of the White House in Washington, Wednesday.

smiled and said he planned to learn from their successes.

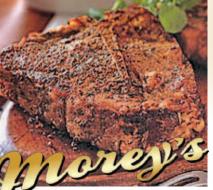
get-together Obama's idea, and Bush liked it. The lunch lasted about 90 minutes, held in a small dining room off the Oval Office.

Carter, Clinton and the two Bush presidents were last together at the Washington funeral service of President Gerald Ford in 2007. And presidents have gathered at other occasions over the years. But not since October 1981 — 27 years ago — had all of the living presidents gathered at the White House.

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Forest Service seeks comment on grant options

By Nate Poppino **Times-News writer**

The Sawtooth National Forest is asking for public input on seven grant proposals the agency plans to submit to the state of Idaho.

The annual grants, distributed through the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation, are funded through sales of boating, recreation and off-road vehicle stickers. This year, the national forest is seeking money to rebuild trails damaged by 2007's Castle Rock Fire, build a new motorized trail in its Fairfield District and adjust a couple of campsites, among other projects.

All told, the agency has compiled seven proposals. Agencies applying for the grants have to provide matching funds for their projects.

Ann Frost, the contact for the Fairfield District proposal, said final costs for most projects likely aren't finalized and therefore weren't included in the announcement. She said the Sawtooth National Forest usually receives a fair share of grants for everything from trail work to campground improvements.

The federal agency likes the grant program because it puts money raised from user groups into the facilities they use, Frost said. Plus, she said, it's a way for the Forest Service to stretch its money

"It's really positive for the public," she said.

5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

TWIN FALLS COUNTY WEDNESDAY ARRAIGNMENTS

Jerry Haman, 38, Hansen; forgery/making or passing fictitious bills; Jan. 16 preliminary hearing; \$1,000 bond; public defender

Judy Mendoza, 56, Hansen; forgery/making or passing fictitious bills; \$1,000 bond; public defender appointed; Jan. 16 preliminary hear-

Anthony R. Talamantes, 20, Twin Falls; violation no contact order; Feb. 17 pretrial; recognizance release; public defender appointed

Jim Bo Pina, 19, Burley; burglary; Jan. 16 preliminary hearing; walk-in arraignment; public defender

Steven E. Pena, 23, Burley; burglary; Jan. 16 preliminary hearing; walk-in arraignment; public defender appointed

N. Idaho man sentenced for killing wife

COEUR d'ALENE — A northern Idaho man who killed his wife and then shot himself in the head has been sentenced to 15 years in prison.

William Virgil Brinnon, who is blind as a result of the selfinflicted gunshot wound, must serve at least one year before he's eligible for parole.

"He shot himself to avoid going to prison," said 1st District Judge John Mitchell, who sentenced Brinnon, 46, on Monday. "He's lost his wife, he's made himself blind and he will live every moment the rest of his life with those two realities. He's exacted more punishment than I could ever give him."

Brinnon, of Rathdrum, pleaded guilty in October to voluntary manslaughter for the March 31 strangling of Dana Brinnon, 43.

According to court documents, Brinnon told investigators his wife picked on him until he lost control, grabbed her throat and squeezed until she was dead. The couple had an extensive history of domestic violence.

Kootenai County Prosecutor Bill Douglas had asked for a fixed sentence of seven and a half years, while public defender Anne Taylor

had asked for probation. "There's no doubt in my mind that this gentleman is not a threat to the public," Mitchell said. But "you need to have punishment to set an example.'

Learn more about the grant proposals

The Sawtooth National Forest's grant proposals include:

- Motorized loop trail, Fairfield Ranger District; contact Ann Frost, 208-764-3216 or afrost@fs.fed.us
- Trail reconstruction after Castle Rock Fire, Ketchum

Ranger District; contact Renee Anderson, 208-678-8303 or Catherin, 208-622-0096 or rcatherine@fs.fed.us

• Porcupine Springs Campground reconstruction, FS Flats RV campsites and Howell Canyon potable water station, Minidoka Ranger District; contact Roger

Dave Claycomb, state and Parks and Recreation, said he federal grant manager for expects available grant funds

rogeranderson@fs.fed.us

· West Fork Big Smoky Trail reconstruction and replacement of aging horses and mules for forest projects, Sawtooth National Recreation Area; contact Jay Dorr, 208-727-5011 or jdorr@fs.fed.us

this year to be very similar to

\$5 million and \$8 million course," Claycomb said. total. Since the money comes from dedicated funds, it shouldn't be too affected by the state's current economic pinch, he said.

Cities, counties and agencies such as the Forest Service or Bureau of Land Management all usually apply for funds, he said, as well as Parks and Recreation.

"All of the money has to go the past couple — between for the public good, of

National forest officials have asked that comments be submitted by Jan. 23. The grant applications are due the end of January.

For more information or to weigh in on the forest options, contact your local ranger district.

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EDITORIAL

A promising road map for Twin Falls' future

he city of Twin Falls now knows where it's going in the next generation. But will it get lost along the way? The Twin Falls City Council this week approved a new Comprehensive Plan, a long-term planning guide

Our view:

a workable,

innovative

Twin Falls has

Comprehensive

the city should

look in 2030.

What do you

We welcome

viewpoints from

our readers on

this and other

think?

issues.

Plan for how

through 2030. The city's Transportation Master Plan and its Capital Improvement Plan are both included in the overall comp plan. The CIP for large projects must be adopted before impact fees, if ever approved by the City Council, can be

These are thoughtful, balanced proposals, but the blueprint is worth no more than what this and future city councils are willing to invest

The comp plan sets a direction for how Twin Falls should look in about 20 years — where homes should go, which roads need to be fixed and suggestions for getting there. Nearly every facet of living in Twin Falls is addressed, including schools,

municipal services and economic development. The consulting agency that created the plan estimates the city will have 66,000 residents in 2030.

The plan envisions:

- Zoning flexible enough to allow some homebased businesses, which Twin Falls now lacks.
- Creating a smooth transition between the city's urban, populated areas and the surrounding agricultural region.
- Assuring that natural features are preserved as open space linked through a trail system — 45 miles worth, eventually connecting Rock Creek Park with the proposed Auger Falls Park in the Snake River Canyon. Also in the works is a fourmile trail in the canyon connecting the Perrine Bridge and Auger Falls.

The blueprint points out correctly that there are too many strip malls and encourages development outside the mall and big box retail paradigm.

"The future commercial development of the city should encompass 'place-making' destinations that encourage pedestrian activity and interaction," the plan says. "Such uses reflect the scale of the original Twin Falls community, reinforcing local traditions and patterns of development."

That's especially important. Small-scale retail centers would cut down traffic and perhaps transform housing developments into true neighbor-

Downtown Twin Falls is undercapitalized and inconsistency maintained, the plan says, and the Townsite and President Streets neighborhoods need an upgrade.

The document points out that uncertainly about water is already crimping development, and strongly advocates making pressured irrigation available to more residents for use in landscaping.

The road ahead for Twin Falls is now clearly marked. Let's hope our leaders — now and later stick to it.

TIMES-NEWS

Brad Hurd publisher Steve Crump Opinion editor

The members of the editorial board and writers of editorials are Brad Hurd, James G. Wright, Steve Crump, Bill Bitzenburg and Ruth S. Pierce.

Obama puts it on our grandkids' tab

arack Obama has dubbed his behemoth fiscal stimulus proposal the "American Recovery and Reinvestment Plan." But if truth in advertising were required of White House plans, only one title would fit the trillion-dollar-plus-andgrowing bill: The Generational Theft Act of 2009.



President-elect Obama was at his most candid when he told the country Tuesday that we face massive deficits for the foreseeable future.

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"Potentially we've got trilliondollar deficits for years to come," he said, "even with the economic recovery that we are working on."

But one word — 'even' — is glaringly out of place in that warning. Washington will saddle future generations with unprecedented debt because of the economic interventions Obama is planning, not despite them.

Think this through. We are now 13 months into the current recession. Since World War II, none of the recessions that have hit the U.S. economy have lasted more than two years. Most have lasted 12 months. The new mega-injections of government "investments" championed by Obama are intended to "break the momentum" of a recession we're probably more than halfway through suffering.

This is not to suggest that the economic picture is all sunshine and roses. Quite the opposite. Our fundamental ill is too much spending and borrowing and too little saving. It's going to take years to



recover from the housing mess. Washington continues to encourage ever more illconsidered lending in a misguided attempt to stave off needed market corrections. The currently proposed combination of a nationwide infrastructure spending orgy plus tax-cut bribes does nothing to remedy that.

To paraphrase a previous Democratic administration: It's the timing, stupid. Keep in mind that the Democrats' stimulus timetable pushed through the House last fall proposed \$34 billion in new, "ready to go" infrastructure spending — only \$9.8 billion of which could be spent in 2009. As writer Brian Faughnan points out:

"While it's unclear so far exactly how much infrastructure spending will be included in Obama's stimulus package, it will clearly run into the hundreds of billions. As Democrats broaden their definition of projects that are 'ready to go,' they will by definition slow the rate at which

funds are spent. When Obama signs his stimulus bill into law, it will already be five months further into the recession than when (the Congressional Budget Office) reported on the last Democratic bill — and thus five months along toward being wasteful and counterproductive spending. He will also be signing a much larger bill, with a much smaller percentage of 'front-loaded' spending."

Moreover, despite Obama's earnest-seeming pledge to block all earmarks, there will be an inevitable lard-up of the stimulus. When has there not?

Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell signaled openness to the plan over the weekend as long as the GOP gets nominal input and kabuki hearings. The lard-up will guarantee that future capital is diverted to superfluous pork projects ("green jobs") and away from productive private enterprise. Instead of basic roads and bridges, infrastructure spending will go to bloated unions overseeing

pie-in-the-sky construction projects like the \$30 billionplus high-speed rail line from Los Angeles to San Francisco, which California officials fully expect to be funded.

Bottom line: Obama's prescription for economic pain will at most be useless in encouraging short-term growth, while ensuring anemic longer-term growth for the next decade (and beyond) at the expense of Obama's kids and my kids and yours.

The truly bold thing for Obama to do would be to tell the panic-mongers and boondoggle-seekers to shove it, and to tell taxpayers to ride out the rest of the tough times while he gets Washington's own economic house in order.

Instead, it's more of the same old, same old mortgaging of our children's future for the sake of present political crisis management.

Syndicated columnist Michelle Malkin can be reached at writemalkin@ gmail.com.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Lions Club thanks Plew, Overacre and McKinlay

Dave Overacre, Lee McKinlay and George Plew have been outstanding, community-minded citizens of Kimberly for many years. They have strongly supported our schools, youth programs and community. If there is any proposal, event or activity to make Kimberly a better place, you will find them involved. They and their families have donated both their time and money in support of these causes.

Many issues facing communities are complex and require a great deal of study. We elect public officials to investigate these issues and take actions that are in the best long-term interest of our community. Oftentimes, there are not simple answers. Decisions have to be made based upon legal advice, fiscal projections, engineering estimates and an understanding of Kimberly. We all want simple answers and the complex explanations are often difficult to understand without being deeply involved in the entire process.

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MIKE MASON Kimberly

(Editor's note: Mike Mason is a former president of the Kimberly Lions Club. He submitted this letter on behalf of the club.)

Crapo's office reaches out to Democrat in dire need

I am writing this letter because I want to thank some people without whose help I could not have gotten the assistance I needed now rather than later. I am diagnosed with Stage

4 colon cancer and taking chemo treatments. I had no health insurance and was trying to get prescriptions and treatments. I had applied for Social Security disability and Social Security income but was told it could be up to another year yet for an appeal hearing (after being turned down twice). I had called Carrie at Sen.

Crapo's office and between her and the senator, within a week I had a response and received an approval for my Medicaid and Social Security income. In the letter I wrote to Sen. Crapo, I told him I always had voted Democrat, yet Carrie and Sen. Crapo reached out to help me.

I just want to thank again Sen. Crapo's office. NIKKI THOMPSON

Twin Falls

Global Poverty Act is U.N. plot to redistribute wealth

No United Nations Taxes! Oppose the Global Poverty Act (S.2433)

The Global Poverty Act may well cost the United States taxpayer more than \$845 billion — this in addition to the billions the United States already spends on global poverty programs.

The Global Poverty Act is nothing more than a redistribution of the wealth scheme perpetrated by the United Nations. It is literally a global tax which we cannot afford.

This bill has already passed the House of Representatives and is now on a fast track to pass the Senate any day.

This is Obama's horrible bill; it is not a bill he just dreamed up as a way to help stop poverty. This bill was lit-

erally written by the U.N. Could it be clearer where the Global Poverty Act comes from or what Obama intends the complete adoption of the United Nations scheme for global governance?

Look up "U.N.'s Millennium Declaration." Sounds like one world to me.

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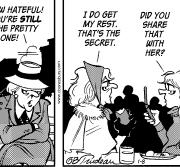
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OTHER VIEWS

Here's what Idaho newspapers are saying about ...

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Post Register, Idaho Falls

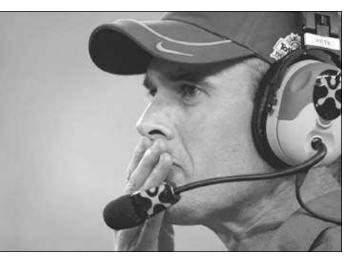
Every year, the Idaho controller's office reports who's drawing the top wages in state government.

We pay attention for a day or two and then move

Not this year. With the economy faltering, programs already have been trimmed. Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter next week will announce even deeper cuts. State workers may lose their jobs. The poor and sick may do with less. College students may pay more to compensate for lost state dollars, even though the National Center for Public Policy and Higher Education says the cost of school has outstripped the resources of many Idaho families. Leaders of the House and Senate education committees have raised the possibility of cutting state support to public schools. Meanwhile, you may be taxed more to support transportation and Fish and Game.

So who gets what in the state budget reflects what we care about.

Many of the 307 people who are making more than Otter's \$108,727 a year earn it. Does anybody have a tougher job than Health



and Welfare Director Richard Armstrong? Spread among his 3,322 employees, his \$141,710 salary breaks down to \$43 for each of

Transportation Director Pamela Lowe's \$142,937 pay equals \$73 for each of her 1,953 workers. Fish and Game Director Cal Groen is paid \$129,000 to manage 806 people, or \$160 each.

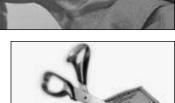
On the other hand, Otter's chief of staff, Jason Kreizenbeck, earns \$130,000 to supervise a staff of 29 or \$4,483 per employee.

You can't ignore job market forces. Idaho State University President Arthur Vailas would get \$286,650 or more wherever he landed.

... But what's the point of paying BSU football coach Chris Petersen \$806,998? ... Northwest Nazarene

University political scientist Steve Shaw ... characterized such salaries at a time of cuts as Idaho's "misplaced priorities.'

The question is whether Idahoans are willing to make other choices.



... fiscal prudence

Idaho Statesman, Boise

The state of the state is challenging — but it could be a lot worse. That's because legislators and Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter have taken preemptive steps to cut spending ahead of, and during, the Idaho recession.

The budget and tax decisions awaiting Otter and the 2009 Legislature certainly won't be easy. But the state also has managed to avert a full-blown fiscal crisis. As a result, Idaho is in position to address a serious transportation shortfall, even if that requires an increase in the gas tax or vehicle registration fees.

(Last year's) State of the State ... speech was built

around a budget plan that was uniformly ambitious and simply unrealistic.

Otter's \$3.1 billion general fund budget included some overly optimistic assumptions, including a 6.7 percent increase in sales tax collections for the budget year that started July 1. Anticipating another robust year in tax collections, Otter recommended a long list of big-ticket items.

... lawmakers balked. Legislative leaders — many representing rural districts in southern and eastern Idaho — said Otter's rosy revenue forecast didn't square with the reality back home. And the lawmakers were right.

... sales tax projections were \$115 million higher than the state's current forecasts. Individual income tax projections were off by \$89 million, and corporate income tax collections were \$37 million too high. Lawmakers such as Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert, and Rep. Maxine Bell, R-Jerome, the co-chairs of the budgetwriting Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee deserve credit for steering the state away from fis-

cal catastrophe. Similarly, Otter deserves credit for cutting budgets along the way ... This year, Otter has exercised that power twice, ordering two cuts totaling 4 percent of agencies' budgets ...

These painful decisions carry a cumulative benefit. The state could ... balance its books by making additional cuts and by tapping state savings accounts. Unlike 2003 — when the state was forced to raise ... taxes to stave off deep cuts in public schools, higher education and Medicaid -(it) might be able to address short-term budget troubles without raising new taxes ...

A transportation shortfall, pegged at ... \$240 million a year, is another matter entirely. The state must begin to address this problem ..

The longer the state ignores the problem, the costlier the solution ...

... polluting groundwater

Idaho State Journal, Pocatello

... Phosphate mining companies may be allowed to pollute groundwater beneath their operations, if the Legislature says it's OK.

Specifically, under a rule being put forward for legislative approval, mining companies could pollute groundwater below their extraction, reclamation and tailing activities with high concentrations of naturally occurring elements such as selenium.

True, they would be required to monitor groundwater at so-called points of compliance as close as possible to the mining area, to be sure there is no pollu-

But what if there is? ...

... the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality developed a draft proposal in 2007 that would have required companies to clean up groundwater below their mines within eight years of ceasing activities. Too onerous, the Idaho Mining Association said.

So the DEQ board approved the relaxed rule, which will come before the Idaho Legislature this year, and that body in the past has been reluctant to reject measures that have board support.

... (the rule) needs to include an indemnity clause binding the mining companies. If the pollution escapes the mine boundaries, someone should pay, and pay dearly.



Inauguration is attractive target for terrorists, feds say

By Eileen Sullivan **Associated Press writer**

WASHINGTON — The upcoming inauguration of Barack Obama is an attractive target for international and domestic terrorists, but U.S. intelligence officials have no information about specific threats to the Jan. 20 event.

An internal intelligence assessment, obtained by The Associated Press Wednesday, says the high visibility of the event, the presence of dignitaries and the significance of swearing in the country's first black president make the inauguration vulnerable to attacks.

What concerns analysts most, the report says, is the potential use of improvised explosive devices, a hostage situation or suicide bombers.

While security will be tight around the U.S. Capitol, the joint FBI and Homeland Security assessment says nearby hotels, public gatherings, restaurants and roads could be vulnerable to some kind of attack.

Homeland Security Secretary Michael Chertoff said security concerns during inaugurations have been elevated since the 2001 terror attacks. "I think it will be the most security, as far as I'm aware, that any inauguration has had," Chertoff said in an interview with the AP.

Chertoff also said there is no specific intelligence pointing to terrorist plots during the event.

"We have scrubbed very hard to look at anything that would suggest a credible, imminent threat or one that was specifically focused on the inauguration," Chertoff said, though not referring to the intelligence assessment. "We're not, at this point, aware of a credible, specific, imminent threat that would affect the inauguration."



Minnick's journey to Congress started in Nixon White House

n the opening day of Congress, the eleva-tor deposited me on the fifth floor of the Longworth House Office Building, where, as I expected, the parties celebrating the hard-fought November election victories had spilled out of the offices and filled the corridor with revelry worthy of New Year's Eve.

The fifth floor of Longworth is not where you find the spacious suites commandeered by committee chairmen and senior members. The offices here are small and cramped and are occupied by freshmen, who draw numbers in a lottery and try to snag quarters close to the elevators. But on opening day, friends and families who have arrived to launch the freshmen into their new careers self-consciously mix and mingle with folks from other states doing the same thing. It's a wonderful day, a reminder of all the hard work and sacrifice it takes to win a House seat when you're not an

incumbent. Every new member has his own story. Walt Minnick's is more unusual

than most. For one thing, he is only the second Democrat to hold his House seat in the last 42 years, and the first in 14 years to come to Washington from the famously Republican state of Idaho. For another, he is, at 66, much older than most of the other freshmen but ran and finished the Boston Marathon last year. Finally, he is the only former Nixon White House staff member to win election to this Congress. He resigned in protest immediately after the "Saturday night massacre," when Richard Nixon ousted his attorney general in order to remove

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Minnick told me that he had just come out of the Army when a Harvard Law School classmate who was a White House fellow suggested he apply for a vacant job on Nixon's staff. Not yet 30, he was working anonymously on drug-control issues when Watergate broke. "I realized I was not comfortable serving that kind of president," he said, "so I became the second person on the staff to resign."

A native of eastern Washington and lover of the outdoors, he chose Boise as his home and joined a forest products company, eventually becoming its president. Later, he started a successful nursery business.

Then politics came along. In 1996, Sen. Bob Kerrey of Nebraska, then head of the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee, recruited Minnick to run against Republican Sen. Larry Craig. "I was an independent, and I told him I wanted to run as an independent. He had no problem with that, but Cecil Andrus (the former Idaho governor and interior secretary) phoned me and said that if that was my plan, they'd run another Democrat against Craig and see that I finished third. So at that point I became a Democrat."

But Minnick still sees himself as someone who straddles party lines.

Last fall, he found Idahoans "so fed up with the partisanship in Washington" that his message resonated. He had the advantage of being up against a highly partisan Republican, Rep. Bill Sali, who had feuded even with other Republicans and carved out one of the most conservative records in the House.

"My whole campaign was aimed at persuadable Republicans," Minnick told me. Fueled by \$900,000 of his personal funds ("twice what I planned to put in"), Minnick closed his campaign with a series of ads in which Idahoans said, "I've been a Republican all my life, but I'm voting for Walt Minnick." It worked — but barely. Minnick won with less than 51 percent of the

This means, of course, that he will be high on the Republican target list for 2010. "Chris Van Hollen (the chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee) told me that I sit in the 14th-most Republican district in the country, and the other 13 are all held by Republicans," Minnick said. "So he wants me home every weekend."

Minnick is following orders. He has taken a small apartment on Capitol Hill while his wife and children remain in Boise. He says he is ready to show his new constituents a different style of representation — one not marked by partisanship.

He has joined the Blue Dog caucus of conservative Democrats.

His is one story of many — and that's what makes opening day on Longworth Five a good place to be.

Washington Post columnist David Broder can be reached at davidbroder@washpost.com.

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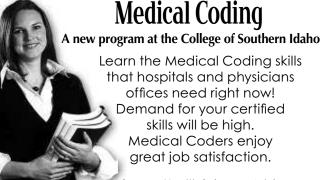


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State is first to have 2 black legislative leaders

DENVER — Sharecropper's grandson Terrance Carroll was chosen Wednesday as speaker of Colorado's House of Representatives, making the state the first in the nation where blacks lead both chambers of its Legislature.

The milestone is most remarkable in a state where blacks are just 4 percent of the population — and where decades ago the Ku Klux Klan held sway over the Capitol.

and Carroll Senate President Peter Groff, elected to his leadership position a year ago, also are the only blacks among Colorado's 100 legislators.

"This really does speak volumes about how far this country has moved and how this can really be a place of opportunity," Carroll said before Wednesday's official vote on the 2009 General Assembly's opening day.

His fellow Democrats had picked the 39-year-old Denver lawyer and ordained Baptist minister to lead them back in November, paving the way for Wednesday's unanimous balloting by the whole House, where Democrats outnumber Republicans 38 to 27.

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BYU-Idaho sets out on plan to grow enrollment

REXBURG — Administrators at Brigham Young University-Idaho announced Tuesday plans to expand student enrollment, possibly as high as 15,000 students by 2015.

Leaders at the private, Rexburg-based university say the expansion will take place in phases, starting in the fall of 2010 with the goal of adding 900 full-time students per semester. Growth is expected to continue until 2015, pending periodic approval by the university's board of trustees and meeting a series of conditions, including academic performance.

The existing enrollment cap is 11,600 students. The board recently approved increasing the cap to 12,500 students, effective in 2010.

"This increase in student enrollment is just one of many ways we are striving to utilize this wonderful campus and offer a powerful learning experience to more students," said Kim B. Clark, university president.

Henry Eyring, vice president of advancement, says much of the student growth will be through the university's online learning programs. In the next three years, officials intend to add 140 new online classes.

Boise police report DEX phone book foul-up

BOISE — Boise Police Department officials fear residents using new 2009 DEX phone books will be getting a lot of wrong numbers.

The law enforcement agency in Idaho's capital says that many of the department's phone numbers listed in the directory are incorrect.

How did it happen? The phone book company for dozens of U.S. cities and regions says the problems are the result of miscommunication between different phone services.

Since the DEX 2009 directories for Boise have already been published, however, nothing can be done about the errors until the 2010 edition comes out next year.

In the meantime, Boise Police say anybody looking to contact the agency's administrative offices should log onto www.boisepolice.org, and click "Contact Us" for a complete listing of correct office phone numbers.

WASHINGTON

Teen charged with drowning newborn

PORT ANGELES — A 16year-old girl suspected of drowning an infant boy in a toilet and throwing the body in the trash was charged with murder Wednesday.

Lauryn Louise Last, of Port Angeles, was charged as an adult with first-degree murder in the death of the infant believed to be her son.

Last remained jailed in lieu of \$500,000 bail with arraignment scheduled Friday. She

convicted. Last's attorney, Suzanne Hayden of the Clallam

faces up to life in prison if

County public defender's office, did not immediately return a phone call Wednesday.

The baby's body was found Monday by authorities combing 60 tons of trash at a dump site near Tacoma.

Year round

An affidavit filed that day said Last "put her baby face down into a toilet and allowed it to drown for several minutes until it died. Then she threw her son into the trash can outside in a plastic garbage bag."

Port Angeles police Chief Terry Gallagher said that DNA testing to confirm the infant's parentage might not be avail-

able for a month or more.

Barn collapse kills elk

METALINE FALLS — Six wild elk that took refuge from winter weather in an old hay storage barn were killed when the roof collapsed.

The Washington Fish and Wildlife Department said 20 elk had sought refuge in the

barn on Tuesday. The area has been pounded by more than 6 feet of snow this winter, and dozens of roofs have collapsed.

Five of the elk died instantly and one suffered a broken back and had to be euthanized. Officers said it was rare for elk to be so desperate that they would enter a barn.

— The Associated Press











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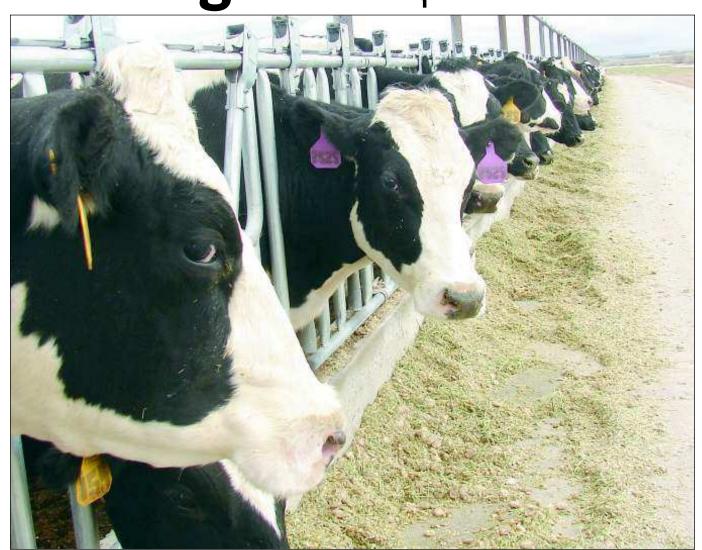


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Idaho ag sales: \$6.3 billion



Dairy industry up 11 percent retains cash cow status in Idaho agriculture

By Joshua Palmer **Times-News writer**

The Idaho dairy industry reported the largest oneyear increase in cash receipts on record — retaining the industry's position as the state's leading agri-

cultural cash cow. Cash receipts Idaho's farms rose 11 percent, to a record \$6.3 billion in 2008, boosted by a 5 percent increase in milk receipts, according to projections by University of Idaho agricultural econo-

Milk's rise from 25 percent of the state's total farm cash receipts in 1998 to 34 percent in 2008 shifted the geographic center of Idaho's agricultural economy to south central Idaho — a shift that regional econo-

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S6.3 billion

Total farm cash receipts in 2008

Farm cash receipt increase 11 percent

compared to 2007

5 percent Increase in dairy cash receipts over 2007

Dairy's percentage of total

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mists say has helped insulate the region against a more severe economic

downturn. Bob Naerebout, executive director of the Idaho Dairymen's Association, said rapid growth of the industry has created new challenges for dairies and

nearby communities. "The greatest challenge has been multi-governmental entities that try to govern the way dairymen operate,"

he said. Despite the challenges, the dairy industry is expected to retain its standing as Idaho's primary agricultural enterprise, the U of I economists said.

Milk provided more than a third of all of Idaho agriculture's sales in 2008. The growth of milk cash receipts reflected an 8 percent increase in production that offset a 3 percent slide in price late in the year.

However, Naerebout said 2009 may be more difficult because of continued falling

University economists reported that other agricultural crops remained strong during 2008.

Potato sales rose to \$800 million, a 13 percent jump over 2007, followed closely by wheat sales of \$707 million, a 55 percent increase. Hay sales grew 47 percent in 2008 to \$673 million.

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Local Pepsi bottler under new ownership

By Joshua Palmer **Times-News writer**

The Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company in Twin Falls will be under new ownership after operating for nearly 75 years as a family owned business. Pepsi Bottling Ventures,

LLC, based in Raleigh, N.C., said Tuesday that it signed a Letter of Intent to purchase the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Twin Falls and the Nagel Beverage Company in Boise.

The sale won't affect the 190 employees at the two bottling facilities in Idaho, said company officials.

According to a written statement by PBV, the terms of the agreement require that the agreement be finalized by the end of February.

The Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company and Nagel Beverage Company territory includes 18 counties in southern Idaho. The Pepsi-Cola Bottling

Company in Twin Falls was established in 1935 as a Nagel-Levander family part-

Nagel family-owned busi-

nesses have a state-of-the-art manufacturing and sales distribution facility in Nampa, and sales distribution centers in Twin Falls, McCall and Sun

PBV President and Chief Executive Officer Keith Reimer said, "We have great admiration for the strong Pepsi franchise the Nagel family has built in Idaho. We believe our two companies share a common heritage of valuing tradition, a commitment to the communities we serve, and building our business on the foundation of relationships and customer service. We welcome Nagel Beverage and Twin Falls Pepsi to the PBV family."

Pepsi Bottling Ventures, LLC is the nation's third largest bottler for Pepsi-Cola, operating 23 manufacturing, distribution, and sales facilities serving more than 8 million consumers in North Carolina, New York. Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and Vermont.

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First Federal awards grant money

¬ he First Federal Charitable Foundation announced the recipients of nearly \$275,000 in grant money to local organizations on Wednesday.

First Federal bank donates 1 percent of its net profits from CDs to the foundation each year.

The foundation, which is governed by a board of directors, has donated more than \$300,000 since it began

Rex Lytle, president of the board of directors, said the foundation received 48 applications in 2008 —



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almost twice as many compared to the previous year. The recipients on

Wednesday included:

- Ageless Senior Center Inc.
- Castleford School District. City of Burley
- City of Paul

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The convict question Some cities eliminate criminal-history inquiry on job applications

By John Christoffersen Associated Press writer

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — Hoping to prevent convicts from being shut out of the work force, some major U.S. cities are eliminating questions from their job applications that ask whether prospective employees have ever been convicted of a crime.

Most of the cities still conduct background checks after making conditional job offers, but proponents say the new approach will help more convicts find work and reduce the likelihood they will commit new crimes.

"This makes sense in terms of reducing violence. The amount of recidivism

committing crimes again in this population is dramatic, and it has taken a toll on this community," said John DeStefano, mayor of New Haven, where officials recently proposed a so-called "ban the box" ordinance that drops the criminal-history question from job applica-

Similar measures have been adopted in recent years Boston, Chicago, Minneapolis, Baltimore, San Francisco, Oakland, Calif., and Norwich, Conn. Los Angeles and other cities are considering doing so.

Some cities such as Chicago continue to conduct criminal background checks for all positions. Others such as Boston do so only when

reviewing applicants for school jobs or other sensitive duties.

In New Haven, 25 former prisoners arrive each week after being released. Without help, about 10 of them will return to a life of crime, officials said. The city has some 5,000 residents on probation or parole.

New Haven's existing application asks whether prospective employees have ever been convicted of anything other than minor traffic violations or juvenile offenses.

Shelton Tucker, a New Haven resident who served five years in prison for assault with a firearm, said he has lost countless job opportunities because of his record.

"There were some times I

was tempted to go back to my old way of making money." Tucker said. "I fell off the wagon a few times. You get

stuck with this decision of

telling the truth and possibly never being called or lying to get the job and losing it later." Tucker, who was recently laid off from a glass company because of the weak economy, said eliminating the criminal-history question would encourage more people to apply for jobs. But, he

the problem, noting that criminal background checks would still be conducted. "In a way it's just window dressing," Tucker said.

said, the policy will not solve

Cities that have dropped the question could not say how many convicts they have hired. Baltimore has had a hiring freeze since it banned the box nearly a year ago, officials said.

Proponents acknowledge that changing the application is not a panacea, but they insist it allows people with criminal records to get a foot in the door.

Cities are also creating standards for determining whether a criminal record is relevant to the job.

