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Legislators to cut another \$55 million

By Jared S. Hopkins
Times-News writer

BOISE — Legislators are expected to trim another \$55 million from the state budget today in what budget writers say are the last round of mid-year cuts.

The 2 percent cut, which would bring this year's cuts to nearly 6 percent, or around \$205 million, has been hinted at by lawmakers in the past few weeks. When Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter ordered 4 percent in holdbacks last year, he advised state agencies to hold



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2 percent in reserve should more cuts be necessary. Legislators already increased the cuts to 4.7 percent.

"We've found ourselves in that place, where we will make that official," said Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee Chairwoman Maxine Bell, R-Jerome.

About half of the newest cuts would come from the

public schools budget, but it will be held harmless thanks to the Public Education Stabilization Fund.

Schools have so far not endured any state cuts due to the reserves, which will have only \$30 million left after the cuts.

Bell said she's hopeful that all state agencies have held onto 2 percent in reserve, as

they've been advised to withhold bonuses, freeze open positions and reduce travel.

Legislators will also decide today the amount of next year's budget once the January tax revenue numbers are official. They're expected to be more than \$30 million below predictions. A legislative economic outlook committee forecast more than \$100 million less than Otter's office.

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Bills to cut education introduced in House

Proposals go too far, teachers say

By Jared S. Hopkins
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BOISE — Changes proposed Thursday by Republican lawmakers will permanently hurt education in Idaho, state Democrats and education officials said.

The legislation is intended to meet proposals by Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna to cut the public schools budget by \$62 million.

Sponsors of the two bills said the changes are required to balance next year's budget, half of which funds public schools. And they said the legislation, which would save about \$18 million, doesn't come with expiration dates because the end of the eco-

nomie downturn is unclear. "None of us take this lightly. This is not fun stuff," said House Education Committee Chairman Bob Nonini, R-Coeur d'Alene. "We're in a crisis here."

The changes include mandating administrators and teachers sign only one-year contracts; cutting early retirement for teachers; making all teacher contracts expire annually without provisions carrying over; allowing districts to reduce contract lengths and teacher salaries; and eliminating one year of experience-based raises for teachers and administrators.

House Democrats said their biggest issue was making permanent changes and altering contract structures — both of which they said came as a surprise.

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Branching out



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Officer Tim Arredondo, left, and Staff Sgt. Dan Lewin take an oath to be special deputies of the Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office on Thursday. Two dozen Twin Falls City Police were present at the oath given by Sheriff Tom Carter.

T.F. Sheriff turns city police into special deputies

Tom Carter makes good on campaign promise

By Andrea Jackson
Times-News writer

Twin Falls County Sheriff Tom Carter on Thursday followed through on a campaign promise to the voters who overwhelmingly elected him in November.

Carter is transforming city police officers into special deputies at departments across the county.



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WATCH: A video of the swearing in of Twin Falls police officers.

The move lets municipal cops work outside their city's jurisdiction and into the county under the sheriff.

Aside from issuing county identification cards, no extra costs should accrue from the move, said Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office Spokeswoman Lori Nebeker.

Police officers have the choice to take the oath to be special deputies for the county.

And most are, at least in the city of Twin Falls, said Twin Falls Police Sgt. Terry Thueson.

Twenty-four Twin Falls police officers Thursday took their oaths to Carter's office, and swore to support and defend the county's ordinances and policies. About 35 to 40 Twin Falls police officers from an earlier shift already took the oath, said Thueson.

Thueson said this shouldn't affect officers' workloads.

"It should free up red tape," he said.

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Despite stimulus, no quick turnaround for jobs, economy

Many economists predict heavy job losses this year

By Jeannine Aversa
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — No, the big stimulus plan won't "save or create 3.5 million jobs," as the president and congressional Democrats claim — at least not this year.

The economy will remain feeble through 2009, analysts warn, and businesses will keep shedding jobs, though not as many as they would have without the \$789 billion boost.

The stimulus agreement, heading for final votes in the next day or so, goes to the heart of President Barack Obama's strategy to revive the economy and will go far in shaping how Americans view his economic leadership.

What it won't do is quickly snap the country out of the

painful recession, now in its second year.

It should provide some relief, economists say, though some argue it won't plow enough money into the economy to prop it up.

Tax cuts will spur at least some spending by consumers and businesses, and that should help save or create jobs. Aid flowing to cash-squeezed states will prevent some layoffs.

And money for big public works projects, such as bridge and road repairs, and longer-term ventures, such as networks for more high-speed Internet connections, will eventually generate jobs and stir economic activity.

But even with the stimulus, many economists predict a net loss of 2 million, 3 million or even more jobs this year. The recession already had cost 3.6 million through January. The unemployment rate, now at 7.6 percent, highest in more than 16 years, will probably hit at least 9 percent by next year.

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Home for the world: Athletes meet, relax at Special Olympics Village

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

Lukas Suvak came to Sun Valley to ski in the Special Olympics World Winter Games.

He'll go home having learned to throw a lasso, too.

When the snowboard and cross-country skiing competition ends each day at the games, a different kind of fun and games begins — involv-

ing a length of rope and a wooden horse.

At the Wood River YMCA — which has been turned into a Special Olympics Village this week — nearly 400 athletes from all over the world have mingled together, swimming, designing trading cards, playing the Wii and foosball.

They've also ridden stick horses around barrels and

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Biden praises Special Olympic athletes

BOISE (AP) — Vice President Joe Biden says that President Barack Obama is committed to programs designed to improve the livelihood of Americans with disabilities and special needs. Biden spoke after an award ceremony Thursday at the Special Olympics World Winter Games in Boise. He attended the games with a presidential delegation, including U.S. Education Secretary Arne Duncan and Olympic figure-skating medalists Scott Hamilton and Michelle Kwan. Biden watched the five finalists in the freestyle pairs skating competition, then he helped award medals to the winners. He praised the athletes for their courage, grit and determination.

Brothers have surprise reunion at Games

Two 50-year-old brothers from Germany had a surprise reunion at the Special Olympics World Winter Games in Sun Valley this week. Albert Kirchmayr, a chocolatier in Baltimore, Md., arranged to fly into Boise in time for the opening ceremony after he heard that his twin brother, Willi, would race in the cross-country events. Albert missed Willi at the opening ceremonies but went on to Sun Valley where volunteer Stacey Sholtis helped get him in. The two brothers had a celebratory reunion dinner Saturday evening and Albert has been at the finish line ever since, cheering Willi on.



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MORNING BRIEFING



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

• Dads and daughters can spend some quality time together and help support Jubilee House at the Jubilee Father-daughter Ball, from 6:30 to 10 p.m., at The Ballroom in Twin Falls. Tickets are \$15 for a father-daughter couple and may be shown at select local restaurants for a two-for-one meal. For more information or

tickets, Diane Stevens, 316-1292.
• Take a gallery walk from 6 to 9 p.m. at area art galleries in Ketchum. You may not have the money to buy anything, but you can appreciate fine art, have a nice evening and visit with artists in attendance. Admission is free, so go to www.svgalleries.org for more information.

• And listen to the music of Milestone from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Pioneer Club, 1519 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls. There's no cover.

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.

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Sweethearts Dance, residents need dance partners, 6:30 to 8 p.m., Rosetta Assisted Living, 1177 Eastridge Ct., Twin Falls, open to the public, 734-9422.
Community get-together for couples, single adults, family or friends, with live band; opportunity for dancing, visiting and playing cards, 7 to 10 p.m., Burley Senior Citizen's Center, 2421 Overland Ave., \$1-\$5 donation, 878-7973.

BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

Annual Sweetheart Ball, hosted by the Ladies of the Elks and Snake River Elks with dinner, dancing and ongoing gift basket raffle, 6 p.m. dinner and 9 p.m. dancing, Snake River Elks Lodge, 412 E. 200 S., Jerome, \$5 cover charge, proceeds to the Elks Rehabilitation Hospital in Boise, 308-4477.
Jubilee Father-Daughter Ball, theme: "My Dad is Cool" '60s style with dancing, desserts, entertainment and silent auction, sponsored by Christa's Dress Shoppe, Charles Stevens Insurance, Red's Trading Post and Pioneer Federal Credit Union, 6:30 to 10 p.m., The Ballroom, Shoshone Street and Second Avenue, Twin Falls, proceeds benefit Jubilee House, tickets: \$15 per father/daughter couple (two-for-one meal at select restaurants with ticket), 316-1292.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Burley Lions Club, noon, Morey's Steakhouse, 219 E. Third St. N., 878-7235.

EXHIBITS

"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.
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.

"June," an installation by Wood River Valley artist Pamela DeTunco, noon to 5 p.m., The Center, 314 S. Second Ave., Hailey, no cost, sunvalleycenter.org or 726-9491.

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.

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.

Artist's reception: "Cantabile," featuring the work of Chinese artist Andrew Lui, 6 p.m., Gallery DeNovo, 320 First Ave. N., Suite 101, no cost, gallerydenovo.com or 726-8180.

