





GBWTILT

SPORTS 1

TUESDAY February 10, 2009

IMES-NEWS

GET IT DONE >>> **Obama urges passage of stimulus plan, MAIN 6**

MagicValley.com

Local authorities want child endangerment law changed

Draft bill would toughen fine for adults exposing children to meth

By Andrea Jackson **Times-News writer**

Twin Falls law enforcement authorities think it should be a felony crime when parents expose their children to

methamphetamine.

Currently, exposing a child to meth use is charged as a misdemeanor crime, said Twin Falls Police Capt. Matt

Draft legislation to stiffen the law was crafted by local authorities who said Rep. Sharon Block, R-Twin Falls, is on board. The drafted bill will probably change, though, before heading to lawmakers in Boise, Hicks confirmed.

Block did not return repeated phone calls and an e-mail message sent last week

from the *Times-News* for this story.

Local authorities say this is an important bill and should be passed by lawmakers, though it has not been introduced yet to the Legislature.

The draft bill would make anyone 18 or older who lets a minor under 18 "be exposed to, ingest or inhale, or have contact with a controlled substance or an immediate precursor substance ... guilty of a felony."

People found guilty of that would be imprisoned for up to 10 years, or put in a drug court program, according to the draft bill.

"Exposure to kids is deserving of a felony," said Hicks. referring to meth.

Twin **Falls** County Prosecutor Grant Loebs

'Right now it's difficult to prosecute someone smoking and exhaling meth fumes with a child in the room," said Loebs.

Authorities charge parents

See **LAW**, Main 2

Burley doctor discusses effects of meth on babies

By Damon Hunzeker Times-News writer

BURLEY — Doctors aren't certain about the long-term effects on babies with meth in their systems, but they know it isn't good.

In the context of the recent baby born at Cassia Regional Medical Center whose urine tested positive for marijuana and methamphetamine, Dr. Michael Cannon, an obstetriciangynecologist at the hospital, provided his general opinion on the problem.

See BABIES, Main 2

Grocery relief on hold?



Cheryl Brown, of Twin Falls, hurries through the produce isle Monday afternoon at a local supermarket. In response to shrinking tax revenue, legislative budget writers are considering delaying an increase in the credit meant to offset Idaho's 6 percent sales tax on groceries.

Budget writers broach delaying grocery tax relief

By John Miller **Associated Press writer**

BOISE — Legislative budg-

et writers are considering delaying an increase in the credit meant to offset Idaho's 6 percent sales tax on groceries.

At a hearing Monday, Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert and co-chairman of the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee, broached the with state Tax Commission Chairman Royce Chigbrow as a way of saving Idaho \$14.5 million, the projected cost of the credit increase for the fiscal year that starts July 1.

Cameron and Rep. Maxine Bell, R-Jerome, who also chairs of the committee, both said the worsening budget outlook could make delaying the credit expansion unavoidable. Preliminary estimates indicate tax revenue after January is about \$42 million

behind the state's already reduced estimates, though final figures won't be out until later this week at the earliest.

"We're trying to find every single dime we can, every single dollar, to make cuts in 2010 less onerous and to reduce the impact on educa-Bell told tion," Associated Press.

Under the measure passed by the 2008 Legislature after two sessions of rancorous debate, members of a family of four earning less than \$25,000 each get \$50, while members of families earning more each get \$30. Rebates for each resident would rise by \$10 each year to a maximum of \$100 and \$120 for seniors.

The proposal cost Idaho state government about \$22 million in the current fiscal year, a figure that would rise to about \$122 million annually by 2015 if nothing is

done to delay the expansion. In his Jan. 12 State of the State speech, Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter said he favored pressing on with the credit expansion this year. Otter was due to meet with Bell and Cameron Monday afternoon to discuss a possible delay, among other things.

"I haven't heard any dis- on cars and trucks, grocery

GROCERY RELIEF BY THE NUMBERS

\$14.5 million

Projected cost of grocery tax credit increase for the fiscal year that starts July 1.

S22 million

What current grocery credit proposal has cost the state during current fiscal year. If left unchanged,

it could rise to \$122 million annually by 2015.

\$42 million

Preliminary estimated shortfall in state tax revenue after January.

cussion about reversing course," said Jon Hanian, Otter's spokesman. "He's still committed to it."

House Democrats, meanwhile, also said they were skeptical of plans to slow grocery tax relief, especially for low-income residents, though there's no official caucus position yet. With Otter's plan to raise taxes and fees for gas and registration

tax relief will help poor families, said Rep. Wendy Jaquet, D-Ketchum and a budgetwriting committee member.

"I would be very uncomfortable" with delaying expansion, Jaquet said. "Especially during these times, when people are losing their jobs, they may really need the credit."

House Assistant Minority

See **RELIEF**, Main 2

"We're trying to find every single dime we can, every single dollar, to make cuts in 2010 less onerous and to reduce the impact on education."

- Rep. Maxine Bell, R-Jerome

Suspect in SV dorm death charged with involuntary manslaughter

Drehmel faces up to 10 years in prison **By Ariel Hansen**

Times-News writer

HAILEY — Corey D. Drehmel, arrested following the Friday night death of Jerome James, appeared in 5th District Court Monday in Hailey to hear the charge against him: involuntary manslaughter.

Prosecutors allege Drehmel "unlawfully, but without malice" caused James' death and are charging him with a felony that carries a sentence of up to 10 years. Police initially recommended a charge of aggravated battery.

An autopsy conducted Monday produced incomplete results, said Blaine County Coroner Russ Mikel. It is likely to be four to six weeks before there is an offi-

cial cause of death for 49year-old James. Drehmel appeared via

videoconference from the Blaine County jail, and his voice often wavered as he answered questions posed by Judge R. Ted



appointed as his public defender. After hearing from a

Israel at the

arraignment.

The Roark

Law Firm of Hailey was

prosecutor, who county asserted that Drehmel had no ties to the community, the judge set Drehmel's bail at \$100,000.

According to court documents, James and Drehmel, employees of Sun Valley Co., roommates at a

See DREHMEL, Main 2

Forest reopens public comment on cell tower

Tower company to host informational meeting on proposal

By Nate Poppino **Times-News writer**

Sawtooth National Forest officials are moving forward again on analyzing a controversial proposed cell phone tower on Galena Summit, four months after the issue was returned to them on appeal.

The 90-foot tower, disguised as a pine tree, would provide phone service in the forest and Sawtooth National Recreation Area and was proposed years ago by Idaho Tower Co. Its backers praised the advantages cell service would offer for emergency services personnel in the area. But National Forest Supervisor Jane Kollmeyer rejected the plan in a July 11 decision, writing that it would cause serious harm to the scenic value of the summit.

In the same decision,



Idaho Tower Co. has proposed to build a cell phone tower disguised as a tree, like the one pictured, on **Galena Summit.**

Kollmeyer also raised the site's "visual quality objective," a rating tool used by the agency to determine how best to preserve an area's scenic quality. It was the first time that change was announced to the public, and a deputy regional forest

See GALENA, Main 2



ComicsAgribusiness 3 CommoditiesAgribusiness 2 CommunityMain 7

CrosswordH&G 9 Dear AbbyH&G 6 MoviesMain 9

ObituariesMain 6, 9-10 OpinionMain 8 SudokuH&G 5

A-FRAUD! Alex Rogriguez admits to using steroids > Sports 1

CORNING CONTROL OF THE STATE OF

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

Michael Franti and Spearhead concert, fundraiser for 2009 Special Olympics World Winter Games, 4:30 p.m. doors open and 5 p.m. program, Sun Valley Pavillion, tickets: \$50, \$100 and \$200, 726-3423 or tickets.front-

gatetickets.com. The 5th Annual Race to Safety, involves NazzKart teams sponsored by area businesses; to raise awareness of child passenger safety, 5:30 p.m., NazzKart Indoor Race Track, 320 Third Ave. S., Twin Falls, free admission, 208-737-2807.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Snake River Weavers' Guild meeting, with hostess Dar Wagner, 1:30 p.m., 735-8123 or 734-

American Legion Post 7 and Auxiliary Potluck, Pie Social and Auction, 5:30 p.m. social hour with potluck and business meetings to follow, Post Home, 447 Seastrom St., Twin Falls, meat provided; bring dish to share and pie, www.twinfallslegion.org or 733-9306.

Citizens Protecting Resources (CPR) meeting, 7:30 p.m., Idaho Fish and Game building, two miles north of the Flying J on U.S. Highway 93,

Snake River Flats meeting, an all-male singing group, 7:30 p.m., Harmony Hall, 123 K St., Rupert, 436-6047.

BUSINESS FAIR

Idaho Department of Labor first annual Service Provider's Fair, variety of service agencies on hand with information for customers in need of assistance for childcare, housing assistance, training, healthcare, food and utility support and other services, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Idaho Department of Labor, 420 Falls Ave., Twin Falls, 735-2500, ext. 3126.

EDUCATION/LECTURE

Hagerman Valley Historical Society monthly program, speaker: Henry Whiting II, author of "At Nature's Edge" and owner/renovator of Frank Lloyd Wright artist studio, 7 p.m., National Park Service building, 221 N. State St., Hagerman, no cost, public invited, refreshments served, 208-837-4597.

EXHIBITS

Russ Hepworth Restrospective, 9:30 a.m. to 9 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.

New work by Twin Falls sculptor Yvonne Jacques, 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. "Domestic Life" exhibition, multidisciplinary project on the financial and time investments spent on homes, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sun Valley Center for the Arts, 191 Fifth St. E., Ketchum, no cost, sunvalleycenter.org or 726-9491.

Photographs and art by Carl Pulsifer and Joyce **Deford,** noon to 5 p.m., The Eighth Street Center, 200 N. Eighth St., Buhl, no cost, 543-5417.

GOVERNMENT

CANCELED: Twin Falls County Planning and Zoning Commission, 734-9490.

Twin Falls County commissioners, 8:30 a.m., courthouse, 425 Shoshone St. N., 736-4068. Blaine County commissioners, 9 a.m., courthouse, 206 First Ave. S., Hailey, 788-5500. Jerome County commissioners, 9 a.m., courthouse, 300 N. Lincoln St., 644-2700. Hagerman Chamber of Commerce, noon, Snake River Grill. 837-9131.

Twin Falls City Planning and Zoning Commission, 6 p.m., 305 Third Ave. E., 735-

Blaine County School Board, 6:30 p.m., district office, 118 W. Bullion St., Hailey, 578-5000. Glenns Ferry City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 119 E. Second St., 366-7418.

Gooding School Board, 7 p.m., district administration office, 507 Idaho St., 934-4321. Hagerman School Board, 7 p.m., high school,

150 Lake St. W., 837-4777. Hazelton City Council, 7 p.m., city office, 246 Main St., 829-5415.

Hollister City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 2392

Main St., 655-4225.

Jerome City Planning and Zoning Commission, 7 p.m., council chambers, 100 E. Ave. A, 324-8189.

Kimberly City Council, 7 p.m., community center, 120 Madison St. W., 423-4151. Dietrich School Board, 7:30 p.m., school's business room. 406 N. Park St., 544-2102. Shoshone School Board, 7:30 p.m., district office, 409 N. Apple St., 886-2038.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

SilverSneakers Fitness Program at Curves of Twin Falls, complete cardio and circuit training with resistance, state-of-the-art equipment and "Curves Smart" personalized coaching, 5:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., Twin Falls Curves, 690 Blue Lakes Blvd. N., no cost for Humana Goldinsured or AARP provided by Secure Horizons, 734-7300.

College of Southern Idaho's Over 60 and Getting Fit programs, 9:15 to 10:15 a.m., Hagerman High School gym; and 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Buhl old Middle School gym, no cost, 732-6475.

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, Episcopal Church of the Ascension, 371 Eastland Drive N., Twin Falls, no cost, 737-2977.

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.

Adult Children Anonymous (ACA) meeting, for individuals recovering from alcoholic or dysfunctional family environment, 6 p.m., Canyon View Psychiatric and Addiction Services, 228 Shoup Ave. W. (west entrance), Twin Falls, no cost, 308-5656.

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Line Dance Classes, 6 p.m., Twin Falls Senior Center, 530 Shoshone St. W., Twin Falls, \$3 donation, 410-5650 or www.galenslatter.com.

LIBRARY

Twin Falls Public Library Book club meeting, discussion: "The Faith Club," 5:30 p.m., library's program room, 201 Fourth Ave. E., Twin Falls, 733-2964 ext. 110.

MUSEUMS AND PARKS

Faulkner Planetarium "Here Comes the Sun," 7 p.m., Herrett Center for Arts and Science, north end of the College of Southern Idaho campus, Twin Falls, \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for senior citizens, \$2.50 for students, no cost for children under age 2 and a special price package for families with five children or less, 732-6655.

TODAY'S DEADLINES

Reservation deadline for Feb. 14 Valentines Beef Prime Rib dinner, gourmet fare by candlelight prepared by Chef William Benedict for all ages, 5 to 7 p.m., Twin Falls Senior Citizen Community Center, 530 Shoshone St. W., Twin Falls, \$10 per person, 734-5084 (reserved tickets may be paid for at the door.)

Reservation deadline for Feb. 11 Magic Valley **Advertising Federation evening presentation** and meeting, features "The Advertising Success of Budweiser" by Linda Watkins of Watkins Distributing; includes appetizers and beverages, 5:15 p.m. check-in, Twin Falls Shilo Inn, Twin Falls, \$10 for members and non-members, 308-0488 or

Melissa.Crane@cableone.biz.

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 the

CORRECTIONS

Wrong parent name

A Feb. 7 Community section story about Mike Knopp identified his parents incorrectly. Knopp's parents are Howard and Nilace Knopp of Paul.

...735-3207

Wrong name for baseball player

A story in Monday's sports section incorrectly identified College of Southern Idaho baseball player Kasey Jeroue.

The *Times-News* regrets the errors.

Times-News

Brad Hurd735-3345
NEWSROOM
Editor James G. Wright735-3255
News tips before 5 p.m
News tips after 5 p.m
Letters to the editor
Newsroom fax
Mini-Cassia office
Mini-Cassia newsroom fax
Wood River & Lincoln County Bureau788-3475
ADVERTISING
Advertising director John Pfeifer735-3354
CLASSIFIEDS
Customer service
Classifieds manager Christy Haszier735-3267

ONLINE

Online sales Jason Woodside

6 to 11 a.m. on weekends for questions about delivery, new subscriptions and vacation stons. If

you don't receive your paper by 6:30 a.m., call the number for your area before 10 a.m. for rede-MAIL INFORMATION The Times-News (UPS 631-080) is published daily

Twin Falls and other areas 733-0931, ext. 1

Burley-Rupert-Paul-Oakley 678-2201

Circulation director Laura Stewart 735-3327

Circulation phones open 6 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily and

CIRCULATION

at 132 Fairfield St. W., Twin Falls, by Lee Publications Inc., a subsidiary of Lee Enterprises. Periodicals paid at Twin Falls by The Times-News. Official city and county newspaper pursuant to Section 6C-108 of the Idaho Code. Thursday is hereby designated as the day of the week on which legal notices will be published. Postmaster, please send change of address form to: P.O. Box 548, Twin

Copyright © 2008 Magic Valley Newspapers Inc.

Snowpack levels

Seasonai	percenta
% of Avg.	pea
84%	56
75%	52
80%	53
81%	51
85%	54
82%	55
94%	63
81%	57
94%	64
	As of Feb
	% of Avg. 84% 75% 80% 81% 85% 82% 94% 81%

Go to Magicvalley.com to find a

Pat's Picks ... Pat Marcantonio Three things to do today

• Henry Whiting II, author of "At Nature's Edge" and owner of the Frank Lloyd Wright artist studio near Hagerman, will speak at 7 p.m. at the National Park Service building, 221 N. State St., Hagerman. There's no cost for this Hagerman Valley Historical Society monthly program.

• The Magic Philharmonic Orchestra's Pops Concert will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the King Fine Arts Center, 2100 Parke Ave., Burley. Paul Pugh is guest conductor. Tickets are \$7 for adults, \$3 for students and \$17 for families.

• Enjoy dinner and a basketball game at Kimberly High School. Dinner goes

from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. before the Bulldogs boys face Filer. Cost is \$8 to eat. For those 8 and under, its by donation.

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.

Law

Continued from Main 1

with felony possession of a controlled substance, methamphetamine. But when their kids' hair tests positive for meth, authorities aren't charging the parents with felony child endangerment.

"It's not prosecutable currently as a felony," said Loebs. "That's the problem. The definition doesn't let you prosecute that (smoking meth around a child) if that's all that happened."

Under the current law, in order to prosecute felony child endangerment for smoking meth around a child, Loebs said he'd have to show that the act would likely cause great bodily harm or death.

Statistics showing that just aren't available, Loebs said. "There's not enough data yet."

Loebs said many doctors believe meth exposure to children will likely cause great bodily harm, but more than that is needed to prove a case in court.

At least at drug production sites, children can be harmed through: chemical burns, eye and tissue irritation, death, fires, abuse, and neglect,

according to the Office of National Drug Control Policy. Loebs wouldn't support

making exposure to marijuana a felony, he said, and the proposed law change would probably cost taxpayers additional money for testing. "If the crime were expand-

ed ... Then you could use evidence in the house, around the house, in the children's hair to prove that this had happened," said Loebs. "This would allow you to get to a different issue, the damage it's doing to children."

Twin Falls police took 58 reports in 2008 regarding child endangerment, said Hicks.

Babies

Continued from Main 1

Regarding marijuana, the negative effects, if any, are unproven, Cannon said — but it's different with meth.

"With drug exposure during pregnancy, we only learn about it by history, because nobody is going to give a mother meth and then study the effects," he said. "Everything is kind of sketchy, but with meth, when they test it on animals, it has shown teratogenic effects on the

Does that mean the hearts of human babies would be similarly malformed?

"Probably," Cannon said. "What we have seen is that the babies tend to be smaller and show withdrawal symptoms after birth."

While withdrawal symptoms among infants aren't as easily recognizable as they are in adults — all babies are often crying, for instance — Cannon said the difference is unimportant.

"It's having the same withdrawal. Its brain isn't as developed as yours and mine, but it's feeling the same thing as an adult going through withdrawal," he said.

Because the ubiquity of meth is a relatively recent problem, precise data on the subject remain elusive.

'That's exactly why we don't know," Cannon said. "You would have to identify the patients during pregnancy and follow the study over the next 20 years for us to know what will happen."

Identifying a patient with a meth problem, even though the ravages of the drug are visible, is often difficult for doctors — precisely because drug addicts tend to avoid doctors. "Sooner or later, they're

going to show up at the hospital to have the baby. One of the big clues is if someone hasn't received prenatal care, and that's generally because of drug use," Cannon said. While Cannon said suspicious patients are screened

for meth use, he acknowledged that the policy scares some meth users away and prevents them from getting proper pregnancy treatment. Regardless of the long-term effects of meth on babies,

Cannon said there's at least one way that it can be fatal. "The mother can die," he

said. "The baby is getting the same dosages as the carrier. If she dies, the baby will die, and mothers can die from drug use."

Relief

Continued from Main 1

Leader James Ruchti, D-Pocatello, also favors expanding the credit.

At Monday's hearing, some lawmakers were perturbed that it's costing the Tax Commission more money than originally forecast to administer the expanded credit.

Last year, the commission had predicted the administration costs would be \$50,000, but Chigbrow said

opened the door, the officer

that covered only software. He now wants another \$208,000 for this fiscal year, to pay for temporary staff and postage to handle 82,000 more returns the state expects from people applying for the credit during the current tax season.

Drehmel

Continued from Main 1

dormitory for company workers. A man in a neighboring room allegedly heard a loud, physical fight coming from the men's room for about 10 minutes on Friday night. An officer from Sun Valley Security responded to the neighbor's call, and allegedly saw Drehmel standing near the dorm's emergency exit, covered in bruises, cuts and blood.

The officer saw James lying unconscious on the floor of the dorm room. Drehmel allegedly said James was sleeping, then entered the room and locked the door.

Sun Valley police were called, and when Drehmel allegedly saw a bruise on Drehmel's eye, fresh scratches on his chest and shoulder, a bite mark on his right rib cage, and blood on his bicep and pants. The officer allegedly smelled a strong alcohol odor on Drehmel's breath, and observed slow, slurred speech and difficulty standing. James, who was unrespon-

sive with blood coming from his nose and fixed, dilated eves, was given CPR and taken to the St. Luke's Wood River Medical Center, where he was pronounced dead. Although Drehmel was initially arrested on charges of

aggravated battery, Roark attorney Doug Nelson said those charges were unusual. "That doesn't make any sense when you have a death," Nelson said after Drehmel's hearing.

Drehmel, who will turn 20 on Wednesday, has a history of tangles with the law in Ada and Blaine counties since 2005, including consumption of alcohol by a minor, possession of a controlled substance and drug paraphernalia, petit theft, disorderly conduct and DUI.

Court records show no history of criminal activity in Idaho for James, whose hometown has not been identified.

After the arraignment, members of Drehmel's family declined to speak to the press.

Ariel Hansen may be reached at 208-788-3475.

Galena

Continued from Main 1

supervisor decided October that Kollmeyer should have given the public a chance to comment on it.

On Monday, forest officials announced the start of a 30day public comment period aimed at gathering more information on changing the VQO, which would require a non-significant amendment to the forest plan.

Jackie Richter, the agency's project leader for the tower's environmental analysis, said the results of the new comment period will supplement the existing environmental assessment of the project, and that comment should be targeted at the change to the VQO. Kollmeyer will review both old and new comments when revisiting her decision, but won't likely look at any new comments on the project as a whole unless they bring up new information, Richter said.

"We will look at the whole decision again, but we're going to be using what we already have," Richter said.

Idaho Tower Co. was prepared for the announcement. Co-owner Jennifer Campbell said Monday that the company has put up a Web site with pictures and a video showing how visible the tower would be. The company planned to add a "frequently asked questions" section on Monday, and will also hold a meeting on the evening of Feb. 19 to answer questions from the public. Local public-safety officials

and a representative of the Department Homeland Security will also be present to share their thoughts, Campbell said. The goal is to give the pub-

lic a better idea of the whole project, she said, adding that the Forest Service's regional office in Ogden, Utah, had told her the entire proposal is now opened up for another look. She pointed out that the VQO can also be moved down to accommodate the site, and said the project lines up well with a state push for better emergency services in remote areas.

If the agency receives enough comments against changing the VQO, officials may revisit the July decision, Richter said. Kollmeyer could issue a new decision by May.

ski report at the Snow Center.

You don't say **Steve Crump**

Native son Grant Sawyer was out to swipe our water

uick: Who's the only governor ever born and raised in the Magic Valley? ... And if you say Frank Gooding and John Evans, you lose twice ...

Gooding, born in England, wasn't even a citizen when he was elected governor of Idaho in 1904 ... Evans was born and grew in up in the eastern Idaho town of Malad City; he moved to Burley after he left the governor's office in

No, the only native son in the governor's office was Grant Sawyer, born and raised in Twin Falls, who ran Nevada from 1959 to 1965 ...

There's a recent biography of Sawyer — born in Twin Falls in 1918 and graduated from Twin Falls High in 1936 — published by the University of Nevada's Oral History Project. It contains some surprising information about a man who was arguably Nevada's most important governor of the past half century ...

For example, Sawyer, who died in 1996 - thought it would be a dandy idea to stick a pipe into the Snake River around Twin Falls and divert water south to make the Silver State bloom ...

"Piping water to Nevada from the Columbia River, water that he considered to be going to waste because it was running into the ocean, that's an idea as insane as the one somebody had back in the 1950s to dam the Grand Canyon," says his biographer, Gary Elliott ...

In his eight years as governor, Sawyer effectively desegregated Nevada's casinos and established the Nevada Gaming Commission, an action that eventually drove organized crime out of gambling in the state ... He was, Elliott says, a cow-county district attorney (from Elko) who took fairness personally ..

Maybe he learned that from his deepwater Baptist upbringing ... His parents were both osteopaths who divorced, bitterly, when he was 3 ... Sawyer grew up on a bleak Twin Falls County farm

So you say

If it's odd, funny, poignant, sad or weird and it happens in south-central Idaho, I want to hear about it. Call me at 735-3223, or write

scrump@magicvalley.com.

with a stepfather who was a hard-shell Baptist ... He was a good enough student to win a scholarship to Oregon's Linfield College, then a strict Baptist school where dancing was not allowed ... Sawyer got kicked out for organizing

a dance ... He transferred to the University of Nevada, and promptly experienced the compulsory culture shock of the Nevada newcomer, according to Elliott ... "I went to a fraternity dance and arrived as they were carrying a body out. It turned out to be a faculty adviser; he was drunk, passed out. I was amazed at the difference in atmosphere from Linfield, and I was delighted" ...

Sawyer got into George Washington University Law School and landed a job with Sen. Pat McCarran, a Democrat who was Nevada's most powerful political boss ... But McCarran was a reactionary, and Sawyer — an unabashed liberal — loathed the senator's politics ... He moved to Elko, got elected county prosecutor and decided to take on the McCarran machine, beating one of its candidates in the Democratic primary and another, incumbent Republican Charles Russell, in the general election of 1958 ...

Sawyer affected a deep, theatrical voice developed in childhood voice training and in his hobby of amateur acting, according to Elliott ... He had learned to tap dance as a kid and would break into dance steps ... He usually insisted on driving the governor's official car himself. "He was a terrible driver," attor-

ney Bob Faiss told Elliott ... But a good governor ...

Steve Crump is the Times-News Opinion editor.

IDWR gives budget presentation

By Jared S. Hopkins Times-News writer

BOISE — Idaho's water director told state budget writers Monday that water officials are still searching for funds for aquifer planning in south-central Idaho should the Legislature lack funds.

Idaho Department of Water Resources Director Dave Tuthill told the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee the state will see less timely service and less

regulatory duties performed because of budget cuts. The agency focused heavily on staffing to cover the \$539,300 mid-year budget holdback and the additional \$1.1 million budget cut for next year.

Tuthill said IDWR is not requesting money to begin the Comprehensive Aquifer Management Plan, estimated to cost \$7 million to \$10 million for the first phase. The plan for managing the aguifer would cost as much as \$100 million in its first 10 years, but board members and water users say problems from the declining aquifer must be addressed.

About \$3 million is planned to come from the state, but the economic downturn has forced the Idaho Water Resource Board to look within its own agency.

Tuthill gave two possibilities, including using approximately \$1.2 million in annual interest over 10 years it will gain this year from the Pristine Springs transaction. He also mentioned the \$1.8

million the Legislature approved last year to study the Minidoka and Teton dams that could be directed

toward CAMP. "As we move forward the state's participation has already been there, and our intent is to continue," he

said.

The Legislature, concerned about the rising number of delivery calls and water lawsuits, requested the project years ago. The plan will go before the Legislature on Feb. 23.

Twin Falls Police still probing death at motel

By Andrea Jackson **Times-News writer**

Twin Falls Police are still investigating how woman found Saturday in a motel room died, while the death of man found Friday in the Snake River was ruled as a suicide.

Police announced Monday that Twin Falls resident Lisa Round, 41, was the woman they found Saturday, dead at the El Rancho Motel on Addison Avenue.

Her death isn't believed to be connected to other current investigations, said Twin Falls Police Capt. Matt Hicks.

A hotel manager told the Times-News he found the woman's body with a bag over her head in room 15, after her friend couldn't get a hold of her.

Hicks said he wouldn't talk about anything police may have found in the room and stressed authorities are still investigating. Round's body underwent an autopsy on Monday, authorities said.

"We haven't ruled out the possibility of anything," said Hicks.

Police are waiting on Round's toxicology results, which Twin Falls County Coroner Dennis Chambers said could take six to eight

On Friday, a hiker found Twin Falls resident Harlan Wolters' body near a boat Centennial launch at Waterfront Park, in the Snake River Canyon. A car belonging to Wolters, 64, was found high-centered in a lot above the park and authorities said he hadn't been in the water more than 24

Wolters walked off a dock to take his own life, said Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office

does not report the names of suicides unless the death, as in this instance, was in a public place.

manager of St. Luke's Canyon View Behavioral Health Services, said there's no explanation for the number of suicides in the county.

and wanes" unpredictably, she said. Gaskin encourages anyone considering taking their life to call for help.

The best prevention is to be with people," she said. "If someone says something, check into it."

Canyon View provides free assessments to people from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., said Gaskin, and calls for help are accepted 24 hours a day, at 208-734-6760.

reached at 208-735-3380 or ajackson@magicvalley.com.



Times-News

A trial is on track for a father charged with serious crimes in the house fire death of his young daughter last year in Twin Falls.

Stepan Kutran, 32, and his wife, Inna Gorbenko-Kutran, 28, were both charged with felony involuntary manslaughter and misdemeanor injury to a child, after their daughter, Iasmine Gorbenko, 2, allegedly died of burns, smoke inhalation, or a combination of the two, following a Feb. 19 fire at 441

Gardner Ave. in Twin Falls. The child was allegedly left with her 1-year-old brother, Emmanual Gorbenko Jr., who also allegedly suffered smoke inhalation.

Fifth District Judge Randy Stoker denied numerous motions from Kutran's lawyer, Michael Wood.

Another pretrial is scheduled for March 2 and the jury trial is slated for March 5-13.

spokeswoman Lori Nebeker. The Times-News generally

Pat Gaskin, a nurse and

The rate of suicides "waxes

Andrea Jackson may be

— • CLIP THIS COUPON • **WITH THIS** OFF & HERBS NOW THROUGH FEBRUARY 141

COUPON No Other Discounts Apply **Exclusively at** THE HEALTH FOOD PLACE

AÇAI 100% DIFFERENCE

- Angi-Aging and longevity*
- Cleansing and detoxification* Healthy immune system function*
- • Healthy energy and stamina levels & resistance
- Mental clarity, good focus and a positive mood* ■ • Improved sleep* Healthy libido*

Choose The Very Best ACAI Product For You



M-F 9:30am-5:30pm
 SAT 10:00am-4:00pm
 CLOSED SUNDAYS

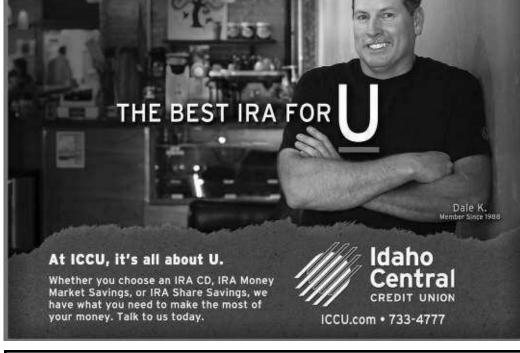
Pasta Roma Café & Grill, located at 611 Blue Lakes Blvd. in Twin Falls, is an Italian eatery locally owned and operated by Alex and Sandra Becerra of Jerome. The 🏬 restaurant opened for operation in June of 2008.



Growing up as a child, head chef Alex spent his days as a child cooking alongside

his mother where he learned his way around the kitchen. Later in life he honed his cooking skills at prestigious culinary schools, and eventually landed a position as Executive Chef at Pasta Primavera restaurant in San Francisco before settling in the Magic Valley and opening his own restaurant.

Pasta Roma Café & Grill specializes in Italian food, but also offers chicken, steak and seafood dishes, as well as sandwiches, desserts and, of course, the all you can eat pizza, pasta, soup and salad bar. Most of the items on the menu are Alex's own recipes, and all of the food and sauces are made from scratch. "We make everything but the tomatoes" jokes Alex. "In addition to making everything ourselves, we buy as many of our foods as we can from local sources. We think it's important that we support the people who support us", he says. Aside from the spacious parking lot and ample seating inside the restaurant, a banquet room with seating for up to 60 people is also available and can be reserved for meetings or private parties. Pasta Roma Café & Grill is open 7 days a week. For additional information, please call 733-9728.





Serving the Magic Valley Since 2001

www.patiocoversunlimited.com



208.733.9728 • 611 Blue Lakes Blvd. • Twin Falls

Take outs welcome • Private Banquet Room Available

T.F. parents concerned about future of music in district

By Ben Botkin Times-News writer

Two parents of Twin Falls students School involved in school music programs addressed the district's school board on Monday night, citing the need to preserve the programs.

About a dozen other parents and students showed up at the meeting in a show of

Their concerns were fueled by a combination of state budget cuts to education and the district's plans to switch the high school's class schedule from a block schedule to a seven-period schedule.

"We would maintain that music programs are a very good investment," said parent Rob Atkins.

Lindsay McMurtry, another parent, asked those involved in music to stand up at the meeting.

Canyon Ridge High School

Principal Brady Dickinson

said the goal is to maintain music, adding that it's too soon to know the specifics of what to expect for next school The school still needs to survey students for their pref-

erences before working on the schedule, he said, adding that the district is also trying to absorb budget cuts through attrition.

TFHS Principal Ben Allen said that Jive, one music program, may have to be an afterschool program next year.

"It's not as if we don't support music, because all of us do," Allen said.

Category 1 teachers could be evaluated like other instructors

By Jared S. Hopkins **Times-News writer**

BOISE — A task force that spent last year studying teacher evaluations wants districts to adopt processes based on a uniform state policy and hopes the Legislature will expand evaluations to teachers hired on one-year contracts.

recommendations The include requiring districts to adopt or develop evaluation policies that meet state standards and those given by education expert Charlotte Danielson. Some already use her framework but the task force wants the assessments incorporated into teachers' routines.

"This isn't a 'gotcha.' We want to help districts," Nick Smith, a deputy superintenwith the state Department of Education, told the Senate Education Committee on Monday. "What good is assessing a teacher's performance if we're not using that information to drive improvement of their professional performance?"

The only legislative proposal is to have evaluations include Category 1 teachers, who are hired after Aug. 1 on a one-year basis. They often stay on longer than that, leava gap in reviews,

Scrap gold: rings,

dental, etc.

Twavne O. Buhler

Smith said.

"We have wasted an entire year where we didn't evaluate them," he said.

The other recommendations, which essentially adopt Danielson's methods, will be submitted as administrative rule changes to the State Board of Education. But Smith told the Times-News legislative support would be beneficial.

The state hopes to set a deadline of submission for approval of the district's proposed plans for about a year from now. Implementation is aimed for fall 2011.

The goal of the task force was to provide new, modern ways to review teacher performance after they said they weren't clear on what evaluations were based on. It was formed after last year's controversial pitch Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna to boost teachers pay if they gave up job security.

IEA president Sherri Wood, who sat on the task force, said the only major concern from teachers is making sure they receive equal training as administrators on what evaluations are based on.

"It comes down to training," she said after the meeting. "Teachers need to know what they're being evaluated on.'

T.F. Council reviews budget, hears baseball field proposal

Times-News writer

It was all — or at least mostly — about the economy at the Twin Falls City Council's Monday night meeting.

their actions. Among council members heard a presentation on the city's budget and then held off on a proposal to renovate a city baseball diamond because of financial concerns over the near future.

Finance Director Gary Evans walked the council through a new "dashboard approach" to summarizing the budget. Created by the city's finance department and advisory committee, the document he presented

sums up current city expenses and revenues, highlights where things stand in comparison to the overall budget vear and throws in a handful of economic indicators for good measure. The goal is to make something readable for both the council and the public, he said, and the document will be updated monthly on the city's Web

Evans pointed to a decline in both state and city revenue that could cause problems if it continues. But he noted property tax collection in January was above previous years, and said he's not sure why.

Council members then took no action on the proposed renovation of Cowboy

Field in the northeast corner of Harmon Park. Many cited the budget figures from Evans' presentation and the uncertainty of the future in their decision. For more on the project, read Wednesday's edition of the Times-News.

Also Monday, the council approved 4-2 handing over at Magicvalley.com.

right-of-way on Ash Street South and a nearby alley to Idaho Power for its Blue Lakes Boulevard facility, a request that prompted much debate at a Jan. 12 public hearing. For more on that hearing, read the archives of the Capitol Confidential blog



AROUND THE VALLEY

Chubbuck man killed in Sunday crash

Daniel J. Birch, 28, of Chubbuck, died Sunday when his car crossed the center line on U.S. Highway 93 and collided with a semitrailer.

The accident happened at approximately 9:30 p.m. by milepost 20, according to a Monday Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office release. The driver of the semi - Ron Dickinson, 47, of Alberta, Canada — was uninjured.

The cause of the crash is still under investigation, but prior to the crash, deputies in the area were searching for a reported reckless driver in a vehicle matching the description of Birch's car, the release stat-

Gooding school levy vote is today

Gooding School District voters will decide today whether to pass a two-year supplemental levy and a 10-year renewal of its plant facilities levy.

Voting takes place from noon to 8 p.m. today.

The plant facilities levy renewal, if passed, will

CENTURY STADIUM 5

678-7142

increase from \$125,000 to \$250,000 annually to provide money for building improvements. The supplemental levy is \$325,000 annually to provide money for the district to keep programs in place for students.

District officials said the levies are needed to offset state funding cuts and money lost from declining enrollment.

Residents eligible to vote are registered voters who have resided in the district at least 30 days prior to the date of the election. Voter registration is available on site to those with valid identification and a utility bill with their current address.

Voting locations:

- Gooding High School, 1050 Seventh Ave W.
- Gooding Elementary and Middle School, 1045 Seventh Ave. W.
- Gooding Accelerated Learning Center, 906 Main
- Shoshone Fire Station #2 in the Gomes District for Lincoln County, 620 N. 700 W., Shoshone.

— Times-News



veri onwireless

Activation fee/line: \$35 (\$25 for secondary Family SharePlan lines w/ 2 yr Agmts) IMPORTANT CONSUMER INFORMATION: Subject to Customer Agmt, Calling Plan, rebate form & credit approval. Up to \$175 early termination fee & other charges. Device capabilities: Add'I charges & conditions apply. Offers & coverage, varying by service, not available every where. While supplies last. Limited time offer. Rebate debit card takes up to 6 wks & expires in 12 months. © 2009 Verizon Wireless

IDAHO COIN GALLERIES Silver & gold bullion **TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY** 302 N. Main • Twin Falls, ID 83301 • 208-733-8593 or 731-1789 or 733-2934

BUHLER AGENCY

OPEN ONLY:

Idaho Coin Galleries. Inc.

Coin collections

Retirement ready or not, are you serious about your future?

projection, call us for a consultation at our expense.

FINANCIAL PLANNING SERVICES OFFERED THROUGH SIGMA PLANNING CORPORATION

For a current evaluation and income

BRANCH OFFICE 404 2nd E. Twin Falls, Id A REGISTERED INVESTMENT ADVISOR MSF BUHLER AGENCY -3017

www.centurycinema5.com Shows Nightly 7:25 & 9:20 TAKEN PG-13 Shows Nightly 7:20 & 9:40 ■ He's just not that INTO YOU PG-13 Drew Barrymore, Jennifer Aniston, Ben Affleck in A Romantic Comedy Shows Nightly 7:25 & 9:15 The Pink Panther 2 PG PUSH PG-13

Steve Martin is Back in A Fun Comedy Shows Nightly 7:25 & 9:30

Dakota Fanning, Chris Evans in A Sci-Fi Action Thriller Shows Nightly 7:30 & 9:15

Paul Blart Mall Cop PG Kevin James in A Hilarious Comedy

BURLEY THEATRE 678-5631

All Seats \$2.00 Everynight Open Fri. - Tues. each week Shows Nightly 7:30 & 9:30

Ouantom of Solace PG-13 mes Bond 007 is Bac



The Twin Falls Health Initiatives Trust, Ltd. will hold a

GRANT AWARD CELEBRATION

Friday February 13, 2009 at 2:30 pm Twin Falls County Courthouse

3rd Floor Conference Room Refreshments will be available and the public is welcome!

This gathering is a celebration of the first awards for health, wellness and related education as envisioned by the agreement between Twin Falls County and St. Luke's Medical System. All of the organizations who were awarded grant funds are invited, Board members will attend and the public is welcome!

Best of Mini-Cassia Ballots are now available.

Vote for your favorites today!

Get your ballot in the Times-News or at our local office 230 East Main, Burley, ID For more information call 677-8740 or 677-8737.



Call 208-410-3633 or email info@twinfallshealthinitiativestrust.org for more info. Times-News, Twin Falls, Idaho



Look below for Plus...

FREE ★ FREE ★ FREE ★ DEALS **Great Coupon Savings**

With every purchase of \$500, receive a \$50 GIFT COUPON



Pizza & Soft Drinks

Saturday & Monday ~ noon to 3 p.m.







w/special purchase of Herb Garden Carpet \$2.22 sq. ft.







459 Overland Ave, Burley, ID 208-878-4433



No Down No Interest

for 12 MONTHS



5 PIECE DINING SET



ENTERTAINMENT CENTER



ALSO AVAILABLE AS:

MOTION SOFA \$698

QUEEN BED
5 piece Bedroom Set - \$998
Hdboard, Footboard, Rails,
Dresser & Mirror

A Perfect Day... Begins with a Good Night Sleep



Images Pillow Top

Twin Set\$299 Full Set.....\$349 King Set\$599

Deep Sleep Plush Pillow Top

Twin Set...... \$499 Full Set..... \$599 King Set \$899 **Chari River Memory Foam**

Twin Set \$1399 Full Set \$1599 King Set \$1999

Obama defends economic recovery bill

economic recovery bill, turned his first prime-time catastrophe." news conference Monday the usual political games."

WASHINGTON (AP) — only the federal government improvement," Obama said. President Barack Obama, can "jolt our economy back to With more than 11 million "could turn a crisis into a against Republican criticism

night into a determined be in better shape by next create jobs. defense of his emergency plan year, as measured by and an offensive against increased hiring, lending, Republicans who try to "play home values and other fac- I can't tell you for sure that tors. "If we get things right, everything in this plan will hall meeting to promote his He said the recession has then, starting next year, we work exactly as we hope, but I plan earlier in the day in left the nation so weak that can start seeing significant can tell you with complete Elkhart, Ind.

With more than 11 million will only deepen this crisis as pressuring lawmakers to life." And he declared that fail- Americans now out of work, well as the pain felt by milurgently approve a massive ure to act swiftly and boldly Obama defended his program lions of Americans."

that it is loaded with pork-He said the country could barrel spending and will not

"The plan is not perfect," the president said. "No plan is.

confidence that a failure to act

Obama spoke from the East Room of the White House in a news conference that lasted almost exactly one hour. He hit repeatedly at the themes he has emphasized in recent weeks, including at a town

Nelda Jean Boyer

Our beloved daughter, sister, aunt, and friend, Nelda Jean Boyer, left this earthly life

to be with her Heavenly Father and eternal parents, Sylvan Kenneth and Birdie Rachel Rytting Boyer on Sunday, Feb. 8, 2009, the

Rehabilitation



Center in

Kimberly. She lived most of her life in the Magic Valley area where she attended school. Her parents moved to Ogden, Utah, and then to Wells, Nev. She spent the last years of her life living in Ogden, Utah, with a sister, then in a group home and was employed with Enable Industries. She was a good employee and enjoyed her job, but most especially the friends she made while there. In 1994 she moved to Twin Falls to be closer to her mother and sisters who resided there. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day

Nelda was faced with many health challenges, both mentally and physically, throughout her life and she accepted them with astounding courage. She loved her parents, siblings, and extended family members with boundless love. Her friends were also very important to her and she loved them too. She was a sweet spirit with a zest for life. She taught us as her family much patience, love and understanding because of the infirmities she had to bear. She is survived by her brother Kenneth Sylvan (Betty) Boyer of Lakeview, Ark.; sisters, N. Sue (Vard) Orrock of Ogden, Utah, Norene Berger of Missoula, Mont., and Sylvia (Gary) Pengelly of Sparks, Nev. She is also survived by seven nephews and six nieces; brother-in-law, Rex Silcock; and sister-in-law, Kathy Boyer. She was preceded in death by her parents; sister, Arlene Silcock; brother. Robert Lynn Boyer; brothersin-law, Fred Berger and S. Ivan Rice; and niece, Kristi Pengelly.

A visitation for family and friends will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 10, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park". Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, at the Hagerman Cemetery. As a family we wish to thank the many care takers at the Oakcreek Rehabilitation Center of Kimberly for their tireless hours of tender loving care they provided for Nelda over the years, especially in her last days. We express thanks to the Aspen Grove, hospice caregivers; Jeanette Sparks and LeAnn Maxim. Also a special thanks to Mike and Brenda Hayes and Wendell and Jena Nebeker for their many hours of service and love they gave

(Wenatchee,

Barbara Marie Durfee Ward (Chandler)

TERREBONNE, Ore. — Barbara Marie Durfee Ward (Chandler), 58, of Terrebonne, Ore., and formerly of Burley, passed awav Thursday, Feb. 5, 2009, at her home after fighting cancer for two years.

She was born Feb. 22, 1950, in Burley, Idaho, the daughter of Ralph and Kturah Millard Durfee. She attended school in the Burley area.

On Dec. 6, 1965, she married Llovd Ward. They had five children, Trina (Don) Ford of Rupert, Lloyd Ward of Kimberly, Greg (Christine) Ward of Declo, Sara (Raymond) Breeding of Declo, Tiffany Adams of Twin Falls, along with seventeen grandchildren, and one greatgrandchild.

Lloyd passed away in 1995 and later Barbara met her soul mate, Dale Chandler, and they were together until her passing.

Barbara was a very happy person always concerned about everyone else. She didn't like the word in-law, it was brother, sister and son and daughter. When she visited Burley and would go shopping, if she saw something she thought someone would like she would always buy these things for them, always spoiling her kids and grandchildren.

Barbara enjoyed camping

with her family and was a member of the LDS church. She lived



with her older sister, Nona, for several years. She was like a daughter to her and like a sister to her cousins,

Corinne and Gayle. After the death of their parents, she became very close to her oldest sister, Thelma and her husband, Merritt Wilder. Her siblings included Lonnie (Dorthy), Denny (Mary), Dean (Ann), Cliff (Ruth), Eldon, Bill (Elberta "Bertie"); sisters, Thelma (Merritt) Wilder, Nona (Jay) Drussel, Wanda (Leland) Coffman.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Raymond and Ralph, two sisters Cleo and Rhoda, and her parents.

Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, at Burley 1st Ward, Burley West Stake Center. Viewing for family and friends will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 10, at the Hansen Payne Mortuary and for one hour prior to the services at the church. Services will conclude with burial in the Pleasant View Cemetery. Services are under the direction of the Hansen Payne Mortuary.

Program at CSI in Twin Falls.

For this work she received a Presidential Citation. She

could quiet any child and they

Her entire life was one of

Dorothy is survived by

Janice Toombs, Twin Falls;

David (Laura) Toombs, Le

Grange, Ky.; JoyRae Kehrer,

Payette, Idaho; Kathleen

(Spencer) Stucki, Pocatello,

Idaho; Laurie Wright, Queens

Ariz.;

Buckendorf, Boise, Idaho, She

has 16 grandchildren and has

37 great-grandchildren. She

was preceded in death by her

parents; two brothers, Darwin

and Hyde Hepworth; a sister,

Helen Loftin Palmer; a daugh-

ter, Joyce Monet Toombs; and

two grandchildren, Jeff Kehrer

Funeral services will be

held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Feb.

12, with visitation starting at 9

a.m. at the Church of Jesus

Christ Latter-day Saints 14th

Ward Chapel, 824 Caswell Ave.

the direction of Parke's Magic

Valley Funeral Home, 2551

at www.magicvalleyfuneral-

Kimberly Road, Twin Falls.

Arrangements are under

Condolences may be made

W., Twin Falls.

and Kristopher Eriksen.

Marcia

service and love to others.

all loved her dearly.

Creek,

Dorothy Hepworth Toombs

Dorothy Hepworth Toombs schools, and the Head Start passed peacefully away at the age of 89 on Friday, Feb. 6, 2009, in Twin

Falls, Idaho. She was born in Metropolis, Nev., on Aug. 31, 1919. She was the second child



born Clifford Hepworth and Dorothy Hyde Hepworth. She grew up in Metropolis, Nev., and had some very special memories. She loved Metropolis and the special people there. She had the star roles in many plays plus also loved to play basketball. She was even playing basketball with grandchildren when 65 vears old. She graduated a year early from high school with her older sister Helen. She worked her way through college in Pocatello, Idaho, to become a teacher. She taught for two years in Metropolis before she got married and moved to Wells, Nev. She had seven children and devoted

others. She had many church callings throughout her life but her top priority was always her family. She loved the motel business because she got to meet so many people. She always made everyone feel important and that they were special. She changed the lives of many children as she worked in day cares, pre-

her life in service to them and

home.com. Boundary, Topographic **Elevation Certificates** Residential, Commercial

Grade Calculations Construction Staking 3-D Models for Machine Control

George Yerion, PLS 329 Washington St., Gooding, ID 934-4811

Vela Jonnie Blades

Matthews

Vela Jonnie Blades, 87, devoted wife, loving mother, affectionate grandmother and

great-grandmother. true friend to everyone she went met, home to her Heavenly Father on Tuesday, Feb. 3, 2009.