In Chicago, where more than 20,000 inmates return from prison annually and two-thirds are arrested within three years, the city adopted a hiring policy to balance the nature and severity of the crime with other factors, such as the passage of time and evidence of rehabilitation.



Shelton Tucker stands in the doorway in New Haven, Conn. Tucker, who was laid off from his job with a glass company, says he has lost countless job opportunities because of his prison record.

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BUSINESS BRIEFS

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CSI to offer free career counseling

The College of Southern Idaho's Career Counseling Office will conduct free, public job skills workshops from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. each Wednesday.

Readiness Career Facilitator Kate Woods said the sessions will include practicing interviewing techniques, gaining confidence in searching for a job, and discussions on employer research, resumes, cover letters, employment applications, interview expectations, follow up techniques, and how to succeed in your new job.

Classes are free and open to both CSI students and to the general public. Meeting space is limited, however. and those who plan to attend are urged to sign up in advance by calling the Center at 208-732-6260 or by e-mail kwoods@csi.edu.

The Career Counseling Center is located on the ground floor of the CSI Student Union near the northeast entrance to the building.

Homebuyers invited to attend Finally Home

First time homebuyers are invited to attend two low-cost information sessions called "Finally Home," a program that teaches people how to buy their first house. The next classes will be held from 6 to 10 p.m. Tuesdays, Jan. 20 and 27 in room 277 of the Taylor building at the College of Southern Idaho.

The program, which is funded by federal grants and state and local partnerships, educates first time homebuyers about home shopping, realtor selection,

insurance, down payment, closing costs, and other aspects of getting into their first home.

Those who complete the two-evening course may qualify for reduced mortgage insurance premiums, down payment and closing cost assistance, and other special lender programs. The cost for both classes is \$10 per person, which includes the manual. Space is limited and pre-registration is required.

For information or to sign up, contact Penny Johnson at CSI at 208-732-6287 or at pjohnson@ csi.edu.



STEPHEN CROWLEY/The New York Times

Former chief executive officers of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac testify at a House Oversight and Government Reform Committee hearing in Washington, D.C.

Paulson says changes needed at Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac

By Martin Crutsinger Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON

Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson on Wednesday said the best option for the future of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac could be for the mortgage giants to be run like public utilities.

In what could be his last speech as Treasury secretary, Paulson said that allowing the two companies to return to their previous operating approach chase and securitize mort-

was not an option.

Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac were taken over by the government in September and placed in a conservatorship after mounting mortgage losses put them in operating distress that was a prelude to the broader financial crisis that hit Wall Street last year.

Under Paulson's proposal, Congress would replace Fannie and Freddie with one or two private sector entities that would pur-

gages with a credit guarantee backed by the federal government. The new companies would be privately owned but governed by a rate-setting commission that would establish a targeted rate of return, he said.

Paulson said this approach "could be the best way to resolve the inherent conflict between public purpose and private gain."

Congress and the next administration must decide the proper role government should play in supporting

home ownership in light of the severe economic costs imposed on the nation from the bursting of the housing bubble, Paulson

"With the knowledge of recent experience, we have a responsibility to begin work now on a long-term (government sponsored enterprises) structure which avoids the dangerous mix of policy and market distortions created by the former flawed GSE mode," he said.

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- City of Twin Falls
- Filer Senior Haven
- Friends of Burley Public Library
- Hagerman school District • Magic Valley Tennis Association
- Mustard Seed Ministries Inc.
- Renaissance Arts Center Inc. Twin Falls Soccer Association
- Twin Falls Youth Baseball Trust
- West End Senior Citizens

The money will help fund capital investments for the organizations, Lytle said.

Alan Horner, president and CEO of First Federal Bank, said he expects the foundation's corpus to grow to nearly \$2 million in five years.

"The foundation's purpose is to better the community, and we only wish we had more money to give," he said. "But as the corpus grows, we will do just that."

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Barley posted the largest percentage increase, 62 percent, to \$231 million.

Grains provided the most dramatic storyline for Idaho growers during 2008. Barley prices soared 31 percent and the yield rose 13 percent, fed by a 6 bushel per acre increase. cash receipts

jumped 62 percent. Sugarbeet sales fell 30

percent to \$147 million, reflecting a 38 percent production drop. Onion sales dipped 8 percent to \$46 million.

Net farm income slipped 5 percent to \$1.68 billion from 2007's high, eroded by higher fuel prices and other expenses. The agri-

cultural economists' projected Idaho net farm income for 2008 ranked second only to 2007's \$1.774 billion during the last decade.

"Agriculture is part of the economic portfolio of the state," said John Hammel, dean of the College of Agricultural and Life "This report Sciences.

sends a clear message that it is important to maintain Idaho's investment in a valuable industry, and that we need to stop building houses on our best farm-

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COMMODITIES REPORT

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Feb	Live cattle	87.70	85.75	85.76	- 2.78		
Apr	Live cattle	90.60	88.90	88.93	- 2.40		
Jan	Feeder cattle	95.90	94.50	94.50	- 1.63		
Mar	Feeder cattle	95.80	93.10	93.28	- 2.70		
Apr	Feeder cattle	96.75	94.20	94.28	- 2.73 40		
Feb Apr	Lean hogs Lean hogs	64.90 71.15	63.40 69.85	63.55 70.25	60		
лрі Feb	Pork belly	87.40	84.75	85.90	- 1.85		
Mar	Pork belly	87.20	84.50	84.50	- 2.50		
Mar	Wheat	632.50	610.00	613.25	- 30.25		
May	Wheat	623.50	623.50	626.00	- 30.50		
Mar	KC Wheat	656.00	637.00	637.00	- 33.00		
May	KC Wheat	665.00	653.00	648.00	- 33.00		
Mar	MPS Wheat	683.50	652.50	664.00	- 20.50		
May	MPS Wheat	690.00	659.75	669.75	- 19.75		
Mar	Corn	421.00	413.25	416.50	- 11.00		
May	Corn	431.00	424.00	427.25	- 10.75		
Jan	Soybeans	1003.00	991.00	990.00	- 24.25		
Mar	Soybeans	1004.50	989.00	990.00	- 26.00		
Jan	BFP Milk	10.85	10.85	10.83	16		
Feb	BFP Milk	9.85	9.40	9.40	64		
Mar	BFP Milk BFP Milk	10.00 10.18	9.70 10.17	9.70 10.17	75 75		
Apr May	BFP Milk	10.18	10.17	10.17	75		
Mar	Sugar	12.33	11.92	11.98	29		
May	Sugar	12.85	12.46	12.52	28		
Mar	B-Pound	1.5272	1.4786	1.5104	+ .0184		
Jun	B-Pound	1.5266	1.4851	1.5266	+ .0350		
Mar	J-Yen	1.0839	1.0625	1.0810	+.0165		
Jun	J-Yen	1.0822	1.0663	1.0796	+ .0132		
Mar	Euro-currency	1.3717	1.3401	1.3609	+ .0117		
Jun	Euro-currency	1.3671	1.3399	1.3565	+ .0098		
Mar	Canada dollar	.8491	.8326	.8455	0119		
Jun	Canada dollar	.8485	.8350	.8369	0115		
Mar	U.S. dollar	84.10	82.47	83.08	65		
Feb	Comex gold	867.8	836.0	840.4	- 25.6		
Apr	Comex gold	868.8	838.0	841.8	- 25.4		
Mar May	Comex silver Comex silver	11.61 11.58	10.88 10.92	11.00 11.12	45 35		
Mar	Treasury bond	133.13	131.29	132.28	+ .06		
Jun	Treasury bond	131.27	130.20	131.16	+ .00		
Mar	Coffee	117.20	113.75	114.20	- 1.90		
May	Coffee	119.45	115.85	116.35	- 2.05		
Mar	Cocoa	1820	1788	1800	+ 13		
May	Cocoa	1797	1765	1771	+ 2		
Mar	Cotton	50.23	49.10	49.61	67		
May	Cotton	50.50	49.50	49.97	63		
Feb	Crude oil	49.09	42.41	42.70	- 5.88		
Feb	Unleaded gas	1.2000	1.0671	1.0805	1087		
Feb	Heating oil	1.6478	1.5358	1.5473	0790		
Feb	Natural gas	6.070	5.784	5.885	098		
Quotations from Sinclair & Co. 733-6013 or (800) 635-0821							

BEANS

Valley Beans
Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should con-tact dealers.

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Pintos, no quote, new crop; great northerns, no quote; pinks, no quote, new crop; small reds, no quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Jan. 7.

Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Pintos, Ltd. \$38; great northerns, not established; small whites, not established; small reds, Ltd. \$40-\$43. Quotes current Jan. 7.

GRAINS

Prices for wheat per bushel: mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice.

Soft white wheat, ask; barley, ask oats, ask; corn, ask (15 percent moisture). Prices are given daily by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Jan. 7.

Barley, \$8.00 (48-lb. minimum) spot delivery in Twin Falls and Gooding: corn, no quote (Twin Falls only).

Prices musted by I and 0'I akes Inc. in Twin Falls. Prices quoted by Land O'Lakes Inc. in Twin Falls.

Intermountain Grain
POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain
Grain and Livestock Report on Wednesday.
POCATELLO — White wheat 4.60 (down 20); 11.5 percent winter 5.16 (down 31; 14 percent spring 7.17
(down 20); barley 5.65 (steady)

BURLEY — White wheat 4.33 (down 30; 11.5 percent winter 5.27 (down 29); 14 percent spring 6.84 (down 25); barley 5.75 (steady) OGDEN — White wheat 5.18 (down 25); 11.5 percent winter 5.58 (down 33); 14 percent spring 7.37 (down 20); barley 6.85 (steady) PORTLAND — White wheat 5.80 (down 10); 11 percent winter 6.476.54 (down 33 to 36); 14 percent spring 8.47 (down 28); barley n/a NAMPA — White wheat cwt 7.75 (down 8): bushel 4.65 (down 5)

Intermountain Livestock
LIVESTOCK AUCTION — Blackfoot Livestock Auction
on Friday. Utility and commercial cows 36.00-44.00;
canner and cutters 20.00-37.00; heavy feeder steers
77.00-83.0; light feeder steers 79.00-97.00; stocker
steers 85.00-104.00; heavy holstein feeder steers
n/a; light holstein feeder steers n/a; heavy feeder
heifers n/a; slaughter bulls 41.00-49.00; Remarks:
No comments.

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Barrels: \$1.0300, - .0300: Blocks: \$1.0400, - .0400

POTATOES

Potatoes CHICAGO (AP) — USDA — Major potato markets FOB shipping points Monday. Russet Burbanks Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count: 100 Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A). Russet Norkotahs Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count: 100

count.
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count. Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A). Round Reds 50-lb sacks Size A Wisconsin 10.50-11.50. Round Reds 50-lb cartons Size A Minnesota N. Dakota 10.00-11.00. Baled 5-10 lb film bags Size A 9.75-10.75. Round Whites 50-lb sacks size A Wisconsin

LIVESTOCK

JEROME — Producers Livestock Marketing Association in Jerome reports the following prices from the livestock sale held Tuesday, Jan. 6.
Commercial utility cows: \$40-\$45.50 head;

Cutter/canner cows: \$36-\$41; Shelly/lite cows: \$25-\$35; Slaughter bulls: \$41-\$50.25; Choice steers: 500 to 600 lbs., \$85-\$89: 600 to 800 lbs., \$77-\$84,75 Choice heifers: 400 to 600 lbs., \$75-\$85; 600 to 700 lbs., \$75-\$97.50; 700 to 800 lbs., \$77.50-\$84.75

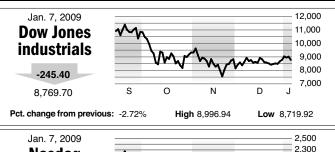
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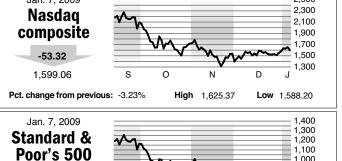
Key currency exchange rates NEW YORK (AP) — Key currency exchange rates Exch. Rate Pvs Day 92.65 94.01 \$1.3614 \$1.3523

Swiss franc Canadian dollar 13,4803

Selected world gold prices, Wednesday. London morning fising: \$864.00 up \$15.75. London afternoon fixing: \$848.50 up \$0.25. NY Handy & Harman: \$848.50 up \$0.25. NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$916.38 up \$0.27.

A DAY ON WALL STREET





-28.05 700 906.65 Pct. change from previous: -3% High 927.45 Low 902.37

The Dow finished Wednesday down 245.40, or 2.72 percent, to 8,769.70, its biggest point and percentage decline since Dec. 1. Broader stock indicators also tumbled. The Standard & Poor's 500 index fell 28.05, or 3 percent, to 906.65. It was the biggest drop for the index since Dec. 1.

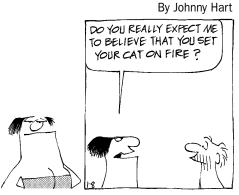
The Nasdaq composite index fell 53.32, or 3.23 percent, to 1,599.06, hit by the decline in Intel shares.

The Russell 2000 index of smaller companies fell 17.61, or 3.42 percent, to 497.10. Declining issues outnumbered advancers by about 4 to 1 on the

New York Stock Exchange, where volume came to a light 1.24 billion shares compared with 1.34 billion shares Tuesday.

Bond prices were mixed Wednesday. The yield on the benchmark 10-year Treasury note, which moves opposite its price, rose to 2.49 percent from 2.47 percent late Tuesday. The yield on the three-month T-bill, considered one of the safest investments, edged fell to 0.11 percent from 0.14 percent.



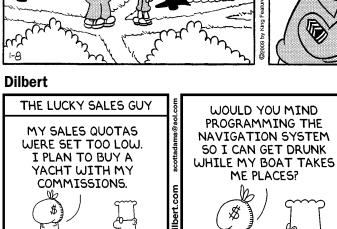




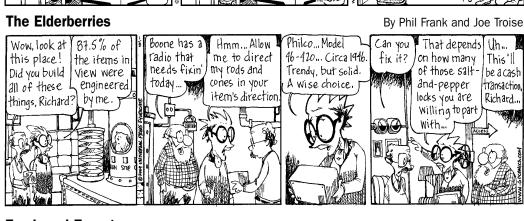


























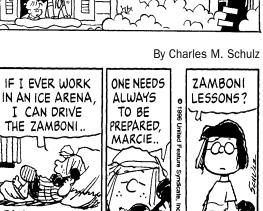


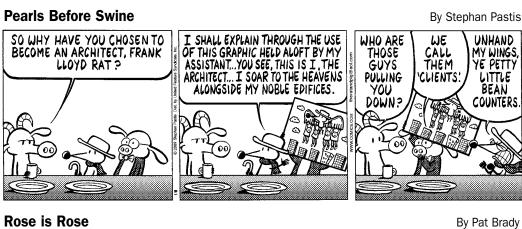






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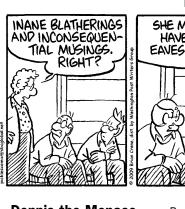








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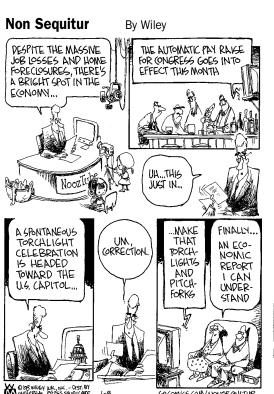








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TWIN FALLS FORECAST

Today: Light showers or a possible rain/snow mix. Highs,

Tonight: Variably cloudy, but likely dry. Lows, 20s. Tomorrow: Partly cloudy. Highs, 30s.

BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Mixed showers. Highs near 40. Tonight: Mostly cloudy with the precipitation ending. Lows,

Tomorrow: Becoming partly cloudy. Highs, 30s.

IDAHO'S FORECAST SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS. Snow will continue to pile up, especially early today before the current cold front pushes further east. The weather will stay cool, but it will settle down for Friday. Saturday will feature wind and snow. Today Highs 28 to 31 Tonight's Lows 6 to 13 **BOISE** Showers will mix with snow at times 41/30 especially early today, but accumulations will be light. By Friday we will be in between weather systems. It will be a bit cooler, but dry. Today Highs/Lows 45 to 50 / 25 to 30 **NORTHERN UTAH** A cold front rolling through later today could bring some fresh snow to the mountains. Accumulations will be **Mountain Home Twin Falls**

Yesterday's State Extremes: 56 at Lewiston Low: 18 at Idaho Falls weather key: bz-blizzard, c-cloudy, fg-fog, hs-heavy snow, hz-haze, ls-light snow, mc-mostly cloudy, mx-wintery mix, pc-partly cloudy, r-rain, sh-showers, sn-snow, su-sunny, th-thunderstorm, w-wind

GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY

What you are will show in what you do.

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST Yesterday's Weather **Tonight Friday** Saturday Monday City Today Sunday Hi Lo Prcp Mostly cloudy A few mixed Partly cloudy and Mostly cloudy showers still around cloudy Rexburg High 42 Low 28 34 / 18 32 / 17 33 / 22 36 / 21

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Normal High/Lov	v 33 / 17	Normal Month to Date	0.31"	Today's Maximum	87%		Saturday	Sunrise:	8:07 AM	Sunset: 5:25 PM	
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Melting snow causes flooding in Wash. state

By Gene Johnson **Associated Press writer**

SNOQUALMIE, Wash. -Rain and high winds lashed Washington Wednesday, causing widespread avalanches, mudslides, flooding and road closures as the heavy snowfall that has buried parts of the state began to rapidly melt.

More than 30,000 people were told to leave their homes in a flood-endangered valley southeast of Tacoma, as authorities warned of heavy flooding.

"This is going to be a memorable flood event," said Andy Haner, a National Weather Service meteorologist in Seattle.

Fire trucks rolled through Orting, about 10 miles southeast of Tacoma, with advising loudspeakers everyone to leave the town and surrounding valley, home to about 26,000 people. Sandbags were placed around many downtown homes and businesses as the Puyallup River neared

record levels. "They expect the town of Orting to go under water," Pierce County sheriff's

Detective Ed Troyer said, adding that the flooding could be the worst in more than a decade.

Tacoma Mayor Baarsma declared a civil emergency because of flood risks at Puyallup River.

Throughout the state, 62 highways were closed, including every pass through the Cascade Range.

Warmer temperatures and heavy rains were melting

snow dumped on the mountains during a weekend storm, with 10 inches of snow melting in a 12-hour period at Snoqualmie Pass, about 50 miles east of

Seattle, Haner said. In Snoqualmie, a town 25 miles east of Seattle, kayakers paddled in the street as city officials urged residents in the flood plain of the Snoqualmie River to leave before they became trapped.

Volunteers gathered at a city park to stuff sandbags for residents to protect their

June Garvin said she lived high on a ridge outside the danger area but wanted to

help. 'The river came up so fast that for some people, sorry to say, sandbags aren't going to do a darn thing," Garvin said. "The water's going to get in if it wants to."

Chris Caviezel, who has lived at Snoqualmie Pass for about seven years, said conditions were the worst he has

"We're getting avalanches and we're being flooded," Caviezel said.

The weather service predicted another 4 to 8 inches of rain would fall on the coast and Cascades through Wednesday night and 1 to 3 inches elsewhere

in the region.

Several dozen people and a number of pets were rescued by boat Wednesday morning after trapped by high water outside Orting, Pierce County sheriff's Detective Ed Troyer said.

weather service The warned that rain-saturated snow would place even more weight on Spokane rooftops, increasing the threat of collapse. The city's schools were closed, giving its 29,000 students a second unscheduled day off this week.

The state Fish and Wildlife Department said six wild elk that took refuge in a storage barn in Metaline Falls were killed Tuesday when the snow-laden roof collapsed. Officers said it was rare for elk to be so desperate that they would enter a barn.

In Oregon, high winds toppled trees along U.S. 26, forcing the highway's closure stranding motorists while crews worked to clear the road. The weather service posted flood warnings for areas along several rivers and a flood watch for all of northwest Oregon.

Spokane residents cope with record snow fall

By Nicholas K. Geranios **Associated Press writer**

SPOKANE, Wash. — More than 6 feet of snow in the past three weeks has left Spokane residents frustrated. Tempers are so frayed that a man was arrested for shooting at a snow plow operator.

This unusually harsh winter has disrupted schools, traffic, garbage pickup and mail service in the city of 200,000.

Roofs are collapsing, streets are clogged with ice and slush and locals are starting to refer to this as Snomaggedon.

Even visitors impressed.

"This is the most snow I've seen," Tennessee women's basketball coach Pat Summitt said when her team played at Gonzaga University on Dec. 30. "It's beautiful."

Parents were thinking otherwise Wednesday as icy roads and pools of melting snow snarled the morning commute and prompted Spokane schools to again

Tow truck driver Fred Burnham shovels around a vehicle before towing it to make room for snowplows in Spokane, Wash. on Tuesday.

close, giving 29,000 students a second unscheduled day off this week.

"Its an ice rink out there," school spokeswoman Terran Roloff said.

Heavy rain and temperatures in the mid-40s caused the National Weather Service to issue a flood warning in the Spokane area.

partially Mudslides blocked three roads south of Spokane: U.S. Highway 272

just west of Palouse, Highway 26 three miles west of Colfax and Highway 194 near Almota. Highway 27 along the Idaho border was reduced to one lane due to Spokane has received more

than 78 inches of snow about the height of Michael Jordan — since mid-December. That's far above its average of less than 50 inches for an entire winter.

Normally about 16 inches would have fallen at this

point. The local record for an entire winter is 93.5 inches set in 1949-50. That is likely to be shattered soon.

As many as 200 members of the Washington National Guard were being dispatched to the Spokane area to help snow removal Wednesday, particularly on school rooftops, Laura Lockard, a spokeswoman for Gov. Chris Gregoire, said Tuesday.

Snow rage is getting to

One man was arrested by Spokane police after gunshots were fired Monday morning at a private snow plow operator who was clearing a parking lot. Police said the motorist apparently got upset when the plow operator honked his horn.

"It's safe to say that fuses are short, people are frustrated and we are having an increase in neighborhood disputes regarding snowrelated issues," said Jennifer

DeRuwe, a police spokes-

woman. Hot lines at Spokane Mental Health are getting twice the number of calls from people seeking help, said Staci Cornwell of the agency. Some are from elderly people who need help picking up medications, or with shoveling. Other callers are just agitated.

"In our community, people are getting upset, angry, stressed out because of all this snow," Cornwell said. "There's a pending fear of what else is to come."

Jeff Hastings, a mental health counselor, said people's emotional reserves are becoming drained.

"Then people get angry and irritable and depressed and feel anxiety," Hastings said. "They feel over-

whelmed." Treacherous roads are a major complaint. Many are covered with ice, heavily rutted and reduced to one lane

by piles of plowed snow. Mayor Mary Verner said the city is spending an estimated \$150,000 a day to operate plows around the clock.

Downtown, snow has been piled in the middle of streets in hills that are taller than adults and give the impression of driving in giant slots.

Driving conditions are so bad that most of the region's malls closed early the weekbefore Christmas because employees and customers could not reach them. Employers continued to have problems on Tuesday, especially big box stores with flat roofs. Several checked by The Associated Press were closed on Tuesday.

The winter break for schoolchildren started two days early, on Dec. 17, because of snow, and school had been scheduled to resume on Monday before Spokane County Sheriff Ozzie Knezovich — pointing to a "once in a lifetime winter" — took the unprecedented step of recommending schools remain closed because children could not travel safely.



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Kirby Bright, of Kimberly, and his dog Spook pose with the four ducks — three gadwalls and one mallard — they took while hunting Dec. 16 on the Snake River south of Buhl.

Hunting waterfowl in cold weather has its advantages

By Rob Morris Times-News correspondent

Ski resorts, irrigators and children hoping for school cancellations aren't the only ones happy to see recent snowstorms hit south-central Idaho.

Waterfowl hunters also dream of such weather.

Cold weather and snow pushes flocks of late migrating waterfowl down from more northern latitudes, and causes ducks and geese to travel more in search of food and open water.

Winter weather brings vast flights of goldeneye, buffleheads, bluebills and other diver-ducks that raft up in big flocks on the Snake River. Colder temperatures, which have frozen most small bodies of water, force ducks to use bigger rivers and remaining spring creeks as resting water.

This means more opportunity for hunters willing to brave the

WINTER TACTICS

Winter hunting tactics are much the same as they are earlier in the season. Set up a realistic decoy in resting water and ducks, and sometimes geese, will land.

Be aware, however, that your quarry has seen many decoys by the time they arrive in southern Idaho. A decov missing a little paint on its bill, which would be harmless in October, will flare an entire flock of latemigrating, educated mallards or widgeons.

Many decoy manufactures now produce decoys with "flocked" heads, coated with non-reflective fuzz that looks realistic and seems to work much better on late season ducks. Flocking kits can be purchased at most sporting goods stores to upgrade your decoys; or if your decoys have removable heads, preflocked heads are available as an improvement.

Mix in some other species

of decoys rather than all mallards. Widgeons, wood duck and teal decovs seem to bring in reluctant mallards as well as those of their own

By January, migrating ducks have heard all the overtures. Call sparingly with a few solitary quacks and feeding chuckles now and then, nothing more.

Many ducks, such as pintail and widgeon, don't quack; they whistle. Using a widgeon whistle along with

decoys will add realism to vour spread and help pull in those late migrants.

Even if you're hunting in a goose closure area, throw in some goose decoys in your spread, as they act as a confidence decoy to ducks. Also consider adding a blue heron decoy to your spread. Ducks naturally trust these sharp-eyed, wary-wading birds as harbingers of safety.

Also don't forget the foliage that hid you in November is totally gone, and the reflection off your glasses or even your bare face can flare ducks. Use a mesh face net, such as is used by turkey hunters, and vour success rate will increase.

HUNTING RANGE

Most ballistics experts agree that the absolute maximum shotgun range for taking waterfowl is 60 vards if you're using premium loads like Hevi-shot or Bismuth, less with the non-premium steel shot load that most waterfowlers use.

Late season migrants have thick feathers that can absorb punishment. If anything, it's best to shorten the range you would normally shoot rather than taking

longer shots.

I have witnessed hunters taking shots at passing flocks that seem out of range for a surface-to-air missile. Such "sky-busting" only irritates fellow hunters, increases the profit margin for ammunition companies, and contributes to the wounding loss

It may only take one pellet to bring down a bird, but chances are it will fall far from your blind, resulting in a long and dangerous retrieval for you or your dog.

How do you know what is too far? Here's a tip I learned from an old-time waterfowler: if you can clearly see the feet of a duck or goose, it's in range; if you can't, don't shoot.

JUMP HUNTING

As the temperature drops and the small, static water freezes, ducks and geese will often feed and roost on small, spring-fed creeks that don't freeze. Both ducks and geese will feed on watercress, duck potato and other aquatic plants that remain available throughout the

Although such places are

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Study: Glen Canyon, Zion lead in **Utah park** rescues

By Mike Stark **Associated Press writer**

SALT LAKE CITY — If you're a guy in your 20s on a day hike in a national park in Utah, step carefully. You're among the most likely to need rescuing.

Between 2001 and 2005, there were more than 1,100 search and rescue operations at National Park Service units in the state, according to a new study. Of those, 60 percent involved men and most ran into problems while on a day hike or boating.

The biggest sources of trouble? Take your pick from fatigue, heat, darkness, insufficient equipment and not wearing the proper clothing.

The most common culprit, though, was bad judgment or lack of good information, according to the study headed by Travis Heggie, an assistant professor at the University of North Dakota.

He's hoping the park service will do more - especially on the Web — to educate visitors about how to stay out of trouble in the parks.

'The best time to get people the safety message is before they leave the house," Heggie said.

In 2007, \$4.7 million was spent in national parks across the country looking for lost, stranded or injured visitors, according to Park Service figures. More than 97 percent of searches were successful within 24 hours.

Although search efforts often make headlines at Grand Canyon, Yosemite and parks in Alaska, Utah's five national parks and five national monuments draw about 8 million visits per year - and a few visitors are bound to run into trouble.

"It's a high profile area with some important parks," Heggie said, who based the study based on annual reports from Utah's national parks.

Heggie, a former ranger who once worked on a risk management program for the Park Service, said he wanted to get a better feel for the workload of those doing emergency medicine and search and rescue in Utah's national parks.

'People in those parks, the guys doing search and rescue, they're are some of the best," Heggie said.

The study is published in

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Traversing ice just got a lot easier with the A.T. Grip Hobnail kit

■ he entire city was an ice rink. A half-foot of new snow, followed by a freak warm spell with meltwater running on the sidewalks — then a refreeze had swirled in to create the worst conditions imaginable for running outdoors.

But La Sportiva, an Italian company known for its boots and climbing shoes, had a solution. A new product, the A.T. Grip Hobnail kit, allows runners to add industrialstrength traction to their soles via the application of 20

screw-in spikes. For the sake of this column, over three days I ran about 25 miles on mostly glare ice. My dog, tethered on a leash at my side, slipped and crashed a dozen times. I fell down not once.



THE GEAR **JUNKIE** Stephen Regenold

The \$40 A.T. Grip kit (www.lasportiva.com) comes with its namesake hobnail spikes and a tool to screw them into rubber lugs under-

Large, razor-edge threads cut in and sank into the lugs on the sole of my test shoe,

the La Sportiva Ultranord. Once in place, the hobnails poke out less than a quarterinch. But arrange the spike pattern right - I put a couple points up front, four on the midfoot, and three fur-

ther back — and you can create a shoe that will rarely slip, even on glaze ice.

For my first attempt, I placed five hobnails on each foot, but traction was only just adequate. At home, I used up the remaining spikes, applying 10 hobnails to each shoe.

The setup was not slipproof. I did

slide and readjust for balance several times on the glare sidewalks around my home. But, as stated, I never crashed. The hobnail kit did its job of keeping me upright.

On pavement, the spikes crunch and grind. They will dull slightly after some use. A

bit of cement is fine in between snow and ice, though they are not made for year-round use. La Sportiva includes its screwdriver tool so you can apply and remove the spikes as conditions demand.

Be careful before putting the spikes in place. The hobnails are made to work on shoes with fairly thick soles and tread lugs. They could screw straight through the sole if you're not watching. This potential scenario made my favorite trail runners, a thinsole Inov-8 model, not a candidate for the spike add-ons.

But with the Ultranords, which are a mid-weight, waterproof trail shoe, the hobnail kit did not disap-

For me, with this kit and the right clothing, cold temps and icy sidewalks no longer matter. Now, step aside and shut the door when I leave. I'm heading out for a run.

Stephen Regenold writes a daily blog on outdoors gear at www.gearjunkie.com.

America's fun gun: Ruger's rimfire 10/22

say hello to my little friend—Ruger's enormously popular semiautomatic rimfire, the 10/22.

With well more than 5 million rifles and carbines sold since its introduction in 1964, there can be little doubt that scores of casual plinkers, small game hunters and rimfire competitive target shooters share my affection for this slick little repeater.



SHOOTING THE BULL Rich Simpson

Why don't we pop the hood on Bill Ruger's rimfire wonder and see if we can uncover some of the reasons for its phenomenal success in this highly competitive marketplace.

Simple rugged mechanism: The 10/22's action operates on the tried-andtrue blowback principle. In a nutshell, this firing system uses the back thrust of the relatively low pressure rimfire cartridges to eject the fired casing, recock the hammer, and shuttle a fresh cartridge into the chamber with each pull of the trigger.

But don't let this simplicity of operation fool you, it is also lightning fast. With a little practice, even a novice shooter could have emptied a magazine full of cartridges in less time it took you to read this last sentence.

Innovative magazine: A repeating firearm is only as reliable as its cartridgefeeding mechanism and William B. Ruger's detachable rotary magazine is, in my opinion, the slickest one around. Fashioned from either a durable black or clear composite material



with stainless steel feed lips, this magazine is dead tough and reliable to the extreme.

By storing its 10 rounds of .22 ammo (hence its name) in a circular array, the 10/22 overcomes many of the failings of it competitors' single stack clips or tubular magazines. This rotary arrangement provides consistent spring tension on each round for easier loading and flawless feeding - all this in an abbreviated package that doesn't protrude below the belly of the stock.

Reliability and high capacity in a completely unobtrusive design that makes for easy hand-carry in the field. Sounds like a win-win situation to me!

A bevy of "super models": Ruger currently offers its 10/22 in no less than seven different configurations literally a model for any taste or type of rimfire shooting desired.

Models vary principally in stock/barrel styles and materials. Traditionalists can purchase compact, carbine, and full-size rifle models with blued or stainless metalwork fitted into hardwood or pricier American walnut stocks. The nail tough "All Weather" models crafted of stainless steel barrels and aluminum alloy actions bolted to rugged synthetic stocks find

favor with heavy-duty use

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sportsmen.

Precision hole-punchers flock around the "Target" models featuring match grade-heavy contour blued/stainless barrels bedded in robust laminated target stocks. My kids' favorite — the handy Compact model sports an abbreviated stock and shorter 16 1/2inch barrel perfectly tailored to younger or smaller stature shooters.

Countless customizing options: With the possible exception of the AR-15 style weapons, no other firearm in human history has ever had so many customizing options available for it. In fact, an entire after-market industry has developed around the 10/22. The modular nature of the 10/22 allows aficionados to "trick out" and personalize their guns about a zillion different ways.