GOVERNMENT

Twin Falls County commissioners, 8:30 a.m., courthouse, 425 Shoshone St. N., 736-4068.

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 Gold-insured or AARP provided by Secure Horizons, 734-7300.

College of Southern Idaho's Over 60 and Getting Fit programs, a guided walking workout with stretching and gentle resistance training, 9 to 10 a.m. at several Magic Valley locations: Blaine County Campus gym, CSI gym, Gooding

ISDB gym, Jerome Rec Center, Rupert Civic gym and Shoshone High School (old gym); and 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at CSI Burley Outreach Center gym, no cost, 732-6475.

Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 10 to 11 a.m., Blaine County Senior Connection, 721 S. Third Ave., Hailey, no cost, 737-5988.

Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Ageless Senior Citizens, Inc., 310 Main St. N., Kimberly, no cost, 737-5988.

SilverSneakers Fitness Program, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Jerome Senior Center, 212 First Ave. E. no cost for Humana Gold Choice members, \$1 for non-Humana members, 324-5642.

Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 11 to 11:45 a.m., Oakley Fire Station, 315 E. Main St., Oakley, no cost, 737-5988.

Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 1:30 p.m., front lounge, Woodstone Assisted Living Facility, 491 Caswell Ave. W., Twin Falls, no cost, 737-5988.

Celebrate Recovery, based on the 12 steps and eight biblical principles, 7 p.m., Cafe Agape, Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, 960 Eastland Dr., Twin Falls, 737-4667.

Celebrate Recovery, a place to learn life-affirming, healthy behaviors, 7 p.m., Fireside Room of the Nazarene Fellowship Hall at Yakima and Main, Filer, 734-0557.

Al-Anon/Alateen family groups, to help friends and families of alcoholics, hot-line: 1-866-592-3198.

LIBRARY

Burley Public Library Storytime, with stories, rhyme, song and a small craft for toddlers, preschoolers and their caregiver, 10:30 a.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no cost, 878-7708.

Family Storytime, 11 a.m., Jerome Public Library, (208) 324-5427. 100 First Ave. E.

MUSEUMS AND PARKS

Faulkner Planetarium "Here Comes the Sun" at 7 p.m., Herrett Center, \$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; and **Rock Entertainment Show: "Led Zeppelin: Maximim Volume 1"** at 8:15 p.m., Herrett Center for Arts and Science, north end of the College of Southern Idaho campus, Twin Falls, \$4.50, 732-6655.

OPEN HOUSE

Rosetta Assisted Living annual Open House, 3 to 8 p.m., Rosetta Assisted Living, 1177 Eastridge Ct., Twin Falls, open to the public, 734-9422.

TODAY'S DEADLINES

Reservation deadline for Feb. 14 Twin Falls Bank & Trust employees meeting and no-host lunch, all former Bank & Trust Employees and friends are also invited to attend, 1 p.m., Montana Steak House, 1826 Canyon Crest Drive, Twin Falls, 423-5493 or 420-4418 for reservations.

Reservation reminder for Feb. 27 Twin Falls GOP annual Lincoln Day Banquet and Auction, meet and greet with Congressman Mike Simpson, Lt. Governor Brad Little, county and city dignitaries, 6 p.m. no-host cocktails and 7 p.m. dinner, The Turf Club, Falls Avenue, \$30 per person, open to the public, 308-2244.

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 event.

Education

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House Minority Leader James Ruchti, D-Pocatello, said the legislation would mark a "monumental" change that puts jobs at risk while unemployment is already rising. "That's what they're gonna get right now, is a fight on this," he said. "I'm really disappointed and shocked that ... they're going to throw this bombshell."

Rep. Donna Pence, D-Gooding, a former teacher, said she's heard teachers are comfortable taking pay cuts and seeing adjustments, but only temporarily. "Once they get those changes, they're not going to change them back," Pence said.

The bill is co-sponsored by House Speaker Lawrence E. Denney, R-Midvale, Speaker Pro Tem Bob Geddes, R-Soda Springs, and Senate Education Chairman John Goedde, R-Coeur d'Alene.

Sherri Wood, president of the Idaho Education Association, the state's teachers union, said many of the proposed changes go beyond saving money and are a deliberate attempt to break up collective bargaining. "This is supposed to be a budget cutting bill and ... They're using this budget crisis to attack teachers," she said.

Democrats and teachers offered alternative solutions, such as four-day school weeks and transportation adjustments, and cited the federal stimulus package.

Nonini said state budget writers are planning for cuts of as much as \$130 million — more than double what Luna outlined to the Legislature two weeks ago.

Luna spokeswoman Melissa McGrath said Luna is not co-sponsoring the bills but they "would be necessary" to implement his \$62 million budget reduction.

Nonini told the Times-News there "will be parts" Luna doesn't like since they go beyond his proposal.

Twin Falls Superintendent Wiley Dobbs said he's waiting for more information. But he said district teachers are not on multi-year contracts — only the superintendent and assistant superintendent are. He said the provision in which contracts expire annually and must be renegotiated wouldn't apply to Twin Falls because it lacks the "evergreen" clause that automatically renews contracts.

He said permanent changes would make it tougher to recruit and retain qualified teachers, and predicted teacher unions will take legal action if the changes are implemented.

Blue Lakes crash sends three people to hospital

Times-News

Three people were sent to St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center after their vehicles collided on Blue Lakes Boulevard Thursday night in Twin Falls.

At around 8:10 p.m., a van and a four-door sedan traveling on Blue Lakes hit head-on for unknown reasons, Twin Falls Police Staff Sgt. Mike Covington said. The impact apparently spun the

vehicles around south of the intersection of Blue Lakes and Falls Avenue.

Two people from the sedan and one from the car were sent to the hospital. No further information on their identities or condition was available Thursday night.

City police and fire officials blocked off a section of Blue Lakes between Falls Avenue and Caswell Avenue after the crash. An investigation is ongoing.

Stimulus

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"The stimulus package is not going to turn the economy around right now," said William Gale, director of economic studies at the Brookings Institution.

"The best-case scenario is that it mitigates the depth and the severity of the downturn. That's not a bad thing. It's just not the magic bullet that fixes everything."

Some analysts say the job market won't return to normal health — with unemployment hovering around 5 percent — until as late as 2013.

And the broader economy? No sudden revival there either.

The economy is expected to slide backward for all of 2009 — a decline in gross domestic product of more than 1 percent. That may not sound like much, but it would be the first yearly decline since 1991.

"Congress put the minimum charge into the stimulus battery," said Brian Bethune, economist at IHS Global Insight. "We're taking this big chance, turning the key and praying there is enough juice to turn over the economy. We should have juiced it up so much that we are guaranteed that this engine will start" through a bigger package of tax reductions.

What clues should people be looking for to judge whether a turnaround is near?

Companies will start easing up on their cost cutting. That would mean fewer pay freezes or cuts. Companies will start boosting workers' hours. And demand for temporary workers will rise. After

that, companies eventually will call back workers.

"When you hear that friends and others you know are getting hired again — that's the best sign," said John Challenger, chief of Challenger, Gray & Christmas, a placement firm.

This recession has proved especially stubborn and dangerous. The root causes — housing, credit and financial crises — are the worst since the 1930s and don't lend themselves to quick fixes.

The package includes Obama's signature "Making Work Pay" tax credit for 95 percent of workers. But negotiators scaled it back from Obama's campaign promise: to \$400 a year for individuals, instead of his \$500, and \$800 for couples, down from his \$1,000.

That equals around an extra \$13 a week in most paychecks this year, and it should show up very quickly after Obama signs the bill. The hope is that Americans will then feel more inclined to go out and buy, which would help bolster the economy.

But will recession-shocked consumers, spooked by vanishing jobs, shattered nest eggs, tanking home values and surging foreclosures, actually spend money?

"Chances are people are going to save much or most of the tax cuts because of the climate of uncertainty and doom and gloom," Gale said.

Given the severity of the problems, economists said, the bigger the economic revival package the better. Some said it needed to be \$1 trillion to make a noticeable difference this year.

Police

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Carter called Thursday's oath symbolic and said it will promote relationships between all the law enforcement officers in the county.

Thueson agrees.

"Like everything else, there's always room for improvement and I hope these changes are steps that will lead us to more open communication," said Thueson. "I think this is a great change. It's very posi-

tive for working relationships among agencies."

City police officers have become special deputies before in Twin Falls County, but unclear is why the practice tapered off, said Nebeker.

Carter says he's covered all the city departments in the county except in Kimberly, and plans to visit there soon.

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Games

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happily surrendered their sore bodies to massage and yoga.

"I like being together," said Special Olympic athlete Donna Gunn, of Salt Lake City. "But it's kind of hard because you can't hear what some of the others are saying — they have a different language."

One of the most popular activities has been donning cowboy hats and bandannas to pose for pictures against an Old West backdrop.