Jonnie was born in Green Forest, Ark., on Nov. 13, 1921, to Charlie Crockett and Ida Iane Matthews who moved to Idaho, along with her four brothers in 1937. She graduated from Twin Falls High School in 1939 and married the love of her life, Alty Loren (A.L.) Blades, Aug. 3, 1941. Together they had one son and two daughters. She was the proud grandmother of eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Jonnie worked for Sears for over 20 years. Her career at Sears was impressive as she became the top commissioned saleswoman and won many sales awards which showed her love for people. She held many positions at the United Baptist church in Filer where her husband, Loren, was pastor. After retiring, they RV'd many winters in Arizona and made countless new friends. She lived her life for her husband, family and

Jonnie was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and three brothers, Troy, Oren and Wilbur Matthews. She is survived by her children, Darrell and Charlotte Blades (Casper, Wyo.), Judy and Larry Frazier (San Jose, Calif.), and Debbie and Tony Clough (Kimberly, one brother, Lloyd

Heel Pain Clinic

• Morning Heel Pain • Flat Feet • General Heel Pain • Cracked Heel Skin Foot Supports

Timothy G. Tomlinson, DPM 1120 Montana • Gooding • 934-8829

Brockman Family Chiropractic

Dr. Marjorie A. Brockman R.N., B.S.N., D.C. "A Positive Approach To Wellness" 445 Idaho St., Gooding • 934-5000

Mildenhall RAF, England), Katheryn and Andrew Del Boccio (Curatorial Assistant at Wilson Centre for Photography London, England), Amy Blades (CW02 Pensacola, Fla.), Amanda Blades (Veterinary Technician — Eureka, Calif.), Melanie Blades (PFC National Guard Basic Training — Fort Jackson, S.C.), Amber and Esmeraldo Castillo (Mountain Home, ID) and Heather and John Crystobal (Twin Falls). Also, she is survived by her great-grandchildren, Sevyn Blades; Esmeraldo, Kendra and Felicia Castillo; Andrew Evans; Lily and Ella Cristobal.

Wash.). She is also survived

by her grandchildren, Joshua

Bateman (Owner Diamond

Blades Granite Fabrication —

Twin Falls), Ryan Frazier

(Airman First Class USAF —

A celebration of Jonnie's life will take place at 1 p.m., Friday, Feb. 13, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park" in Twin Falls, with Pastor Gene Kissinger, Freewill Baptist Church officiating. Internment will follow at Sunset Memorial Park. There will be no public view-

The family requests in lieu of flowers that donations be made to "Guide Dogs for the Blind" San Rafael, Calif.

Family and friends may share their thoughts and memories at www.MeM.com.

- Excavation Rock Crushing
- Gravel & Dirt for Sale Semi Hauling of

Gravel & Heavy

Equipment

Doug Suter Co. 324-2198



Wood River Engine Service

Honing, Boring, Rod Rebuilding, Cam Bearing Installing and Flywheel Grinding Specializing in Vintage Motors. 30 Years Experience.

Complete Cylinder Head Work, Surfacing, Pressure Testing, Magnuflux,

Owner: Brad Philips • 124 4th Ave. East • Gooding, ID • 934-4992

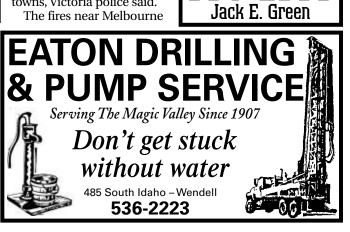
Death toll in Australian wildfires hits 173

WHITTLESEA, Austrailia (AP) — As the death toll rose Tuesday to 173 in Australia's worst wildfire disaster, suspicions that some of the 400 blazes were caused by arson led police to declare crime scenes in some of the incinerated towns, Victoria police said.

homeless. FAST BAIL BOND NORTH SIDE 536-2953

in southeastern Australia destroyed more than 750

homes and left 5,000 people









patients. Call toll free 1-800-540-4061.









We Make the World's Best Mattress™

✓ Delivery ✓ Financing

^{Sets} \$399

✓ Removal of Old Set

Rest assured...because at Sleep Solutions, all they do is sleep.

OPEN SUNDAYS Next to Idaho Joe's in the Lynwood Shopping Center

578 N. Blue Lakes • Twin Falls

(208) 733-9133

ONUNITY

North Side

Covering the communities of Bellevue, Bliss, Carey, Dietrich, Fairfield, Gooding, Hagerman, Hailey, Ketchum, Picabo, Richfield, Shoshone, Sun Valley, Triumph, Wendell.

Gooding approves airport hangar project

By Mary Hanson **Times-News correspondent**

The Gooding City Council on Feb. 2 unanimously approved a project to build an additional hangar at the city's municipal airport.

Dale Thomas, Gooding Municipal Airport manager, sought approval and permits to build a 60- by

80-foot multiple-airplane said after the meeting. "The tioning for the airport hanger on a leased cityowned lot at the airport. Thomas said the proposal has already met approval with the Federal Aviation Administration and fits with the city's master plan for airport development.

"I'm just going through the process with the city and the county," Thomas new heating and air condi-

city owns the land but the airport is in the county. So, I have to go around and see evervbody.'

The council also saw an update and video from Kit John regarding the Gooding Airport Flyers Association's annual fly-in. John said the association voted to pay for

pilots' lounge and presented the council with invoices \$2,000 worth of improvements.

Action on accepting a revised canine ordinance was tabled.

Mary Hanson may be reached at 944-4421 or mhansonmbd@aol.com.

A quilter's journey



Centenni

al Quilt

cele-

the

brates

south-

central

Idaho

town's

years.

Courtesy

first 100

Ann Jansen, one of the Gooding Centennial Quilt makers, volunteers at GED testing sessions at the College of Southern Idaho's North Side Center in

Jansen among Gooding Centennial quilters

By Mary Hanson **Times-News correspondent**

Ann Jansen is a member of the Wood River Quilters and one of many who helped piece together the Gooding Centennial Quilt, a quilt that celebrates Gooding's history

and 2008 centennial.

The quilt and the women who made it have been documented with biographies and displays. That will continue in the future, as when the planned Gooding County Historical Society museum is completed south of the city, the quilt, books about it and the biographies of the makers will be a prominent display.

Jansen is responsible for the section of the quilt that represents ranching as an industry through Gooding's first 100 years.

Jansen and her husband, Jack, have lived in Gooding for 50 years. Both are from Wisconsin, where Ann received her education. The two married in Idaho and began teaching — Jack in Gooding and Ann in several school districts before she put

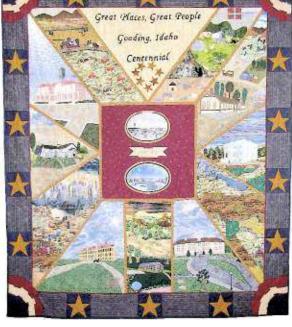
Editor's note

Before its closure, the Gooding County Leader began a series of profiles on the quilters who patched together the Gooding Centennial Quilt. Over the coming weeks, the series will be completed in the Times-News North Side Community section.

down her teaching roots at Shoshone High School, where she taught various subjects over a span of 36 years.

Jansen said her mother taught her to sew when she was 10 but she didn't take up quilting until many years later when she bought a new sewing machine with a quilting attachment. She decided to use it and began to teach herself how to quilt — a journey she said she is still travel-

"I learned the skills from TV, from books, from other quilters and finally, quilters in the Wood River Quilters," she said. "The time that we were all involved together in



designing and making the Centennial Quilt was a remarkable time."

Many of the quilters have said that the effort was a sophisticated one.

"It was difficult, challenging, and all together, one of the most important periods of my life," Jensen said.

"When I see the Centennial Quilt now, I think to myself that I am a part of Gooding's History. I am one of the quilt makers of the Gooding Centennial Quilt."

Mary Hanson may be reached at 208-944-4421 or mhansonmbd@aol.com.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Race to Safety held today in Twin Falls

The Fifth Annual Race to Safety will be held at 5:30 p.m. today at the NazzKart Indoor Race Track, 320 Third Ave. S., Twin Falls. Admission is free. This event raises awareness of child passenger safety and the race involves NazzKart teams sponsored by area businesses.

Modern Woodmen of America and Safe Kids of the Magic Valley are partnering to organize the event, with proceeds benefiting local programs and services of Safe Kids.

"It is a great opportunity to learn about child passenger safety and have a lot of fun," said Page Geske, Safe Kids director. "People don't realize that the No. 1 killer of children ages 1-14 years is unintentional injury. Simple things like buckling up can prevent injury and save

This year there will also be a silent auction as part of the

Information: Page Geske, Safe Kids Director, 737-2432.

CSI North Side offers antiques, quilt classes

The College of Southern Idaho North Side Center has announced two upcoming classes.

Antiques and Collectibles will be held from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Feb. 21 at the Second Time Around Antique Mall at the Whistle Stop, 102 S. Rail St. E., Shoshone.

The fee is \$20. Antique dealer Claudia Reese will discuss the antique world, how the antique mall operates, from acquiring antiques, pricing and selling to using eBay and more.

Bargello Wall Quilt will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays Feb. 17 to March 31 at the North Side Center, 202 14th Ave. E., Gooding. No class will be held Mar. 17.

The course fee is \$35 plus supplies. Pat Eisinger will be the instructor. The Bargello method is an easy, sew-asyou-go strip-piece technique, the strips are sewn into panels that result in quilts that give the impression of motion and resemble intricate needlepoint work. Patterns will be provided by the instructor.

Information or to register: 934-8678.

Gooding students place in business competition

Gooding Business Professionals of America chapters went to the College of Southern Idaho on Jan. 19 to compete. Twenty-four Gooding competitors participated and 14 qualified to go the state competition to be held March 12-14 at Boise State University.

Qualifiers include: Alison Bigler, third in medical office procedures; Kyle Holmes, first in computer security; Gunner Jensen, first in digital media production; Jake Arkoosh, second

Microsoft network administration; Jon Jenson, first in Microsoft network administration; Rayan Covarrubias, third in Microsoft network administrations and fourth in information technology concepts; Randon Becker, third in PC servicing and troubleshooting; Curtis Frampton, first in PC servicing; Anthony Bliss, third in information technology concepts; Anthony Arkoosh, seventh in Parli Pro; Jake Arkoosh and Jon Jensen, first in presentation management.

Gooding Accelerated Learning Center students placed in the following categories: Miki Beadz, network design team; Zulema Juarez, management/market/human relations concepts; Shane Knight, PC troubleshooting and network design team; and Austin Harper, basic office systems and procedure.

Billiard on ISU dean's list

Nicole Billiard Hagerman has earned a place on the Idaho State University 2008 fall semester dean's list for the College of Education, announced Deborah L. Hedeen, Ph.D., dean of the college.

To qualify for the dean's list, students must complete at least 12 semester credits and receive a grade point average of 3.66 or higher.

Pierson on Dodge City president's list

Dodge City Community College in Dodge City, Kan., announced that freshman Megan M. Pierson of Gooding has been named to its president's list for the fall 2008 semester.

To qualify for the president's list, students must earn a grade-point average of 3.80 or above and complete a minimum of 12

Veterans help available in Wendell

Steve Teague, state service officer with the Idaho Division of Veterans Services, will be available from 9 a.m. to noon Feb. 17 at the American Legion Hall, 610 W. Main St., Wendell.

Get answers to your questions about current veterans benefits, assistance with ongoing claims and make new claims. Information: Jim Benson,

536-5140.

Gooding bridge results released

Gooding Duplicate Bridge released its results for Friday. Section A: 1. Jodi Faulkner and Claire Major, 2. Rosemary Anderson and Roberta Canine, 3. Mary Steele and Susan Faulkner, 4. Don and Lorna Bard.

Duplicate bridge is played at 1 p.m. Fridays at the Gooding Senior Center, 308 Senior Ave.

Kathy Information: Rooney, 934-9732.

Neuropsychology aids early diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease

DEAR DR. GOTT: I applaud your approach to Alzheimer's disease and other cognitive impairments. Blood work and imaging studies are important in making or ruling out certain diagnoses. I take strong exception, however, to your statement that there is no specific testing for Alzheimer's disease.

The field of clinical neuropsychology is a subspecialty within clinical psychology. It has existed as a clinical discipline since about the late 1970s. Neuropsychologists use detailed standardized testing of a range of brain functions (e.g. memory, attention, perception, executive abilities, language, per-



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

sonality, etc.). Decades of careful research now allow neuropsychologists to recognize the hallmark early features of a range of neurological disorders that affect cognition, and to assist with the diagnosis of these conditions.

As a clinical neuropsychologist, it is often part of my job to differentiate between normal changes in memory that occur with aging, isolated memory problems (that do not constitute dementia) and a range of patterns that are associated with the different dementias. For example, in the early to middle stages, it is possible to differentiate between a subcortical presentation (as you would see in Parkinson's disease) and presentations that are more cortical (like Alzheimer's disease). Another common clinical presentation is frontotemporal dementia, with its classic features that are different than Alzheimer's. Vascular dementia has other patterns. Neuropsychologists also commonly differentiate between depression and dementia.

Alzheimer's disease, in particular, has been heavily studied for decades. Although it is not a perfect science, we can detect early Alzheimer's classic features, and there are even markers for pre-Alzheimer's presentations that are under study, allowing us to predict who will go on to develop it.

My goal is to highlight to you the contributions of neuropsychology as an important diagnostic tool in dementia evaluations. All patients who are suspected of having memory problems or other cognitive changes should be seen for neuropsychological testing. Visiting a neurologist, except in rare

cases, would not be sufficient for those with subtle or early-to-moderate symptoms. Brain imaging is also not that helpful with the diagnosis of dementia, as it is well-known that many patients with dementia will show no abnormalities on MRI until late in the disease; some with abnormalities will not necessarily have demen-

Neuropsychologists are clinical psychologists who have completed a two-year postdoctoral residency in clinical neuropsychology and who are board certified or board eligible in the subspecialty. For more information about the field, I recommend

going online to www.nanonline.org or www.the-ins.org. **DEAR READER:** I was

unaware (as I am sure many other doctors are, as well) of your field and the apparent advancements it has made with respect to the early diagnosis of various dementias. I have printed your letter in the hopes it will bring awareness of your specialty. Both physicians and patients could benefit from being able to refer patients for early diagnosis, or to rule out a diagnosis. Thank you for informing me of your spe-

Peter Gott is a retired physi-

QUOTABLE

"We can't afford to wait. We can't wait to see and hope for the best."

 President Barack Obama urging Congress to quickly pass the economic stimulus package

EDITORIAL

Senators supposed to keep bad people out of government

ast year, the *Times-News* published an editorial cartoon, drawn by The Atlanta Journal-Constitution's Mike Lukovich, entitled "If today's Congress were serving during Watergate ..."

It showed President Richard Nixon standing outside the Capitol, proclaiming, "I am not a crook!" Inside, congressmen responded in one voice, "Okey-dokey! Case closed!"

It's a little like that in the Idaho Senate when it comes to checking out folks who have been appointed by the governor to jobs in state govern-

Idaho's Constitution requires Senate advice and consent on gubernatorial nominations, but in the real world it's darn near impossible for a candidate not to be confirmed.

Our view: The

Idaho Senate

may be about

to start asking

tions of people

nominated by

the governor

for public

office. It's

about time.

think? We

What do you

welcome view-

points from our

readers on this

and other

issues.

tough ques-

"It's important that we handle it a little more professionally and assure they are qualified and not conflicted," Sen. Denton Darrington, R-Declo, chairman of the Judiciary Committee, told the *Idaho* Statesman. "And if somebody comes from Bonners Ferry to Boise, we ought to ask them more than if they have a couple of kids."

The Democratic and Republican floor leaders in the Senate, Kate Kelly of Boise and Bart Davis of Idaho Falls, have drawn up a list of nine questions to ask 20 department heads and hundreds of members of 180 state boards and commissions.

The Senate's questions are modest compared to those asked by other states. Florida, for example, asks 34 questions, to be answered under penalty of perjury.

And so far, asking the nine questions is up to the chair-

men of the committees before which nominees

Senate Resources Committee Chairman Gary Schroeder, R-Moscow, told the Statesman he wants committees to have authority to kill nominations. As it stands, every nominee gets a full Senate vote, regardless of what the committees do.

Schroeder used to chair the Education Committee and wanted to spike the nominations of two people appointed by then-Gov. Dirk Kempthorne to the state Board of Education. Schroeder didn't, but it wouldn't have mattered anyway since the full Senate confirmed both of them.

Both became members of the education board that went on to wrest control of student testing from former state Superintendent of Public Instruction Marilyn Howard — and then botched

Senators are not potted plants. We send them to Boise to exercise due diligence over the people brought in to run state government.

It seems to us that asking personal questions is an unavoidable part of the process.

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.

Tell us what you think

ON PAPER: The *Times-News* welcomes letters from readers on subjects of public interest. Please limit letters to 300 words. Include your signature, mailing address and phone number. Writers who sign letters with false names will be permanently barred from publication. Letters may be brought to our Twin Falls office; mailed to P.O. Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303; faxed to (208) 734-5538; or e-mailed to letters@magicvalley.com.

Ashley Judd: Clown princess of animal rights movement

ctress Ashley Judd has finally earned her Hollywood stripes and provided award-winning comic relief. With Washington poised to shove a trillion-dollar "stimulus" pork pie down our throats. we need all the distractions we can get. I give Judd's unintentionally entertaining performance in a new Sarah Palin-bashing animal rights ad two diversionary thumbs



MICHELLE MALKIN

The Defenders of Wildlife Action Fund sponsored the YouTube video starring Judd. They've dubbed their campaign, launched this week, 'Eye on Palin." With all the serious, socially responsible celebrity earnestness she could muster, Judd decried the aerial hunting of wolves in Alaska, the GOP governor's state. "It is time to stop Sarah Palin and stop this senseless savagery," Judd intoned.

Casting herself as an envi-

ronmental expert, Judd attacked Palin for "casting aside science and championing the slaughter of wildlife." The video shows a wolf being shot, writhing in pain, with an ominous soundtrack throbbing and menacing photos of Palin flashing across the screen. "Riddled with gunshots, biting at their backs in agony, they die (pause for quiver) a brutal death," Judd enunciates slowly as wolf squeals punctuate the video. Defenders of Wildlife assails Gov. Palin for proposing a \$150 bounty for every wolf killed by aerial hunters. She's cruel and bloodthirsty, and she must be stopped!

It's a compelling black-

and-white storyline. But like

the world Judd inhabits, this plot is make-believe. Fact is, the policy is

intended to protect other animals - moose and caribou — from overpopulation of wolves. Alaskans rely on caribou and moose for food. Not all Americans care to live on environmentally correct starlet diets of tofu salad and Pinkberry yogurt.

Neither Palin nor the aerial hunters in those scary lowflying planes that have Judd quivering promote the program out of malice and animal insensitivity. On the contrary, they are the true compassionate conservationists. The bounty helped state biologists collecting wolf age data and provided incentives to reduce the wolf population when wildlife management efforts had fallen behind. This is about predator control. But to liberal,

gun-control zealots thousands of miles away, it's all heartless murder.

Federal law makes specific exceptions to aerial hunting for the protection of "land," water, wildlife, livestock, domesticated animals, human life or crops." Targets are not limited to wolves. And, as Alaska wildlife officials note, the process is tightly controlled and "designed to sustain wolf populations in the future."

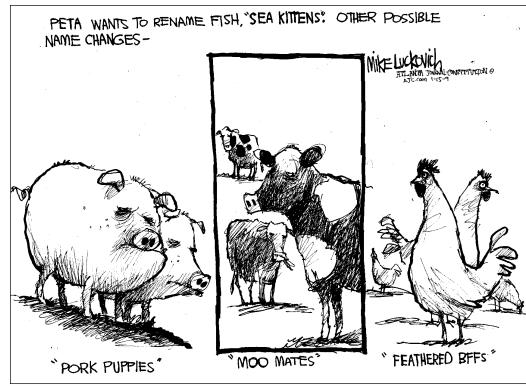
No matter. As Judd proclaimed, "It is time to stop Sarah Palin." That is the true aim of left-wing lobbying groups and their allies in Hollywood. Palin is a threat not to Alaska's wolves, but to the liberal establishment's wolves. Defenders of Wildlife isn't targeting the ads in states affected by these policies. They're running the Judd-fronted ads across battleground states. It's about electoral interests, not wildlife interests. The eco-Kabuki theater is just

plain laughable.

On a deadly serious note, Judd's selective concern for savagery is not lost on longtime observers of the activist entertainer's political forays. A militant, pro-choice feminist, Judd lashed out at the Republican ticket during the campaign: "[A] woman voting for McCain and Palin is like a chicken voting for Colonel Sanders." Yet, not a peep has been heard from Judd about the serial predators of Planned Parenthood who have been caught on tape urging young girls to cover up statutory rape to facilitate abortion procedures. And she won't be starring in any YouTube ads decrying grisly late-term abortion procedures.

In a starlet's world, "senseless savagery" only applies to the poster pet of the month.

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



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Inspired by prayers for injured player

Attending the Wendell-Filer girl's basketball game on Feb. 3, I watched with much fear and concern as one of our Wendell girls, Lauri Andrus, lay prostrate and unmoving on the court after sustaining a blow to the head during the game. I could feel the concern of both teams and visitors from both sides through the silence that followed.

As I watched both teams huddle and pray for the healing of the injured player, I felt very moved and proud of both teams and coaches. I know that many people in the stands were, in their own way, praying for her, too.

In a world where it is so easy to talk negative about things and relationships, it was just "over the top" to see that the well-being of our children still takes precedent over anything else.

Sure, competition is good, but it is wonderful to know that when a player gets hurt,

we are all on the same team. It is wonderful also to know that God is alive in the Magic Valley and the girls of Filer and Wendell are not ashamed to bow their heads in prayer.

Thank you, and your prayers were answered. Lauri suffered a cerebral concussion, but after treatment at St. Benedict's was able to come home late that evening. Praise God.

HILL BRANDSMA Wendell

Event raises awareness about plight of homeless

Kudos to Leanne Trappen and her committee for orchestrating the Homeless Awareness and annual "Point in Time" count at St. Edward's Catholic Church and Twin Falls City Park on Jan. 30! Kudos, also, to all the adventurous box campers who participated to bring a sense of awareness and importance to this issue. As one of those "inside- thebox" campers, I was especially eager to see how the community responded to the event. The state of Idaho esti-

mates that 5 percent of the adult population over 18 years old in Idaho suffers from mental illness. Of those citizens who suffer from the most severe mental illness, approximately 5 percent are homeless. In the Magic Valley, that is approximately 350 citizens who are homeless and frequently living with untreated mental illness. They, too, live on the streets or in other unsuitable living conditions but most do not seek treatment. These citizens are especially at risk for hopelessness and suicide. Just know that most of these persons' accounts of homelessness are not the loss of a job, a recent experience of the economic downturn or a "paycheck away from trouble." Rather, they are accounts of long-term, cyclical disengagement from the community through catastrophic losses resulting from a mental illness.

The Twin Falls County commissioners and Valley House are working with Region V Behavioral Health to develop housing opportunities for persons with mental illness. We are engaging the homeless population through agencies like the Valley House, South Central Community Action and the Salvation Army and working to assist them to step up and out of homelessness.

As we move forward, I just want to remind the community that some of our homeless citizens do not fit neatly into the same box of situations or solutions. As the awareness is raised in our community, please keep in mind that homelessness is not always the direct result of economic misfortune but sometimes the misfortune of untreated mental illness.

BRENDA GRUPE Twin Falls

(Editor's note: Brenda Grupe is the program manager for the Department of Health and Welfare's Region 5 Behavioral Health.)

Want to express your opinion?

Go to Magicvalley.com, register and tell us what you think about this editorial and other news.

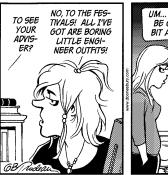
THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS

Doonesbury











By Garry Trudeau



By Bruce Tinsley



Nancy Leona (Boehme) Marron

Nancy Leona (Boehme) Marron, 67, died of cancer on Friday, Feb. 6, 2009, at her home in Twin Falls, with fam-

ily and close friends at her side.

Nancy was born on March 18, 1941, in Minneapolis, Minn., the daughter of



David P. and Leona M. Boehme, arriving minutes before her twin brother Joseph. Nancy's mother, who was Irish, often joked that Nancy and her brother really were born on St. Patrick's Day—March 17—but that Leona's German doctor dated the birth certificate one day later to spite his Irish patient.

Nancy's parents moved to San Francisco when she was a toddler, and she grew up in the heart of the city in the Haight-Ashbury district. Nancy attended Catholic schools and, in 1959, graduated from Presentation High School. The summer before her senior year of high school, Nancy's cousin introduced her to a handsome Air Force Airman 2nd class, David Marron. She and Dave dated long distance—he was stationed in Cut Bank, Mont.—throughout her senior year. After graduating from high school, she worked as a bank teller until she and Dave were married. Nancy and Dave were married Aug. 13, 1960, at St. Agnes Catholic Church in San Francisco. They welcomed their five children, two boys and three girls, during the next nine

The family moved often, at the behest of the Air Force, and Nancy carefully packed up the household with each move and quickly established a home at each new location. She lived in Cut Bank, Mont. (AFS); Great Falls, Mont. (Malmstrom AFB); Jacksonville, Fla. (US Naval Air Station); north of San Francisco (Hamilton AFB), Montauk Point, N.Y. (AFS); near Rome, N.Y. (Griffis AFB), Guam AFB), (Anderson and Riverside, Calif. (March AFB). In 1976, when Dave retired from the Air Force, they moved to Twin Falls, a happy compromise between California (Nancy's home) and Iowa (Dave's home), where they have since made their home.

For most of her 33 years in Twin Falls, Nancy was a homemaker. She worked tirelessly to keep her house immaculate, her family comfortable and well fed, and her family and many friends stocked with Christmas cookies. Nancy worked in the office at the KMart in Twin Falls for nine years while four of her children were in col-

lege at the same time. Nancy was a devout member of St. Edward's Catholic Church. She was active in many church activities, including the funeral dinner committee. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary Post 7 and helped with many of their community service projects. Nancy was an avid and highly skilled Pinochle player and participated in many ladies' and couples' card groups.

Throughout her life, Nancy modeled hard work, organization and efficiency, self-lessness, devout faith, lessness, strength of character, and loyalty to friends. She had a keen mind and an easy and loving sense of humor. During the times when Dave was stationed away from the family or when he traveled for work, Nancy shouldered the family responsibilities single-handedly. She was enormously proud of her children and their personal and professional accom-

See more obituaries on Main 6 & 10

Come see what's new at magicvalley.com plishments. Her quiet but intense love of her family will long persist.

Nancy has left so many wonderful memories: her masterful (if unconventional) Scrabble playing, her trips throughout the country to visit her children and grandchildren, the dances she and Dave shared to their favorite Glenn Miller songs, the times she could sneak in listens of Elvis and Johnny Cash, the gifts so lovingly packaged and presented to her grandchildren, the long phone calls, and the late night sharing of confidences.

Nancy will be remembered for her devotion to her family. She is survived by her husband of 48 years, David Marron, of Twin Falls, their five children, 11 grandchildren and 1 step-grandchild. Their children, children's spouses (and grandchildren) are: Brian and Janet Marron of Durham, N.C. (Alanna, Flynn, and Aidan); David Scott Marron and Carlyn Wei Marron of Des Moines, Iowa (Alex Wei, Quinn and Ian Marron); Colleen Marron and Karl Guter of Great Falls, Mont. (Joseph and Emma); Eileen Wells of Twin Falls, ID (Stephen Wells, stationed at Pearl Harbor Naval Base, Hawaii, and Sara); and Maureen Marron and Shaun Vecera of Iowa City, Iowa (Patrick and Colin).

Nancy is also survived by her brother and his wife, David R. and Sue Boehme, of Filer, ID, and cousins in California. She is survived by many nephews, nieces, and in-laws in her husband's fam-

Nancy enjoyed sharing her life with many close friends, among them Barbara, Becky, Bonnie, Charlene, Elaine, and Sue, as well as her many friends from church, card groups, and her years as an Air Force wife.

Nancy was preceded in death by her twin brother

Joseph and her parents. A visitation will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 12, at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, with a rosary being offered immediately following visitation. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, 161 Sixth Ave. E., Twin Falls at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 13 with Father Jairo Restrepo celebrating. Pallbearers are Mark Hagenah, Neil Harpster, William Huntsman, Jaren Peay, Jack Rodseth, and Larry Slack. Nancy's grandchildren and Dick Sayers are the hon-

orary pallbearers. Nancy requests that contributions in her memory be made to St. Edward's Building Fund or to Friends of Hospice at Idaho Home Health and Hospice. Contributions may be given to funeral chapel staff or mailed to Reynolds Funeral Chapel, P.O. Box 1142, Twin Falls, ID 83303.

WHEN YOU INVEST REGULARLY.

If one of your worries is whether you're investing at the right time, it shouldn't be. By investing a set amount of money regularly, you establish a simple routine that makes it possible to use market fluctuations to your advantage.

Investing a set amount of money on a regula basis does not ensure a profit and does no protect against loss in declining markets. Such a plan involves continual investment in securities regardless of fluctuating price levels of such securities. You should consider your financia ability to continue the purchases through periods

To learn about the benefits of an Edward Jones IRA, call or visit by 04/15/2009.



Tim & Lori Henrickson Financial Advisors 1327 Albion Ave., Burley 678-1131

Edward Jones MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

www.edwardjones.com

Anna Vera Bigler Wickel Preston, a 95 year old Burley resident, passed away Feb. 8, 2009, at Cassia Regional

Medical Center. Anna was born Aug. 11, 1913, in Elba, Idaho, the daughter Jacob Edwin and Hannah Hepworth Bigler. She

grew up with four sisters. Margaret Ellen, Vada, Leatha, Essie, and her twin brothers, Denny Arnold, and Lenny. She married Lemmon L Wickel, Sept. 25, 1929. Their first child was born Jan 30, 1931, a daughter, Joy Ann. They lived at Parks Creek Ranch for two years, and ran a vast herd of sheep. They later moved to the homestead West and slightly North of the original homestead owned by his father, Henry Limon Wickel. Later a son was born to them on the 18th of October in 1934, Leslie Lenn Wickel. During the Depression Era, Anna was a hard worker, canning vegetables fruit and pickles, etc. She did laundry on a wash board, and lived

without electricity. About

Interstate Amusement Inc.

Movies Feb 6 to 12, 2008

Sorry - We do not accept Debit, Credit Cards

Odyssey 6 Theatre

Inside Magic Valley Mall Twin Falls All Adults \$5.50 Before 5:15 p.m.

New in Town (13) 7:30 9:45

The Reader (R) 7:15 9:45

Push (13) 7:15 9:45

Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (F 7:30 9:45

Twilight (13) 7:00 9:30

Frost / Nixon (R) 7:15 9:45

Jerome Cinema 4

955 West Main Jerome All Adults \$5.00 Before 5:15 p.n

He's Just Not into You (R) 7:15 9:45

Coraline (PG) Not in 3D 7:00 9:20

Taken (13) 7:30 9:45

Pink Panther 2 (PG) 7:00

Anna.

That fall, Lem and Anna were divorced. Anna later married Cline Preston April 18, 1951, and went to Victoria British Columbia for their honeymoon. Their first home was an apartment located on the same block as her present home. In the meantime they moved to a homestead in the Malta area. Dust storms forced them to sell out and they moved to Idaho Falls. Cline liked buying and selling property. They homesteaded land, drilled for wells, raised crops, and made profits selling improved farms and ranch-

In September 1972, she and Cline took a tour of Europe with a group. They began with flying past Nova Scotia, to Paris, France, Belgium, Holland, Switz-

Twin Cinema 12

Benjamin Button (13) 7:30 Gran Torino (R) 7:20 9:50 Inkheart (PG) 7:30 9:45 Bride Wars (PG) 7:30 9:45

Uninvited (13) 7:00 9:10 Orpheum Theatre

KEZJ - KOOL OLDIES Academy Award Contest

BURLEY IRRIGATION DISTRICT ANNUAL WATER

February 11, 2009

TOPICS:

Rebuild of Minidoka Dam • Legal Issues Adjudication

Motor Pump

Anna Vera Bigler Wickel Preston

1943, the family moved to Burley where they had electricity for the first time. Anna was especially proud of her new refrigerator. Her son Leslie went to Chicago with Ben Creech. Anna was able to watch him run a few horse races and win. Losing her mother the 13th of April 1950 was a terrible loss to

erland, Austria, and Italy.

Anna is survived by her

Slumdog Millionaire (R) 7:15 9:45 Last Chance Harvey (13) 7:30 9:45 Paul Blart: Mall Cop (PG) 7:30 9:45

Taken (13) 7:00 9:20 Coraline (PG) Not in 3D 7:00 9:20 Hotel for Dogs (PG) 7:00 9:20

Special School Out Matinees

Twin Cinema Feb 13 to 15

USERS MEETING

Unity Shop 9:30 am

Water Update • Finances

Effficiency, Dick Stroh, BPA

children, 10 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren, and 23 great-great-grandchil-

dren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Cline; her son, Leslie Lenn; brothers, Lenny and Arnold; sisters, Vada Rygh and Leatha Edward Steed: and two great-grandsons, Sam and Jason Stone.

Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 12, at the Burley LDS 2nd Ward with Bishops councilor Todd Whitehead, officiating. Burial will follow at the Elba Cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. at Hansen Payne Mortuary in Burley and one hour prior to the service at the church on Thursday.

For obituary rates and information, call 735-3266 Monday through Saturday. Deadline is 3 p.m. for next-day publication. The e-mail address for obituaries is obits@magicvalley.com. Death notices are a free service and can be placed until 4 p.m. every day. To view or submit obituaries online, or to place a message in an individual online guestbook, go to www.magicvalley.com and click on "Obituaries."



No Crowds, No Lines – Just Crazy Fun

Check out the calendar below for our best stay and ski deal this winter. You'd be crazy to miss it.

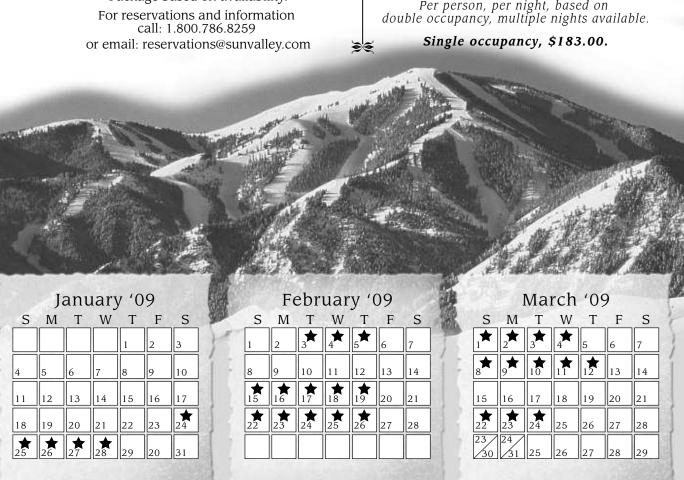


Package based on availability. For reservations and information call: 1.800.786.8259

Mid-Week Madness Package

Available only on selected dates. See the availability calendar below.

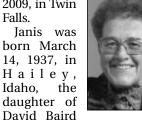
Includes one night's lodging for two in the same room at the Sun Valley Resort and a one day lift ticket for each person. Per person, per night, based on



Janis Mary Woodbridge

WENDELL — Janis Mary Woodbridge, 71, of Wendell, our loving wife, mother, sister, aunt and friend, passed away Feb. 7,

2009, in Twin Falls. Janis was born March 14, 1937, in Hailey,



David Baird and Lida L. Ralls Baird. She attended school in Carey and graduated Salutatorian in 1955. Janis graduated cosmetology school and later attended Idaho State University where she earned a Bachelors of Science Degree and later a Masters Degree of Education. She loved teaching, especially the Special Education children and she was instrumental in starting several Special Ed programs.

Janis was a member of the LDS church and was a 47 year member of the American Legion Auxiliary and served as the Idaho State Auxiliary Department President in

Scottish heritage, her family, her pioneer heritage and her Idaho lifestyle. Janis was particularly proud of her country and the people who served it. She loved the outdoors, her favorite place was Copper Basin, traveling and fishing and instantly made friends wherever she went.

Janis is survived by her husband, Calvin T. Woodbridge of Wendell, her brother Rav (Carley) Baird of Carey, and many other family members and friends. She is also survived by "furry" friends Mac, Misty and Smokey Bob. She was preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Earl Baird; and her son, Rodney K. Randall.

Funeral services for Janis will be conducted at 11 a.m., Friday Feb. 13, at Farnsworth Mortuary Chapel, 1343 S. Lincoln, Jerome. A visitation will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 12, also at Farnsworth Mortuary, where family and friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m., and again one hour prior to the service. Graveside committal services will be held following the funeral, at 2 p.m., in the She was very proud of her Carey, Idaho, Cemetery.

Dianne Kay Bolt

Dianne Kay Bolt, 52, of Twin Falls, peacefully passed away on Feb. 6, 2009, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center with her loving husband and dear sons at her side. She battled admirably against breast cancer. Dianne's victory is in that she is now with our Lord in Heaven.

Dianne was born March 25, 1956, in Pipestone, Minn., to Marvin and Jeannette Vanden Bosch. She graduated from Ontario Christian High School in Ontario, Calif. Later in her life, she completed general studies at the College of Southern Idaho and hoped to enroll in the Surgical Technology program.

Dianne married Al Bolt, April 11, 1975, in Ontario, Calif. Together, they had three children: Brian, 32; Kevin, 28; and Jared, 24. While raising her children, Dianne held many positions. While still in California after high school graduation, she became a dental assistant. After moving to Idaho with her family in 1979, she participated as a coowner of Bolt Construction, served in the hot lunch program at Immanuel Lutheran School, and was appointed by Governor Cecil D. Andrus as a commissioner for the Twin Falls Rural Fire District. Her most recent jobs, which she loved with a passion, were as Operations Manager at Fred Pharmacy Meyer and Technician at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center. She not only loved to work, but she enjoyed being around others. Her work at Fred Meyer and St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center were a constant source of pride and conversation.

Dianne was an active member of the congregation at Twin Falls Reformed Church. She was also passionate about surviving breast cancer and she devoted many hours to raising breast cancer awareness by participating in local "Susan G. Komen for the Cure" events. She was also extremely generous and compassionate in her desire to help others that had just begun their individual battle against the disease.

In her various volunteer, service, and employment roles, Dianne touched many. Numerous lasting friendships began and countless individuals were touched just by knowing her. Kids were a special part of her life. Friends of her sons quickly recognized that they were always welcome in her home. Her baked goods, especially cookies, were freely available and exceptionally addicting. The combination of her warmth and food resulted in a three year period when one or more exchange students lived at the Bolt residence. Although she welcomed many into her home, she did not tolerate nonsense, and those that chose her to be a temporary second mother soon realized that she held high expectations for them.



from being a wife, mother and, more recently a grandmother. She had a special gift of creating joy for her husband, sons

and granddaughter. She never missed a son's game or school event. She was a natural giver of her time, talents and support. She was a blessing and inspiration to friends and fellow cancer buddies. She loved living in Idaho, vacationing in Alaska and camping in hotels

Dianne loved her husband and sons dearly and passionately. She was the best wife and mother anyone could hope for. She was a terrific Nana to her granddaughter Katelyn, who brought that special sparkle to her eyes. She was the friend of all friends to so many.

Dianne is survived by her husband of 33 years, Al; their sons Brian (Krista); Kevin (Julie Palumbo), their daughter Katelyn; and Jared. Brothers Gary (Agnes), David (Julie), Douglas (Juli), Darwin (Linda), Danny, and Marvin Jr. (Tami); sisters Marlene (Andy Zvlstra), Donna (Bernie Stuit), LaVonne (Ron Bolt), Glenda (Gary Bremer) and Trudy (Vince Zimmer); parents Marvin and Jeannette Vanden Bosch; mother-in-law Darlene (Bolt) Chalfant; brother-in-law Jeffrey Bolt; and many cherished nephews

Dianne is preceded in death by brother, Gregory; father-in-law, Arthur Bolt; grandparents, Peter and Klara Reitsma; grandparents Pete and Alice Vanden Bosch.

and nieces.

Pall-bearers: Brian Bolt (son); Kevin Bolt (son); Jared Bolt (son): Gary Vanden Bosch (brother); Ron Bolt (brotherin-law); and Steve Swope (friend). Honorary pall-bearer: Danny Vanden Bosch (brother).

Graveside services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday Feb. 12, at Sunset Memorial Park and a Memorial service will be held at 3:30 p.m. Thursday Feb. 12, at the Twin Falls Reformed Church with Pastor Brian Vriesman officiating. A visitation for family and friends will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park". Please join the family in celebrating Dianne's life by visiting her memorial at www.MeM.com and signing the on-line

guestbook. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to "Susan G. Komen for the Cure", Attn: Gift Management Services, 5005 LBJ Freeway, Suite 250, Dallas, TX 75244. Email: donorinquiry@komen.org.

Harlan Ray Wolters

Harlan Ray Wolters, 64, of Twin Falls, passed away Friday, Feb. 6, 2009.

Не

Calif.,



Loretta (Ulrich) Wolters. In 1958, the family moved to Coeur d' Alene, ID, where he graduated from PostFalls High School.

He married Karen Gilbertson in 1965 they were later divorced. To this union they had one daughter, Valerie. He worked for Con Agra for 25 years until his retirement at the age of 62.

He is survived by his mother, Loretta, Twin Falls; brothers, Ronald (Shirley) Wolters, Coeur d' Alene, ID; John (Dorothy) Wolters, Twin Falls; Dwayne (Sheri) Wolters, Twin Falls; Larry (Monna) Wolters, Tucson, Ariz.; Lloyd (Grace) Wolters, Phoenix, Ariz., and sister, Pamela (Ken) Drury, Twin Falls.

He was preceded in death by his father, Arthur; daughter, Valerie and sister, Arletta Johnson.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday. Feb. 11, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls.

Condolences may be made at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

David Carl Peterson

JEROME — David Carl Peterson, 58, of Jerome, died Thursday, Feb. 5, 2009, at Twin Falls

David was born Nov. 6, 1950, at Portland, Ore., to Carl Howard and Mildred Laurene

Care Center.



Adams Peterson. David was raised and educated in Castleford, graduating from Castleford High School in 1969. After high school, he joined the Army Reserves. On Feb. 4, 1972, he married Evie Adams and together they raised three children. They were later divorced. For most of David's life, he drove truck. He worked for several companies, including Circle A, Blick Trucking and the Twin Falls Canal Company.

David loved fishing, hunting, and having coffee with his friends at the Depot Grill. He loved animals and especially his dog, Jesse. David also enjoyed listening to country music.

David is survived by his mother, Laurene Peterson of Ohio; his children, Carla (Nick) Rivera of Jerome, (Tammy Kinter) Darla

Peterson of Yakima, Wash, and Tony Peterson of Twin Falls; 10 grandchildren, Kourtney Ragains, Megan Ragains, Cassey Ragains, Michelle Rivera and Nicolas Rivera, all of Jerome, Sabrina Peterson, Ashley Atwell, Kayla Atwell, all of Yakima, Wash., and Jessica Adams and Christina Adams of Washington; two sisters, Becky Schendel of Twin Falls and Diane Powell of Richland, Wash.; his children's mother, Evie Peterson; numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and friends; his special friend, Larry Sparks, who was like a brother to him; and his beloved dog, Jesse.

He was preceded in death by his father; a son, Kyle Peterson; and a nephew, David Schendel.

Flowers may be sent or memorial contributions may be made in David's name to help with funeral expenses, at Serenity Funeral Chapel, 502 Second Ave. N., Twin Falls, ID 83301.

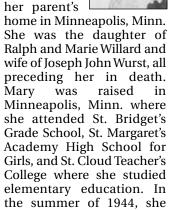
A celebration of life will be held for David at 4 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, at Rock Creek Community Church in Twin Falls. Cremation is under the direction of Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

Mary Louise Wurst

MT. ANGEL, Ore. — Mary Louise (Willard) Wurst, 85, died Dec. 28, 2008, in Mt. Angel, Ore.,

of cancer complications and other chronic illnesses.





Academy High School for Girls, and St. Cloud Teacher's College where she studied elementary education. In the summer of 1944, she traveled to Colorado Springs to live temporarily with her brother, Ralph Willard, and his wife, Winifred, before Ralph's deployment overseas.

While working as a payroll clerk at the Peterson Field Air Base in Colorado Springs, she met Joseph John (Joe) Wurst of Gannett, Idaho, who was a PFC in the U.S. Army. They married at St. Bridget's Church Minneapolis, Minn. on Sept. 25, 1945, and following Joe's discharge from the Army in February 1946, moved to the Idaho family ranch. Mary co-owned a nursery school before leaving Minnesota and after moving to Idaho and having five children, she went back to college and graduated in June 1964 with a B.A. in elementary education and minor in English. She taught school for the Blaine County School District.

Mary was involved in numerous community organizations such as the American Legion Auxiliary, American Red Cross, 4-H, Cattlemen's Association Auxiliary, and PTA. She and Ioe were selected Outstanding National Young Couple of Year in 1959 by the National Grange, and both

served on the 4-H Camp Planning and Advisory Board. As part of 4-H and teaching associations, they hosted international youth from Chili, Ireland, Japan, and France, as well as chaperoned a young group to Japan in 1973. Mary was a member of St. Charles Catholic Church where she belonged to the Altar Society and directed the church choir for several years. She enjoyed teaching, knitting, sewing, crocheting, and other craft projects.

Mary and Joe lived and worked on the family cattle ranch until 1986 when they retired, sold the ranch, and moved to Twin Falls, Idaho. In the late 1980s, they purchased a winter home in Yuma, Arizona. For several years they spent the summers in Idaho and the winters in Arizona. In 2002, they sold both the Idaho and Arizona homes and moved to Woodburn, Ore, to be closer to family.

Mary is survived by her five children: Mary Church and husband, Mel, of Aloha, Ore.; Roger Wurst and wife, Cheryl, of Las Vegas, Nev.; Nancy Hoobler and husband, Gordon, of Deary, Idaho; John Wurst of Haines, Alaska; and Beth Victoria Wurst of Boise, Idaho. She is also survived by 10 grandchildren and great-grandchildren: also one brother Theodore (Ted) Willard and wife, Sylvia, of Burnsville, Minn., as well as numerous other nieces and nephews. Preceding her in death were her parents Ralph David Willard and Marie LaBissoniere Antoinette Willard; her beloved husband, Joe; two brothers, Ralph and Allen; and one sister, Bernadette. A Catholic Memorial Mass and graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, June 19, in Hailey, Idaho at St. Charles

Catholic

for Cancer Research.

Church. Remembrances can be made to the Idaho Youth Ranch, The American Red Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel Cross, or the Betty Hise Trust

DEATH NOTICES

Robert A. Ramsey

BURLEY — Robert Andrew Ramsey, 82, of Burley, died Monday, Feb. 9, 2009, at the Cassia Regional Medical Center.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 14, at the Burley LDS Stake Center, 2050 Normal Ave.; visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday and from 12:30 to 1:45 p.m. Saturday both at the Burley LDS Stake Center (Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley).

Russell Czaplicki

Russell Czaplicki, 62, of Twin Falls died Monday, Feb. 9, 2009, at his home in Twin

Arrangements are under the direction of White Mortuary, Twin Falls.

Michael C. Brierley

KIMBERLY — Michael C. Brierley, 60, of Kimberly died Sunday, Feb. 8, 2009, in Kimberly.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 13. at the Redeemer Lutheran Church, in Kimberly; visitation will be held from 12 to 2 p.m. Friday at the Redeemer Lutheran Church, corner of Irene and Washington Street (Reynolds Kimberly Funeral Chapel, Twin Falls).

Glenn E. Roach

Glenn E. Roach, 86, of Twin Falls, died Friday, Feb. 6, 2009, at Twin Falls Care Center.

Graveside inurnment services will be held at 2 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 12, 2009, at Twin Falls Cemetery (Serenity Funeral Chapel).

Elizabeth P. Miller

Elizabeth Peabody Miller, 86, formerly of Wendell, died Sunday Feb. 8, 2009, at River Ridge Care Center in Twin Falls. Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service,

Wendell Chapel.

Edwin Jackson

BUHL — Edwin Jackson, of Buhl, died Sunday, Feb. 8, 2009, at the University of Utah Hospital in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Arrangements are will be announced by Farmer Funeral Chapel, Buhl.

Bette R. Crist

FILER — Bette Rae Beard Crist, 58, of Filer, died Friday, Feb. 6, 2009, at her home.

Graveside services will be held at 12 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 12, 2009, at Sunset Memorial Park (White Mortuary, Twin Falls).

Harlan Wolters

Harlan Wolters, 64 of Twin Falls died Friday, Feb. 6, 2009. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, at Parke's Magic

Valley Funeral Home, 2551

Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. **Verna LeAnn Neibaur Black**

ALMO — Verna LeAnn Firth Neibaur Black, 57, of Almo, formerly of Paul, died Sunday, Feb. 8, 2009, at her home.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 14, at the Paul LDS Stake Center, 424 W. Ellis St., in Paul; visitation will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St., Burley, and from 10 to 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

George D. Steele

HOLLISTER — George D. Steele, 83, of Hollister died Saturday, Feb. 7, 2009, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls.

Memorial services will be held at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls.

SERVICES

Robert "Bob" L. Davis of Glenns Ferry, graveside service at 10:30 a.m. today at Glenn Rest Cemetery in Glenns Ferry (Rost Funeral Home, McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home).