In my next column, I'll highlight some of today's most popular customizing options, as well as specialty Web sites catering to the 10/22 trade. And the best part: For a very reasonable expenditure, you can transform your run-of-the-mill 10/22 into a one-of-a-kind Hammer of Thor.

Good shooting!

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OUTDOORS BRIEFS

Snow bike riding at Magic Mountain

If you've never been on a snow bike before, Saturday is your chance.

The bikes will be available to ride Saturday at Magic Mountain.

There is no cost to try out the bikes, but you must be at least 16 years old, according to Rick Hulbert, national sales representative for Geary Snowbikes, the Ogden, Utahbased company that manufactures the bikes.

The bikes, which come in 20-inch frames, are a hybrid mountain bike and BMX but have sleds instead of wheels, Hulbert said. They have full suspension, and, for the resorts, are lift-friendly, he said.

For more information about the bikes: www.gearysnowbikes.com. For more about Magic Mountain or the Saturday event: 734-5979 or http://www.magicmountainresort.com.

Cross-country ski lessons Saturday

For those interested in trying cross country skiing, the opportunity arrives this Saturday.

Free lessons in Nordic skiing will be offered starting at 10 a.m. and continuing until 3 p.m. at the Magic Mountain Ski Area Lodge by members of the High Desert Nordic Association.

HDNA members will provide basic instruction in the sport, as well as fitting participants with proper skis, boots and poles, said Dale Stewart, association president.

The annual event, always scheduled the second Saturday in January, is a cooperative effort of the Magic Mountain Ski Area, the U.S. Forest Service, the Idaho State Parks Department and the ski association. It coincides with the parks department's state-wide Idaho Free Ski Day, designed to promote the use of cross country ski trails at state parks and other areas.

For more information: 733-

Chukar and partridge seasons to close

Partridge hunters: Hold your fire. The 2008-09 chukar and gray partridge hunting seasons will close statewide three weeks early this year effective Friday.

Population surveys indicate two consecutive recordlow years of partridge populations. Recent adverse weather conditions have concentrated birds and may lead to further local reductions in populations.

The Idaho Department of Fish and Game has determined an emergency exists and closed the 2009 chukar and gray partridge season.

Application period for spring controlled hunts coming up

The application period for spring turkey and spring black bear controlled hunts

starts Jan. 15 and runs through Feb. 15.

Hunters may apply for controlled hunts at any hunting and fishing license vendor, Fish and Game office; with a credit card by calling 1-800-55HUNT5 or 1-800-824-3729; or online at http://fishandgame.idaho.go v. The nonrefundable application fee is \$6.25 per person, per species. An additional service charge is added for telephone and Internet applications — 3 percent of the transaction plus \$5.50 for telephone and 3 percent of the transaction plus \$3.50 for Internet.

Do not include tag fees with controlled hunt applications. Applicants must have a valid 2009 hunting license.

Successful spring black bear and turkey applicants will be notified no later than March 10. Drawing results also will be available on the Fish and Game Web site. It is the responsibility of applicants to find out whether they were successful in the drawing.

Spring turkey and spring black bear seasons start April 15 — some controlled hunts open later. Leftover tags for spring turkey and bear controlled hunts go on sale April 1.

Be sure to check the appropriate Fish and Game rules book for details — 2008 big game rules for spring black bear, and the 2008-2009 & 2009-2010 upland game rules for spring turkey hunts.

Avalanche education on tap for ski association members

Avalanche education for cross-country and backcountry skiers will be presented when the High Desert Nordic Association meets on Wednesday.

The meeting will start at 7 p.m. at Idaho Joe's Restaurant on Blue Lakes Boulevard North. All persons who are interested in cross-country or backcountry skiing are welcome to attend.

"With the high danger of avalanches from snow conditions in recent weeks and reports of skier and snowmobiler deaths from them, the information about the causes of avalanches and how to respond to them is timely," said Dale Stewart, president of the association.

For more information: 733-1882.

F&G Commission to meet in Boise

Big game hunters may want to set aside some time in January to attend the Idaho Fish and Game Commission meeting Jan. 27-29 in Boise.

Commissioners will be considering changes to seasons for moose, bighorn sheep and mountain goat for 2009.

The three-day meeting starts with a public hearing at 7 p.m. Jan. 27 at Fish and Game headquarters, 600 S. Walnut St., Boise.

The commissioners start the rest of the meeting at 8

a.m. Jan. 28. Items on the agenda include a legislative budget hearing and 2009 seasons for moose, bighorn sheep and mountain goat.

Waterfowl season continues

Waterfowl hunters are reminded that they need a 2009 hunting license if they want to keep hunting into the new year.

All hunters must have a valid hunting license with a federal migratory game bird harvest information program validation, and hunters 16 years old or older must have a federal migratory bird stamp, good through the end of the waterfowl seasons.

Nontoxic shot is required to hunt waterfowl.

The 107-day season for duck, geese, coots and snipe continues through Jan. 16 in Area 1, northern and eastern Idaho, and through Jan. 23 in Area 2, southwestern Idaho and Magic Valley.

There is no season on canvasbacks this year.

Consult Idaho waterfowl hunting rules book for bag limits and other details. The rules brochures are available at Idaho Fish and Game offices and hunting license vendors across the state. And they are available at the Fish Game Web site: http://fishandgame.idaho.go v/cms/hunt/rules/wf/.

Sun Valley SnowSports School clinics

The Sun Valley SnowSports School has announced a variety of fun ski and board clinics for children and adults.

For children in grades K-6, SnowSports Camp will be offered Jan. 10-11, 17-18, 24-25, 31 and will include seven lessons and lift tickets. Participants must register in person at River Run Lodge by Friday. They may choose a morning session, 9 to 11:30 a.m. or an afternoon session, 12:30 to 3 p.m. Dollar Mountain will be the first-day meeting place.

For adults, the Local's Clinic will be offered three consecutive Saturdays, Jan 10, 17, 24. Beginners will meet at Dollar from 10 a.m. to noon. Intermediates and advanced will meet at River Run from noon to 3 p.m., (11:30 a.m. first day).

Already under way, the Mountain Master's program intermediate advanced skiers will continue through March 13 and meets Monday-Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Mountain Master's five-day Race Clinic also will run through March 13, 9 a.m.noon Monday-Friday. Both GS and Slalom training will be offered. One day and threeday clinics also are available.

The popular Sun Valley SnowSports Women's Clinic will once again be taught by Lisa Densmore, former U.S. Ski Team and Women's Pro Ski Tour racer. The Clinic will be offered Feb. 6-8 taught for women by women.

For more information: 622-2289 or snowsports.sunvalley.com.

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'09 space missions will study universe near and far

▼ very January I look at holds for space missions, and 2009 looks to be as exciting as any.

The Orbiting Carbon Observer (launching late next month) and Glory (set for an Oct. 1 lift-off) spacecraft are environmental watchdogs. OCO will measure atmospheric carbon dioxide, while Glory will assess airborne pollution's impact on Earth's energy balance.

The European Space Agency plans to launch a rocket in early April carrying two astronomy missions. The Herschel telescope is optimized to study relatively low energy phenomena like planets and distant protogalaxies. The Planck mission will study still feebler energies, primarily the faint echoes of the big bang with finer sensi-



Craig Ginder poses with his 1975 Yamaha GPX snowmobile. Ginder, a member of Vintage Snowmobiles of

in the mall's center court. The sleds, dated from 1967 to about 1980, will be on display through Monday.

Idaho, won the People's Choice Award at the 2008 Stanley Show held in September. Starting Friday, visitors to

the Magic Valley Mall will be able to view Ginder's snowmobile and other vintage sleds, which will be displayed

SKYWATCH Chris Anderson

tivity and in sharper detail than ever before.

NASA plans its own infrared satellite, the Widefield Infrared Survey Explorer (WISE), due to launch in November to map the distribution of dust clouds, failed stars, asteroids, and heatemitting galaxies across the

entire sky. The workhorse of space observatories, the Hubble Space Telescope, welcomes its final human visitors in May to replace failed instruments and install upgraded detectors. Hopefully this will keep Hubble working until

Sky calendar through Thursday

One hour before sunrise: Saturn: SW, mid-sky One hour after sunset: Mercury: WSW, extremely low Venus: SW, low

Full moon Saturday, 8:27 p.m. (largest of 2009)

its successor launches in 2013.

The Kepler mission, slated for early March, aims to add Earth-sized planets to the rolls of over three hundred known extrasolar planets. By studying 100,000 stars several hundred orbiting, earthlike worlds might be discovered.

Closer to home, the delayed Lunar

Reconnaissance Orbiter and Lunar Crater Observing and Sensing Satellite will ride to the moon together in April, seeking to find suitable landing sites for future manned missions. And the Solar **Dynamics Observer will** launch in October to provide detailed views of the sun well after the expected failure of the aging Solar Heliospheric Observer satellite.

Finally, with the shuttle's retirement looming next year, July will bring the first unmanned test flight of Ares I, the aging space plane's successor.

Next week: Fraternal twin star clusters.

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uestion: About two years ago, I bought a new car from a local dealer. Because I'm 70 years old and a vidower, I had the car titled in my name and my son's name. I nad heard that titling the car in this way was a good way to pass the car to my son when I die without his having to go through probate. My son had to file a personal bankruptcy a few months



go, and his bankruptcy trustee is trying to take my car. Can the trustee do this?

nswer: This is a very complicated area of bankruptcy law, but essentially, you Answer: This is a very complicated and or ordinary..., and son's name on the title to your car gave him an ownership interest in the car. His ownership interest is an asset of his, and along with his other assets, it has become par of his bankruptcy estate. Unless your son can exempt the value of his ownership interes in your car, the trustee can take the car, sell it, and distribute the money to your son? insecured creditors. You or your attorney should contact the trustee and try to negotiate an arrangement where you can pay the trustee a sum of money in return for keeping the car. The lesson to be learned here is that you should NEVER put another person's name on the title or deed to property you own unless you are absolutely sure that the other person is financially solvent and will not be filing a bankruptcy. Idaho's Probate Code provides for an abbreviated probate procedure where property can be passed to your heirs after death very quickly and inexpensively. Therefore, placing your heir's name on a title or deed is usually

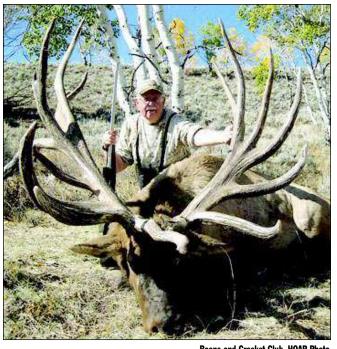


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In this Sept. 30, 2008 photo released Monday by the Boone and Crockett Club, Denny Austad of Ammon, poses with his prize elk in south-central Utah. The bull elk shot in Utah set a Boone and Crockett Club record for antlers. The club says with official data dating back to 1830, at 499-3/8 inches, it is the only elk on record with a gross score approaching the 500-inch mark.

Utah elk sets Boone and Crockett record

A bull elk shot in Utah has set a Boone and Crockett Club record.

system considers antler size, symmetry and configuration. A panel of judges awarded 478 5/8 Boone and Crockett points for the

The elk was shot by Denny Austad of Ammon, Idaho, on Sept. 30 in southcentral Utah.

The club says Austad hunted for 13 days before getting the animal, which has been dubbed "spider bull" for its antler configu-

Eldon Buckner, chair-

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — man of the club's Records of North American Big Game committee, says club officials talked with the The club's measurement hunter, his guides and state and federal officials to make sure the elk was wild and the hunt adhered to fair chase standards.

> The previous record for a hunter-killed elk was 450 6/8 Boone and Crockett points for one taken in 1998 in Arizona.

> Founded by Theodore Roosevelt in 1887, the Boone and Crockett Club is headquartered in Missoula, Mont. The group advocates for fair chase hunts and habitat conservation for big game in North America.

BUCKS AND BULLS BANQUET



ANDREW WEEKS/Times-News

John Howard, manager of Sportsman Warehouse in Twin Falls, stands near the 150 or so racks in this season's Bucks and Bulls contest. noward teamed up witn Jeft Frost, owner of intermountain Taxidermy and Rob Green Auto, both in Twin Falls, to host the third annual contest, which has four divisions - rifle, muzzleloader, archery, and youth. The contest started Aug. 15 and ended on Dec. 31. One- through thirdplace winners in all categories — those with the biggest racks — will be honored at a banquet Saturday at Radio Rondevoo, 241 Main St. in Twin Falls. Top prize is a Smith & Wesson eye-bolt .30-06 rifle with a 3x90 scope from Sportsman Warehouse, and free taxidermy by Intermountain Taxidermy. Judging of the racks will be done by Roger Selner of the popular outdoors magazine, Eastmans' Journal. Doors to the banquet open at 5 p.m., with dinner beginning at 6:30 p.m. Cost is \$30 (\$40 the day of). The event will also include a silent auction and vendor booths. For tickets and more information: John Howard, 737-9900 or Jeff Frost, 734-9790.

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usually found on private land, and tough to access, find one and you usually find waterfowl.

Don't be afraid to use your upland dog as a retriever in such situations. Many a pointer or setter owner discovered their charges are crazy about retrieving waterfowl. If your dog has been trained to walk at heel, have him walk beside you as you sneak along the creek; if not, have a hunting buddy walk behind you with pup on a leash, and alternate shooting.

Jump hunting can be both productive and fun, and is truly an art.

HUNTING SAFETY

It seems rare when boating accidents *don't* happen while waterfowl hunting, as boats are too often overloaded with decoys, dogs and hunters. Know the limitations of your craft and always use personal flotation devices.

Many lightweight camouflage-patterned floatation devices are available, which are barely noticeable when worn. My favorite is a ripcord operated, instantlyinflated model that uses a

CO2 cartridge. Retrieving waterfowl in big water in winter is tough duty. Be a kind master and get a neoprene vest for your dog. These vests add flotation and help keep your dog's core body temperature stable.

Don't be afraid to wrap your dog in a wool blanket between retrieving birds; even Chesapeake Bay Retrievers get cold!

Lastly, know the signs of hypothermia in your dog. According to Twin Falls smallanimal veterinarian Zsigmond Szanto, "hypothermia symptoms can be subtle at first; back and leg muscles might stiffen, and the eye pupils may dilate and the dog appear to be fixated on an object," he said. "Later symptoms are extreme shivering, unresponsiveness to your commands, sluggishness, lethargy and disorientation."

If you see any of these signs, quit hunting and get your dog in a warm place. "If your dog is hypothermic it's important not to warm them too rapidly," Szanto said.

Have fun, be safe, and good hunting!

Rob Morris may be reached at 208-655-4065.

Winter fishing plentiful in Idaho

brook trout may be taken

during winter stream sea-

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stream season. See regional

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Family fishing waters are open all year. These water

and simplified rules are

designed to be easy to use

and provide settings for a

great fishing trip for families,

kids and first-time anglers.

The limit is six trout and six

bass, with no limit on

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Despite fishing closing on some streams for the winter, most lakes, ponds and reservoirs and some rivers and streams are open all year.

In some parts of the state it gets cold enough for ice-fish-

Anglers must use their own discretion when deciding whether or not the ice is thick enough for ice-fishing. Four inches of solid ice not mushy or porous — is generally considered safe for anglers. Early season ice anglers should check ice before walking far from shore. Drill a hole and measure thickness.

Fish with a partner, take extra dry clothes and take a throw rope along just in case. The last reservoirs to form safe ice are those on the main stem Bear and Snake rivers. Anglers should wait until later in the winter to

Anglers also should pay attention to weather trends. If the weather warms up, ice may become less safe for fishing.

Man-made structures apply during the winter used to transport water for irrigation or hydro-power are open all year. Small, unnamed irrigation diversion ponds, beaver ponds and mill ponds have the same season as the river or stream on which they are located.

But many rivers and streams are closed during the winter, opening Saturday of Memorial Day weekend through Nov. 30. In 2009 that means they open May 23.



Teter snowboards for fun — and for the kids

By Eddie Pells **Associated Press writer**

BRECKENRIDGE, Colo. — Most snowboarders have an iPod inside their parka as they fly above the halfpipe, letting the music carry them across the ice and snow and into another world.

Hannah Teter takes the idea of "another world" to a different level. Right next to her iPod, she also carries a picture she took of schoolchildren in Africa, the ones she wants to help through her snowboarding.

The Olympic gold medalist, best known to many in the "mainstream" as that dippy, groovy, kid from Vermont who makes maple syrup, has taken a more serious approach as she prepares for the next Winter Games. All her winnings will go toward a charity project that helps kids in Kenya get access to better schools, medical attention and clean water.

A worthy cause, indeed, even if it's not the most likely of projects in the land of the Winter X Games.

"For me, being raised in America, to go over there and see what other people live through, it's just super heavy and grounding," Teter said. "It makes you so appreciative of what we have and what I have."

What Teter has is a tremendous sense of perspective for a 21-year-old who makes her living shredding through halfpipes. Snowboarders and the action sports crowd are, in general, a fun, relatively harmless bunch.

Most of them recognize that they have already



In this Jan. 26, 2008, file photo, Olympic snowboard halfpipe champion Hannah Teter poses in Aspen, Colo., during the Winter X Games.

life — making millions competing and shooting movies in one of the more profitable and trendy pastimes out there.

Yet there is a surprising dearth of charitable work mentioned on their Web sites. That's one thing Teter would like to change about her sport she's also trying to get a team together to market her Specialized Goodness wrist bands and shirts, made from organic products — and she's putting her money where her mouth is.

reached the bonus round of pete in about 10 events this season (she finished fourth and out of the money at an event in Breckenridge in December) and will donate all her prize money to her charities.

A noble gesture that's practically unheard of in any sport these days, even by those who like to say "it's not about the money." Teter is realistic on this subject, too. She says she can afford to do it thanks to endorsement contracts that reach the deep six fig-

"I've been blessed to have She is scheduled to com- enough to buy organic and

have a house in Tahoe. I know I'm going to be able to eat,"

Teter said. "This way, I can

work it so that anything extra,

Spring steelhead season runs through April 30, on the

Snake,

On the Salmon River from

Clearwater rivers, with some

Lake Creek Bridge to Long

Tom Creek, about a quarter

mile upstream of the Middle

Fork, the season ends March

the season runs through May

to Oxbow Dam, and on the

On the Little Salmon River

On the Snake River from Hells Canyon Dam upstream

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I can give to charity." Over the summer, Teter made her first trip to Kenya to see where the money was going.

In a town of 56,000 called Kirindon, she toured a number of schools, most with newly dug wells to provide fresh drinking water. They were building an addition to one school. And a boarding school at another place for runaway girls, some of whom are bartered and subjected to

early marriages. "So trippy," is how Teter described the trip. "It was so intense, the first school we went to. We didn't know what to expect. We're rolling through the backcountry. It was a day off for the kids, so we're not sure how many people are going to be there. But they all showed up. All 650 kids walked to school. They sang. They were in their fancy travel outfits. It was the most harmonious, heart-wrenching thing. Like, happy-sad. Intense but amazing. All these things at once."

Teter went on the trip with her parents and brothers, who make up the business and family venture they call "Team Teter." One brother, Amen, is her agent and works for the Octagon sports marketing firm. Two others, Abe and Elijah, are also a professional snowboarders. A few decades ago her parents, Jeff and Pat, moved from Missouri to Vermont at the urging of Hannah's grandmother, who had a vision of a better life there.

Rescue

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the latest issue of the journal Wilderness Environmental Medicine.

Overall, there were more than 4,700 medical calls in Utah national parks, including 79 fatalities between 2001 and 2005, according to the study.

The Park Service couldn't immediately verify the figures in Heggie's paper but several of the trends noted were similar to those in Park Service records.

Glen Canyon National Recreation Area had the highest number of incidents, accounting for nearly half of the search and rescue operations during the study period. On average, there were

about 112 search and rescue operations per year, the study said. Many of them involved boaters going over-

board. Zion had the highest number of first aid calls and the largest number of hikers that needed help.

As canyon exploration becomes more popular, Zion is seeing a shift in emergency calls from stranded climbers to those stuck or injured in lower-lying areas, Bonnie Schwartz, Zion's chief ranger.

sure they have the proper

Canyoneering typically requires a permit. Schwartz said rangers use that as an opportunity to educate visimedicine. tors about safety and make Other common problems

are people becoming disori-

equipment.

"We do our best to give them the most information as we can on the front end," said Schwartz said.

Often, though, visitors don't fully understand that they're entering a largely uncontrolled environment — out of cell phone range and away from city amenities - where they're responsible for their own safety.

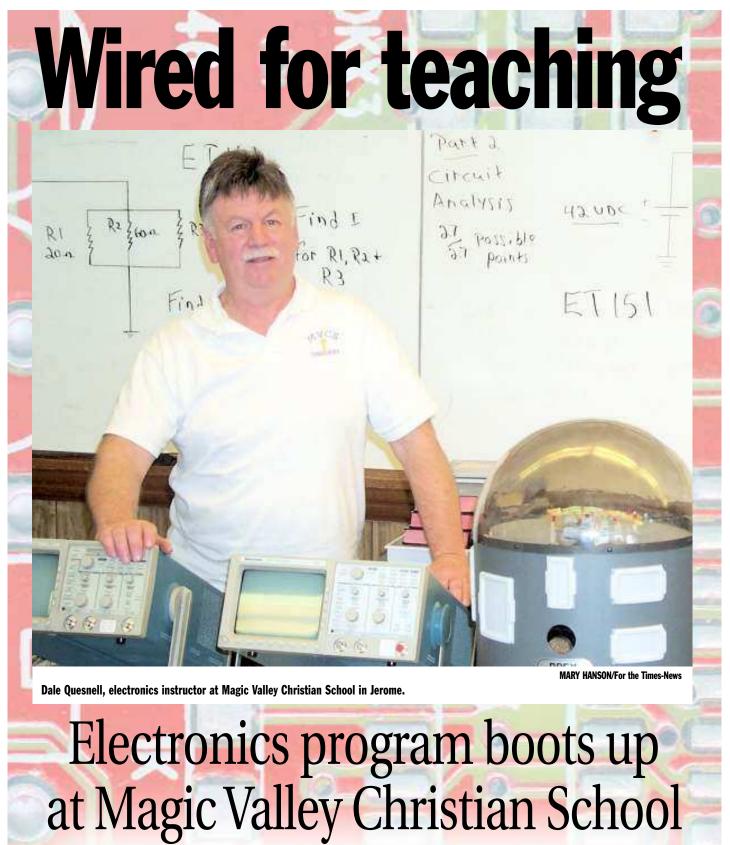
"One of the common themes is people overestimate their ability," said Loren Greenway, director of the Salt Lake City-based Academy of Wilderness Medicine, which provides courses in outdoors

ented and not responding properly, hikers leaving too late and getting caught in the dark and equipment failures. He said those going into the wild need to be better prepared in wilderness medicine and better educated about where they're going. "If you don't even appreci-

ate the risks, then there's no way for you to prepare," Greenway said.

Heggie said it's unlikely many visitors understand the financial costs of search and rescue operations. On average in Utah parks, each costs around \$1,146. Individual parks pay for those less than \$500. More expensive operations can be paid for by regional or national funds.

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Jerome's first 2009 baby born



MARY HANSON/For the Times-News Itzel Reyes, one half-day old, is pictured with parents Jorge and Maria Reyes at Saint Benedicts Family Medical Center in Jerome.

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Itzel Reyes was the first baby born in Jerome in 2009 as parents Jorge and Maria Reyes welcomed her into the

Itzel was the first baby born at the facility in 2009.

Reyes was born at 11:05 a.m. Tuesday, arriving four weeks early but healthy, doctors at Saint Benedicts Family Medical Center said.

Itzel has one sister, Yvonne, who attends Jerome High School, and one brother, Jerame, who attends Summit Elementary School.

Jerome officials sworn in Monday

Newly elected Jerome County officials will be sworn into office at 8:30 a.m. Monday in the great room of the Jerome County Judicial Annex, 233 W. Main St., Jerome. Fifth District Court Judge John Butler will issue the oath of office.

Jerome County citizens and other members of the public are invited to attend.

We want your community news

Do you have community news you would like to have published in the Times-News' Jerome, North Side, Mini-Cassia and Twin Falls Community sections? E-mail the information and a photo, if you have one, to frontdoor@magicvalley.com. Please put the word "community" in the subject line.

If you are announcing an upcoming event please send the information at least two weeks in advance.

By Mary Hanson to design and create his own elec-**Times-News correspondent** After 25 years working in electronics, Dale Quesnell questioned how difficult it would be to teach the subject. Then he found out. "I always thought I would like

teaching electronics," Quesnell said. "Well, I do like it but I went through three years of preparation before I could get fully credentialed. It wasn't

Quesnell always knew he wanted ence is interesting and almost every

tronics program. He said he began looking for a school right away where he could put his ideas into practice. That's how he found Magic Valley Christian School in Jerome. School officials agreed to let him set up his own program and added a few classes for him to teach, such as physical science, life science and biology, he said.

"I don't mind," Quesnell said of years here, keep a B-average and teaching the other courses. "All sci-

scientific field involves electricity."

Magic Valley Christian School is a combined middle school and high school with 42 students — 10 of whom are enrolled in Quesnell's new program. To receive the full benefit, students must continue in the program which is fully articulated Boise State University's Larry G. Selland College of Technology, Quesnell said.

"Kids stay in the program two

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Jerome Optimist Club installs new officers

The Jerome Optimist Club inducted new officers and board members at the annual installation banquet held Sept. 27 at Smokin' Cowbovs BBO in Jerome.

Past Optimist International Northwest District Governor Wayne Bohm inducted the 2008-09 team including: President Scott Brandebourg, Vice President Lori Tangen, Secretary/Treasurer Julie Stadelman and incoming board members: Angie Bridge, Sheri Mitchell, Traci Brandebourg, Patti Luper and Robin Stanhope.

The passing of the gavel took place on Oct. 1 from 2007-08 President Julie Stadelman to 2008-09 President Scott Brandebourg.

The Jerome Optimist Club is a civic club dedicated to the youth of the community. The club was chartered in 1976 under the auspices of Optimist International and has served the Jerome community since then.

Annual projects include Youth Appreciation, Coats for Kids, Breakfast with Santa, an annual Easter egg hunt, Respect for Law, a free fishing derby and more.

Meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays at Oop's City Market, 156 E. Main St. in Jerome.

Information: Scott Brandebourg, 316-1996 or Julie Stadelman, 308-2750.



2008-09 Jerome **Optimist Club President** Scott Brandebourg, left, receives the gavel from **Past President Julie** Stadelman.

Photo courtesy Bob Helms

'Soft' bones need greater care, especially for aged

DEAR DR. GOTT: I am an 84-year-old woman in very good health. My only problem is severe osteoporosis. I am unable to tolerate any of the current osteoporosis prescription pills on the market and have tried adding extra calcium and vitamin D to my diet. So far, it is has not helped.

Recently, while in my pharmacy picking up more supplements, I found a new product called Citracal Plus Bone Density Builder. The bone-density builder is apparently an ingredient called genistein, which has been proven to increase



ASK DR. **GOTT** Dr. Peter Gott

bone density significantly (at least according to the

package label). Do you have any information on this product? If there is a chance it could do what it says, I would like to try it, but as it is more expensive than traditional calcium plus vitamin D, I

would rather not waste my money if it is truly no differ-

DEAR READER:

Osteoporosis occurs when our bodies can no longer make bone as fast as it is broken down. This typically occurs as a result of old age but can be related to several medical disorders, such as hypothyroidism, Paget's disease and others.

People with osteoporosis are at an increased risk of developing spinal compression fractures. They are also prone to severe bone breaks due to minor trauma. These fractures can be difficult to

treat and may take many months to heal or may not heal properly at all.

Most doctors recommend patients with osteopenia or osteoporosis take calcium plus vitamin D supplements as well as prescription medications, such as Fosamax or Boniva. The vitamin D aids absorption of the calcium into the bones, while the prescriptions help the body create new bone.

The drawback to prescription osteoporosis medication is that most cause stomach upset and other gastrointestinal consequences. In some cases, this

is severe enough to warrant stopping the medication. I assume this is what happened to you. However, since the introduction of osteoporosis medication, there have been several advances, including injectable or IV forms of the medications. There is even a nasal-spray variety, as well as one that is derived from parathyroid hormones.

As for the Citracal Plus Bone Density Builder, I am not familiar with the product but did find some information. It is a typical calcium plus vitamin D supplement that also contains

genistein. Genistein is a soyderived isoflavone. It is also a phyotestrogen (plantbased estrogen). According to a study released in June 2007, treatment with 54 milligrams of genistein daily for two years may prevent bone loss caused by estrogen deficiency. The study was randomized, double-blind and placebo-controlled involving postmenopausal women. The study was done on only 389 women with osteopenia and did not include information about fractures. Women in the

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Lights for the hungry

Wood River Valley resident raises money for needy

By Karren Bossick **Times-News correspondent**

The checks are still coming in the door but it appears a growing movement to set Hailey neighborhoods aglow with luminary candles is going to provide more than \$4,300 to feed hungry people in the Wood River Valley.

Lee Dabney encouraged neighbors in her Northridge neighborhood on Hailey's north side to set out luminaries four years ago, patterning the luminary festival after something her sister had done at her home in New York state.

"I had a new baby that year and felt I wanted more from Christmas. So I strapped Nate on my back and went to the neighbors," she said. "It was so freezing cold that year and I think they were so horrified that I was out there with my baby that they were quick to invite me in and listen to what I had to share."

By lighting candles in white paper bags weighted by sand, Dabney and her neighbors became part of a

Luminaries are said to have lit the way for Mary and Joseph as they searched for lodging the night Jesus was born. They've been used to guide Pa Pa Noel — the Acadian version of Santa along the Mississippi River. Pueblo Indians in New Mexico have long used them to light their way to church on Christmas Eve. And luminaries have been part of a centuries-old tradition in Mexico, as well.

This year Dabney decided to expand what she'd started in her own neighborhood into other parts of Hailey. She was "quite astounded" when she sold all 5,000 of the paper bags and candles she had purchased.

She decided to hold this year's festival the Sunday evening before Christmas, which happened to be the Winter Solstice. With the bags and candles costing 20 cents each, she was able to donate 80 cents of each dollar she charged to the Hunger Coalition.

"Some people told me they

wanted 20 candles but wrote a check for \$50 so the amount we raised went beyond the \$4,000," she said.

Jeanne Liston, who runs the Blaine County Hunger Coalition, said the cash is welcome as the economy continues to worsen.

"We've more than tripled the amount of food we gave out last year at this time," she said. "And I'm still hearing scary statistics — how 75 percent of the construction workers in the valley are laid off, for instance."

Colleen Mauro, a graduate student at the University of Utah who was home for the holidays, had trouble getting her luminaries to light given the heavy snow that fell that night. But she was impressed with the effort.

"It's really a beautiful tradition," she said.

Dabney echoed her senti-

"It's simple but profound. You walk along and see all these lights and you think, 'All these people are contributing to feed others.' It's really heartwarming."

Judge puts lung association chapter out of business

By Gene Johnson **Associated Press writer**

SEATTLE — A judge has essentially put Northwest chapter of the American Lung Association out of business, after the chapter got into hot water for giving its Seattle headquarters and \$600,000 to a different, newly created charity.

In an order Monday, King County Superior Court Judge Regina Cahan said the American Lung Association was likely to win its claim that the regional affiliate breached its contract.

The judge issued a preliminary injunction that forbids the Northwest chapter and the newly created charity from using American Lung Association donor lists or spending money except for legal fees. They can't even use the word "lung" anymore in their business names or when dealing with the public, she said.

Cahan said her order would not take effect until the national organization posts a \$500,000 bond, but the actual cash required is expected to be a very small percentage of that, and the American Lung Association said it would have no trouble coming up with the money.

"We're very pleased," said Carrie Martin, a spokeswoman for the national organization. "We're hopeful the Northwest affiliate does the right thing so that further litigation can be avoid-

Meanwhile, the national organization is taking steps to replace its Northwest chapter, which was founded in 1906 and has been charged with carrying out the charity's mission in Alaska, Idaho Washington, including teen anti-smoking efforts, support of indoor smoking bans and fundraising bike rides and mountain climbs.

It's unlikely any board members from the Northwest chapter will be retained, but many staff members could be, Martin said.

The dispute began in late summer, after the Northwest chapter's new chief executive, Mike Alderson, joined two other people, including the former chief executive of Harborview Medical Center, in creating a charitable organization called the Pacific Northwest Lung Cancer Foundation.

tion, \$440.50 fine.

Christopher Michael LeFavour,

driving under the influence.

pended, 1 day credited, 60

discretionary days, 2 years

supervised probation,

\$440.50 fine.

guilty, 180 days jail, 118 sus-

Alderson persuaded the chapter's board to give his new foundation Northwest chapter's onestory, brick headquarters building — assessed at \$3.2 million — for just \$10.

He also persuaded the board to give the new foundation \$1.2 million \$600,000 immediately and \$600,000 later — to help getit off the ground. The new foundation's goal was to do high-caliber fundraising that would benefit not only the Northwest chapter, but other organizations devoted to lung health, he said.