"The Indians have already been through three times tonight and twice last night," said volunteer Gigi Pichon, as she watched the

boys gesture for a Russian girl to join them in the photo. "Watching this gives me faith in the human race — to know that countries around the world recognize the uniqueness of their youth."

Bart and Lois Adrian, a retired pediatrician and nurse from Twin Falls, pushed the buttons for another popular attraction, the karaoke corner.

"This is a hoot," said Bart. "Some of the kids can't read the songs and they need someone to sing with them so that's where I come in. The Germans and Austrians perform the songs in their language. And, if they can't

sing, they dance — their mike in hand. The more people here, the more they want to get up there and perform."

The vice president of Special Olympics Israel sat in one room, making trading cards with the athletes.

"Enjoy life," wrote one athlete on his. "I'm the fastest bear crawler at my school," wrote another.

"After a day of activity that's a nice relaxing thing to do — and it gives them a nice memento," observed YMCA Director Teresa Beahan Lipman. "It's really been awesome to have this here. It's a wonderful place in which to celebrate."

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Salmon	82%	56%
Big Wood	74%	52%
Little Wood	80%	55%
Big Lost	79%	52%
Little Lost	84%	54%
Henrys Fork/Teton	81%	56%
Upper Snake Basin	92%	63%
Oakley	81%	59%
Salmon Falls	96%	67%

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Go to Magicvalley.com to find a ski report at the Snow Center.

CORRECTION

Wrong wrestling result, team score

Due to inaccurate information, a story in Thursday's sports section incorrectly reported the result of a wrestling match. Jerome wrestler Cory Cummins defeated Twin Falls' Joe Hamilton at a tri-match in Filer. As a result, the team score was also incorrect. Jerome defeated Twin Falls 52-20.

Presidents Day closures

Many offices and facilities will be closed Monday for Presidents Day, including:

- Most city offices are closed, including in Twin Falls, Jerome, Burley, Hailey, Gooding, Rupert and Shoshone.
- County, state and federal offices are closed.
- Post offices are closed.
- Banks are closed.

- Twin Falls Public Library is closed.
- College of Southern Idaho is closed; the Herrett Center for Arts and Science is closed.
- YMCA/Twin Falls City Pool is closed.
- Magic Valley Mall is open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.
- Trash collection will follow the regular schedule.



Don't ask me

Steve Crump

The heart and soul in Kimberly basketball

Sometimes the game isn't the most important thing ... Before the start of last Saturday's varsity boys' basketball game against Wendell High School, members of the Kimberly High freshman team presented a check for about \$700 and some gifts to Wendell freshman Cristian Vargas, who was recently diagnosed with leukemia ...

Money raised by selling chances at a half-court shoot at two games was bolstered by contributions from the Kimberly Pep Club, Booster Club and others in the community ...

"The whole idea was conceived by the boys on the team and the community of Kimberly got on board and helped this family from Wendell," according to Kimberly resident Mike Mumm ...

"The young man didn't know about it in advance, but his parents did," Kimberly High Athletic Director Brian Wilford said ...

Classy kids ... YOU WOKE UP with him for years ... Isn't it time you introduced yourself? ...

Longtime National Public Radio host Bob Edwards will be in Twin Falls on Feb. 22 — a Sunday ... He'll deliver a few remarks and answer questions at the College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Center from noon to 1:30 p.m. ... Tickets are \$25, available by phoning 888-859-5278, Ext. 663 ... A separate event is planned for 7 p.m. on Feb. 23 at the Boise State University Special Events Center ...

Edwards, 61, hosted NPR's flagship program, "Morning Edition," from the show's inception in 1979 ... After 24-plus years with Edwards as host, Arbitron ratings showed that with 13 million listeners, "Morning Edition" was the second highest-rated radio broadcast in the country, behind only Rush Limbaugh's AM show ...

But NPR unaccountably pulled the plug on Edwards in April 2004, removing him as host and reassigning him as a senior correspondent for the network ... The decision went over like New Coke ...

Jeffrey Dvorkin, NPR's ombudsman, reported that the network received more than 50,000 letters regarding Edwards' demotion, most of them angry ...

Worked out well for Edwards, though ... He signed a lucrative contract with XM Satellite Radio in the summer of 2004, and hosts a daily show on XM's Public Radio Channel ... Three years ago, he launched a new program, "Bob Edwards Weekend," produced by XM and distributed by Public Radio International, which provides program content to public radio stations ...

Steve Crump is the Times-News Opinion editor.

Tell all

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

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AROUND THE VALLEY

Man's body found in Snake River

A search and rescue team found the body of a Jerome man in the Snake River on Thursday afternoon.

Jerome County Sheriff Doug McFall said authorities are still investigating the manner of death for a 62-year-old man.

Deputies and search and rescue officers from Twin Falls and Jerome counties started a search Thursday morning after the Idaho Transportation Department notified Jerome County that the man's car was parked on the north side of the bridge for three days.

Search and rescue recovered the body from the water four feet from the north shore, and his cane

was recovered from the bridge walkway. The man's family in California and Idaho has been notified.

Foul play is not suspected and the coroner will determine manner of death, McFall said.

The discovery comes six days after another body of a man from Twin Falls was found in the river by a boat dock at Centennial Waterfront Park. Authorities ruled that death a suicide.

T.F. starts stoplight installation at Washington, N. College

Installation of temporary traffic signals at the intersection of North College Road and Washington Street North has begun, a city of Twin Falls press release stat-

ed on Thursday.

Crews will start the project by pouring concrete for the signal cabinet and installing the cabinet and wooden poles.

"This work is not expected to disrupt traffic," City Engineer Jackie Fields said in the release. "However, by the end of next week when we put up the actual span wire and signal, we will have to close the roadway for several hours."

Fields said the closure will take place during the evening when traffic is lighter. The exact time of the closure will be announced at a later date.

The temporary signals are expected to be operational for 20 to 22 months and will be replaced by a permanent signal during road construction for the

Washington Street North widening project.

With nearby Canyon Ridge High School scheduled to open to students in August, city staff expect the signals will help control traffic at the busy intersection.

Cost of installation is expected to be \$45,000.

The temporary signals were chosen by the Twin Falls City Council as a better option than installing four-way stop signs, median barriers or accelerating planned construction of the permanent signals.

Blue Lakes road work starts in March

Installation of a storm water sewer system and reconstruction of Blue Lakes Boulevard in Twin

Falls will begin in March, the Idaho Transportation Department announced on Thursday.

The storm water installation project, primarily between Falls Avenue and Pole Line Road, will begin the second week of March and impact traffic in the southbound and center turn lanes.

The major road work will begin in April and traffic will be restricted to one lane in each direction. When complete, Blue Lakes will remain in its current alignment.

Western Construction of Boise is the contractor for the \$4.6 million reconstruction project.

Construction will continue through the summer and into the fall.

— Staff reports

5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

TWIN FALLS COUNTY Wednesday arraignments

Manual R. Rodriguez, 21, Twin Falls; domestic battery; public defender confirmed; \$500 bond
Dusty D. Sledgers, 34, Twin Falls; unlawful possession of a firearm; \$50,000 bond; public defender appointed; Feb. 23 preliminary hearing
Caroline A Eguillor, 20, Burley;

possession of a stolen vehicle; Feb. 23 preliminary hearing; \$25,000 bond; public defender appointed
Julie F. Ramirez, 33, Wendell; two counts forgery of a financial transaction card; walk-in arraignment; Feb. 23 preliminary hearing; public defender appointed
Amee Joshipp, 33, Twin Falls;

resisting/obstructing, possession of paraphernalia; March 24 pretrial; \$1,000 bond; public defender appointed; not guilty plea
Timothy, E. James, 30, Buhl; possession of a stolen vehicle, unlawful possession of a firearm; Feb. 23 preliminary hearing; \$5,000 bond; public defender appointed

Harold E. Tyree, 35, Jerome; DUI excessive, driving without privileges; March 24 pretrial; \$5,000 bond; public defender appointed; pleaded not guilty
Thursday arraignments
William August Thompson, 23, Bear River, Wyo.; domestic battery; March 24 pretrial; \$300 bond; pleaded not guilty; public defender denied

Steven Scott Proctor, 38, Kimberly; DUI excessive; March 24 pretrial; recognizance release; public defender appointed; not guilty plea
Trenidy Lewis, 20, Filer; fail to purchase driver's license, fail to appear; March 24 pretrial; recognizance release; public defender appointed; not guilty plea

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Ag director Gould says zero-based budgeting works

By Jared S. Hopkins
Times-News writer

BOISE — In her presentation to state budget writers, Idaho State Department of Agriculture Director Celia Gould touted the successes of zero-based budgeting and proposed a lump sum appropriation to give her flexibility during uncertain economic times.

"We believe zero-based budgeting has been successful and valuable to our operation and to our internal and external customers," she said. "We believe many outcomes have been identified and many more will occur."

Gould said the budgeting process has yielded cost savings, improved programs and led to changes in rules and state law. At least six agency-proposed bills will be presented to the Legislature, ISDA officials said. Among them is a bill in the House that would eliminate an artificial rainfall program the agency didn't need and was being administered by other

agencies, said ISDA legislative liaison Laura Johnson.

Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter has proposed a 31 percent reduction in the original 2009 general fund ISDA appropriation but Gould and JFAC hardly discussed the matter. Rep. Jim Patrick, R-Twin Falls, said afterward much of the ISDA budget comes from dedicated and federal funding.

Still, Gould asked for a lump sum appropriation — in essence money that's not tied down to specific uses — for flexibility. She cited three unexpected items the ISDA had to address last year, including avian flu, tuberculosis and brucellosis.

"When you don't give flexibility, what happens is you start robbing all these little accounts," she told the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee on Wednesday. "Pretty soon we have dedicated funds to bring around, to fit the crisis somewhere else, and it turns us into an agency that lacks transparency, that lacks integrity.

So I'd just like an opportunity to do it right."

Lump sums are pretty rare, and some legislators were skeptical of her request. "We're pretty judicious about the way we allow lump sum budgets and that doesn't fit in my mind," said JFAC Co-chairwoman Maxine Bell, R-Jerome.

After the meeting, Patrick said he'd be surprised if the lump sum request was granted because legislators can't keep track of state money as well.

"It's always risky because the money slips from where you want it to go," he said.

Legislators noted how Gould is not asking for money to battle quagga mussels, a striped mollusk in the same family as the pesky zebra mussel, that some fear will migrate to Idaho and clog the Magic Valley's rivers, lakes and irrigation systems.

Instead, Gould said, the ISDA would rely on deficiency warrants, which ultimately is money used for natural resource emergencies.

"We just haven't found that money free for quagga mussels, quite frankly," she said, adding, "We're planning to keep them out. They're not here yet."

Gould is also requesting \$135,000 in one-time funding to continue the Rural

Partnership Program, in which the ISDA assists rural communities — such as Gooding in April — in planning for projects. Private industry donations cover

about 30 percent of the budget, Gould said.

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Paul City Council raises trash fees

By Laurie Welch
Times-News writer

PAUL — After a resolution to raise garbage rates died for lack of a second motion Wednesday, the Paul City Council took a second look at the issue and unanimously passed a revised version by a 4-0 vote on Thursday.

The new garbage rate goes into effect June 1, and will bump the cost of a residential roll cart \$1 a month to \$10 and additional containers will now cost \$2 more, or \$6.50 a month. The base commercial sanitation fee will stay at \$8 a month with a \$2 increase per yard of container capacity to \$9 per yard with a monthly minimum of \$17.

"It is fiscally irresponsible to continue to devour funds to keep the city going," said Councilman Bob Dempsay during discussion on the issue.

Councilman Bruce Hossfeld said the council must also listen to its constituents, some of who did not approve of the rate hike.

Paul Public Works Director Richard Rau said the new commercial rate would affect approximately 40 to 45 customers, with most of them having 2-cubic-yard trash containers. There are 67 residential customers who get extra containers each month and six requesting three additional containers.

Dempsay said the first resolution, which called for a larger raise in the rate of residential container fees and a smaller increase in the commercial per-yard charge was put together after looking at the city's trend of losing money on the service.

Rau said the city paid out \$3,000 more in sanitation costs than it took in from its customers last year.

Paul Mayor Randy Jones said the only way the city could have prevented a raise in garbage rates would have been to somehow reduce services.

"I don't know how to reduce them other than to pick up the garbage every other week," Jones said. "You get between a rock and a hard place and if you don't take care of it — it eats you up."

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Idaho snowpack dropping; water supply should be OK

By Sarah D. Wire
Associated Press writer

BOISE — Idaho's snowpack has shrunk by at least 20 percent since Jan. 1, but there should still be adequate water for state needs this year, the Idaho Water Supply Committee said Thursday.

The committee is made up of state and national experts who have an interest in Idaho water.

As the snowpack melts, it funnels into reservoirs and streams where it is used for everything from irrigation to drinking water.

Idaho Department of Water Resources hydrologist Steve Burrel said snowpack levels statewide are at about 80 percent of the average

amount, a decrease from January when levels were normal.

Warm, dry weather during the second half of January and the first two weeks of February caused the snowpack to shrink.

"Without the normal precipitation, we're losing ground," Burrel said, adding there should still be sufficient water.

In southern Idaho, the mountain snowpack is critical to the health of the region's drought-prone agricultural industry.

Burrel said the snowpack south of the Snake River is far below normal but the area shouldn't worry about the state curtailing water use because there is enough water in reservoirs.

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"I don't know how I made it. I tried to keep the kids calm. We just prayed."

— Lone Grove, Okla., resident Sue Rose, who rode out a tornado by huddling with family members in a trailer at a mobile home park

EDITORIAL

A glut of RNs wouldn't deter CSI's nursing plans

A year before the completion of the \$21 million health sciences building that's rising along North College Road in Twin Falls, the College of Southern Idaho got some surprising news this week.

The need for registered nurses — a job now in great demand throughout Idaho — could taper off in the next three years, according a report compiled by a 22-member nursing council appointed by Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter. That's assuming the state's nursing programs continue to expand as planned.

For years, health officials have complained that Idaho lacks enough nurses to fully staff its hospitals and clinics. That shortage was the catalyst for construction the CSI health sciences building.

Now, some of the state's biggest hospitals no longer report a nursing shortage. Administrators at Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise actually laid off a few nurses, while nurses at other hospitals are postponing retirement and returning to work to make ends meet.

So does that mean the health sciences building at CSI will be in danger of becoming a white elephant after it opens in 2010?

Not a chance. Nursing is just one of 16 health-related occupations that will be taught in the 72,400-square-foot facility, taking up perhaps one-third of the space. CSI runs a pretty tight ship, and it still is placing 100 percent of its nursing graduates.

Besides, Idaho exports many of the nurses it trains — CSI to Nevada, Brigham Young University-Idaho to other states — so the demand for nurses is driven by market forces both inside and outside Idaho.

Two major hospitals — St. Luke's Magic Valley Regional Medical Center in Twin Falls and North County Medical Center in Gooding — are scheduled to open in the next two years, and will have to be staffed up with qualified RNs, and economic recovery — when it comes — will likely spur demand for more nurses.

Idaho has about 11,200 registered nurses, and thousands more are expected to join the workforce by 2012, according to the council's report. So many people applied to Idaho nursing programs for the 2007-08 school year that 900 had to be turned away for lack of space.

While the market for nurses may not always be white-hot, it's hard to see how RNs will not remain much in demand to care for an aging population.

And CSI will be well positioned to train them.

Our view:

Whatever the future of the job market for nurses, the College of Southern Idaho will be one of the centers in Idaho for training them.

What do you think?

We welcome viewpoints from our readers on this and other issues.

Sweden's looking pretty good about now

In a moment, we'll come to a two-step solution to the banking mess: First, tar and feather America's 100 leading bankers; and, second, take over insolvent banks and distribute shares to members of the public (without ever using the term "nat..." — oh, never mind).

But first, let's look at the problem. President Barack Obama and Treasury Secretary Tim Geithner stumbled badly in introducing the bank bailout. But the larger conundrum is that a bailout is both: A) urgent and essential; and B) unfair and unpopular.



NICHOLAS KRISTOF

I was *The New York Times'* Tokyo bureau chief during much of Japan's "lost decade" of the 1990s, and one of the lessons of that debacle was the need to attack a major downturn with Colin Powell's doctrine of "overwhelming force." The neo-Hoovers criticizing today's stimulus package make perfectly valid points about this or that flaw in the stimulus package. But the alternative is perhaps 3 million fewer jobs and the national economy looking like a balloon losing air.

Another thing: Those railing against the stimulus are often the same folks who inherited an economy producing budget surpluses and transformed it into today's fiscal catastrophe. In rural Oregon where I grew up, we were taught that if you've made a huge mess in someone else's living room, it's not polite to denounce the cleanup.

Japan also showed that you can't fix an economy without fixing the banks. The term "zombie banks" was popularized then, referring to banks that were half dead but always allowed to stagger on. They must be put out of their misery.



Yet Japan also underscored that you can't resolve a crisis when the public is more interested in punishing banks than rescuing them. That's why I suggested tarring and feathering a group of prominent bankers. Populist rage then would be satisfied, and we could get on with reviving the banks.

Not feasible, you say? A more plausible approach might be the one that some White House aides unsuccessfully argued for: tougher curbs on executive compensation. The Obama administration in theory limits certain compensation for top executives in companies receiving taxpayer dollars to \$500,000, but the plan has loopholes big enough to drive a Mercedes through.

Yes, troubled banks might lose good people to hedge funds that can pay more because they're not bound by these curbs. But that upsets me less than the idea of single mothers working multiple jobs so that their tax dollars can underwrite million-dollar bonuses at companies getting taxpayer assistance.