Reed Lee Stewart of Fairfield, memorial service at 1 p.m. today at the Camas County High School gymnasium (Demaray Funeral Chapel in Gooding).

Claudia Madeline Walthall Walters of Jerome, memorial service at 1 p.m. today at the Jerome Methodist Church; reception will follow at 2 p.m. at the Snake River Elks Lodge on Highway 93 in Jerome (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome).

Savannah Lyne Maxine Beverly, infant daughter of Megan D. Read and Jon L. Beverly of Buhl, memorial service at 2 p.m. today at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

Jane C. Siren of Jerome, memorial service at 3 p.m. today at St. Jerome's Catholic Church, 216 Second Ave. E. in Jerome (Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome).

Wayne L. Hayden of Burley.

funeral at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Burley LDS 2nd and 4th Ward Church; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St., Burley, and from 10 to 10:45 a.m. today at the church.

Tosha Marie Hanson of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Hankins LDS 11th Ward Chapel; visitation starting at 9 a.m. Wednesday at the church (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Harland Wolters of Twin Falls, funeral at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

David C. Peterson of Jerome, celebration of life at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Rock Creek Community Church in Twin Falls (Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Vela "Jonnie" Blades of San Jose, Calif., service at 1 p.m. Friday at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

Donald Roland Hutchings of Twin Falls, memorial service at 2 p.m. Saturday at First Christian Church in Twin Falls (Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

For All Your Valentine Floral Gifts . . .





1563 Fillmore Street, North Bridge Plaza, Unit 1-C Twin Falls, Idaho 83301



See more obituaries on Main 6 & 9



IDAHO CRACKING DOWN ON 'SPOOFERS'

Senate committee passes bill outlawing use of fake names on caller ID. **SEE AGRIBUSINESS 4**

Stocks and commodities, Agribusiness 2 / Comics, Agribusiness 3 / Weather, Agribusiness 4 Dow Jones Industrials ▼ 9.72 | Nasdag composite ▼ .15 | S&P 500 ▲ 1.29 | Russell 2000 ▼ 2.76

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2009

BUSINESS EDITOR JOSHUA PALMER: (208) 735-3231 JPALMER@MAGICVALLEY.COM

Idaho delegation seeks federal help for dairy producers

State congressional leaders ask USDA to revive price support programs

By Joshua Palmer Times-News writer

Idaho's Congressional delegation has written U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Tom Vilsack to urge assistance for the Idaho dairy industry, according to a statement from Sen. Mike Crapo's

Crapo and fellow Idaho Sen. Jim Risch, as well as Rep. Mike Simpson and Rep. Walt

Economy

unlikely

to affect

farmers

Consumers not

likely to reduce

Associated Press writer

By James Prichard

spending on food

staples, analysts say

SPARTA, Mich. — After los-

ing three-quarters of his apple crop to bad weather

last year, Don Armock is

more concerned about what Mother Nature has in store

for his fruit business in 2009 than how the global reces-

"Traditional thinking says

that when the economy is

struggling, people tend to not frequent restaurants as much

and tend to eat at home

more. The consequence of

that is we tend to pick up that

business," said Armock, pres-

ident and co-owner of

Riveridge Produce Marketing

While people will put off

buying houses and cars in a

bad economy, they still need

food. That means farmers

may be better able to weath-

problems, but we're not

going to not feed our kids."

said Fariborz Ghadar, direc-

tor of the Center for Global

And the economic down-

turn could even boost

income for food producers

who know how to take

advantage of the situation, said Mike Neal, founder and

executive

Francisco-based company

that provides profit-analysis

software to the food industry.

back on goods they perceive

as more dispensable while

continuing to purchase basic

agricultural products con-

taining corn, soybeans, wheat, butter or milk, said Daniel Sumner, director the Agricultural Issues Center at

the University of California-

food products may be doing fine but where I'm sitting

"The sort of core, staple

Consumers are likely to cut

Studies

State

"Yes, we have housing

er the financial storms.

in Sparta.

Business

University.

Pennsylvania

SignalDemand,

By Cindy Snyder

the price.

analyst said.

Agricultural

Times-News correspondent

BURLEY — Hay stacks are

shorter than a year ago and

that usually indicates hay

prices could be strong, but

2009 is not starting out to be

a normal year anymore than

Seth Hoyt, a hay market

analyst for nearly three

decades, said he never saw a

year like 2008 where so many

buyers backed out of hay

deals or made adjustments to

hurt," the Ione, Calif.-based

"A lot of good growers got

According to the USDA

Service's weekly hay report

for Idaho, demand for

supreme-quality dairy hay

was light and what little hay

Marketing

sion might affect it.

many U.S.

Minnick are asking congress to revive existing federal programs that would support dairy pricing, reduce herds and protect domestic milk producers from unfair trade practices.

Dairy prices are more than \$7 below the break-even point needed for dairymen to pay operating costs dairymen in south-central

every 1,000 cows.

Fluid milk prices are at their lowest level since 2006, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Employing more than 26,000 individuals, Idaho's dairy industry is an essential part of Idaho's economy," the delegation wrote in a letter to Vilsack. "Dairy prices have fallen below the level needed by producers to cover operating costs, and numerous producers are operating at a considerable loss. Without immediate action to assist Idaho are losing about the industry, jobs and dairy \$100,000 each month for operations could be lost."

The delegation included Incentive Program. the following suggestions:

of dairy products through the Dairy Product Price Support Program.

 Downsize dairy herds by culling cows and providing price premiums for value added products through U.S. Department of Agriculture nutrition programs.

• Utilize programs like the Environmental Quality Incentives Program to increase conservation efforts.

• Defend U.S. producers against unfair trade actions by utilizing the Dairy Export *jpalmer@magicvalley.com*

Hay market in flux

A hay producer stacks bales south of Twin Falls in late summer. Analysts say hay prices will depend on the outcome of a dairy herd buy out and milk

Price return to 2007 levels, but analysts expect continued volatility

• Implement the Bioenergy Enable timely purchasing Program for Advanced Biofuels to assist producers with broadening the production of advanced biofuels.

"The U.S. Department of Agriculture has a number of programs that if utilized appropriately can provide a much needed boost for the dairy industry during this time of considerable turmoil," the delegation stated in its letter.

Joshua Palmer may be reached at 208-735-3231 or at

AGRIBUSINESS

MAGIC VALLEY

Farm Service Agency to hold 2008 Farm **Bill meeting**

The Twin Falls and public meeting on the 2008 Farm Bill from 1 p.m.

A panel of speakers from

The meeting will be held Twin Falls, which is located at 1357 Blue Lakes Blvd. N.

A public meeting will also be held from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday at the Sawtooth Inn, Best Western Conference Center, which is located at 2653 S. Lincoln St. in Jerome.

All new forms for

Producers will be

The deadline for produc-

Officials say major changes to the 2009 Farm

Milk producers can sign up now for the Milk Income Loss Contract (MILC) program for 2009. Dairy producers must select a starting month

IDAHO

More than 180 4-H

The event gives youths the legislative, executive and judicial branches of

University of Idaho Extension operates the statewide 4-H program, which drew the participation of more than 36,069 youths and 3,716 adult vol-

out adversely impacting the was moving was selling for \$165 a ton during the first beef market, then milk prices \$175 to \$200 a ton isn't unreaweek of February. should recover more quickly sonable. That puts hay prices back and hay growers could Hoyt agreed that Idaho hay to 2007 levels, when supreme expect hay prices to remain stocks aren't as burdensome alfalfa hay sold for \$160 to near 2007 levels. as in Washington state where \$165 per ton. Hoyt said he But if a herd buyout prothe declining export market wouldn't be surprised if gram doesn't come through means large inventories of

mark in 2009, but he added

that prices depend on milk

changes, dairies will be com-

ing off five months of losses

when first cutting starts,"

Hoyt told hay growers during

the Idaho Alfalfa and Forage

price in January — raw milk

prices minus assessments

and other deductions — was

around \$9.50 per hundred-

It is not projected to climb

back to \$15 per hundred-

weight — roughly the cost of

production at this time -

industry can remove 250,000

to 300,000 head from the

nation's herd, and do it with-

Hoyt said that if the dairy

The Idaho Mailbox milk

Conference in Burley.

something

prices.

weight.

until August.

"Unless

prices hover around that and dairies are forced to cull their herds on an individual basis, milk prices will take longer to recover and hay prices could drop to \$140 to \$150 per ton next summer as dairies try to hold down their

feed costs. But not everyone thinks the hay market will be depressed. Mike Larson, a hay grower from Buhl, believes the latest USDA hav stocks report, which showed hav stocks in Idaho are down 16 percent from a year ago, indicates supplies are tight

enough to support prices. Plus dairies are feeding 10 to 15 percent more hay than they anticipated because of the winter weather conditions, he said.

Dairymen he's talked to are looking for premium hav they can build a ration around and have indicated

NUMBERS:

BY THE

4.4 tons per acre

The USDA estimated 2008 alfalfa production — a record

5.59 million tons

Dry hay production for Idaho in 2008 — up from 5.35 million tons in 2007.

400,000 acres

Hay acres were down about 400,000 acres compared to 2007 to 1.41 million acres.

> Source: USDA Agricultural Marketing Service's

2008 big bales are still in stor-

"The Idaho market is not in a glut situation so when things turn around, it will take less time for hay prices to recover," Hoyt said. "But when dairies are losing money, the demand side will carry more weight in the market than the supply side."

"Too many people think of farm work as unskilled,

undifferentiated work. Agriculture has a great variety of jobs,

and every single one of them requires some set of skills."

BRIEFS

Jerome county Farm Service agencies will hold a to 4 p.m. on Feb. 19.

various agencies will discuss farm bill subjects and changes to the 2009 bill. The event will also be an opportunity for producers to meet with agency staff that administers the programs.

at the Red Lion Hotel in

2009 Farm Program

required to complete all new forms in order to determine eligibility for the 2009 Farm Program

ers to sign contracts and obtain signatures that are required for the Direct & Counter Cyclical Program is June 1.

Completion of the eligibility documents is required to earn payments from the farm programs.

Program are adjusted gross income certifications, payment limitations and direct attribution.

similar to the last program.

Producers should contact their Farm Service Agency office for more information about the program.

Idaho 4-H'ers to meet in Boise for civic studies

members are expected to attend the annual Know Your Government gathering at Boise on Saturday through Tuesday.

the chance to learn about government.

unteers in 2008.

4-H members will continue the KYG tradition of mock committee meetings, mock trials and breakfast with legislators and judges.

— Times-News

Washington agriculture groups push for worker program

Farmers and labor groups propose changes to farm worker program

By Shannon Dininny Associated Press writer

YAKIMA, Wash. — John Wyss had just been hired at Gebbers Farms, one of the nation's largest apple growers, when the company

couldn't find enough workers in 2005. Fruit went unpicked, and much of what was picked came off the trees too

Hail and harsh winter freezes have shrunk the crops in the years since, reducing the need for workers. But if the weather had cooperated, he said, "We would have had severe labor problems."

It's become an annual argument — farmers nationally complain about a shortage of workers, while labor another push to potentially

- Howard Rosenberg, an agricultural economist with the groups counter that higher legalize undocumented farm sands of U.S. workers are loswages will secure field hands.

This year, new rules enacted by the Bush administration shortly before leaving office may make it easier for farmers to bring in foreign workers. Congress faces program.

workers already in the country. And in Washington state, farm groups are driving lawmakers to make it just the second state in the nation to create its own guestworker

ing their jobs in the economic crisis. How problematic does that

University of California at Berkeley

make any talk of bringing in foreign workers? "Too many people think of

At the same time, thou- See **WORKERS**, Agribusiness 2

right here talking to people in the wine industry or the almond or the pistachio industry, they're saying, 'Hey, we're pretty sensitive to incomes," Sumner said. Stephen Hueffed, who last summer launched Willapa

Hills Farmstead Cheese, a Doty, Wash.-based company that makes cheese from sheep's milk, said the economic times are tough for a

See **FARMERS**, Agribusiness 2

MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE NASDAQ AMEX MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE) MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE) MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE) Name Vol(00) Last Chg Name Vol(00) Last Chg Name Vol(00) Last Chg PwShs QQQ917495 31.50 +.13 SPDR 2274342 87.10 +.12 BkofAm 4487905 6.89 +.76 2317475 12.64 +1.54 PSCrudeDL n233450 Intel 631347 64569 96.19 -.35 42243 18.67 -.09 3.95 +.04 SP Mid FifthThird 503750 2.89 +.26 1702871 BarcGS0il SPDR Fncl 1667673 9.90 +.11 Microsoft 497589 19.44 -.22 3.70 +.11 NthgtM g 25121 1.39 +.02 Dell Inc 373260 ProUltFin 1342492 GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE) GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE) GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE) Name Last Chg %Chg Last Chg %Chg Name Name Last Chg %Chg BkAtl A rs InvCapHld 2.01 +.54 +36.7 IndepFedI 4.60 +1.85 +67.3 3.16 +.76 +31.7 Mechel s 5.73 +1.28 +28.8 AmApparel +.26 +11.8 ARYxTher 2.94 +.84 +40.0 Gulfstream +.20 +10.0 TierOne +.63 +39.6 StratGS33 10.00 +1.75 +21.2 12.90 +2.13 +19.8 CCA Inds +.25 +9.0 PRGSchultz 4.61 +1.18 +34.4 BarcBk pr 11.16 +1.76 +18.7 Accelr8 2.20 +.18 +8.9 CmtyVlyBc 4.50 +1.12 +33.1 LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE) LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE) LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE) Last Chg %Chg Name Last Chg %Chg Name Last Chg %Chg 3.06 -.44 -12.6 ViroPhrm 5.74 -6.47 -53.0 3 98 _1 11 _21 8 GranTra gn Kngswy g ASpectRlt h 3.05 -2.85 -48.3 -6.75 -16.4 MercGn -.34 -.30 -9.4 -8.6 4.05 -1.20 -22.9 2.76 -.74 -21.1 NamTai -.91 -16.1 NthnO&G n 3.26 **FCtyBFL** 3.20 MagyarBc CascalNV -.59 -13.6 EngySvcs -3.16 -13.4 -.37 Chindex s 6.17 -1.40 -18.5 **DIARY** DIARY **DIARY** Advanced 287 Advanced 1.678 Advanced 1.222 Declined 262 Declined 1,393 Declined 1,483 Unchanged 105 Unchanged Unchanged 187 626 3.176 Total issues Total issues Total issues 2.892 New Highs New Highs 14 New Lows 45 320,884,258 | Volume 4,932,264,426 | Volume 1,846,569,444

INDEXES									
13,136.69	7,449.38	Dow Jones Industrials	8,270.87	-9.72	12	-5.76 -32.43			
5,536.57	2,865.58	Dow Jones Transportation	3,203.32	42	01	-9.44 -32.54			
530.57	294.30	Dow Jones Utilities	381.09	-3.73	97	+2.79 -23.46			
9,687.24	4,607.47	NYSE Composite	5,479.88	+4.60	+.08	-4.81 -38.21			
2,433.31	1,130.47	Amex Index	1,457.26	+19.39	+1.35	+4.27 -35.14			
2,551.47	1,295.48	Nasdaq Composite	1,591.56	15	01	+.92 -31.40			
1,440.24	741.02	S&P 500	869.89	+1.29	+.15	-3.69 -35.04			
764.38	371.30	Russell 2000	467.94	-2.76	59	-6.31 -33.13			
14,564.81	7,340.74	Wilshire 5000	8,789.50	+4.40	+.05	-3.28 -35.19			
	,	STOCKS OF LO	CAL INT	ERES	T				
AlliantFov	1.50f 1	1 28 85 - 24 -11 L	Kaman	.56	10 20.20	+.04 +11.4			

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST											
AlliantEgy	1.50f	11	28.85	24	-1.1	Kaman	.56	10	20.20	+.04	+11.4
AlliantTch		11	83.00	+.42	-3.2	Keycorp	.25		9.03	+.56	+6.0
AmCasino			10.04	10	+16.2	LeeEnt h		1	.31		-24.4
Aon Corp	.60	9	41.46	+.84	-9.2	MicronT			4.32	+.24	+63.6
BallardPw			1.26	+.02	+11.5	OfficeMax			5.43	12	-28.9
BkofAm	.04m	13	6.89	+.76	-51.1	RockTen	.40	13	31.41	+.21	-8.1
ConAgra	.76	7	16.95	53	+2.7	Sensient	.76	12	23.43	+.02	-1.9
Costco	.64	16	45.17	04	-14.0	SkyWest	.16f	7	16.50	+.07	-11.3
Diebold	1.00	18	25.46	+1.02	-9.4	Teradyn		20	5.28	03	+25.1
DukeEngy	.92	15	15.66	02	+4.3	Tuppwre	.88	7	18.62	45	-18.0
DukeRlty	1.00m	27	10.52	+.24	-4.0	US Bancrp	1.70	10	16.71	+.52	-33.2
Fastenal	.70f	20	37.53	+.40	+7.7	Valhi	.40		15.10	15	+41.1
Heinz	1.66	13	37.01	+.01	-1.6	WalMart	.95	14	49.28	35	-12.1
HewlettP	.32	11	36.33	52	+.1	WashFed	.20m	24	13.53	+.34	-9.6
HomeDp	.90	13	23.09	44	+.3	WellsFargo	1.36	25	19.06	08	-35.3
ldacorp	1.20	13	28.01	83	-4.9	ZionBcp	.16m		14.84	+.54	-39.5

For a complete listing of stocks and mutual funds, go to Magicvalley.com/business. All stocks are reported in real-time, as well as the latest news on issues affecting the market.

HOW TO READ THE MARKET REPORT

Name: Stocks are listed alphabetically by the company's full name (not its abbreviation). Company names made up of initials appear at the beginning of each letters' list.

Div: Current annual dividend rate paid on stock, based on latest quarterly

or semiannual declaration, unless otherwise footnoted. **Last:** Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day. Chg: Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ... mark.

Fund Name: Name of mutual fund and family **Sell:** Net asset value, or price at which fund could be sold. **Chg:** Daily net change in the NAV.

Stock Footnotes: cc - PE greater than 99. dd - Loss in last 12 mos. d -New 52-wk low during trading day. g-Dividend in Canadian \$. Stock price in U.S.\$. n-New issue in past 52 wks. q-Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s-Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-wk high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants. ww – With warrants. www – Without warrants.

Dividend Footnotes: a – Also extra or extras. b – Annual rate plus stock dividend. c – Liquidating dividend. e – Declared or paid in preceding 12

mos. f – Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i – Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j – Paid this year, dividend ontitted, deferred or on action taken at last meeting. k – Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m – Annual rate, reduced on last declaraissue with dividends in arrears. In Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p – Init div, annual rate unknown. r – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos plus stock dividend. t – Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y – Ex-dividend and sales in full. z – Sales in full. y – In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.

• Most active stocks above must be worth \$1 and gainers/losers \$2.

**Mutual Fund Footnotes: e – Ex-capital gains distribution f – Pravious

Mutual Fund Footnotes: e – Ex-capital gains distribution. f – Previous day's quote. n - No-load fund. p – Fund assets used to pay distribution costs. r – Redemption fee or contingent deferred sales load may apply. s Stock dividend or split. t – Both p and r. x – Ex-cash dividend.

Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial

AGRIBUSINESS BRIEF

AOHA Executive Vice President Bill Brewer stepping down

Bill Brewer is stepping down after serving for 17 years as the American Quarter Horse Association vice president.

His tenure was marked by the registration of more than 2 million new members to the American Quarter Horse Association registry.

Brewer cited declining health as his reason for stepping down from the AQHA.

"It wasn't — and still is not — a decision that was easy," he said. "But in the long run, it is the right thing to do, and this is the right time.

— Wire report

\mathbf{C} 0	MM	ODITY	/ PR	ICES
		ODII I		

	Dairy			Feed	
Block	Close	Change	Corn (Per 100 p	ounds)	
Average price Barrel	\$1.154	+.029	Dairy Feed Supply Land O'Lakes	\$8.00 \$7.00	_
Average price	\$1.133	+.028	Rangen	\$7.25	_
Butter			Barley (Per 100	pounds)	
Average price	\$1.099	004	Rangen	\$6.40	_
Whey protein co	ncentrate		Ogden	\$6.81	35
Average price	\$.54	_	Pocatello	\$5.85	40
Class III milk			Burley	\$6.00	_
Average price	\$10.78	_	Hay (Mid/Ton)		
Class IV milk			Alfalfa(Supreme)	Low \$165	High \$165
Average price	\$9.59	_	Alfalfa(Good)	Low N/A	High N/A
			Alfalfa(Fair)	Low \$120	High \$140
Sm	nall grain				
Soft white wheat	•		Li	vestock	
Rangen	N/A	N/A	Lambs and hogs		
Ogden	\$4.47	43	Feeder lambs	Low \$94	High \$98
Desetelle	Φ4.CE	10			

Prices subject to change at any time. Fat hogs Low \$41 To be included in this table, call Joshua Palmer at 208-735-3231.

Fat lambs

Killer ewes

Feeder hogs

-.10

-.07

Up, down commodity prices leave farmers uneasy

\$4.65

\$4.42

Price quotes as of Monday afternoon.

Some chose to change crops in times of uncertainty By Marco Santana

Associated Press writer

DES MOINES, Iowa — It wasn't so long ago that farmers were asked what they would do with their windfall

That was last summer, in the heady days of \$8-a-bushel corn and \$16-a-bushel sovbeans, when it seemed farmers could count on an inexhaustible demand from ethanol manufacturers and food companies.

Today, corn prices have dropped below \$4 a bushel following a surprisingly strong 2008 harvest and

plunging demand. Soybeans would reduce the harvest, were trading at close to \$10 a bushel.

Pocatello

Burley

Faced with such a huge price swing, combined with the high costs of seed, fertilizer and machinery, farmers could be forgiven for being a bit bewildered. Some are considering switching crops, and many are bracing for more questions when they seek annual loans to cover their upfront costs.

The dramatic drop in oil prices has forced a corresponding decline in the price of corn-based ethanol, idling many ethanol plants until their profitability improves and reducing demand for

And while last summer's widespread flooding in in the midwest increased corn prices because of fears it

farmers this year produced the second-largest crop in U.S. history. But the harvest came as the economic slowdown swept over the United States and much of the world, likely lessening demand and causing a drop in purchases by food companies and livestock producers.

"It's harder to know what is a good price because it might be \$1 higher or lower in a couple of months," said William Edwards, an agricultural economics professor at Iowa State University.

There's some indication that farmers who had planned to plant corn are instead opting for soybeans, which have lower costs for production, said Bob Callanan, a spokesman for the American

Soybean Association.

Low \$87

Low N/A

Low \$50

Others are simply expecting longer talks with their bankers when discussing annual loans. Because banks could be leery of making loans based off uncertain cash-flow projections, more farmers may turn to the U.S. Agriculture Department's

High \$97

High N/A

High \$70

High \$48

Farm Service Agency for help. Brian Gossling, the farm loan program director for the agency, said the organization offers direct loans as well as a program that guarantees 90 percent of a bank's loan to a farmer as additional collater-

Gossling said the program. which provides "some stability and incentive to banks to continue to make loans during riskier times," should have enough money to meet an increased demand.

COMMODITY REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES

Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Feb	Live cattle	84.80	83.65	84.70	+ 1.05
Apr	Live cattle	88.00	86.65	87.75	+ 1.05
Jan	Feeder cattle	95.80	94.50	95.55	+1.20
Mar	Feeder cattle	97.40	95.65	97.35	+ 1.83
Apr	Feeder cattle	98.60	97.25	98.53	+ 1.28
Feb	Lean hogs	56.30	55.90	56.05	30
Apr	Lean hogs	60.70	60.00	60.08	33
Feb	Pork belly	79.50	77.00	77.03	- 1.98
Mar	Pork belly	80.50	77.40	78.88	-1.28
Mar	Wheat	577.00	564.00	565.00	+ 8.00
May	Wheat	586.00	577.50	578.00	+ 8.00
Mar	KC Wheat	604.00	592.50	595.00	+8.50
May	KC Wheat	615.00	602.00	606.00	+8.50
Mar	MPS Wheat	670.75	656.50	658.25	+ 3.50
May	MPS Wheat	657.75	641.00	646.25	+ 5.25
Mar	Corn	383.00	376.50	377.50	+ 0.25
May	Corn	393.00	387.50	388.00	+ 0.50
Mar	Soybeans	1019.00	995.50	1002.00	+1.00
May	Soybeans	1023.50	1002.00	1007.50	+ 1.50
Jan	BFP Milk	9.30	9.30	9.30	+ .04
Feb	BFP Milk	10.38	10.38	10.39	+ .19
Mar	BFP Milk	10.95	10.90	11.14	+.24
Apr	BFP Milk	11.60	XX.XX	11.68	+ .31
May	BFP Milk	XX.XX	XX.XX	12.47	+ .40
Mar	Sugar	13.35	13.11	13.28	+ .16
May	Sugar	13.63	13.42	13.56	+ .14
Mar	B-Pound	1.4979	1.4696	1.4900	+ .0108
Jun	B-Pound	1.4950	1.4719	1.4879	+ .0096
Mar	J-Yen	1.1011	1.0829	1.0940	+ .0080
Jun	J-Yen	1.1033	1.0882	1.0970	+ .0083
Mar	Euro-currency	1.3087	1.2867	1.3016	+ .0081
Jun	Euro-currency	1.3072	1.2892	1.3002	+ .0072
Mar	Canada dollar	.8248	.8127	.8218	+ .0064
Jun	Canada dollar	.8230	.8136	.8225	+ .0066
Mar	U.S. dollar	85.90	84.67	85.02	63
Feb	Comex gold	911.0	891.8	896.0	- 17.9
Apr	Comex gold	913.4	891.9	897.9	-16.4
Mar	Comex silver	13.12	12.79	12.85	32
May	Comex silver	13.09	12.82	12.86	33
Mar	Treasury bond	126.02	124.32	125.25	03
Jun	Treasury bond	124.22	123.23	124.14	03 + 1.85
Mar	Coffee	122.15	118.25	121.40	
May	Coffee	124.25	120.45	123.55	+ 1.80 -37
Mar	Cocoa	2022	1960	1963	-3 <i>1</i> -32
May	Cocoa	1996	1935	1939	+ .12
Mar	Cotton	50.34	49.69	49.98	+ .12

733-6013 or (800) 635-0821

4.638

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

Unleaded gas Heating oil

Pintos, no quote, new crop; great northerns, no quote: pinks, no quote, new crop; small reds, no

Prices current rep. 4.

Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Pintos, \$37.\$38; great northerns, not established; small whites, not established; small whites, not established; small reds, Ltd. \$38.\$43. Quotes current Feb. 4

Prices for wheat per bushel; mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to

Soft white wheat ask harley ask oats ask corn ask (15 percent moisture). Prices are given daily by

Intermountain Grain
POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain
Grain and Livestock Report on Monday

COCATELLO White wheet 4 (5) (assay): 14.5 per POCATELLO — White wheat 4.65 (steady); 11.5 per cent winter 4.79 (up 6); 14 percent spring 6.77 (up 3); barley 5.85 (steady); BURLEY — White wheat 4.50 (up 8); 11.5 percent winter 4.95 (up 9); 14 percent spring 6.65 (up 4); barley 6.00 (steady);

BEANS

desiring more recent price information should contact

quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Feb. 4.

GRAINS

change without notice.

ask (1.5 percent moisture). Prices are given daily by Rangens in Buhl, Prices current Feb. 4 Barley, \$8.00 (48-lb. minimum) spot delivery in Twin Falls and Gooding; corn, no quote (Twin Falls only). Prices quoted by Land O'Lakes Inc. in Twin Falls. Prices current Feb. 4

OGDEN — White wheat 4.70 (up 6); 11.5 percent winter 5.14 (up 8); 14 percent spring 6.96 (steady); barley 6.81 (steady); PORTLAND — White wheat 5.80 (steady); 11 percent winter 6.00-6.16 (up 3 to 8); 14 percent spring 8.01 (up 5); barley n/a; NAMPA — White wheat cwt 7.83 (steady); bushel 4.70 (steady);

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Barrels: \$1.1700. + .0225: Blocks: \$1.1650. +

POTATOES

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

Russet Norkotahs Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count: 100 Baled 5-10 film bags (non Size A). Russets Norkotahs Wisconsin 50-lb cartons 12.00-12.50; 100 count 10.00-10.50.

12.50; 100 count 10.00-10.50.
Baled 5-10 ib film bags (non Size A) 9.00.
Russet Norkotahs Washington 50-lb cartons 70 count 12.00; 100 count 10.00.
Baled 5-10 ib film bags (non Size A) 6.00.
Wisconsin Norkotahs 50-lb cartons 70 count; 100 count.
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A).
Round Reds 50-lb sacks Size A Wisconsin 9.00-10.50.

10.50. Round Reds 50-lb cartons Size A Minnesota N. Baled 5-10 lb film bags Size A 9.75-10.25. Round Whites 50-lb sacks size A Wisconsin

LIVESTOCK

Intermountain Livestock
LIVESTOCK AUCTION — Burley Livestock Market on
Thursday, Utility and commercial cows 37.00-44.50;
canner and cutters 28.00-35.00; heavy feeder steers
79.00-89.50; light feeder steers 86.00-112.00;
stocker steers 102.00-12.00; heavy holstein feeder
steers 55.00-63.00; light holstein feeder steers
55.00-45.00; heavy feeder heifers 78.00-83.75; light
feeder heifers 83.00-98.00; stocker heifers 93.50110.00; slaughter bulls 45.00-57.50; baby calves
n/a; stock cows n/a; stock cowy/aff pairs n/a; feed-

METALS/MONEY

Dollar vs: Exch. Rate Pvs Day 91.43 \$1.3024 \$1.4916 1.1617 \$1,4800 Swiss franc 1.1625 Canadian dollar 1.2188

By The Associated Press
Selected world gold prices, Monday.
London morning fixing: \$901.00 off \$12.00. London afternoon fixing: \$895.00 off \$18.00 Handy & Harman: \$895.00 off \$18 NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$966.60 off \$19.44. NY Engelhard: \$897.17 off \$18.03.

\$12.960 off \$0.050.

#&H fabricated \$15.552 off \$0.060.

The morning bullion price for silver in London

\$13.010 up \$0.120.

Engelhard \$12.960 off \$0.050.

Engelhard \$12.960 off \$0.050.

NY Merc silver spot month Monday \$12.825 off

\$0.330.

Nonferrous metals
NEW YORK (AP) — Spot nonferrous metal prices

Continued from Agribusiness 1

niche business such as his. He expects to sell fewer pieces per order this year, so he's taking steps such as contracting with a food distributor with greater reach to increase the number of his accounts. "We are hopeful that we

will be successful because we are making a value-added farm product," he said.

Sumner said one aspect of the recession that is hurting farmers is the amount of credit available to them. Many growers and producers borrow money to pay for seeds or equipment, or to operate or grow their businesses.

Another aspect of the economy affecting farmers is

the strengthening U.S. dollar, which is good for Americans traveling abroad and for importing goods but bad for exporting food commodities. A strong dollar affects competitiveness in the world market and makes it harder for other nations to afford U.S. commodities.

And then there's another volatile variable: the cost of

transporting goods to market. If fuel prices skyrocket again this year, both consumers and producers will have even more buying and selling decisions to make.

"If energy prices go back up again, that will be probably harmful to our food economy," said Phil Schwallier, of Michigan State University.

Workers

Continued from Agribusiness 1

farm work as unskilled, undifferentiated work. Agriculture has a great variety of jobs, and every single one of them requires some set of skills," said Howard Rosenberg, an agricultural economist with the University of California at Berkeley.

"A worker is not a worker. If I were laid off from my job, I don't know that I'd have the skills," he said.

As many as 1 million people labor in America's farm fields each year, pruning trees and harvesting fruits and vegetables. The Labor Department has estimated more than half are in the country illegally.

Federal efforts to crack

down on illegal immigration in recent years have left many growers fearing fines for employing undocumented workers, and more are showing interest in a federal guestworker program long criticized as cumbersome and expensive.

Farmers brought in nearly 77,000 foreign farm workers in 2007, the most recent year for which numbers are available. In Washington state, the number of workers brought into the country nearly doubled in 2008 to 2,094, up from 1,140 a year earlier.

That's far fewer than the thousands working in Washington fields each year.

An estimated 15 billion individual apples are picked in Washington in an average

year, and the state grows plenty of other highly laborintensive crops. Fruit trees require hand-pruning and thinning, and the many varieties of pears, peaches and cherries are selectively picked by hand for ripeness and to avoid bruising. Some of Washington's row

crops, such as asparagus, also have traditionally required hand labor. The Washington Farm

Bureau has proposed that the state push Congress for a new, nonimmigrant visa class for "essential workers." Under the bill in the Legislature, the state would then create its own essential worker program to bring in foreign workers during times of peak need.

Colorado last vear approved its own pilot program, which goes into effect this year.

"Even with the economic downturn, I don't see people long-term getting into the migrant farm worker trade. That sounds brutal, but I just don't see it," said Dan Fazio, director of employer services for the Washington Farm Bureau. "This work force is going to have to come from somewhere else."

Erik Nicholson of the United Farmworkers of America calls the bill "political theater."

crafted bill that runs counter to existing immigration law in a number of ways," he

"It's an extremely poorly

1.2982 1.2310 1.2510 + .0003 1.4232 1.3373 1.3600 + .0002

n/a; stock cows n/a; stock cow/calf pairs n/a; feeder lambs n/a; weaner pigs n/a; Remarks: Butcher cows \$2-3 lower. Feeders \$2-3 higher and light calves steady to \$3 higher.

NEW YORK (AP) — Handy & Harman silver Monday \$12.960 off \$0.050.

Aluminum -\$0.6625 per lb., N.Y. Merc spot Mon.

40%

88%

FUEL REPORT

The average price for fuel in south-central Idaho increased about 3 cents compared to the previous week. The average price for a gallon of regular-grade gasoline in

the region was \$1.78, while the average price for diesel was \$2.28. The national average for a gallon of regular-grade gasoline

was \$1.92, while the average price in Idaho was \$1.79, according to the AAA Fuel Gauge Report.

Oil prices for March delivery ended 61 cents lower on Monday to settle at \$39.56 a barrel.

Gas prices

• Twin Falls: Maverik Country Store, 120 Sixth Ave. W: \$1.71

• Jerome: Maverik Country Store, 352 S. Lincoln Ave.: \$1.73

• Twin Falls: Kimberly Sinclair, 1990 Kimberly Road: \$2.31

• Burley: Smith's Fuel, 937 Main St.: \$1.75 **Diesel prices**

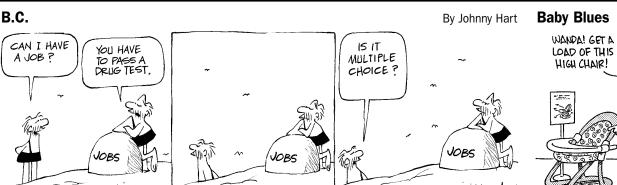
change at anytime.

• Jerome: Flying J, 5350 U.S. Highway 93: \$2.17 • Burley: Maverik Country Store, 701 N. Overland Ave.: \$2.17 *Price quotes by Mapquest.com as of Monday afternoon. Subject to

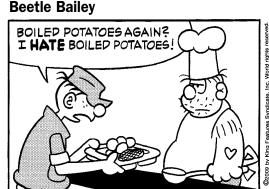
RESERVOIR LEVELS 1. Little Idaho Falls Wood: 38% Carey **2.** Lake Walcott: **3.** Ririe: 50% Pocatello 4. American American Falls: 75% **Falls** 5. Milner

Burley

See the full reservoir report at: www.waterdistrict1.com





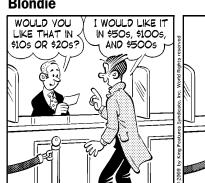


HOW ABOUT MASHED?











MEAL



Dilbert







The Elderberries

life on this

big blue ball,

Perfessor?



For Better or For Worse



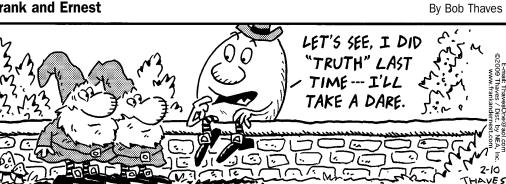






By Lynn Johnston

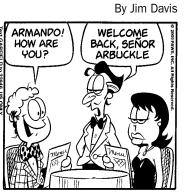
Frank and Ernest



Garfield





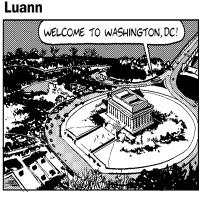




Hi and Lois





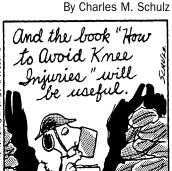


LET'S STAY NOW, WE HAVE A FOCUSED AND LOT TO DO IN A ON-SCHEDULE SHORT TIME

By Greg Evans I HAVE A FEELING TOURISTS IN THIS TOWN. GET MORE DONE THAN , THE POLITICIANS

Classic Peanuts





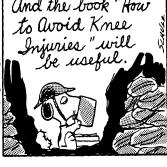
Pearls Before Swine HOW DOES YOUR HEART KNOW TO KEEP BEATING WHEN YOU'RE



By Stephan Pastis



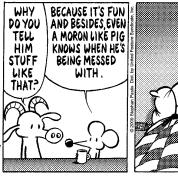




ASLEEP?

PUBLY





Pickles

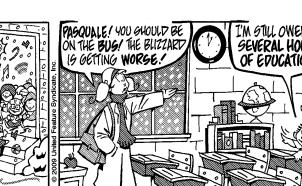








Rose is Rose



By Pat Brady

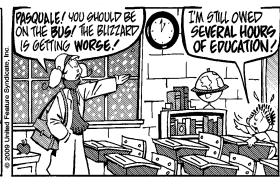
GCHOOL







Dennis the Menace



ENTHUGIAGTG HAVE A DIFFICULT TIME ACCEPTING THE CONCEPT OF EARLY DIGMISSAL!

Non Sequitur

TO GLOBAL

1 DON'T WANT TO UNDERSTAND IT!

NUST WANT WINTER TO BE WINTER!



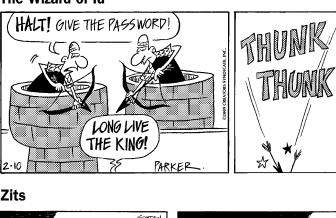








The Wizard of Id By Hank Ketcham



THOSE HUNS AREN'T TOO BRIGHT, ARE THEY?

By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart

Zits





YOU JUST INVENTED WHOA. MICRO-CLIMATE CHANGE



"THE OLD SONGS MAKE MR. WILSON FEEL NOSTALGIC."

FOR THAT?"

"DON'T THEY HAVE MEDICINE

TWIN FALLS FORECAST Today: Partly cloudy with light westerly breezes. Highs 35 to

Tonight: Clouds increasing with a chance of snow

developing. Lows in the 20s.

Tomorrow: Mostly cloudy with a chance of scattered snow showers. Highs 35 to 40.

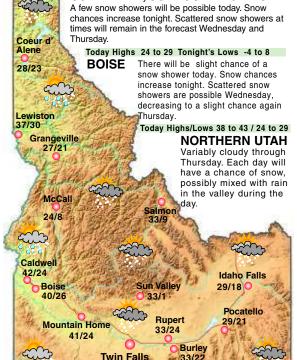
BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Partly cloudy with light westerly breezes. Highs 30 to

Tonight: Clouds increasing with a chance of snow developing. Lows in the 20s

Tomorrow: Mostly cloudy with a chance of scattered snow showers. Highs near 35

(IDAHO'S FORECAST SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS. Coeur d' Alene



Yesterday's State Extremes: 48 at Elk City Low: 10 at McCall weather key: bz-blizzard, c-cloudy, fg-fog, hs-heavy snow, hz-haze, ls-light snow, nc-mostly cloudy, mx-wintery mix, pc-partly cloudy, r-rain, sh-showers, sn-snow, su-sunny, th-thunderstorm, w-wind

36/26



TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today



Increasing clouds

developing

Low

Wednesday

Scattered snow

37 / 26

NATIONAL FORECAST

Today Tomorrow
Hi Lo W Hi Lo W City
70 50 pc 70 44 th Orlar
49 44 sh 49 44 sh Phola
56 45 sh 63 43 sh Phoe

46 20 pc 42 19 pc 71 55 sh 69 47 th

38 37 mx 49 39 sh 67 56 pc 68 57 pc

66 51 sh 66 42 th

66 51 sh 66 42 th 64 42 pc 49 30 th 59 47 r 58 37 th 38 20 ls 48 21 pc 58 33 pc 39 22 mx 55 49 r 54 35 th 52 33 sh 60 34 su -12 -30 mc 0 -16 mc 33 18 ls 27 11 ls

33 18 ls 27 11 ls 79 66 sh 79 68 sh

76 56 th 75 46 su 64 51 mc 58 33 th

76 52 pc 77 57 pc 67 39 pc 47 26 r

78 69 pc 80 70 sh 56 38 pc 41 28 r 67 56 th 68 40 th 74 61 sh 74 51 th

44 38 r 52 41 no

69 42 th 58 35 pc 57 32 pc 40 24 pc

Today Tomorrow
Hi Lo W Hi Lo W
30 10 pc 25 0 pc
43 42 r 48 33 r
33 26 ls 36 26 pc
37 33 ls 40 32 pc
33 23 ls 31 17 ls



A slight chance of

snow showers

38 / 25

Friday

Snow chances

remain smal

38 / 24

Barometric

Pressure

6 pm baromete

Yesterday 29.63 in.

Saturday City Jerome Lewiston Lowell Malad Malta Still chilly, light snow possible

37 / 23

Thursday

Friday

Hi Lo Prcp 33 28 0.01" 40 29 Trace 41 17 0.00" Coeur d' Alene Idaho Falls 28 19 0.00" 32 20 0.01" 32 22 0.00" 42 32 0.00" 101 available
43 25 0.21"
36 26 Trace
30 22 0.03"
34 19 0.00"
33 15 0.02"

Sunrise and

Sunset

Sunrise: 7:38 AM Sunset: 6:06 PM Sunrise: 7:37 AM Sunset: 6:08 PM

Sunrise: 7:36 AM Sunset: 6:09 PM

Today Tomorrow

Fronts

Cold

Warm

Stationary

Occluded

Yesterday's Weather

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Mar 4

First Qtr.

Mar 11

Full Moon

Thursday Hi Lo W 40 24 ls 30 16 ls 35 20 ls

35 18 ls

44 34 sh

30 13 c

35 5 ls 25 2 ls

CANADIAN FORECAST

Today Tomorrow
Hi Lo W Hi Lo W
33 18 pc 26 11 pc
22 7 pc 23 14 pc
37 24 pc 27 5 ls
21 13 pc 28 18 pc
37 24 pc 27 5 ls
31 13 ls 26 4 pc

Temperature sterday's High Yesterday's Low Normal High/Low 40 / 21 Record High 55 in 2000 0 in 1989

Feb 25

New Moon

REGIONAL FORECAST

Today Tomorrow Hi Lo W Hi Lo W 40 26 Is 39 25 Is 27 21 Is 29 18 Is

34 18 ls 35 20 ls

42 34 r 43 33 sh 38 27 pc 39 27 ls 26 16 ls 30 12 ls

36 17 Is 36 15 IS 29 21 Is 33 17 IS 37 33 mx 41 34 sh 33 24 pc 35 22 Is 27 16 Is 27 12 Is 37 27 mx 38 25 sh

33 1 ls 29 -1 ls 20 5 ls 24 4 ls

Rogerson 36 27 pc 37 27 ls Salmon 33 9 ls 38 7 ls Salt Lake City, UT 37 24 ls 39 25 ls

City

Lethbridge

26 16 Is 30 12 Is 30 13 c
39 25 pc 40 25 Is 41 24 Is
31 12 Is 27 12 Is 28 14 Is
29 18 Is 29 15 Is 28 15 c
62 0 Is 33 20 Is 32 18 Is
29 20 mc 33 18 mc 32 14 mc
34 13 Is 30 13 Is 31 15 Is
37 30 mx 38 30 Is 39 28 mc
30 17 Is 34 13 Is 34 14 c
30 19 pc 32 17 Is 32 17 c
36 17 Is 36 15 Is 35 15 Is
36 17 Is 36 15 Is 35 15 Is
29 21 Is 33 17 Is 33 31 R c

34 21 mc 35 22 mc 35 21 mc 29 -1 ls 25 -3 ls 31 3 ls

Partly cloudy and

High 36

Feb 16

Last Qtr.

City

Coeur d' Alene

Eugene, OR Gooding

Idaho Falls Kalispell, M

Lewiston Malad City

Missoula, MT

Spokane, WA

Jackpot

Malta

McCall

Pocatello

Elko, NV

Grace

Precipitation Month to Date 0.09 Normal Month to Date Year to Date Normal Year to Date ature & Precipitation valid through 5 pm yesterday **Moon Phases**

City

Charleston, SC

Charleston, WV

Des Moines Detroit El Paso Fairbanks

Houston

Indianapolis

Jacksonville

Las Vegas
Little Rock
Los Angeles
Memphis

Milwaukee

Nashville

New Orleans

Humidity sterday's Maximum 93% Yesterda**y's Mi**nimum To**d**ay's Maximu**m** Today's Minimum 52% A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30

Moonrise and Moonset Moonrise: 7:50 PM Wednesday Moonrise: 9:03 PM Moonset: 8:31 AM Moonrise: 10:14 PM Moonset: 8:53 AM

Washington, DC

U. V. INDEX

Today Tomorrow

Moderate High The higher the index the



Today Sunrise: 7:41 AM Sunset: 6:04 PM Wednesday Sunrise: 7:40 AM Sunset: 6:05 PM

WORLD FORECAST

Today Tomorrow

Hi	Lo W	Hi	Lo W	City	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	City	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
78	59 pc	82	62 pc	Acapulco	86 74 pc	86 74 pc	Moscow	33 29 ls	32 28 pc
53	42 sh	60	44 sh	Athens	57 44 su	62 48 sh	Nairobi	74 51 sh	78 54 pc
58	38 sh	62	40 pc	Auckland	74 68 r	81 68 sh	Oslo	25 11 ls	25 9 pc
33	30 ls	38	38 pc	Bangkok	96 74 pc	96 76 pc	Paris	51 31 r	41 31 pc
72	50 pc	75	52 pc	Beijing	58 32 pc	54 32 pc	Prague	36 30 r	35 25 İs
42	22 ls	38	16 pc	Berlin	46 32 sh	39 26 ls	Rio de Janeiro	83 73 th	87 73 th
42	30 ls	40	26 İs	Buenos Aires	84 64 r	91 62 sh	Rome	56 43 sh	54 40 sh
51	42 r	51	41 sh	Cairo	64 47 pc	69 46 pc	Santiago	83 61 pc	89 57 pc
70	50 pc	57	31 th	Dhahran	81 67 pc	82 61 sh	Seoul	47 34 pc	49 32 pc
40	23 mx	34	18 ls	Geneva	38 23 ls	29 0 ls	Sydney	69 62 sh	69 60 sh
78	48 th	77	45 su	Hong Kong	71 67 pc	71 68 pc	Tel Aviv	66 60 th	63 60 sh
58	46 pc	61	50 pc	Jerusalem	63 51 sh	56 46 sh	Tokyo	52 33 pc	44 34 pc
54	46 r	54	45 sh	Johannesburg	74 61 th	71 55 th	Vienna	37 31 r	35 26 İs
39	34 r	44	33 mc	Kuwait City	79 61 pc	76 55 sh	Warsaw	36 32 ls	35 32 ls
53	30 sh	60	35 pc	London	42 27 ls	42 29 sh	Winnipeg	33 23 ls	31 17 ls
58	47 sh	65	45 sh	Mexico City	70 40 pc	72 42 pc	Zurich	33 19 ls	26 -4 ls

Idaho numbers are generally people who are likely to be

Majority Leader Sen. Bart that's made to my mother and

Davis, R-Idaho Falls, said father-in-law who are in their

spoofers will disguise them- late 90s, they give them

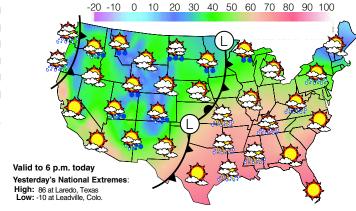
selves as a local church or a money, they don't know how

government entity to ask for to say no," Davis said. "But by

money and personal informa- putting caller ID in place they

duped.

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



More Magic Valley weather at www.magicvalley.com/weather Get up to date highway information at the Idaho Transportation Department's Web site at 511.idaho.gov or call 888-432-7623

AROUND THE WEST

IDAHO

Cuts save \$1.1M, but tax receipts may drop

BOISE — Tax Commission Chairman Royce Chigbrow said workers let go in December due to budget cuts included 47 temporary auditors and collectors who help generate \$7.5 million annually, seven times what was the Idaho Statesman reported saved by the layoffs.

In all, 58 people lost posts at and operating cost reductions the saved Chigbrow's agency just over \$1.1 million.

Chigbrow said as much calling temporary workers integral cog in our success."

Commission costs Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's order to slash his budget by 4 percuts unavoidable.