The national organization sued, saying the regional chapter was giving away its assets — raised to support the ALA's mission — to a competing fundraising organization with no promise of getting anything in return.

Cahan's order does not end the lawsuit. The newly elected judge, handling her first civil case, set a trial for June 1, and she ordered both sides to enter mediation by Feb. 15 in hopes of resolving the case before then. She prohibited the new foundation from selling or transferring the headquarters build-

5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Recent activity in Jerome County 5th District Court included the following:

FELONY ARRAIGNMENTS

Christopher S. Ayers, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia, driving without privileges (second offense), failure to provide proof of insurance. Ruth L. Starr, possession of a controlled substance, possession of a controlled substance (misdemeanor), drug paraphernalia.

MISDEMEANOR ARRAIGNMENTS

Anibal Alarcon-Vargas, driving without privileges. Talia Marie Brooks, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia. Mauricio Carreno-Riviera, driving without privileges. Darrell L. Combs, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance. Kenneth Wayne Fetterly, permit animals to go without care. Brent W. Higley, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance, exceed max speed limit, fail to register annually. Jairo Romero Lopez, driving without privileges. Kenneth Jerome Maxwell, driving without privileges. Hyrum Hawkley Mitchell, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia. Justin M. Mulligan, vicious dog

at large. Victor Manual Ruiz-Rodriguez, resisting/obstructing officers. Joshua ND Sexton-Gwin, driving without privileges, possession of a controlled substance.

Carlos Vazquez-Meza, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia, failure to purchase a driver's license, exceed max speed limit, failure to provide proof of insurance. Joseph Lee Whalen, reckless

driving. Joseph Lee Whalen, driving without privileges. Warren Boyd Woodward, driving without privileges.

Kevan Paul Stone, dog at large, failure to license dog.

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE ARRAIGNMENTS

Tiffany Baird, driving under the influence, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia.

Jordin J. Correa, driving under the influence, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia.

Trent Gale, driving under the influence (excessive), open container.

Jose Luis Limas-Acosta, driving under the influence, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance. Carlos Enrique Lorenzo-Garcia, driving under the influence (excessive), open container, failure to purchase a driver's license, exceed max speed limit, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Bret Reese Feltman, driving under the influence, resisting/obstructing officers.

FELONY SENTENCINGS

Bardomiano Hernandez, possession of a controlled substance, guilty, drug paraphernalia, dismissed, 2 years prison determinate, 3 years indeterminate, penitentiary suspended, credit for 164 tionary, 5 years supervised probation, \$1,110.50 fine. Randy Lawrence Milliron, possession of a controlled substance, guilty, drug paraphernalia, dismissed, 4 years prison determinate, 3 years indeterminate, penitentiary suspended, credit for 103 days served, sentence to run concurrent with Twin Falls Charlene Joyce Schermett, aid/abet grand theft, guilty, spiracy, dismissed, withheld probation, \$100.50 fine.

MISDEMEANOR SENTENCINGS

wear a seat belt in a commercial vehicle, guilty, \$119.00

Brett Daniels LeFavour, tobacco possession/distribution/use by a minor, guilty, 6 months unsupervised probation, \$125.50 fine.

ure to purchase a driver's license, failure to stop when emerging from alley, building, etc., fail to maintain liability insurance, guilty, 6 months unsupervised probation, \$335.50 fine.

days served, 180 days discre-County case, \$1,212.50 fine. aid/abet burglary, criminal conjudgment, 4 years supervised

Mikeal A. Beverett, failure to

Alejandro Santiago-Becerril, fail-

LaRev Dawn Adams, minor con-

vised probation, \$125.50 fine. Oscar Aguilar-Rendon, failure to purchase a driver's license,

failure to provide proof of insurance, failure to carry registration in vehicle, guilty, \$312.50 fine.

sumption, guilty, 1 year super-

Kyle L. Burt, driving on a divided highway/restricted access, guilty, \$89.00 fine. Jason Eugene Daniels, failure

to purchase a driver's license, guilty, failure to provide proof of insurance, dismissed, \$146.00 fine.

Hector Elizarraras-Lopez, failure to purchase a driver's license, failure to provide proof of insurance, guilty, \$260.50 fine.

Wilfredo Hernandez Gomez, failure to purchase a driver's license, speedbasic rule, failure to provide proof of insurance, guilty, \$335.50 fine. BoLee Carroll Miller, failure to purchase a driver's license, guilty, \$144.00 fine. David Zamudio-Nieto, failure to purchase a driver's license. failure to provide proof of insurance, stop/yield sign vio-

DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS

lation, guilty, \$355.50 fine.

Scott William Briggs, driving under the influence, injury to a child, guilty, 180 days jail, 148 suspended, 1 credited, 30 discretionary days, 1 year supervised probation, \$340.50 fine. Larissa L. Ellis, driving under the influence, guilty, 180 days jail, 178 suspended, 1 credited, 1 year supervised proba-

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earn five college credits each year — a total of 10," he said. "We start out with theory and the kids get restless because they want to build things and blow up things, but they have to learn a great deal before getting to hands-on stuff."

Quesnell says the students first cover such subjects as circuitry, semi-conductors and safety before they get to what many are most interested in — robotics.

The electronic robot sitting on Quesnell's desk, which the students will eventually work on, was acquired by accident. While attending a sale at Jerome High School, Quesnell bought a box at random. He thought it might have electronic parts and supplies. Back in his classroom he was shocked to find

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Timothy G. Tomlinson, DPM

a used robot that his stu-

dents can work with. The students are involved in a contest to name the robot which sits on the teacher's desk as incentive to help students stay with the program. In their final year of the program, students take up robotics.

"I'm shooting for having a vocational technology school here someday along with the regular academic curriculum," Quesnell said.

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"Osteoporosis." Other readers who would like a copy should send a selfaddressed, stamped No. 10 envelope and \$2 to Newsletter, PO Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092. Be sure to mention the title.

Peter Gott is a retired physician and the author of the book "Dr. Gott's No Flour, No Sugar Diet," available at most chain and independent bookstores, and the recently published "Dr. Gott's No Flour, No Sugar Cookbook."

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Betty Jane Fowler Phillips

JEROME — Betty Jane Fowler Phillips, 82, of Jerome, passed away Tuesday, Jan. 6, 2009, in Jerome.

She was born March 3, 1926, in Everett, Wash., the daughter of Clarence Peter Fowler and Dorothy Yonke Fowler. She was raised by her father and her grandmother, Maude Fowler. She attended school in Conrad, Mont. On Aug. 9, 1942, she married Edward Phillips in the dark of the night in Cutbank, Mont., after getting the justice of the peace out of bed. From this union were born three children, Beverly, Clarence and Vernon. Her father married Pauline Halverson, who became a wonderful mother to her and her brother Donald and a grandmother to their children.

Betty worked as a nurse's aid in the Shelby, Mont., hospital until they moved to Salt Lake City, Utah, in 1955, where she worked at Sacred Heart Hospital. She received her LPN degree at the Rupert hospital in 1962. She then went to work at St. Benedicts Hospital in Jerome, where she worked in the Long Term Care Unit. She then moved to the main hospital wing to work with her good friend, Eleanor Kulm. She continued to work there until 1989. She loved nursing and helping people get well. She never missed a basketball or football game that their boys played in. She also enjoyed stock car racing and never missed a race at Magic Valley Speedway. She loved watching her grandsons and greatgrandson race.

Betty and her husband, Eddy, have farmed west of Jerome since 1973. For the last six years, they have helped run the Jerome Food Pantry. She loved to go boating and fishing with her husband. Family has always meant a lot to her. All she wanted was for her family to sit down together at a big dinner. Throughout her life,





she loved to crochet and cook. She especially loved to make candy. She made wedding dresses and burial dresses for many friends and relatives. There are many people who still have some of her handiwork.

Betty is survived by her husband, Eddy Phillips of Jerome; their children, Beverly (Lenny) Mevers of Jerome, and Clarence (Sally) Phillips and Vernon (Karen) Phillips, all of Boise; 15 grandchildren; 27 greatgrandchildren; and 18 greatgreat-grandchildren. She is also survived by "adopted" daughter, Pattie Lamb. She was preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Donald Fowler; her mother and father-in-law. Louis and Blanche Phillips; three brothers-in-law, Roger and Emmett Phillips and Pat Wheeler; and two grandsons, Christopher Koch and Michael Blackmon.

Betty's family would like to thank Visions Hospice for the care that they gave to Betty in her last days, St. Luke's Magic Valley nurses, Dr. Lisa Burgett, Dr. Wright and her longtime doctors, Dr. Mark Spencer and Dr. Kemp.

A funeral service for Betty will be conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 10, at Farnsworth Mortuary Chapel, 1343 S. Lincoln in Jerome, with Pastors Paul Springer and Clay Ramirez officiating. A visitation for family and friends will be held one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in the Jerome Cemetery. The family suggests that memorials be made in Betty's name to: American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 5386, Boise, ID 83705.

Martha Mary Robertson

GLENNS FERRY — Martha Mary Robertson, 83, of Glenns Ferry, passed away peacefully of natural causes.

She was surrounded by her family with love and prayers on Thursday, Jan. 1, 2009. Relatives



pay their respects to Martha at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 10, at the First Baptist Church, 417 S. Oneida in Glenns Ferry. Dinner will follow at 12:30 p.m. at the Three Island Senior Center, 502 E. Cleveland in Glenns Ferry.

Martha was born in Glenns Ferry at her parents' home on March 19, 1925, to LeRoy Del Hull and Zoe Golden Hull. She was the youngest of three children. She attended and graduated from school in Glenns Ferry, where she was a majorette and also played basketball. She also spent a year at the University of Idaho in Moscow. She married the love of her life, James F. Robertson, on Nov. 18, 1946, in Seattle, Wash. Jim and Martha have two sons and two daughters, Mary, Jim, Fred and Anne. Jim was a member of the U.S. Army Air Corps, 190th Fighter Bomber Squadron. They lived at several Air Force bases throughout the United States and have gained many close friends from those experiences.

Martha took great pride in living in Glenns Ferry and has served on several local boards in her life. One that was dear to her heart was the Glenns Ferry Library Board, which she served on for 36 years. Another organization that was important to Martha was her sorority, Beta Sigma Phi, where she was a member for more than 50 years. She held several positions over the 50 years and, in 2000, was honored by her chapter and Beta Sigma Phi with the Golden Circle Award. Outside of all of her Beta Sigma Phi accomplishments, the friendships she made with her sorority sisters were the most important. Martha also felt very passionate about the Yankees baseball team and growing her beautiful roses.

Martha is dearly loved and will be missed by her family, Mary Robertson of Canyon City, Ore., Iim and his wife, Connie Robertson of Salt Lake City, Utah, Fred and his wife, Debra Robertson of Nampa, and Anne and her husband, Tom Hoffman of Salt Lake City, Utah, Besides her children, Martha is survived by her brother, Philip and his wife, Lois Hull of Mukeltuo, Wash.: eight granddaughters, Elizabeth Robertson, Jamie Gillespie, Krista Robertson, Karlee Hoffman, Hoffman, Sarah Gina Robertson, Brandie Robertson and Emily Hoffman: one grandson, Luke Robertson; and one great-grandson, Madden Robertson. Martha was preceded in death by her husband Jim; both her parents; a brother, Del Hull; and

one granddaughter. The family asks that tributes and donations please be made to the Glenns Ferry Library, P.O. Box 910, Glenns Ferry, ID 83623. The family would also like to extend a special thank you to Dr. Welch and the nurses at Elmore Medical Center for the love and care they gave our moth-

Her family will forever cherish the memories of her. Her beautiful soft skin, her beautiful dark hair that she wants everyone to know she never put an ounce of color on, and also the words, "Hey, can you come up and help me weed?'

We will love you forever,

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Norman Morris Roberts

Norman Morris Roberts, 84, of Twin Falls, died Tuesday, Jan. 6, 2009, at the Twin Falls Care Center.

Norman was born Oct. 16, 1924, to Lawson and Rob-Pearl erts in Crofton, Ky. He was the fourth child



of six. At age 5, the family moved to Buhl. He attended school in Buhl. He served in the Army.

On Feb. 26, 1945, he married Lea Mae Hansen. To this union were born six children. They made their home in Buhl and later moved to Kennewick, Wash., where Norman worked at a nuclear plant. They family moved back to Buhl, where he started working for Safeway as produce manager. He later was transferred to Jerome, then to Mountain Home, then to Twin Falls, working for Safeway, where he later retired.

Norman was divorced from Lea and married MaryEtta on Dec. 16, 1976. Norman and MaryEtta continued to live in Twin Falls. Norman was active in the LDS church. He served as a High Priest, was dedicated and faithful in all of his callings. Norman and MaryEtta served in the Boise Temple 2½ years. They also served a one-year full-time mission at the Denver Colorado

Norman loved to go fishing and hunting. He loved to

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go to the mountains camping with his family. He was an avid hunter. He could fix repair anything. Norman would always be there to help his family and friends at any time of the day or night. Norman will always be loved, missed and remembered as the greatest father, grandfather and friend.

Norman is survived by his wife, MaryEtta Roberts; his children, Linda (Gene) Hunt of Buhl, Dale (Bobi) Roberts of Paisley, Ore., Michael (Sue) Roberts of Hagerman, Evonne (Jack) McCormick of Twin Falls and Rick (Lillian) Roberts of Rochester, Wash.; his stepchildren, Janet and Jay Warthen of Brownville, Ore., and Kelly and Larrie Bench of Ontario, Ore.; his sister, Imogene Montgomery of Buhl; and brother, Roy Roberts of Union Star, Mo.; and many nieces and nephews. Norman is survived by 23 grandchildren; 40 great-grandchildren; 12 step grandchildren; and 13 step great-grandchildren. Norman was preceded in death by his parents, Lawson and Pearl Roberts; daughter, Barbara; brothers, Victor Roberts and Edward Roberts; sister, Nellie Mills; and a grandson, Jared Sabala.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 9, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park." A service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 10, at the Twin Falls LDS 5th Ward church (behind the temple) with visitation one hour prior to the service.

James (Jim) C. Henslee of

Hagerman, funeral at 10:30 a.m. today at the Hagerman Church (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

Dorothy Marie Taggart of Filer, celebration of life at 11 a.m. today at the First Presbyterian Church in Idaho Falls (Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Margie Marie (Schabach) Herring of Twin Falls, family service at 11 a.m. today at the Rock Creek Veterans Cemetery near Hansen (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Ruth Ilene Ross of Pocatello, funeral at 11 a.m. today at Colonial Funeral Home, 2005 S. Fourth Ave. in Pocatello; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the mortuary; burial at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls.

Vernus Faye Hanks of Rupert, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Rupert LDS 1st Ward Chapel, 806 G St.: visitation one hour before the funeral today at the church (Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel).

Rose Celine Wills of Twin Falls, celebration of life at 11 .m. today at the First United Methodist Church in Twin Falls: luncheon following (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Nellie Althea Corben of Eden, funeral at 1 p.m. today at White Mortuary in Twin

Charles Jordan Printz of Glenns Ferry, memorial service at 2 p.m. today at the United Methodist Church in Glenns Ferry (Rost Funeral Home, McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home).

Arlon Blaine (Duke) Earl of Rifle, Colo., and formerly of Murtaugh, funeral at 11 a.m. Friday at the LDS Church, 667 Harrison St. in Twin Falls; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at White Mortuary in Twin Falls and 10 to 11 a.m. Friday at the church; memorial service in Rifle, Colo., at a later date.

Edwin W. Davis of Buhl, celebration of life at 1 p.m. Friday at the Jerome Free Will Baptist Church, 810 S. Cleveland.

Theodore Franklin Lin**dner** of Twin Falls, funeral at 1 p.m. Friday at the Twin Falls LDS 14th Ward Chapel, 824 Caswell Ave. W.; visita-

tion at 11:30 a.m. Friday at the church (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Gerald "Jerry" Kardas of Glenns Ferry, graveside memorial service at 1 p.m. Friday at the Idaho State Veterans Cemetery (Summers Funeral Homes, Boise Chapel).

Harold Vernon Lee of Boise, service at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Relyea Funeral Chapel, 318 N. Latah in Boise (Cremation Society of Idaho).

Mason Covey of Buhl, funeral at 2 p.m. Friday at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl; visitation one hour before the funeral Monday at the mortuary; gathering for family and friends afterward at El Cazador Mexican Restaurant on Broadway in Buhl.

Mary Eileen Julian-Hobdey of Gooding, memorial service at 2:30 p.m. Friday at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Gooding; rosary service at 7 p.m. today at the church (Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel).

Katherine Virginia Clark of Twin Falls, remembrance gathering at 3 p.m. Friday at 2695 E. 3700 N. in Twin Falls (White Mortuary in Twin

"Don" Donald George **Prouse** of Filer, celebration of life from 3 to 7 p.m. Friday at the family home, 304 North St. in Filer (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

Frank Howard Chambers of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Burley LDS 3rd and 7th Ward Chapel, 2200 Oakley Ave.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Hansen-Payne Mortuary, 321 E. Main St. in Burley, and one hour before the funeral Saturday at the church.

Robert "Bob" Leonard of Idaho Falls and formerly of Twin Falls, celebration of life from 2 to 6 p.m. Saturday at the Sandpiper Restaurant, 750 Lindsay Blvd. in Idaho Falls (Wood Funeral Home in Idaho Falls).

Sally Brim Rogers of Beaumont, Texas, and formerly of Rupert, funeral at 2 p.m. Sunday at Broussard's Mortuary, 1605 N. Major Drive in Beaumont, Texas; visitation from 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday at the mortu-

Aurel 'Curley' Hanchett

PAUL — Born on a farm in Kansas, on Oct. 7, 1920, Aurel "Curley" Hanchett died on his farm in Paul on Monday, Jan. 5, 2009. He

was 88. Aurel's youth was spent on a farm in Kansas. In 1936, his family moved to Tulelake,

Calif., where he graduated from high school in 1940. In December 1941, Aurel enlisted in the U.S. Marines Corps. He was initially assigned to duty in Pearl Harbor, followed by assignment to the battleship West Virginia. After two years of sea duty and the sinking of the West Virginia, Aurel was assigned to the first Marine Division that landed in Okinawa. In one of the last battles of the war, Aurel was wounded by enemy fire. His life was saved by his dog tag which deflected the bullet from his heart to his lung. After surgery on the front line, he spent the remainder of his Marine Corps career recovering in Bremerton, Wash. Following his decorated discharge from the Marines, Aurel returned to his home in Tulelake and married Phyllis Snyder, his wife of 62 years.

Aurel rented farms in Tulelake and on the Klamath Falls Indian Reservation. In 1952, Aurel farmsteaded near Miles City, Mont. Aurel built the home his family lived in for the four years they ranched in Montana. The family's mailing address, Zero, Mont., is an apt description of the challenges of the area — no telephones, mail delivery or local schools. Aurel decided he wanted more for his family. In 1956,

Aurel drew a homestead in the Minidoka Project, where he and his wife lived for the next 58 years in the home he also built. An active member of the community, Aurel belonged to the Paul American Legion, Rupert Elks, Paul Masonic Lodge, Rupert Lions, Burley First Presbyterian Church and the 57 Desert Dozen.

Aurel always said, "Once a Marine always a Marine, and everything good comes from dirt!"

He is survived by his wife, Phyllis; one son, Keith Hanchett (Kathy) of Ogden, Utah; a daughter, Carol Lay-Abramovitz (Michael) of Denver, Colo.; and four grandchildren, Chase and Connor Hanchett, Jonathan Lay and Ali Abramovitz.

The family expresses their sincere appreciation to Aurel and Phyllis' caregiver, Gena Ball, and also to Dr. David Schmitz, Bob McClain and Monte Ball for the care and attention given to our par-

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 9, at the Burley First Presbyterian Church, 2100 Burton Ave., with the Rev. Al Fry officiating. Burial will be in the Paul Cemetery with military rites provided by the Paul American Legion Post No. 77. A luncheon will be served at the church following the committal rites at the ceme-

The family suggests memorials be directed to the Burley First Presbyterian Church, Huntsman Cancer Center, the Alzheimer's Association or to a charity of choice.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Rasmussen Funeral Home of

DEATH NOTICES

Betty J. Stansell

Betty Jean Bishop Stansell, 79, of Twin Falls, died Wednesday, Jan. 7, 2009, at her home. A service will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 9, at the Bethel Temple Church in Twin Falls; visitation from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 8, at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

Barbara M. Osborne

GOODING — Marie Osborne, 93, of Gooding, died Wednesday, Jan. 7, 2009, at the Helping Hands Sanctuary in Gooding, Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

OBITUARIES IN THE NEWS

IDAHO

Donoghue, longtime priest, dies at age 82

BOISE — Monsignor John F. Donoghue, a Catholic priest from Idaho who over the years held posts at the Idaho State Penitentiary and Boise's Bishop Kelly High School, has died at 82.

Donoghue retired in 1998, only to be pressed briefly back into service as the administrator of the Boise Diocese between the departure of Bishop Tod Brown and Bishop Michael Driscoll's arrival.

The Pennsylvania native came to Idaho in 1954 following seminary studies in neighboring Washington state.

Over the years, he filled pastoral duties at St. Mary's, Sacred Heart and St. Mark's churches in Boise, St. Charles in Salmon and St. Michael's in Mullan.

He was dean of students at Bishop Kelly from 1964-1968, roughly the same period when he was chaplain at the prison located just east of Boise's downtown.

He died Monday at St. Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Idaho's capital after a short hospitalization.

CALIFORNIA **Modern music patron Betty Freeman dies at 87**

BEVERLY HILLS — Betty Freeman, patron to such contemporary musical masters as John Cage, Philip Glass and Pierre Boulez, has died. She

Freeman died Saturday of pancreatic cancer at her Beverly Hills home, daughter Shelley Butler Wednesday.

Over four decades, commissioned Freeman works from about 80 composers and underwrote performances and recordings. Her gifts ranged from a few hundred to tens of thousands of dollars.

"I've always been interested in the new, and don't understand why everybody isn't," Freeman told The New York Times in 1998. "I like contemporary painting, clothing, furniture, architecture. So of course I like contemporary music. Old music is fine. But I like complexity, challenge, ambiguity, abstraction."

"I cannot think of many individuals whose actions would have had a more profound effect on our art form or culture in general," Esa-Pekka Salonen, music director the Los Angeles Philharmonic, told the Los Angeles Times.

John Adams' opera "Nixon in China" was dedicated to her.

The music Freeman supported frequently ran to minimalism and dissonance. Based on her personal taste, she backed artists who might be too avant-garde to win art committee or government grants.

(Across from CSI)

— Wire reports



Obama to name spending watchdog, eyes Social Security

Federal budget deficit may reach \$1.2 trillion this year

By Jennifer Loven Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Pointing with concern to "red ink as far as the eye can see," Presidentelect Barack Obama pledged Wednesday to tackle out-ofcontrol Social Security and Medicare spending and named a special watchdog to clamp down on other federal programs — even as he campaigned anew to spend the largest pile of taxpayer money in history to revive the sinking economy.

mountain he'll face beginning Jan. 20 was underscored by stunning new figures: an estimate that the federal budget deficit will reach \$1.2 trillion this year, by far the biggest ever, even without the new stimulus spending.

The incoming president has walked this same tightrope each day this week advocating fiscal discipline and taxpayer largesse together at nearly every turn, though in every case with little detail to back it up. With

The steepness of the fiscal less than two weeks to go nomic situation that is dire' before taking the helm at the White House, he'll make the same pitch today, delivering a speech laying out why he wants Congress to quickly pass his still-evolving economic plan.

Last year's U.S. deficit set its own record, but that \$455 billion will be dwarfed by this year's. The new estimate, by the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office, represents more than 8 percent of the entire national economy.

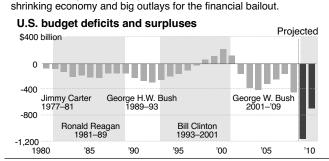
Still, Obama said "an eco-

requires immediate and bold action with unprecedented tax cuts and federal programs. More bad news is expected today and Friday on U.S. layoffs, and stocks plummeted anew on Wednesday, wiping out gains from the first week of the new year.

Obama gave his first ballpark estimate of the total amount of the stimulus package expected to emerge from negotiations between his team and Capitol Hill, saying it is likely to hover around

Dire expectations for the budget deficit

The federal budget deficit is predicted to grow to nearly \$1.2 trillion in 2009, driven by a sharp drop in estimated tax revenues due to the



SOURCE: Congressional Budget Office

\$775 billion over two years. That's about \$400 billion less than outside economists have said might be needed to

However, he said he is not quite con-

vinced because the study doesn't look

at how launch fits with the rest of the

pterosaurs' biology and there aren't

any preserved pterosaur tracks that

help prove or contradict Habib's

ing the mystery of their flight.

explanation. He thinks the critters

may not have been so heavy, lessen-

jolt the economy but at the top of the range that Obama aides and congressional leaders have discussed publicly.

Gravity-defying dinos

How big Jurassic flying reptiles got off ground

By Seth Borenstein **Associated Press writer**

WASHINGTON — The Jurassic version of jumbo jets - huge flying creatures weighing hundreds of pounds - is a mystery of dinosaurera flight: How did something so big get off the ground?

A Johns Hopkins University biologist thinks he has figured out the answer. What people think of as "flying dinosaurs" but are technically giant reptiles didn't launch into the air like birds. They leapt into the air off all four legs, said Mike Habib, of the university's Center for Functional Anatomy and Evolution. Only vampire bats do something like that.

The flying creatures are called pterosaurs (the "p" is silent). They were a group of flying reptiles

than 500 pounds

wingspans. Last year, researchers tried to figure out how they got off the ground by looking at the largest bird now flying, the albatross. They concluded that anything much bigger couldn't get off the ground the same way.

But Habib said pterosaurs shouldn't be compared to birds.

"The catch is that they are not built like birds," Habib said in a telephone

Habib used CT scans of the bones of 155 bird specimens and a dozen species of pterosaurs and found that they were greatly different in strength, size and proportion. In birds, the hind legs were stronger than the front and in some pterosaurs the front legs were several times stronger than the hind ones.

"It's a lot like a leapfrog," Habib that could weigh more said, describing how he figures the pterosaurs got off the ground. "They kind of pitch forward at first, the legs kick off first, then the arms take off." That allowed some of the ancient giants to get into the air in less than a second. Habib calculated that the

and have bus-sized

The ancient flier "accelerates more like a Porsche and less like a Volkswagen. That's really handy if you live in a world filled with tyrannosaurs,

– Mike Habib, Johns Hopkins **University Center for Functional Anatomy and Evolution**

which it did."

pound pterosaur called Hatzegopteryx thambema launched at a speed of 42 miles per hour.

The ancient flier "accelerates more like a Porsche and less like a Volkswagen," Habib said. "That's really handy if you live in a world filled with tyrannosaurs, which it did."

Pterosaurs first appeared about 230

million years ago and died with the dinosaurs 65 million years ago. Habib's research — published in a German journal called Zitteliana combines paleontology and flight

dynamics. James Cunningham, a Collierville, Tenn., engineer who once led a National Geographic study team looking at the issue, said Habib's work makes sense from a flight dynamics point of view.

"The biggest pterosaurs didn't have enough muscles to get off the ground from wing flapping," Cunningham said. Pterosaur expert David

Unwin, a paleobiologist at the University of Leicester, praised the study for relying more on physical tests than the-

and that of Hatzegopteryx, right, at 40 feet or more, compared to the size of a man.

This illustration shows the massive 30-foot

wingspan of the toothless pteranodon, left,

Handlers on phone ordered Mumbai gunmen to kill that India says definitively trained in Lashkar camps,

instructions

received

throughout the siege. "If you are still threatened, then don't saddle yourself with the burden of the hostages. Immediately kill them," a handler tells a team of gunmen who had seized a Mumbai Jewish center, according to the transcript.

Six Jewish foreigners, including a rabbi and his wife, were killed inside the build-

exchanges, however, were just swift commands that showed the real decisions were being made far from the besieged Mumbai targets.

Roughly 24 hours after the attacks began, the handlers urged the gunmen to "be strong in the name of Allah."

"Brother, you have to fight. This is a matter of prestige of Islam," the handler said. "You may feel tired or sleepy, but the commandos of Islam have left everything behind their mothers, their fathers."

The gunmen were told several times not to kill any

AROUND THE NATION

WASHINGTON **Dems retreat on Burris; Obama steps in**

WASHINGTON — Senate Democrats beat a hasty retreat Wednesday from their rejection of Roland Burris as President-elect Barack Obama's successor, yielding to pressure from Obama himself and from senators irked that the standoff was draining attention and putting them in a bad light. Burris said with a smile he expected to join them "very shortly."

Though there was no agreement yet to swear Burris in, he posed for photos at the Capitol with Senate leaders, then joined them for a 45minute meeting followed by supportive words that bordered on gushing. The events came one day after Burris had left the Capitol in the pouring rain in a scripted rejection.

Obama had spoken to Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid on Monday on the need to find a solution to defuse the dispute, according to officials. Reid was told by Obama that if Burris had the legal standing to be seated it should be done "sooner rather than later," said an Obama transition aide.

GEORGIA

CDC: Mississippi has highest teen birth rate

ATLANTA — Mississippi now has the nation's highest teen birth rate, displacing Texas and New Mexico for that lamentable title, a new federal report says.

Mississippi's rate was more than 60 percent higher than the national average in 2006, according to new state statistics released Wednesday by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The teen birth rate for that year in Texas and New Mexico was more than 50 percent higher.

The three states have large proportions of black and Hispanic teenagers — groups that traditionally have higher birth rates, experts noted.

The lowest teen birth rates continue to be in New England, where three states have rates at roughly half the national average, which is 42 births per 1,000 teen women.

MASSACHUSETTS

Seal turns fish hatchery into buffet

SANDWICH — Life is a big buffet for a seal with a talent for breaking and entering.

A young harbor seal somehow broke into a fish hatchery on Cape Cod on Tuesday and turned the place into an allyou-can-eat buffet.

The female seal briefly had the run of the Sandwich Hatchery, downing untold numbers of trout before Division of Fisheries and Wildlife employees found it, the Cape Cod Times reported.

The seal, just under 3 feet long, was released on a beach by members of the Cape Cod Stranding Network, which rescues marine mammals

— The Associated Press

Associated Press writer NEW DELHI — "Keep your phone switched on," a handler instructs a gunman by

By Sam Dolnick

phone in the midst of the Mumbai siege, "so that we can hear the gunfire."

The ruthless commands come from a transcript of phone calls Indian authorities say they intercepted during the attacks in November. India says the men issuing orders, reprimands and encouragement to the young gunmen were Pakistanibased militants directing the

attacks by mobile phone.

The men on the phone were confident, direct - and

'We have three foreigners, including women," a gunman said into the phone from the Oberoi Hotel where hostages had been captured.

"Kill them," replied the handler. Gunshots then rang out, followed by cheering that could be heard over the phone.

"Inflict the maximum damage," they said.

The transcripts were part of a dossier of evidence India has given Pakistan this week

proves that the siege that killed 164 people was launched from across the border. India says the 10 gunmen were all Pakistani and has blamed the Pakistanibased militant group, Lashkar-e-Taiba.

The Mumbai transcripts were translated from Punjabi into English by Indian authorities and obtained by the newspaper The Hindu. The newspaper gave the transcripts to The Associated

Press on Wednesday. They show that the 10 gunmen, who allegedly were

The handlers' tone is that of a firm teacher alternately dispensing encouragement, criticism, and guidance. Many

Muslim hostages.

that end up on land.

Gaza fighting rages despite cease-fire proposal

By Ibrahim Barzak and Steven Gutkin **Associated Press writers**

GAZA CITY, Gaza Strip — Israel resumed its Gaza offensive Wednesday, bombing heavily around suspected smuggling tunnels near the border with Egypt after a three-hour lull to allow in humanitarian aid. Hamas responded with a rocket bar-

Despite the heavy fighting, strides were made on the diplomatic front with the U.S. throwing its weight behind a deal being brokered by France and Egypt.

While the Security Council failed to reach agreement on a cease-fire resolution, Egypt's U.N. Ambassador Maged Abdelaziz said representatives of Israel, Hamas and the Palestinian Authority have agreed to meet separately with Egyptian officials in Cairo Thursday.

Israeli airstrikes killed 29 Palestinians on Wednesday after leaflets were dropped warning residents to leave the area "because Hamas uses your houses to hide and smuggle military weapons."

The casualties brought the total Palestinian death toll during Israel's 12-day assault to 688 and drove home the complexities of finding a diplomatic endgame for Israel's Gaza invasion. Ten Israelis have been killed, including three civilians, since the offensive began Dec. 27.

More than 5,000 people have fled the border area, seeking refuge at two U.N. schools turned into temporary shelters.

The fury of the renewed fighting made it appear each side was scrambling to get in as many hits as possible before a truce could material-

"I feel like the ground is shaking when we hear the shelling. People are terrified," said Fida Kishta, a resident of the Gaza-Egypt border area where Israeli planes destroyed 16 empty houses.