Tom Peters, a management expert, suggests capping the pay of CEOs receiving bailouts at that of a four-star general. As for the concern

that the executives would quit, who cares? Peters writes that if all the top executives of the Fortune 500 companies were exiled to Elba, "performance of their companies would not on average deteriorate."

Sen. Claire McCaskill, D-Mo., had it right in her recent legislative proposal: Cap compensation for all employees at companies receiving bailouts at the salary of the American president, which is \$400,000 a year.

The administration should also uproot subsidies in the tax code for excessive executive compensation. The Institute for Policy Studies estimates that these subsidies cost taxpayers \$20 billion annually.

A tough stand on these issues might help give Obama the political space to bail out the banks; otherwise, it's hard to see why the public would support a bailout of the size necessary.

As for the nature of the bailout, Obama pointed to Sweden's resolution of its bank crisis as a solution. "They took over the banks, nationalized them, got rid of the bad assets, resold the banks and, a couple years later, they were going again,"

he told ABC News on Tuesday. "So you'd think looking at it, Sweden looks like a good model."

Obama then suggested that it wouldn't work in the United States, partly for cultural reasons. But a broad range of experts believe that some variation of nationalization is the only way to revive the banks quickly without squandering vast amounts of taxpayer dollars. Even the managing director of the International Monetary Fund suggested that Washington think of the Swedish model.

America's horror of "nationalization" could be defused by handing out shares to all American households. President George W. Bush used to talk about building an "ownership society." Well, giving shares in big banks to all American households would be a terrific way to do that.

For many Americans, it would be the first time they directly owned stock — and, finally, something good could come from the banking Bust Bowl of 2009.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Don't pay the rest, maybe save a teacher's job

We are perplexed and need clarification. This morning's paper (Tuesday, Feb. 10) quotes Rep. Maxine Bell, "We're trying to find every single dime we can, every single dollar, to make cuts in 2010 less onerous and reduce the impact on education."

The governor is receiving \$4,500 a month to live in his own home west of Boise. That is \$54,000 a year. This is approximately \$20,000 more than is needed to employ a teacher for a year! As dire as the economy has become, wouldn't it show what kind of leader our governor was if he would forego future rent payments from the taxpayers?

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We didn't come to this place in our history by accident. We got here as the cumulative effect of our greed, arrogance and ignorance. We ignored the signs and symptoms of our disease, our disconnect from nature and the Law of Cause and Effect, the Law of Karma

if you will. We've been living way beyond our means.

We can't drill our way out of our energy addictions or spend our way out of debt. The gig is up, the emperor has no clothes. We have forsaken the rights and responsibilities that go with individual sovereignty and, instead, become mindless mass consumers on a dead-end trail, certainly not the kind of nation our forefathers foresaw.

Our situation is not hopeless. It is, in fact, filled with great opportunities to refine, redefine ourselves along a

more sustainable and truly satisfying path, but in order to do so, we are going to have to let go of some of the false and detrimental aspects of our current modus operandi, those traits that got us into this mess in the first place — cheap energy, make believe money and false expectations.

We have an opportunity to revamp our education system, making it more rewarding for both teachers and students. Rebuild our communities, not just the infrastructure but community itself. Across the board, these opportunities abound if we but reclaim our personal responsibility, our sovereignty and thus our freedom. So perhaps in the final analysis, the greatest opportunity of all is the opportunity to strengthen our personal and national character.

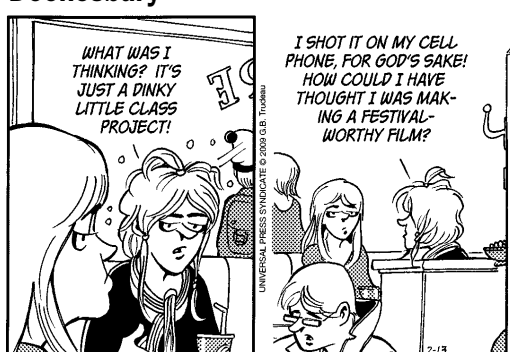
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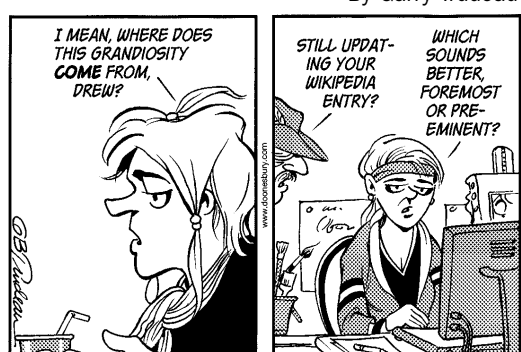
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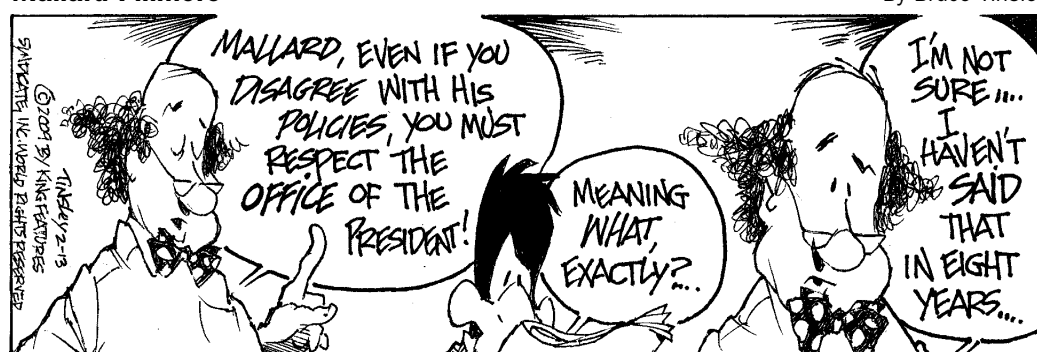
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Gregg withdraws nomination as commerce secretary

WASHINGTON — Republican Sen. Judd Gregg of New Hampshire abruptly withdrew his nomination as Commerce secretary Thursday, the third Cabinet-level pick scuttled and the latest political stumbling block in Barack Obama's young presidency.

"I said yes. That was my mistake," Gregg told reporters at a Capitol Hill news conference. He said he'd always been a strong fiscal conservative. "It really wasn't a good pick."

The about-face left Obama without a full team to lead the government.

Obama's first choice for Commerce secretary, New Mexico Gov. Bill Richardson, took his name out of consideration amid a federal investigation dealing with state contracts in New Mexico.

Gregg was one of three Republicans Obama had put in his Cabinet to fulfill his campaign pledge that he would be an agent of bipartisan change.

Lawmakers bargain into overtime on stimulus bill

WASHINGTON — Reluctant to call it quits, key lawmakers bargained into overtime Thursday on the \$790 billion economic stimulus legislation, dickering over tax cuts and federal spending before reaching an apparent final agreement more than 24 hours after announcing a deal.

Lingering controversy over school modernization money, a scaled-back tax break for businesses and other issues forced a delay in final votes on the legislation. But Democratic leaders still hoped for final passage by the weekend.

Republicans, lined up to vote against the bill, piled on the scorn. "This is not the smart approach," said Sen. Mitch McConnell of Kentucky, the Republican leader. "The taxpayers of today and tomorrow will be left to clean up the mess."

President Barack Obama delivered what has become a daily call for congressional action, this time from the industrial heartland. With approval of the bill, he said in Peoria, Ill., companies "may be able to start growing again. Rather than cutting jobs, they may be able to create them again."

Official: Economy tops list of U.S. threats

WASHINGTON — The economic crisis has trumped bullets and bombs in the intelligence agencies' latest assessment of threats to the United States.

That shift is a reflection of the depth of the unfolding recession, but also of the progress made in the war against terrorists and the Obama administration's more expansive definition of national security.

Sounding more like an economist than the war-fighting Navy commander he once was, National Intelligence Director Dennis Blair told a Senate panel Thursday that if the crisis lasts more than two years, it could cause some nations' governments to collapse.

And a number of allies the United States depends on might no longer be able to afford to meet their own defense and humanitarian obligations, he said.

Blair said already the financial meltdown, which started in the United States and quickly infected other countries, has eroded confidence in American economic leadership and belief in free markets.

Cold cure impossible because of diversity, study finds

Hunting for the elusive cure for the common cold, scientists have decoded the genomes of all known strains of the human rhinovirus, the main cause of the malady that makes millions miserable.

But don't toss out the chicken soup yet. There is so much diversity among the strains that hopes for a vaccine or a treatment that would prevent or cure every cold are slim, according to the study, published online Thursday in the journal Science.

The 138 samples — collected from human noses around the world — offer new insight into how the viruses are constructed and how they have evolved, scientists said. They eventually might lead to better drugs for fighting it.

A key finding from the study is that rhinoviruses can swap genetic material among themselves. That means two cold strains infecting the same person might recombine to form a new strain with new properties, complicating the quest for a medicine or vaccine that would remain effective.

But researchers also found that some of the strains were closely matched in certain regions of the genome. These regions could make good targets for therapies, the authors said.