New community college misses enrollment goal

short of their first semester frivolous bills. enrollment goal.

The college based in caucus not to bring legisla-Nampa reports more than 1,200 students are taking classes, about 500 short of the target set last year.

Still, College President Dennis Griffin says they are still pleased by the total and the high number of credits taken by the first batch of students. The average student credit load is nine, which exceeds the projected goal of

Griffin says the higher credit load will help the college balance its budget illustrate the demand for higher education in southwest Idaho.

Voters in Ada and Canyon counties narrowly backed a measure to create the new community college in May 2007. The college has been estimated to cost taxpayers an additional \$4 million a year to

Budget woes slow Idaho legislative session

BOISE — The slumping economy is slowing down the Idaho legislative session because of the amount of time being spent wrestling

with budget woes, state law- tion if it's got a fiscal impact," makers say.

changed or amended.

That trails each of the last five years. The highest total four weeks into a legislative session was in 2006 with 842 **Ex-Yellowstone Club** pieces of legislation. The lowest total was 2007 with 587, Monday.

the agency. Layoffs, mandato- on the budget, and it is control of the resort for the ry furloughs, reduced wages playing such a large role in megarich as it struggles to process that there's no ruptcy protection. doubt the budget is affect-Some lawmakers have critiing the volume of legislagave up the 13,600-acre club cized the cuts, saying tion," said Sen. John McGee, and its members-only ski hill Chigbrow was sacrificing pre- R-Caldwell. "We're only as part of his divorce settlecious Idaho state government dealing with the essential ment with Edra Blixseth last roles of the Legislature."

Monday to the Joint Finance- introduced, 30 fewer than club filed for Chapter 11 Appropriations Committee, anytime during the last five bankruptcy protection with years. Appropriations bills more than \$400 million in "part of our fabric and an have not yet been added to debts. this session's total, due to a Still, the lion's share of Tax change in the way legislation are traced largely to its failure are is counted. But adding in an to repay a 2005 loan through employees, so complying with estimated 100 still leaves this Credit Suisse of \$375 million year's total lagging.

cent in 2009 made personnel been a bit of people holding private accounts. their breath and waiting,' said Senate Minority Leader Elliot Werk, ney wrote that he has a D-Boise.

NAMPA — Administrators Mike Moyle, R-Star, said sold at auction. at the new College of Western Republican leaders have told Idaho say they have fallen their members not to pursue club from closing and repay

he said. "This is not the year At the end of last week, 410 to be pushing personal agennew pieces of legislation had das. This is the year to figure been prepared and 66 out how best to help Idaho families.'

MONTANA

owner considers bid

BILLINGS — The former owner of the Yellowstone Club "The session is focused says he may seek to regain decision-making emerge from federal bank-

Club founder Tim Blixseth August. Three months after Just 135 bills have been took over the enterprise, the

The club's financial woes much of which was later "It has felt to me that there's transferred into the Blixseths'

In court documents filed Assistant Monday, Tim Blixseth's attor-"strong interest" in bidding House Majority Leader on the Yellowstone Club if it is

Blixseth wants to keep the its hundreds of creditors, his "We've encouraged our attorney, Joel Guthals, wrote.

HORSE EVENTS WANTED

Submit Your Horse Events To:

Times-News Horse Monthly

P.O. Box 548

Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548

or email

debi.johnson@lee.net

Horse Monthly publishes last Tuesday

of each month & online @ magicvalley.com

Deadline: Wednesdays prior to publication

Contact Debi Johnson at (208) 735-3208 to Advertise your Equine Business

— The Associated Press

Idaho could require accurate caller ID info He said spoofers who work Davis said the bill protects

The bill's sponsor, Senate

from out of the state.

BOISE — A bill to outlaw using a fake name or phone number on a caller ID was approved Monday by the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Brett Delange, head of the Consumer Protection Division in the state attorney general's office, told the committee that "spoofing," or using incorrect information on a caller ID system, can be used to trick people out of personal information or money.

"I don't want to say it's a tidal wave but it's consistent," Delange said. "I don't think it's going away."



Knock Knock. Who's there?



Knock Knock. Hey, what's up with the knock knock?

I don't know, but if it's coming from your radiator, Mac's can fix it!

If you have questions, call Ed at

446 Shoshone St. W Twin Falls **208-735-8284**



MF 2600 Series

MF 2600 % a.p.r. for 60 MONTHS

"Every such phone call

can protect themselves."

'cause you got work to do!

www.agri-service.com



MF 5400 for 60 MONTHS O.A.C.

MF 7400 & 8400 Series o for up to 60 months O.A.C.



USED EQUIPMENT

TRACTORS		(L) Ter 7608, TLB, 4wd	
(H) AC 7040, cab, 5k hrs	\$6,900	(J) Ver 256-4wd, ldr	DEPOSITION OF STREET
(H) Agco ST34A, 449hrs		RENTAL RETURN	IS
(B) CIH CX60-4wd, ldr	\$28,900	MF GC2310TLB-4wd, 50hrs	\$13,900
(N) Case 2290-2wd, 7700hrs		MF 563-2wd, rops	
(W) Cat MT425-4wd, 1k hrs	.\$18,900	MF 583-4wd, cab, 251hrs	\$27,900
(N) FNH TC18-4wd, ldr, rops	\$8,900	MF 1533-4wd, 24hrs	\$17,900
(W) FNH TN65-4wd, rops		MF 5445-2wd, cab	\$34,900
(T) Ford 8730-4wd, cab	\$24,900	MF 5460-4wd, cab, 289hrs	\$52,900
(T) Gehl CT6-18, 208hrs	.\$51,900	MF 6480-4wd, cab, 261hrs	\$84,900
(N) IHC 1086-2wd, cab	\$10,900	MF 6497-4wd, cab, 165hp	\$88,900
(H) JD 4210-4wd, 8400hrs	\$7,500	MF 7490-4wd, cab, 419hrs	\$89,900
(L) JD 8630-4wd, 6600hrs		MF 7495-4wd, cab	\$93,900
(T) Kub KX41 trackhoe		MISC	
(T) Kub L5030, 202hrs, 49hp	\$29,900	(T) NH BW38, bale wagon	\$119,900
(H) Kub M9540HDC12	\$33,900	(N) NH 1075 bale wagon	\$22,900
(L) Kub RTV900W, 1670hrs	\$7,900	(W) Parma 16' groundhog	\$17,900
(L) Landini Vision 100-4wd	\$24,900	(H) Allied 24 row cultivator	\$14,500
(H) MF 3525-4wd, 4300hrs	\$17,900	(H) JD 331-25' disk	\$12,500
(L) MF 5455-4wd, 410hrs	\$38,900	(J) IHC 6200-30' drill	\$10,900
(T) MF 6485-4wd, 2k hrs	\$58,900	(J) JD 355-18' offset disk	\$8,900
(T) MF 8150-4wd, ldr, 3k hrs	\$50,900	(J) Eversman 16' landplane	\$7,500
(T) MF 8160-4wd, 3k hrs		(H) Sit MK16 rake	\$7,500
(H) MF 8245-4wd, 4k hrs	\$59,900	(S) NH 1033 pt bale wagon	\$4,900
(H) NH 4630-4wd, 1600hrs	\$13,900	(T) JD 8300 set of 2 14' drills	\$2,900
SEE MORE AT	wwv	v.agri-service.com	

208-663-4545

541-372-3191

208-549-1523 208-624-4300 800-972-3191 800-930-3599 888-766-3599 877-805-3805

NYSSA, OR WEISER, ID ST. ANTHONY, ID TERRETON, ID

TWIN FALLS, ID BURLEY, ID BUHL, ID 208-734-7772 208-678-2258 800-388-3599 800-251-3599 800-290-3599 866-896-3599

LOGAN, UT 208-543-8883 435-563-1020



Home & Garden briefs, H&G 2 / Sensible Home, H&G 2 / Classifieds, H&G 4-10

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2009

FEATURES EDITOR VIRGINIA HUTCHINS: (208) 735-3242 VIRGINIA.HUTCHINS@LEE.NET

rchid env

By Karen Bossick Times-News correspondent

flowers in Idaho. usty Liman flies in the face of conventional thinking when it comes to growing The Bellevue woman has

snow half the year, but to the tropics. Liman picked up her first orchid — a ized by a pouch that traps insects—at the Gold Mine thrift store in Ketchum 15 Wood a house full of orchids native not to the lady-slipper, a delicate flower character-River Valley, which is covered by

years ago. Now 75 spectacular, exotic

lowers line the windowsills in her light-

said. "I have trouble growing more common houseplants but not orchids. I think "I love them — I invite people over to see them when they're in bloom," she that's because I don't overwater them. you overwater them they can be hard to

the flowers can last up to five months, orchid doctor. known throughout the region as "the Magic Valley flower lover Alan Potter, especially in a place like Idaho, said "But they're my favorite flower because

more challenging flowers to nurture,

In truth, orchids can be some of the

even longer in some cases," said Potter,

See ORCHIDS, H&G

Longwood Gardens, Pa., before moving west to Idaho. Jennifer Colson, executive director of the Sawtooth Botanical Garden, cared for thousands of orchids at Photos by KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News



The insider's guide to orchids:

- can be useful. Their roots are photosynthetic like leaves. Consequently, they do well if grown in clear pots. Moss helps water retention; cork and bark are good for Most like to get wet and then air out, so holes in their pots
- water heavily once a week. If you overwater, the roots will Water with tepid water orchids don't like cold. And
- Allow them to dry out between watering, and water more in
- summer, less during winter.
- Less fertilizer is more. Apply a slow-release fertilizer except with lady-slippers. And fertilize only rarely during winter. Avoid touching flowers and buds because it can cause bruising. It is OK to cup them in your hand to examine them.



about how proportioned the lines of orchids are. Sunny Mills of the Wood River Valley's Webb Landscaping is jazzed

Your troubleshooting guide: **Got problems?**

- Brown leaf tips signal underwatering. Trim the sure to cold temperatures. This can't be reversed. **Drooping leaves** indicate dehydration or expo
- Yellow leaves indicate overwatering or prolonged exposure to cold temperatures. brown off the leaves.
- without washing it, as the virus can be transmitcareful not to use the same tool on other orchids Irregularly shaped black dots signal a virus. car Be
- **Pests**, which resemble small helmets on the leaves, can be cleaned off with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with a cotton barrier ted with different ted with diff and



according to Sunny Mills. The moth orchid's blooms have been known to last up to nine months,



The cymbidium tends to flower during the Christmas season in the Northern

Some orchids to try:

Native to the tropical rain forests of Southeast Asia, it blooms for about three months. When it's finished flowering, cut the spike back above the Pot in medium bark. second or third node to force reflowering. The phalaenopsis, or moth orchid, is one of the easiest to grow.

It grows easily in a bright window with little or no sun and does well in between 75 and 85 degrees during the day. average home temperatures generally above 60 degrees at night and

Thoroughly water it every other day in summer and every 10 days in winter; then do not water again until it's nearly dry. Water only in morning so the leaves dry by nightfall to prevent rot.

Apply a high-phosphorus fertilizer to promote blooming. Fertilize twice a

do well in east and west windows or near a shaded south window.

Warm growing, they should be kept at 60 to 65 degrees during night and The paphiopedilum, or lady-slipper, originated in the jungles of the Far 75 or more during day. East and is easy to grow in the home. They require shady conditions and

Fertilize with a high-nitrogen fertilizer when potted in fir-bark mix. Use half-Water once or twice a week, but never allow them to get soggy. Set the in water. plants on trays of gravel partially filled with water so the plants never sit

strength applications during warm weather, and fertilize only once a month in cool weather.

Do not over pot. The average plant should have a 4- to 6-inch pot. Dendrobium, or cane orchids, are native to tropical Asia and character

They grow well in bark or cork and do well at 60 to 65 degrees at night and 80 to 90 degrees during day. ized by a cane-like stalk. Hawaii grows these like Idaho grows potatoes

Put them in bright light but out of direct sunlight. Allow them to dry between watering

• Cymbidium orchids are native to high elevations in the Himalayan mounvent the plants from blooming. In fact, high summer temperatures at night in many southern climes pretains and actually like cool temperatures better than most other orchids.

They produce large, beautiful, long-lasting flowers, but it is difficult to get them to re-flower here.

They like fir bark and orchid soil, and very bright direct light. Optimal temgrowth season every week to two weeks. Fertilize once a month during keep barely moist during winter and water heavily during summer. Apply a high-nitrogen fertilizer such as 30-10-10 during the spring and summer although miniatures can handle temperatures five to 10 degrees higher. peratures are 45 to 55 degrees at night and 65 to 75 degrees during day,

which resemble a big twirling skirt. Oncidium orchids are known as dancing ladies because of their petals

These plants may originate anywhere from sea level to the high elevations on the specific plants. of the Andes; consequently, they utilize a wide array of conditions based

Sources: Jennifer Colson and the American Orchid Society

Workshop introduces teens to interior design

Design-minded teens can do more than dream of the perfect bedroom at this workshop, which will teach basic skills for planning and furnishing a space.

Led by Abbey Christensen, the Sun Valley Center for the Arts workshop will guide participants through the process of an interior design project, from space planning to final drawings and material selection. Teens will learn how to think in three dimensions and create rooms that meet their own

or a client's needs. Each participant will redesign an interior space and create a mockup.

Christensen is a recent graduate of the University of Idaho with a bachelor's degree in interior design and a double minor in architecture and art.

"Introduction to Interior Design Workshop for Teens" will be held at the center's Hailey location from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. Cost is \$10. Register: sunvalleycenter.org or 726-9491, ext. 10. Snacks will be provided, but bring your lunch.

HOME & GARDEN BRIEFS

Learn proper tree pruning

The city of Twin Falls and Falls Twin Commission are sponsoring a tree pruning workshop from 10 a.m. to noon March 14 at the City Council chambers, 305 Third Ave. E.

The free, public workshop will include a brief presentation on the proper care and pruning of trees and a handson demonstration. Information: Parks and Recreation Department, 736-2265.

Learn to lower your landscape maintenance

A manicured landscape can add beauty to any home, but it can also be time-consuming and costly. However, say organizers of an upcoming class, with proper planning there are alternative ways to lower your landscape maintenance and still achieve the effect you desire.

In "Going Green: Landscaping Challenges," Green: you'll learn about low-maintenance planting materials, water conservation techniques, environmentally friendly use of pest management and ground preparation. Instructor Dave Kiesig is the horticulture professor at College of Southern Idaho.

The noncredit class is offered through the CSI Community Education Center and will be held 6-8:30 p.m. Feb. 18 and 25, in

Evergreen A24 on the Twin Falls campus. Cost is \$45. Register: 732-6442 or communityed.csi.edu.

Meanwhile in Gooding, Kiesig will also teach a sepaclass, "Green rate Landscaping Challenges," on similar topics. "Green Landscaping Challenges" will meet 6-8:30 p.m. Feb. 17 and 24, at CSI's North Side Center. 202 14th Ave. E. in Gooding. Cost is \$50. Register: 934-

Decorate with your own handiwork

Don't spend thousands of dollars on expensive art that doesn't mean anything to

Enroll in the new College of Southern Idaho North Side Center class "Easy Art for Your Home," and you'll come away with several beautiful art pieces that you'll be proud to display, organizers say.

You'll get creative with framing, using calendar prints, postcards, book plates or other items that are special to you, then decoupage a mirror. Finally, you'll explore modern art as you create a piece on canvas that you'll frame.

Led by instructor Wanda Keegan, "Easy Art for Your Home" will meet 7-9 p.m. Thursdays, Feb. 19 to March 5, at the North Side Center, 202 14th Ave. E. in Gooding. All supplies are included in the \$65 fee.

Register: 934-8678.

— Times-News

Sun in your eyes? Put the rays to work

DEAR JIM: I feel the sun shining in a living room window, and it's very warm. My budget is pretty tight, but I want to make or install something to capture that heat and lower my heating bills. What do you suggest? — Ronnie K.

DEAR RONNIE: All of the heat energy we use in our homes comes directly or indirectly (gas, oil, coal, wood, etc.) from the sun. Some of it, such as oil, gas, coal, has stored the sun's energy over millions of years.

Trees store it for decades until we burn them. Passive and active solar systems use the current sun's heat as it shines on houses each day.

Just having the sun shine in a large window is effective passive solar heating, but it can be made more efficient. This type of solar heating is especially efficient in warm southern climates where the winter days do not become as short as in northern areas. Also, since it is warmer outdoors in mild climates, less heat is lost back outdoors through the window at night.

To be most effective in every climate, there should be adequate thermal mass in the room with the window. This thermal mass captures the sun's heat so the room does not overheat or lose as much of the heat back outdoors again. Once the thermal mass warms up. it slowly dissipates the stored solar heat back out into the room once the sun is no longer shining in.

If your wife is not really into Flintstonesque decor with a pile of rocks in the center of each room, there are other methods to increase the thermal mass in a room. It is preferable to have the thermal mass in the direct path of the sun's rays, but this is not critical to be effective.

Planters can be made with concrete blocks or bricks. You can also pour and make your own concrete planters using tinted concrete similar to contemporary concrete kitchen countertops. A large terrarium with much damp soil has a reasonably high thermal mass, and it adds humidity to the air.

The best solar option, if you do not need a view out-







This shows various applications of vertical solar heaters mounted on a south-facing wall. Notice how the size, shapes and wall locations vary depending upon the design of the house.



SENSIBLE HOME **James Dulley**

doors from the entire window, is to build a solar Trombe wall. A simple design uses stacked bricks or concrete blocks very close to the window. The vertical stack gets warmed by the sun, and this creates an upward warm air current. This circulates the warm air throughout the room while it also stores heat for the nighttime. During the summer, just remove the bricks or blocks and store them away.

If you want to keep the view from your window. make a shallow flat solar heater which rests against the outside wall facing the noon-to-afternoon sun. A size of four feet by eight feet is good because it makes the most efficient use of inexpensive standard lumber. The box has to be only the depth of standard two-byfour studs.

Once a plywood box is completed, paint the inside flat black. Cut one hole in the back at the top and one at the bottom and install duct stubs. Cut holes in your house wall so the duct stubs come through to indoors. Cover the front of the box with a sheet of clear acrylic plastic and seal it. Make airtight indoor covers to seal off the duct stubs at night.

DEAR JIM: I have an outdoor wood-burning boiler with a heat exchanger in my new propane furnace. It seems like the blower lets

age about 3,000 square feet.

energy-conserving and envi-

programmable thermostats,

think people's priorities have

changed. Now it's not only

about living in the home with

my family, but whether I can afford it in the long run -

bit," she said.

standard features.

If you want to keep the view from your window, make a shallow flat solar heater which rests against the outside wall facing the noon-to-afternoon sun.

the room temperature drop too much before coming on. What is wrong with the new furnace? — Marie H.

DEAR MARIE: There probably is nothing wrong with your new furnace. The blower is controlled by the wall thermostat and the air temperature inside the furnace. The furnace has a sensor so the blower will not come on until the burners

heat the air enough. Contact your furnace installer and have the wall thermostat checked.

Also, the sensor inside the furnace may be adjusted so the blower comes on at a lower temperature.

Send inquiries to James Dulley, 6906 Royalgreen Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45244 or visit www.dulley.com.



Menu Presented by Chef William Benedict PRIME RIB w/All The Trimmings

Including Vegetable, Salad & Dessert Table TODAY ... COST: \$1000

Tickets are sold at the center from 8 am to 4 pm Monday through Friday. You may reserve tickets over the phone at 734-5084 by Wednesday and purchase at the door.

Twin Falls Senior Citizen **Community Center**

530 Shoshone St. West - Across from the Depot Grill

Builders scale back as buyers look for long-term savings

By Elizabeth Razzi **Special to The Washington Post**

WASHINGTON — Frugality is finally showing up in new

home developments. Although the number of new single-family houses sold this year will probably be down about 68 percent from the peak of almost 1.3 million sold in 2005, there will still be about 420,000 households buying new homes this year, according to the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB).

But recession-chastened house hunters are looking for different things than the boom-era buvers who snapped up homes that grew bigger, fancier and pricier by the month.

Because they aren't held back by the need to sell an old home, first-time buyers now make up a greater share of the market. They're trying to stretch their dollars at every turn, and many are concerned about the cost of heating and cooling, especially after having experienced the surge in fuel costs last summer.

Builders say buyers are judging a home in terms of how comfortable it will be as a living space for the long term, rather than as an investment they can flip for a profit after a couple of years.

Choices they are making are just starting to appear in statistics. In the July-September quarter of 2008, the average size of a house

'In their shoes'

Our series of profiles takes you inside the life of a local housekeeper.

NEXT WEEK IN HOME & GARDEN



ELIZABETH RAZZ/For The Washington Post

An 'energy lab' model home built by Brookfield Homes near Winchester, Va., includes a wind turbine and solar panels. Such energy efficiency features gain popularity as buyers try to stretch their dollars. Also, these smaller houses, which range from 1,250 square feet to more than 1,600 square feet, are basically the size of many townhouses.

under construction fell 7.3 ing, cabinets and bath fixfrom 2,629 square feet in the previous quarter, said Gopal research at NAHB. "This is the first time we have seen such a significant decline," he said.

It may be only one quarter's worth of data, but Ahluwalia has other reasons to think the drop may be more than a fluke. He surveyed builders in early January, and 90 percent reported that they were building smaller homes. Eighty-nine percent said they were building lower-priced homes.

Until recently, builders have focused mostly on grand houses larded with upgraded countertops, floor-

percent, to 2,438 square feet tures. Heading into the spring, which is usually peak season for home sales, many Ahluwalia, vice president for builders are calling attention to the ways their homes save money and energy. Smaller size is one way they're trimming the cost.

For example, Atlanta-based Beazer Homes recently started to shrink its designs. Diana Van Stone, vice president of sales and marketing, said their high-end houses, which used to be about 3,600 to 3,700 square feet, now aver-

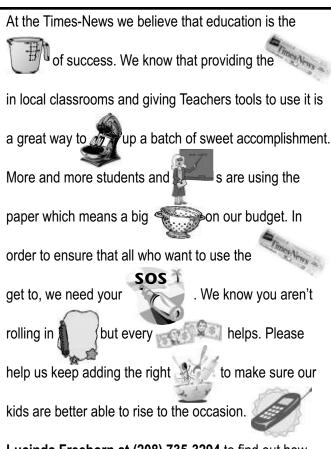
being able to truly afford it." Brookfield Homes, based in Fairfax, Va., may be taking the smaller-and-greener trend the furthest. The company recently set up an "energy lab" in one of its model homes in the Snowden Bridge development near Winchester, Va.

The house has a small wind turbine and solar photovoltaic panels on the roof, both of which generate electricity. There also are solar collection tubes on the roof to heat the home's water supply, and a geothermal heat pump to provide heat and air condi-

678-1459







Lucinda Freeborn at (208) 735-3294 to find out how

you can make a difference.



D CAN ADD BURST OF STYLE, ENERGY

By Melissa Rayworth For The Associated Press

It's the color of passionate romance and thundering rage, the hue of choice for everything from sleek sports cars and old-school power ties to knockout nail polish. Sexy or sweet, rugged or regal, red always gets noticed.

And, according to interior designers, it's a secret weapon if you want to add a burst of style and energy to your home without major expense or effort.

"Red is one of those statement colors," says designer Janine Carendi. Even in small doses, "it is something that can really ignite a room.'

It's also a mood-lifter. "Going into spring, it's a lively, happy color," says designer Mallory Mathison. "But it's not pastel, so it's unexpected. ... It has that 'wow' factor."

In this season of bargain hunting, here's your guide to seeing red — and using it affordably — to bring a fresh look and distinctive energy to your home.

YOUR GO-TO COLOR

Designer Brian Patrick Flynn calls it "the bold neutral." There are shades of red to match any colors already in your home. Browns, blues, pinks, oranges, grays, black and white — "red even looks really good with lime green," he says. "And depending on what you pair it with, it becomes more masculine or feminine."

Red can be traditional (warm, deep reds like cranberry and cinnamon) or modern (brighter, lighter shades like true red or cherry), and it works as well with homey French country interiors as it does with elegant, Asian-inspired ones.

It's also a quick-fix color. It



Photos by SARAH DORIO/AP photos

A Sarah Dorio room using red.

can brighten a room that gets little sunlight or give a facelift to a room that feels dated. "So many people have been doing blue and brown for such a long time," says Mathison. "Weed out the blue and add in red."

In traditional rooms that feel a bit stuffy, Flynn suggests covering formal wood paneling with flat red paint: "It's clean and serene and more modern."

SECOND LIFE

furniture or accessory that's functional but worn, paint it red. A bold, red lacquer finish "breathes new life into just about any piece and instantly makes it the star of the room," Flynn says.

For small pieces, like chairs, lamps or vases, regular cans of spray paint should work. For large pieces, consider renting a sprayer (the technical name is HVLP, or high-volume low-pressure sprayer) from a home improvement store. The cost is minimal, Flynn says, and If you have an old piece of the units come with instruc-



ing red pieces through the rooms of a home "so that each room, however different they might be, they have a red

Consider unexpected locations: Use a rich, red paint on a ceiling or in the interior sections of a bookcase. Carendi even suggests painting the inside of your closets a bright,

Flynn loves to energize a room with a red "conversation piece," like a huge vase painted red. "It's about the shape and the color and scale. That makes it a conversation piece versus an accessory."

SHINE AND TEXTURE

Once you've settled on particular shades of red, there are



If you have an old piece of furniture or accessory that's functional but worn, paint it red.

many textures and finishes to choose from. Mathison loves high-gloss reds because they evoke glam red fingernails. Carendi's current favorite is a deep red wall covering by Ralph Lauren that looks like crocodile. The texture, she says, conveys warmth and richness.

Texture also matters when choosing paint, Flynn says: "Red can easily take five to seven coats which is very time consuming, but also may end up more streaky with each coat. So I opt for flat because it shows less streaks and has a nice, sophisticated finish."

These designers say clients who take a risk on red are rarely disappointed. "People embrace it. At first they may not be sure," says Flynn, "then they see it and they love the idea."

element." cheerful red ("It doesn't cost any more," she points out, "to get red paint versus white.")

A can of red spray paint creates a conversation piece.

tions (the store may also offer tips on using it).

SMALL DOSES

"You probably wouldn't wear an entire red outfit, but vou can have red nails and pretty red lipstick or a handbag. So think that way in your home," says Mathison.

Search your home for items to group together, like books with red covers, red picture

nature's works of art — just

Not all orchids need the

same growing conditions, just as not all orchids grow

in the ground or on trees,

Colson said. "And, while they

generally like light, I've seen

more orchids in a basement

apartment with no windows

than I've seen in my whole

Karen Bossick may be

reached at kbossick@cox-

internet.com or 208-578-

breathtaking."

life."

kitchentune-up MAKE YOUR VALENTINE HAPPY



Wood Reconditioning RefacingCustom Cabinets

Call 736-1036 Today kitchentuneup.com Financing available - 6 months no interest See us at the Twin Falls Home and Garden Show Feb. 20-22

Twin Falls franchise owned and operated by Noel and Donna Erickson

Orchids

Continued from H&G 1

who heads up the Magic Valley Orchid Society. "You give someone a bouquet of roses and they might last a week. You give someone orchids and they will last for a long time."

Anyone can grow orchids in the home, even if they don't live in the tropics, said Jennifer Colson, executive director of the Sawtooth

Botanical Garden. "They are fascinating plants that people really go crazy for ... they add a lot of color and life to our life indoors," she added.

Colson was surrounded by the world's leading orchid biologists in Florida when she studied for her master's degree in horticulture sci-



The lady-slipper gets its name from its pouch, which resembles a slipper. Also known as moccasin orchid.

Questions?

Call Alan Potter of the Magic Valley Orchid Society at 308-3093. Or Jennifer Colson of the Sawtooth Botanical Garden at 726-9358; e-mail her at jennifer@sbgarden.org or go to www.sbgarden.org.

ence. She maintained a collection of more than 25,000 orchids at Longwood Gardens, Pa., before heading

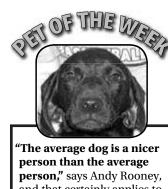
west to Idaho. Orchids are the largest flowering plant family in the world with more than 30,000 wild species and 100,000 hybrids, including one called a bubblegum orchid and another called a swan

orchid, she said. They're found on every continent but Antarctica. Even Idaho has some native orchids, including lady-slip-

pers, coral roots and the white phantom orchid found mostly in northern Idaho.

Some are an inch high. Others take the form of vines reaching up to 50 feet with flowers a foot wide. Even vanilla — the second most expensive spice on the planet after saffron — is a type of orchid.

"There's nothing as beautiful as an orchid," said Sunny Mills, of the Wood River Valley's Webb Landscaping. "They have such detail. They're one of



and that certainly applies to our "Rooney." He's a sleekcoated 10-week-old black hound/Lab cross who wants to come home with you!

TWIN FALLS ANIMAL SHELTER 420 Victory Avenue 736-2299

uestion: I thought my carpets were clean. Then I was shocked (and quite embarrassed) to see how much dog and cat hair my grandchildren collected on themselves after crawling around my house! I vacuum every day Lori, and still have pet hair in

"Shamed with Shedding Shaggy!"

my carpets. What more can I



Cleaning Center owne 734-2404

nswer: Don't call the dog pound! Your home can be "pet-hair-free", thanks to this one-of-a-kind, brain item called the PET RAKE. This must-have tool was designed to get down deep into your carpets and pull out pet hair that even the very best vacuums cannot get up. (Works great on upholstery

Frustrated with a stubborn cleaning problem? Write or e-mail your questions to: lchandler@cleaningcenters.com

483 Washington St. N. Twin Falls, ID (Corner of Washington St. N. and Filer Ave.)

Gooding County Memorial Hospital Specialty Clinic



1120 Montana Street, Gooding Welcomes Dr. Tony

Buoncristiani

Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon

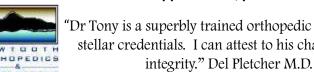
Dr. Tony Buoncristiani is a Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon who is fellowship trained in sports medicine and shoulders with an emphasis in arthroscopic surgery.

• Knee ligament (ACL) reconstruction Meniscal surgery

Shoulder rotator cuff surgery

- Fracture management

• Joint replacement surgery



Dr Tony is a superbly trained orthopedic surgeon with stellar credentials. I can attest to his character and

To schedule an appointment, please call (208) 622-3311









GLASSIFIED:

To place ads, call (208) 733-0931, ext.2 AHOO! hotjobs

Classifieds

Sudoku, H&G 5 / Dear Abby, H&G 6 / Aces on Bridge, H&G 7 / Service Directory, H&G 8 / Crossword, H&G 9



FUND

General

Library

Police Forfeit

Police Grant

Equipment Pool

A Street Project

Wastewater Reserve

PUBLISH: February 10, 2009

Swimming Pool Construction 127,577.00

Water Reserve

LID#18

UD#19

LID #20

UD#21

LID#22

Electric

FUND

General

Library

UD#18

LID#20

LID#21

LID #22

Electric

Sanitation

Wastewater

PHEASANT

Water

Police Grant

Equipment Pool

A Street Project

Water Reserve

Wastewater Reserve

PUBLISH: February 10, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Loan No. 4739000 T.S. No. ID-08-228645-TD On

5/29/2009, at 10:00:00 AM (recognized local

time), at the following location in the County of

TWIN FALLS, State of Idaho: In the lobby of

Alliance Title & Escrow located at 1411 Falls

Ave. East. Suite 1315. Twin Falls ID 83301.

Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLCan Idaho

limited liability company, as Trustee on behalf of

Citibank N.A. as Trustee for the MLMI Trust

Series 2007-HE2 will sell at public auction, to

the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of

the United States, all payable at the time of

sale, the following real property, situated in the

County of TWIN FALLS State of Idaho, and

described as follows: LOT 9 IN BLOCK 7 OF

PHASE 1, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO,

RECORDED IN BOOK 20 OF PLATS, PAGE 5.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more partic-

ular description of the above referenced real

property, but for purposes of compliance with

Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has

been informed that the address of 1205

GOLDEN PHEASANT DR, TWIN FALLS, ID

83301 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 se-

cured by and pursuant to the power of sale con-

ferred in the Deed of Trust executed by

CHARLES LYNN JOLES, JR. AND MELISSA JOLES, HUSBAND AND WIFE as

Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELEC-

TRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS

NOMINEE FOR OWNIT MORTGAGE SOLU-

TIONS, INC., is named as Beneficiary and

FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY as

Trustee and recorded 11/22/2006 as Instrument

No. 2006-029845 in book - , page - of Official

Records in the office of the Recorder of TWIN

FALLS County, Idaho. Please Note: The above

Grantors are named to comply with section 45-

1506(4)(A), Idaho Code, No representation is

made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein.

The Default for which this sale is to be made is

the failure to pay when due, under Deed of

Trust and Note dated 11/17/2006. The monthly

installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,113.12, due per month for

the months of 10/1/2008 through 1/5/2009, and

all subsequent installments until the date of sale

or reinstatement. The principal balance owing

as of this date on the obligation secured by said

Deed of Trust is \$133,790.83 together with

interest thereon at the current rate of 9,2500 per

cent (%) per annum from 9/1/2008. All delin-

quent amounts are now due, together with

accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and

accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees,

attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to

protect the security associated with this foreclo-

sure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or

cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy

said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to con-

vey title for any reason, the successful bidder's

sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of

monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful

bidder shall have no further recourse. Date:

1/27/2009 By: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services.

LLCan Idaho limited liability company, as

Trustee Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th

Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 as Agent Tara Donzella, Assistant Vice President ***For Sale

Information Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to:

www.fidelityasap.com If you have previously

been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this

loan in which case this letter is intended to exer-

cise the note holders rights against the real

property only. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COL-

LECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OB-

TAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PUR-

POSE. As required by law, you are hereby noti-

fied that a negative credit report reflecting on

your credit record may be submitted to a credit

report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of

MEADOWS

Economic Development

Meter

Sanitation

Wastewater

Water

Economic Development

Meter











IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE

COUNTY OF GOODING Case No. CV08-600

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, Plaintiff.

UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES CHARLOTTE B. ACKLEY; DEBRA HANSING, a single person: DANIEL ACKELY, a single person; and RONI M. ATKINS, as personal representative of the estate of CHARLOTTE B.

Defendants.

REAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of a Decree of Foredosure and Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of idaho, in and for the County of Gooding, on the 6" day of January, 2009, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree against the estate of CHARLOTTE B. ACKLEY, I am commanded to sell that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, located at 300 4s Ave. West, Wendell, Idaho, and situate in the County of Gooding, State of Idaho, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 15 and 16 in Block 34, Wendell Townsite, Gooding County, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the office of the County Recorder of said county

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on the 19th day of February, 2009, at 10:00 o'clock AM, of said day at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Gooding, County of Gooding, State of Idaho, I will, in obedience to said Decree of Foreclosure and Order of Sale, sell the above described real property, or so much as may be necessary to satisfy the judgment of the plaintiff, with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States of America:

Further, that the said real property is subject to redemption by the Defendants within six (6) months after the date of the sale pursuant to Chapter 4; Title 11 of the Idaho Code. Dated this 28" day of January, 2009. /s/Shaun Gough, Sheriff

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

S. No.: ID-168451-F Loan No.: 0180902207 A.P.N.: RPT55410030100 NOTICE IS HEREBY

GIVEN that, FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSUR-

ANCE COMPANY the duly appointed Succes-

sor Trustee, will on 4/2/2009 at 11:00 AM (rec-

ognized local time). At the entrance to the First

American Title Company Building, 260 3RD

Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID., will sell at public

auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful

money of the United States, all payable at the

time of sale, the following described real proper-

ty and personal property, situated in the County

of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as

follows: LOT 10 IN BLOCK 3 OF VILLA VISTA

SUBDIVISION NO. 2, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK

11 OF PLATS AT PAGE(S) 9, OFFICIAL

RECORDS OF TWIN PALLS COUNTY, IDAHO.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more

real property, but for purposes of compliance

with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee

has been informed that the address sometimes

associated with said real property is: 143

CORONADO TWIN FALLS, Idaho 83301 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: TERRY L MCKNIGHT, A MARRIED MAN DEALING AS HIS SOLE AND

SEPARATE PROPERTY, as grantors, to AL-

LIANCE TITLE, as Trustee, for the benefit and

security of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGIS-

TRATION SYSTEMS, INC., ("MERS") AS NOM-

INEE FOR GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC F/K/A

GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as Bene-

ficiary, dated 10/24/2007, recorded 10/30/2007.

as Instrument No. 2007-026536 and re-record-

ed , records of Twin Falls County, Idaho, the

beneficial interest in which is presently held by

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION

SYSTEMS, INC. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-

1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTA-

TION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE

NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS

OBLIGATION. The Default for which this sale is

to be made is the failure to pay when due, under

Deed of Trust and Note dated 10/24/2007. The

monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Im-

pounds (if applicable) of 964.01, due per month

from 7/1/2008 through 4/2/2009, and all subse-

quent payments until the date of sale or rein-

statement. The principal balance owing as of

this date on the obligation secured by said Deed

of Trust is \$122,869.17, plus accrued interest at

the rate of 6.75% per annum from 6/1/2008. All

delinquent amounts are now due, together with

accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and

accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees,

attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to

protect the security associated with this foreclo-

sure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the

trust property to be sold to satisfy said obliga-

tion. Dated: 11/24/2008 FIRST AMERICAN TI-

TLE INSURANCE COMPANY Dee Ortega, au-

thorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Ser-

vices, LLC at 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite

400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line:

Need to place a classified?

(714) 730-2727 ASAP# 2936320

PUBLISH: February 3, 10 and 17, 2009

your right to know and to be informed of what your government is doing. As self-government charges all citizens to be informed, this newspaper urges every citizen to read and study these notices. We advise those citizens who seek further information to exercise their right to access public records and public meetings.

Please address all legal advertising to: LEGAL ADVERTISING The Times-News PO Box 548 Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0548 email to

tion, noon on Wednesday for Sunday, noon on Thursday for Monday, noon on Friday for Tuesday and Wednesday, noon on Monday for Thursday and noon on Tuesday for Friday and Saturday. Holiday deadlines may vary. If you have any questions call Ruby, legal clerk, at

NOTICE OF LETTING

Sealed proposals will be received by the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION BOARD only at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPART-MENT, 3311 WEST STATE STREET, BOISE IDAHO 83703. ATTN: ROADWAY DESIGN until two o'clock p.m., on March 10, 2009, for the work of seal coating I-86 from the Salt Lake. Interchange to Raft River and US-93 from Perrine Bridge to Jct US-93/I-84; FY09 D4 Distwide Seal coats, known as Idaho Project. No. A011(533), in Jerome & Cassia County,

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERN-ING THIS PROPOSAL, PLEASE CONTACT ENGINEER ***THOMAS

forms, and other information may be obtained at the office of the Idaho Transportation Department, Boise, Idaho, and are on file for examination at the office of the District Engineer at Shoshone, Idaho.

A non-refundable charge of THIRTY DOLLARS (\$30.00) plus applicable sales tax will be made for each set of plans, payment to be made by check, payable to the Idaho Trans-Department. Plans may be ordered by phone (800) 732-2098 (in Idaho) or (208) 334-8430; or by written request to the Idaho Transportation Department, Attn: Revenue Operations, P. O. Box 34, Boise, ID 83731-0034

COMPUTERIZED BIDDING DISKETTES ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**

for the State of Idaho. No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by an acceptable proposal guaranty. This

guaranty must be in the form of a Certified Check or a Cashier's Check drawn on an Idaho bank in the amount of five percent of the total amount bid, made payable to the Idaho Transportation Department, or a Bidder's Bond in the amount of five percent of the total amount bid.

License Board (800) 358-6895 prior to submitting a bid.

Title 29, Paragraphs 201-219, Chapter 8) shall apply in the employment of labor for this project. It is the purpose of the Idaho Transportation Board to build the improvement in the shortest time consistent with good construction. Necessary equipment and an effective organization

PUBLISH: February 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, 2009

NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, March 4, 2009 at 2:00 PM at the Shilo Inn. 780 Lindsay Blvd., Idaho Falls, Idaho, nominations for one grower member of the Idaho Potato Commission may be made by qualified commercial potato growers residing in District No. 1, which includes Oneida, Franklin, Bear Lake, Caribou, Bannock, Power, Bingham, Bonneville, leton, Madison, Jefferson, Fremont, Clark, Butte, Custer, and Lemhi counties. Said growers may nominate three qualified growers for the vacancy from whom one will be appointed to the Commission by Governor C.L. "Butch" Otter.

NOTICE OF MEETING

March 4, 2009 at 2:00 PM at the Shilo Inn, 780 Lindsay Blvd., Idaho Falls, Idaho, nominations for one processor member of the Idaho Potato Commission may be made by qualified potato processors residing in the State of Idaho. Said processors may nominate three qualified processors for the vacancy from whom one will be appointed to the Commission by Governor C.L. "Butch" Otter.

NOTICE OF MEETING TO NOMINATE A PACKER/SHIPPER MEMBER PUBLISH: January 20, 27, Feb 3 and 10, 2009 OF THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, March 4, 2009 at 2:00 PM at the Shilo Inn, 780 Lindsay Blvd., Idaho Falls, Idaho, nominations for one packer/shipper member of the Idaho Potato Commission may be made by qualified packer/shippers residing in the State of Idaho. Said packer/shippers may nominate three qualified packer/shippers for the vacancy from whom one will be appointed to the Commission by Governor C.L. "Butch" Otter.

a negative credit report reflecting on your credit Dated: February 6, 2009 /s/Frank W. Muir President/CEO

record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obli-Idaho Potato Commission

No time to call or stop by? Log on to www.magicvalley.com

 Find the ad owl button Click Follow the steps

Easy as 1.2.3 and convenient!

www.magicvalley.com



101 Lost and Found

FOUND Black male, at 300 S. of Declo. He misses his family, 208-431-6043.

FOUND Lab mix puppies (8), will place in homes. 10-12 wks old, black & chocolate, 208-431-3799 or 208-654-2242

FOUND Siamese kitten in the Kimberly Middle School parking lot. Call 208-423-4706

LOST Cat. black, male older, white chest and paws near Carriage and Joshua Way. 208-293-6827

LOST Chihuahua miy male lost on President streets. Brown/white. If found call 308-5538.

LOST Jack Russell Chihuahua mix, male, white w/brown spots, 2 yrs old, black collar (silver design). Lost Friday afternoon around Poplar Ave. "Raff". 208-358-2625

LOST Kitten, teenaged Calico, female. Lost near Lincoln School from 4th Ave. N. 208-733-9110

LOST Lab Mix 2-dogs missing in Kimberty/ Twin Falls area. RE-WARD. "Zues" is a 4 year old black male with a curty tail. "Ellie" is a 9 year old chocolate female in need of medications. PLEASE CALL 208-539-3390.

LOST Schnauzer small all black female, answers to Bella. Lost at 672 W 100 S of Paul. Reward! 678-0109

LOST Sony digital camera, silver with full disc of pictures. Lost Sat in TF. RE-WARD, 208-731-7311

LOST Walking cane, carved, light/medium brown. Has sentimen-Lost on 2/4 at Walmart. Can be returned to Walmart or call: 208-645-2595

104 Personals

Single white wanting to meet single gal 40-50 for date able to drive. Also relationship with marriage. No stand calls 324-8117 404 Ave E Jerome, ld 83338

107 Pregnancy Alternatives

Free Pregnancy Tests Confidential 208-734-7472

Pregnant? Worried?

108 Professional Services

Bankruptcy & Debt Counseling Free 16 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 No time to clean?

Exp, reliable, reasonable rates. Refs upon request. Home or office. 208-735-4559.

BUY IT! SELL IT!

A TIMES-NEWS CLASSIFIED WILL FILL EVERY NEED

BUY IT! SELL IT!

your credit obligations. ASAP# 2983104 PUBLISH: Feb 10, 17, 24 and March 3, 2009

Swimming Pool Construction 215,449.00

BUDGET

3.048,592.00

186 572 00

315,000.00

18,841.00

92,841.00

340,000.00

100.719.00

22,212,00

11,696.00

8,579.00

12,026.00

1,037,100.00

2.138,466.00

5.545,102.00

563.437.00

BUDGET

3.086,656.00

161,522.00

15,000.00

6,300.00

33,000.00

173.884.00

390,000.00

100,719.00

777,887.00

8,795.00

12,026.00

1.015.195.00

2,288,466.00

599,346.00

1,879.00

1,879.00

10,203,568.00

RECEIPTS

174,171.03

1.489.76

19,577.69

18,841.00

92,841.00

285,365.30

100,719.00

26,947,49

28,154.09

8,513.20

18,794.02

1,168,285.83

2.167.725.80

5,547,235.74

YTD

RECEIPTS

583,598,53

13,924.27

1.749.69

8,501,40

2,000.00

22,500.00

4,163.80

607.94

916.10

856.05

153.045.78

139,363.10

504,096.15

1.085,413.02

Citizens are invited to inspect the detailed supporting records of the above financial statement.

SUBDIVISION.

3,682.65

312,618.78

Citizens are invited to inspect the detailed supporting records of the above financial statement.

CITY OF RUPERT

TREASURER'S QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT

1st QUARTER JANUARY 31, 2009

573,795.11

4,437.92

16,379,803.23

291,219.57

3,004,089.82

(112,236,57)

CITY OF RUPERT

TREASURER'S QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT

4TH QUARTER SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

YTD

EXPENSE

2,884,155.00

137.080.51

16.294.01

26.822.66

419,415.51

110,532.72

21.943.96

25,156.97

15.008.91

842,427.94

519,101.06

1.800.381.18

5.536.457.29

YTD

EXPENSE

586.081.17

24,931.80

4,436.62

6,016.35

80,536.92

167.711.95

128,603,17

284,117.35

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No.: ID-08-227230-TD Loan No.: 20-0051-

0274557 On 5/29/2009, at 11:00 AM (recog-

nized local time), at the following location in the

County of TWIN FALLS, State of Idaho: At the

entrance to First American Title Company locat-

ed at 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID

83301, First American Title Insurance Compa-

ny, as Trustee, on behalf of CitiFinancial, Inc. by

CitiFinancial Mortgage Company, Inc. will sell at

public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in

lawful money of the United States, all payable at

the time of sale, the following real property,

situated in the County of TWIN FALLS, State of

Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 19

BLOCK 3 SOUTH PARK ADDITION, TWIN

FALLS COUNTY IDAHO ACCORDING TO THE

OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN

BOOK 2 OF PLATS, PAGE 18, RECORDS OF

TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee

has no knowledge of a more particular descrip-

tion of the above referenced real property, but

for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113

Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that

the address of 163 RAMAGE ST, TWIN FALLS,

ID 83301 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

ALFREDO FLORES, A MARRIED MAN DEAL-

ING WITH SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPER-

TY, as Grantor/Trustor, in which CitiFinancial

Inc. is named as Beneficiary and FIRST AMERI-

CAN TITLE NATIONAL as Trustee and record-

ed 7/15/2008, as Instrument No. 2008-015984

in book - , page - of Official Records in the office

of the Recorder of TWIN FALLS County, Idaho.

Please Note: The above Grantors are named to

comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code,

No representation is made that they are, or are

not, presently responsible for this obligation set

forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to

be made is the failure to pay when due, under

Deed of Trust and Note dated 7/8/2008. The

monthly installments of principal interest and im-

pounds (if applicable) of \$962.09, due per

month for the months of 8/15/2008 through

1/6/2009, and all subsequent installments until

the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal

balance owing as of this date on the obligation

secured by said Deed of Trust is \$93,142.81 to-

gether with interest thereon at the current rate of

12.0600 per cent (%) per annum from

7/15/2008. All delinquent amounts are now due,

together with accruing late charges, and inter-

est, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments,

trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts

advanced to protect the security associated with

this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects

to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to

satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to

convey title for any reason, the successful

bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the

return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the

successful bidder shall have no further

recourse. Dated: 1/27/2009 By: First American

Title Insurance Company, as Trustee Quality

Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San

Diego, CA 92101, as Agent By: Tara Donzella, Assistant Vice President ***For Sale Information

Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityas-

ap.com if you have previously been discharged

through bankruptcy, you may have been re-

leased of personal liability for this loan in which

case this letter is intended to exercise the note

holder's rights against the real property only.

This is an attempt to collect a debt and any in-

formation obtained will be used for that purpose.

As required by law, you are hereby notified that

PUBLISH: Feb 10, 17, 24 and March 3, 2009

gations. ASAP# 2983098

1,800.00

16,172,153,39

1.312.95



% EXP

95%

73%

5%

195%

0%

0%

33%

0%

158%

99%

215%

175%

0%

8190

92%

84%

100%

% EXP

19%

15%

0%

70%

5%

0%

0%

0%

0%

10%

98%

0%

0%

0%

17%

21%

12%

PUBLIC NOTICE

Actions planned and taken by your government are contained in public notices. They are part of

IMPORTANT

legals@magicvalley.com Deadline for legal ads: 3 days prior to publica-

Key No. 11533.

BROWN*** AT (208) 886-7851.]

Plans, specifications, form of contract, proposal

The right is reserved to reject all proposals, or to accept the proposal or proposals deemed best

Bidders shall be licensed in the State of Idaho by

The Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 /U.S.C.A. will be insisted upon.