In Turkey, a Mideast diplomat who spoke on condition of anonymity because he was not authorized to speak pub-



licly said that country would applauding the efforts of a be asked to put together an number of states, particularly international force that could the effort that President help keep the peace. And (Hosni) Mubarak has underdiplomats in New York worked taken on behalf of Egypt," on a U.N. Security Council Secretary of Condoleezza Rice said. "We're statement backing the ceasesupporting that initiative." fire initiative but failed to

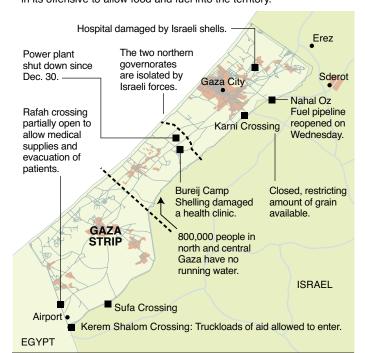
end the violence. refused to allow journalists are very much into Gaza, permitted two TV

teams to accompany soldiers on patrol for the first time. The footage showed soldiers walking through a deserted street in an unidentified location in State

The Israeli military correspondent who accompanied the soldiers said they were concerned about Hamas booby-traps.

Gaza suffering humanitarian crisis

After 12 days of fighting in Gaza, Israel ordered a three-hour pause in its offensive to allow food and fuel into the territory.



SOURCE: United Nations



The army, which has



reach agreement on action to



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Tiger girls come out firing against **Kimberly**

Jerome nearly doubles up 3A Bulldogs at home

By Diane Philbin **Times-News writer**

After beginning the season with a 10-0 record, the Jerome girls basketball suffered three defeats in a row, beginning with a loss to Great Basin Conference West foe Minico. Losses to Madison and Bishop Kelly followed.

The Tigers had two weeks to mull over the losses. Pity the Kimberly Bulldogs as the host Tigers took out all their frustrations on the visiting Bulldogs with a 61-31 victory on Wednesday.

"We came out really aggressive and our defensive intensity got us going," said Jerome coach Brent Clark. "The girls had been ticked off the last couple of weeks about the three loss-

Jerome was led by 6-foot-2 junior post Baylie Smith, who scored 16 points. Carrie Thibault added 14 and Aubree Callen 13.

"This team has such unity and we play as a team and pick each other up," said Smith. "Our defensive intensity carries over to our

offense and creates plays." Speaking of intensity, the Jerome pressure defense was able to take Kimberly totally out of its game and Kimberly coach Rich Bishop noted his team came out with no intensity

or emotion. "We didn't play our game and Jerome outhustled us," said Bishop. "We didn't do much tonight especially on defense. We need to learn how to compete against

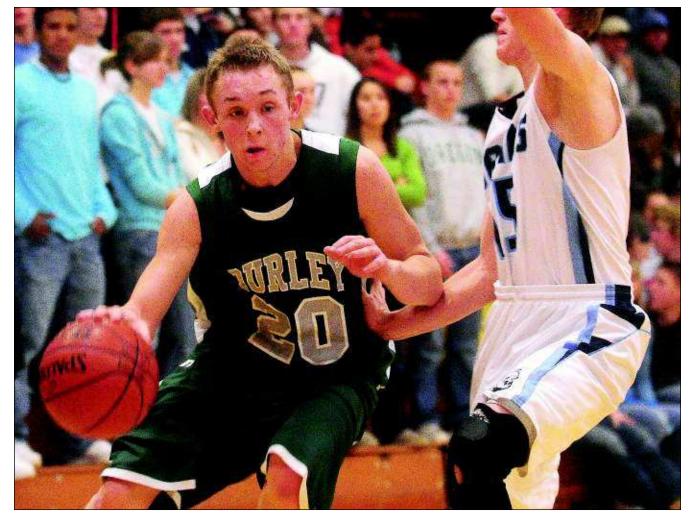
good teams like Jerome." Bishop said his team will focus on getting back the defensive intensity that seems to be missing. The only real bright spot for the Bulldogs was a game-high 17 points from Megan Crist.

Jerome (11-3, 2-1 Great Basin West) plays at Twin Falls tonight. Kimberly (8-2, 4-0 Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference) is on the road at Gooding on Friday.



Bradford

'Cats nip Bruins



JUSTIN JACKSON/Times-News

Burley's A.J. Hunter makes a drive with the ball against Twin Falls Bruin guard Jordan Hamblin during their matchup Wednesday night in Twin Falls.

Burley holds on for crucial victory in Twin Falls

By David Bashore **Times-News writer**

Kyle Hepworth probably never thought messing around in practice after hitting his free-throws would be so useful.

After being held to just two points and no rebounds in the first 15 minutes and 55 seconds of Burley's 54-52 win at Twin Falls on Wednesday, the Burley big man hauled in his first

board with 5 seconds left in the first half and loped down the floor, heaving up a 30-foot shot at the buzzer that struck nothing but nylon.

It gave the Bobcats (4-5) their first lead since early in the first quarter. They didn't trail again.

"We were kind of sluggish in the first half, and that just shifted all the momentum to us," said Hepworth, who finished with a game-high 19 points in the victory. "We knew that they beat Jerome so they're kind of the (area) powerhouse, so we figured if we could compete with them we can compete with anybody."

A.J. Hunter added 14 points and four assists for Burley, and he and Hepworth split the Bobcats' four 3-pointers.

Twin Falls (6-2) was led by Jon Pulsifer's 16 points and 12 rebounds, while Russell Crane added 14. But the Bruins didn't attack Burley's zone defense nearly as ruthlessly as they had in an earlier 55-44 win at Burley, nor did they capitalize when they had an open chance to slash toward the basket.

"You could call it perfect execution. We executed our offense perfectly, our guys were in the right spots, we just didn't get them the

Please see **BURLEY**, Page D2

Burley girls curb late Bruin rally

By Bradley Guire **Times-News writer**

The Burley girls basketball team won a physical and low-scoring affair against Twin Wednesday, defeating the Bruins 41-33 at Baun Gymnasium.

The Bobcats led through most of the game, but Twin Falls threatened to steal it away during the fourth quarter. Trailing 25-23, back-to-back buckets from Erica Coats and Katelyn Fjeld put the Bruins back on temporarily. The Bobcats returned the favor within minutes, adding a few baskets of their own to regain the upper hand.

"It was intense there for a

Wayment said. "We needed to make some big plays, and we did."

Kassi Kerbs and Carli Parish hit six late free throws as Burley held on for the victory. Burley relied on the free-throw shooting of Kerbs throughout. She hit 10 of 12 attempts and finished with 20 total points.

Parish was 2 of 2, and Wayment made 4 of 10 from the line, but most of hers came during the first half to help keep the Bruins at bay. In total, the Bobcats hit 17 of 26 from the line, while the Bruins struggled, going 3 of 12 free throws.

"It was their free throws versus our free throws," Coats said of the difference.

second," Burley post Teresa Please see **SHOOTING**, Page D2



ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Alexin Clark, left, looks for a teammate while under pressure from Burley's Cheri Preston (14) during the first quarter of their game Wednesday night in Twin Falls.

New offense, new results for Bruin basketball

etting back to the success of 2005 was Teess of 2005 was always going to be a challenge for the Twin Falls boys basketball team.

But the Bruins sure didn't expect 6-16 in 2007-08, their worst record in five seasons.

Almost as surprising, however, is the immediacy of their return to prominence. A young team took its lumps last year and, with the promotion of a few bit-part players into more steady roles, a seasoned squad already matched last year's win total even before the Christmas break rolled around.



DAVID BASHORE

For that accomplishment, there's a lot of credit to go around.

The senior leadership from last year's Twin Falls squad came largely from solid all-around athletes. Jacks of all trades, if you will.

Braden Box and Jordan Hamblin fit that bill on this year's team. The difference is that along with those two are seasoned athletes who are basketball players first, in Jake Hanchey and Russell

The senior quartet sets the tone for the Bruins, providing steady leadership, solid outside shooting and penetration to the basket as well as the potential for doubledigit points every night.

Add in young energy players like Marcus Jardine and junior do-everything Jon Pulsifer and the combination of players meshes much more fluidly on the basketball court compared to its predecessor, despite having a similar stockpile of athleti-

The current players' offensive ability and renewed commitment to in-your-face defense has caught some of the Gem State's best teams on their heels, with most unable to sufficiently recover. Only Class 4A No. 1 Skyview really had an answer, and that game was far tighter than the 13-point final margin would indicate.

The players have to be willing to take on the challenge that lies in front of them, but for the overall resuscitation of the program, Bruin head coach Matt Harr should take some well-earned plaudits.

After a season of struggles at both ends of the floor, Harr brought out a new

Please see OFFENSE, Page D4

BCS title game has plenty of subplots

By Ben Walker **Associated Press writer**

LAUD-ERDALE, Fla. — Bob Stoops posed next to the crystal football and played along with a wave of photographers.

They asked him to look to the left, he did. They asked him to smile, he did. Any shot they wanted Wednesday inside talk. a hotel ballroom, he gave them.

Then a shutterbug shouted to the Oklahoma coach, telling him to hold up his finger, showing who's No. 1. Stoops tilted his head, stared at the guy and kept his hands

"Too soon," he said.

First, there's a game to play. The hurry-up Sooners and speedy Florida meet tonight for the BCS championship, a matchup that includes a pair of Heisman Trophy winners, an SEC vs. Big 12 debate and more than its share of trash

Besides, enough teams spot. Southern California, already are claiming the top



Florida vs. **Oklahoma**

6 p.m., FOX

Utah and Texas hope their

bowl wins impressed enough voters in The Associated Press poll, which will be released in the wee hours Friday. Heck, how about

New Hampshire? The Wildcats beat Army, which beat Louisiana Tech, which beat Mississippi State, which beat Vanderbilt, which beat Mississippi, which handed the No. 1

Gators their only loss. No wonder college Please see BCS, Page D4

CSI women No. 17 as **SWAC** play begins

By Mike Christensen Times-News writer

The College of Southern Idaho women's basketball team will begin Scenic West Athletic Conference play as the No. 17 team in the nation. The 11-3 Golden Eagles, owners of an eightgame winning streak, climbed two spots in the latest NJCAA Division I Women's Basketball Top 25, released Wednesday.

North Idaho, the team CSI head coach Randy Rogers believes is the favorite for the SWAC crown, entered the poll at No. 21.

Losers of three of its last four games, Salt Lake Community College fell out of Wednesday's Top 25 after entering the holiday break at No. 22. The top five teams in the poll stayed pat, with Jefferson (Mo.) College staying atop the rankings with a 16-0 record. The two teams to beat CSI this season -Central Arizona College and Midland (Texas) College are ranked second and fourth, respectively.

The Golden Eagles open conference play Friday, traveling to Rangely, Colo., face Colorado Northwestern Community College. CSI visits Eastern Utah on

NJCAA Division I Women's Basketball

Top 25

Team	Rec.	Pts.	VS,
1. Jefferson (Mo.) College	16-0	200	1
2. Central Arizona College	14-0	192	2
3. Gulf Coast CC	16-0	184	3
4. Midland (Texas) College	18-0		2 3 4 5 6 8 7
5. Arkansas Fort-Śmith	14-0	169	5
6. Walters State (Tenn.) CC	15-0	160	6
7. Chipola (Fla.) Collegé	16-2	146	8
8. Trinity Valley (Texas) CC	9-5		7
9. Pensacola (Fla.) JC	17-1		12
10. Connors State (Okla.) College	15-0		9
11. Moberly Area (Mo.) CC	14-1	117	13
12. South Plains (Texas) College	15-2		14
13. Northwest Florida State	14-2	99	
14. Copiah-Lincoln (Miss.) CC	12-1		
15. Northeastern (Colo.) JC	12-1	87	11
16. Cloud County (Kan.) CC	12-2		
17. CSI	11-3		
18. Monroe (N.Y.) CC	9-4		
19. Three Rivers (Mo.) CC	11-2	45	
20. Sheridan (Wyo.) College	13-2	38	16
21. North Idaho College	12-2		_
22. Volunteer State (Tenn.) CC	14-3		20
23. Cowley County CC	11-1		
24. Southern Union (Ala.) State CO	; 11-1	20	24
25. Casper (Wyo.) College	14-3	17	_
Others receiving vetes: Middle Geo Angelina College 14, Salt Lake Co 12, Highland Community College-	mmuni	ty Coll	ege

Saturday afternoon.

As SWAC play opens, Rogers is working hard to teach his team of the bullseye on the Eagles' backs. But the real convincing may come in Price, Utah, on Saturday.

"You can tell them, but until they see it, until we have to call a timeout two minutes into the game because they're up 6-0 on us, they won't believe it," said Rogers.

For a full preview of men's and women's SWAC play, see Friday's Times-News.



Twin Falls' **Braden Box** makes a drive to the hoop during the first half of play against the Burley **Bobcats** Wednesday night in Twin Falls.

JUSTIN JACKSON/

ball," said Twin Falls coach Matt Harr. "We didn't attack the zone all night, and if you miss that many layups you don't deserve to win. Just tip your hat to Burley, they were better in all the important areas of the game."

Burley hit two more free throws (14-of-16) than did the Bruins (12-16), but Twin Falls did outrebound the Bobcats 40-29. Combined with six missed layups, the Bruins left between 12 and 14 points on the floor, Harr estimated.

For Burley, the victory helped quantify the team's progress from earlier in the season. Everyone expected that there would be growing pains on a team that lost three of the best players in the state last season, and the win showed that things are starting to come around at the right time.

"We view the season in three parts. The first part comes before Christmas break, and the second part starts right after Christmas

Both teams struggled to

hit shots. Burley went 10 of

41 and Twin Falls made 14

a win," Bobcats coach

four in a row now and will

take its 2-1 conference record into Hailey next

Wednesday to face Great

Basin Conference West

The Bruins are struggling

opponent Wood River.

will improve.

"I'm happy to get out with

Burley (10-4) has won

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Gordon Kerbs said.

of 39.

break. We've gotten off to a good start in the second part," said Burley head coach Jack Bagley. "I thought (Hunter) did a great job, and Karch (Hincklev) did a good job taking care of the ball against their pressure defense. Kyle stepped up, and he knows he's going to have to do that for us.

"The guys stuck with the game plan and we were able to come out with the win. That's a confidence boost for us."

Burley hosts Class 4A No. 3 Blackfoot on Friday, while Twin Falls returns to Region Four-Five-Six action the same day by hosting Idaho

Brad Davis 2. lotais 18 12-16 52.
3-point goals: Burley 4 (Hunter 2, Hepworth 2); Twin Falls 4 (Box 2, Crane 2). Rebounds: Burley 29 (Blauer 8); Twin Falls 40 (Pulsifer 12). Assists: Burley 11 (Hinckley 5); Twin Falls 9 (Box 3). Turnovers: Burley 13, Twin Falls 14. Total fouls: Burley 14, Twin Falls 17. Fouled out: none.

Burley 54, Twin Falls 52
Burley 816 18 12 – 54
Twin Falls 18 12 – 54
Burley 18 13 16 – 52
Burley (54)
Karch Hinckley 10, A.J. Hunter 14, Sam Harris 6,
Kyle Hepworth 19, Ryan Larson 2, Bill Blauer 3.
Totals 18 14-16 54.
TWIN FALLS (52)
T.J. Ellis 2, Braden Box 6, Jake Hanchey 5, Jon
Pulsifer 16, Marcus Jardine 7, Russell Crane 14,
Brad Davis 2. Totals 18 12-16 52.
3-point goals: Burley 4 (Hunter 2, Hepworth 2); Tw

"We're working on a lot," Jazlyn Nielsen said. "We need a lot more ball move-

ment and patience." The Bruins will host Jerome tonight.

Burley 41, Twin Falls 33
Burley 812 516 – 41
Twin Falls 48 11 10 – 33
BURLEY (41)
Carli Parish 4, Kassi Kerbs 20, Cheri Preston 2,
Paige Andersen 1, Teresa Wayment 12, Shawna
Pace 2. Totals 10 17-26 41.
TWIN FALLS (38)
Josie Jordan 4, Alexin Clark 2, Mallory Jund 4, Sara Federico 4, Katelyn Field 6, Taylor Williams 1,
Chelsea Retmier 6, Erica Coats 6. Totals 14 3-12
33.

33. 3-point goals: Burley 2 (Kerbs 2); Twin Falls 2 (Fjeld 2). Total fouls: Burley 14; Twin Falls 21. Fouled out: Twin Falls, Federico. Technical fouls: none.

at 4-10 (1-3 Region Four-Five-Six), having lost their fifth straight. There is, how-Bradley Guire may be ever, optimism that things reached at 208-735-3229 or bguire@magicvalley.com.

Minico plays tough, falls to Highland

By Ryan Howe Times-News writer

Two defensive breakdowns in the first half put Minico in a hole it couldn't quite climb out of and the Spartans had their three-game winning streak snapped by Highland with a 52-48 loss Wednesday.

Tyson Crane was 6 of 9 from the field and scored 13 of his game-high 16 points in the second half to lead Minico. Kalen Knopp added eight points.

It was the Spartans' second loss to the Class 5A Rams this season, but this time around was an overall better effort by Minico. The Spartans had 24 turnovers and lost to Highland by 19 points on Dec. 9. On Wednesday, in a tighter contest.

"We came out in the first half and we weren't ready," Crane said. "The second half we came out with a lot more intensity. When we can get that up to where we're playing intense all the time, we'll win."

Minico led 10-8 when its first breakdown occurred. Highland scored eight points in the final minute of the first quarter, including two 3pointers in the final 10 sec-

Minico (5-3) tied it back up at 17, but that's when the Spartans' second string of miscues came. Highland (4-6) went on a 12-0 run and Minico only made one field goal in the final 6:20 of the Jared Erickson made the two

31-21 at halftime.

"We're still working on becoming a full team together," said Črane, who is one of only two seniors on Minico's roster. "We're getting closer there, but we still kind of break apart sometimes because of that."

Highland led by as many as 15, but the Spartans battled back. An 8-1 run to finish the third quarter — highlighted by a Coltin Johnson dunk got Minico back to within eight.

An old-fashioned threepoint play by Crane with 6:05 remaining cut Highland's lead to one, 42-41. The Rams only converted 6 of 13 free throws down the stretch, but

Minico only had 12 turnovers second quarter. The Rams led that counted most, which gave Highland a four-point lead with four seconds left.

"Great effort," said Minico coach Mike Graefe. "We came back hard, didn't roll over. In the second half especially, we didn't back off an inch and I'm proud of the

kids for that." Minico travels to Rigby on Friday and are back at home on Tuesday against Twin

24 52.

MINICO (48)

Kalen Knopp 8, Mark Leon 4, Coltin Johnson 8, Shad Hubsmith 6, Casey Christiansen 4, Tyson Crane 16, Kevin Jurgensmeier 2. Totals 19 8-10 48.

3-point goals: Highland 5 (Hill 2, Erickson, Manu, Adams); Minico 2 (Knopp, Christiansen). Total fouls: Highland 15; Minico 18. Fouled out: Knopp.

Valley boys hang on to beat Wendell on the road

John Campbell's last-second 3-pointer hit the rim, bounced into the air and rattled around the basket, the game's result hanging in the

It finally fell off the rim, no good, leaving visiting Valley with a thrilling 43-41 victory over Wendell in nonconference boys basketball action.

The Vikings jumped to a 34-23 halftime lead after a 25point first quarter, but Wendell rallied after intermission.

"We really laid an egg the first half," said Wendell coach Rvon Jarvis. "We didn't play very well at all. But credit Valley — they came out to play, and we didn't."

Montana Barlow scored 11 for Valley, while Matt Garr and Brogen Reed each chipped in 10. Wendell's Nolan Stouder netted a game-high 20 points.

The Vikings enjoyed a huge edge at the foul line, shooting 25 free throws to Wendell's six. Still, the Trojans had a chance to win it, getting off two shots on their final possession, the last being Campbell's near miss on a

Wendell (5-4) travels to Filer for a Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference game on Friday, while Valley visits Declo for a Canyon Conference game Friday.

Valley 43, Wendell 41 25 9 5 4 – 43 47 6 9 9 – 44 VALLEY (43)

VALLEY (43)
Crystian Orozco 1, Matt Garr 10, Brogen Reed 10, Burns 3, Juan Zambrano 7, Montana Barlow 11, Jacob Mikesell 1. Totals 13 14-25 43.

Keith Mowery 2, Jon Myers 7, Nolan Stouder 20, Jordan Lancaster 2, Dusty Vanderham 2, John Campbell 4, Nathan Ormond 4. Totals 19 2-6 41.

3-point goals: Valley 3 (Garr 2, Barlow 1); Wendell 1 (Myers). Total fouls: Valley 13, Wendell 19. Fouled out: Wendell, Orman.

CENTURY 73, JEROME 59 OT

Jerome suffered a setback in Pocatello, falling 73-59 to Century in overtime. Jerome held a significant lead late in the fourth quarter, but dismal ballhandling cost the Tigers the victory.

'We had the game in our hands, up by six with less than a minute to go (in the fourth quarter), and committed turnovers three straight times. When you have opportunities like that, you have to make sure you finish," said Jerome coach Joe Messick.

A Jerome foul with 1.6 seconds left in the fourth quar-

ter put the Diamondbacks Higgins, who "dictated the defeated Filer 37-35 and beston the line, where both shots were converted to force overtime. The D-backs outscored the Tigers 18-6 from there.

Jerome committed 21 turnovers, uncharacteristic for the squad. Post Kevin Williams was a positive for the Tigers, scoring 17 points, along with Logan Parker's 11 points.

Jerome (8-2) will host Buhl on Saturday.

Century 7 Jerome 59 OT

Jerome 913 12 19 6 - 59

Century 15 15 13 12 18 - 73

JEROMIE (59)

Cameron Stauffer 4, Gus Callen 9, Logan Parker 11,

Kris Bos 4, Kameron Pearce 7, Bryan Harper 3, Zach
Ingraham 4, Kevin Williams 17, Totals 21 15-21 59.

CENTURY (73)

Shelley 32, Alley 14, Klauser 6, Campbell 11, O'Brian
4, Zeliner 6, Totals 26 16-20 73

Jopint goals: Jerome 2 (Callen, Parker), Century 5

GLENNS FERRY 67, GOODING 47

A fourth-quarter collapse doomed the Gooding boys basketball team Wednesday in its 67-47 loss to Glenns Ferry. The Senators trailed by only five points after three quarters, but fell apart at the

"We had all-out great intensity," Gooding coach Max Piper said. "In the fourth, we quit attacking the basket, and the defense was sloppy."

Michael Crane scored 29 for the Pilots with most coming off putbacks.

Gooding (1-7, 0-2 Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference) will travel to Shoshone tonight. The Pilots will host Richfield Friday.

Gleans Ferry 67, Gooding 47
Gleans Ferry 11, 21, 11, 22 – 67
Gooding 10, 15, 13, 4 – 47
GLENNS FERRY (67)
Michael Crane 29, Rory Hance 2, Ross Arellano 12, Gabe Arevalo 8, Johnny Popoca 6, Phillip Owlsley 5, Justin Solosabal 5, Totals 23, 15, 23, 67.

Justin Solosabal 5. Totals 23 15-23 67.
GODING (47)
Devan McCool 3, Justin Parke 2, Tommy McMurdie
12, Colton Knopp 2, Tyler Rex 8, Cy Eames 7, Jon
Jenson 8. Totals 18 5-13 47.
3-point goals: Glenns Ferry 6 (Crane 2, Arevalo 2,
Arellano, Owlsley); Gooding 1 (McCool). Total fouls:
Glenns Ferry 14; Gooding 19. Fouled out: Gooding,
Parke. Technical fouls: none.

Girls basketball

HANSEN 63, **LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN 21**

Hansen rode roughshod over Lighthouse Christian 63-21 in Jerome. Shelbie Hancock and Nadine Giardina scored at will for the Huskies, dropping 20 and 19 points respectively.

"Hansen controlled the paint from beginning to end, and passed the ball wall," stated Lighthouse Christian coach Andrew Paz. Paz also gave kudos to Shawnie bined four points. Valley

pace of the game" for Hansen. Josena VanVliet pulled

down five rebounds and scored four in the loss for the Lions.

Lighthouse Christian (2-9) travels to Hagerman on Friday.

Hansen 63, Lighthouse Christian 21.
Hansen 26 14 18 5 – 63
Lighthouse Christian 6 4 6 5 – 21

HANNEN (69)
Marlen Murillo 6, Nadine Giardina 19, Dori Lockwood 9, Shawnie Higgins 9, Shelbie Hancock 20. Totals 28 39 63.

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (21) Rachel Wendland 5, Kyanna Jones 5, Josena VanVliet 4, Sarah Hilbert 5, Ashley Hinton 2. Totals 6 8-14 21. 3-point goals: Hansen 2 (Giardina, Lockwood). Total fouls: Hansen 12, Lighthouse Christian 10. Fouled out: None. Technical fouls: None.

Wrestling

WENDELL WINS TRI-MEET IN BUHL

The Wendell wrestling squad defeated Buhl and Glenns Ferry Wednesday in a triangular at Buhl.

Andrew Ringling earned two pinfalls for the Trojans as did Luke Peterson. Buhl's Michael McDonald earned a pair of pins, while Blake Finney and Oren Carlton each won two matches on pinfall and decision. For the Pilots, Javier Ortiz did the

The Indians will host the Buhl Invitational this week-

Wendell 51, Glams Ferry 27

103 pounds: Glenns Ferry won by forfeit; 112: Kevin VanHoozer, Wendell, pinned Alex Bybee, 2:56; 119: Wendell won by forfeit; 125: Wendell won by forfeit; 130: Wendell, pinned Cory Adamson, 3:20; 140: Allen Benson, Wendell, dec. Jacob Valle, 75; 145: Wendell won by forfeit; 135: Luke Peterson, Wendell, pinned Destry Royce, 0:22; 160: GF won by forfeit; 171: Ryan Slade, Wendell, pinned Johnny Zacarius, 2:13; 189: GF won by forfeit; 215: Ivan Pedroza, GF, pinned Jose Hernandez, 4:33: 285: Javier Ortiz, GF, dec. Leonard

Wendell 42, Buhl 33

Wendell 42, Buhl 33
103 pounds: Ethan Compton, Buhl, won by forfeit;
112: Kevin VanHoozer, Wendell, won by forfeit; 119:
Derek Gines, Wendell, pinned Allen Compton, first
period; 125: Graydon Gutierrez, Buhl, won by forfeit;
130: Andrew Ringling, Wendell, pinned Cade Baugh,
second period; 135: Michael McDonald, Buhl, pinned
Taylor Peterson, first; 140: Allen Benson, Wendell,
won by forfeit; 145: Johnny Macias, Wendell, won by
forfeit; 152: Luke Peterson, Wendell, pinned Gaige
Kliegel, first; 160: double forfeit; 171: Blake Finney,
Buhl, dec. Ryan Slade, 4-3; 189: Devan Lemley, Buhl,
pinned Mosses Raymundo, first period; 215: Oren
Carlton, Buhl, pinned Jose Hernandez, first period;
285: Leornad Terra, Wendell, pinned Nick Castillo,
third period.

Buhl 39, Glenns Ferry 36 unds: Ethan Compton, Buhl, pinned Chris Mills

103 pounds: Ethan Compton, Buhl, pinned Chris M first period; 112: Alex Bybee, Glenns Ferry, won by feit; 119: Allen Compton, Buhl, won by forfeit; 125: feit; 119: Allen Compton, Buhl, won by forfeit; 125: Graydon Gutierrez, Buhl, won by forfeit; 130: Cade Baugh, Buhl, won by forfeit; 135: Michael McDonald, Buhl, pinned Cory Adamson, second period; 140: Jacob Valle, GF, won by forfeit; 145: double forfeit; 152: Destry Royce, GF, pinned Gaige Kliegel, third period; 160: Taylor Owen, GF, won by forfeit; 171: Blake Finney, Buhl, pinned Johnny Zacariaus, first period; 138: Rudy Pedroza, GF, won by forfeit; 215: Oren Carlton, Buhl, dec. Ivan Pedroza, 6-2; 285: Javier Ortiz, GF, pinned Nick Castillo, first period.

VALLEY SWEEPS TRI-MATCH

Valley narrowly beat out Declo and host Filer, sweeping the tri-match by a com-

career-high 37 points for

RAPTORS 99, WIZARDS 93

WASHINGTON — Andrea

Bargnani scored 25 points,

and Chris Bosh added 18 for

Toronto, down to nine players

after trading Hassan Adams

to the Los Angeles Clippers in

a money-saving move earlier

CAVALIERS 111, BOBCATS 81

ed Declo 38-36. The Valley bookends Casey Ivey (103 pounds) and Zach Rarick (285) each recorded two pins on the night. Derek Gerratt also tallied two wins.

For the Filer Wildcats, Andrew Juarez (112), Tyler Reeder, Ryan Orr (160), and Nick Fleenor (189) all recorded two victories. For Fleenor, and Juarez, both of their wins came via pinfall.

Declo was assisted by Andrew Juarez (119) and Justin Cameron (125), who led the squad with two pins

Valley 38, Declo 36
103 pounds: Casey Ivey, Valley, pinned Jamie Alonzo,
3:28; 112: Josh Anderson, Declo, pinned Parker
Lamun, 1:45; 119: Andrew Juarez, Declo, pinned
Caleb Gerrard, 2:37; 125: Justin Cameron, Declo,
pinned Austin Coronodo, 0:23. 130: Jose Alonzo,
Declo, pinned Conner Beames, 1:50; 135: Derek
Gerratt Valley nipned Gasett Lindesu, 2-15; 140: Declo, pinned Conner Beames, 1:50; 135: Derek Gerratt, Valley, pinned Garett Lindsay, 0:15; 140: Aaron Raff, Valley, won by forfeit; 145: James Sizemore, Valley, dec. Nate Poulint, 10-5; 152: Skylor Kuntz, Valley, won by forfeit; 160: Ricky Garcia, Declo, pinned Andrew Munsee, 0:47: 171: double forfeit; 189: Mark Knobbe, Declo, pinned Derek Murphy, 0:34; 215: Lance Sirucek, Valley, won by forfeit; 285: Zach Rarick, Valley, pinned Levi Osterhout, 1:13.

Valley 37, Filer 35
103 pounds: Casey Ivey, Valley, pinned Sheldon
Macklin, 3:14; 112: Andrew Juarez, Filer, pinned
Parker Lamun, 3:14; 119: Caleb Gerrard, Valley, major
dec. Pedro Nunez, 18-3: 125: Rex Moyle, Filer, dec.
Austin Coronodo, 9-7; 130: Conner Beams, Valley, won
by forfelt; 135: Derek Gerrart, Valley, major dec. Cash
Cablo, 15-0; 140: Andrew Rainsdon Eiler pinned by Iorlett, 139. Jetek Gerlatt, Valley, Inlight uc. Cash Coehlo, 15-0; 140: Andrew Rainsdon, Filer, pinned Aaron Raff, 1:36; 145: Tyler Reeder, Filer, dec. James Sizemore, 75: 152: Skylor Kuntz, Valley, dec. Brian Faria, 5-2; 150: Ryan Orr, Filer, pinned Andrew Munsee, 1:39; 171: Dillon Hatch, Filer, won by forfeit; 189: Nick Fleenor, Filer, Derek Murphy, 1:18; 215: Lance Sirucek, Valley, won by forfeit; 285: Zach Rarick, Valley, pinned Brett Packham, 1:01.

Filer 51, Declo 24

Filer 51, Declo 24
103 pounds: Jamie Alonzo, Declo, pinned Sheldon
Macklin, 1:30; 112: Andrew Juarez, Filer, pinned Josh
Anderson, 1:03; 119: Andrew Juarez, Declo, pinned
Pedro Nunez, 1:47; 125: Justin Cameron, Delco,
pinned Rex Moyle, 1:38; 130: Jose Alonzo, Declo, won
by forfeit; 135: Cash Coehlo, Filer, pinned Garett
Lindsay, 5:03; 140: Andrew Rainsdon, Filer, won by
forfeit; 145: Tyler Reeder, Filer, pinned Nate Poultin,
5:42; 152: Brain Faria, Filer, won by forfeit; 160: Ryan
Orr, Filer, dec. Ricky Garcia, 11-8; 171: Dillon Hatch,
Filer, won by forfeit; 139: Nick Fleenor, Filer, pinned
Mark Knobbe, 5:23: 215: double forfeit; 285: Rett Mark Knobbe, 5:23: 215: double forfeit: 285: Brett

Bowling

Packham, Filer, pinned Levi Osterhout, 0:35

BURLEY BOYS, GIRLS EARN WINS

The Burley boys and girls varsity bowling team picked up wins over Jerome on Tuesday at Snake River Bowl in Burley. The Bobcats won the boys varsity match 8-5 led by Anthony Meyer's 194. The Burley girls, led by a 200 from

Kiara Hieb, won 9-4. Jerome's varsity boys bested Minico 10-3 as Jordan Jerke rolled a 171. The Tigers also bested the Spartans in the girls varsity matchup as Resa Diaz rolled a 169 in a 9-4 victory.

GOODING 10, KIMBERLY 3

Gooding's girls varsity bowling team beat Kimberly 10-3 as Tiffany Nicholas rolled a 153. Jessica Wright's 125 led Kimberly.

and New Jersey won its third

MAGIC 106, HAWKS 102

Howard had 23 points and 19

rebounds for Orlando in a

matchup of the top two

teams in the Southeast

TIMBERWOLVES 129, THUNDER 87

Fove matched his career high with 32 points in just three

quarters and Minnesota won

its fourth straight game.