Wild winds cause power outages, flight delays in Midwest, East

Wild winds with gusts topping 60 mph blew from the Great Lakes to the East Coast on Thursday, knocking out power to hundreds of thousands of customers, disrupting travel and killing at least five people.

The high winds, attributed to a strong low pressure system, started Wednesday night and moved east overnight, kicking up gravel and sand from construction sites and hurling garbage cans onto busy New York City streets on Thursday.

Utilities such as Jersey Central Power & Light in New Jersey reported downed power lines from wind-snapped trees. About 250,000 customers remained without power Thursday in Pennsylvania, and 140,000 more in Ohio. There were also about 109,000 outages in West Virginia, more than 35,000 in New Jersey and 14,900 in Michigan.

At one point, 220,000 customers were without power. At least six state parks also had no electricity.

AUSTRALIA Police: Man questioned about deadly wildfires

YEA — A spokesman says police are questioning a man in connection with Australia's deadly wildfires.

Victoria state police spokesman Chris Nash told The Associated Press on Friday that a man was assisting investigators with their inquiries into the wildfires, but declined to go into details.

Respected newspaper The Age reported that the 39-year-old suspect was expected to be charged with arson causing death.

The Age reported that the suspect was from the town of Churchill. Police say one of Australia's wildfires that struck last weekend was deliberately set near Churchill and that it killed at least 21 people.

More than 180 people were killed as wildfires swept across southeastern Victoria state.

EGYPT Hamas says agreement on long-term truce

CAIRO — The deputy leader of Hamas said Thursday night that the

Islamic militant group agreed to an 18-month truce with Israel for the Gaza Strip, the official Egyptian news agency reported.

Moussa Abu Marzouk told MENA that Egypt's government, which has been mediating between Hamas and Israel, would announce the truce in two days after consulting with other Palestinian factions.

In Jerusalem, Prime Minister Ehud Olmert's office said the Israeli government had no comment on the report.

Earlier in the day, Egyptian and Hamas officials reported progress in truce talks, which included Hamas' strongman from Gaza, Mahmoud Zahar, and Egypt's top mediator, intelligence chief Omar Suleiman.

Egyptian diplomats have been working as go-betweens to try to arrange a truce deal between Hamas and Israel to solidify a cease-fire that ended Israel's devastating 22-day offensive in Gaza last month. Hamas and Israel refuse to negotiate directly.

PAKISTAN Government says Mumbai plot was hatched on its soil

ISLAMABAD — Two and a half months after the Mumbai terrorist attacks, Pakistan for the first time publicly acknowledged Thursday that the assailants used Pakistani soil to plot and launch the deadly rampage in India.

The senior official in Pakistan's Interior Ministry, Rehman Malik, also told reporters in Islamabad, the Pakistani capital, that a half-dozen of the accused Mumbai conspirators are in custody, including the suspected ring-leaders, and that criminal proceedings have begun against them.

Malik's announcement echoed assertions made by Indian investigators as the siege unfolded over three days in November 2008: that the attackers set out for India's commercial and entertainment hub from the Pakistani port of Karachi, and had been

trained and armed in Pakistan. More than 160 people were killed in the attacks.

Because of the two nations' long-standing enmity, and indignation in Islamabad over New Delhi's accusations that

Pakistan's intelligence establishment was involved, authorities here have been reluctant to acknowledge that the plot's origins lay in Pakistan.

—Wire reports

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IDAHO

House pitches collectors coin sales to fix roads

BOISE — House lawmakers answered Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's transportation funding salvo with ideas of their own Thursday that ranged from the mundane to the quirky, including a plan to sell specially minted gold coins to fund asphalt repairs to a scheme to turn Idaho into a national license plate haven for semi-trucks trailers.

The proposals came two days after Otter introduced bills of his own meant to raise a total of \$174 million annually after five years of gradual increases, including boosting the gas tax to 35 cents from 25 cents, hiking car and truck registration fees and levying a tax on rental cars.

One of the House bills would boost the gas tax to 30 cents from 25 cents. Another would just boost it to 27 cents. And Rep. Russ Mathews, an Idaho Falls Republican, would sell commemorative coins to collectors, then distribute proceeds to road work.

Lawmakers skeptical of poop power bill

BOISE — A plan to promote businesses that turn Magic Valley cow manure to power caused a stink in a House committee Thursday, with lawmakers voicing skepticism after a first whiff of incentives like not requiring private businesses to pay any property taxes.

The Revenue and Taxation Committee including Chairman Dennis Lake, a Blackfoot Republican, agreed to hear Office of Energy Resources chief Paul Kjellander explain the bill at an upcoming hearing. But Lake said he fears "there may be some things in here that this committee can't live with."

Rep. Jim Clark, a Hayden Republican, criticized provisions seeking to give Idaho's utility regulator broad new authority in setting up renewable energy zones, which in addition to the dairy hub near Twin Falls would include other regions, too, according to the proposal.

Company gets permit for Idaho gasification plant

AMERICAN FALLS — Developers of a proposed \$1 billion eastern Idaho facility that is designed to produce fertilizer from the coal gasification process have received a final state permit and could begin construction this fall.

The project, proposed on 450 acres two miles outside of American Falls, won the approval last summer of Power County officials, who issued a special use permit.

On Wednesday, the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality issued an air quality permit to Southeast Idaho Energy, the New York-based developer, helping clear the way for construction.

With the regulatory process complete, developer's spokesman John Burk said the focus now is on securing investors and financing. He said construction should take three years to complete and create more than 1,300 jobs during that period.

NEVADA

Bill would block killing of wild horses, burros

RENO — Legislation was introduced Thursday in Congress that would prevent the U.S. Bureau of Land Management from killing otherwise healthy wild horses and burros that roam Western states.

"It is unacceptable for wild horses to be slaughtered without any regard for the general health, well-being, and conservation of these iconic animals that embody the spirit of our American West," Rep. Nick Rahall, D-W.V., said in a statement.

Rahall, chairman of the House Natural Resources Committee, has long been an advocate for wild horses on public lands.

"Our wild horses are being harmed by antiquated policies," said the measure's co-

sponsor Raul M. Grijalva, D-Ariz., chairman of the National Parks, Forests and Public Lands subcommittee.

Besides prohibiting the killing of healthy horses and burros that are removed from the range, the bill would allow BLM to revamp and expand public land areas for horses and assist in creating sanctuaries.

ARIZONA

Nine-year-old boy offered plea deal in dad's killing

FLAGSTAFF — A 9-year-

old charged with killing his father and another man has been offered a plea deal that would spare him any jail time, his attorney said Thursday.

"We aren't going to sign him up for prison," defense attorney Benjamin Brewer said. "We would never do that."

Brewer declined to offer specifics, including what plea the boy could enter and whether it would involve the two counts of premeditated murder he faces. He said his client must still accept the deal. Prosecutors could not

immediately be reached for comment Thursday.

The boy was arrested and charged after authorities said he used a .22-caliber rifle to kill his father and a co-worker who lived with the family in St. Johns on Nov. 5. The boy has been in and out of juvenile custody since his arrest.

TEXAS

State recalls all plant items over salmonella

DALLAS — Texas health officials ordered the recall Thursday of peanut products

from a plant operated by the company at the center of a national salmonella outbreak, days after tests indicated the likely presence of the bacteria there.

All products ever shipped from the Peanut Corp. of America plant in Plainview were recalled after the Texas Department of State Health Services said it found dead rodents, rodent excrement and bird feathers in a crawl space above a production area on Wednesday.

The recalls from the plant, which operated unlicensed and uninspected for nearly

four years, are the latest bad news for the company being investigated in connection with an outbreak that has sickened 600 people and may have caused at least nine deaths.

More than 2,000 possibly contaminated consumer products have already been recalled in one of the largest product recalls ever.

Federal investigators last month identified a Georgia peanut processing plant operated by Peanut Corp. as the source of the salmonella outbreak.

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New jobless claims drop slightly to 623K

Latest tally still above analysts expectations

By Christopher S. Rugaber
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Nearly 5 million Americans continued to draw jobless benefits late last month, and new requests

again exceeded 600,000 as companies lay off scores of workers amid a deepening recession.

The Labor Department said Thursday that the number of initial jobless benefit claims dropped to a seasonally-adjusted 623,000, from an upwardly revised figure of 631,000 the previous week.

Figures on jobless claims for south-central Idaho will not be released until Feb. 27.

The latest tally still was

“The smaller-than-expected decline suggests that the recent spike in claims reflects a fundamental deterioration in labor market conditions rather than statistical noise.”

— David Resler, chief economist at Nomura Securities

above analysts' expectations of 610,000 claims.

And in a sign that laid-off workers are having difficulty finding new work, the number of people claiming benefits for more than one week rose to 4.81 million from 4.78 million,

the highest total since records began in 1967. The continuing claims data lag new claims by a week.