Dated February 2, 2009 TOM COLE, P.E. Chief Engineer

TO NOMINATE A GROWER MEMBER OF THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

TO NOMINATE A PROCESSOR MEMBER OF THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday,

PUBLISH: February 10 and 24, 2009



ATF4990805078-BO

Title No. 4070809371EJD



Customer Ref No. 833918 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE On Thursday, May 14, 2009 at the hour of 10:30 o'clock A.M., of said day, in the office of Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. located at 1411 Falls Avenue East, Suite 1315, Twin Falls, ID

83301. Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashiers check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of the sale), money order. State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit.

Lot 3 of Hillwood Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof, filed in Book 11 of Plats at Page(s) 36, Official Records of Twin

Falls County, Idaho. THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: 935 Katherine Street, Buhl, ID 83316, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSO-CIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.

If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec. Said sale will be made without covenant or

warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by Jay A. Waters and Robin M. Waters, whose interest was subse-quently assumed by Danielle Valentine Easley and Juan J. Easley, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance as Beneficiary, recorded February 7, 2006 as Instrument No. 2006-003076 and rerecorded on March 7, 2006 as Instrument No. 2006-005515, Mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4)(a), IDAHO CODE, NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLI-

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

Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$101,420.15 together with interest thereon at the rate of 8.37% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated January 30, 2006. Payments are in default for the months of August 2008 through and including December 2008 in the amount of \$754.59 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance as of December 19, 2008 is \$96,540.27 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 8.37% per annum. The per diem is \$20.49. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated

The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$96,540.27, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reason-able attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed

Silly or sweet, romantic or frantic,

Valentine's Day Love Lines

are the perfect way to share your

sentiments with someone special in

the Times-News Saturday,

February 14th.

BORDERS

Compose your message and send it along

with your payment so we receive it by

Wednesday, February 11th, at 3:00 pm.

132 Fairfield Street West

PO Box 548, Twin Falls, 83303

jhollon@magicvalley.com

Dated: January 13, 2009 Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer Phone: (877) 947-1553

Message:

Cost is \$15 for

up to 25 words

additional word)

(25¢ for each

Your Name

Phone_

Payment_

with this foreclosure.

PUBLISH: Jan 20, 27, Feb 3 and 10, 2009



Work Wanted

PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE Federal Employment information is free.

Remember, no one can promise you a federal job. For free information about federal jobs. Call Career

America Connection. 478-757-3000

206 Drivers

DRIVER

Looking for a part-time job working mornings & afternoons? We have the perfect job for you! Now hiring **Bus Drivers** Paid Training Western States Bus Call 208-733-8003







Classified Ad Placement magicvalley.com

Drivers

DRIVERS TOP GUN Class "A" CDL Instruction

735-6656

DRIVERS Newly Improved Pay Package, Full Benefits! Dedicated Clients! Clean Work! 3 vrs. CDL-Hazmát Doubles/Triples! bulk-dti.com

Forrest

775-397-1173

Bill 775-934-4479

interviewing depart-CLASSIFIEDS ment. This position It pays to read the involves conducting fine print! public opinion polls over the telephone. Call The Times-News to place your ad Research offers: 208-733-0931 ext. 2

*** 208 Farm

Classified Private Party Ads

Requires pre-payment prior to publication. Major credit/debit cards, and cash accepted.

733-0931 ext. 2 Times-News

209 General

GENERAL DISCOVERY Day & Swing Shift

ositions Available •No Sales involved!

*Base Pay up to \$11.00 an Hour! •All Paid Training! ·Flexible Scheduling - You Pick the Days you Want to Work! Shift Start Times

Coincide School Schedules! Bonuses Offered on Monthly Basis! Fun. Positive Work Environment! Great for First Time Job or Career!

Please apply at 340 Meadows Dr #1 Twin Falls or (208) 735-6601 Walking distance from CSF

REMEMBER That birthday ad you placed some time ago in The Times conve pick up your pictures.

Service Dept today!

GENERAL

General

GENERAL

Mystery

Shoppers

Earn up to \$100/day.

Under cover shoppers

needed. To judge retail

and dining establish-

ments. Exp. not req. Optional Reg. Fee

Call 877-758-2863

P/T Housekeeper

Apply in person at the

Amber Inn exit 182,

Oasis 825-5200

PhoneBase Research

currently has immedi-

ate openings in our

PhoneBase

Flexible evening,

hours.

day and weekend

PhoneBase |

HOUSEKEEPING

All advertising is subject to the newspaper's standard of acceptance.

reserves the right to edit, abbreviate decline or properly classify any ad. Receipt of copy via remote entry (fax, e-mail, etc.) does not constitute final acceptance by this

newspaper assumes full responsibility for the truthful content of their advertiser message.

BUY IT! SELL IT!

A TIMES-NEWS CLASSIFIED WILL FILL EVERY

> NEED BUY IT! SELL IT!

Seasonal Ditch Riders

Twin Falls Canal

Company is now

accepting applications for

Seasonal Ditch Riders to work within our

service areas south of Twin Falls and

west of Castleford. Applicants must

reside with ten miles of the respective

areas. Desired qualifications include an

individual who is a self-starter and able

to work with the public. Prior farm

irrigation experience would be helpful.

Employee Benefits, training and a

company vehicle will be provided.

Openings for Seasonal Positions Only

TFCC is E.O.E and a Drug Free Workplace

For Complete Job Descriptions and

Applications Apply at:

1310 Burley Ave, Buhl, Idaho

357 6th Ave West Twin Falls, Idaho

Closing Date is Friday,

February 13, 2009

Is this

DON'T WAIT!!

3 Positions available. Come join a successful and proven team!



Call Tiffanee Martinez to make an appointment 208-736-2480

SUDOK

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

FINANCIAL

304

Investments

DRACO

INVESTMENT

CORP

CASH for Deeds of

Trust, Mortgages and

Real Estate Contracts.

Call today for a free,

no-obligation quote.

(208)733-3821

EDUCATION

400

School

Instruction

PUBLIC SERVICE

MESSAGE

Big profits usually

mean big risks.

Before you do

business with a

company, check it

out with the Better

Business Bureau.

For free information

about avoiding

investment scams,

write to the Federal

Trade Commission,

Washington, D.C.

20580 or call the

National Fraud

Information Center

Answer to previous puzzle 5 1 8 7 9 4 6 2 3 2 4 9 6 5 3 8 1 7

7 6 3 8 2 1 5 9 4 4 9 1 5 3 7 2 8 6 8 5 7 1 6 2 3 4 9 3 2 6 4 8 9 7 5 1 1 8 4 3 7 5 9 6 2 6 3 2 9 1 8 4 7 5 9 7 5 2 4 6 1 3 8

Medical

HOME C HOSPIC

Due to a HUGE INCREASE in CLIENTELE, daho Home Health & Hospice is now hiring for the following

positions: Part-time C.N.A's Part-time NA's come be a part of caring environment Apply at

826 Eastland Drive or Email resumes to heather@idaho homehealth.com EOE

0215

SALES

Energetic? Outgoing? \$300-\$400 per week Klosk Sales Sell newspaper

subscriptions for the Times-News at various retail locations in Twin Falls and/or Burley Sales experience preferred. For more information, email Laura.Stewart@ magicvalley.com

Dream. Fire your boss. Unlimited earnings 731-2049

FAX YOUR CLASSIFIED

CLASSIFIED 208-734-5538

Experienced Salespeople only!

401 School Instruction

CLASSIFIEDS

It pays to read the fine print. Call Times-News to place your ad 208-733-0931 ext. 2

REAL ESTATE PHE II

500

501 Open House

PUBLIC SERVICE

MESSAGE Selling Property? Don't pay any fees until it's sold. For tree information about avoiding time

share and real estate scams, write to: Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580 or call the National Fraud

502 Homes For Sale

Information Center

1-800-876-7060.

BURLEY Beautiful 4 bdrm, 3 bath, all brick home with large 2 car garage. New carpet and paint, 2600 sq. ft. Rambler with base ment. Well on property with sprinkler system. Nice neighbor-\$149,500. hood. Steve 801-726-9971.

FILER Brand new 2100 sq. ft., 4 bdrm, 2 bath, granite counters, family room, soaker tub, lots of and landextras scaped in a very nice subdivision, 100% financing available at 5.2% interest for 30 years with good credit and adequate income. \$197,500. Call 208-358-0152

502 Homes For Sale

DECLO 2966 sq. ft. finished. Back & front covered patio, over sized 3 car garage (1004 sq. ft.), 4 bdrms 3 baths, granite kitchen counter tops, \$310,000

208-678-1403 or 208-431-1403



reduced! Approx acre. RV parking & shop. 4 bdrm, 3 bath, 2200 sq. ft., 3 car garage (885 sq. ft.), formal dining rm, 9' ceilings, central vac. Vaulted & tray ceilings in living room, master bdrm, formal dining rm. Covered rear & front porches. city water & sewer open floor plan \$310,000. 208-539 7060 or 837-6494

KIMBERLY 1625 sq. ft. 3 bdrm, 2 bath with office, open floor plan with large kitchen & vaulted ceilings, vinyl siding, fenced

yard with covered patio, great neighborhood. \$166,500. 208-423-4838

TWIN FALLS 2005 For sale or lease. 4 bdrm, 2 bath, 1688 sq. ft., 2 car garage. Sprinkler system, lots of upgrades, RV pad, fireplace, extra electrical upgrades,

lg master bdrm and bath, beautiful itchen, plant shelves, exc neighborhood. Reduced \$220,000. 2352 Eastbrooke Rd Call 961-0522

TWIN FALLS 2005 Milestone

in Morning home Subdivision. Sun Approx. 3400 sq. ft. large 4 bedroom plus office. 2 story with 2 separate upstairs with master bedroom on main level, 3 car garage, upgrades. many 698 Morning Sun. \$419,000.

Call 208-490-1396 or 623-670-2560 to view.

TWIN FALLS

4 bdrm, 2 bath, 1510 square feet, new flooring, large patio, tully landscaped.

vaulted ceilings, excellent condition. \$178,900. 1310 Ashley Dr (NW Twin Falls). Call 208-733-9196

or visit 310ashleydrivetwinfalls.blogspot.com

TWIN FALLS



fireplace, 2,581 sq. ft. of living space. Landscaped, 3 car garage. \$279,900. 2165 Settlers Lane Financing Available First Federal Bank

208-733-4222 Ask for Ron Rasmussen or Shawna Dally

TWIN FALLS Built in

2004. 3 bedroom plus

bonus room, 2 baths. 1454 sq. ft. with 2 car garage. Fenced yard with sprinkler system. Close to Oregon Trail Elementary at 652 Cedar Brook Dr. Reduced to \$140,000. Linda 309-1710 or 208-823-4642.

won't MAKE YOU RICH But look on the bright side.

Duval Crts

Maurice St. N.

Heyburn Ave. E.
Filer Ave. E.
Oakwaod Ct.

Rusty Lane

5th Ave. E.
8th Ave. E.
Maurice St.
Elm St. TWIN FALLS

735-3346

San Larue Ave.
Sunrise Blvd. N. TWIN FALLS 735-3346

Park Ave.
 16th Street

 Main Street BURLEY 677-8733

· Highland Ave.

Nebreska

Montana

Wyoming
 Illinois

GOODING

735-3302

California

Call now for more Twin Falls . . 705-0046

of your discontent? Be happy ⊕ at

the winter

Part-time RN/LPN 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Full time & part-time CNAs for days/eve

Competitive pay, full benefits. Apply in person with resume. Contact Beverly Nipper with questions: 208-734-8645.

RIVERRIDGE CARE & REHABILITATION CENTER Caring is the Key in Life

640 Filer Ave West, Twin Falls, Phone: 208-734-8645

735-3302

information about routes | Burley, Rupert, Poul. . . 677-6733 | Kimberly, Buhl, Flex, TRMR. . . 735-3241 available in your area. Gooding, Shoshone, Holley, Jerome. . . 735-3302

TWIN FALLS TWIN FALLS 735-3346 735-3346 2nd Ave 3rd Ave

735-3302

Alturas Drive
 Elm Street N.
 Heyburn Ave. E.

Maplewood Dr.

 Pork Ave Magnolia
 Parkwood Dr.

Cedarbrook

TWIN FALLS

735-3346

 Buhl Motor Route availablenow Sa50-\$900 4th Ave 5th Ave JEROME BUHL

Times-News

MEDICAL

 Up to \$12 an hour Casual working environment Monthly interviewer incentives Absolutely no sales or soliciting

 Health benefits available To apply stop by our office at 840 Meadows Dr. Ste #2 in Twin Falls or call

us at 208-736-2851

Medical

Sales The Times-News

newspaper. The advertiser, not the

SALES Find your American

AD TIMES-NEWS DEPARTMENT

SALES

KEEP YOU FROM BECOMING POOR.

Sunrise Blvd. N. Shoup Ave. E. TWIN FALLS 735-3346

Alturas Dr. N
 Granada Dr.

735-3241

GOODING

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane 2-10 Dist. by King Feetu

"Good news, Mommy. I outgrew this shirt I never liked."

502

Homes For Sale

TWIN FALLS Cute, clean 3 bdrm, 2 bath manufactured home. Near city golf Financing course.

able! \$89,000 4.68 acres overlook Rock Creek Canyon with bdrm, 2 bath home 1680 sq ft, one lev el. \$285,000

4 borm 2-story log faced country home. Remodeled sun room. On 1.34 acres, good views \$149,500

Call Mark 308-3030

733-0404 www.rjrealty.com

TWIN FALLS Free Home Search Free list of foreclosures Exit Realty

TWIN FALLS New home for sale or rent. 1276 sq. ft. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage, all appliances, on quiet cul-de-sac near golf course. Purchase for \$130,000 or rent \$850 month. 208-681-6684

TWIN FALLS Newer 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 1578 walking distance to new Walmart, & high school, large fenced yard, 2 car garage. appliances, included, \$167,300 Call Lori for details

208-404-4345. TWIN FALLS Newly remodeled in Boehm Estate! New carpet, and hardwood floors. maple cabinets, granite. stainless appliances. Downstairs kitchenette features Jenn-Air cook-Stone fireplace, top. patio and covered deck underground sprinklers. 2429 sq. ft. 3 large bedrooms. 2 baths. Home sits acres in beautiful neighborhood with lots of malandscaping. \$279,900. 3069 Boehm Estate. Call

TWIN FALLS Rent to-own homes avail most price 3 to 5 ranges. bdrms. Lease now while you prepare to buy in 1.5 or 2 years. Sm down is all you need to quality. 735-5242

Steve at 293-5288.

REMEMBER

That birthday ad you placed some time ago in The Times News? Now is the time to come pick up your pictures.

502 Homes For Sale

HOME INSPECTIONS For buyers & sellers Bill Baker 326-5115



EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES All real estate advertis

ng in this newspaper subject to the Fair Hous ing Act which makes it illegal to advertise "arr preference limitation or discrimination based or race, color, religion, sex handicap, familial status or national origin or an intention to make am such preference limita tion or discrimination Familial status includes children under the age of 18 living with parents or legal custodian; preg nant women and people securing oustody or children under 18.

This newspaper will no knowingly accept any advertising for real es tate which is in viola tion of the law. Ou readers are hereby in that dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. To complain of discrimina-tion call HUD Toll-free telephone number at 800-659-9777. The Toll-tree telephone number for the hearing impaired is 800-927

512 Farms/Ranches/ Dairies

200 acres RUPERT North of Rupert, A&B water, pivot & wheel irrigated. Pete, 208-431-3003.

513 Acreage and Lots

FILER Nice home site, 27 acres farm land with water \$148,500. 5.8 acre country home site with wa

WANT TO BUY 10-20 acres on east side of Twin Falls, 733-2323 or 208-420-9195

Call 208-358-1890

tor. \$68,500.

515 Commercial Property



Daniel Land Multi Units Offer

Positive Cash Flow 6400 sq. ft, building, 40 parking spaces for sale or for lease. \$2,900 month.

MLS#9815710 Call Kelly Runyon 1-800-529-4456 or 208-312-1243 River Bridge Realty

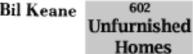
JEROME on GOLF COURSE, 11th tee Home in private community. Nice 2100 sq. ft. open floor plan, turn key! Lovely 47'x27' great room, fireplace, custom travertine kitchen, appls, high ceiling. Lg. 3 bedroom & 2 bath master w/soaking tub/shower. Walk-in closet. Full glass door/side lights. Security alarm. Large windows, best view, ponds 15' waterfall. Great location. Moving to California. Reduced \$85,000 to \$210,000.

102 Country Club Drive. 208-324-6416



Let us show you our many fine listings in all price ranges

SEE OUR FULL PAGE AD IN THE REAL ESTATE MAGAZINE 934-4781



BUHL 3 bdrm, 11/2 bath, no pets, \$625 month + \$625 dep. Call 208-731-0937

BUHL 2 bdrm, 2 bath \$575 •3 bdrm-close in \$475

\$400 1 bdrm studio \$250 Barker Realtors Call 543-4371

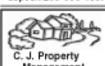
bdrm-near stores

\$450

BUHL Clean 2 bdrm, 1 bath, no pets/smoking \$550 + \$550 deposit. 208-404-1834

BURLEY 3 bedroom, 1 bath, W/D hookup. DW, no smoking/pets. \$670 mo. + \$350 dep. Call 208-300-0262 or 208-300-0491.

BURLEY Newly remodeled house, hardwood floors, large kitchen & living room. \$650 + deposit 208-866-1557



515

Commercial

Property

WHO can help

YOU sell your

property?

Classifieds

Can!

733-0931 ext. 2

hinad@nagicvalley.com

Vacation Property

SUN VALLEY 4 bdrm,

3 bath spacious vaca

tion home, fractional

ownership. You get 1-

2 weeks per season

for a total of 6 weeks.

Access to Elkhorn

pool, tennis, and golf.

208-860-3443

518

Mobile Homes

FILER For sale by own-

er. 1971 Broadmore

single wide, in a park, 840 sq. ft., 2 bdrm, 1

bath, AC/gas heat, all

appls, 3 out-buildings,

fenced area, very nice

Owner will carry con-tract. 208-326-4503.

TWIN FALLS Beautiful

single wide in Lazy J

Ranch, 3 bdrm and

large sunroom. Fur-

nished and ready to

move into. Call 208-

954-1691 or 324-7123

521

Manufactured

Homes

3 bdrm., 2 bath, 1,620

sq. ft. living space

On foundation.

335 6* Ave West

First Federal Bank

208-733-4222

Ask for Shawna Dally

or Esteban Martinez

RENTAL

Furnished Homes

Classified

Department

Classified Sales

Representatives are

available from

Monday -Friday

Call our office

in Twin Falls

733-0931 ext. 2

Fully furnished 2 bdrm

2 bath condo with

small study/office and

secure underground

parking. Convenient

location, quiet setting

\$950/month.

No smoking/pets

355 N. Elm St. Call

Betsy 208-280-3800 or

602

Unfurnished

Homes

BUHL 1 bdrm, 1 bath,

\$425 + deposit. 724

Walnut 208-423-4557

BUHL 2 bdrm, 1 bath,

refrig. stove, \$550 +

dep. or buy \$59,900.

Se Habla Espanol

358-0085 or 731-5745

BUHL 3 bdrm, 1 bath

great location, hard

floors,

ences required, \$650

208-543-2903

smoking or pets.

\$500 deposit. No

wood

or 909-881-2045

Trayci 208-320-1816

TWIN FALLS

8:00 am-5:00 pm

WENDELL

\$15,000/offer

Times Shares

Management. For Rent... Many rentals, sizes,

& locations to choose from. 734-4001 www.cjprops.com



EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES All real estate adver tising in this newspaper is subject to the fair housing act which makes it illegal to advertise any discrimination based on race, color, relligion, sex, handicap, familial status, or national origin or an intention to make any such preference limitation or discrimination. "Familial status includes children under the age of 18 living with parents or custodian lega! pregnant women

and people securing

custody or children

under 18.

This newspaper will knowingly acnot cept any advertising real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby inthat all formed dwelling advertised newspaper are available on an opportunity basis. To complain of discrimination call HUD toll-free telephone number at 800-669-9777. The

ing impaired 800-927-8275 FILER Clean & spacious, newer 3 bdrm, 2 beth, with dol car garage, great comer lot. \$695 + dep. No pets. Refs. 326-5887

toll-free telephone

number for the hear-

FILER Country home, 2 or 3 bdrm, 6 miles south of Curry Coun-try Store. Attached garage, outbldgs, nice shop & 4 acres, \$850 without shop \$1200 with shop. No smoking, 431-7387

FILER Cute 3 bdrm, 1 bath house, large sprinkler sysyard. tem, no smoking/pets, year lease, \$650 month + \$500 deposit. 208-569-9220

FILER Ranch acre, new 1 bdrm cottage, carport, hardwood floors, new cabinets, horse corral avail, water/garbage incl. \$600 14. last, cleaning, 1/3 utils, 3825 N. 2200 E. #C. 208-731-7218

FILER Ranch acres, large double wide, 3 bdrm, W/D hookups, new carpet, central heating/AC, small animals ok, horse corral, 1" + last + cleaning & pet deposit. \$775/mo. 3825 N. 2200 E. B.

HAGERMAN 2 bdrm homes, wood stove, storage, no garage smoking, 308-0208

208-731-7218

HAGERMAN 3 bdrm, 3 bath. WEST MAGIC 3 bdrm, 2 bath. By week or by the month. No smoking & 1 pet ok. Call 208-726-3046

HAZELTON Country home, 3 bdrm, 2 bath. 2 car garage, \$800 mo. \$800 deposit apply. 208-260-1378

HOME OWNERS NEEDED!

Seeking families for 2009 builds. Applications available at 669 Eastland Ave S Habitat For Humanity office. 208-735-1233

Photos posted online irk woman preferring privacy

person by nature and avoid doing a lot of posting on the Internet because of it. My problem is a friend I'll call "Maria," who constantly posts pictures of our outings with friends on her Web site for everyone to see,

Classifieds 733-0931 ext. 2

The photos themselves are not embarrassing, I just prefer not having my face plastered all over the Internet. Most recently, Maria posted photographs from my wedding without asking me, and it really bothered me. I understand that she is an outgoing person who enjoys sharing details of her life, but I feel like my privacy has been invaded.

I am not the only person in our group that feels this way. How do we ask her to stop posting these images without offending her?

OVEREXPOSED IN SAN FRANCISCO

DEAR OVEREXPOSED: You do it by telling Maria — with a smile that posting your pictures on her Web site makes you uncomfortable and to please stop it.

If you don't have the courage to confront her one-on-one, then do it as a group. Should Marie "forget" and continue posting pictures you'd rather not appear online, remember to duck when she whips out her camera.

IF FEBRUARY 10 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You could be juggling several balls at once in the year ahead. Your sense of purpose has been revived, enthusiasms are back on track and relationships that sapped your energy are fading from view. Between now and September, you might become the apple of someone's eye and this will help if you want to make a career change or find a permanent relationship. A lucky break could appear in April that offers you a chance to take a completely different, and more beneficial, direction. Be prepared to work hard and play hard to achieve your ambitions in 2009. Important new contacts may aid your climb to success next summer.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Prepare to put your most important ideas into motion. You can sidestep any potential problems by taking your time, working in a quiet area and focusing on creating things of lasting value.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Develop business connections. Your reputation is in your own hands and you have the ability to mold circumstances to your liking, like a potter at the wheel. Create something worthy of your

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): The roads ahead are clear and smooth.



Dear Abby Jeanne **Phillips**

DEAR ABBY: Would you mind settling a debate? My friend Tony was born in New York. His parents moved the family to Florida when he was 6.

Tony's wife was born and raised in New York, and he says he is "from New York." She disagrees and tells him he is from Florida because he was raised

When someone asks, "Where are you from?" (geographically), what is the correct response?

- BORN IN JERSEY RAISED IN FLORIDA DEAR BORN/RAISED: What

often prompts that question is a regional or a foreign accent, and some people become defensive when asked where they are from. In states like Florida, Arizona, Nevada and California the guestion often comes up because so many residents have moved from somewhere else.

When Tony is asked, it might be more accurate to respond, "I was born in New York and raised

not need to correct him. (Dear Abby rule for a successful marriage: Don't start arguments over things that are inconsequential.)

DEAR ABBY: I am married for the second time and have added two boys to my three. My stepsons are great, but I do have one challenge. Their mother can sometimes be *excessive." buys them expensive gifts for no reason, allows them to drink sugary soft drinks, etc. This is very different from how I parent my

Yesterday, the younger one was showing us his wiggly tooth (his first) and said he would be taking it to his mom's house because she leaves \$20 while we only give \$1! So far, I have taken the grin-andbear-it route. I'm curious as to your take on the situation.

- TOOTH FAIRY IN GAITHERSBURG, MD.

DEAR TOOTH FAIRY: Your husband's ex may feel guilty about the divorce and be using gifts to make it up to her boys, or she may be trying to one-up you. It is also possible that this is the way her mother raised her - in a household where \$20 for a lost tooth was not unusual and sugary soft drinks were a staple. So keep smiling and try not to let it get to you.

MOROSCOPE 1 Jeraldine Saunders

Move into high gear and use the ability to convey the appropriate message. Spread the news, espouse a cause, discuss your options and communicate with others.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your judgment about people and things is somewhat better than usual. Because you understand what motivates others, you have the ability to motivate them to cooperate with your desires and dreams. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Change

your tune if you hope to change the world. Quit repeating the same old mistakes. Become selfreliant and adapt to the latest trends to be a successful force in the community or marketplace. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Quit

hiding your light under a bushel. Peace and tranquility can return if you come out of your shell and hold frank discussions with your partner or significant other. Place key plans into motion. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Wish

upon a twinkling star. If you want something badly enough, you are bound to receive it if you are persistent. Shake off the little irritations of life and concentrate on what brings joy and happiness.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): To dream the impossible dream might be entirely possible if you play your cards right. The full moon in Leo puts the spotlight on close relationships, family and home for the next several weeks.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Be a brilliant visionary and grasp the implications of current events and their impact on your small section of the world. You might not win the lottery, but you can predict some things accurately.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Think big. If you've been playing a shell game with your finances, now is the time to squirrel away plenty of nuts for a serene future. Escape to the land of love with a willing partner this evening.

AQUÂRIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your good taste and sense of style can put you at the forefront; others may hang onto your every word. This is a good time to speak to groups, write down your thoughts or persuade others.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Give an inch and gain a mile. Be generous with apologies and work hard to clarify misunderstandings with those you love and admire. Seeds may be sown now that will grow into permanent improvements.

Today is Tuesday, Feb. 10, the 41st day of 2009. There are 324

days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 10, 1959, a major tornado tore through the St. Louis, Mo., area, killing 21 people and causing heavy damage.

On this date:

In 1763, Britain, Spain and France signed the Treaty of Paris, ending the Seven Years' War.

In 1840, Britain's Queen Victoria married Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha.

In 1841, Upper Canada and Lower Canada were proclaimed united under an Act of Union passed by the British Parliament.

In 1942, the former French liner Normandie capsized in New York Harbor a day after it caught fire while being refitted for the U.S. Navy.

In 1949, Arthur Miller's play "Death of a Salesman" opened at Broadway's Morosco Theater with Lee J. Cobb as Willy Loman. (On this date in 2005, Miller died in Roxbury, Conn., at age 89.) In 1962, the Soviet Union

exchanged captured American U-2 pilot Francis Gary Powers for Rudolf Abel, a Soviet spy held by the United States. 602

TODAY IN HISTORY

In 1967, the 25th Amendment to the Constitution, dealing with presidential disability and succession, was ratified as Minnesota and Nevada adopted it.

In 1968, U.S. figure skater Peggy Fleming won America's only gold medal of the Winter Olympic Games in Grenoble, France.

In 1981, eight people were killed when a fire set by a busboy broke out at the Las Vegas Hilton hotel-

In 1989, Ron Brown was elected chairman of the Democratic National Committee, becoming the first black to head a major U.S. political party.

Ten years ago: Resigned to losing their case, House prosecutors said public opinion polls had made a stronger impression on senators than any evidence that President Bill Clinton had committed high crimes and misdemeanors. A federal judge ordered American Airlines pilots to end a sickout that had grounded 2,500 flights, stranded 200,000 travelers and left businesses scrambling for cargo carriers.

Five years ago: The White House, trying to end doubts about President George W. Bush's Vietnam-era military service, released documents it said proved he had met his requirements in the Texas Air National Guard. Democrat John Kerry won the Virginia and Tennessee primaries. A truck bombing in Iskandariyah, Iraq, killed 53 people. An Iranian plane crashed in the United Arab Emirates, killing 46 people.

One year ago: Hillary Rodham Clinton replaced campaign manager Patti Solis Doyle with longtime aide Maggie Williams, Barack Obama defeated Clinton in the Maine Democratic presidential caucuses. British journalist Richard Butler and his Iraqi interpreter were kidnapped in Iraq. (Both were later released.) A fire destroyed a 610-year-old wooden city gate in Seoul, South Korea. The NFC defeated the AFC 42-30 in the Pro Bowl. Amy Winehouse won five Grammys, appearing via satellite from London. Death claimed actor Roy Scheider, 75, in Little Rock, Ark.; lounge rocker Freddie Bell, 76, and "Howard the Duck" creator Steve Gerber, 60, in Las Vegas; and "Married with Children" co-creator Ron Leavitt, 60, in Los Angeles.

Unfurnished Homes

HOLLISTER 3 bed-1 bath, \$595 room, deposit 2358 Main St 208-539-1403

JEROME 2 bdrm, bath, no pets. \$500/ month + \$400 security dep. 208-324-5516

JEROME 2-3 bdrm, 1-2 bath mobile homes. \$500-\$575. No pets. Long term. 324-8903 or 788-2817

Unfurnished Homes JEROME 3 bdrm, all JEROME 2 bdrm, east

appls. + W/D. Fenced/ sprinkler system. Pellet stove. Garbage paid. No Pets. \$800 plus dep. References. JEROME Rent or rent 324-3068 or 420-3068

JEROME 3 bdrm., 2 manufactured \$650. 2 bdrm., 2 bath mobile, North in country, \$525. 539-7611

Find it. Sell it. Buy it. Classifieds, 733-0931 ext

Unfurnished Homes

side, sprinkler. \$525 + dep. Refs. 539-2836 or 324-2834 eves

5973 or 208-720-9193

to own. New home located 305 Teton Dr. near middle and elementary school. 5 bdrm, 2 bath, large garage. \$1100 mo + \$1100 dep. Call 208-721-8194,

Unfurnished Homes

JEROME Small 1 bdrm

cottage, newly remodeled, no pets, \$450 month + \$450 deposit. 208-316-1799

KIMBERLY Extra clean 2 bdrm, 14' wide mobile with carport & storage, good area,

\$475 + dep. Includes water. No pets, ref. 208-326-5887 Classifieds. For people

Unfurnished Homes KIMBERLY Lg & very

clean 1 bdrm in great

area \$415 incld water,

no pets refs 326-5887 KIMBERLY/TWIN FALLS Nice new 3 bdrm, 2 bath, gas fire-

place, fence. 1", last dep. \$900 mo. lease.

Pets neg. No smoking. 423-5854 or 308-8450 We're here to help. Call 733-0931 to place your

everywhere. 733-0931 ad in Classifieds today.

602 Unfurnished Homes

RUPERT Very clean 3 bdrm, 1 bath, 1 car garage, no smoking/ \$675/mo. \$500 dep. 431-7494

SHOSHONE 2 bedroom, 1 bath, quiet setting, refs. no pets. Call 208-731-0073.

TWIN FALLS -NEW-3 bdrm, 21/2 bath, 2 car garage, gas fireplace. No smoking. Pets considered. Lease/ purchase option avai 1833 Falls Ave. E. \$975 month. 208-733-8207

TWIN FALLS 1 bdrm., carpeted, appls, all utilities paid. \$400. Call 208-733-6095

TWIN FALLS 1 bdrm., near CSI, water, sewer, garbage pd. 481 Borah. 208-431-7387.

TWIN FALLS 1 year old, very clean, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, \$895 month. No smoking 402 Lacasa Loop. Call Bob at 208-539-6619.

TWIN FALLS 1, 3 & 4 bdrm houses, Idaho Housing. \$450 & up 208-404-8042

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm duplex. AC, appls. carport, no smoking/ pets, \$525, 733-3742

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, 1 bath. near Harmon W/D hookup, Park. 440 Elm St\$550+ dep 733-9658 or 731-2345

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm. ALL NEW INTERIOR DW. hookups. garage, auto sprinklers, pets/smoking. \$625 mo. Call 734-6230

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm. kitchen appls, laundry, storage, no smoking/pets. \$500. http://steelmgt.com Call 208-735-0473

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm., bath, garage, \$550 + \$300 dep. Call 212-1678.

TWIN FALLS 3 & 4 bdrm. 2 bath homes. O'Leary School District, \$850 & \$900. Call 208-731-4060

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 1 178 Moreland Ave. 1000 sq. ft., storage shed, great yard, \$795 + \$500 deposit. 736-3996 or 420-8752

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 1 family room, bath. \$725/mo. OK. 136 Ash Street. 858-200-7705

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 2 bath, quiet, very open, handicap accessible, 2 car garage, no smoking pets. \$800/\$800 Call 731-4268

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 2 1800 sq. home, W/D hookup. \$750 mo. + \$750 dep. Call 208-731-6188

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage fenced back yard, AC newer home, \$960 mo. 208-316-0311 or 208-539-2009

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm. home 2½ miles W. of T.F. 21405 Hwy 30. \$750 + dep. No smoking/pets, W/D, fireplace, big kitchen, sauna & hardwood floors. 208-431-7387

TWIN FALLS 3-4 bdrm homes and apartments. \$650-\$1500. Cutting Edge Properties & Mamt. 208-539-4907

TWIN FALLS Beautiful 3 bdrm, 2 bath home in Sawtooth School Dist. Fireplace, split plain. Cutting floor Properties & Mgmt. 208-539-4907

TWIN FALLS Brand new 3 bdrm, 2 bath NW. 2 units avail Beautiful & landscaped \$950+ \$500 dep. 1 mo free w/1 lease OAC Denise 420-8770

TWIN FALLS Candleridge area, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage, gas fireplace, covered patio, fenced yard, apnls. \$1100/mo. Lease

/rent. 208-420-5782 TWIN FALLS Classy 3 bdrm, 2 bath, w/appls. 3 car garage/RV, AC, great area. No smoking/pets. 278 Trotter Dr. \$890 mo. + \$600

security deposit. 208-

734-5714 or 731-4848 TWIN FALLS Clean 1 bdrm, country atmosphere, no W/D, no pets, some utilities & yard care furnished. \$450 mo. + deposit. 208-733-4791

602 Unfurnished Homes

FILER 1 bedroom, 1 \$350 month \$300 deposit. Call 208-731-0919

TWIN FALLS Cozy 1 bedroom, AC, W/D. pets negotiable, 603 Quincy. \$550 month + \$350 dep. 733-3797

TWIN FALLS Lovely 4 bdrm, 2 bath, family garage, cenroom, located. smoking. Water, sewlawn mowing included. \$850 + dep. 208-316-3442

TWIN FALLS Near CSI, updated 3 bdrm, 2 bath. double garage, fenced yard, \$910 month. Call 208-316-0311 or 539-2009

TWIN FALLS New Carpet/paint 3 bdrm, RV parking, carport, \$850 TWIN FALLS Cul-desac 3 bdrm. 2 bath. appls, fenced vd \$900 New Carpet/paint 1 bdrm appl water/lawn

care included, \$500

The Mgmt, 733-0739

TWIN FALLS Newer 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 3 car garage, gas fireplace, fenced yard. No smoking/ pets. \$900 + dep 358-1053,308-2491

TWIN FALLS Newer 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. No smoking/ pets. \$950 month. Call 208-869-9770.

TWIN FALLS Newer NW 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 large car garage, fenced yard. large dog run. large storage patio. auto sprinklers, W/D hookups, appliances, no smoking, pet negotiable \$1050/mo. \$900/dep. ½ off 1' months rent with 6-12 mo. Lease. Avail. 3/15 Call 208-830-6226

TWIN FALLS Nice 4 bdrm. 2 bath, great location, formal living family room. room, lots of storage, fenced yard, central air, appliances, no smoking or pets. \$850, discounts available. 1⁵¹, last, deposit, references, 208-

TWIN FALLS Outside city limits, small 2 bdrm cottage, refrig & stove furnished, W/D hookup, no smoking/ pets. \$525 + deposit 734-1045 or 731-1927

733-4558 or 420-1776

FALLS Prime NW area at 561 Caitlin Ave. Roomy 3 bdrm, 2 bath, plus den area. Double garage. \$980/mo. + dep. Call

Ray Sabala 539-3321 TWIN FALLS Quiet 4 bdrm w/large fenced yard near College. \$975/mo. No smoking. 208-733-0739

TWIN FALLS Remodeled 2 bdrm, 1 bath, RV parking, detached garage. \$675 mo. + \$500 dep. Avail. 2/14. 909-217-8759

TWIN FALLS RENT-TO-OWN homes All price available. ranges. Call for inventory 208-735-5242

TWIN FALLS Very Nice 2 Bdrms 1½ báth Town House \$600/Month 768 & 793 Bolton St

734-4334 WENDELL 3 bdrm., 1 bath, 251 East Ave. A W/D hookup. No pets.

733-9658 or 731-2345 WHY RENT WHEN YOU CAN BUY! Mercy Housing is now accepting applications for the Magic Valley Self-Help Program. Homes are 3 or 4 bedrooms, 2 bath

with 2 car garages.

Payments based on

Income \$425-\$850

No closing costs No down payment Funded by USDA Rural Development USDA 🔔

CALL TODAY! 208-737-1470

1-866-335-2087

WHO can help YOU rent your rental? Classifieds Can!

733-0931 ext. 2 twinad@magicvalley.com 603 Furnished Apts. and Duplex

BURLEY/RUPERT Free laundry ask Don Studios & 1 Bdrm

 Free Cable & Wi-Fi No Deposit Furnished/all utils pd Weekly-Monthly

208-436-8383

603 Furnished Apts. and Duplex

TWIN FALLS Studio & 1 bdrm No deposit

208-731-5745

Unfurnished Apts.

and Duplex

◆Hear the

quiet!

Laurel Park

Apartments

176 Maurice St

Twin Falls 734-4195.

BUHL 2 bedroom with

extras, W/D hookup

Available immediate-

ly. \$475 + dep. Call

543-5157 or 308-5156

BUHL Close to park 2

bdrm, water incl \$450

TWIN FALLS Quiet 1

bdrm bsm't appls, wa-

ter, W/D hookup \$500

Spacious 2 bdrm bsmt

heat/water incld \$525

New carpet 3 bdrm, 2

appls,

hookup, garage, \$850

Studio apt appliances

utilities included \$400

bath, appliances,

Cul-de-sac 3 bdrm.

garage, \$800 month.

The Mgmt. 733-0739

BURLEY Large 1 bdrm

apt at 1931 W. Main.

\$325 mo. No smok-

ing/pets. 312-7250

BURLEY White brick

duplex, 2 large bdrm,

A-1 location, remod-

FDEN Studio/1 bdrms

\$275-\$300 no dep.

no pets.

FOR

RENT

1, 2, or 3

Bedroom

Apartments

Rent is based on

income.

Goosecreek

Manor/

Sawtooth

733 E. 22 Street

Burley, ID 83318

678-9429

GOODING 3 bdrm, 2

bath apt. No smoking

No pets. \$650 mo.

plus utilities, \$500 de-

posit. Call 308-6804

HAGERMAN 1 bdrm,

unfurnished. \$350 mo

\$350 security dep

Apts.

Call 208-212-1678

month. \$250 dep 208-423-9650 Free cable, Wi-Fi KIMBERLY New con- Furn like home struction, 3 bdrm, 2 All utilities paid bath. 521 Jackson \$800 mo. + \$800 dep Free local calls

Call 208-539-7426. Laundry on site Pets by approval KIMBERLY Starting \$150/wk Studio \$280/mo. 324 Highway 30 #1 Se Habla Espanol 208-731-2812 208-358-0085

208-539-1403 PAUL 2 bdrm, 1 bath. Refrig., 309 Luray. stove, W/D hookups \$450 mo + \$225 dep

Call 208-312-2477.

604

Unfurnished Apts.

KIMBERLY Clean

and Duplex

bdrm, no pets. \$440

TWIN FALLS 1 bdrm. kitchen appl no smoking/pets. Several avail http://steelmgt.com Call 208-735-0473

> TWIN FALLS 1" MO FREE 2 bdrm \$495 3 bdrm \$525 208-734-1600 Fawnbrook Apts

> > 囼

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm duplex, garage, W/D hookup. appls fur-525 Shoup nished, Ave. W. \$500 mo + \$400 dep. No smok-

ing. 208-358-5961 TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, 1 bath, newly remodeled, all appls, including W/D, tenant pays electric heat, \$675/month + deposit. 388 Jefferson 208-732-0032

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm. 11/2 bath, \$550 month Possible owner will 208-423-4557 or cell 909-881-2045

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, new paint, carport, storage, patio, landscaped no pet immaculate, \$595 732-5408

eled, fenced, large lot, TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm. \$650 + \$400 deposit. 208-878-7723 Murray 2 bath, 2 car garage Fenced yard. \$800 month \$800 deposit. Includes water, sewer trash. 208-539-7426.

> TWIN FALLS 349 Momingside Dr. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, garage, no smoking/ pets. \$650 + \$500 dep. 208-539-3697

TWIN FALLS Available now. Very Ig. clean, 3 bdrm, 2 bath apt near CSI. No pets. \$650 734-9704 or 320-7599

TWIN FALLS Clean 2 bdrm, 2 bath, W/D appls, no smoking/ pets. \$600/month. 1 month & security dep. required, 308-0830

TWIN FALLS Clean, quiet 2 bdrm, 2 bath townhome w/all appls & fireplace. No smoking/pets, \$625 + dep. 208-539-6913 or

208-539-0900 TWIN FALLS large 2 bedroom, all appli ances, \$475 + \$300 dep. No smoking/pets

Call 208-324-2244 TWIN FALLS MOVE-IN SPECIAL \$100 off

Pine Drive

Affordable 2 & 3

bdrm, 2 bath apts

Laundry hookups,

garage w/each ap/

Two playgrounds.

Call 208-735-2111

TWIN FALLS

Newer 2 & 3 bdrm.

2 bath apartments.

Corner of 4th &

Madrona

\$100 off 14

months rent!

Starting at \$600

Call 208-961-1445

TWIN FALLS Newer 3

bdrm, 2 bath, double

garage, all appliances

except refrigerator &

W/D. \$880 + deposit.

TWIN FALLS Nice 3

bdrm 1½ bath, gas

W/D hookup, \$695

month. No pets. Call Debra 208-280-2555

TWIN FALLS Nice 3

bdrm, 2 bath, new

floors, garage, \$700-

\$720 + \$500 deposit.

379 Lenore #1 & #3.

208-961-0522

Twin Falls Rentals

2 & 4 Bedrooms

Apts & Houses

Various Locations

Call for details

734-4334. Check out

our website

twinfallsrentals.com

TWIN FALLS Spacious

2 or 3 bdrm apts. All

appls, W/D hookups,

AC, no smoking/pets.

dep. 208-825-5148

\$600-\$675 +

No pets. 421-4716

heat & fireplace,

a month + deposit

囼

No pets. Call 208-358-0747 for appt. first month rent **HEYBURN** Brand new Carriage Lane Apts 2510 Whispering

1 bdrm duplex. \$395/ month + \$250/dep. No smoking/pet, 1535 15* W/D hookups 670-5697

JEROME 2 bdrm, 1 bath clean duplex Stove, refrig, W/D. No smoking. No pets. \$475 mo. + \$300 dep 516 E. Ave. H #B 208-324-3006.

JEROME

Immediate move in. Beautiful and Spacious 2 & 3 bdrm apt. All appls, W/D hookup, central air, fitness center & playground, high speed Internet and cable IHA Accepted Karla 324-0572 Ġ

JEROME No Money Move-In Move in now, pay no money dowr and no rent until Jan 1, 2009.

Brand new 3 bdrm. 2 bath, 2 car garage central heat/air. W/D hookups, playground, basketball court

private fenced yards Call 208-324-6969. The Oaks 1911 N. Kennedy St (Tiger Dr and 18th Ave E)

KIMBERLY 1 bedroom apt. 300 N. Main. Clean. \$375 + 250 deposit. Available. 208-423-6792 KIMBERLY 3 bdrm, 2

bath, \$650, 2 bdrm, 1 bath, \$550, garage, W/D hookup, water sewer & trash included, no smoking/pets, 208-731-5860

604 Unfurnished Apts. and Duplex

TWIN FALLS Studio Kitchenette. \$425/mo \$300 dep. All utilities paid. 208-B Borah Ave. W. corner of Jef-358-0085 or ferson. 731-5745

TWIN FALLS Studio, appliances kitchen, \$375 month. No pets, Call Debra 208-280-2555

TWIN FALLS The Falls Apts/Pheasant View Townhomes 1, 2, & 3 bdrm. No pets, \$415-\$550 734-6600

TWIN FALLS Very nice 2 bdrm, 1 bath, AC no pets. \$525 + \$300 Water/garbage paid, 208-212-1678

TWIN FALLS Very quiet 2 bdrm, 1 bath, no \$500 + \$300 dep. 208-212-1678

605 Rooms For Rent

TWIN FALLS Clean furn rooms. No dep. Refrig, microwave utils, cable & Internet pd. Weekly & monthly. Se Habla Espanol 731-2812 or 358-0085 or 731-5745 Also Burley/Rupert 208-436-8383

TWIN FALLS Microwave, refrigerator Weekly/monthly rates. Capri Motel 208-733-6452.

TWIN FALLS MOTEL Daily and weekly rates Quiet, 733-8620. We are affordable!

TWIN FALLS Room for rent. \$270 + half utilities. Close to campus. Call 309-0097 for location and details.

TWIN FALLS Rooms for rent, unfurnished, sharing kitchen and baths. \$300 + deposit. 208-734-8030

606 Mobile Homes

TWIN FALLS (2) bdrm, 1 bath, with W/D, no pets, quiet park. \$330/\$380 + \$375 dep. 736-0435

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, 11/2 bath, \$550 month Possible owner will 208-423-4557 or cell 909-881-2045

607 Office and Retail Rentals

BURLEY Office space in shopping center 1,100 sq. ft. \$700. Call 208-878-5100.

TWIN FALLS 734-4334 Nice Office or Retail in TF & Jerome. Various Sizes at Great Prices

TWIN FALLS Office space in Olde Town. 208-358-3040 or 208-837-4532

608 Commercial Property

TWIN FALLS #1-4750 sq ft bldg on Blue Lakes Blvd N for lease \$10.50 PF NNN #2-4200 sq ft commercial bldg on Eldridge Ave. for lease. \$1500 #3-5700 sq ft commercial building on S. Locust for lease, \$2250 Call Owner 731-4700

TWIN FALLS 3060 sq. ft. w/loading dock, office & warehouse, 14 ft. door, \$1450/month. TWIN FALLS 3060 sq. ft., 2 offices, warehouse, 14 ft. overhead door. \$1250/month. 734-9908 or 420-9084

TWIN FALLS Office suites available \$500-\$700 month. Cutting Edge Properties & Mamt. 208-539-4907

TWIN FALLS Shop & office, 1,000 sq. shop w/625 sq. ft. office. \$675/month. 2283 Wright Ave. 308-6189 or 734-6189

Storage/ Warehouse

TWIN FALLS Warehouse, \$500 month, approx 1100 sq ft, bathroom, office, storage. 208-731-0919 614

Wanted To

Rent WANTED 6+ bdrm desperately house, needed. Have refs. Call 208-312-1797

or 208-679-3324

Tuesday, Feb. 10, 2009

THE ACES ON BRIDGE®

"Young ladies are delicate plants. They should take care of their health and their complex-

— Jane Austen

A sophisticated (the uncharitable might say long-winded) auction to four hearts saw North drive to game by using fourth suit forcing, then raise clubs to show the fit. When each player produced delayed red-suit support, South opted to play four hearts. With, for example, a doubleton spade queen, he would have shown it by bidding three notrump over three hearts.

Three no-trump would have failed when the defenders cashed five spade tricks. As it was, four hearts was delicate. After the defenders led three top spades, South ruffed low, took the club ace and the three top diamonds, then led to the club king and exited with a third club. In the four-card ending, West was on lead with his club queen. Declarer had Q-10-x of trumps in hand together with the 13th club, while dummy held A-K-third of hearts and the 13th diamond. West could lead what he liked, but declarer had the rest.

That was all nice and simple, but while West was wondering what he could have done, East apologized and said he might have done better. Do you see how? East should have ruffed his partner's club winner and played the fourth round of diamonds. If declarer does not guess very well, he will lose a trump trick to West and go down one. Does that mean declarer did the wrong thing? No; if West had the fourth diamond, his approach would have worked very nicely.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolff," contact kny 19072 scool.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbwwolffs-mindspring.com.

Copyright 2009, United Feature Syndicate, Inc.

703

Horse and

Tack

Shoeing and

Training.