MINNEAPOLIS — Randy

ATLANTA — Dwight

straight at home.

Millsap, Jazz beat tired Hornets in lopsided home win

Indiana.

in the day.

SALT LAKE CITY — Paul Kirilenko had 13 points and buzzer, and finished with a and a season-high 12 assists, Millsap had 27 points and 14 rebounds to extend his NBAleading double-double streak to 19 games and the Utah Jazz took advantage of the weary New Orleans Hornets in a 116-90 victory Wednesday night.

Millsap also had five assists to go with his latest doubledouble.

The Jazz held New Orleans to two field goals in the second quarter as the fatigue set in from the Hornets' 116-105 win over the Lakers the night before in Los Angeles.

Chris Paul had 26 points and seven assists for the Hornets, but got little help from his teammates as Utah controlled everything inside and outrebounded New Orleans 55-26.

Mehmet Okur added 20 points for Utah, and Andrei Granger hit a 3-pointer at the —Vince Carter had 25 points

eight rebounds.

ROCKETS 89, CELTICS 85 BOSTON -- Von Wafer hit a 3-pointer with 44 seconds left to give Houston the lead and the Rockets beat slumping Boston.

It was the sixth loss in eight games for the defending NBA champions, but their first at home since a Nov. 14 defeat to Denver sent them on a 19game winning streak.

NUGGETS 108, HEAT 97

DENVER — Chauncey Billups, Linas Kleiza and J.R. Smith scored 21 points apiece to help Denver win its fifth straight game.

PHOENIX — Danny

PACERS 113, SUNS 100

NETS 100, GRIZZLIES 89 EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J.

bench and Cleveland warmed up for its highly anticipated matchup with Boston.

CLEVELAND — LeBron James scored 21 points before grabbing an early seat on the

Division.

76ERS 110, BUCKS 105 MILWAUKEE — Andre Miller hit a 3-pointer with 28 seconds left, and finished wih

28 points and nine rebounds for Philadelphia.

— The Associated Press

No. 2 Duke too much at home for Stephen Curry, Davidson

Scheyer and Kyle Singler scored 22 points apiece and No. 2 Duke held off a late Stephen Curry-led charge to beat Davidson 79-67 on Wednesday night.

Gerald Henderson added 11 points on 3-of-11 shooting for the Blue Devils (13-1). never trailed, outscored the Wildcats 20-7 to start the second half and withstood their late comeback attempt to win their 67th straight nonconference home game.

Curry, the nation's leading scorer, scored 29 points -

DURHAM, N.C. — Jon the most Duke has allowed 1), who used a 19-2 run spanany player this season — on 10-of-22 shooting for Davidson (10-3), with 21 of those coming in the second half as he tried to rally his team from a 25-point deficit.

NO. 3 NORTH CAROLINA 108, **COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON 70**

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. — Tyler Hansbrough had 24 points and third-ranked North Carolina bounced back from its first loss by beating College of Charleston 108-70 on Wednesday night.

Deon Thompson added 15 points for the Tar Heels (14ning halftime to turn the game into a rout. North Carolina shot 59 percent and cracked the 100-point mark for the fifth time this year.

NO. 11 SYRACUSE 85, DEPAUL 68

SYRACUSE, N.Y. — Andy Rautins scored 17 points and Paul Harris added 14 to lead six Syracuse players in double figures in the Orange's win over DePaul.

It was the sixth straight victory for Syracuse (15-1, 3-0 Big East) and the third consecutive loss for DePaul (8-8,

NO. 17 BOSTON COLLEGE 70

BOSTON — Jeremy Lin scored 27 points to lead Harvard to an upset of Boston College, coming three days

after the Eagles upset North

Carolina.

The Eagles (13-3), who had their 10-game winning streak snapped, defeated the unbeaten Tar Heels 85-78 in

Chapel Hill on Sunday.

GONZAGA 80, NO. 15 TENNESSEE 79, OT

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — Matt Bouldin tied a career high with 26 points to help

Tennessee 89-79 in overtime on Wednesday night.

It was all Gonzaga (9-4) in the extra period, as Austin Daye hit a 3-pointer and four free throws to help the Zags grab their second win over the Vols for the season.

NO. 18 MARQUETTE 81, **RUTGERS 76**

PISCATAWAY, N.J. — Wesley Matthews scored 23 points, hitting all 10 of his shots, to help Marquette beat Rutgers.

Jerel McNeal added 16 points and Dominic James had 15 for the Golden Eagles

Gonzaga upset No. 15 (14-2), who won their sixth straight in starting 3-0 in the Big East for the first time.

NO. 23 LOUISVILLE 71, **SOUTH FLORIDA 57**

TAMPA, Fla. — Earl Clark scored 22 points and Louisville shut down South Florida during a crucial eightminute stretch of the second half to pull away in the Cardinals' Big East opener.

Clark made 8 of 18 shots and finished with a teamleading nine rebounds. Edgar Sosa added 12 points for the Cardinals (10-3, 1-0).

— The Associated Press

SCOREBOARD

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Tuesday's Games

Orlando 89, Washington 80

Philadelphia 104, Houston 96

Charlotte 114, Boston 106, OT

Minnesota 94, Memphis 87

Oklahoma City 107, New York 99

Chicago 99, Sacramento 94

Dallas 107, L.A. Clippers 102

New Orleans 116, L.A. Lakers 105

Wednesday's Games

Orlando 106, Atlanta 102

Toronto 99, Washington 93

Cleveland 111, Charlotte 81

New Jersey 100, Memphis 89

L.A. Lakers

New Jersey 100, Memphis 89 Houston 89, Boston 85 New Jersey 100, well pills 39
Houston 89, Boston 85
Philadelphia 110, Milwaukee 105
Minnesota 129, Oklahoma City 87
Denver 108, Miami 97
Indiana 113, Phoenix 110
Utah 116, New Orleans 90
Detroit at Portland, late
LA. Lakers at Golden State, late
Thursday's Games
New York at Dallas, 6:30 p.m.
Fiday's Games
Atlanta at Orlando, 5 p.m.
Memphis at Toronto, 5 p.m.
Charlotte at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.
Boston at Cleveland, 6 p.m.

Charlotte at Philadelphía, 5 p.m. Boston at Cleveland, 6 p.m. Houston at Oklahoma City, 6 p.m. L.A. Clippers at New Orleans, 6 p.m. Washington at Chicago, 6:30 p.m. Wew Jersey at Milwaukee, 6:30 p.m. Detroit at Denver, 7 p.m. Miami at Sacramento, 8 p.m. Dallas at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m. Indiana at L.A. Lakers, 8:30 p.m.

NBA Boxes Cavallers 111, Bobcats 81

CHARLOTTE (81) G.Wallace 6-10 2-3 14, Diaw 5-12 0-0 10, Okafor 2-7 3-4 7, Felton 6-11 3-3 15, Carroll 1-8 0-0 2, Augustin 3-8 3-3 11, Howard 0-0 0-0 0, Morrison 1-6 0-0 2, Hollins 1-3 3-5 5, Singletary 4-7 4-4 13, Ajinca 0-2 2-2 2. Totals 29-74 20-24 81...

29-74 20-24 81. CLEVELAND (111) James 9-16 3-3 21, B.Wallace 2-3 0-0 4, Varejao 6-9 2-3 14, M.Williams 5-11 4-4 15, West 3-5 1-1 7, Szczerbiak 5-9 2-4 15, Hickson 6-9 1-3 13, Gibson 6-8 0-0 15, Pavlovic 1-2 0-0 2, Jackson 1-2 1-1 3, Wright 0-0 0-0 0, Kinsey 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 45-75 14-19 111 12 30 14 25 - 81 29 31 24 27 - 111

Cleveland 29 31. 24 27 — 111
3-Point Goals—Charlott 3-15 (Augustin 2-5, Singletary 1-2, Felton 0-1, Diaw 0-1, Morrison 0-2, G. Wallace 0-2, Carroll 0-2), Cleveland 7-14 (Szczerbiak 3-3, Gibson 3-4, M. Williams 1-4, Pavlovic 0-1, James 0-1, West 0-1). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Charlotte 38 (Diaw 8), Cleveland 46 (B. Wallace 9), Assists—Charlotte 15 (Diaw 6), Cleveland 24 (West 7). Total Fouls—Charlotte 20, Cleveland 17.
Technicals—Howard 2. Charlotte defensive Technicals—Howard 2, Charlotte defensive three second 2, Cleveland delay of game 2, Cleveland defensive three second. Ejected— Howard. A-20,562 (20,562).

76ers 110, Bucks 105 PHILADELPHIA (110)

Iguodala 6-14 8-11 20, Young 4-11 2-2 10, Dalembert 2-4 2-2 6, Miller 8-13 10-11 28, Green 4-5 0-0 9, Ratliff 2-2 3-4 7, Williams 3-8 4-4 12, Evans 0-0 1-2 1, Ivey 3-5 0-0 9, Speights 3-5 2-3 8, Marshall 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 35-68 32-39 110.

105.

Philadelphia 30 25 24 31 — 110 Milwaukee 25 34 26 20 — 105 3-Point Goals—Philadelphia 8-15 (Ivey 3-4 Miller 2-2, Williams 2-4, Green 1-2, Young 0-1, Iguodala 0-2), Milwaukee 7-19 (Villanueva 3-4, Lue 1-1, Ridnour 1-3, Redd 1-4, Jefferson 1-4, Sessions 0-1, Bell 0-2). Fouled 0ut—Ridnour, Rebounds—Philadelphia 46 (Miller 9), Milwaukee 44 (Gadzuric, Villanueva 7). Assists—Philadelphia 27 (Jenodala 7). Assists—Philadelphia 22 (Iguodala 7), Milwaukee 29 (Redd 7). Total Fouls— Philadelphia 24, Milwaukee 29. Technicals— Philadelphia defensive three second. A— 13.381 (18.717).

Nets 100, Grizzlies 89 MEMPHIS (89) Gay 9-1.8 5-5 23, Ross 0-2 0-0 0, Gasol 6-9 2-4 14, Lowry 3-6 2-3 8, Mayo 9-20 4-5 26, Buckner 1-1 0-0 2, Warrick 4-12 2-5 10, Conley 3-6 0-0 6, Arthur 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 35-

74 15-22 89.

NEW JERSEY (100)

Simmons 4-5 2-2 12, Yi 7-13 6-6 20, Lopez 811 1-1 17, Dooling 4-12 0-0 9, Carter 6-11
12-14 25, Hayes 4-9 0-0 8, Boone 0-0 0-0 0,
Najera 4-6 0-0 9, Douglas-Roberts 0-1 0-0 0.
Totals 37-68 21-23 100.

Memphis

Memphis

Totals 37-68 21-23 100.

Memphls 18 24 29 18 — 89
New Jersey 32 23 26 19 — 100
3-Point Goals—Memphis 4-15 (Mayo 4-8,
Lowry 0-1, Conley 0-1, Warrick 0-2, Gay 0-3),
New Jersey 5-16 (Simmons 2-3, Dooling 1-2,
Najera 1-2, Carter 1-4, Yi 0-2, Hayes 0-3),
Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Memphis 38
(Gasol 10), New Jersey 41 (Lopez, Hayes 8).
Assists—Memphis 18 (Buckner, Gay, Lowry,
Mayo 3), New Jersey 28 (Carter 12). Total
Fouls—Memphis 18, New Jersey 23. A—
11,552 (19,990).

INDIANA (113) Granger 13-27 6-7 37, Murphy 4-10 0-0 12, Hibbert 1-2 1-2 3, Jack 5-10 1-1 11, Graham 6-10 0-0 13, Foster 4-5 0-0 8, Nesterovic 5-6

(Amundson 14). Assists—Indiana 30 (Granger 6). Phoenix 20 (Nash 12). Total Fouls—Indiana 28, Phoenix 17. Technicals—Indiana defensive three second, Barnes. A—18,422 (18,422).

NEW ORLEANS (90) Stojakovic 3-9 0-0 7, West 4-14 5-5 13, Chandler 3-5 1-2 7, Paul 10-18 3-3 26, Butler 4-8 0-0 9, Posey 3-8 3-3 11, Armstrong 1-2 0-0 2, Ely 0-0 2-4 2, Brown 0-0 0-0 0, Daniels 1-

A.Johnson 2-2 0-0 6, Gortat 0-2 0-0 0, Battle 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 36-72 26-36 106. Williams 5-11 5-8 16, Smith 10-15 0-4 21, Horford 4-8 1-1 9, Bibby 6-17 4-4 17,

35-68 32-39 110. MILWAUKEE (105) Jefferson 10-19 6-7 27, Mbah a Moute 1-6 0-0 2, Gadzuric 2-5 1-1 5, Ridnour 4-10 2-2 11, Redd 8-17 3-6 20, Sessions 3-5 1-2 7, Villanueva 9-15 5-5 26, Elson 0-3 0-0 0, Lue 2-2 0-0 5, Bell 1-3 0-0 2. Totals 40-85 18-23 105

Pacers 113, Suns 110

0-0 10, Rush 0-2 0-0 0, Dunleavy 6-12 2-3 14, Diener 2-9 1-2 5. Totals 46-93 11-15 113.

14, Diener 2-9 1-2 5. Totals 46-93 11-15 11.3.
PHOENIX (1.10)
IIII 6-14 6-6 18, Stoudemire 7-19 9-9 23,
Lopez 0-0 2-4 2, Nash 4-9 5-5 16. Richardson 7-15 1-2 16, Amundson 4-9 1-7 9, Barnes 2-10 2-3 6, Barbosa 6-10 3-3 18, Dudley 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 37-87 29-39 11.0.
Indiana 28 33 34 18 — 11.3
Phoenix 21 36 29 24 — 11.0
3-Point Goals—Indiana 10-30 (Granger 5-11, Murphy 4-6, Graham 1-2, Rush 0-1, Jack 0-1,
Dunleavy 0-3, Diener 0-6), Phoenix 7-20 (Nash 3-4, Barbosa 3-5, Richardson 1-4, Hill 0-2, Barnes 0-5). Fouled Out—None.
Rebounds—Indiana 50 (Foster 9), Phoenix 6-1 (Amundson 14), Assists—Indiana 30 (Granger 6-1).

Jazz 116, Hornets 90

0 2, Ely 0-0 2-4 2, Brown 0-0 0-0 0, Daniels 1 5 3-3 5, Peterson 2-3 1-1 5, Marks 1-1 0-0 3. Totals 32-73 18-21 90.

5 3-3 5, Peterson 2-3 1-1 5, Marks 1-1 0-0 3. Totals 32-73 18-21 90. UTAH (116) Miles 3-6 2-2 8, Millsap 9-15 9-13 27, Okur 6-10 6-8 20, Williams 3-7 2-2 8, Brewer 1-4 3-6 5, Knight 1-4 1-2 3, Kirlienko 5-10 3-4 13, Koufos 1-4 3-4 5, Korve 5-9 2-3 15, Harpring 5-7 0-0 10, Collins 0-0 0-0 0, Price 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 40-77 31-44 116. New Orleans 33 13 18 26 — 90 Utah 3-Point Goals—New Orleans 8-23 (Paul 3-4, Posey 2-6, Marks 1-1, Butler 1-4, Stojakovic 1-5, West 0-1, Daniels 0-2), Utah 5-11 (Korver 3-5, Okur 2-2, Brewer 0-1, Knight 0-1, Williams 0-2), Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—New Orleans 28 (West 6), Utah 66 (Millsap 14), Assists—New Orleans 15 (Paul 7), Utah 27 (Williams 8), Total Fouls—New Orleans 29, Utah 23, Technicals—Peterson, Posey, New Orleans defensive three second, Harpring. A-19,911 (19,911).

Magic 106, Hawks 102

ORLANDO (106) Turkoglu 6-12 6-7 20, Lewis 5-11 8-10 20, Howard 8-12 7-13 23, Nelson 5-14 5-6 15, Lee 5-10 0-0 11, Redick 5-7 0-0 11,

GAME PLAN

Miami

LOCAL **HIGH SCHOOL**

BOYS BASKETBALL 7:30 p.m. Buhl at Declo

CHAMP at Twin Falls Christian Gooding at Shoshone Castleford at Oakley Raft River at Lighthouse Christian, Jerome Middle

School Richfield at Bliss Sho-Ban at Hansen

GIRLS BASKETBALL 6 p.m. Richfield at Bliss 7:30 p.m.

Filer at Buhl Jerome at Twin Falls Valley at Glenns Ferry Wood River at Minico **WRESTLING**

4:30 p.m. Gooding, Jerome, Spring

Creek (Nev.) at Kimberly

JJohnson 5-17 2-4 13, Evans 3-4 0-0 8, Murray 5-9 2-4 14, Jones 2-3 0-0 4, Morris 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 40-84 14-25 102. Orlando 29 31 26 20 - 106 Atlanta 24 21 25 32 - 102 3-Point Goals-Orlando 8-18 (A Johnson 2-2, Lewis 2-3, Turkoglu 2-5, Redick 1-2, Lee 1-2, Nelson 0-4), Atlanta 8-21 (Evans 2-2, Murray 2-4, Smith 1-2, Williams 1-3, JJohnson 1-4, Bibby 1-5, Horford 0-1), Fouled Out-Hone. Rebounds-Orlando 51 (Howard 19), Atlanta 50 (Horford 13), Assists-Orlando 21 (Turkoglu 8), Atlanta 76 (Bibby J.5honson 9). Total Fouls-Orlando 23, Atlanta 23. A-13,748 (18,729).

Raptors 99, Wizards 93 Raptors 99, Wizards 93
TORONTO (99)
Bosh 5-16 8-9 18, Graham 2-5 1-2 5,
Bargnani 8-9 5-5 25, Solomon 7-11 0-0 14,
Parker 6-9 1-2 15, Kapono 5-8 0-0 12,
Voskuhl 1-4 0-0 2, Ukic 2-5 2-2 6, Humphries
1-1 0-0 2, Totals 37-68 17-20 99.
WASHINGTON (93)
MCGuire 2-4 0-0 4, Jamison 13-23 3-8 32,
Blatche 6-9 0-0 12, James 4-12 1-3 10,
Buttler 6-18 3-3 15, Songaila 3-5 2-2 8,
Crittenton 1-4 1-2 3, Young 4-9 0-0 9, Thomas
0-0 0-0 0, Totals 39-84 10-18 93.
Toronto 27 23 23 6-99

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Toronto 27 23 23 26 — 99
Washington 16 22 22 33 — 93
3-Point Goals—Toronto 8-16 (Bargnani 4-5,
Parker 2-3, Kapono 2-4, Solomon 0-1, Ukic 0-1, Bosh 0-2), Washington 5-18 (Jamison 3-6,
Young 1-2, James 1-6, Crittenton 0-1, Butler

(2) Exited the Institute Debut of Toronto 1

0-3). Fouled Out—Jamison. Rebounds—Toronto 45 (Graham, Bosh 8), Washington 42 (Jamison 7). Assists—Toronto 18 (Bosh 6), onto defensive three second, A-13.864

Washington 24 (Crittenton, Butler 6). Total Fouls—Toronto 19, Washington 19. Technical— Pacers 113, Suns 110

INDIANA (113)
Granger 13-27 6-7 37, Murphy 4-10 0-0 12, Hibbert 1-2 1-2 3, Jack 5-10 1-1 11, Graham 6-10 0-0 13, Foster 4-5 0-0 8, Nesterovic 5-6 0-0 10, Rush 0-2 0-0 0, Dunleavy 6-12 2-3 14, Diener 2-9 1-2 5, Totals 46-93

14, Diener 2-9 1-2 5. Totals 46-93 11-15 113. **PHOENIX (110)**Hill 6-14 6-6 18, Stoudemire 7-19 9-9 23, Lopez 0-0 2-4 2, Nash 4-9 5-5 16, Richardson 7-15 1-2 16, Amundson 4-9 1-7 9, Barnes 2-10 2-3 6, Barbosa 6-10 3-3 18, Dudley 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 37-87 29-39 110. **Hollans 28** 13 34 18 — 113 **Phoenix 28** 33 34 18 — 113 **Phoenix 29** 36 29 24 — 110 3-Point Goals—Indiana 10-30 (Granger 5-11, Murphy 4-6, Graham 1-2, Rush 0-1, Jack 0-1, Dunleavy 0-3, Diener 0-6), Phoenix 7-20 (Nash 3-4, Barbosa 3-5, Richardson 1-4, Hill 0-2. Barnes 0-5). Fouled 0ut—None.

0-2. Barnes 0-5). Fouled Out-None. U-2, Sames U-5), Fouled UII-Note. Rebounds—Indiana 50 (Foster 9), Phoenix 61 (Amundson 14). Assists—Indiana 30 (Granger 6), Phoenix 20 (Nash 12). Total Fouls—Indiana 28, Phoenix 17. Technicals—Indiana defensive three second, Barnes. A—18,422 (18,422).

TV SCHEDULE COLLEGE FOOTBALL

6:15 p.m. FOX — BCS National Championship Game,

Oklahoma vs. Florida, at

GOLF 7:30 a.m.

TGC — European PGA Tour. Joburg Open, first round, at Johannesburg, South Africa (same-day tape) 4 p.m.

TGC — PGA Tour, Mercedes-Benz Championship, first round, at Kapalua, Hawaii **MEN'S COLLEGE**

BASKETBALL

5 p.m. ESPN2 — Minnesota at

8:30 p.m. FSN — Oregon St. at Arizona St.

Rockets 89, Celtics 85

HOUSTON (89) Scola 0-4 0-0 0, Artest 7-13 1-2 17, Yao 10-13 6-9 26, Alston 1-5 0-0 2, Wafer 4-10 0-0 12, Brooks 8-16 1-1 19, Landry 2-5 2-3 6, Hayes 2-4 0-0 4, Barry 1-2 0-0 3. Totals 35-72 10-15 89.

10-15 89. **BOSTON (85)** Pierce 7-14 8-8 26, Garnett 9-19 0-1 18, Perkins 0-1 0-0 0, Rondo 2-4 1-4 5, R.Allen 4-13 4-4 13, Davis 4-6 4-4 12, Pruitt 3-5 0-0 7, Powe 0-3 2-2 2, House 1-5 0-0 2, Scalabrine 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 30-70 19-23 85.

One of 22 John States 1 Section 19:23 85.

Houston 22 30 19 18 — 89 Boston 31 18 25 11 — 85 3-Point Goals—Houston 9-19 (Wafer 4-6, Artest 2-4, Brooks 2-6, Barry 1-2, Alston 0-1), Boston 6-15 (Pierce 4-6, Pruitt 1-2, R.Allen 1-4, House 0-3), Fouled Out—Artest. Rebounds—Houston 46 (Hayes, Yao 8), Boston 40 (Garnett 8), Assists—Houston 19 (Yao, Brooks, Artest 4), Boston 20 (R.Allen 6), Total Fouls—Houston 26, Boston 19. Technicals—Houston defensive three second, Boston defensive three second 3. A—18,624 (18,624).

Timberwolves 129, Thunder 87 OKLAHOMA CITY (87)
Durant 3-13 3-3 9, Green 4-8 0-0 9, Swift 2-4
0-0 4, Westbrook 5-10 6-8 16, Mason 4-8 0-0
8, Watson 3-10 0-0 7, Wilcox 1-4 0-0 2,
Wilkins 3-10 0-0 7, Kristic 3-8 0-0 6, J.Smith
0-3 0-0 0, Collison 6-8 5-5 17, Weaver 1-2 0-0
2, Totals 35-88 1-4-16 87.
MINNESOTIA (129)

MINNESUIA (129) Gomes 4-12 0-0 10, C.Smith 7-9 0-0 14, Jefferson 8-14 5-9 21, Telfair 4-8 0-0 9, Foye 10-16 6-6 32, Miller 3-6 1-1 8, Carney 6-13 1-3 14, Love 4-5 8-10 16, Cardinal 0-1 0-0 0, Madsen 1-5 0-2 2, McCants 1-3 0-0 3. Totals 48-92 21-31 129.

48-92 21-31 129.

Oklahoma City 24 19 23 21 - 87

Minnesota 42 30 26 31 - 129

3-Point Goals-Oklahoma City 3-11 (Green 12, Wilkins 1-2, Watson 1-3, Westbrook 0-1,
Weaver 0-1, Durant 0-2), Minnesota 12-28

(Foye 6-9, Gomes 2-7, McCants 1-2, Miller 13, Telfair 1-3, Carney 1-4), Fouled Out-None.

Rebounds-Oklahoma City 44 (Collison 10) Rebounds—Oklahoma City 44 (Collison 10), Minnesota 65 (Love 15). Assists—Oklahoma City 23 (Westbrook 12), Minnesota 23 (Foye 6). Total Fouls—Oklahoma City 19, Minnesota 14. Technicals—Minnesota defensive three

Tuesday late NBA Box Hornets 116, Lakers 105

second 2. A-10,272 (19,356).

NEW ORLEANS (116) NEW ORLEANS (116) Stojakovic 2-9 1-1 6, West 14-23 12-13 40, Chandler 3-3 6-6 12, Paul 11-24 9-9 32, Butler 3-8 2-2 10, Ely 0-1 0-0 0, Armstrong 1-

LA. LAKERS (105)
Radmanovic 1-7 1-1 3, Gasol 3-8 4-4 10,
Bynum 2-7 3-4 7, Fisher 6-18 1-2 19, Bryant
14-22 5-6 39, Odom 4-7 3-5 12, Vujacic 2-5

3-Point Goals—New Orleans 5-14 (Butler 2-4, Posey 1-1, Paul 1-3, Stojakovic 1-6), L.A. Lakers 16-34 (Bryant 6-7, Fisher 6-13, Ariza 2-7, Odom 1-1, Vujacic 1-4, Radmanovic 0-2), Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—New Orleans 52 (West 11), L.A. Lakers 45 (Gasol, Bynum 52 (West 11), L.A. Lakers 45 (Gasol, Bynum 8), Assists-New Orleans 17 (Paul 15), L.A. Lakers 24 (Bryant 7). Total Fouls—New Orleans 22, L.A. Lakers 25. Technicals—Posey, Fisher, Vujacic, L.A. Lakers defensive three second 2. A—18,997 (18,997).

Men's College Scores

Men's College Scores
Farwest
Colorado 65, Western St., Colo. 52
Southwest
Texas-Arlington 76, Texas-Pan American 51
Midwest
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Evansville 66, Missouri St. 61, OT
Michigan 72, Indiana 66, OT
Providence 87, Cincinnati 79
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Bethune-Cookman 87, Carver Bible 52
Duke 79, Davidson 67
East Carolina 69, Tulane 66
High Point 42, Winthrop 40
James Madison 70, Old Dominion 62
Louisville 71, South Florida 57
McNeese St. 84, Wiley 75
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North Carolina 108, Coll. of Charleston 70
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William & Mary 73, UNC Wilmington 59
East
Duquesne 76, Charlotte 71
George Mason 71, Towson 59
Harvard 82, Boston College 70
Hofstra 66, Delaware 61
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FOOTBALL

Bowl Glance
All Times MST
(Subject to change)
Friday, Jan. 2
Cotton Bowl
At Dallas
Payout: \$3 million
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Liberty Bowl Memphis, Tenn. Kentucky 25, East Carolina 19
Sugar Bowl
At New Orleans
Payout: \$17 million

Saturday, Jan. 3 At Toronto
Payout: \$750,000
Connecticut 38, Buffalo 20

Connecticut 38, Buffalo 20
Monday, Jan. 5
Flesta Bowl
At Glendale, Artz.
Payout: \$17 million
Texas 24, Ohio State 21
Tuesday, Jan. 6
GMAC Bowl
Mobile, Ala.
Payout: \$750,000
Tulsa 45, Ball State 13
Thursday, Jan. 8

Thursday, Jan. 8
BCS National Championship
At Miami Payout: \$17 million Florida (12-1) vs. Oklahoma (12-1), 6

NFL Playoffs
All Times MST
Wild-card Playoffs
Saturday, Jan. 3
Arizona 30, Atlanta 24
San Diego 23, Indianapolis 17, OT

Sunday, Jan. 4
Baltimore 27, Miami 9
Philadelphia 26, Minnesota 14
Divisional Playoffs
Saturday, Jan. 10 Baltimore at Tennessee, 2:30 p.m. (CBS) Arizona at Carolina, 6:15 p.m. (FOX)

Arizona at Carolina, 6.15 p.m. (FOX)
Sunday, Jan. 11
Philadelphia at N.Y. Giants, 11 a.m. (FOX)
San Diego at Pittsburgh, 2:45 p.m. (CBS)
Conference Champlonships
Sunday, Jan. 18
NFC
Arizona-Carolina winner vs. Philadelphia-N.Y.
Giants winner (FOX), 1 p.m.
AFC
Baltimore-Tennessee winner vs. San DiegoPittsburgh winner (CBS), 4:30 p.m.
Super Bowl
Sunday, Feb. 1
Tampa, Fla.
AFC vs. NFC, 4 p.m. (NBC)

HOCKEY

loss or shootout loss. Tuesday's Games Buffalo 4, Ottawa 2 Minnesota 1, Boston 0 Minnesota 1, Boston 0 Carolina 3, New Jersey 2 Washington 2, Philadelphia 1, SO Pittsburgh 3, Atlanta 1 Detroit 3, Columbus 0 Florida 4, Toronto 2 Colorado 2, Nashville 1

Chicago 6, Phoenix 0 Anaheim 3, Los Angeles 1 Wednesday's Games Montreal 6, N.Y. Rangers 3 Vancouver at Edmonton, late Ottawa at Boston, 5 p.m.
Atlanta at New Jersey, 5 p.m.
Minnesota at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.
Dallas at Detroit, 5:30 p.m.
Toronto at Montreal, 5:30 p.m. Carolina at Florida, 5:30 p.m.

Chicago at Colorado, 7 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Phoenix, 7 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Calgary, 7 p.m.
Anaheim at Los Angeles, 8:30 p.m. Ananeim at Los Angeles, 8:30 p.m
Friday's Games
Columbus at Washington, 5 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Buffalo, 5:30 p.m.
San Jose at Edmonton, 7 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Anaheim, 8 p.m. St. Louis at Vancouver, 8 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Nashville, 6 p.m.

TENNIS ATP World Tour Qatar ExxonMobil Open wednesday At The Khalifa International Tennis & Squash

Doha, Qatar Purse: \$1.11 million (WT250) Surface: Hard-Outdoor Singles Second Round

Gael Monfils (5), France, def. Nicolas Devilder, France, 7-5, 7-6 (4). Sergiy Stakhovsky, Ukraine, def. Alexander Peya, Austria, 7-5, 6-3. Peya, Austria, 7-5, 6-3.
Philipp Kohlschreiber, Germany, def. Kristof Vliegen, Belgium, 6-4, 6-7 (4), 6-4.
Rafael Nadal (1), Spain, def. Karol Beck, Slovakia, 6-1, 6-2.
Roger Federer (2), Switzerland, def. Andreas Seppi, Italy, 6-3, 6-3.
Andy Roddick (4), U.S., def. Arnaud Clement, France, 6-3, 7-5.

TRANSACTIONS BASEBALL

American League
BOSTON RED SOX—Named Tom Tippett direc DUJIUN RED SUA-Named Iom Tippett dire tor, baseball information services; Dean Decillis and Steve Peck professional scouts; Tim Hyers area scout for Georgia, and Fernando Tamayo assistant, international scouting. KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with

KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with C Vance Wilson on a minor league contract. OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Agreed to terms with 18-DH Jason Giambi on a one-year contract. Designated INF Joe Dillon for assignment. National League CINCINNATI REDS—Agreed to terms with INFO Jerry Hairston Jr. on a one-year contract. FLORIDA MARLINS—Agreed to terms with RHP Logan Kensing on a one-year contract. PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Agreed to terms with RHP Yorman Bazardo, OF Jason Ellison, INF Marcus Giles, C Paul Hoover and RHP Gary Majewski on minor league contracts. Gary Majewski on minor league contracts.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Waived F Jawad

Williams.
MEMPHIS GRIZZLIES—Waived F Darius Miles. Acquired G Shaun Livingston and cash considerations from Miami for a 2012 conditional second-round draft pick.
LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Released G-F

Hassan Adams.
OKLAHOMA CITY THUNDER—Acquired G
Chucky Atkins and a conditional 2009 firstround draft pick from Denver for C Johan
Petro and a 2009 second-round draft pick.
TORONTO RAPTORS—Traded G-F Hassan Adams to the Los Angeles Clippers for cash

Adams to the Los Angeles Clippers for cash considerations and a future second-round draft pick.

Women's National Basketball Association SEATTLE STORM—Re-signed G Tanisha Wright.

NBA Development League

RIO GRANDE VALLEY VIPERS—Acquired F Marcus Hubbard.