An additional 1.5 million people are receiving benefits under an extended unemployment compensation program

recent spike in claims reflects a fundamental deterioration in labor market conditions rather than statistical noise,” David Resler, chief economist at Nomura Securities, wrote in a research note.

The 631,000 new jobless claims filed two weeks ago was the highest tally since October 1982, when the economy was emerging from a steep recession, though the labor force has grown by about half since then.

U.S. retail sales rise in January

Consumers stock up on discounts

By Marcy Gordon
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — U.S. retail sales jumped 1 percent in January, reversing a six-month declining trend and defying economists' expectations by posting the biggest increase in 14 months.

But higher gasoline prices and sales, and buyers snapping up other items on post-holiday discounts appeared to aid last month's results.

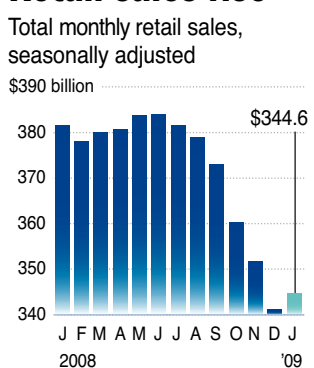
Analysts cautioned that the relief is unlikely to last.

The Commerce Department reported Thursday that January retail sales rose 1 percent from December after having fallen for six straight months. Wall Street economists surveyed by Thomson Reuters had expected January sales to show a drop of 0.8 percent. They plunged a revised lower 3 percent in December, which marked the weakest holiday selling season since at least 1969.

“This is a big surprise, though the net rise in sales is less impressive than it looks because (December and November) were revised down by 0.3 percent each,” Ian Shepherdson, chief U.S. economist at High Frequency Economics, wrote in a research note. “The headline relief today is welcome but it is unlikely to last.”

The January report shows strong increases in sales of automobiles and in general merchandise stores — the “big box” outlets — though sales by department stores, carrying fewer varieties of items, posted a decline. Walmart Stores Inc., the world's largest retailer, is an example of a discounter that has benefited from strapped consumers' focus on necessities like groceries and on bargains for other items.

Retail sales rise



SOURCE: Department of Commerce AP



BLAIR KOCH/For the Times-News

Even in a sluggish economy people have to eat and the opening of Kimberly's Fire 10 Grill gives customers more options for where to get their fill. Fire 10 Grill owner Ben Watson, left, and his sister Jane Watson, who serves as the kitchen manager and has ownership interest in the business, pose for a photo.

Fired up for Success

Kimberly couple takes the plunge as restaurateurs

By Blair Koch
Times-News correspondent

KIMBERLY — What Ben Watson lacks in restaurant experience, the 27-year-old makes up for in drive, persistence and passion.

On Jan. 23 Watson, his wife Michele Watson and sister Jane Watson opened Fire 10 Grill in Kimberly. Although the town has experienced a robust period of growth the town has been hit by the slumping economy and one has to wonder — is opening a new business, in this market a good idea?

Ben Watson says “yes” and that sentiment is backed up by busy lunch and dinner scenes.

“I truly believe there is a lot of competition for restaurants but there isn't a lot of competition for the level of quality and affordability we provide,” said Watson, who left his job as a stock broker and



Raspberry compote sits on top of a slice of Decadent Cheesecake at the Fire 10 Grill in Kimberly. The cheesecake is made fresh at the new restaurant and is an original recipe by Watson's wife, Michele Watson.

investment representative with Wells Fargo Investments to become a restaurateur. “Even with the economy the way it is I think things would have to get much, much worse before people stop

eating out.” Stepping inside Fire 10 Grill, at 931 Center St., proves that the establishment is different from others inside the city limits.

See GRILL, Business 2

First Fed reports lending growth despite economy

Loan balances increase 4.5 percent

By Joshua Palmer
Times-News writer

First Federal Savings Bank increased its total assets in 2008 despite downward pressures on the regional and national economy.

Alan Horner, president and CEO of the bank, told business leaders during the annual First Federal Economic Breakfast on Wednesday that total loan balance and checking account deposits

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increased last year.

According to the treasurer's report at the annual depositors' meeting, loan balances increased 4.5 percent during 2008, while checking account deposits increased from more than \$95.3 million to about \$104.2 million.

See FIRST FED, Business 2

Whitacre tabbed as new Simplot CEO

Times-News

Simplot Company officials announced Thursday that Bill Whitacre has been named Chief Executive Officer of the J.R. Simplot Company.

Following a transition period, he will succeed Larry Hlobik, who will retire after serving for seven years as president and CEO.

Whitacre, 55, joined Simplot in March 2000 as



Whitacre

president of the company's turf and horticulture business. In 2002, he was appointed president of the Simplot AgriBusiness Group.

Prior to joining Simplot, he was president and CEO of Research Seeds, Inc., a Land O'Lakes subsidiary.

Scott Simplot, Chairman of the Board, said Whitacre was one of several internal candidates considered for the position.

“The Board expressed every confidence in Whitacre's ability to lead the company in the years ahead,” said Simplot.

See WHITACRE, Business 2

Little direct help for small companies in stimulus plan

NEW YORK — The government's economic stimulus plan doesn't include many provisions that directly benefit small businesses, but economists say those companies are more likely to find a cure for their financial ills closer to home — with their own customers.

The plan does extend two provisions of 2008's economic stimulus bill that allow small businesses to take a bigger upfront deduction for the cost of new equipment. But companies whose sales are hurting may be reluctant



SMALL TALK
Joyce M. Rosenberg

to make big expenditures, putting those tax breaks out of reach.

“There's not a lot in the stimulus plan that will put cash in the hands of people who will deliver it to the front door in the form of

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MauLnd	10.31	+2.25	+27.9	B&HO	3.45	+3.0	+9.5	OraSure	3.39	+8.6	+34.0
CorpOf pfG	22.91	+3.91	+20.6	ExeterR g	2.51	+1.8	+7.7	Astronics s	8.99	+1.81	+25.2
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NewOrEd	40.94	-12.19	-22.9	ReadyMix	2.30	-2.6	-10.2	NaraBncp	2.62	-7.6	-22.5
Intl Coal	2.17	-5.7	-20.8	HungTel	9.00	-1.00	-10.0	FstFrmKln	4.00	-1.06	-20.9
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1,440.24	741.02	S&P 500	835.19	+1.45	+1.7	-7.53	-38.08				
764.38	371.30	Russell 2000	450.42	+2.47	+5.5	-9.82	-36.14				
14,564.81	7,340.74	Wilshire 5000	8,462.42	+22.24	+2.6	-6.88	-38.03				
STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST											
AlliantEgy	1.50f	10	27.29	-4.2	-6.5	Kaman	.56	9	18.77	-1.9	+3.5
AlliantTch	...	11	80.05	-4.2	-6.7	Keycorp	25	...	7.42	+2.7	-12.9
AmCasino	10.20	+4.0	+18.1	LeeEnt h	...	1	.30	-0.1	-26.8
Aon Corp	.60	9	41.35	+5.4	-9.5	MicronT	3.94	+0.6	+49.2
BallardPw	1.20	...	+6.2	OfficeMax	4.80	+0.1	-37.2
BkoAm	.04m	11	5.87	-2.0	-58.3	RockTen	.40	12	29.57	-4.0	-13.5
ConAgr	.76	7	16.50	Sensient	.76	12	23.58	+1.6	-1.3
Costco	.64	15	44.32	+7.8	-15.6	SkyWest	.16f	7	13.03	-1.23	-29.9
Diebold	1.04f	18	25.13	+3.4	-10.5	Terady	...	18	4.84	+0.2	+14.7
DukeEngy	.92	14	14.88	-0.6	-9	Tupprew	.88	7	18.41	-0.7	-18.9
DukeRlty	1.00m	23	8.94	-2.1	-18.4	US Bancpr	1.70	8	13.66	-1.33	-45.4
Fasteal	.70f	19	35.36	+7.9	+1.5	Valhi	.40	...	15.15	-2.9	+41.6
Heinz	1.66	12	35.01	-0.1	-6.9	WalMart	.95	14	48.13	-1.0	-14.1
HewlettP	.32	11	35.24	+1.6	-2.9	WashFed	20m	23	12.85	+0.3	-14.1
HomeDp	.90	12	21.98	-1.6	-4.5	Wells Fargo	1.36	22	16.80	-7.0	-43.0
Idacorp	1.20	12	26.95	+3.3	-8.5	ZionBcp	.16m	...	11.68	-9.3	-52.3

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 letter's 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 distributions based on last declaration. pf - Preferred. pp - Holder owes installments of purchase price. rt - Rights. un - Units. wd - When distributed. wi - When issued. wt - Warrants. ww - With warrants. xw - 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 omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k - Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m - 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. vj - 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 - 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.**

Grill

Continued from Business 1

It's chic, slightly eclectic feel is as upbeat as the popular music playing in the background.

The menu is filled with tastes for palate preferences running the gambit, from Raspberry Vinaigrette, Cranberry Cashew and Mandarin Orange salads to gourmet hamburgers and a variety of wraps and desserts.