208-539-6221

704

Pets and Pet

Supplies

9 weeks old 3 red

208-733-0712

AUSTRALIAN SHEP-

HERDS ASCA reg.

Hangin Tree & Slash

V bloodlines, will be

exc. working dogs or family pets. Randy af-

ter 6pm 208-862-3251

AUSTRALIAN/HEELER

Adorable 5 week old puppies. Good cattle

and family dogs. \$75.

BICHON AKC reg pup-

ples. Top quality, guaranteed, shots &

care package. \$600-\$800. 208-673-5525

pups, 8 wks, red/white, vaccinated dewormed

out of great working dogs. Willing to work

or be your companion

\$200. 208-731-0159

BOXER pupples, pure-

bred, 4 males, 3 fe-

site, 7 weeks old, 1st

208-878-3122

CANARIES \$50 cash.

buy 1, get 1 half off:

Multi colored, BYO

cage or box, Mon-Sat.

9:30-3:30 316-6066

CHIHUAHUA long coat

AKC reg, pupples, male, 1° shots, de-

checks, 539-7038

wormed.

removed,

CHIHUAHUA

POMERANIAN pups

\$325, 2-males, grey

blue, 1-red/black fe

CHIHUAHUAS 2 adult

Call 208-324-1213

or 208-420-3275

male 208-670-3298

dewclaws

on

Great

males, parents

shots, \$250.

Valentine's Gift.

BORDER COLLIE

Call 308-4706

parents

males, AKC reg, \$200

DYRK BOYER

AUSTRALIAN

Working

CATTLE DOGS

Bobby Wolff

NORTH 02-10-A ♣ J 6 4 ▼ A K 8 ♦ AQ62 🚓 J 4 3

EAST ♠ A K 7 9765

10 9 SOUTH 8 5 ♥ Q 10 3 2 ♦ K 7 AK852

Vulnerable: East-West Dealer: South

The bidding:

South West North East Pass 1 💠 Pass 1 🛡 Pass 1 🔷 Pass 2 🚓 3 🚓 Pass Pass 3 ♦ 3 ♥ Pass Pass All pass

Opening lead: Spade 10

BID WITH THE ACES South holds: ♣ J 6 4

♥ A K 8

3 💠

02-10-B

Pass

♦ AQ62 J 4 3 West North East South 1 •

Pass

ANSWER: The simple option is to bid three no-trump, and that is what I would settle for, but with two misgivings. The first is that I am not sure about spade stoppers; the second is that we may have more than game. However, the advantage of the delayed route to three no-trump that we have followed is that partner can always bid on with extra highcards or shape.

AGRICULTURE G X X X X

700

Poultry ANGUS BULLS for

Livestock/

sale. Long Yearling and yearling, 208-326-4682 or 326-4454 CLUB CALF SALE

4-H and FFA projects Halter broke and started on feed. Feb. 14. in Buhl. Call 208-543-6180 or 280-1846.

HEIFERS Black Simmental and Simmicross for sale. Vaccinated, 8-12 months old. Call 208-543-6180 or 280-1846.

CONNECT WITH CUSTOMERS WHO NEED YOUR SERVICE Advertise in the

> 703 Horse and Tack

Business &

Service Directory

733-0931 ext. 2

Cecil Wetzstein Horseshoeing and trimming Reliable and Call 308-7580

EQUINE

Paul Struchen Trimming We can handle all your trimming needs.

208-731-1655

30 years experience Call 208-734-3976 or 208-358-3976

HORSE for sale. Reg. males, long coat, at Paint, Reminic bred, 6 reduced price. Call 208-539-7038. veers old. Big and solid with approx 50 COCKER SPANIEL rides. Loads easy, AKC reg. puppies, shoes easy, would \$275. Also make great 4-H horse. Ranians, \$100. Gentle: \$1000/offer

704 Pets and Pet Supplies

COCKER SPANIEL Only 1 male left. Very cute! \$200. Ready now. 733-1841 or 420-7972

COTON DE TULEAR; Yorkies; Rare Biewer Yorkies. shed, non-matting toy puppies, \$600 & up. 208-543-2279

www.nicolasakcpets.

net DACHSHUND reg., 7 pups. Black & tan, 2 females, 1 Chocolate male. tan, 1 female. Red dapples, 1 male, 1 female. Tri color white, black & brown, 1 male 1 female. Males and females \$350. Mom

and dad on site. 208-645-2685 or 260-1519 ENGLISH MASTIFF 2-AKC reg. female fawn pups. Nine weeks old, dewormed, dewclaws removed, in outside kennel. Father

170 lbs. Mother 160 lbs. Full registration \$900, less for limited or no papers. 208-312-4083 FERRETS 2 females plus cage and much

\$250 each. 410-2181 or 326-5046 FREE Bassets, male and female. Must go together. Shots cur-

rent, papers possible.

Call 208-731-3598. FREE Boxer cross puppies, 2 females, 208-431-4637

Weimaraner/ Blood Hound, female, yr, good w/dogs & kids high energy, 404-3259 picture on req

FREE Yellow Lab to a good home. Female. full blooded, 5 months old. \$100 if you want the papers. 208-421-1270

GERMAN SHEPHERDS

Puppies & Adults

\$400 and up. www.silvernountain Call 208-366-7272 or 208-283-7812

bargain

GOLDEN DOODLES Chocolate overs dream. Chocolate and cream, boys and girls,

704 Pets and Pet Supplies

GOLDEN RETRIEVER puppies. AKC reg. 10 wks old, 1st & 2st shots, 3 males \$300 female \$350. Call 208-734-2145.

LABRADORS purebred, \$50 or \$150 papered. Excellent bloodines, 208-423-6132 evenings.

reg. male, 13 weeks. \$225. 208-358-2253 www.sourceportservices.com/lhasastuds/

DACHSHUND CKC registered pup-\$300, 2 females \$350.

DACHSHUNDS, Very adorable! Girl \$375, boys \$275. Can email pictures.

Purebred, black & tan

AKC reg., toy sizes, 1st shots, family raised. Ready now. \$450/\$350 208-481-1497 MINI SCHNAUZERS

208-293-6555 MINIATURE PINSCH-ER pup for sale, \$75. Also 2 free cats. For information call Danielle at

208-260-1985. MINIATURE

208-436-1902 OLDE ENGLISH BULLDOGS CKC reg. \$1000/taking \$400 dep.

Brittney 208-421-4170 PARROT Double Yellow Headed Amazon, big vocabulary, huge

Ready to go! Perfect for Valentine's Day! 208-734-9476

6 lbs, \$350 and up. www.luvtouppoo dles.com. 208-431-2438

LHASA APSO AKC

pies. Ready Feb. 14! 1st shots. 4 males Call Jennifer Lee at 208-678-9703.

MINI Buhl. 405-973-6395 MINI PINSCHERS

3 females, 7 wks old, \$250. 1" shots, dewormed, docked tails. 431-3381 or 431-9563 MINI SCHNAUZER

2 males, 1st shots. house broken.

SCHNAUZER pups, 7 weeks old, shots, 2 males \$150 & 2 females \$200. Ready for good home!

3 males, 3 females

cage with all accessories. \$700/offer. 208-358-1038 PEKINGESE Purebred, with black masks, 1 male. 1 female

POODLES AKC reg, 4-

parents on site, 1st lit-\$400. 208-751-1375

WEST \land Q 10 9 3 2 ▼ J 4 1093 🚓 Q 7 6

finish.

stered

817

Musical

Instruments

PLAYER PIANO Super

\$13,000 new, sacri-

fice for \$2500 or trade

for used car or pickup.

CLASSIFIEDS

It pays to read the

fine print.

Call The Times-News

208-733-0931 ext. 2

820

Tools &

to place your ad

208-736-7173

with uphol-

bench.

704 Pets and Pet Supplies

PUG AKC reg, Apricot beautiful stud, 3 year old, rare. Sacrifice \$350. 208-731-3954

PUGS Fawn & black males. Current shots and dewormed. \$150 each. 208-308-1075

ROTTWEILERS AKC reg, beautiful markgreat temperaings, ments, ready in April to loving homes only. \$800. 208-420-7651

SHIH TZU Darling tricolored AKC reg. puppies. 3 females, \$300 1 male, \$250. and Have been very well cared for and will make wonderful com-

panions. 208-867-9858 SHIH TZU puppies for sale, \$275. Born 11/17/08. CKC regis-

tered. Call 208-878-3620 or 431-3622. SHIH TZU puppies, female and male, \$300. Born Dec. 2'rl, ready

for new home. Call

293-2478 or 293-5511 STANDARD POODLES Black, purebred, parents on site, \$100.

AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD puppies, very small, all colors available, \$400.

Call 208-260-1240

934-9585 or 308-2782

YORKIE/SHIH TZU puppies, small, sweet \$450. Great for Valentine's Day! 423-9658

YORKIEPOOS 2 Gorgeous little girls, pa-\$400 trained. 3 Shih Tzus, each. \$100 each. 1 Mini Dachshund, months old \$100.

208-678-2971 YORKSHIRE TERRI-ER Tiny teacup, male, \$850. AKC registered. Mature weight 2-4 lbs. 208-481-1497

YORKSHIRE TERRI-ERS 2 males, \$800. Will be small. Parents weigh 4lbs. Full AKC reg. 208 280-1822

YORKSHIRE TERRI-ERS 2 sets of shots, docked, dewtails claws removed, AKC reg. Females \$850. Males \$600. Call 208-

436-0693 or 431-0396

705 Farm Equipment

CASE 580 K backhoe extendahoe, runs good \$13,800. 208-539-1616

CAT '96 Backhoe 416B 3600 hours, regular maintenance, \$23,900. Anthony 731-9800

CAT 416 C Backhoe loader, extendahoe, 3200 4x4.

\$26,500, 539-1616 Farm Equipment

Auction Sat. March 14th, T. F. Equipment from former Gem Equipment and others. Open for consignments.

Call Randy Musser to consign your items. 208-733-8700 FORD 8N tractor with

Bull Dog blade, runs very good, tires very \$3500/offer. good. Bob, 208-312-4048.

FORD TRACTORS Small 1-9N \$2300 and 1-8N \$2750. Both in great shape and run good. Make deal if you take both. 208-431-8548

FUEL TANKS (2) 10,000 gallon, excellent condition, \$6500 each. 208-420-4945

INTERNATIONAL 1466 Tractor, 4 bottom plow. International swather 14 Straw for sale, Small

bales. 208-539-6036 JOHN DEERE 644 A

Loader, 4 wheel, good shape, \$15,000 Call 208-358-3962

JOHN DEERE Maxemerge 2 corn planter, vertical fold, 12 row 30" spacings, \$15000. Set of no till disks, \$3000. 208-280-0488

WANTED Gated pipe trailer. To buy or rent. 208-326-4935 leave message.

WANTED New Holland 1030, 1010, or 1033 Pull type hay Wanted stacker. New Holland 273 275, 277, or 278 Small bale baler. Wanted olde John Deere grain drill. Wanted older John Deere small bale hay baler 247 or 224T. Wanted older tandem axle manure large spreader

208-324-5858

705 l arm Equipment

WANTED Truck manure spreader, older & small, possibly 7-10 ton. 801-376-0228

707

Solid Sets available

Call 208-599-1115 for

Irrigation LINES and HAND

more information. WHEEL LINES 3 used. good shape. Call Western Irrigation at

709 Hay Grain and Feed

208-732-0330

ALFALFA 100 ton of excellent quality 2nd cutting, no rain, small bales, 4 ton minimum, \$150 per ton, 125 ton of straw, big bales, S60 per ton. Call 208-539-7804

CERTIFIED ORGANIC HAY grass-alfalfa mix, small bales, 90-100 lbs. \$9.00 each. Also certified organic hard red winter wheat in 50lb bags or by the lb. available at Mercia's Organic Grocery. For the hay call 655-4310 or 316-5719.

GRASS HAY 250 bales, \$120 a ton 208-678-3789

GRASS/ALFALFA HAY 2-string bales, \$8 per bale. Delivery available in Twin Falls area \$9 per bale 208-420-4334

100 ton,3rd crop alfalfa hay, 2 string bales, in Declo Call Kevin 670-2325.

HAY 1st 2st & 3rd, Oat hay, straw & bean straw. All tested. Sell per ton or bale. 208-731-6972

HAY 2 cuttings. Straw, 50° bales, good quali-Close to Twin Sell any amount. 8' end gates for trucks, 1 for grain, 1 for cattle

208-733-2520

HAY 3st cutting horse hay, 130 lbs 3 string bright green, leafy \$15/bale Call 208-324-7148

HAY 4th cutting dairy hay under tarp, soft bright green 220 RFV \$230 delivered. Call 208-324-7148

HAY Alfalfa orchard grass mix at Hollister. Small bales, \$170/ton small lots \$6.50/bale Call 208-731-1005

HAY Covered, 1st cutting 184T large bales. 2" cutting 184T 2" cutting 184T small bales. 3" cutting 129T large bales, 15T grass hay. Call 208-

HAY for sale. 2 string bales, \$10 per bale

208-539-0201 HAY Price reducedabout 50 tons of 3rd left, need to move it. Good quality, \$120 ton. Phone 537-6522 evenings or 420-8454 leave message if nec-

OAT HAY Small bales, \$160 per ton. \$10 per bale

Shoshone 886-9845 1500 small clean, good bales. weight. \$2.25 per bale 208-308-2243

T.S.C Hay Retrieving Call Con at: 208-280-0839 www.tschay.com

WINTER FEED for stock cows. bales, approx 1500 lbs, \$110 delivered. 8 2rd cutting, delivered. \$150 4th cutting, bales. \$220 delivered.

711 Custom Farm Services

208-312-1135

CUSTOM Grain, Hay, and Crep drilling starting at \$18 per acre With dry fertilizer, \$22 an acre. With dry and liquid fertilizer, \$24 an Custom disc ripping starting at \$22 an acre

Call 208-390-1038

CUSTOM MANURE HAULING 208-358-3962 or 731-9543

TRUCK FOR HIRE Tractor trailer flat bed Maxi, 65,000 lbs pay load. 208-308-2865

713 Farms/Pasture Rentals

FARM 3 pivots, 1 pivot alfalfa. North Shoshone, Big Wood water. Virgin Ground. 208-886-9845.



800

801 Antiques and Collectibles

ANTIQUE CLOCK Seth Thomas mantel clock, German Franz Hermle movement progressive Westminister chimes, 2 lewels

\$350. 208-731-1262 Next Magic Valley Flea Market and Free Antique Appraisal Fair March 14 & 15 Filer Fairgrounds No Feb Flea Market

Promoter 410-1738 RARE JIM BEAM Botties & cars collection. \$1200 or best offer. 208-735-2128

Vendor & General Info

Call Payson Reese,



TWIN FALLS FLEA MARKET at Twin Falls Fairgrounds

Feb. 14 (9-5) Feb. 15 (10-4) \$1.00 admission. Under 12 yrs free. Over 30 vendors. Avon, antiques, vintage jewelry, cat trees. Western items DVDs, remote

control airplanes, magnetic jewelry, floral arrangements new candle lanterns. blankets. Something for everyone.

Lunch and bake

foods provided by The Life's Church to benefit Kenva. Promoted by Blue Cow 208-312-4900

BIRTHDAY PHOTOS

Have you forgotten to pick-up your birthday photos? We have some photos we are sure you don't want us to toss. These can be picked up at The Times-News Classified Dept.

802 Appliances



TV 65" Sony, \$1150. Call 404-8711 Dishwasher, \$300. GE Cook top, \$200.

GE refrigerator/freezer, \$450. Freezer, 150. Call 404-2206

USED APPLIANCES All types and models Starting price \$85 with warranties. Appliance repairs. Delivery available.

Call 208-733-0114 803 Bazaars and Crafts

Buy It! Sell It!

А

Times-News Classified

Will fill every

need. Call Today

208-733-0931 ext 2 or visit us online at www.magicvalley.

804 Building Materials

SCAFFOLD & Equipment & tools for stucco. Large assortment Call 208-731-9408

WANTED Five-panel interior wood doors. several assorted sizes. Call 208-539-6918

WOOD FLOORING Exotic Laminate Retails \$3.89/sq.ft. Will sacrifice \$.79/sq.ft. 1585 sq.ft. Will divide. 208-495-3461

805 Electronics

TV Panasonic 26" excellent condition, \$150 Call 208-436-6124

806 Hot Tub & Pools

gazebo, \$1500.

809

Firewood

Premium grade

\$175 ton, \$3.75 bag.

Boise 345-8108

Mnt. Home 447-7178

810

Furniture &

Carpet

BED, \$275 KING PIL-

LOWTOP Mattress &

box, never slept on.

BED-Queen Orthope-

dic Pillowtop Set.

Unused. Only want

\$159. Call 420-6350.

Beautiful all wood 7

piece set. Dovetail

drawers. Brand new

420-6350.

BEDROOM

WOOD PELLETS

HOT TUB for sale with lid and chemicals plus TENNA. bridge. Call 208-543-8394 T45xi, all-in-one,

\$20. 208-654-9641. POOL TABLE Connelly, 1 year old, has gray slate with orange

> WASHERS 2 commer-\$153/offer Whirlpool dryer \$91/offer. Air conditioner, \$51/offer. Misc

TOOLS Troybuilt cullivator, power washer, 35 gal. air compressor. 1 homemade coffee table 751-2802

Musical Instruments

right. \$800 or best offer.

Call 208-420-6350. BEDROOM Beautiful, ornately carved and antiqued well made five piece

GROUP

all brand new, still in box. Retail \$899, sacrifice \$450 420-6350

speed \$31/offer. End tables, \$15 & up. Desks, 1 wood, 1 metal, \$45/offer. 208-293-7649 COFFEE TABLE

\$85. Full size

COUCH AND LOVE SEAT Set for sale. 6 years old, good condition. Selling for \$250. Call 208-735-1975

CRIB Graco 5 in 1, white metal, with 15 mattress year new! \$150 934-4518

FURNITURE Recliner Leather \$175 Rocker light plum \$75 Glider Rocker (wood) \$50. Couch, green/

cond. 208-539-7372 \$130. Full or Twin New, in plastic.

MATTRESS SET Memory Foam. NEW! \$499

MATTRESS queen, \$50. Dinette set w/4 chairs, \$90. Entertainment cen-

208-735-9379 PUB TABLE Tall with 2 swivel chairs, light pine & white, great

SLEIGH BED solid wood, brand new, still in box. List \$699, sell

\$249, 208-420-6350. TWIN BED XL.

812 Auctions/

Country Auctions,

(208)420-0016 Eric Drees (208)859-8505

Ward Auction & Appraisals Putting value to your valuables Personal Property Appraisals-

For Sale

CALCULATER Instruments Plus, with instruction

CD player, \$35.

DOOR Sliding glass, 5'. installation avail Wood able. \$250. Burner & pipe, Child's go cart, \$125 208-731-2251

washer & dryer \$100/pair. Call 208-404-8999.

816 Miscellaneous For Sale

PMT INTERNET ANrouter, \$300. HP print-

\$1500/offer

208-320-7838

furniture, 293-7649 WOODWORKING

PIANO

List \$2500, sell \$899

731-0536 for details. BEDROOM SET 5 pc,

Asking \$1,500. Call

BOOKCASE, \$17/offer.

Very nice. 208-736-0870

burgundy plaid + chair \$450. All in great

MATTRESS & BOX, 420-6350

seen on TV. HUGS 420-6350

SET, ter \$45. Couch \$50.

shape, \$200

208-733-0041

electric, adjustable, \$500. 208-731-5954 or

208-934-4852

Auctioneers

Specializing In All Types Of farm And Estate Auctions.

Fred Nye countryauctionslic.com

Auction Service (208)590-0253

816 Miscellaneous

TI-83 book, \$75, 324-8735

COMPUTER Dell Vista with printer, like new, \$750 or best offer RCA Stereo with 5 208-329-2185

HOSPITAL BED \$100.

REMEMBER That birthday ad you placed

same time ago in The Times News? Now is the time to come pick up your pictures. Stop by the Custo Service Dept today!

Machinery AIR COMPRESSOR 185D Grimmer Schmidt

towable, in new cond, \$5900. 208-293-5587 Hampton upgood shape,

Classifieds. The answer to all your questions. 733-0931 ext. 2

INNER SPACE

CONSTRUCTION

Remodels, kitchens,

bathrooms, porches,

decks, furniture,

restoration, repair

& finish carpentry.

ВоЬ @ 208-543-8111

or 208-420-2836

RCTW-1167

JAMESCO

Complete Home

Repair Service.

Additions and

Remodels

Call

208-732-5433

or 208-293-2394

And find out how

much you can

Magic Touch

Carpentry

Dry-Wall & Texture

Decks & Fencing.

Painting.

Tile, Carpet,

Hardwood Floors

Call Lou 736-7404

or 280-1661

RODNEYS

RENOVATIONS LLC.

Quality is priority 1.

Free estimates.

Interior & Exterior

Remodeling.

Kitchens, baths,

windows, doors,

ding, decks, interior

& exterior trim.

SOUTH RIM

REMODELERS

Big jobs, Little jobs

Replace doors, win

dows and kitchen

cabinets. Flooring.

drywall, and roof-

Interior Painting.

Free estimates.

20 years exp.

Licensed & insured

Terry 421-0593

Jim 539-2324

RCT# 22509

STEEL BUILDINGS

Airplane Hangers

·Warehouses

•Riding Arenas

Free Estimates

208-941-9502

HANDY WORK

A - HANDY TEAM

Reasonable Prices

Free Estimates

Painting in/out

Hauling Trash Mowing, Weeding

Cleaning in/out

Window Washing

Spring Clean Up.

Call Richard or Pan

ECONOMY

HANDYMAN

Electrical Repairs

733-9444 or 732-8378

Minor Plumbing

420-6417 / 420-5673

Iave References

•Shops

Storage

Pole Barns

Reg & Insured

John Deere diesel,

229 actual hrs,

Tools & Machinery

820

DELTA 10" table saw (new) \$750. Bausch 12 volt screw gun & impact gun (new) \$150. Bridgewood 20' planer, \$1,200/offer. Jet 14" band saw \$375/offer. Call Lyle 208-320-1224.

TABLE SAW Industrial Capital 10" 11/2 hp motor, Includes 5 blades \$350, 208-734-5487

822 Wanted To Buy

WANTED

Antiques and estates, old pottery pictures, horse tack quilts, toys, Indian and cowboy items. magazines.

Call 208-324-4721 or 208-539-4721 See Classifieds Business

and Service Directory to assist you in your home

WANTED Greenhouse, paneled, 8x8 minimum. Call 208-734-5754 WANTED

> Top money paid. Tony 208-866-0274

WANTED PC's working or not, laser printers, Hubs, switches, etc. 208-733-6760 lv. msg.

Old gas pumps or

gas station items.

ble lamps and begin-

Call 208-735-5085

WANTED at least 400

sq. ft. of garage/stor-

age space to rent in

South Twin Falls or in

WANTED Books! I pay

cash for old books.

Many topic wanted.

Call 800-823-9124

WANTED DOLLS Nan-

cy Ann story book

dolls. Boxes, parts,

Muffie. 208-595-4463.

Ginnys

County. 735-9379

Also old photos.

clothes.

ners piano music

822 822 Wanted To Buy Wanted To Buy WANTED 2-tall end ta-

WANTED To buy big screen TV's 36" and up, working or not. Mini Cassia area. 208-878-5725

WANTED to buy, older military rifles & pistols, want broken guns & gun parts.

value of interesting items for 2 person motor home, prefer

class B or C.678-8235 WANTED

repair/salvage

We pay more than anyone out there Check us out at Interstate Batteries Fully licensed and insured to protect the

to the smelter.

8-5 Mon-Fri

At Your Service

Contact a Times-News classifieds representative for our lew monthly rates: 733-0931, ext. 2

CLEANING CONSTRUCTION

A - HANDY TEAM Reasonable Prices Free Estimates House Cleaning Office Cleaning Window Washing **Gutter Cleaning** Licensed/Insured

420-6417 / 420-5673 DON'T SETTLE FOR WAND CLEANING INSIST ON THE

ROTOVAC™

Have References

The RotoVac™ cleans your carpet from all directions for a deeper clean at a more affordable price

KMJ Carpet Cleaning

208-948-0599

Happy Housekeepers Daily-Weekly-Monthly Commercial & Residential.

Bonded & Insured. 733-7300 Twin 678-4040 Burley JUDY'S Housekeeping Plus Weekly/Bi-weekly 10+ years exp. Reasonable rates

Supplies Purnished.

Call soon, time

slots filling quickly.

Licensed and

insured. RCT-25927 208-420-6021

CONSTRUCTION BI CONSTRUCTION General/Electrical Contractor Reasonable rates! Specialize in dirt work and electrical. Welding, Excavating,

& Irrigation. Licensed & Bonded

RCE #2662

ELE #4492 208-589-2011 H&S **Bad Economy**

Blow-Out Special! Any project. Labor ¼ off for the next 30 days. Call for details. 208-732-5618

RCE#628

Construction

HENDRY & SONS Construction Inc. One Stop

Services. We do everything from start to finish. Remodels, Repairs, Addition, New Construction. Large and Small Projects. Serving the Magic Valley, Wood River & Mini Cassia Area 208-732-5618

RCE#625

FAX YOUR AD TIMES-NEWS

Repairs CLASSIFIED Locksmithing – Residential and DEPARTMENT Commercial · Remodeling 208-734-5538 Miscellaneous

HANDY WORK GENERAL HOME

REPAIRS Interior/exterior, plumbing, painting, & drywall. 16 + yrs. Carpentry exp. Free Estimates! RCT #20321 John 735-5179

Handyman Service Licensed & Insured RCE# 19000 Painting, Texturing, Tile, Plumbing, Roofing, Remodeling, & Landscaping. Any Small Odd Jobs

Honey-Do Chores

Call 423-4444

Electrical, Plumbing

Painting and

208-490-1068 Mobile REALTY REHAB Remodel & Design Carpentry, Finish

Electric Rocky 731-9204 RCT# 22987 SALAZAR'S SOLUTIONS We fix problems. Free Estimates. Odd jobs,

remodeling,

removal of debris.

We do it all + more

Work, Tile,

Plumbing &

Drywall, Paint.

Licensed & Insured Ruben 208-734-6506 RCT24359 RCT#7988 208-961-1712

THE REAL PROPERTY. STRUCTURES, MC Landscape Design and Installation Painting & Repairs Construction & Pull Handyman Service

Specializing in Sheds

and Outbuildings.

208-404-1166 TONY'S Home Repairs and Landscape Paint, Drywall, Faucets. Touch-ups & Removals.

Will do a royal job at a budget price! General repairs, drywall, painting, & much more. Senior discount

Regal 208-423-4004

We do what you

208-410-0911

can't do

LANDSCAPE

A+ Jim's Tree

Service

License #RCT-4566

Jose Ortiz

removal.

Terrific prices!

Free estimates. 733-5927 / 316-1957

Topping, removal, pruning, stumps, shrubs & landscape. Serving the Magic Valley area 34 yrs. 208-678-3476 208-431-3253

Garden Service Planting, lawn care, power raking, tree trimming, yard cleanup, snow

LANDSCAPE ALL AROUND

TREE SERVICE LLC Big or Small... We do it all! Tree trimming & Removal, Stump & Shrub Removal Call Steve at 208-731-7726

LANDSCAPING

YOUR WAY Lawn care, Sod, Hydro-Seed, Trimming, Pavers, Re taining Walls, Gravel Driveways, Patios, Fencing, Curbing. RCT#15402

For Free Estimate:

John 320-2062 Chuck 420-6811 PEDRO'S LAWN AND GARDEN Spring Yard Work! Cleaning, Edging, Hydro-seeding & Leveling. Sprinklers & Repair

Mowing

208-431-9555

SNAKE RIVER

TREE SERVICE ISA Certified Arborist, & Utility Specialist, 60 ft. bucket & professional climbers. Trimming for the health of your

208-324-0392 oz 208-316-5759 SPRING YARD

trees. Fully insured

Brett Dixon

WORK Trimming Shrubs, Fruit Trees, Large Trees, and Lawn Mowing Weeding 208-677-2382 or 208-312-1507

STORAGE

APEX CONTAINER 20' or 40' containers for sale or rent. Delivered to your home, business or construction site.

MUNI STORAGE The Ultimate in Security Now Open Unit sizes range from 5'x10' to 10'x25' Free moving truck! Keep your valuables safe and secure with us! 485 Grandview Drive

208-733-1022

PAINTING

208-731-1000

commercial, rentals 31 yrs. experience. Free estimates! 208-293-4646 208-736-4944 # RCT-17572

PAINTING INC. Painting & Remodeling Pree Estimates Commercial. Residential. Insured RCE-8019 Call Bill 208-324-3475

208-727-1267

FURNITURE REPAIR & REFINISHING Don't throw away that old dresser or broken chair. Bring it to me and let me

TIMELESS

TREASURES

JEFF KOEHN

208-420-0854

T.E. Electric Discount Special on Service Calls Spas & Hot Tubs Remodels *Troubleshooting

CL#16618

Licensed & Insured

29 yrs. Experience

208-308-9739

A TAX & PROFESSIONAL SERVICE SHOP Tax Preparation Bookkeeping Immigration Form

Professional Services

at Affordable Rates.

Shervl 208-320-2981

DIGITAL CONVERSION Are you ready? Digital off air antennas installed. Custom installation &

set up of HDTV's.

Call for free estimate 208-423-5913

HOME ENERGY AUDITS Comprehensive testing. Determines your home's energy efficiency.

The Inspection

Com

Company 208-326-5115 www.theinspection.co.com

SAVE GAS

Callen's Mini Trucks

offers Japanese Mini Trucks Incredible 40-80mpg Standard trans, 4WD Avail accessories include lift kits & air snorkola Perfect for Farm/Ranch/Hunting

SAWTOOTH SHEET METAL Heating service and repair. Commercial and Residential

208-655-4358

TWIN FALLS PLAN ROOM Jobs to bid for all construction. Blue print copies 734-PLAN (7526)

208-733-8548

WEDDING SHOP Rents & Sells Dresses Wedding Dress Sale Bridesmaid Rentals Sweetheart Gowns New Quinceaners Tiaras-Gloves-Slips Shoes-Tablecovers Long & Round tables Brown & white chairs 210 South Main

733-8838 Anytime!

TEFF'S PAINTING! Licensed, bonded, insured, residential,

LUPHER'S

208-436-8833 lv. msg. WANTED to trade full

Tractors running:

Bob, 208-678-5746

WANTED We buy junk batteries.

batteries all the way Call 208-733-0896. 412 Eastland Drive

ACROSS

Reverberate

8 Neal's "Hud"

co-star

14 Bipartisan

coalition

5 Cool or groovy

15 Put into practice

16 Carry to excess

17 Bacharach or

18 Loss of vigor

20 Mexicali mister

22 At bay in a bay

25 Rational state

34 Hit by Jay and

the Americans

30 Math figure

35 Become

36 Fold

39 Gloom

mellow

38 Actor Jimmy

41 Impromptu

43 Teamwork

49 Compel

51 Gizmos

light

53 Dawn's first

55 Church vow

Brooks" star

56 "Our Miss

58 Drawn lot

62 Dispense

68 Wood panels

70 Frozen drops

71 Encapsulate

72 Tilling tool

DOWN

Wanes

game

color

6 Negative

1006

Trucks

FORD '03 F-150

Crew Cab. \$14,831

Stocké 9981

MIDDLEKAUFF

FORD '03 F-150, ext

shell, only \$9950.

cab, 2WD, 44K miles,

Assist

AUTO BROKERAGE

FORD '03 F-350 ext

4x4.

stroke diesel, AT, full

power, 120K miles,

immaculate \$10,900

421

208-293-5587

ORD 05 F-350

ext cab, 4x4, Pow-

erstroke diesel, AT

AC, full power, CD,

aluminum brush

guard, one owner

69K actual miles,

immaculate.

\$14,900. 293-5587

FORD '06 Ranger XLT,

\$13,988.

Stock# 119006A

MIDDLEKAUFF

208-733-7700

FORD '89 F-150

Regular Cab

low miles.

Stock# 569018h

MIDDLEKAUFF

FORD

208-736-2480

4x4, air, tilt, cruise,

cab.

PW, CD

Power

2 Col. Mustard's

3 Trumpet, e.g.

sixteen arms?

4 Couple with

5 Gradation of

contraction

73 Sea of Asia

Me a River"

67 Nucleus

obstacles

44 Bangor's state

46 Salon coloring

48 Come to regret

Joey"

Young

20

39

44

49

53

63

7 Jury makeup

9 Ones that got

8 Nine-days

devotion

11 Med. picture

13 Nice turndown

"Cavalleria

Rusticana'

27 Political exile

29 Mouths off

a river

31 Large lizard

32 Substantiate

33 Carrot-tops

37 Tavern brew

40 Door handle

B'rith

28 Ride the bench

30 Obstructed, like

19 Shrinking back,

away

10 Dewy

12 Bother

e.g.

lady

26 Moniker

21 Grate

24

45

56

60

2/10/09

16

822 Wanted To Buy

WANTED Will pay cash cowboy saddles & spurs, Indian blankets & rugs. 208-948-9992 lv. msg.

823 Medical Supplies

MECHANICAL BED S-Cape, less than a yr old. Must sell, exc. cond, \$1500/offer 208-655-4391

824 Guns & Rifles

BERETTA

Cheetah 380 cal. plus ammo, \$450. 208-734-3657 or 208-404-1145

MARLIN 917VS .17HMR. Leupold rings and 3x9 scope extras and ammo. \$600/offer. 308-3789

WINCHESTER SSM 25 cal., 1 year old wood bull stock barrel. \$650/offer. Please call Taylor at 208-736-1645 or 208-410-9944

826 Sporting Equipment

DOME TENT Cabelas Geodisic, 6-8 man w/rain fly & vestible. Includes stakes, poles & storage box, \$350. Like new! 734-5487

828 Garage Sales



FLEA MARKET at Twin Falls Fairgrounds Feb. 14 (9-5) Feb. 15 (10-4) \$1.00 admission. Under 12 yrs free. Over 30 vendors. Avon, antiques, vintage jewelry, cat trees, Western items DVDs, remote control airplanes. magnetic jewelry. floral arrangements new candle lantems blankets. Something

for everyone. Lunch and bake foods provided by The Life's Church to benefit Kenya. Promoted by Blue Cow 208-312-4900



901 ATVs



JOYNER '08 Commando 650, side by side, 4x4, 4 passenger, 650cc. spd, water cooled OHV, new, unused, \$5900, 293-5587

KAWASAKI '08 VTwin 650, only 30 miles, \$4800 208-280-0500



wheels.magicvalley.com YAMAHA '05 Raptor 686, \$4295 or

best offer. Cameron 208-250-7720

902 Motorcycles

HARLEY DAVIDSON '00 Electra Glide Classic, 20,200 miles. Asking \$11,200. 208-734-5254

> 903 Boats And Accessories



Design Concept, 19' w/Panther 350 eng. Kodiak jet pump Custom built for CA Dept of Water Ways 473 hrs. Immaculate ultimate, white water

208-293-5587 WOOLDRIDGE Alaskan Jet boat. 171/21, like new, 150hp outboard motor 208-431-5475

'00

boat, \$13,900.

904 Campers And Shells

Quality--Low Prices Selection. 208-312-1525 905

"USED SHELLS"

Motor Homes & RVs

SIERRA '07 5" wheel, 2 slide outs, Arctic pkg, BBQ, loaded. Includes 5" wheel hitch. \$20,000 or best offer Call 208-539-4558

906 Snow Vehicles

ARCTIC CAT '05 M7 EFI, 162" track, low miles, excellent condifion, \$4750/offer 208-312-5898

Looking for Snow Machines Wheels Check us out @

theels.magicvalley.com

POLARIS '03 600 RMK Call 208-539-0981 evenings

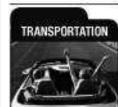
POLARIS '05 700. '04 Polaris 800 with 2 place trailer. Very low mis, Simmons skis. \$6900, 208-471-0050 or 208-733-0490

907 Travel Trailers

MALLARD 99 20 bumper pull, awning. AC, \$4000 or best offer. 208-431-0555

908 Utility Trailers

TRAILMAX '00 Gooseneck trailer, 2000 lbs, w/beater tail, new brakes \$4500/offer. 208-260-0366



1000 1001

Aviation

NOTICE Classified Advertisers

Please check your ad for accuracy the first day it runs. the Times-News will only be responsible for any errors reported on the first

Please Cali 733-0931 ext. 2

1002 Auto Parts And Accessories

PARTS FOR SALE fenders, hoods, lights, grills, mirrors, radiainterior/exterior. parts, etc. 734-7090

PARTS FOR SALE Transmissions, transfer cases, engines, engine parts, axles, etc. 208-734-7090

1004 Antiques and Collectibles

CHEVY '88 Corvette convertible, soft top, low miles, new clutch, new tires, exc cond. 4+3 trany, \$12,000.

Call 208-324-2951. 1005 Semis And Heavy Equipment

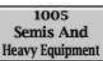
FREIGHTLINER FLD120, '96 utility, 48' reefer. Ready to go to work, \$21,500 for both or will separate



FREIGHTLINER '96 FL70 with 8 yard dump bed & sel loader, 8.3 Cum mins diesel, Allison AT, AC, one owner immaculate \$10,900. 293-5587



turbo diesel, 5 & 2, PS, double frame, new tires, fleet maintained from Dept. of Forestry, immaculate \$4900. 293-5587





immaculate, \$11,900 208-293-5587



466 diesel, 5 & 2, PS, good rubber, fleet maintained from Dept of Foresty immaculate, \$4900. 208-293-5587

MUV-ALL '87 equipment trailer, 30 ton w/hydraulic tail, new 10,000 tires. \$19,800/offer Winch 208-539-5839

OSHKOSH '65 Snow Plow with wing and Cummins engine IH '69 2 ton, 5 yard dump truck with defroster snow plow. 208-471-0065

CONNECT WITH CUSTOMERS WHO NEED YOUR SERVICE Advertise in the Business & Service Directory 733-0931 ext. 2

1006 Trucks



50K miles, bed liner, 4WD, ext cab, AT, fog lights, bright yellow, sharp looking! Only \$11,900.

Assist AUTO BROKERAGE



CHEVY '03 2500 HD 4x4, ext cab PL. AC, 47K miles, only \$14,900.

Accist AUTO BROKERAGE



1500 HD, crew cab great condition, new BFG tires, 96,650 miles, \$11,995/offer. 208-420-6256



CHEVY '05 Colorado ext cab, 4x4 Z71, low miles, GM Certified Used, auto, air, CD, \$16,999





CHEVY '07 2500 Crew Cab, 4x4, lifted premium wheels, running boards, CD

CHEVROLET adellae OF TWO FALLS

208-733-3033 CHEVY '07 Avalanche great condition, low miles, \$23,500



CHEVY '94 Silverado 3500 crew cab, dual ly, 6.5L turbo diesel. about 60K on motor and 12K on new tranny. Good shape, excellent. runner \$4500 or best offer. 208-431-8484



MIDDLEKAUFF FORD 208-736-2480

AND LONG CHEVY '98 Silverado 1500, ext cab, 4x4, PW, PL, PM, CD changer, 8" wooter, \$6950. sub

1006

Trucks

CHEVY '92 1500 Ex

tended cab, 4X4, PW

PL, tilt, AC. \$3,700 or

208-326-2323

best offer

208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome Smalley Motors

DODGE '01 2500, 4x4, Quad Cab, turbo Cummins, short box, SLT, top of the line plus chip and 5th wheel hide a ball \$13,500



SLT. Laramie valve Cummins turbo diesel, quad cab, AT PL, PS, PM, \$10,995. 208-324-0069

2811S Lincoln, Jerome Smalley Motors

DODGE '03 3500 Laramie 4x4, turbo diesel, 6 spd manual loaded, goose neck ball, spray in bed, \$12,250, 208-788-9636

DODGE '05 2500 Quad Cab, 75,000 miles, short bed, new tires Call 775-752-3714.



DODGE '06 2500 Hemi, CD, cruise, tow package. bed liner, \$13,499 stock #6G288588DC



DODGE '98 Ram 2500, quad cab. 4WD pickup w/camper shell mileage, great condition, \$8,000. 788-3176 or 720-1955



diesel, reg cab, dual-ly, AT, PW, PL, 115K mis, gooseneck hitch, \$8,999 208-324-0069

2811S Lincoln, Jerome







MIDDLEKAUFF

DODGE '99 D2500 w/utility bed, V8. AT AC, 48K act miles owner. well maintained, \$5500.



crew cab. V8, 4x4 PM, PL, CD, \$7,950. 208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome





one owner, \$6900.

208-293-5587



ORD '00 F-550 4x4 11 Bradford flat bed, Powerstroke diesel AT. AC. CC. new tires. immaculate maintained. \$11,500, 293-5587 FORD '02 F-150 Lariat

Super Crew, 4x4, 5.4

with Procharger, K&N

filter, \$9,000.

208-596-5063 6 FORD '02 Ranger XLT ext cab, 4 door, 85K

miles, only \$8950.

Assist AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St. Wendell 208-536-1900

42

1006

Trucks

FORD '91 F-150, 4WD

extended cab, short

box, AC, cruise, auto

\$1500/offer, 731-1537

FORD '92 F-250 Ext Cab. 4x4, clean owner. Super, super super, low miles. Must See! \$7,999.









2811S Lincoln, Jerome

Smalley Motors



208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome Smalley Motors

FORD '96 F-350 with utility bed, duals, 351 V8, 4 speed, like new condition, \$3500 208-293-5587



FORD '97 F-150 4WD

FORD '97 F-250 460, crew cab, short box 5 speed, 140K miles, \$5,500 or offer. 208-731-0307

45 Places to go, people to see 59 Leo's comment 1006 Trucks

FORD '97 F-250, 14T, 4x4, 351 V8, AC, 90K actual miles. Well OWNer tained, \$3600 208-293-5587

FORD '99 F-250 XLT 4 door, short box, V10, AT \$50000/offer 208-260-0366





sharp and runs like

GMC '04 Sierra 1500. only 56K miles, 4x4, ext cab, PL, PW, AC, only \$14,900.





cruise, only \$18,500. Assist AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St. Wendell 208-536-1900

cab, PW, PL, AC, CD,



barely broken in! \$23,999. Stock #8Z119848C C> CHEVROLET Cadellac OF TWO FALLS

208-733-3033



208-293-5587

Monday's Puzzle Solved PEP V A C A T E EIMIO USA

VIAIN I RONER STIGMA BEGS LAS TEA FOPS TRIADS E A N E R GREENTHUMB MASS OILPALMS LEGATO AUGERS GENETICS STICKINGBY MADE | A | N | Y | W | A | Y | ELS |||L||L|E|S|T D|O|V|E| CLIMAX TED LLURE AGO NICE POSSES R O W S S Т (c)2009 Tribune Media Services, Inc.

All rights reserved.

1006

Trucks

GMC '92 2500 4x4, 6.5

turbo diesel, red, long

bed, single cab, load-

ed, everything works.

Custom bumper &

bucket seats, tow pkg,

exc. cond, still looks

like new. Priced to sell

below Blue Book at

\$4500/offer. 670-2807

GMC '92 % ton 4x4, 1

owner, 100K miles. PS, AT, toolbox, 5^t

\$1700.

wheel hitch.

208-733-3634

GMC '92 Sierra SLE

side, \$3,920.

reg cab, 4x4, 5 spd, CD, PW, PL, flare-

208-324-0069

2811\$ Lincoln, Jerome

Smalley Motors

GMC '98 Sierra, ex-

CD, 4x4, \$4,900

208-324-0069

28115 Lincoln, Jerome

Smalley Motors

Looking for

Trucks

Wheels

Check us out @

NISSAN '02 Fronte

ing fiberglass cab.

208-324-0069

2811S Lincoln, Jerome

Smalley Motors

1007

Truck Parts And

Accessories

CHEVY '72 % ton pick-

up cab fenders, hood

bed. New carpet cus-

tom upholstered seat,

new rocker panels,

new cab support, new

& used parts, \$450.

Chevy 1 ton chassis

with duals, 8x12 stake

flatbed, \$300. Chevy

wheel, clutch & pres-

\$900/offer, 300-0422

everything but

front window &

XE, crew cab, 4x4, 5 spd, PW, PL, PM, tow

pkg, 66K mis, match-

S S CAN

47 Puts two and two together

50 Purplish red 52 Prankster's exclamation

54 Two-masted vessel 57 Actor Franco 61 Fit 62 Presidential

60 Opera song

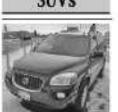
nickname 63 Dress in 64 Apple computer "Sliver" author

Levin 66 Kind of bread

1007 Truck Parts And

Accessories TIRES & RIMS (2) studded snow tires LT245/75R16 from '97 Ford F-150, 2/3 tread left, \$180, 736-6049

SUVs



BUICK '06 Terraza CXL, loaded, DVD, leather, OnStar, stock #6D162487D \$11,999

8 LITH IA Call 208-733-5776



30K miles, sunroof, PW, PL, AC, CD, very nice, only \$14,900. Assist AUTO BROKERAGE

275 S. Idaho St.



DODGE '03 Durango, 51K miles, 4WD, 3rd seat, PL, PW, only

AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St. Wendell 208-536-1900



4 door, full power, V8, AT, 8000 warn winch & custom bumper, new one owner fleet maintained \$3900.208-293-5587

CLASSIFIED AD

CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT 208-734-5538

Assist



FAX YOUR

TIMES-NEWS

'73 454 4 barrel, good running eng, new fly sure plate, 4 spd trans



Is the stuff at your house piling up? TIMÉ TOGET ORGANIZA

Classified Line Ad Specials

For items \$1500 or less.

For items \$1000 or less.

1010

Autos

FORD '03 Taurus SES

Cruise, PW, PL, CD.

show room condition

\$4100.208-420-6722

FORD '06 Taurus, 40K

miles, cruise, PW.

CD, great condition.

\$8800, 208-308-0106

FORD '07 Focus, Rare

station wagon. Excel-

tent shape, low miles.

Call 208-788-3226

or 208-720-4393

FORD '98 Escort, AT,

PW, clean, great gas

mileage, runs excel-

lent, \$1900, 420-6722

HONDA '03 Civic LX

Now \$9987: #51641

208-733-7700

HONDA '06 Accord

Was \$21,995. Now

HONDA

208-733-7700

HONDA '07 Accord LX

cond, only \$18,900.

Assist

275 S. Idaho St.

Wendell 208-536-1900

HONDA '07 Civic EX

Sedan, auto, air, PW PL, sunroof, AM/FM

6 disc CD, factory al-

loy wheels, certified

Thrifty Car Sales

802 N College Rd, TF

208-737-1200

LINCOLN '00 Town

Car. Signature series

dual PS, pearl white

loaded, trades well

come, \$7,990 #3056C

802 N College Rd, TF

208-737-1200

available

financing ava \$15,986.#2107

AUTO BROKERAGE

17K miles, AC, PL

\$16,987, #51619

financing financing avail \$15,980. #2096A

LOW.

Coupe.

32 mpg. \$10,900.

For items \$500 or less.

\$2 each additional line. Private Party only. Merchandise only, Prices must be included in ad. Maximum of 4 items.

Times-News Call 733-0931 Ext.2 or 800-658-3883 ext. 2 magicvalley.com



4x4 Sport, 5.4 Triton auto, rear AC, 3rd cloth interior. 103K mis, fully loaded, well maintained. \$7500. 208-543-4192

FORD '01 Sport Trac 4x4, 75K miles, white excellent condi tion, \$7200, 308-3642



FORD '02 Explorer loaded, AT, 2WD \$4600 or best offer. 208-404-4014



FORD '03 Expedition 4x4, loaded, V8, AT 8000 lb. Warn front & bumper, high miles, one ownclean \$5900.208-293-5587



FORD '03 Expedition XLT, 4.6 VB, front & rear air, leather, 3" seat, running boards. \$8990, #3055A

That It sy Car Sales 802 N College Rd, TF 208-737-1200



miles, leather owner. loaded. 4WD, 3rd seat, only \$13,900.

Assist AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St., Wendell 208-536-1900



FORD '05 Explorer, loaded, DVD, 3rd seat, power everything, 4x4, \$11,850. 208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome

Smalley Motors



4WD, automatic, PL, PW, very clean, only \$4950.

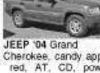
Assist AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St. Wendell 208-536-1900



GMC '95 Suburban 4x4, 3" seat, PW, PS, PL. PM, diesel, rear air, 119K mis, \$4995. 208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome

Smalley Motors





Cherokee, candy apple everything, \$9,900. 208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome

Smalley Motors

everything. must sell! \$5500. Tim 208-420-8480

OLDS '01 Silhouette

Runs great, Books at

S3000/affer, 961-0465

PONTIAC '05 Montana,

power

door, DVD, CD, PW

Assist

AUTO BROKERAGE

275 S. Idaho St.,

Wendell 208-536-1900

TOYOTA '91 Previa

Van. All wheel drive,

runs great, 219K mi.

\$1,950.208-720-2947

1010

Autos

Park Avenue Ultra,

sunroof, leather, CD

well kept! \$13,525.