Marcus Hubbard.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Fired defensive coordinator Gary Gibbs.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Named Tom

SAN FRANCISCU SPEKS—Named IOM
Rathman running backs coach.
Canadian Football League
MONTREAL ALOUETTES—Signed OT Josh
Bourke to a two-year contract and WR Jamel
Richardson to a three-year contract.
HOCKEY
MANDREAL Marker League National Hockey League
NHL—Suspended Ottawa F Jarkko Ruutu two
games without pay for his actions in a Jan. 6
game against Buffalo.
COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS—Recalled C Nikita
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OTTAWA SENATORS—Recalled D Matt Carkner from Binghamton (AHL).
PHOENIX COYOTES—Recalled C Garth Murray SOCCER

Major League Soccer
D.C. UNITED—Re-signed D Marc Burch.
LOS ANGELES GALAXY—Signed MF Leonard Griffin. Released D Eduardo Domingue: NEW YORK RED BULLS-Signed D Carlos

COLLEGE
SOUTHLAND CONFERENCE—Named Jim
Donovan media services intern.
BOSTON COLLEGE—Fired football coach Jeff Jagodzinski. DELAWARE—Announced the retirement of

DELAWARE—Announced the returnment of Kate Pohlig associate director of athletics. FLORIDA STATE—Announced DE Everette Brown will enter the NFL draft. GEORGIA—Announced QB Matthew Stafford and RB Knowshon Moreno will enter the NFL draft.
GEORGIA STATE—Named Bill Curry interim

ILLINOIS STATE—Named Jay Peterson linebackers coach. IUPUI—Named Chuck Koeppen men's cross

LOUISVILLE—Announced OB Matt Simms is LOUISVILLE—Announced Qo mark Shinns is transferring.

NAVY—Agreed to terms with football coach Ken Niumatalolo on a contract extension.

OREGON—Announced junior G Ben Voogd is leaving the men's basketball team.

TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE—Named Guy Morriss football coach.
VIRGINIA—Announced WR Kevin Ogletree will

enter the NFL draft. YALE—Named Tom Williams football coach.

Boston College fires head football coach Jagodzinski after he met with Jets

BOSTON — The man who fired Jeff Coast Conference title game twice, losing Jagodzinski for interviewing with the New York Jets called Wednesday the hardest day in his 12 years as Boston College's athletic direc-

Athletic director Gene DeFilippo declined to speculate during a 20-minute news conference — at which he said "I love Jags" — if the coach preferred the technical, Xs-and-Os job of an NFL coach to the college job with its

cussed his decision to fire Jagodzinski over "a difference of vision for the future." "I really don't know" if he preferred the pro game, DeFilippo said. "You would have to ask

He seemed to choke back tears as he dis-

recruiting and glad-handing of supporters.

Jeff that." "I am so proud of what these students-athletes and our staff have accomplished during our tenure here," Jagodzinski said in a statement released by the school. "I wish everyone at Boston College the best in the years to come, both on and off the field."

He went through with his interview for the Jets head coaching job Tuesday even though DeFilippo told him three days earlier that he would be fired if he did. The job came open with the firing of Eric Mangini.

Jagodzinski, 45, had three years left on the five-year contract he signed for his first head coaching job after serving as an assistant for the previous eight years in the NFL and another 14 in college. He took BC to the Atlantic both to Virginia Tech. The Eagles were ranked as high as No. 2 in the nation in 2007 and were a combined 20-8 under Jagodzinski.

Georgia's Stafford, Moreno enter draft

ATHENS, Ga. - With Matthew Stafford and

Knowshon Moreno headed to the NFL,

Georgia probably won't have to worry about another preseason No. 1 ranking in 2009. Stafford, a junior who set a school record with 25 touchdown passes this season, and Moreno, only the second Georgia player to rush for more than 1,000 yards in consecutive

seasons, said Wednesday they are leaving

school to enter the NFL draft. Neither decision was a surprise. Each is a projected first-round pick.

After the two announced their decisions, Georgia coach Mark Richt offered advice for NFL executives: "Trade up for them, if you're "I think whichever NFL teams get them will

be very excited and very blessed by it," Richt said. "They'll not only be good players but they'll be good in their locker rooms and good in their communities. They're gonna do well." Moreno had 1,400 yards rushing with 16 touchdowns this season. Stafford, protected by a young offensive line, passed for 3,459

yards and set a school record with 3,499 yards

of total offense.

Sports Shorts

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BASEBALL **Jason Giambi rejoins Athletics**

OAKLAND, Calif. — Jason Giambi is returning to his professional baseball roots with the Oakland Athletics.

Giambi and the A's finalized a \$5.25 million, one-year contract with an option Wednesday, bringing the free-agent designated hitter and first baseman back to the place he began his big league career. The sides had reached a preliminary agreement earlier this week but Giambi still needed to complete the obligatory physical for the deal to get done.

Giambi, who turns 38 on Thursday, follows a line of aging and injury-prone designated hitters in recent years with the A's — Frank Thomas, Mike Piazza, Mike Sweeney and then Thomas again. Giambi also could play some first base to give Daric Barton a break from time to time.

After leaving the A's following the 2001 season, Giambi signed a \$120 million, seven-year contract with the New York Yankees. He was slowed by injuries and was ensnared in the federal and baseball investigations of per-

formance-enhancing drugs.

MAGIC VALLEY

Kimberly boosters hold dinner KIMBERLY — The Kimberly Booster Club will host a Sloppy Joe Dinner from 4:30-7:30 p.m., today during the Kimberly wrestling match between Kimberly, Jerome, Gooding and Spring Creek (Nev.). The cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for students.

High-school tennis clinics available

TWIN FALLS — The E Street YMCA will be holding high-school tennis clinics for the next month. Clinics for beginners are on Mondays and Thursdays from Jan. 12-Feb. 12, at 4:30-6 p.m. Intermediate clinics are from 4:30-6 p.m., Tuesdays and Fridays from Jan. 13-Feb. 13. Cost is \$100.

Information: 733-4384.

Castleford holding youth b-ball signups

CASTLEFORD — Registration for Castleford Youth Basketball for boys and girls grades 2-4 will be held at 1:30 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 10, in the Castleford gymnasium. Cost is \$25. Coaches are also needed. Information: Janet at 308-0770 or 543-5011.

Staff and wire reports

Browns, Mangini agree to terms

CLEVELAND Mangini is the new head coach of the Cleveland Browns, a week after being fired by the New York Jets.

A person with knowledge of the negotiations told The Associated Press that Mangini will be introduced

Thursday at a news conference at the team's headquarters in Berea. The person spoke on condition of anonymity because Mangini's



contract has not been final-

Mangini reached an agreement on a four-year deal with the club on Wednesday, the person said.

Mangini is represented by agent Ron Shapiro, who is Mangini's father-in-law.

The 37-year-old Mangini began his NFL career as a ballboy with the Browns in 1994 under then-coach Bill Belichick.

Mangini went 23-25 and made the playoffs once in three seasons with the Jets, who stumbled down the stretch to lose four of their last five games and miss the playoffs after an 8-3 start.

Mangini is taking over the job that one of his best friends in football, Romeo Crennel, was just fired from. The friendship dates to the duo's days as assistants with the Jets under Bill Parcells. Mangini was a defensive assistant while Crennel was the Jets' defensive line coach from 1997-99. Mangini followed Bill Belichick to New England in 2000, and Crennel joined the Patriots' staff a year later after a stint as Cleveland's defensive coordi-

Offense

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Twin Falls' high-post

Princeton-style offense

because it shares the key

COWBOYS RELEASE PACMAN JONES

IRVING, Texas — Troubled cornerback Adam "Pacman" Iones was released Wednesday by the Dallas Cowboys following a season in which he was suspended six games for an off-field

The transaction will not become official until Feb. 9, the first day NFL teams can make waiver requests.

"He was surprised, and I think he was obviously somewhat hurt," said Worrick Robinson, Jones' agent. "At the same time, he understands the business behind what is happening here."

A Cowboys spokesman declined to comment on the team's decision and said owner Jerry Jones was unavailable.

Jones, expected to give the Cowboys a boost on defense and special teams, had no interceptions and averaged just 4.6 yards per punt return.

SEAHAWKS TO HIRE KNAPP AS COORDINATOR

SEATTLE — Greg Knapp is the new offensive coordinator for the Seahawks, the first of many moves to be made by Seattle under new coach Jim Mora.

A person familiar with the hire confirmed Wednesday that the 45-year-old Knapp will leave the Oakland Raiders to reunite with Mora, Knapp's former boss in Atlanta.

Seattle's move comes two days after Mora held his first staff meeting as the successor to Mike Holmgren. Holmgren left the Seahawks after 10 seasons when his contract expired following Seattle's 4-12 season, its first in six years without a playoff appearance.

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— The Associated Press

NFL PLAYOFFS

Ravens-Titans a defensive struggle

By Dave Goldberg Associated Press writer

Baltimore and Tennessee played one of the stranger playoff games in NFL history eight years ago, a 24-10 win in Nashville by the Ravens in which they had just 134 yards of offense.

Trent Dilfer was for Baltimore in that game what Kerry Collins is for Tennessee now, a steady veteran hand for a team built for running and defense. The Ravens scored TDs by returning a blocked field goal attempt and via an interception by Ray Lewis. They went on to beat the Raiders the next week in the AFC title game, then shut down the Giants (with Collins at quarterback) in the Super Bowl.





Ravens at Titans

2:30 p.m., Saturday, CBS

Look for more of the same in Nashville on Saturday in a game in which sixth-seeded Baltimore is a 3-point underdog to top-seeded Tennessee – the home-field advantage.

There are three Ravens left from that 2001 game: Lewis, kicker Matt Stover and defensive coordinator Rex

"The guys who were part of that can draw on that," Ravens coach John Harbaugh says. "Rex has talked about that with me, and I've talked to Ray about that. I know they talk to different guys about it. It's neat. I think it's something that's positive. But this is a new year. That's a long time ago. This is two new football teams."

The Titans won 13-10 in Baltimore earlier this season and this should be the same type of game.

Both teams are built the same way: defense first, the running game next, and then passing. Give the much more experienced Collins the edge over rookie QB Joe Flacco, just as Kurt Warner demonstrated his playoff experience last week for Arizona against Atlanta rookie Matt Rvan.

But give Lewis, Ed Reed and the rest of the Ravens' defense the ultimate edge. And bruising running back Le'Ron McClain was used a lot less the first time they

RAVENS, 15-10





Arizona (plus 10) at Carolina 6:15 p.m., Saturday, FOX The Cardinals lost 27-23 in

their first trip to Charlotte. But that was one of their better road games this season —

Tennessee Titans quarterback Kerry Collins will lead his team against the Baltimore Ravens in the AFC **Divisional Playoffs on Saturday.**

they didn't have an away win outside the weak NFC West. And while they were impressive in shutting down Michael Turner in their upset of Atlanta last week, it's not likely to happen this week against DeAngelo Williams and Jonathan Stewart. It's nice to see a historically downtrodden franchise win a

postseason game. It won't happen again this weekend. PANTHERS, 27-12



at New York Giants 11 a.m., Sunday, FOX The Giants finished the season

1-3. The Eagles are on a 5-1 run, including a victory over the Vikings in the playoffs last Sunday. And, of course, a 20-14 win over New York at the Meadowlands on Dec. 7. What does it mean?

"I don't think this team really looks at it like we've lost three of the last four," says center Shaun O'Hara. "We're done with last year. That was 2008. This is 2009."

Actually, 2008 was pretty good to New York. GIANTS, 24-21



San Diego (plus 6) at Pittsburgh 2:45 p.m., Sunday, CBS

The Chargers are a better team now than the one that lost the only 11-10 game in NFL history at Heinz Field on Nov. 16. And Ben Roethlisberger sustained a

L.T. confirms torn tendon in groin

SAN DIEGO (AP) — LaDainian Tomlinson confirmed Wednesday that he has a torn tendon in his groin and listed himself as doubtful for the San Diego Chargers' playoff game at Pittsburgh on Sunday. "It's definitely torn," Tomlinson

said after sitting out Wednesday's practice. "I can't really elaborate on it because I don't want to give too much information away." Tomlinson was hurt in a 52-21 rout against Denver in the regular-season finale on Dec. 28 that clinched the AFC West title. The team has listed him as having a strained groin.

"If it was a strain I'd be able to play with it, trust me," Tomlinson said. "A lot of guys have strains." Reports surfaced prior to

Saturday's wild-card win against the Indianapolis Colts that Tomlinson has a detached tendon that connects one of his groin mus-

concussion in the final regular-season game for Pittsburgh.

But the Steelers' defense should be good enough on its own to win this game. LaDainian Tomlinson might not

cles to his pubic bone. Tomlinson started against the Colts but came out after scoring on a 3-yard run early in the second quarter. With Darren Sproles filling in, the Chargers won 23-17 in overtime.

Times-News, Twin Falls, Idaho

Tomlinson said this injury has been tougher than any he's had during his brilliant eightyear career.

"It feels like something is tearing away from my leg. That's how I know that it's messed up because before. when I've had groin injuries, I haven't felt that," said Tomlinson, the NFL MVP in 2006 who set league records that year with 31 touchdowns and 186 points. "Whenever you feel a popping or like it's tearing, that's usually not good."

NFL teams don't give an injured player's status until Friday. But Tomlinson said his status is doubtful, meaning there's a 75 percent chance he won't play.

play and his replacement at

running back, Darren Sproles, might be worn down a bit from 328 all-purpose yards last week. Beyond that, the footing might not be as good. STEELERS, 20-17



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fans from President-elect Barack Obama on down

want to see a playoff system. "I think at some point in time it might happen," Florida coach Urban Meyer said Wednesday. "I didn't believe that a few years ago, but I feel now the discussion is out of control. I can't imagine any guy that enjoys football not discussing that wherever he's at. So I imagine at some point that might happen now."

As to whether it should be a tournament for four, eight or 16 teams, that's someone else's department.

"It's not my job to figure that out," Meyer said. "I think it would be hard. I don't know how you do it.'

Echoed Stoops: "That's not for me to do. They're all good football teams; everyone realizes that. So again, that's for you guys to choose."

There's plenty of time to think about it. The BCS' latest TV deal with ESPN ensures there won't be a playoff until at least 2014.

Meanwhile, there's a pretty attractive game brewing at Dolphin Stadium between

12-1 teams. The winner gets the glistening crystal prize. That could come in handy for the Gators — they won the trophy two years ago, but a recruit accidentally bumped into it in April, shattering the \$30,000 football. Fortunately for them, it was insured.

Tim Tebow was a freshman backing up Chris Leak when Florida stomped Ohio State for the title. Tebow won the Heisman last season and now will try to add a second

The Rambo-style quarterback will soon explore his NFL options, deciding whether to enter the draft or return for his senior season. Tebow is not exactly elegant with his left-handed tosses, and some scouts project he'll wind up as a tight end in the

"I'll hear something about Tim's throwing motion or the NFL is looking for — I sometimes get confused," Meyer said. "Do they want a guy that's going to lead a team to win games? I don't know if there's any better than Tim."

Tebow drew the most firstplace votes in the Heisman

balloting last month, but finished third overall. Oklahoma quarterback Sam Bradford took home the trophy — he said his parents now have it somewhere in their house.

Bradford, a sophomore, also has submitted paperwork to the NFL's advisory board to see how highly he could get picked in the draft. Tebow and Bradford expect to make their decisions a few days after the big game.

While Florida boasts great speed, the second-ranked Sooners operate at a blinkof-the-eye pace. They set a modern record for points this season, averaging 54 a game. With their linemen,

downfield, their no-huddle offense often leaves opponents gasping and disorganized. Teams are allowed 40 seconds to run a play; Oklahoma tries to snap the ball in half that time.

Given more than a month to prepare, Meyer said it's still hard to simulate what the Sooners do.

"You don't understand you have substitution limitations because of tempo, you have the fatigue factor and you have the chaos factor where you like to line up," he said.

Oklahoma has lost four straight BCS games, including two for the national title. Down here in Gator country, both teams got in early shots this week.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

08-0036148 Title Order No. W830998 Parcel No. Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 15, RP082010000070A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of Alliance Title & Escrow located at 1411 Falls Ave. East, Suite 1315, Twin Falls, ID 83301., on 04/20/2009 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 10/15/2007 as Instrument Number 2007-025287, and executed by JOHN R MORTIMER, AN UNMARRIED, ALSO KNOWN AS JOHN MORTIMER, AN UNMARRIED MAN, as Grantor(s), in favor of COUNTRYWIDE BANK, FSB., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COM-PANY, the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: LOT 7 OF SOUTH VIEW ES-TATES, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN BOOK 11 OF PLATS, PAGE 36, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of 1151 SOUTHVIEW DR, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301-5586 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale con-ferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 01/01/2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.250% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$149,529.83, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and /or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DAT-ED: 12/09/2008 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECON-TRUST COMPANY 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., SV2-202 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY Successor Trustee Kari Marx, Assistant Secretary ASAP# 2944945

PUBLISH: December 25, 2008 and January 1, 8 and 15, 2009

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ANNEXATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that RICHARD L. KECHTER and CRAIG SEARLE have petitioned to have certain lands annexed to the Southwest Irrigation District. The lands are described as being in Cassia County, Idaho, and more particularly described on Exhibit A and Exhibit B attached to this Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 20th day of January 2009, at 9:00 a.m., Southwest Irrigation District will hold a hearing at 137 West 13th Street, Burley, Idaho 83318, for any person or persons to show cause in writing why the lands should not be annexed to the District.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the failure to show cause may result in the lands being annexed without further proceedings.

DATED this 18th day of December 2008. SOUTHWEST IRRIGATION DISTRICT

By /s/ Randy Brown

RANDY BROWN,

TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 21 EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO

Section 35: E½SE¼, N½NE¼, and SE¼NE¼ Section 36: All

EXCEPT the following described tracts: Tract No. 1:

Beginning 270 feet East of the Southwest corner of said Section 36, which

is hereby known as the True Point of Beginning; Thence West 1,590 feet to the Southwest corner of the SE¼SE¼ of said

Section 35: Thence North along the quarter section line a distance of 2,180 feet;

Thence Southeasterly 2,700 feet, more or less, to the True Point of Beginning. Tract No. 2:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of said Section 36; thence South 89°52' East along Section line for 697.16 feet to the True Point of Beginning, Thence North 0°08' East for 370.0 feet to a point;

Thence South 62°13' East for 339.07 feet to a point;

Thence South 41 022' East for 150.40 feet to a point; Thence South 0°08' West for 100.0 feet to a point on section line;

Thence North 89"52' West along said section line for 400.0 feet to the True Point of Beginning. Tract No. 3:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Section 36, said corner marked by a 5/8 inch rebar with a 3 inch cap on top; Thence South 89"46'58" West along the South line of Section 36 for a distance of 72.66 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar on the Northwesterly right of way of State Highway 30 which

shall be the Point of Beginning; Thence South 89°46'58" West along the South line of Section 36 for a distance of 102.57 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar,

Thence North 00°47'40" East for a distance of 70.17 feet to a ½ inch rebar; Thence North 89°26'37' West for a distance of 69.58 feet to a ½ inch rebar; Thence North 01"29'02" East for a distance of 966.92 feet to 1/2 inch rebar; Thence North 30°46'48" East for a distance of 62.14 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; Thence South 84"30"03" East for a distance of 28.83 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; Thence North 06"51'44" East for a distance of 329.08 feet to 1/2 inch rebar; Thence North 19"27"0" West for a distance of 343.95 feet to 1/2 inch rebar; Thence North 02"04'26" East for a distance of 95.14 feet to 1/2 inch rebar; Thence North 86"57"58" East for a distance of 238.39 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar on the East line of Section 36:

Thence South 00"14"51" West along the East line of Section 36 for a distance of 1771.42 feet to the Northwesterly right of way of State Highway

Thence South 44°12'46" West along the Northwesterly right of way of State Highway 30 for a distance of 104.65 feet to the Point of Beginning.

EXHIBIT A (Kechter Property)

Township 11 South, Range 24 EBM Cassia County, Idaho. Section 19: That part of the West one-half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 19 particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of the West one-half of said Section 19; Thence West One Hundred Fifty (150) feet;

Thence North Two Hundred (200) feet:

Thence East One Hundred Fifty (150) feet: Thence South Two Hundred (200) feet to the Point of Beginning.

EXHIBIT B (Searle Property)

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See what's new at www.magicvalley.com PUBLISH: Dec 18, 25, 2008, Jan 1 and 8, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

2008 File No.: 7023.18565 Sale date and time (local time): April 15, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID 83301 Property address: 260 Jefferson Street Twin Falls, ID 83301 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Melisa Ann Martinez, an unmarried person Original trustee: First American Title Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Regis-tration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Mann Financial, Inc. D/B/A Republic Mortgage Recording date: July 30, 2003 Recorder's instrument number: 2003019781 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on the obligation: as of December 15, 2008; \$55,546.79 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot 17 of Davidson's Subdivision, Twin Falls County, Idaho, recorded in Book 5 of Plats, at Page 14. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.18565) 1002.105297-FEI

PUBLISH: January 1, 8, 15 and 22, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 11, 2008 File No.: 7023.18289 Sale date and time (local time): April 13, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID 83301 Property address: 712 Pine Street Filer, ID 83328 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Jamie L. Silver and Jay M. Silver, wife and husband Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company of Ada County Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: January 5, 2007 Recorder's instrument number: 2007000383 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on the obligation: December 11, 2008: \$218,879.03 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot 2 in Block 2 of Cedar Creek Estates #1, according to the official plat thereof, filed in Book 19 of Plats at Page(s) 43, official records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreciosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.18289) 1002.105150-FEI

PUBLISH: Dec 18, 25, Jan 1 and 8, 2008

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 4, 2008 File No.: 7264:20419 Sale date and time (local time): April 06, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID 83301 Property address: 808 Grandview Drive North Twin Falls, ID 83301 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Believue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original granter: Robert Gomez and Cande Gomez. husband and wife Original trustee: First American Title Company Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for Accredited Home Lenders, Inc. Recording date: January 31, 2005 Recorder's instrument number: 2005002276 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on the obligation: as of December 4, 2008: \$96,223.79 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: The South 74.5 feet of Lot 18 and the West 2 feet of the South 74.5 feet of Lot 17, Quilici Heights Subdivision, Twin Falls County, Idaho, recorded in Book 6 of Plats, Page 53. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7264.20419) 1002.105240-FEI

IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE

COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS Case No. CV 08-1948

SUMMONS

XPRESS COLLECTORS AGENCY, LLC, Plaintiff.

PUBLISH: January 1, 8 and 15, 2009

ELIUD ALVAREZ,

Defendant NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF. THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 DAYS, READ THE

INFORMATION BELOW. TO: ELIUD ALVAREZ

You have been sued by Xpress Collectors Agencv. LLC, the Plaintiff, in the District Court in and for TWIN FALLS County, Idaho, Case No. CV 08-1948. The nature of this claim against you is

Any time after 20 days following the last publication of this summons, the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form, including the Case and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at PO Box 126, Twin Falls, ID 83303, (208) 736-4025 and served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff's attorney William R. Dalling, 501 Park Ave., PO Box 50050, Idaho Falls, ID 83405, (208) 522-2350. A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be

obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for Plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter.

DATED this 22rd day of December, 2008. CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT By /s/Kasey Wageman, Deputy

PUBLISH: January 8, 15, 22 and 29, 2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION

Case No. CV-2007-526 SUMMONS RAUL RIVERA-HERNANDEZ

Plaintiff.

ALANA CELES RIVERA. Defendant.

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE NAMED PLAINTIFF. THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGEMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 DAYS. READ THE IN-FORMATION BELOW.

TO: THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

You are hereby notified that in order to defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must be filed with the above-designated court within 20 days after service of this Summons on you. If you fail to so respond the court may enter judgement against you as demanded by the Plaintiff in the Petition.

A copy of the Petition is served with this Summons. If you wish to seek the advice or representation of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be filed in time and other legal rights protected.

An appropriate written response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) and other Idaho Rules of Civit Procedure and shall also include: The title and number of this case.

If your response is an Answer to the Petition, it must contain admissions or denials of the separate allegations of the Petition and other defenses you may claim.

Your signature, mailing address and telephone number, or the signature, mailing address and telephone number of your attorney Proof of mailing or delivery of a copy or your

response to Plaintiff's attorney, as designated above. To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the above-named court.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said District Court. Dated: November 20, 2008

By: Deputy Clerk

PUBLISH: January 1, 8, 15 and 22, 2009

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

You are hereby notified that the Annual Meeting of Depositors of First Federal Savings Bank of Twin Falls will be held at the Main Office of First Federal Savings Bank, 383 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, Idaho on Wednesday the twenty-first day of January 2009, at 2:00 PM, for the purpose of electing two Directors - each to serve a term of three years, the presentation of the Management's Annual Report, and the transacting of any business that may properly come before such meeting. /s/Jason A. Meverhoeffer, Secretary

PUBLISH: January 8 and 15, 2009

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR 2008 PERRINE COULEE SEWER LINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the Deputy City Clerk at 321 Second Avenue East, Twin Falls, Idaho until 10:00 A.M., prevailing local time on January 20, 2009, at which time they shall be publicly opened and read in the City Council Chamber Overflow Room of the Twin Falls City Council Building, 305 3rd Ave. East, Twin Falls, Idaho. Bids will be received for the Perrine Coulee

Sewer Line Replacement Project. A pre-bid meeting will be held on January 13.

2009, at 10:00 a.m., located in the City Council Chamber Overflow Room of the Twin Falls City Council Building, 305 3rd Ave. East, Twin Falls, ldaho. A site tour of the project is scheduled directly following the meeting. Attendance of all bidders is requested. Plans and specifications have been prepared by

Loren Jalbert, P.E. of Sunrise Engineering Inc. Contract Documents with specifications and/or plans are available at two locations: Sunrise Engineering Inc., 1650 South Topaz Way, Meridian, Idaho 83642 (208) 884-0306; or at the office of the City Engineer, 324 Hansen St. East, Twin Falls, Idaho, a THIRY-FIVE DOLLAR (\$35.00) contract fee is required. Sharon M. Bryan Deputy City Clerk

321 Second Avenue East P.O. Box 1907 Twin Falls, ID 83303 1907 (208) 735-7245 Pre-Bid Tour: January 13, 2009 Open: January 20, 2009

City of Twin Falls

PUBLISH: January 1 and 8, 2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS SMALL CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Case No. CV 08-5514 SUMMONS WILSON-BATES, INC. Plaintiff(s)

TAMMY D. REAVES TEDDY W. REAVES, JR., Defendant(s).

TO THE DEFENDANT(S): YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a claim has been filed

against you. The plaintiff(s) who filed the daim, the court with which the claim is filed, and the case number assigned to your case are listed above. IF YOU DISAGREE WITH THE CLAIM, AND IF

YOU WANT TO CONTEST THE CLAIM, you must file an answer with the court within 20 days from the date you received this summons. IF YOU AGREE WITH THE CLAIM, AND DO NOT WISH TO CONTEST IT, NO ACTION NEED BE TAKEN BY YOU. IF YOU DO NOT FILE YOUR ANSWER with the

court within 20 days, the court may enter judgment against you, for the money or personal property that the plaintiff asks for in the claim, plus the plaintiff's costs for filing the claim and serving you with notice of the claim. IF YOU FILE AN ANSWER, you will be mailed a

notice with the date and time for a hearing, when the judge will hear your case. IF YOU DO NOT WANT A HEARING DO NOT FILE THE ANSWER.

You should receive an ANSWER form along with this summons. You must use that form if you decide to file an answer. You can mail your answer to: Court Services, PO Box 126, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0126. The answer must be received by the court within the 20-day deadline.

You should also have received a document called "INFORMATION FOR DEFENDANTS IN SMALL CLAIMS CASES" along with this summons. A more detailed booklet which will take you step-by-step through the small claims court process is available upon request from the Clerk of the District Court in your county. This booklet has important information that will help you prepare for your hearing.

Favor de avisarnos antes de la fecha de la audencia si usted necesitara un interprete en la

DATED this 12th day of December, 2008 By Deputy Clerk of Court

PUBLISH: Dec 18, 25, 2008, Jan 1 and 8, 2009



PUBLIC NOTICE

The Idaho Transportation Department, Office of Highway Operations and Safety announces the availability of Federal highway safety grant funds for behavioral traffic safety programs beginning on October 1, 2009. Priority highway safety program areas include safety restraint use, impaired drivers, aggressive drivers, youthful drivers, roadway safety/traffic records, emergency medical services, bicycle/pedestrian safety, and other problem areas. Funding is also available for Electronic citation projects beginning earlier than October 1, 2009.

Applicants must be state or local governmental and/or non-profit organizations. The deadline for the applications is February 13, 2009. Faxed or Electronic Letters of Intent must be received no later than 11:59 PM MST (before Midnight) on February 13, 2009. If you are interested in applying for these grant funds, contact the Idaho Office of Highway Operations and Safety 334-8100 (208)or http://itd.idaho.gov/ohs/programs.htm, to download the Letter of Intent.

PUBLISH: January 8 and 15, 2009

TWIN FALLS COUNTY IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS SMALL CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Case No. CV 08-5512 SUMMONS WILSON-BATES, INC. Plaintiff(s)

CHRISTIAM A. PEREZ, SONIA A. RUIZ Defendant(s).

TO THE DEFENDANT(S):

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a claim has been filed against you. The plaintiff(s) who filed the claim, the court with which the claim is filed, and the case number assigned to your case are listed

IF YOU DISAGREE WITH THE CLAIM, AND IF YOU WANT TO CONTEST THE CLAIM, you must file an answer with the court within 20 days from the date you received this summons. IF YOU AGREE WITH THE CLAIM, AND DO NOT WISH TO CONTEST IT, NO ACTION NEED BE TAKEN BY YOU. IF YOU DO NOT FILE YOUR ANSWER with the

court within 20 days, the court may enter judgment against you, for the money or personal property that the plaintiff asks for in the claim, plus the plaintiff's costs for filing the claim and serving you with notice of the claim.

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Favor de avisarnos antes de la fecha de la audencia si usted necesitara un interprete en la corte

DATED this 12th day of December, 2008 By Deputy Clerk of Court

PUBLISH: Dec 18, 25, 2008, Jan 1 and 8, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE No. 08-0114119 Title Order Parcel 080137089IDGNO No. T23540020010 The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of Alliance Title & Escrow located at 1411 Falls Ave. East, Suite 1315, Twin Falls, ID 83301., on 05/11/2009 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 11/30/2007 as Instrument Number 2007-028756, and executed by CAMERON WELLS, AND SARA WELLS, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELEC-TRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: LOT 1 IN BLOCK 2 OF GREEN TREE ESTATES SOUTH SUBDIVISION, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 14 OF PLATS, PAGE 32. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of 491 CYPRESS WAY, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 08/01/2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.625% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$220,506.65, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and / or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICÉ IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COL-LECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OB-TAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PUR-POSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DIS-THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLI-GATION. DATED: 12/30/2008 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-

01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE:

(800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY

Successor Trustee Portia Turner, Team Mem-

PUBLISH: January 8, 15, 22 and 29, 2009

ber ASAP# 2959712



SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

TO ALEJANDRO DOMINGUEZ You have been sued by Patricia Dominguez, the plaintiff, in the District Court in and for Twin Falls County, Idaho, Case No. CV-08-5662. The nature of the claim against you is for divorce.

Anytime after 20 days following the last publication of the Summons, the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form, including the case number, and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at 427 Shoshone St. N. Twin Falls, ID 83301, 208-736-4024, and served a copy of your response on the plaintiff, whose mailing address and telephone number are: 197 Washington St. S., Twin Falls, ID 83301. 208-410-0115. A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter.

Date: 1-6-09 Twin Falls County District Court By Deputy Clerk

PUBLISH: January 8, 15, 22, and 29, 2009

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given by the Planning and Zoning Commission for the City of Twin Falls, Idaho, that a public hearing will be held on January 27, 2009, a Tuesday, at the hour of 6:00 o'dlock, P.M., in the City Council Chambers, located at 305 Third Avenue East, Twin

Falls, Idaho, to hear a request by: BRAD WILLS, C/O EHM ENGINEERS Requests the Vacation of a public right-of-way for

1088 Cobble Creek Road. A complete description is on file with the Twin Falls City Planning and Zoning Administrator at 324 Hansen Street East, 735-7269. Any and all persons desiring to comment may

7150 sq. ft. of property adjacent to 1087 and

appear and be heard at the appointed time. Persons needing special accommodations at a public meeting are asked to contact the City of Twin Falls at 735-7287 at least five (5) working days prior to the meeting. /s/ Rene V. Carraway

Zoning and Development Manager

PUBLISH: Thursday, January 8, 2009 Thursday, January 15, 2009

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TWIN FALLS HIGHWAY DISTRICT 2008 FISCAL YEAR FINANCE REPORT

beginning rund balance	4,050,740	
RECEIPTS		
Highway User Revenue	2,617,252	
Property Taxes	3,095,278	
Sales Tax and Inventory		
Replacement Tax	278,912	
Other Local Receipts	63,227	
Agricultural Exemption		
Replacement Tax	28,644	
Interest Income	159,223	
Federal Revenue	8,730	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	6,252,266	
DISCUIDSEMENTS		

DISBURSEMENTS Road Maintenance 1,366,920 1,334,262 Road Construction 931,671 897,195 General Expense & Administration Commissioners Salaries 15,525 Payments to Non-Highway Accounts 906,089 50,549 Bridge Maintenance 9.803 TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS 5.512.014 Ending Fund Balance 4,833,992

/s/Karen Dalton, Secretary-Treasurer

PUBLISH: January 8, 2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION

Case No. CV 2008-5125 CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT SUMMONS In the Interest of

PAITYN GOOLD d.o.b. 08-20-08

A Child under the age of eighteen. THE STATE OF IDAHO SENDS GREETINGS

JOHN DOE

MARK LAMBERT Boise, Idaho

STEVE RATHER Twin Falls, Idaho

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

A Petition, a copy of which is attached, has been filed in the above-entitled matter in the Magistrate's Division of the District Court of Twin Falls County, Idaho, by the Prosecuting Attorney, alleging the above-named child comes within the jurisdiction of the Child Protective Act.

You are hereby directed to appear personally for a Review Hearing at the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street, Twin Falls, Idaho, on March 19, 2009 at 9:30 a.m.

You are notified that service of the attached Petition upon you, as the parent(s), guardian, or custodian of this child, confers personal jurisdiction of the Court upon you and subjects you to the provisions of the Child Protective Act.

You are notified that if you fail to appear without reasonable cause, the Court may proceed in your absence or you may be proceeded against for contempt of Court.

You are notified that the parent(s), guardian, or a custodian may be financially liable for the support and/or treatment of the child. You are further notified that the child and

parent(s), guardian, or custodian have the right to be represented by an attorney of your choosing, or if financially unable to pay, have the right to have an attorney appointed by the Court to represent the child or the parent(s), guardian, or custodian at county expense. If you request to have an attorney appointed at county expense, you must appear before the date of the hearing given above, at which time the Court shall consider appointment of an attorney for the child and inquire whether the parent(s), guardian, or custodian require the separate appointment of an attorney.

You are further notified that there shall be a rebuttable presumption that if a child is placed in the custody of the IDHW and was also placed in care out of the home for a period not less than fifteen (15) out of the last twenty-two (22) months from the date of Adjudication, the IDHW shall initiate a Petition for Termination of Parental Rights. This presumption may be rebutted by a finding of the Court that the filing of a Petition for Termination of Parental Rights would not be in the best interest of the child and their family, or that the child is placed permanently with a relative.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of said Magistrate Court this 18th day of December, 2008. CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT By Deputy Clerk





REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS Management/Operation of the Twin Falls Municipal Golf Course City of Twin Falls, Idaho

Pursuant to the Idaho Code, the City of Twin Falls (the "City") is authorized to invite proposals from private companies, firms or any persons interested in undertaking the management and operations, or any part thereof, of the Twin Falls Municipal Golf Course.

The City hereby serves notice that, for a period of thirty six (36) days from the date of the initial publication of this notice, it is inviting proposals from private companies, firms or other interested parties. All proposals must be received by the City no later than Friday, January 23, 2009 at 5:00 PM local prevailing time.

The City will only consider proposals that have been completed in accordance with the developed RFP, clearly demonstrate the proposer's financial and legal ability to carry out said proposal and which further meets the City's restrictions and requirements. The City may accept such proposal or proposals as it deems in the public interest, may reject all proposals, or may further negotiate for such proposal or proposals as may be acceptable in the public interest.

For additional information, interested persons PUBLISH: January 8, 15 and 22, 2009 may contact:

Parks and Recreation Department City of Twin Falls Mr. Dennis J. Bowyer, Director P.O. Box 1907 Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-1907 (208) 736-2265 Or visit the City of Twin Falls' website at www.tfid.org Signed: Travis P. Rothweiler, Assistant City Manager

PUBLISH: Thursday, December 18, 2008 Thursday, January 8, 2009

NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE BIG WOOD CANAL COMPANY

YOU AND EACH OF YOU are hereby notified that at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Big wood Canal Company held on November 3, 2008, at the Company's office in Shoshone, Idaho, the annual budget was set and the charge for maintenance and operation of the Big Wood Canal Company was deter-mined for the irrigating season beginning April 1, 2009. The average assessment was fixed at \$21.25 and at a regular meeting held in the Company's office on November 3, 2008 the Board approved adjusting the assessment between upper users and lower users, based upon water delivery for 2008. Upper user's charge was fixed at the sum of \$20.58 per share and lower user's charge was fixed at the sum of \$21.92 per share, both in addition to the American Falls assessment of \$7.75 for a total of \$28.33 for upper user's and \$29.67 for lower user's (provided however a minimum charge of \$31.25) for each and every share owned in said corporation; and said assessment is due and payable at the office of the Company, 112 S. Apple St., Shoshone, Idaho 83352 on or before the first day of April, 2009, and such charge will be a lien against the property whether such water is used or not. If the assessment remains unpaid after June 1, a penalty of one percent (1%) shall be added on the first day of each calendar month that such charge and penalties remain unpaid. Jane Sabala

Secretary

PUBLISH: January 8 and 15, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On May 6, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock AM of said day, at First American Title, 260 Third Avenue North, Twin Falls, Idaho, JUST LAW, INC., as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

Lot 12 and 13 in Block 69 of Buhl Townsite. according to the official plat thereof, filed in Book 1 of plats at page(s) 33 official records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of 113 8th Ave. South, Buhl, ID, is sometimes associated with

the said real property. This Trustee's Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the Beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Keith A. Kelly, Sandra R. Kelly, Husband and Wife and Matt Kelly, An Unmarried Person, as Grantor(s) with Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded January 28, 2000, as Instrument No. 2000001432, Loan Modification Recorded May 6, 2003, Instrument No. 2003011557 and March 2006. Instrument No. 2006006053, in the records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Midfirst Bank, recorded 11, 2007, as Instrument No. 2007000931, Modification Agreement recorded July 18, 2007, Instrument No. 2007017634, in the records of said County.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay the amount due under the certain Promissory Note and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$866.92 for the months of March 2008 through and including to the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$88,552.68 as principal, plus service charges, attorney's fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 8.75% from February 1, 2008, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of

The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated this 31st day of December, 2008. Sumerli Lynch

For information concerning this sale please

Trust Officer for Just Law, Inc.

contact Just Law, Inc. at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you.

PUBLISH: January 8, 15, 22 and 29, 2009



Deceased.



IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF

Case No. CV-08-5542 NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the Matter of the Estate of JANICE LORRAINE HARRIS,

ELIZABETH A. LAURENT has been appointed Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against said deceased person are required to present their claims with in four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice at the offices of Worst, Fitzgerald & Stover, P.L.L.C., 746 N. College Road, Ste. C, PO Box 5226, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-5226, or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the Personal Representative at the above address and filed with the above Court.

DATED this 29th day of December, 2008. WORST FITZGERALD & STOVER, PLLC By Timothy J. Stover Attorney for Estate

ORDINANCE NO. 2958

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TWIN FALLS, IDAHO, AMEND-ING TWIN FALLS CITY CODE §10-4-8.2(A)(9) (z) BY PERMITTING TEMPORARY RV SALES N THE C-1 ZONE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUN-CIL OF THE CITY OF TWIN FALLS, IDAHO: That Twin Falls City Code §10-4-8.2(A)(9)(z) is amended as follows:

10-4-8.2: USE REGULATIONS: (A) Permitted Uses:... 9. Retail Trade: ..

z. Temporary automobile, and truck and recreational vehicle sales permitted with staff approval, provided that there shall be state approval, no parking or display of vehicles in landscaped areas, no temporary signs, and no

sight obstructions. PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL 22, 2008

/s/ Mayor Lance W. Clow, December 23, 2008 /s/ Deputy City Clerk Leila Sanchez

PUBLISH: Thursday, January 8, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On April 22, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock AM of said day, at First American Title Co., 199 Country Lane, Jerome, Idaho, JUST LAW, INC., as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Jerome, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

See Attached Exhibit "A" PARCEL NO. 1

TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 16, EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, JEROME COUNTY,

Section 32: A parcel of land located in the NE%SE% of said Section, described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Section

Thence North 0"41' West, 1323.05 feet along the Easterly boundary of said Section 32, to the Southeast comer of the NE%SE% of said Section 32:

Thence North 89°43'29" West, 880.64 feet along the Southerly boundary of the NE¼SE¼ of said Section 32, to THE TRUE POINT OF BEGIN-

Thence North 0°04' West, 593.36 feet, more or less, to a point which is 728 feet South of the North boundary line of said NE¼SE¼; Thence North 89°43'29" West, 220.23 feet;

Thence South 0°04' East, 593.36 feet to a point in the Southerly boundary of the NE¼SE¼ of said

Thence South 89"43'29" East, 220.23 feet along the Southerly boundary of the NE¼SE¼ of said Section 32, to THE TRUE POINT OF BEGIN-NING

PARCEL NO. 2

An easement for road and utility purposes 25 feet in width, extending East from the Southeast corner of the above described property to the existing county road on the East boundary line of said Section 32 as created by Easement and Road Maintenance Agreement dated June 2, 1998 and recorded June 4, 1998 as Instrument Number 983570, Jerome County records.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of 418 West 275 South, Jerome, ID, is sometimes associated with the said real property.

This Trustee's Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the Beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Jeff R. Davis and Jenifer D. Davis, husband and wife, as Grantor (s) with Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded June 6, 2007, as Instrument No. 2073383, in the records of Jerome County, Idaho. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Midfirst Bank. recorded December 15, 2008, as Instrument No. 2086582, in the records of said County THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO

COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDA-HO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is

the failure to pay the amount due under the certain Promissory Note and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$1,392.03 for

the months of June 2008 through and including to the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$198,735.09 as principal, plus service charges, attorney's fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 6.0% from May 1, 2008, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of sale. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust

Dated this 18th day of December, 2008. Sumerli Lynch Trust Officer for Just Law, Inc. For information concerning this sale please

property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

contact Just Law, Inc. at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you. PUBLISH: Dec 25, 2008, Jan 1, 8 and 15, 2009



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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO. IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CASSIA

Case No. CV-2008-1327 NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the Matter of the Estate of: MARGARET ALICE MABEY, a/k/a MARGARET T. MABEY. a/k/a Peggy Mabey,

Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Warren A. Smith has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or her estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, or filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 6th day of December, 2008. Warren A. Smith c/o Alfred E. Barrus Attorney at Law PO Box 487 Burley, Idaho 83318

PUBLISH: Dec 25, 2008 and Jan 1, 8, 2009

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO WATER RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given that an application has been filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources for changes to water rights by JOHN B. and CATHY SPRATLING, 550 TERRACE DR; BURLEY ID 83318 concerning water rights within Cassia County. Application No. 75112 proposes adding a new point of diversion (new well to be drilled) to a group of seven ground water rights used to irrigate a farm located approximately 9.5 -13.2 miles north and 6.8 -8.5 miles east of Malta. The new well will be combined with four existing wells to divert up to 19.44 cfs and 4641 afa for the irrigation of 1170 acres on the farm. For specific details regarding an application, please contact IDWR Southern Regional Office at 208-738-3033 or visit the website for the Department at http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRFiling.asp

Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Protests against approval must be filed with IDWR, Southern Region, 1341 Fillmore St.-Suite 200; Twin Falls, ID 83301 with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before January 26, 2009. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

David R. Tuthill, JR., Director

Published in the Times News on 1/8 & 1/15/2009.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING MAGISTRATE DIVISION

Case No. CV-2008-783 NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the Matter of the Estate of: JAMES F. EATON. Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above-named estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to Dan C. Eaton, personal representative of the estate of James F. Eaton, deceased, 5540 Candle Pine Way, Las Vegas, NV 89135 and filed with the Court.

DATE this 23rd day of December, 2008. /s/Dan C. Eaton Personal Representative 5540 Candle Pine Way

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Las Vegas, NV 89135

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO WATER RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given that an application has been filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources for changes to water rights within Gooding County by SOUTH VIEW DAIRY, 3550 S 1950 E; WENDELL ID 83355. Application No. 74720 proposes to dry up 7 acres of irrigated land near an existing dairy in order to provide water for an expansion of the dairy. Existing wells will provide the additional water; no new wells will be drilled. The dairy is located about 5 3/4 miles south of the Wendell city center on the east side of the Rex Leland Highway. For specific details regarding an application, please contact IDWR Southern Regional Office at 208-736-3033 or visit the website for

Department http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WR-Filing.asp Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Protests against approval must be filed with IDWR, Southern Region, 1341 Fillmore St.-Suite 200; Twin Falls, ID 83301 with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before January 26, 2009. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant. David R. Tuthill, JR., Director

Published in the Times News on 1/8 & 1/15/09.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 17, 2008 File No.: 7174.21486 Sale date and time (local time): April 20, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of Land Title and Escrow, 706 Main Street, Gooding, ID 83330 Property address: 405 Colorado Street Gooding, ID 83330 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Bruce R. Pauls and Diana R. Pauls, husband and wife Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company of Ada. County Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: February 22, 2005 Recorder's instrument number: 210015 County: Gooding Sum owing on the obligation: as of December 17, 2008: \$52,025.78 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lots 13 and 14 in Block 59 of Gooding Townsite, Gooding County, Idaho, according to the plat thereof, recorded in the Office of the County Recorder of said County. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7174.21486) 1002.105622-FEI

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING

Case No. CV-08-607

DANNY VANDERHAM. CRAIG VANDERHAM. and ADAM VANDERHAM. dba HILLTOP DAIRY, Plaintiffs.

ANTHONY and SARAH FITZGERALD, husband and wife and JEFF SCOTT SIMMONS,

a/k/a SCOTT SIMMONS,

Defendants.

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF. THE COURT ENTER JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN TWENTY (20) DAYS.

READ THE INFORMATION BELOW. TO: JEFF SCOTT SIMMONS: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that in order to defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must be filed with the above designated Court within twenty (20) days after service of this Summons on you. If you fail to so respond, the Court may enter judgment against you as demanded by the Plaintiff in the VERIFIED

COMPLAINT. A copy of the VERIFIED COMPLAINT is served with this Summons. If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so your written response, if any, may be filed in time and other legal rights protected. An appropriate written response requires compliance with Rule 10(a)(1) and other Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and shall also include:

 The title and number of this case. 2. If your response is an Answer to the VERIFIED COMPLAINT, it must contain admissions or As part of the proposal, bidders are required to denials of the separate allegations of the VERIFIED COMPLAINT and other defenses you may claim.

Your signature, mailing address and telephone number or the signature, mailing address and telephone number of your attorney.

 Proof of mailing or delivery of a copy of your response to Plaintiffs attorney, as designated To determine whether you must pay a filing fee

with your response, contact the Clerk of the above-named Court. DATED this 17th day of October, 2008.

/s/Deputy Clerk

PUBLISH: January 1, 8, 15 and 22, 2009

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given by the Planning and Zoning Commission for the City of Twin Falls, Idaho, that a public hearing will be held on January 27, 2009, a Tuesday, at the hour of 6:00 o'dlock, P.M., in the City Council Chambers, located at 305 Third Avenue East, Twin Falls, Idaho, to hear a request by:

CANYONSIDE TOWING AND RECOVERY, INC. Requests a Special Use Permit to operate an automobile impound yard on property located at 421 B Locust Street South.

AMERITEL INNS, INC. dba HILTON GARDEN INN

Requests a Special Use Permit to allow the sale of alcohol for consumption on the premises for

property located at 1741 Harrison Street. A complete description is on file with the Twin Falls City Planning and Zoning Administrator at 324 Hansen Street East, 735-7269.

Any and all persons desiring to comment may appear and be heard at the appointed time. Persons needing special accommodations at a public meeting are asked to contact the City of Twin Falls at 735-7287 at least five (5) working days prior to the meeting.

/s/ Řene V. Carraway Zoning and Development Manager

PUBLISH: Thursday, January 8, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE On April 16, 2009, at the hour of 1:00 o'clock PM of said day, at First American Title, 260 Third Avenue North, Twin Falls, Idaho, JUST LAW, INC., as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of

Lot 2 in Block 2 of STONEGATE ESTATES DIVISION NO. 1, Twin Falls County, Idaho, recorded in Book 19 of Plats, Page 35.

Idaho, and described as follows to wit

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of 1220 Connor Street, Kimberly, ID, is sometimes associated with the said real property.

This Trustee's Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the Beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Zane Ransom, single man, as his sole and separate property. as Grantor(s) with Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded April 10, 2007, as Instrument No. 2007-008242, in the records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay the amount due under the certain Promissory Note and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$1,978.03 for the months of December 2007 through and including to the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$198,812.40 as principal, plus service charges, attorney's fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 7.375% from November 1, 2007, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of sale

The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated this 11th day of December, 2008. Sumerli Lynch Trust Officer for

Just Law, Inc.

For information concerning this sale please contact Just Law, Inc. at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106, Thank you.



NOTICE

Pursuant to Idaho Code, Section 67-2343, you are hereby notified that the Twin Falls Highway District's regularly scheduled meetings are held the first and third Wednesdays of each month, at 1:00 PM at the District office, 2620 Kimberly

PUBLISH: January 8 and 15, 2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF JEROME MAGISTRATE DIVISION

Case No. CV 2008-1341 NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the Matter of the Estate of BARRY ORLAND BRAGG, Deceased.

WANDA MARIE BRAGG has been appointed Administrator of the above Estate. having claims against the Decedent are required to present such claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice at the offices of Williams, Meservy & Lothspeich, LLP, 153 East Main Street, Post Office Box 168, Jerome, Idaho 83338, or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the Administrator at the above address and filed with the Court.

DATED this 5th day of January, 2009. JOHN B. LOTHSPÉICH Williams, Meservy & Lothspeich, LLP Attorneys for Estate

PUBLISH: January 8, 15 and 22, 2009

REQUEST FOR BIDS

The City of Twin Falls Parks and Recreation Department is currently requesting bids for the mowing and maintenance of medians and landscaped strips within the Twin Falls Parks and Recreation area of impact.

attend a pre-bid meeting at 9:00 am on Tuesday, January 20, 2009 at the Parks and Recreation Office located at 136 Maxwell Av-

Please contact Todd Andersen or Kevin Skelton at 736-2265 with any questions.

PUBLISH: January 8 and 15, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 12, 2008 File No.: 7023.18217 Sale date and time (local time): April 15, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: inside the North entrance of the Lincoln County Courthouse, 111 West B Street, Shoshone, ID 83352 Property address: 355 North 3rd Street Richfield, ID 83349 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Travis W. Jones and Valerie J. Jones, husband and wife Original trustee: Gooding Title & Escrow Original beneficiary: First Security Bank, N.A. Recording date: October 25, 2000 Recorder's instrument number: 169471 County: Lincoln Sum owing on the obligation: as of December 12, 2008: \$27,317.53 Because of interest, late charges. and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: The South one-half of Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in Block 61 of Richfield Townsite, Lincoln County, Idaho, according to the plat thereof, recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said County. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foredosure.com. The sale is made without representa tion, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.18217) 1002.105260-FEI

PUBLISH: Dec 25, 2008, Jan 1, 8 and 15, 2009

CORRECTED NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE On Tuesday, the 28th day of April, 2009, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. of said day at the front steps of the Lincoln County Courthouse, 111 W. "B" St., Shoshone, in the County of Lincoln, State of Idaho, Charles W. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Lincoln, State of Idaho,

and described as follows, to wit: NORTH 111.29 FEET OF LOT 8, BLOCK 1, DIETRICH WEST, DIVISION NO. 1 OF DIET-RICH, LINCOLN COUNTY, IDAHO AS THE SAME IS PLATTED THEREOF, NOW OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE

RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. The Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60 113, Idaho Code, Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 419 N. Washington St., Dietrich, Idaho, is sometimes associated with

said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by MELISSA A. WICKER, a Single Person, Grantor, to Charles W. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of GMAC MORTGAGE CORPO-RATION, recorded September 4, 2002, as Instrument No. 173254, Mortgage records of incoln County, Idaho; and assigned to the Idaho Housing and Finance Association Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on September 25, 2002, as Instrument No. 173352, Mortgage records of Lincoln County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COM-PLY WITH SECTION 45 1506 (4)(a), IDAHO NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT SHE IS, OR IS NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated August 26, 2002, in the amount of \$481.00 each, for the months July through December, 2008, inclusive; and for each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reimbursement. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 6.11% per annum from June 1, 2008. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$59,862.10, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.11% per annum from June 1, 2008.

DATED This 24th day of December, 2008. CHARLES W. FAWCETT, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE



RECEIPTS

Interest income

TOTAL RECEIPTS

DISBURSEMENTS

Snow removal

ADMINISTRATION

Street lighting

Total Other

CLOSING BALANCE

ENDING BALANCE

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EQUIPMENT

OTHER

Auditor as required by 40-708, Idaho code.

Lorie Race, Asst Finance Director Lance Clow, Mayor

BEGINNING BALANCE AS OF OCTOBER 1, 2007

Property tax levy (for roads, streets and bridges)

RECONSTRUCTION/REPLACEMENT/REHABILITATION

New equipment purchase - automotive, heavy, other

Funds on Line 63 obligated for specific future projects 3, Funds on Line 63 retained for general funds and operations

OTHER ADJUSTMENTS (Audit adjustment and etc)

Roads (rebuilt, realign, or 2" overlay upgrade)

Total Reconstruction/Replacement

Fund transfers from non-highway accounts

All other LOCAL receipts or transfers in

All other STATE receipts or transfers

Dated this 31" day of December, 2008

LOCAL FUNDING SOURCES

Total Local Funding

STATE FUNDING SOURCES

Total State Funding

Highway user revenue

ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

Equipment maintenance

Total Equipment

Chip sealing or seal coating

Total Routine Maintenance

Equipment lease - Equipment purchase

Administrative salaries and expenses

Professional Services-engineering

RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS

All other local expenditures

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS

Fund transfers to non-highway accounts

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 15)

2008 File No.: 7104.27517 Sale date and time

(local time): April 16, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale lo-

cation: in the office of First American Title Com-

pany, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID

83301 Property address: 962 Caswell Avenue

West Twin Falls, ID 83301 Successor Trustee

Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Cor-

poration P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Origi-

nal grantor: Isagani M. Boncato and Nga N.

Boncato, husband and wife Original trustee: Al-

liance Title Company Original beneficiary: JZ

Mortgage, Inc. Recording date: January 27, 2006 Recorder's instrument number:

2006002257 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on

the obligation: as of December 15, 2006:

\$177,611.22 Because of interest, late charges,

and other charges that may vary from day to

day, the amount due on the day you pay may be

greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown

above, an adjustment may be necessary after

we receive your check. For further information

write or call the Successor Trustee at the ad-

dress or telephone number provided above. Ba-

sis of default: failure to make payments when

due. Please take notice that the Successor

bidder for certified funds or equivalent the prop-

erty described above. The property address is

identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not

warranted to be correct. The property's legal de-

scription is: Lot 6 in Block 1 of Castlewood Sub-

division, according to the official plat thereof, filed in Book 19 of Plats at Page(s) 26, official

records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. The sale is

subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be re-

viewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-

Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without rep-

resentation, warranty or covenant of any kind

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF

IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF

TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION

THE STATE OF IDAHO SENDS GREETINGS

ELCAMINO SMITH

ANDRE HOLMES

JOHN DOE

A Petition, a copy of which is attached, has been

filed in the above-entitled matter in the Magis-

trate's Division of the District Court of Twin Falls

County, Idaho, by the Prosecuting Attorney,

alleging the above-named child comes within

You are hereby directed to appear personally for

a Review Hearing at the Twin Falls County

Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street, Twin Falls;

You are notified that service of the attached

Petition upon you, as the parent(s), guardian, or

custodian of this child, confers personal jurisdic-

tion of the Court upon you and subjects you to

You are notified that if you fail to appear without

reasonable cause, the Court may proceed in

your absence or you may be proceeded against

You are notified that the parent(s), guardian, or a

custodian may be financially liable for the

You are further notified that the child and

parent(s), guardian, or custodian have the right

to be represented by an attorney of your choos-

ing, or if financially unable to pay, have the right

to have an attorney appointed by the Court to

represent the child or the parent(s), guardian, or

custodian at county expense. If you request to

have an attorney appointed at county expense,

you must appear before the date of the hearing

given above, at which time the Court shall con-

sider appointment of an attorney for the child

and inquire whether the parent(s), guardian, or

custodian require the separate appointment of

You are further notified that there shall be a

rebuttable presumption that if a child is placed

in the custody of the IDHW and was also placed

in care out of the home for a period not less

than fifteen (15) out of the last, twenty-two (22)

months from the date of Adjudication, the IDHW

shall initiate a Petition for Termination of

Parental Rights. This presumption may be

rebutted by a finding of the Court that the filing

of a Petition for Termination of Parental Rights

would not be in the best interest of the child and

their family, or that the child is placed perma-

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of said Magis-

trate Court this 24th day of December, 2008.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

PUBLISH: January 1 and 8, 2009

the jurisdiction of the Child Protective Act.

Idaho, on February 5, 2009, at 9:30 AM.

the provisions of the Child Protective Act.

support and/or treatment of the child.

(TS# 7104.27517) 1002.90206-FEI

CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT SUMMONS

CASSAUNDRA DENNAE HOLMES,

A Child under the age of eighteen.

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

for contempt of Court.

an attorney.

nently with a relative.

By Deputy Clerk

Case No. CV 2008-4381

In the Matter of:

d.o.b. 09-06-00

Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest

ANNUAL ROAD AND STREET FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2008

This certified report of dedicated funds is hereby submitted to the State



\$2,628,925

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1,225,669

2,517,151

1,515,937

2,081,700

4.598,851

565,763

854,032

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489,415

13,206

502,621

304,424

173,413

478,629

873,732

267,793

39,797

4,846

243,778

556,214

3,265,228

1,333,623

3.962.548

3,962,548

792

121,136

68,022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost and Found

FOUND Bull Terrier black and white female. Found east of Rupert, 208-312-1956

FOUND Dachshund 1/02 near N. College Rd. & Sparks. Call to identify, 731-9051 or 731-3939.

FOUND Pocket knife, nice, gold, in Harry Barry Park. 208-320-1669

FOUND Springer Spaniel, male, black/ white. Found on Bob Barton Hwy.

208-961-0459

LOST Border Collie/ Kelpie 8 mo. old. female, black/white, red collar, Please Call 208-420-2101

LOST Camera, Blue Insignia in South Hills parking lot on 1/1. Christmas gift, ward! 208-733-0447



LOST Cat 6 years old. spayed, long haired, female, calico like markings: black & orange back, white belly. Lost 6+ weeks ago in the vicinity of 3rd Ave. W., Twin Falls. Has food allergy to gluten & fish. 734-8668. Reward!

LOST German Wire Hair Pointer, female, comes to "Tobi", liver colored w/white tickings. Lost West of Gooding. If seen or found call 934-4290,



missing. She is a Rottweiler/Aussie mix about 5 months old, and was wearing a collar. Please call 735-1101 with any information.

LOST Standard Schnauzer, kid's dog, lost in Gooding on 12/24. REWARD. Call 208-961-0226.

104 Personals

AA BIG BOOK STUDY 7am daily at the new Hope House 425 2[™] Ave W. (Cottage behind house). 208-329-1221

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Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9

in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level

of the Conceptis Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday



SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES BOARD OF MINIDOKA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SEPTEMBER 8, 2008 Applications for County Aid: 4 approved; 3

denied Motions approved: to join PERSI; to accept the FY07 Audit; to approve the 2008 property tax levies; to approve one Alcoholic Beverage License; and to cancel taxes on two parcels.

SEPTEMBER 12, 2008

Special Meeting for indigent appeals: approved; 3 denied; and 2 continued.

SEPTEMBER 15, 2008

Minutes approved for July 3, 2008 and July 7, 2008 Motion approved awarding bid for the Law Enforcement Building roof.

SEPTEMBER 22, 2008

Applications for County Aid: 1 approved; 5

Motions approved: to grant a Building Permit Fee reduction; and to appoint Jackie Hinrichs to Board of Community Guardians.

The Board approved the following payment of

bins during the month	or september	
	Bills	Payroll
Current Expense	\$28,609.46	\$86,704.36
Health	7,313.62	
Indigent	101,498.63	3,039.10
Parks & Recreation	1,546.03	1,706.81
Revaluation	4,133.24	21,548.22
Weed	1,125.19	4,284.16
District Court	17,576.48	13,914.48
Waterways Trust	117.63	2,286.84
Justice Fund	41,376.71	243,257.31
E911	4,584.91	6,586.72

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107 Pregnancy Alternatives

Pregnant? Worried? Free Pregnancy Tests Confidential 208-734-7472

108 Professional Services

Bankruptcy & Debt Counseling Free 1/2 hr consultation 30 years experience Competitive Rates We are a debt relief agency We help people file for bankruptcy relief under the bankruptcy code May, Sudweeks & Browning 733-7180

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Affordable in-home day care. Have openings, all ages 10 yrs exp & refs avail. 734-8409.

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CLERICAL The Jerome County Clerk's Office is seeking a full-time County Assistance Director, Wage DOE.

An application and job description can be obtained at the Jerome County Auditor's Office 300 North Lincoln, Room 301. Jerome, Idaho.

Closing date January 12, 2009 5:00 p.m. RECEPTIONIST Local Insurance agency seeking Receptionist/Data Entry. Must be willing to obtain license within 3 months. Bilingual a plus. Apply in person at

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5th 5t

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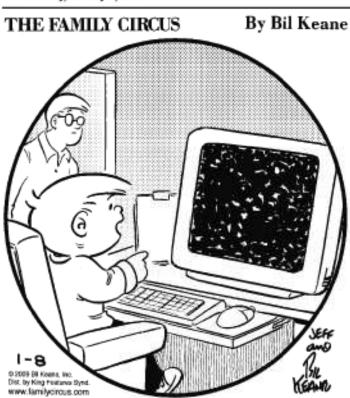
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Today is Thursday, Jan. 8th, the eighth day of 2009. There are 357

days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History: On Jan. 8, 1935, rock-and-roll legend Elvis Presley was born in

Tupelo, Miss. On this date: 1798.In

the Eleventh Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was declared in effect by President John Adams nearly three years after its ratification by the states; it prohibited a citizen of one state from suing

another state in federal court. In 1815, U.S. forces led by Gen. Andrew Jackson defeated the British in the Battle of New Orleans, the closing engagement of the War of 1812.

In 1918, President Woodrow Wilson outlined his *Fourteen Points" for lasting peace after World War I. Mississippi became the first state to ratify the 18th Amendment to the Constitution, which established Prohibition.

In 1959, Charles de Gaulle was inaugurated as president of France's Fifth Republic. In Cuba, Fidel Castro and his army arrived in Havana in triumph following

TODAY IN HISTORY

the overthrow of Fulgencio

In 1964, President Lyndon B. Johnson declared a "War on Poverty" in his State of the Union

In 1973, the Paris peace talks between the United States and North Vietnam resumed.

In 1976, Chinese premier Zhou Enlai died in Beijing.

In 1987, for the first time, the Dow Jones industrial average closed above 2,000, ending the day at 2,002.25.

In 1989, 47 people were killed

when a British Midland Boeing 737-400 carrying 126 people crashed in central England. In 2003, a US Airways Express commuter plane crashed at the Charlotte, N.C., airport, killing all 21 people on board. A Turkish

killing 75 people. Ten years ago: By a unanimous vote, senators formally ratified the rules for President Bill Clinton's impeachment trial. The top two

Airlines jet crashed in Turkey,

executives of Salt Lake City's Olympic organizing committee resigned amid disclosures that civic boosters had given cash to members of the International Olympic Committee.

Five years ago: A U.S. Black Hawk medivac helicopter crashed near Fallujah, Iraq, killing all nine soldiers aboard. Libya agreed to compensate family members of victims of a 1989 bombing of a French passenger plane over the Niger desert that killed 170 peo-

One year ago: Democrat Hillary Rodham Clinton and Republican John McCain won the New Hampshire primaries. U.S. Army Lt. Col. Steven L. Jordan, the only officer charged in the Abu Ghraib prisoner abuse scandal, was cleared of criminal wrongdoing. A quick-thinking Boy Scout foiled an assassination attempt on the president of the Maldives, grabbing an attacker's knife as the man leapt from a crowd. Paintings by Pablo Picasso and Brazilian painter Candido Portinari, stolen from Brazil's Sao Paulo Museum in December 2007, were recovered.

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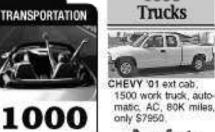
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Here is one example, from the quarterfinal match in the 2008 NEC tournament in Yokohama. The contest was between Israel and Canada. Migry Campanile and Michael Barel of Israel were defending a two-spade contract by Nicholas Gartaganis.

Campanile, sitting West, did well to lead a club, looking for the ruff, rather than to attack hearts a suit declarer was quite likely to have a singleton in. So she received her ruff at trick three but what now?

In this same position, defenders at all the other tables shifted to either a high or low heart, but whichever card they selected, declarer was able to use dummy's trumps to build an entry for playing diamonds, or for cashing clubs and discarding diamonds from

Campanile realized that the auction had marked declarer as likely to hold 6-1-3-3 distribution, so she needed to kill the diamond ruff. Accordingly, she shifted to a low spade, and now it was Barel's turn to shine. He ducked! Now try to make it. The defense may look easy, but it was one of the better plays I've seen all year.

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