CHEVROLET

208-733-3033

BUICK '06 Lucerne

3800 V6, dual climate

control, alloy wheels.

all power equip, certi

fied, \$13,980. #2081

Thriffy Car Sales

802 N College Rd, TF

208-737-1200

CADILLAC '05 CTS

Stock #50212636

OnStar, leather, sun-

roof, CD, \$15,999

C CHEVROLET

208-733-3033

CHEVY '00 Corvette

Glass top, auto, air, PW, PL, PS, AM/FM/

CD, polished wheels

heads-up display, 60K

miles, financing avail-able OAC, trades wel-

Therifty Car Sales

802 N College Rd, TF

208-737-1200

come, #2114

10000

adillac BF TWIN FALLS

adillac OF TWO FALLS

Stock #34188415

1 owner, only

remote

54K miles,

\$9950

Now



Cherokee Laredo 4x4 V8, dual power seats. loaded, 32K mis, certified, \$15,950, #3044A

802 N College Rd, TF



Sport. CD. auto. only miles stock#5P343267D Sale Price \$14,999

SLITHIA

JEEP '98 Grand Cherokee Limited.

needs tires, \$3000/ offer, 208-420-2796 Looking for

SUVs Wheels Check us out @

NISSAN '95 Pathfinder XE, auto, V6, 4x4, rack, grill guard, towing, AC, \$2500. 208-280-1107



OLDS '00 Bravada Runs good, good



Bravada, 4x4, 65K leather,

Assist AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St., Wendell 208-536-1900

TOYOTA '81 Landcruiser FJ-60 6 cylinder, 4 speed, Alpine CD, AC, runs, good glass, chrome wheels \$1300/offer, 326-8682

1009

DODGE '00 \$3800 208-944-4379

DODGE '06 Grand Caravan SXT, PW PL, sto n' go; rear air, power sliding doors, 40K mis, \$11,500.



Just reduced, tion, 20+ mpg, new trans, front & rear AC, V6. 733-5532



nice family van, only Assist

275 S. Idaho St.

Wendell 208-536-1900

AUTO BROKERAGE



51K miles, remote start, PW, PL, AC, Assist

1010 Autos

CADILLAC '03 DeVille Northstar eng, climate control, OnStar, immaculate condition, \$6975. 208-733-5789

CADILLAC '96 Fleetwood dean strong LT1. Looks/runs great \$4800. 208-420-7641



7 to choose from: Auto, air, \$8999

CHEVROLET OF TWO FALLS 208-733-3033



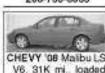
CHEVY '07 HHR, auto. cruise. Stock #7S614746CP

C CHEVROLET OF THIN FALLS



CHEVY '07 Impala CD, cruise, OnStar, alloy wheels, \$13,057 Stock #79232465C

CHEVROLET OF TWIN FALLS 208-733-3033



V6, 31K mi., loaded, bumper to bumper warranty, 100K drive train. Grey, like new. 59,600.358-3550



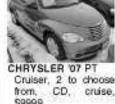
Pacifica, loaded, heated leather, DVD, 3rd power seat. everything \$12,950.

208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome



CHRYSLER '05 PT Cruiser, CD, cruise auto, power W/L/M/D-#5T543842DC Sale Price \$6,999

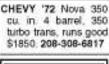
ELITHIA Call 208-733-5776



STUHIV Call 208-733-5776



\$10,999 ≅LITH I∧ Call 208-733-5776



Classified

Private

Party Ads

1010

Autos

CHEVY '06 Impala, like

reduced to

new cond, \$12,995

420-9195 or 733-2323

\$8995

Require pre-payment prior to publication. Major credit/debit cards, & cash accepted.

> 733-0931 ext. 2 Times-News



CD, cruise auto. power W/L/D, stock # 2D567823D Price \$3,999



SXT, air, CD, cruise, alloy wheels, stock #8N652329DCP \$12,999



DODGE '08 Caliber SXT-auto, power W/L/M/D, CD, cruisestock# 8D646808D-Sale

\$10,999 Call 208-733-5776

FORD '00 Focus, good cond, \$3300. Cadillac '97 best offer. Suzuki '91 best offer. Estate Sale. 208-436-9944



maintained, \$3300. 208-293-5587



4 cyl, 5 spd, 35 mpg 40,000 miles, \$4300 208-293-5587



\$6,905 208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome Smalley Motors

8 FORD '07 Mustang. miles, shaker

\$14,900 Assist 275 S. Idaho St

sunroof, factory warranty, \$18,990, #2113

miles. Was \$14,995

1010

Special Edition, auto air, PW, PL, PS, AM/ FM/CD, factory alloy LINCOLN '91 Town





auto, excellent MIDDLEKAUFF -- HONDA ---208-733-7700



MIDDLEKAUFF 208-733-7700



Assist AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St.,

4x4, \$2000. 4x4, \$1200 HYUNDAI '03 Accent, 4 door Sedan, \$3800 TOYOTA '84 DODGE '92 Dynasty,

GEO '92 Storm, \$1600 GEO '97 Metro, 4 door Sedan, \$1100 Financing available, 208-539-5067 EDEN AUTO LLC.

OLDS '95 98, PW. PL. great car, \$2,999. 208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome Smalley Motors

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

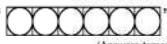
by Mike Argirion and Jeff Knurek

Lalways sit there



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Print answer here:



(Answers tomorrow)

Autos



Car. leather loaded local trade \$2990, 42084

802 N College Rd, TF

PM, PL, CD, 49K miles, \$11,550.

208-324-0069 28115 Lincoln, Jerome

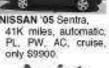






Eclipse GTS convert Was \$14,995 Now \$12,986. #51642





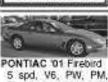
Wendell 208-536-1900 NISSAN '95 Pathfinder FORD '92 Explorer.

\$650

PM, PS, 4 dr, FWD

1010 Autos

Looking for Autos Wheels



PL, rear spoiler, 84K miles, \$7,950. A7U613186 208-324-0069 2811\$ Lincoln, Jerome



convertible, 11K miles, leather, heated XM Radio, Monsoon Stereo, extra nice, only \$21,900.

Assist 275 S. Idaho St. Wendell 208-536-1900 The state of the s



air, PW. AM/FM/cass, 6 disc CD, alloy wheels, 70 consignment now. No orig miles, must see, \$6990, #2111

Thrifty Car Sales



full power, low miles.

30 mpg, mail delivery

ready, \$5900.



Wendell 208-536-1900

AT, CD, power every thing, \$13,900. 37K 208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome

show actual any questions. local assessor's office. WHO can help YOU

Can! 733-0931 ext. 2

Classifieds twined@magicvalley.com

1009 1008 SUVs SUVs Vans and Buses FORD '05 Explorer, AT, CHEVY '85 Blazer for Looking for 4x4, PW, 75K miles parts. New tres, still Vans runs good, \$8800/ofbut rough. \$1000 or best offer fer. 208-878-4536 Wheels 208-404-9476 FORD '98 Expedition, Check us out @



JEEP '05 Grand



JEEP '05 Wrangler cruise 21,500

Call 208-733-5776 leather, sunroof, 144K

miles, custom wheels

wheels.maglovalley.com new tires & shocks,



only

Vans and Buses Caravan, runs good,





Sale Price \$3,999

cruise

#27405260D

AUTO BROKERAGE 275 S. Idaho St. Wendell 208-536-1900





AUTO BROKERAGE Wendell 208-536-1900



208-737-1200 STILHIV IONDA '06 Civic











ThriffyCar Sales

802 N College Rd, TF 208-737-1200

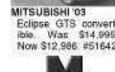


wheels, 100K mi cert fied Honda warranty. available, Thriffy Car Sales















Smalley Motors

C DHEVROLET



208-324-0069 2811S Lincoln, Jerome Smalley Motors

consignment

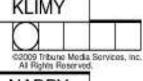
that the title is in the name of the seller. Under Idaho motor vehicle code a vehicle cannot be sold unless the title is in the name of the seller (exception: Idaho

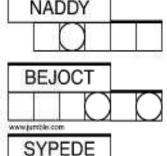
bill of sale showing the following: Full description of the vehicle, vehicle identification number, amount paid and name(s) and address of the new purchaser. The



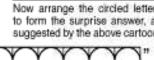


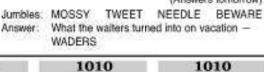














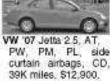


Autos

PONTIAC '97 Grand







WANTED Cars and Trucks. Smalley Motors is taking clean cars and trucks on

208-324-0069 WARNING When purchasing a vehicle, make sure

icensed dealer) The seller shall provide the new purchaser a signed

bill of sale must be signed, dated and mileage at the time of sale. If you have please contact your

sell your car?





TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2009

SPORTS EDITOR MIKE CHRISTENSEN: (208) 735-3239 SPORTS@MAGICVALLEY.COM

Canyon Ridge pegs Hicks as head football coach

By Bradley Guire Times-News

The Twin Falls School District board approved the hiring of Bill Hicks Monday as Canyon Ridge High School head varsity football coach. Hicks was initially hired as athletic December.

He was the Burley High School head varsity football coach from 1990-96, leading the Bobcats to the former Class A-1 Division II state championship game in 1994. He also taught physical education and health education

"Head coaching is a huge responsibility," Hicks said in a phone interview. "I was questioning whether or not I wanted to get back into that. But I love coaching. It really was an easy decision, and I'm excited about it."

Currently, he is vice principal and athletic director at Shelton (Wash.) High School, as well as the football team's offensive coordi-

"I think very highly of him," Minico High School athletic director and head football coach Tim Perrigot said. "He's a heck of a football coach."

Perrigot and Hicks shared the field as coaches four times in the mid-90s but were both head coaches only during the 1996 season.

Hicks will continue making periodic visits as the district continues to fill out the

principal Dickinson. So far, Canyon Ridge has filled seven varsity head coaching positions, including Hicks.

Bradley Guire may be reached at 208-735-3229 or bguire@magicvalley.com.

Tiger title

Jerome girls trounce Burley in GBW finale

By Ryan Howe **Times-News writer**

JEROME — The Jerome girls basketball team dominated every aspect of its 62-33 blowout victory over Burley Monday night, but the Tigers forgot one important detail.

The scissors.

Players and fans gathered around the hoop for the traditional cutting down of the nets following the Tigers' second consecutive Great Basin Conference West tournament championship. The ladder was in place, but somebody forgot to bring the scissors.

After a brief delay, a pair was found and the nylon was finally snipped. Forgive the Tigers for the oversight — they've got bigger things on their minds.

Now that the Tigers have punched their ticket to the Class 4A state tournament. Jerome (19-4) isn't ready to aged 32 percent shooting celebrate just yet.

"That's what you work nets with 63 percent. hard all summer for, that's what you put all the time in out with emotion with for, to win the state championship," said Aubree Callen, who led Jerome with 15 points and seven assists.

"This is not the trophy that we want. It's nice to have it, but we'll put it in the corner for now. We have bigger and better things ahead of us, we hope," said Jerome and Jordann Hollifield each coach Brent Clark.

Jerome took its play to a

whole other level during the district tournament, rolling through its three games with an average winning margin of 28 points.

"We're pretty high, but I don't think we've reached our potential yet," said Tinley Garey, who had 10 points and six rebounds off the bench for Jerome. "We've worked hard all season, and we knew this game was big and we were ready."

Just like a true prize fighter in a championship bout, Jerome busted Burley in the chops from the opening tip. The Tigers' 8-0 run to begin the second quarter gave them a 20-6 lead, and the fight should have been called right then.

Instead, Jerome kept piling it on, beating Burley in every quarter with its stifling defense. Burley's turnovers led to 22 Jerome points. Burley only manwhile Jerome blistered the

"I knew if we came the backing of our fans here, I knew they would get us going," said Clark. "We were very aggressive and moved the ball well offen-

sively." Five Tigers scored in double figures. Baylie Smith had 12, while Carrie Thibault

See **TIGER**, Sports 2



Jerome post Baylie Smith, left, battles for control of the ball against Burley defender Kelsee Wassom during the third quarter of their game Monday night in Jerome.

Utah lawmakers call for football playoff system

The Associated Press

SALT LAKE CITY — Utah's state legislature is calling for a playoff system to determine college football's national champion after an undefeated University of Utah was shut out of the national title game for the second time in four

With University of Utah football players on hand, the state senate adopted a resolution Monday it wants sent to President Barack Obama urging the NCAA to abandon the Bowl Championship Series in favor of a playoff system.

Utah went 13-0 and was the only unbeaten team in the country, but finished No. 2 behind Florida in The Associated Press Top 25. In the final USA Today Coaches' poll, the Utes were fourth.

Under the BCS, champions from the six major conferences — the ACC, Big East, Big 12, Big Ten, Pac-10 and SEC — are guaranteed a spot in a BCS game. Notre Dame and schools from the other five conferences can only

earn a spot in a BCS game if they finish the regular season rated high enough under a formula that relies on two human polls and six computer rankings. The Mountain West

Conference, which also

had TCU (No. 7) and BYU (No. 25) in the poll, is pushing to get an automatic bid to the BCS. The Associated Press asked the BCS to stop using its poll in December 2004, after undefeated

out of the BCS title game. Utah's lawmakers contend the BCS formula is flawed and gives schools from the major conferences an unfair advantage that would make it impossible for a school like

BYU to win the national title,

as the Cougars did in 1984.

Auburn and Utah were left

"You look at what happened this year, University of Utah did everything physically possible to win that championship," said Senate Majority Whip Scott Jenkins, R-Plain City. "Unless they are arbitrarily put in to

See UTAH, Sports 2

A-Rod admits using performance-enhancers

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Alex Rodriguez, the player who would restore integrity to baseball's home run record, admitted Monday to using performance-enhancing drugs himself.

The All-Star third baseman said in an interview with ESPN that he used steroids with the Texas Rangers for three years, from 2001-03, in an attempt to justify his status as the game's highest-paid player after signing a 10year, \$252 million contract.

"Back then it was a different culture," Rodriguez said. "It was very loose. I was young. I was stupid. I was naive, and I wanted to prove to everyone that, you know, I was worth, you know — and being one of the greatest players of all time.'

He said he quit after 2003, his first of three AL MVP seasons, because "I've

See **A-ROD**, Sports 4





TOP: Alex Rodriguez with the Texas Rangers in March 2003. BOTTOM: Rodriguez with the New York Yankees in March 2008. Rodriguez tested positive for steroids in his MVP season of 2003, according to a report posted Saturday on Sports Illustrated's Web site.

A plea to each **SWAC** referee

¬ he following is an actual fictional letter from an area basketball fan. It is addressed to each referee that works games in the Scenic West Athletic Conference. Interestingly, it arrived shortly after Friday night's men's basketball game between the College of Southern Idaho and the College of Eastern Utah.



MIKE CHRISTENSEN

Dear Mr. SWAC Official, I am writing with a simple request as you work basketball games in the Scenic West Athletic Conference. It is this:

Please let them play. I just finished watching a nearly three-hour game between CSI and Eastern Utah in which the two teams were whistled for 64 fouls and combined to shoot 91 free throws. That shouldn't happen.

A friend of mine was in Shoshone that night attending a high school basketball game. When he got in his car and turned on the radio, 1 minute, 44 seconds were left in regulation of CSI's game. He made it home to Twin Falls — a 25-mile trek - before regulation ended.

That shouldn't happen. To make sure travesties like these don't happen again, I have a few more simple requests. These should be followed for the sake of the game, the players and the fans. After all, which is the more enjoyable way to watch two points go up on the scoreboard: watching a high-flying slam dunk or watching CSI attempt four free throws?

With that in mind, here are a few addition favors:

Please don't call a handcheck 40 feet from the bas-

Please don't award every flop with a charging call. Please don't anticipate the result of a play before it happens.

Please check your ego at the door.

And please, please remember: While 13 people are on the floor during a game, only 10 of them should decide the outcome.

If you have any questions about how to do the preceding things, please get a DVD copy of Saturday's encore between CSI and CEU. That game featured only 33 fouls and 44 free throws. It was more exciting, more freeflowing and far less taxing on my backside (those benches are hard, after all).

Thank you for your time. And remember, less is more.

Mike Christensen may be reached at 208-735-3239 or sports@magicvalley.com.

Wendell girls get another shot at Kimberly

The Times-News

The Wendell girls beat the Indians 44-32 Monday at home for a chance to face Kimberly in the Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference championship game Wednesday at the College of Southern Idaho Gymnasium

"Buhl played hard," said Wendell coach Delon Huse. "Our defense was pretty excellent, and we handled the pressure. We did a really good job on the boards."

Kristen Brandsma registered a double-double with 11 points and 11 boards for the Trojans (17-6). Jori Fleming matched her nine points with nine rebounds and Jaci Lancaster had seven steals.

Autumn Yturbe had nine points to lead Buhl, which is done for the season.

Wendell 44, Buh 32 9599-32 1212713-44

BUHL (32)
Autumn Yturbe 9, Mercedes Pearson 7, Courtney Azevedo 5, Bailee Montgomery 6, Ellie Spencer 5. Totals 10 12-20 32.

WEDEL (46)
Jori Fleming 9, Krystyl Miller 5, Jac Lancaster 7, Amber Bowers 3, Kristen Brandsma 11, Erin O'Brien 7. Heather Sturgeon 2. Totals 16 11-19 44.
3-point goals: Buhl 2 (Yturbe, Azevado), Wendell 1 (Lancaster), Total fouls: Buhl 19, Wendell 16. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: Wendell, bench.

Class 2A Canyon Conference Tournament

DECLO 53, GLENNS FERRY 17

The Declo Hornets eliminated Glenns Ferry 53-17 and will now travel to Valley for Thursday's championship game.

"This was a game we had to win to be able to go back to Valley on Thursday," said Declo coach Val Christensen. "If we play a perfect game and on the right night we think we can do it (beat Valley)."

Declo (13-10) senior Catherine Blakeslee led the Hornets with nine points, and

Sarah Silcock and Jezzura Durfee each tossed in eight. Mollee Shrum scored a teamhigh for the Pilots.

Deglo 53, Glengs Ferry 17 lenns Ferry 2744-17 eclo 158 11 19 - 58 GLENNS FERRY (17) Jennie Popoca 4 , Stevi Baker 2, Aspen Martell 2, Sydney Sterling 2, Mollee Shrum 5, Jessica Ortiz 2. Totals 7 3-9 17.

DECLO (53) DECLO (53)
Brinlee Breshears 5, Sierra Zollinger 6, Alli Webb 5,
Sydney Christensen 4, Sarah Silcock 8, Melissa
Carson 4, Jezzura Durfee 8, Catherine Blakeslee 9,
Emily Moore 4. Totals 23 6-15 53.
3-point goals: Declo 1 (Breshears). Total fouls: Glenns
Ferry 13, Declo 12. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls:

Class 1A Div. I Snake **River Conference Tournament**

SHO-BAN 45, SHOSHONE 40

The Sho-Ban girls eliminated Shoshone 45-40 Monday. Shoshone held a sevenpoint edge into the final period but was outscored by Sho-

Ban in the fourth.

"The girls played hard,"

said Shoshone coach Tim Chapman. "We led after the third quarter but let it slip away from us. Sho-Ban is a great shooting team, and we just struggled shooting in the fourth quarter. The girls gave me everything. I'm very proud of them."

Lacey Kniep and Taylor Astle were in double figures scoring 19 and 10 points, respectfully. Kniep hit four 3pointers and Astle had two.

Shoshone ends the season at 11-13.

Sho-Ban will play Raft River Wednesday for second

She Ban 45, Shoshone 46
ShoBan 12 10 5 18 – 45
ShoBane 13 14 5 – 40
SHORAN (45)
Tyree Smith 1, Jill Graves 2, Shayann Johnson 15,
Olivia Yokoyama 11, Samantha Bear 14, Corianna
Honena 2. Totals 16 7-14 45.
SHOSHONE (41)
Taylor Astle 10, Lacey Kniep 19, Jennica Kerner 7,
Jenny Perron 2, Kelly Perron 2.Totals 12 10-18 40.
3-point goals: Sho-Ban 6 (Yokoyama 3, Johnson 2, S.
Bear), Shoshone 6 (Kniep 4, Astle 2). Total fouls: Sho-Ban 19, Shoshone 16. Fouled out: Sho-Ban, Johnson.
Shoshone, Kerner, J. Perron). Technical fouls: none.

Bowling

TWIN FALLS TOPS BOYS BOWLING MEET

Anthony Vest of Twin Falls was the top medalist with 687 pins to lead Twin Falls to the district title as the Bruins recorded a 4-1 record with 815 total pins. Burley finished second with the same record of 4-1 but had 744

Michael Barrutia was the top Filer bowler with 630 pins and finished second.

Boys district bowling Variety team serves 1. Twin Falls (4-1) 815 total pins; 2. Burley (4-1) 744; 3. Filer (3-2) 774. Junior varsity team scores: 1. Twin Falls (5-0) 714 total pins; 2. Burley (4-1) 681; 3. Jerome (3-2) 577

Junior varsity B; 1. Twin Falls (5-0).

Junior varsity B: 1. Twin Falls (5-0).
Medalists

1. Anthony Vest, Twin Falls, 687 pins; 2. Michael Barrutia, Filer, 630; 3. Gared Chojnacky, Jerome, 590; 4. Jordan Jerke, Jerome, 588; 5. Kyle Schab, Minico, 570; 6. Tyler Black, Twin Falls, 523; 7. Shane McMichael, Twin Falls, 522; 8. Anthony Brady, Filer, 522; 9. Anthony Meyer, Burley, 505; 10. Andrew Morgan, Burley, 500; 11. Paul Armendariz, Twin Falls, 69; 12. Nick Ridgeway, Filer, 467; 13. Dale Amen, Minico, 463; 14. Jared Studer, Minico, 445; 15. Brody Albertson, Minico, 437.

2008-09 High School **Girls Basketball District Tournaments**

Class 5A Region Four-Five-Six Tuesday, Feb. 3

Game 1: Skyline 49, Idaho Falls 45 Game 2: Highland 49, Twin Falls 33 Thursday, Feb. 5

Game 3: Idaho Falls 56, Twin Falls 54 (Twin Falls eliminated) Game 4: Madison 76, Skyline 68 Saturday, Feb. 7

Game 5: Skyline 62, Idaho Falls 45 (Idaho Falls eliminated) Game 6: Highland 57, Madison 45 Tuesday, Feb. 10 Game 7: Skyline (10-13) at Madison (13-9), 7 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 12 Game 8: Championship, Winner 6 at

Highland (22-0), 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 13

Game 9: Second championship, if nec-· Champion and runner-up will receive berths to state tournament, Feb. 19-21 at the Idaho Center in Nampa.

Class 4A Great Basin Conference West Division

Tuesday, Feb. 3 Game 1: Burley 58, Wood River 42 Game 2: Jerome 63, Minico 26

Thursday, Feb. 5 Game 3: Minico 52, Wood River 37 (Wood River eliminated) Game 4: Jerome 46, Burley 27

Saturday, Feb. 7
Game 5: Burley 47, Minico 33 (Minico eliminated)

Monday, Feb. 9 Game 6: Championship, Burley (18-5) at

Jerome (18-4), 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 12 **District IV-V Playoff** Location TBA

Jerome (19-4) vs. Century (8-15), winner earns 4-5A seed Burley (18-6) vs. Preston (13-10) . The winner of the District IV-V runnerup crossover will advance to state playin at 1 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 14, against the District VI runner-up at Highland High School in Pocatello. State tournament is Feb. 19-21 at Mountain View High School in Meridian.

Class 3A Sawtooth Central Idaho

Monday, Feb. 2 Game 1: Kimberly 51, Buhl 42 Game 2: Filer 54, Gooding 31 Tuesday, Feb. 3

Game 3: Buhl 56, Gooding 38 (Gooding

Game 4: Wendell 43, Filer 34 Wednesday, Feb. 4 Game 5: Buhl 51, Filer 46 (Filer eliminated)

Game 6: Kimberly 52, Wendell 44 Monday, Feb. 9 Game 7: Wendell 44, Buhl 32 (Buhl eliminated)

Wednesday, Feb. 11 Game 8: Championship, Wendell (17-6) vs. Kimberly (17-3), 7 p.m., at CSI Friday, Feb. 13

Game 9: Second championship, if necessary, 7 p.m., high seed hosts Champion receives state tournament berth. Second-place team will face District III runner-up in state play-in game at 1 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 14, at Glenns Ferry. State tournament will be held Feb. 19-21 at Skyview High School in Nampa.

Class 2A Canyon Conference Tuesday, Feb. 3

Game 1: Declo 76, Glenns Ferry 22 Thursday, Feb. 5 Game 2: Valley 60, Declo 45

Monday, Feb. 9 Game 3: Declo 53, Glenns Ferry 17 (Glenns Ferry eliminated)

Thursday, Feb. 12 Game 4: Championship, Declo (13-10) at Valley (18-3), 7 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 13 Game 5: Second championship, Loser 4 at Winner 4, if necessary, 7 p.m. · Champion receives berth to state tournament, Feb. 19-21 at Bishop Kelly High School in Boise.

Class 1A Division I Snake River Saturday, Jan. 31

Play-in game
Oakley 61, Lighthouse Christian 30 (Lighthouse Christian eliminated) Tournament At Shoshone High School

Wednesday, Feb. 4 Game 1: Challis 85. Hansen 21

Game 2: Sho-Ban 44, Shoshone 40 Game 3: Raft River 46, Oakley 44 Game 4: Hagerman 40, Castleford 36 Friday, Feb. 6

Game 5: Shoshone 41, Hansen 34 (Hansen eliminated) Game 6: Oakley 49. Castleford 27 (Castleford eliminated) Game 7: Challis 64, Sho-Ban 48

Game 8: Raft River 57, Hagerman 29 Saturday, Feb. 7 Game 9: Shoshone 30, Hagerman 29 (Hagerman eliminated)

Game 10: Sho-Ban 67, Oakley 58 (Oakley eliminated) Game 11: Championship, Challis 59, Raft River 46

Monday, Feb. 9 Game 12: Sho-Ban 45, Shoshone 40 (Shoshone eliminated)

Wednesday, Feb. 11 Game 13: Second place, Raft River (16-

6) vs. Sho-Ban (13-9), 7:30 p.m. · Champion and second place gets state tournament berth. Third place advances to play-in game at 3 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 14, at Glenns Ferry, against the third-place team from District III. State tournament is Feb. 19-21 at Columbia High School in

Class 1A Division II Northside Conference At Dietrich High School

Thursday, Feb. 5Game 1: Camas County 43, Bliss 20 Game 2: Carey 53, Magic Valley

Christian 22 Friday, Feb. 6 Game 3: Richfield 55, Camas County 24

Game 4: Carey 48, Dietrich 36 Saturday, Feb. 7 Game 5: Dietrich 77, Bliss 29 (Bliss

eliminated) Game 6: Magic Valley Christian (1-12) vs. Camas County (9-8), late

Friday, Feb. 13 Game 7: Dietrich (16-6) vs. Winner 6, 6 p.m. Game 8: Championship, Richfield (21-0)

vs. Carey (11-7), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 14 Game 9: Second place, Loser 8 vs.

Winner 7, 7 p.m. · Champion, second-place and thirdplace teams all receive berths to state tournament, Feb. 19-21 at Nampa High

76ers win third straight over Suns **PHILADELPHIA** Ramon Sessions scored 26 Charlotte ahead 88-70 with 4 points and had seven assists, minutes left.

Thaddeus Young scored 25 points and Marreese Speights had a career-high 24 points to lift the Philadelphia 76ers to their third straight win, 108-91 over the Phoenix Suns on Monday night.

Andre Iguodala scored 22 points and Samuel Dalembert grabbed 11 rebounds to help the Sixers (26-24) move two games above .500 for the first time this season.

Amare Stoudemire shrugged off persistent trade rumors and scored 19 points Jason the Suns. Richardson had 16 and Shaquille O'Neal grabbed 10 rebounds.

Speights led a charge in the second quarter that turned this one from a tight game into a fast 14-point lead for the Sixers.

BUCKS 124, ROCKETS 112

MILWAUKEE — Charlie Villanueva scored 25 points, grabbed eight rebounds and sparked a big second-half run that gave the Milwaukee Bucks a 124-112 victory over Houston on Monday night that snapped an eight-game losing streak against the Rockets.

Richard Jefferson added 25 points and reserve Charlie Bell had 21 for the Bucks, who are missing three starters to injury and trying to stay competitive

in the Eastern Conference. This one was a dominant performance by Milwaukee, which had lost two straight overall and had a four-year skid to Houston.

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Emeka Okafor had 19 points and 16 rebounds, Vladimir Radmanovic hit three fourthquarter 3-pointers in his Bobcats pulled away from the

Boris Diaw and Raymond Felton added 15 points apiece the injury-riddled Bobcats, who depended on Radmanovic two days after he was acquired from the Los

Angeles Lakers. broke open a close game. He added another 3 to put

Zach Randolph had 20 points and 10 rebounds and Eric Gordon scored 17 for the Clippers, who fizzled in the fourth quarter in the finale of a seven-game road trip.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — O.J. Mayo had 22 points and a career-high 16 rebounds, while Mike Conley scored 18 and handed out eight assists to lead the Memphis Grizzlies to an 85-80 victory over the short-handed New Orleans

Hornets on Monday night. Hakim Warrick had 15 points and a season-high 14 rebounds, while Marc Gasol added 10 points and 10 rebounds for Memphis, which has won two straight

and four of its last five. Peja Stojakovic scored 23 points to lead the Hornets, who were without their top three players in Chris Paul, Tyson Chandler and David West. Paul and Chandler were out with injuries, while West was suspended for the game after his flagrant foul against Minnesota's Mike Miller on Sunday.



Phoenix Suns forward Amare Stoudemire, center, splits the defense of Philadelphia 76ers forward Thaddeus Young, left, and center Samuel The 76ers won 108-91.

29 points and grabbed 10 rebounds Monday night to help Fresno State hold off Boise State 88-82 and snap a three-game Western Athletic

Conference skid. Sylvester Seay added 23 points for Fresno State (10-14, 2-7 WAC), including an open three-pointer with 2 minutes, 50 seconds left and four consecutive free throws

20 points for Boise State (16-7, 6-4), equaling a career high. Paul Noonan added 17

the second half before rallying to within 84-80 on Anderson's long jumper with

The Broncos immediately fouled George in the backcourt, but he calmly made two free throws with 29 sec-

After Boise State missed a three-pointer on the other Bryce Cartwright grabbed the rebound, got fouled and made two free throws with 19 seconds left to seal the victory.

PITTSBURGH Virginia 70-59 on Monday

Young followed up a 22-

point game in Pitt's 79-67 win at West Virginia two weeks ago, making seven of 12 shots and adding seven rebounds. Levance Fields had 13 points and seven assists to help the Panthers (22-2, 9-2 in Big East) win their fourth in a row and sixth in seven games.

NO. 17 MISSOURI 62,

62-60 victory over No. 16 Kansas on Monday night.

12), who won their 16th in a

row at home against a bitter

border rival that had beaten

investigating whether the

BCS is violating federal

antitrust laws and Gov. Jon

Huntsman has suggested

having Florida and Utah play

an extra game at a neutral

site, which is highly unlikely.

have taken some flak for

using state resources on col-

lege football, but they say it's

millions of dollars that poten-

tially come to our universities

through these programs, I

hardly think it's frivolous,"

said Senate Majority Leader

Sheldon Killpack, R-Syracuse.

ed to approve Senate Joint

Resolution 11 later this week.

The Utah House is expect-

"When you talk about the

worth it.

Shurtleff and other leaders

them five straight times. Fans in the final minute to lead from a raucous sellout crowd of 15,061 mobbed the floor after Cole Aldrich's desperation shot banged off the backboard at the buzzer as he was being knocked to the floor.

Women's Top 25 NO. 8 NORTH CAROLINA 75, NO. 4 DUKE 60

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. Rashanda McCants scored 19 of her 22 points in the second half to help No. 8 North Carolina beat No. 4 Duke 75-60 on Monday night.

NO. 11 MARYLAND 85, BOSTON COLLEGE 81

BOSTON — Kristi Toliver scored 19 points with seven assists, picking up a loose ball and hitting a 3-pointer with the shot clock winding down

points, seven rebounds, and five assists as Maryland (19-4, Atlantic Coast Conference) won its third

over

Marissa Coleman added 23

Boston

Marvland

straight game.

straight win.

College.

NO. 23 SOUTH DAKOTA STATE 64, **IUPUI 48** INDIANAPOLIS — Maria Boever scored 19 points and Jennifer Warkenthien added 18 to help South Dakota State

Kristin Rotert added 10 points for the Jackrabbits (23-2, 12-1 Summit).

beat IUPUI for its ninth

Julia Whitted scored 14 points and Janna Eichelberger added 11 for IUPUI (12-12, 7-6).

— The Associated Press

Utah

Continued from Sports 1

that championship game, they will never have the chance."

However, despite calls from fans and President Obama himself, a playoff is unlikely anytime soon. The BCS recently signed a four-year, \$125 million deal with ESPN to televise the BCS national championship game, and the Orange, Fiesta and Sugar bowls, starting January 2011 and running through the 2014 bowls.

The current deal with Fox runs out after next season. The Rose Bowl has its own separate TV deal with ABC that runs through January

"You know, when this comes down to it, it's all about money. The fact is the BCS alliance controls large dollars, and to not be able to be in that group is not right," Jenkins said. "There's time to hold a playoff. You just got to do it." Atlantic Coast Conference

commissioner and BCS coordinator John Swofford has said the majority of university presidents and athletic directors oppose an expansive NFL-style playoff for major college football and that the BCS is in compliance with federal law.

Utah politicians are undeterred, though. Attorney General Mark Shurtleff is

BOBCATS 94, CLIPPERS 73

Charlotte debut, and the road-weary Los Angeles Clippers to snap a five-game

losing streak.

Despite not having practiced with his new team, Radmanovic hit two long jumpers in a 15-2 run that

GRIZZLIES 85, HORNETS 80

- The Associated Press

Dalembert right during the first half of their game Monday in Philadelphia.

Boise State men fall at Fresno State

FRESNO, Calif. — Paul 31 seconds remaining. George scored a career-high onds left.

in the final 1:24. Kurt Cunningham scored

points for the Broncos, and La'Shard Anderson had 15. Boise State trailed by as many as 18 points in

Men's Top 25 NO. 4 PITTSBURGH 70.

WEST VIRGINIA 59 — Sam Young scored 20 points as No. 4 Pittsburgh seized the lead with a late first-half run and went on to beat rival West

NO. 16 KANSAS 60. COLUMBIA, Mo. — Zaire Taylor hit a 10-footer from just outside the lane with 1.3 seconds to go, capping No. 17 Missouri's comeback from a 14-point halftime deficit in a

DeMarre Carroll had 22 points and seven rebounds for the Tigers (21-4, 8-2 Big

Tiger.

Continued from Sports 1

scored 10. "We were so pumped up at school, so pumped up on the bus, but we just lost it," said Kassi Kerbs, who led Burley with 10 points. "Right at tip off we get

can't focus." Burley (18-6) will play District V runner-up Preston on Thursday, with the winner advancing to a state play-in against the District VI runner-up.

scared, girls lose it and we

"We're not done yet. We need to give it our all, especially us seniors because we know we deserve to be in the state tournament.'

Jerome will play District champion Century on Thursday to decide the Great Basin champion and the region's top berth to the state tournament.

Jerome 62, Burley 33 Burley 68811-33 Jerome 12 16 22 12 - 62 BURLEY (33) Kassi Kerbs 10, Cheri Preston 3, Brandee Potts 2, Paige Andersen 5, Teresa Wayment 5, Sky Palomarez 8. Totals 12 8-14 33.

Aubree Callen 15, Tinley Garey 10, Hailey Long 2, Carrie Thibault 10, Allison Bruckner 2, Jordann Hollifield 10, Baylie Smith 12, Hannah Hillier 1. Totals 26 7-11 62.

3-point goals: Burley 1 (Preston); Jerome 3 (Callen, Thibault 2), Total fouls: Burley 14; Jerome 14. Fouled out: none.

Ryan Howe may be reached at 208-677-8786 or rhowe@magicvalley.com.

SCOREBOARD

BASKETBALL NBA All Times MST EASTERN ATLANTIC Pct .792 .520 .462 .420 .358 **Boston** 42 11 24 28 29 34 21 19 19½ 23 SOUTHEAST 12 21 23 31 40 .760 .580 .540 .392 38 Orlando Atlanta Charlotte Washingto CENTRAL GB .796 .551 .463 .431 .385 10 22 29 29 12 16½ 18 20½ Chicago Indiana WESTERN SOUTHWEST Pct GB .694 .612 .600 .596 .294 15 19 20 21 36 Houston NORTHWEST GB Denver 17 .667 19 23 33 38 .620 .558 .340 .255 Portland Utah ma City 41 9 28 22 17 35 12 40 11 41 .820 .560 .327 .231 .212 L.A. Lakers Golden State

L.A. Clippers Sacramento Sunday's Games San Antonio 105. Boston 99 San Antonio 105, Boston 99
LA. Lakers 101, Cleveland 91
Orlando 101, New Jersey 84
Washington 119, Indiana 117
Miami 96, Charlotte 92
Portland 109, New York 108
Oklahoma City 116, Sacramento 113
New Orleans 101, Minnesota 97
Phoenix 107, Detroit 97
Golden State 116 Utab 96 rnoenix 107, Detroit 97 Golden State 116, Utah 96 Monday's Games Philadelphia 108, Phoenix 91 Charlotte 94, L.A. Clippers 73 Milwaukee 124, Houston 112

Milwaukee 124, Houston 112
Memphis 85, New Orleans 80
Tuesday's Games
Washington at Atlanta, 5 p.m.
Cleveland at Indiana, 5 p.m.
Denver at Miami, 5:30 p.m.
San Antonio at New Jersey, 5:30 p.m.
Toronto at Minnesota, 6 p.m.
Detroit at Chicago, 6:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Dallas, 6:30 p.m.
New York at Golden State, 8:30 p.m.
New York at Golden State, 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday's Games
Denver at Orlando, 5 p.m.
Denver at Orlando, 5 p.m.

Phoenix at Cleveland, 5 p.m. San Antonio at Toronto, 5 p.m. San Antonio at Toronto, 5 p.m.
Memphis at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.
Washington at Charlotte, 5 p.m.
Atlanta at Detroit, 5:30 p.m.
Indiana at Milwaukee, 6 p.m.
Boston at New Orleans, 6 p.m.
Sacramento at Houston, 6:30 p.m.
LA. Lakers at Utah, 7 p.m.
Oklahoma City at Portland, 8 p.m.
New York at L.A. Clippers, 8:30 p.m.

NBA Boxes Bobcats 94, Clippers 73

LA. CLIPPERS (73) Thornton 3-13 0-0 6, Randolph 9-18 2-7 20, Camby 3-8 2-2 8, Gordon 7-13 3-5 17, B.Davis 1-7 1-1 3, R.Davis 1-6 2-2 4, Jones 0-2 0-0 0, Jordan 1-2 0-0 2, Novak 5-8 0-0 13, Samb 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 30-77 10-17 73.

2 0-0 0, Jordan 1-2 0-0 2, Novak 5-8 0-0 13, Samb 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 30-77 10-17 73.

CHARLOTTE (94)
Diaw 7-11 0-0 15, Okafor 8-14 3-4 19, Diop 2-6 0-2 4, Augustin 7-10 2-2 17, Felton 6-16 2-4 15, Radmanovic 5-10 0-0 13, May 0-1 0-0, Mohammed 1-1 1-2 3, Martin 2-4 2-2 6, Ajinca 1-2 0-0 2, Singletary 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 39-75 10-16 94.

LA Clippers 21 22 18 12 7 94
3-Point Goals—L.A. Clippers 3-16 (Novak 3-6, Randolph 0-1, Gordon 0-2, R.Davis 0-3, B.Davis 0-4), Charlotte 6-13 (Radmanovic 3-5, Felton 1-2, Diaw 1-2, Augustin 1-2, Martin 0-1, Ajinca 0-1), Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—L.A. Clippers 45 (Camby 1-1), Charlotte 51 (Okafor 16), Assists—L.A. Clippers 20 (B.Davis 8), Charlotte 27 (Diaw 9), Total Fouls—L.A. Clippers 15, Charlotte 22. A—10,852 (19,077).

NEW ORLEANS (80)
Stojakovic 7-22 8-8 23, Bowen 0-1 0-0 0, Marks 2-7 0-0 4, Butler 3-17 0-0 8, Daniels 2-10 6-6 11, Armstong 3-5 0-0, 6 Posey 3-8 3-3 11, Brown 2-13 3-3 8, Ely 1-1 1-2 3, Wright 3-4 0-0 6. Totals 26-88 21-22 80.

3-4 0-0 6. Totals 26-88 21-22 80. **MEMPHIS (85)** Ross 3-9 1-2 8, Warrick 6-14 3-6 15, Gasol 2-66-8 10, Mayo 7-17 7-8 22, Conley 6-14 5-7 18, Buckner 1-7 2-2 4, Milicic 2-5 0-0 4, Jaric 1-4 0-0 2, Miles 0-1 2-2 2. Totals 28-77 26-35

3-Point Goals—New Orleans 7-25 (Posey 2-5, Butler 2-5, Daniels 1-3, Brown 1-5, Stojakovic Mayo 1-4, Jaric 0-1, Buckner 0-3), Fouled Mayo 1-4, Jaric U-J., Buckner U-3), Floured Out-Armstrong, Rebounds—New Orleans 43 (Brown 9), Memphis 78 (Mayo 16). Assists— New Orleans 13 (Daniels 4), Memphis 18 (Conley 8). Total Fouls—New Orleans 27, Memphis 21. Technicals—Memphis defensive three second 2. A—10,896 (18,119).

Bucks 124, Rockets 112 HOUSTON (112)
Battier 0-3 3-4 3, Scola 7-8 6-6 20, Yao 2-8 3-7. McGrady 1-9 1-3 3, Alston 2-8 4-4 9, Artest 6-11 4-4 20, Landry 3-5 10-11 16, Wafer 2-6 3-3 8, Brooks 7-14 4-5 23, Barry 1-1 0-0 3, Hayes 0-0 0-0 0, Mutombo 38-43 112.

Totals 31-73 38-43 112.

MILWAUKEF (124)

Jefferson 10-15 2-6 25, Villanueva 9-18 2-2
25, Elson 0-2 0-0 0, Mbah a Moute 0-5 0-0 0,
Sessions 8-12 10-12 26, Bogans 4-8 4-4 13,
Gadzuric 3-5 0-0 6, Allen 1-3 0-0 2, Bell 9-13
2-2 21, Jones 0-2 0-0 0, Gill 1-1 0-0 2,
Alexander 2-5 0-0 4, Totals 47-89 20-26 124,
Houston 23 35 18 36 - 112

Alexander 2-5 0-0 4, Totals 47-89 20-26 124,
Houston 23 35 18 36 - 112

Alexander 2-5 0-0 4, Totals 47-89 20-26 124,
Houston 23 35 18 36 - 112

Alexander 2-1, Willwaukee 12-20

(Villanueva 5-10, Jefferson 3-3, Bogans 1-3,
Bell 1-3, Jones 0-1), Fouled out—None.

Rebounds—Houston 51 (Yao 10), Milwaukee

Rebounds—Houston 51 (Yao 10), Milwaukee 44 (Villanueva 8). Assists—Houston 18 (McGrady 5), Milwaukee 31 (Sessions 7). Total Fouls—Houston 23, Milwaukee 25. TechnicalMilwaukee defensive three second. A—13,904 (18,717).

76ers 108, Suns 91 76ers 108, Suns 91
PHOENIX (91)
III 34 0-1 6, Stoudemire 7-13 5-5 19,
0'Neal 3-7 1-4 7, Richardson 7-14 2-2 16,
Nash 1-8 0-0 2, Amundson 3-7 0-0 6, Bames
3-6 2-2 9, Barbosa 4-12 0-0 9, Tucker 4-10 0-0 9, Dragic 1-4 4-4 6, Dudley 0-0 2-2 2, Lopez
0-0 0-0 0. Totals 3-68 5-62 91.
PHILADELPHIA (108)
Iguodala 6-14 10-11 22, Young 10-14 3-4 25,
Dalembert 2-5 2-2 6, Green 2-8 0-0 4, Miller
3-8 1-2 7, Williams 3-13 4-4 11, Evans 1-3 2-3
4, Ivey 0-6 0-0, Speights 11-16 2-2 24,
Ratiliff 0-1 0-0 0, Rush 0-2 0-0 0, Marshall 2-3
0-0 5. Totals 40-93 24-28 10s.

0-0 5. Totals 40-93 24-28 108.

Phoenix 25 19 22 25 — 91.

Philadelphia 30 25 25 28 — 108.

3-Point Goals—Phoenix 3-14 (Tucker 1-1, Barnes 1-4, Barbosa 1-4, Nash 0-1, Draigc 0-1, Richardson 0-3), Philadelphia 4-16 (Young 2-2, Marshall 1-2, Williams 1-3, Rush 0-1, Green 0-2, Ivey 0-2, Iguodala 0-4), Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Phoenix 50 (O'Neal 10). Philadelphia 60 (Dalembert 11) Assists— 10), Philadelphia 60 (Dalembert 11). Assists-Phoenix 19 (Nash 8), Philadelphia 22 (Iguodala 7). Total Fouls—Phoenix 18, Philadelphia 18. Technicals—Phoenix Coach Porter, Barnes. A-16,797 (20,318).

Men's College Basketball Monday's Major Scores East Binghamton 88, Albany, N.Y. 75 Manhattan 52, Iona 39

Maňhattan 52, lona 39 Pittsburgh 70, West Virginia 59 Rider 74, Marist 61 Siena 73, Loyola, Md. 60 Vermont 71, Hartford 63 **South** Alcorn St. 82, Grambling St. 61 Austin Peay 86, Tennessee Tech 80 Chattanooga 66, Samford 56 Coppin St. 68, Winston-Salem 58 Flon 74, Furman 66

Elon 74, Furman 66 Hampton 56, Md. Eastern Shore 42 Howard 59, Delaware St. 43 Jacksonville 59, Kennesaw St. 56 Jacksonville 59, Kennesaw St. 56 Liberty 69, Presbyterian 48 Lipscomb 83, Campbell 67 Mercer 74, North Florida 55 Morgan St. 66, S. Carolina St. 56 N. Carolina A&T 61, Bethune-Cookman 56 Norfolk St. 96, Florida A&M 69 Radford 71, Coastal Carolina 67, 0T S.C.-Upstate 71, Florida Gulf Coast 62 Stetson 64, ETSU 63 Tennessee St. 80, Jacksonville St. 70 Tennessee St. 80, Jacksonville St. 70 VMI 82, Charleston Southern 76 Wofford 69, UNC Greensboro 57 Midwest

Murray St. 59, E. Illinois 53 Southwest Chicago St. 112, Houston Baptist 108, OT Far West Fresno St. 88, Boise St. 82 AP Top 25

	W-L	Pts	Pvs
1. Connecticut (67)	22-1		1 2 3 6 5 4 7
2. Oklahoma (3)		1,710	2
3. North Carolina (2)	21-2	1,672	3
4. Pittsburgh	21-2	1,583	6
5. Louisville	18-4		5
6. Duke	20-3	1,350	4
7. Wake Forest	18-3	1,242	7
8. Memphis	20-3	1,237	14
Michigan St.	19-4		13
10. Marquette	20-3	1,137	8
11. UCLÁ	19-4	1,131	15
12. Clemson	19-3	1,097	10
13. Villanova	19-4	989	17
14. Xavier	20-3		9
15. Butler	21-2	762	11
16. Kansas	19-4	751	21
17. Missouri	20-4	395	-
18. Arizona St.	18-5	389	24
19. Gonzaga	17-5	361	18
20. Purdue	17-6	353	12
21. Utah St.	23-1	317	25 23
22. Illinois	19-5	303	23

17-5 18-5 216 182 25. Florida St. 18-5 182 — Others receiving votes: LSU 167, Washington 135, Texas 106, Florida 66, Minnesota 43, Dayton 31, California 16, Kansas St. 8, West Virginia 8, Davidson 7, Miami 7, South Carolina 7, Arizona 4, Utah 4, Northeastern 2, San Diego St. 2, Siena 2, Boston College 1, Robert Morris 1, Wis-Green Bay 1.

23. Syracuse

USA Today/ESPN Top 25 W-L Pts Pvs

1. Connecticut (30)	22-1	774	1 2
2. Oklahoma (1)	23-1	735	2
3. North Carolina	21-2	711	4 5 3 12 7
4. Pittsburgh	21-1	689	5
5. Duke	20-3	604	40
6. UCLA 7. Louisville	19-4 18-4	554 553	14
8. Wake Forest	18-3	541	6
9. MichiganSt.	19-4	521	14
10. Memphis	20-3	486	15
11. Clemson	19-3	456	10
12. Marquette	20-3	446	-8
13. Villanova	19-4	416	16
14. Xavier	20-3	375	9
15. Butler	21-2	346	11
16. Kansas	19-4	300	24
17. UtahSt.	23-1	258	22
18. ArizonaSt.	18-5	214	23
19. Missouri	20-4	162	NR
20. Illinois	19-5	143	21
21. Gonzaga	17-5	124	18
22. Syracuse 23. Purdue	18-6 17-6	115 114	20 13
24. Washington	17-6 17-6	86	25
25. FloridaSt.	18-5	62	NR
Others receiving votes:		55.19	:II 50
Texas 50: Dayton 34: N	linnesota	30: Flor	ida
Texas 50; Dayton 34; N 26; Davidson 9; Utah 9	: South Ca	rolina 7	/:
Brigham Young 5; Sain	t Mary's 5	; Califor	nia 3
San Diego State 3; Pen	ın State 2;	Arizona	a 1;
UNLV 1.			

Standings estern Athletic Conf Conf

w	L	PCL.	w	L	PCt.
11	0	1.000	23	1	.958
6	3	.667	16	6	.727
6	4	.600	13:	10	.565
6	5	.545	12:	12	.500
4	5	.444	10:	12	.455
4	6	.400	10:	11	.476
4	7	.364	11:	12	.478
3	8	.273	9:	15	.375
1	7	.125	9:	14	.391
ale Sk	v (Conf			
	6 6 6 4 4 4 3 1	6 3 6 4 6 5 4 5 4 6 4 7 3 8 1 7	11 0 1.000 6 3 .667 6 4 .600 6 5 .545 4 5 .444 4 6 .400 4 7 .364 3 8 .273	11 01.000 23 6 3 .667 16 6 4 .600 13: 4 5 .545 12: 4 5 .444 10: 4 6 .400 10: 3 8 .273 9: 1 7 .125 9:	11 0 1 000 23 1 6 3 .667 16 6 6 4 .600 1310 6 5 .545 1212 4 5 .444 1012 4 6 .400 1011 3 8 .273 915 1 7 .125 914

	Blg Sk	y C Co			Ali
	W	τ	Pct	W	L Pct.
Weber St.	9	1	.900	15 8	.652
Portland St.	8				7 .708
Montana	8	3	.727	14 9	.609
Montana St.	5	5	.500	1110	.524
N. Colorado	6	6	.500	101	5 .400
E. Washington	5	7	.417	1113	3 .458
Idaho St.	4	6	.400	71	7 .292
N. Arizona	3	8	.273	616	.273

GAME PLAN

LOCAL

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL 6 p.m.

Magic Valley Christian at Dietrich

6:30 p.m. St. Ambrose at Twin Falls Christian

7:30 p.m. Buhl at Wendell Filer at Kimberly Wood River at Pocatello Sho-Ban at Raft River Murtaugh at Community School

Lighthouse Christian at Oakley Shoshone at Castleford Hansen at Valley HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS

BASKETBALL Class 4A Great Basin **Conference West** Tournament

Mountain West Conf

Pacific 10 Conf

Scenic West Athletic

Conference standings Men As of Feb. 7

Salt Lake CC 7 2 778 20 3 .870
North Idaho 6 3 .667 21 3 .875
CSI 5 4 .556 18 6 .750
Eastern Utah 5 4 .556 19 4 .826
Snow College 4 5 .444 17 7 7.708
Colorado NW CC 0 9 .000 2 21 .087

Women's College Basketball Monday's Major Scores East
Cent. Connecticut St. 70, St. Francis, Pa. 67, OT Fairleigh Dickinson 72, Wagner 66 Iona 72, Manhattan 65
Maryland 85, Boston College 81
Monmouth, N.J. 67, Bryant 49
Mount St. Mary's, Md. 65, Long Island U. 63
St. Francis, NY 61, Robert Morris 60
BC-BKW—Major Scores, Lst Add

Nouth St. Man 3, mit. 50; Long Issain U. S. St. Francis, NY 61, Robert Morris 60
BC-BKW—Major Scores, 1st Add
South
Alabama A&M 49, Ark.-Pine Bluff 46
Alabama AS. 87, MVSU 81, 30T
Charleston Southern 82, High Point 79
Chattanooga 72, Coll. of Charleston 61
Coastal Carolina 75, IUK Asheville 70
Coppin St. 73, Winston-Salem 34
Delaware St. 45, Howard 32
Elon 73, Appalachian St. 55
Florida A&M 78, Norfolk St. 52
Grambling St. 51, Alcorn St. 44
Hampton 57, Md-Eastern Shore 47
Kennesaw St. 64, Mercer 50
Liberty 58, Gardner-Webb 51
Morgan St. 62, S. Carolina St. 59
N. Carolina A&T 90, Bethune-Cookman 68
North Carolina 75, Duke 60

N. Carolina A&T 90, Bethune-Cooki North Carolina 75, Duke 60 Presbyterian 77, Allen 42 Samford 55, Georgia Southern 47 Southern U. 43, Jackson St. 40 UNC-Greensboro 74, Davidson 61 W. Carolina 57, Furman 45, Midwest

Midwest

IPFW 65, Centenary 57

N. Dakota St. 55, W. Illinois 45
Oakland, Mich. 79, Oral Roberts 75, OT
Penn St. 64, Michigan 65
S. Dakota St. 64, IUPUI 48

1. Connecticut (45) 2. Oklahoma 3. California 4. Duke

Baylor 8. North Carolina 9. Florida

10. Louisville 11. Maryland 12. Texas A&M 13. Texas

13. Texas 14. Florida St. 15. Tennessee 16. Iowa St. 17. Virginia 18. Ohio St. 19. Pittsburgh 20. Kansas St.

23. S. Dakota St.

25. DePaul 18-6 51 25 Others receiving votes: Middle Tennessee 34, Arizona St. 18, Bowling Green 10, Rutgers 8, Michigan St. 5, Georgia Tech 4, Mississippi St. 4, LSU 3, Oklahoma St. 3, Utah 3, Boston College 2, Wis.-Green Bay 2, Gonzaga 1, Misseschaf 1,

Scenic West Athletic

AP Top 25

Pts Pvs

1234678811531016151211742282194022534.

Sacramento St.

San Diego St.

New Mexico

Wyoming Colorado St. Air Force

Utah

BYU UNLV

UCLA

Arizona

303 280

Washington St. Oregon St.

110 .091 222 .083

W L Pct. W L Pct.

7 2 .778 17 5 .773 7 2 .778 16 7 .696 6 3 .667 15 9 .625 5 3 .625 17 5 .773 5 4 .556 17 6 .739

4 5 .444 1310 .565 3 6 .333 14 9 .609 3 6 .333 815 .348 0 9 .000 913 .409

W L Pct. W L Pct.

W L Pct. W L Pct.

Second championship (if necessary), teams and site TBD HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

5 p.m. Buhl, Twin Falls at Burley 6 p.m.

TV SCHEDULE MEN'S COLLEGE

Gooding, Valley at Glenns Ferry

BASKETBALL 5 p.m. ESPN - Michigan St. at

Michigan 5:30 p.m. ESPN2 — Marquette at Villanova

7 p.m. ESPN — Florida at Kentucky **NHL HOCKEY** 5 p.m.

VERSUS - San Jose at Boston

Conference standings

	SW	AC		0	verall	
Team	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
CSI	8	1	.889	19	4	.826
Snow College	7	2	.778	16	8	.667
North Idaho	5	4	.556	18	6	.750
Salt Lake CC	4	5	.444	13	11	.542
Eastern Utah	3	6	.333	12	12	.500
Colorado NW (CCO	9	.000	2	20	.090

GOLF PGA Tour FedExCup Leaders

Thro	ugh Feb. 8	3
Rank Name	Points	YTD Money
1. Zach Johnson 2. Nick Watney 3. Kenny Perry 4. Geoff Ogilyy 5. Pat Perez 6. Charley Hoffman 7. David Toms 8. John Merrick 9. John Rollins 10. Adam Scott 11. Brian Gay 12. Kevin Na 13. Davis Love III 14. Anthony Kim 15. Lucas Glover 16. Sean O'Hair 17. D.J. Trahan 18. Webb Simpson 19. Camillo Villegas 20. Steve Stricker	647 6001 598 589 533 432 410 314 297 295 295 278 245 239 233 232 227 227 223	\$1,278,850 \$1,108,093 \$1,1280,968 \$1,236,237 \$944,977 \$867,333 \$775,693 \$575,058 \$584,460 \$552,867 \$536,787 \$613,200 \$548,524 \$23,500 \$387,470 \$444,799 \$392,187 \$401,894 \$439,400

HOCKEY

			3A es M ERN			
ATLANTIC	W	L	OΤ	PTS	GF	G
New Jersey	34	17	3	71	168	13
Philadelphia	28	15	9	65	167	15
N.Y. Rangers	29	20	5	63	135	14
Pittsburgh	26	24	5	57	167	16
N.Y. Islanders	16	31	5	37	128	17
NORTHEAST	W	L	OΤ	PTS	GF	G
Boston	39	8	7	85	188	12
Montreal	29	19	6	64	164	15
Buffalo	28	20	6	62	161	14
Toronto	20 18	24 25	9	49 44	157 122	19 14
Ottawa SOUTHEAST	W	25 L	<u>8</u>	PIS	GF	14 G
			_			
Washington	34	16	4	72	178	15
Carolina Florida	27 25	22 19	5 8	59 58	142 146	15 14
Tampa Bay	18	24	11	47	134	16
Atlanta	18	31	5	41	153	19
Atlanta			TERN		100	
CENTRAL	W	L	OT	PIS	GF	G
Detroit	35	11	7	77	199	15
Chicago	29	14	8	66	172	13
Columbus	25	23	5	55	142	15
Nashville	25	25	3	53	128	14
			_			
St. Louis	22	24	6	50	150	16
	W	24 L	OT		150 GF	16 G
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary	W	24 L 18	01	50 PIS 66	150 GF 167	16 15
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota	31 27	24 L 18 22	01 4 3	50 PIS 66 57	150 GF 167 134	16 15 11
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton	31 27 26	24 18 22 23	0T 4 3 4	50 PIS 66 57 56	150 GF 167 134 146	16 15 11 16
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton Vancouver	31 27 26 24	18 22 23 20	01 4 3 4 8	50 PIS 66 57 56 56	150 GF 167 134 146 154	16 15 11 16 15
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton Vancouver Colorado	31 27 26 24 25	24 18 22 23 20 27	4 3 4 8 1	50 PIS 66 57 56 56 56 51	150 GF 167 134 146 154 146	15 11 16 15 16
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton Vancouver Colorado PACIFIC	31 27 26 24 25 W	24 18 22 23 20 27 L	0T 4 3 4 8 1	50 PIS 66 57 56 56 51 PIS	150 GF 167 134 146 154 146 GF	16 15 11 16 15 16
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton Vancouver Colorado PACIFIC San Jose	31 27 26 24 25 W	18 22 23 20 27 L	0T 4 3 4 8 1 0T	50 PIS 66 57 56 56 51 PIS 79	150 GF 167 134 146 154 146 GF 172	16 15 11 16 15 16 G
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton Vancouver Colorado PACIFIC San Jose Anaheim	31 27 26 24 25 W 36 27	24 18 22 23 20 27 L 7 24	0T 4 3 4 8 1 0T 7 5	50 PIS 66 57 56 56 51 PIS 79 59	150 GF 167 134 146 154 146 GF 172 156	16 15 11 16 15 16 11 15
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton Vancouver Colorado PACIFIC Sanaheim Dallas	31 27 26 24 25 W 36 27 26	24 18 22 23 20 27 L 7 24 19	0T 4 3 4 8 1 0T 7 5 7	50 PIS 66 57 56 56 51 PIS 79 59 59	150 GF 167 134 146 154 146 GF 172 156 162	16 15 11 16 15 16 15 16
St. Louis NORTHWEST Calgary Minnesota Edmonton Vancouver Colorado PACIFIC San Jose Anaheim	31 27 26 24 25 W 36 27	24 18 22 23 20 27 L 7 24	0T 4 3 4 8 1 0T 7 5	50 PIS 66 57 56 56 51 PIS 79 59	150 GF 167 134 146 154 146 GF 172 156	15 11 16 15 16 11 15 16 16 16 16 16 16

RODEO Pro Rodeo Leaders Through Feb. 8 All-Around

on, Spanish Fork, Utah

2. Kyle Whitaker, Chambers, Neb. \$12,122 3. Landon McClaugherty, Tilden, Texas \$10,857

4. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. \$10,017

\$10,857
4. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. \$10,017
5. Cash Myers, Athens, Texas \$9,870
6. Ryan Jarrett Summerville, Ga. \$9,598
Bareback Riding
1. Kaycee Feild, Elk Ridge, Utan \$19,199
2. Cody DeMers, Kimberly, Idaho \$15,910
3. Clint Cannon, Waller, Texas \$13,559
4. Tim Shirley, Conifer, Colo, \$12,182
5. Tilden Hooper, Carthage, Texas \$11,274
6. Jared Keylon, Fort Scott, Kan. \$11,264
7. Ben Londo, Pendleton, Ore. \$10,052
8. Dustin Reeves, Owanka, S.D. \$9,959
9. Bobby Mote, Culver, Ore. \$8,517
10. Heath Ford, Greeley, Colo. \$8,391
11. Zach Curran, Arvada. Colo. \$7,596
12. Tom McFarland, Wickenburg, Ariz. \$7,512
13. Kelly Timberman, Mills, Wyo. \$7,445
14. Wes Stevenson, Lubbock, Texas \$5,803
15. Scott Montague, Rapid City, S.D. \$5,281
18. Scott Owens, Toston, Mont. \$4,740
19. Luke Creasy, Brownfield, AB \$4,700
10. Zach Dishara, Beaumont Texas \$3,942

18. 30th Owens, toston, muin \$4,140 19. Luke Creasy, Brownfield, AB \$4,700 20. Zach Dishman, Beaumont, Texas \$3,942 Steer Wrestling 1. Lee Graves, Calgary, AB \$15,436 2. Jake Rinehart, Highmore, S.D. \$14,225 3. Jason Miller, Lance Creek, Wyo, \$12,254 4. Todd Suhn, North Platte, Neb, \$12,217 5. Shuld Duvall Checotho, Olds \$12,114 5. Spud Duvall, Checotah, Okla. \$12,114 6. Curtis Cassidy, Donalda, AB \$12,074 7. Luke Branquinho, Los Alamos, Calif. \$11,456

\$11,456
8. Jack Hodges, Stephenville, Texas \$10,678
9. Casey McMillen, Craig, Colo. \$10,580
10. Matt Reeves, Pampa, Texas \$10,267
11. Dean Gorsuch, Gering, Neb. \$9,987
12. Mickey Gee, Wichita Falls, Texas \$9,675
13. Kyle Hughes, Oliney Springs, Colo. \$7,986
14. Blake Doyle, Granbury, Texas \$7,804
15. Tait Kvistad, Crawford, Neb. \$7,563
16. Tyler Holland, Belgrade, Mont. \$7,425
17. Jonathon Ferreira, Fort Jones, Calif. \$6,885
18. Ken Lewis, La Junta, Colo. \$6,724

17. Jonathon Ferreira, Fort Jones, Calif. \$6.885.

18. Ken Lewis, La Junta, Colo. \$6,724.

19. Bill Pace, Stephenville, Texas \$6,705.

20. Britt Walters, Huntsville, Texas \$6,432.

Team Roping (header).

1. Chad Masters, Santo, Texas \$6,432.

Team Roping (header).

1. Chad Masters, Santo, Texas \$25,854.

2. Blaine Linaweaver, Leavenworth, Kan. \$13,797.

3. Charles Pogue, Ringling, Okla. \$10,820.

4. Caleb Mitchell, Charlotte, Texas \$10,669.

5. Ty Blasingame, Olney Springs, Colo. \$9,786.

6. Cooper Wimberly, Belen, N.M. \$9,446.

7. Brandon Beers, Powell Butte, Ore. \$8,251.

8. Joel Bach, Millisap, Texas \$6,021.

9. Jake Cooper, Monument, N.M. \$8,003.

10. David Key, Caldwell, Pexas \$7,651.

11. Keven Daniel, Franklin, Tenn. \$7,440.

12. Garrett Tonozzi, Fruita, Colo. \$7,456.

13. J.D. Yates, Pueblo, Colo. \$7,365.

14. Dylan Bransom, Burleson, Texas \$7,193.

15. Shane Philipp, Washington, Texas \$6,651.

15. Shane Philipp, Washington, Texas \$6,651.

17. Spencer Mitchell. Colusa, Calif. \$6,551.

18. Brady Tryan, Huntley, Mont. \$6,518.

19. Jake Kropik, Midway, Texas \$6,304.

Team Roping (heeler).

1. Michael Jones, Stephenville, Texas \$25,884.

2. Richard Durham, Morgan Mill, Texas \$11,262.

3. Casey Chamberlain, Colorado City, Texas \$11,262.

3. Casey Chamberlain, Colorado City, Texas \$10,820

\$10,820 4. Coby Jones, Gatesville, Texas \$10,051 5. Bobby Baize, Anthony, N.M. \$9,786 6. James Gililland, Albuquerque, N.M. \$9,446 7. Dustin Davis, Texarkana, Ark. \$9,244 8. Martin Lucero, Stephenville, Texas \$8,820 9. Jade Corkill, Fallon, Nev. \$8,251 10. Jim Ross Cooper, Monument, N.M. \$8,003

10. Jihl Russ Goupet, Mollandert, R.M.

88.003
11. Kinney Harrell, Marshall, Texas \$7,936
12. Allen Bach, Weatherford, Texas \$7,537
13. Jay Wadhams, Pueblo, Colo. \$7,365
14. Justin Copp. Justin, Texas \$7,193
15. Arky Rogers, Lake City, Fla. \$6,863
16. Wade Clayton, Needwille, Texas \$6,754
17. John Paul Lucero, Villanueva, NM. \$6,701
18. Justin Davis, Cottonwood, Calif. \$6,551
19. Bobby Harris, Highmore, \$D. \$6,546
20. Chase Tryan, Helena, Mont. \$6,618
Saddle Bronc Riding
1. Bradley Harter, Weatherford, Texas
\$21,134

1. Bradley Harter, Weatherford, Texas \$21.134
2. Rusty Allen, Eagle Mountain, Utah \$17,964
3. JJ Eishere, Quinn, S.D. \$13,822
4. Cody DeMoss, Heffin, La. \$11,409
5. Cody Taton, Newell, S.D. \$11,363
6. Taos Muncy, Corona, N.M. \$10,376
7. Dusty Hausauer, Dickinson, N.D. \$10,114
8. Kaleb Asay, Powell, Wyo. \$9,277
9. Jesse Kruse, Great Falls, Mont. \$8,114
10. Seth Glause, Rock Springs, Wyo. \$8,043
11. Josh Reynolds, Corvallis, Mont. \$7,642
12. Bryan Hammons, Victoria, Texas \$7,212
13. Tyrell Smith, Yaughn, Mont. \$7,068
14. Louie Brunson, Interior, S.D. \$6,528
15. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. \$5,792
16. Anthony Bello, Oakley, Utah \$5,290
17. Wes Burns, Stephenville, Texas \$4,845
18. Levi Berry, Morgan, Utah \$4,792
19. Cort Scheer, Eismere, Neb, \$4,641
20. Jesse James Kirby, Dodge City, Kan. \$4,511

\$4.511 Tle-Down Roping 1. Clint Robinson, Spanish Fork, Utah

1. Clint Robinson, Spanish Fork, Utah \$21,306
2. Houston Hutto, Del Rio, Texas \$17,185
3. Josh Peek, Pueblo, Colo. \$14,944
4. Tyson Durfey, Colbert, Wash. \$14,216
5. Clint Cooper, Decatur, Texas \$13,395
6. Kody Curry, Buna, Texas \$11,142
7. Jim Bob Crow, Floresville, Texas \$9,968
8. Scott Kormos, Teague, Texas \$9,586
10. Adam Gray, Seymour, Texas \$9,586
10. Adam Gray, Seymour, Texas \$8,716
12. Jeff Chapman, Athens, Texas \$8,716
12. Jeff Chapman, Athens, Texas \$8,488
13. Tuf Cooper, Decatur, Texas \$8,380
14. Johnny Emmons, Weatherford, Texas \$8,290

\$7,678
16. J. Cody Jones, Kelseyville, Calif. \$7,019
17. Travis Caldwell, Shepherd, Mont. \$6,960
18. J.D. Kibbe, Portales, N.M. \$6,913
19. Cole Bailey, Okmulgee, Okla. \$6,505
20. Nathan Steinberg, Conroe, Texas \$6,481
Steer Roping
1 Scott Snedeoor, Usadie Texas \$17,222

Steer Roping

1. Scott Snedecc, Uvalde, Texas \$17,222

2. Leo Campbell, Amarillo, Texas \$13,662

3. Vin Fisher Jr, Andrews, Texas \$10,761

4. Rocky Patterson, Pratt, Kan. \$9,508

5. Chet Herren, Pawhuska, Okla. \$7,856

6. Landon McClaugherty, Tilden, Texas \$7,346

8. Treyor, Brazille, Decatur, Texas \$6,423

8. Treyor, Brazille, Decatur, Texas \$6,423 9. Shandon Stalls, McLean, Texas \$6,423 9. Shandon Stalls, McLean, Texas \$5,478 10. Chance Kelton, Mayer, Ariz. \$4,934 11. Don Eddleman, Santa Anna, Texas

11. Don Eddleman, Santa Anna, Texas \$4,246
12. Neal Wood, Needville, Texas \$4,246
13. Walter Priestly, Robstown, Texas \$4,032
14. Will Gasperson, Decatur, Texas \$3,435
15. Cash Myers, Athens, Texas \$3,416
16. Cody Scheck, Alva, Okla. \$3,323
17. Pake McEntire, Colgate, Okla. \$3,323
17. Pake McEntire, Colgate, Okla. \$3,329
18. Bryce Davis, Abilene, Texas \$3,021
19. Ty Herd, Itene, Texas \$2,862
20. Guy Allen, Santa Anna, Texas \$2,743
Bull Riding
1. Clavton Savage, Casper, Wyo. \$41,501
2. J.W. Harris, May, Texas \$3,162
3. Kanin Asay, Powell, Wyo. \$24,1706
5. Steve Woolsey, Payson, Utah \$15,609
6. Austin Ambrose, Fletcher, Okla. \$13,891

SKI REPORT

Idaho

Bogus Basin — Mon 6 29am increasing cloud 23 degrees 1 new hard packed machine groomed 42 48 base 60 of 66 trails 27 miles, 2500 acres, 6 of 8 lifts, 95% open, Mon-Fri: 10a-10p; Sat/Sun 9a-10p. Brundage — Mon 5 04am mcldy 22 degrees packed powder

machine groomed 45 55 base 46 of 46 trails, 25 miles, 1500 acres 4 of 5 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4:30p; Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4:30p. Kelly Canyon — Operating Tue-Sun,

no details. Lookout Pass - Mon 5am 26 degrees packed powder machine groomed 58 84 base 34 of 34 trails 4 of 4 lifts, 100% open, Mon, Wed-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun:

8:30a-4p; open Wed-Mon. Magic Mountain — Mon Open Thu-Sun 5am packed powder machine groomed 53 63 base 14 of 14 trails 3 of 3 lifts, 100% open, Thu/Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p; open Thu-Sun.

Pebble Creek — Mon 5:24am snow2 new packed powder machine groomed 13 52 base 3 of 3 lifts 95% open, Mon-Thu: 9:30a-4p; Fri: 9:30a-9:30p; Sat/Sun: 9:30a-9:30p.

Pomerelle — Mon 7 08am partly cloudy 27 degrees packed powder machine groomed 54 82 base 24 of 24 trails, 500 acres 3 of 3 lifts, 100% open, Mon: 9a-4p; Tue-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat: 9a-9p; Sun: 9a-4p. Schweitzer Mountain — Mon 2 58pm overcast 27 degrees powder machine groomed 52 74 base 92 of 92 trails, 2900 acres 8 of 10 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Thu: 9a-3:45p; Fri: 9a-8p; Sat: 9a-8p; Sun 9a-3 45p.

Silver Mountain - Mon 12 26pm partly cloudy 25 degrees hard packed machine groomed 38 74 base 73 of 73 trails, 5 of 7 lifts 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 8a-4p; open Thu-Mon. Snowhaven — Mon 5am 25 degrees packed powder machine

groomed 38 42 base 7 of 7 trails 2 of 2 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 8a-4p; Sat/Sun: 10a-4p. Soldier Mountain — Open Thu-Sun. Sun Valley — Mon 4 59am snoshwrs 19 degrees packed powder machine groomed 33 50 base 75 of 75 trails, 18 of 18 lifts 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Tamarack — Mon 6:47am cldy 17

degrees packed powder machine groomed 25 64 base 42 of 42 trails 5 of 7 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Utah

Alta - Mon 5:28am 4 new powder

112 of 112 trails 100% open, 2000 acres, 11 of 11 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9:15a-4:30p; Sat/Sun: 9 15a-4:30p. Beaver Mountain — Mon 5am 1 new powder machine groomed 60 60 base 30 of 30 trails 100%

machine groomed 105 105 base

open, 5 of 5 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Brian Head — Mon 5am 2 new powder machine groomed 57 57 base 63 of 63 trails 100% open,

9 of 9 lifts, Mon-Thu: 9:30a-4p; Fri: 9:30a-9p; Sat: 9:30a-9p Sun: 9:30a-4p. Brighton — Mon 5:31am 6 new

powder machine groomed 81 81 base 66 of 66 trails 100% open, 26 miles, 1050 acres, 6 of 6 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p: Sat: 9a-9p Sun: 9a-4p. Deer Valley — Mon 5:28am 4 new

packed powder machine groomed 81 81 base 98 of 99 trails 99% open, 22 of 22 lifts, Mon-Fri: 8:30a-4:15p; Sat/Sun: 8:30a-4:15p.

Park City — Mon 5:33am 4 new powder machine groomed 72 72 base 106 of 107 trails 100% open, 15 of 16 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-7:30p; Sat/Sun: 9a-7:30p. Powder Mountain — Mon 5am 8 new powder machine groomed 76 76 base 124 of 124 trail, 100% open, 7 of 7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-10p;

Sat/Sun: 9a-10p. Snowbasin — Mon 6:23am 12 new packed powder machine groomed 24 97 base 113 of 113 trails 100% open, 28 miles, 3200 acres, 8 of 12 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-

4p; Sat/Sun 9a-4p. Snowbird — Mon 5am 5 new powder machine groomed 92 92 base 85 of 85 trails 100% open, 11 of 11 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun:

9a-4p. Solitude - Mon 7:04am 9 new powder machine groomed 85 85 base 64 of 64 trails 100% open, 1200 acres, 8 of 8 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Sundance — Mon 4:02am 12 new powder machine groomed 63 63 base 42 of 42 trails 100% open, 450 acres, 4 of 4 lifts, Mon-Fri: 8:30a-4:30p; Sat/Sun: 8:30a-4

Wyoming

Grand Targhee — Mon 7 05am 4 new powder machine groomed 79 79 base 74 of 74 trails, 100% open, 2402 acres 5 of 5 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Jackson Hole — Mon 6 57am 1 new packed powder machine groomed 65 79 base 116 of 116 trails, 100% open, 2500 acres 11 of 12 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p.

7. Cody Whitney, Asher, Okla. \$13,432 8. Bryan Guthrie, Cheyenne, Wyo. \$12,893 9. Corey Navarre, Weatherford, Okla. \$12,658 10. Cameron Castleberry, Gillette, Wyo. \$11,749

10. Jameron Castleberry, Gillette, Wyo. \$11.749
11. Jacob Tyner, Sacramento, Calif. \$11,631
12. Bobby Weish, Gillette, Wyo. \$11.491
13. Stetson Lewis, Tularosa, M.M. \$10,271
14. Spud Jones, Tohatchi, N.M. \$10,246
15. Ty Hamaker, Centennial. Wyo. \$10,215
16. Colby Reilly, Stratford, Wash. \$9,475
17. Jesse Bail, Camp Crook, S.D. \$9,301
18. Cooper Kannglesser, Zenda, Kan. \$7,788
19. Douglas Duncan, Alvin, Texas \$7,698
20. Taylor Cowan, Ft.Pierre, S.D. \$7,538

Barrel racing
1. Jordon Peterson, Chilton, Texas \$18,335
2. Nancy Hunter, Neola, Utah \$18,085
3. Tammy Key-Fischer, Ledbetter, Texas \$14,099
4. Savanah Reeves, Dublin, Texas \$13,912

\$14,099
4. Savanah Reeves, Dublin, Texas \$13,912
5. Jackie Jatzlau, Giddings, Texas \$13,350
6. Brenda Seely, Lander, Wyo, \$13,221
7. Mary Burger, Pauls Valley, Okla, \$11,879
8. Cassie Moseley, Farwell, Texas \$11,244
9. Annesa Self, Valley View, Texas \$9,421
10. Brittany Pozzi-Pharr, Victoria, Texas
\$9,300

TRANSACTIONS

American League
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Agreed to terms with
RHP Edgar Gonzalez on a minor league contract.

National League
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Agreed to terms
with RHP Jeff Weaver, LHP Shawn Estes, RHP
Ronald Belisario, RHP Charlie Haeger on
minor league contracts.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Released 2B Adam
Kennedy Kennedy. SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Agreed to terms with INF Rich Aurilia on a minor league con-

tract.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

NBA—Suspended New Orleans F David West one game for striking F Mike Miller in the head during a Feb. 8 game against Minnesota.

Minnesota.
CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Assigned F Darnell Jackson to Erie (NBADL).
MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Signed G Eddie Gill to a 10-day contract.
Women's National Basketball Association SEATTLE STORM—Re-signed C Janell Burse.
WASHINGTON MYSTICS—Signed C Chasity Melvin.
FOOTBALL

Melvin.

National Football League

CLEVELAND BROWNS—Released QB Ken
Dorsey, QB Bruce Gradkowski, LB Antwan
Peek, CB Terry Cousin, P Mike Dragosavich,
PK Jason Reda and OL Eir Voung,
DALLAS COWBOYS—Released CB Adam

Jones.
DETROIT LIONS—Released CB Leigh Bodden,
WR Mike Furrey. G Edwin Mulitalo, S Dwight
Smith, TE Dan Campbell and OT Jon Dunn.
NEW YORK GIANTS—Resigned QB David Carr.
Released DB Sam Madison, DB Sammy
Knight and RB Reuben Droughns.
TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS—Resigned QB
LIVE MCCOMP. Luke McCown.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League
CAROLINA HURRICANES—Sent F Jakub
Petruzalek and F Michael Ryan to Albany

(AHL). EDMONTON OILERS—Assigned D Theo Peckham to Springfield (AHL). PHILADELPHIA FLYERS—Waived D Lasse

Kukkonen. PHOENIX COYOTES—Recalled LW Viktor PHOENIX CUYOTES—Recalled LW Viktor
Tikhonov from San Antonio (AHL). Reassigned
D David Schlemko to San Antonio.
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Signed C Andy McDonald
on a four-year contract extension.
SAN JOSE SHARKS—Recalled F Jamie McGinn
from Worcester (AHL). Reassigned D Derek
locality to Merceter. Joslin to Worcester.
WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Recalled G Michal

WASHINGTON CAPTIALS—Recailed to michael Neuvirth from Hershey (AHL).
SOCCER
Major League Soccer
D.C. UNITED—Traded M-D I van Guerreroto Colorado for M Christian Gomez and G Mike

TORONTO FC—Signed F Pablo Vitti.

COLLEGE

BOSTON COLLEGE—Named Dave Brock tight ends coach and Sean Devine offensive line coach.
CINCINNATI—Announced defensive coordina-

LINULINVALI—Announced defensive coordinator Joe Tresey will not return next season. FLORIDA ATLANTIC—Promoted Darryl Jackson to offensive coordinator. Named Jeff Brohm assistant football coach. INDIANA—Suspended junior basketball G Devan Dumes indefinitely, for throwing flagrant elbows in a Feb. 7 game against Michigan State. Michigan State. LOUISIANA TECH—Fired women's basketball coach Chris Long. Named Teresa Weatherspoon women's interim basketball

coach.
LOUISVILLE—Announced the resignation of offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach Jeff Brohm. Named Jeff Lewis wide receivers coach and Matt Wells quarterbacks coach and passing coordinator.

MARSHALL—Named Bob Fello defensive line coach. MESSIAH—Named Brad McCarty men's soccer

coach.
MIDDLE TENNESSEE—Named Steve Ellis cornerbacks coach and special teams coordinator. UTAH—Named Blake Miller offensive line

coach.
WASHINGTON—Announced the resignation of offensive coordinator Jim Michalczik to take a coaching position with Oakland (NFL).

Connecticut stays No. 1 in AP men's basketball poll Information: Jan Hall at 423-4170 ext. 3125

After a month of a new No. 1 every week, Connecticut is on top of the poll for a second straight week.

The Huskies (22-1) beat Louisville and Michigan last week to stay on top of The Associated Press' college basketball poll Top 25 on Monday. They moved to the top last week, the fourth No. 1 in as many weeks following Pittsburgh, Wake Forest and Duke.

North Carolina

remained second and third, and that's where the changes began after a week that saw 14 ranked teams lose at least one game. Pittsburgh and Louisville were fourth

Forest, Memphis, Michigan State and Marquette. Missouri and Ohio State returned to the poll, while Florida State is in for the first time since 1998.

and fifth, followed by Duke, Wake

Big Sky honors athlete from Idaho State

Oklahoma and

HELENA, Mont. — Idaho State guard/forward Michelle Grohs shared the Big Sky Conference basketball player of the week women's award with Weber State forward Caitlin Anderson.

Grohs, a senior from Salmon scored a

rebounds in ISU's 63-58 win over Northern Colorado. Anderson, a sophomore from Reno, Nev., had 16 points and 17 rebounds as Weber State rallied from an eight-point halftime deficit to beat Northern Colorado Weber State guard Kellen McCoy won the

career-high 27 points and added 10

men's award. McCoy, a senior from Norman, Okla., scored a career-high 25 points with eight rebounds, five assists and three steals in Weber State's 82-76 win over Northern

COLLEGE FOOTBALL **Utah hires offensive line coach**

SALT LAKE CITY — Utah has hired Rice assistant Blake Miller to coach the Utes' offensive line. Coach Kyle Whittingham announced the

with a spread offense at Rice and his recruiting ties to the state of Texas. Rice went 10-3 last season and won the

hiring Monday, noting Miller's experience

Texas Bowl in the Owls' first bowl win since 1954. Miller was an all-conference center at LSU

in 1990. He replaces Charlie Dickey, who left Utah for Kansas State with offensive coordinator Andy Ludwig.

Two points for a win, one point for owloss or shootout loss.

Sunday's Games

Detroit 3, Pittsburgh 0

Philadelphia 3, Atlanta 2

Minnesota 3, Edmonton 2, SO

Dallas 4, Nashville 1

Monday's Games

New Jersey 3, N.Y. Rangers 0

Calgary 6, Montreal 2

Tuesday's Games

San Jose at Boston, 5 p.m.

Colorado at Columbus, 5 p.m.

Los Angeles at N.Y. Islanders, 5 p.m.

Toronto at Florida, 5:30 p.m.

Atlanta at Tampa Bay, 5:30 p.m.

Vancouver at St. Louis, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Chicago at Atlanta, 5 p.m.

Vas Islanders at New Jersey, 5 p.m.

Vashington at N.Y. Rangers, 5 p.m.

Ottawa at Buffalo, 5:30 p.m.

Vashington at N.Y. Rangers, 5 p.m.

Ottawa at Buffalo, 5:30 p.m.

Colorado at Minnesota, 6 p.m.

Phoenix at Dallas, 6:30 p.m.

Calgary at Analeim, 8 p.m.

Sports Shorts

Note: Send Magic Valley briefs to sports@magicvalley.com

MAGIC VALLEY **Gooding graduate makes academic**

all-conference team

BUTTE, Mont. — Gooding High School graduate Brittanie Toone was selected to the NAIA Frontier Conference's All-Conference Academic Team for women's basketball. Toone has 3.39 GPA at Montana Tech and is enrolled in the Pre-Physical Therapy Program.

Kimberly Mona Club hosts dinner

KIMBERLY — The Kimberly High School Mona Club is sponsoring a dinner prior to the Kimberly Bulldogs boys basketball senior night game against Filer tonight. The dinner is from 4:30-7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$8 per person with ages 8 and under a donation only. The menu includes country boneless pork ribs, potato bar, salad, yogurt, milk and dessert. All proceeds benefit the club's projects that sponsor local needs, plus a student in Rwanda. Tickets can be purchased at the door or from any 208-539-4666 or piper_max@hotmail.com. Mona member.

Gooding Freestyle Wrestling nears

GOODING — Gooding's USA Freestyle Wrestling program begins practice at 6 p.m., Tuesday in the Gooding High School wrestling room behind the sigh school. The season begins Feb. 28 and runs through the May 1-2 state tournament. The cost is \$45 (\$35 for membership, \$10 for T-shirt) and participants must be ages 5 to 17, or turning 5 this year. Information: Lyle Rogers at 308-6804.

Opening for T.F. golf board

District at 736-2265.

TWIN FALLS — The Twin Falls Golf Advisory Board has an opening and is seeking applications. The deadline to apply is Friday. Information: Twin Falls Parks and Recreation

Gooding hosts volleyball tournament

GOODING — Gooding High School will host a co-ed volleyball tournament on Saturday at the gym. The cost per team is \$120 with pool play into

a tournament. Proceeds will benefit the boys

basketball team. Information: Max Piper at — Staff and wire reports

Truth can be liberating, but is A-Rod telling all?

elling the truth can be liberating, or so Alex Rodriguez would like us to believe.

With his confessional on national television now behind him, he can sleep easily at night without worrying about his darkest secrets being exposed. There will be no more twinges of conscience when he cashes his million-dollar paychecks, no lingering doubts when he visits his trophy room.

Best of all, he won't have to lie to Katie Couric anymore.

"The more honest we can all be, the quicker we can get baseball (back) to where it needs to be," Rodriguez said.

Never mind that Rodriguez was only being honest because he had no other choice. Sports Illustrated took care of that when it reported A-Rod was one of 104 players who tested positive for steroids in 2003.

Backed into a corner, he confessed. Sort of.

He admitted doing steroids,



TIM **DAHLBERG**

but said he didn't know what kind they were. He knew he was juiced, but claims he didn't know he tested positive.

He said he had no excuses, then offered them up by the

He was young. He was stupid. He was naive. Two hundred and fifty-million dollars creates a lot of pressure. It was a loosey-goosey era. They sell a lot of funny stuff at the nutritional store. It was really hot in Texas.

And what about that lady from Sports Illustrated? A stalker at best, and maybe a burglar, too.

"The truth will set you free," Rodriguez told ESPN's Peter Gammons. "I'm just

proud I'm here sharing my story."

And to think, Rodriguez almost didn't get the chance. If not for SI's Selena Roberts and her colleagues, he would still be on vacation, unable to unload his tortured thoughts to baseball fans everywhere.

He must have been ecstatic when they nailed him because the truth really can set you free.

Sure, A-Rod's admission that he did steroids for three seasons beginning in 2001 was more than we've ever gotten from Barry Bonds, Mark McGwire, Roger Clemens or even Jason Giambi. He deserves credit for coming clean about using steroids during a time he hit 156 home runs and had 395

But remember that he lied about it in the past and never would have admitted using anything stronger than coffee if SI hadn't come looking. His only options then were to deny everything — a strategy

that hasn't worked well for Bonds and Clemens — or throw himself on the mercy of fans who want desperately to forget.

Rodriguez chose to play the sympathy card, and he's likely to get some. He used the words "sorry," "stupid" and "naive" so many times some fans might actually be moved enough to overlook his arrogance and his big, fat paycheck.

Indeed, Gammons played along with a gentle line of questioning that included this blockbuster: "Can baseball ever be as much fun for you as when you were 22 or 23?

But how about answering some questions that might come in high and inside?

Tell us who introduced you to steroids and how you got them. Explain exactly what they were and how much you took. Give us the date you started and the date you stopped. Tell us how many of your teammates did them,

and whether you all shot up together in the clubhouse.

Explain why we should believe that you weren't juiced in Seattle if you were in Texas. Better yet, make us really believe the story of you laying on your bed and suddenly deciding to quit just as you were going to the Yankees.

While you're at it, give Rangers owner Tom Hicks the apology he deserves for giving \$250 million to one big A-Fraud.

"I feel personally betrayed," Hicks said. "I feel deceived by Alex."

Millions of other baseball fans do, too. They're the ones who counted on A-Rod restoring some legitimacy to the home run marks set by a juiced generation of sluggers. They're the ones who always assumed he was clean, and believed him when he assured Couric and baseball writers everywhere that he

The confession was a start,

but there's a lot more to talk about. There are even some things to do.

Show us you're serious about the whole redemption thing by taking the lead in the steroid debate. Go out on road trips to schools and speak to kids about the dangers of all drugs.

Then take the \$6 million bonus you get for reaching the home run marks of Willie Mays, Babe Ruth and others (\$30 million in all) and donate half of it to steroid programs and the other half to building new ball fields for kids. You did, after all, sign for the money under false pretenses.

Spend the remaining nine vears of your contract doing the type of things a role model should do.

Perhaps then we can start talking about the Hall of Fame.

Tim Dahlberg is a national sports columnist for The Associated Press.

When might baseball have a legitimate HR king?

By Mike Fitzpatrick **Associated Press writer**

It might be decades before baseball has a legitimate home run king to wash away the steroids era.

Remember, this used to be the most cherished record in sports. Babe Ruth, The Sultan of Swat. Hank Aaron, class and dignity.

home run mark will ever have such meaning again.

Now that heir apparent Alex Rodriguez admitted Monday to using banned substances while playing for the Texas Rangers from 2001-03, generations of fans may never get a chance to cheer for a home run champ who earns the title fair and square.

"To hear all that information is just sad. Sad for me, sad for him, sad for the game," said Hall of Fame manager Tommy Lasorda, who called A-Rod a friend. "I just don't understand it. I Certainly it has helped him, it shouldn't count." taking this stuff. It's just bad for baseball, bad for the

The 33-year-old Rodriguez was supposed to wipe away the stain of suspicion left by Barry Bonds. whose mark of 762 was set two years ago. Baseball was going to have a home run king it could celebrate, rather than scorn.

No BALCO or FBI or federal judges. Just power and pure talent.

Bonds has been dogged by doping accusations for years and is set to go on trial next month on charges he lied in 2003 when he told a grand jury he never knowingly took performanceenhancing drugs.

Rodriguez ranks 12th on the career list with 553 homers, 209 behind Bonds. After A-Rod, it's hard to find someone next in line.

Albert Pujols and Miguel Cabrera might have a chance down the road, but they're a long way away.

Maybe Manny Ramirez or Jim Thome can hang around long enough to try, but they're both in their late 30s and need more than 220 homers to catch Bonds.

So, now what?

"The greatest record of all Who knows if the career is in jeopardy," Hall of Fame pitcher Goose Gossage said. "There will always be a big cloud hanging over this generation of hitters. And it's sad. ... I don't know where it's going to stop or if it ever will."

Allegations against Bonds soured many fans who nonetheless followed the San Francisco Giants slugger's pursuit of Aaron's home run mark of 755 — a record that stood more than three decades.

"In my eyes, Henry is the king. He owns the record," Gossage said. "What these other guys did is a shame. cannot understand it. And it shouldn't stand, and

> It's hard to imagine A-Rod getting much support. After all, the New York Yankees star has already done something Bonds hasn't — admit guilt.

Rodriguez has also apologized — something else Bonds hasn't done.

Perhaps fans will be more forgiving of A-Rod because of his confession. Maybe not. But surely, most would like the game to have a home run king that wasn't suspected of using illegal chemicals to put up bigger numbers.

Time will tell if baseball's drug-testing toughened rules make that possible.

"I think it's tainted. I think it doesn't hold any water," Gossage said. "There will always be a cloud over it. There will always be questions — he didn't do it on his own."

No Super payoff expected for Steelers, Rooneys

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The latest Lombardi Trophy added to the Pittsburgh Steelers' overflowing display case makes them the most successful franchise in the modern era, but even a record sixth Super Bowl title probably won't make the team more money.

It also is unlikely to increase owner Dan Rooney's net worth. Or make the Hall of Fame owner look all the wiser for completing a buyout of some of his brothers' shares of the 76-year-old franchise only weeks before the playoffs began.

Several sports economists said winning a Super Bowl does little or nothing for a franchise's bottom line during the best of economic times, much less during what may be the nation's worst financial crisis since the Great Depression.

"There is no evidence that winning a Super Bowl has an impact on franchise value,' said Dennis Coates, an economics professor at the University of Maryland-Baltimore County and the president of the North American Association of Sports Economists.

The Steelers have sold out all home games since 1972. The team is not planning a dramatic increase in ticket prices and is unlikely to greatly increase corporate sponsorships during brutal economic times.

Their Super Bowl payoff may be limited to being known as the NFL franchise envied by all others.

"The theory of valuing an asset would suggest that a franchise's value is determined by fundamentals like current and future demand for tickets to games, team-



Pittsburgh Steelers wide receiver Santonio Holmes (10), quarterback Ben Roethlisberger (7), head coach Mike Tomlin and team owner Daniel M. Rooney celebrate the Pittsburgh Steelers defeating the Arizona Cardinals 27-23 in Super Bowl XLIII on Feb. 1 in Tampa, Fla.

broadcast rights fees," Coates said in an e-mail. "Since Heinz Field sells out, the attendance demand aspect is likely to be small. Merchandise and broadcast rights are shared by the NFL, so the Steelers would see only a small share of those (1/32nd).

Teams that play in the Super Bowl typically find the myriad costs to appear in the game exceed what they receive in compensation from the NFL. Despite the Steelers' coast-to-coast following, their location in a relatively small market means they generate tens of millions

branded merchandise and of dollars less in corporate University who co-authored sponsorships than the bigger-market teams like the Cowboys and Redskins.

> Winning an NBA title can boost franchise value, according to sports economist David Berri, but he says there is no such payoff in the NFL, where every team except the Lions, Browns, Texans, Jaguars and Saints has played in at least one Super Bowl.

"About half of all (NBA) teams don't win a title and I know winning a title can impact a team's gate revenue for years," said Berri, an associate professor of applied economics at Southern Utah title in four seasons.

a 2006 book about the relationship between payrolls and winning. "Plus, in the NBA, teams keep their gate revenue.

"In the NFL, though, it is a very different story. NFL teams share gate revenue, and other revenue as well, plus the Steelers had already won five titles before last week," Berri said in an email.

Another Super Bowl victory adds to their prestige, but the Steelers were recognized as one of the best-run franchises in pro sports before winning their second NFL

A-Rod

Continued from Sports 1

proved to myself and to everyone that I don't need any of that." He was traded to the New York Yankees before the

2004 season. The admission came two days after Sports Illustrated reported on its Web site that Rodriguez was among 104 names on a list of players who tested positive for steroids in 2003, when testing was intended to determine the extent of steroid use in baseball. The results weren't subject to discipline and were supposed to remain anonymous.

"When I arrived in Texas in 2001, I felt an enormous amount of pressure. I felt like I had all the weight of the world on top of me and I needed to perform, and perform at a high level every day," Rodriguez said.

"And I did take a banned substance and, you know, for that I'm very sorry and deeply

regretful. And although it was the culture back then and Major League Baseball overall was very — I just feel that — You know, I'm just sorry. I'm sorry for that time. I'm sorry to fans. I'm sorry for my fans in Texas. It wasn't until then that I ever thought about substance of any kind."

Rangers owner Tom Hicks said the admission caught him by surprise.

"I feel personally betrayed. I feel deceived by Alex," Hicks said in a conference call. "He assured me that he had far too much respect for his own body to ever do that to himself. ... I certainly don't believe that if he's now admitting that he started using when he came to the Texas Rangers, why should I believe that it didn't start before he came to the Texas Rangers?"

The 33-year-old Rodriguez ranks 12th on the career list with 553 homers, including

52, 57 and 47 in his three seasons with the Rangers. He is 209 behind Barry Bonds' record 762.

Now, though, he's on top of a much different list — the highest-profile player to confess to doping, joining teammates Jason Giambi and Andy

Rodriguez's admission is in stark contrast to the denials of former teammate Roger Clemens and Bonds.

SI.com reported Rodriguez tested positive for Primobolan and testosterone.

"It was such a looseygoosey era. I'm guilty for a lot of things. I'm guilty for being negligent, naive, not asking all questions," right Rodriguez said. "And to be quite honest, I don't know exactly what substance I was guilty of using."

The interview left open many questions: • Whom did Rodriguez

obtain steroids from?

• How did he pay for them? • Did anyone help him to obtain them?

Monday's ESPN interview directly contradicted a December 2007 interview with CBS's "60 Minutes," when Rodriguez said "No" when asked if he had ever used steroids, human growth hormone or any other performance-enhancing sub-

On Friday, Rodriguez is still expected to attend an event at the University of Miami, which is renaming its baseball field in his honor.

He gave \$3.9 million to the school in 2003, the largest gift ever to the Hurricanes' baseball program and money that provided much of the resources needed for renovating the existing on-campus stadium. In return, the baseball complex will be called Mark Light Field at Alex Rodriguez Park.

Come see what's new at magicvalley.com

You can own prints of photos appearing in the newspaper or elsewhere on our Web site!



Commemorative Front Page Reprints

Order photo prints of newspaper pages

Go to http://gallery.pictopia.com/magicvalley to order a photo reprint.