Fresh ingredients and sauces made from scratch will set their signature plates apart, said Michele Watson, who has integrated recipes from her late mother Yvonne Higley's successful catering business.

"Everyone loved her food and after she passed away the business kind of dwindled," she said. "She had the best food and so we've brought some of her salads, wraps, cookies and cakes."

In addition to customer favorites from the catering business, Michele Watson said an important lesson integrated into Fire 10 operations is, "presentation is everything."

They are taking the

appearance of their entrees and desserts seriously. Even the Decadent Cheesecake have their very own praline white, square serving plates.

Ben Watson's sister, Jane Watson, 25, is the kitchen manager and has ownership interest in the operation.

"There is a balance to getting the food out in a timely fashion but to serve every day and that can be a challenge but it's absolutely wonderful to be here," she said.

Even if new customers speculate about the success of Fire 10 Grill, Ben Watson isn't worried.

"I'm the kind of person that once I get my mind set and believe I can do something, it gets done. If I go to build a tree house, it'll be a tree mansion," he said. "By taking our food quality and the atmosphere of Fire 10 Grill to the next level, giving people an experience they can't get somewhere else and keeping everything affordable I firmly believe we will thrive."

Blair Koch may be reached at 208-316-2607.

First Fed

Continued from Business 1

Horner said the bank's Rewards Checking program, which pays 5 percent on the first \$25,000, attracted new customers who had become discouraged by larger investment banks.

"I think there are a lot of people who are turning to their local banks once again," Horner said. "There is a level of trust and they know that we weren't the ones that precipitated the problem."

However, First Federal has seen the most growth in its lending department.

The bank reported that loan balances totaled almost

\$395 million at the end of 2008 — loan balances from a year prior were about \$378 million.

The bank originated more than 2,500 loans for individuals and businesses.

"We reported a record volume in mortgage lending last year for both (refinance) and purchases," Horner said. "January became our biggest month in two or three years as rates came down to the fours."

As for the future, Horner said it's the unknown actions by regulators that concerns him — not the local economy.

"If January is any indication of the year ahead, it will likely be a better year than the last," he said.

Whitacre

Continued from Business 1

As president of the Simplot Agribusiness Group, Whitacre has spearheaded strategies centered on development of new products, new services, and expansion into new geographies. The Agri-business Group also established new competencies around fertilizer imports under Whitacre's leadership.

Hlobik will retire after an 11-year career with the J.R.

Simplot Company, the past seven years as chief executive officer. During his tenure, Hlobik strengthened and solidified the company's competitive position, with annual revenues increasing from approximately \$3 billion dollars to about \$4.5 billion today.

Whitacre will be Simplot's sixth CEO and president since company founder, Jack Simplot, retired in 1973.

Talk

Continued from Business 1 sales," said William Dunkelberg, chief economist with the National Federation of Independent Business, a Washington-based small business advocacy group.

Raymond Keating, chief economist with the Small Business & Entrepreneurship Council, is also dubious about how much help the plan will give the nation's small companies.

"I think we clearly need a different type of package," said Keating, whose Washington-based group also advocates for small business. "We need incentives in the private sector for people to take risks and expand business. Unfortunately, there's very little of that in this package."

The package continues the expanded Section 179 deduction, which was nearly doubled in 2008 to \$250,000 from \$125,000. The deduction allows small businesses to deduct upfront the entire cost of equipment such as computers, furniture, vehicles and manufacturing machinery.

The bill also extends bonus depreciation, which gives businesses of all sizes

a more substantial first-year deduction than traditional depreciation rules have allowed.

But companies across the country have been cutting back their capital spending, unwilling to make big commitments or unable to get financing. That means the tax deductions aren't likely to help as many companies as the government had hoped.

Economists say the natural return of consumer and business spending as the economic cycle continues is more likely to help small companies.

"The best thing to happen to small business is if customers come in," Dunkelberg said.

Dunkelberg said a big problem in the economy now is that "the guy whose job is not at risk has been scared into not spending." When those consumers and businesses release pent-up demand, the recession's grip on the country may ease.

Keating expects businesses to be the catalyst. "Consumers are followers; as long as business is investing, expanding and creating jobs, consumers are quite happy and are going to keep spending," he said.

But economists say the recovery is likely to be uneven, with some industries or companies within industries ahead of the pack while others lag.

"I think it's going to be a very much case-by-case situation," Keating said. "Companies that come up with the innovations that get consumers excited, or the cost savings that get consumers in the door are going to benefit."

In the meantime, small business advocates plan to keep lobbying for legislation they believe will provide a bigger boost for the economy.

Bill Rys, tax counsel for the National Federation of Independent Business, said his organization wants to see the government extend the Section 179 and bonus depreciation provisions into 2010, and for that decision to be made this year.

"We're not going to see a recovery in the immediate term," Rys said. "The incentive to spend is not going to be there until the end of the year, and you may want to wait till next year before you spend."

Joyce M. Rosenberg writes about small business issues for the Associated Press.

COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES

Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Feb	Live cattle	84.50	83.70	84.25	-.18
Apr	Live cattle	87.70	86.60	87.50	-.10
Mar	Feeder cattle	95.60	94.70	95.15	-.25
Apr	Feeder cattle	96.50	95.85	96.15	-.25
May	Feeder cattle	97.93	97.00	97.80	-.10
Feb	Lean hogs	58.93	58.25	58.83	+1.23
Apr	Lean hogs	64.95	63.20	63.80	+1.53
Feb	Pork belly	80.50	77.80	77.80	-.20
Mar	Pork belly	80.70	78.00	79.98	+1.03
Mar	Wheat	551.50	536.00	538.75	-4.50
May	Wheat	562.50	548.00	551.50	-4.50
Mar	KC Wheat	585.00	574.00	575.00	-3.00
May	KC Wheat	594.00	583.00	584.75	-3.25
Mar	MPS Wheat	649.00	637.25	639.50	-1.75
Mar	MPS Wheat	638.00	627.00	628.25	-2.00
Mar	Corn	377.25	366.00	366.25	-2.25
May	Corn	386.00	376.00	376.00	-2.50
Mar	Soybeans	985.00	968.00	968.50	-9.50
May	Soybeans	987.00	970.50	971.50	-10.50
Feb	BFP Milk	xxx	xxx	9.33	+0.1
Mar	BFP Milk	xxx	xxx	10.44	+0.9
Apr	BFP Milk	10.63	xxx	10.66	+0.04
May	BFP Milk	xxx	xxx	11.21	+0.06
Jun	BFP Milk	xxx	xxx	11.84	+0.2
Mar	Sugar	13.22	12.80	13.13	-.06
May	Sugar	13.55	13.15	13.49	-.01
Mar	B-Pound	1.4410	1.4312	1.4183	-0.0191
Jun	B-Pound	1.4380	1.4155	1.4180	-0.0193
Mar	J-Yen	1.1139	1.1025	1.1046	-0.0010
Jun	J-Yen	1.1155	1.1051	1.1081	-.0011
Mar	Euro-currency	1.2939	1.2714	1.2782	-0.0117
Jun	Euro-currency	1.2930	1.2720	1.2770	-0.0124
May	Canada dollar	8096	7960	7984	-0.0070
Jun	Canada dollar	8098	7972	7983	-0.0077
Mar	U.S. dollar	87.12	85.87	86.98	+86
Feb	Comex gold	952.8	936.4	948.9	+5.1
Apr	Comex gold	954.0	936.5	952.0	+7.5
Mar	Comex silver	13.72	13.29	13.51	-.02
May	Comex silver	13.72	13.33		

COMMUNITY

Twin Falls

Covering the communities of Buhl, Castleford, Filer, Hansen, Hollister, Kimberly, Murtaugh, Rogerson, Twin Falls.

Race to Safety raises funds for child safety

Times-News

The Fifth Annual Race to Safety was a success in spite of current economic woes plaguing most of the country.

The event raises funds for Safe Kids Magic Valley, an injury prevention program at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center. The funds go to pay for car seats and bike helmets for needy children in Safe Kids' eight-county service area.

Twenty teams participated in the event at NazzKart in Twin Falls on Tuesday night.

"This event would not have been so successful had it not been for the recruitment of teams by Mark Kidd, owner of KIDD Performance and Dyno, and the generous support of many local businesses," said Page Geske, director of Safe Kids Magic Valley.

The Champions and first-place winners of the night were Marissa Kidd, Travis Price, Hannah Newhouse and John Newhouse, sponsored by Bill's Automotive & Muffler, The Car Store and Marcum Motorsports.

The first runners-up were the KIDD Performance and DYNO team-made up of Morgan Rasmussen, Brian Helm, Mark Kidd and Brad Jacobsen. The second runners-up were Valley Engine and DEYCO Construction. Drivers for the team were Marissa Kidd, Brad Jacobsen, Brian Helm and Mark Kidd.



Competitors at the Safe Kids of Magic Valley Race to Safety event, held Tuesday night at NazzKart in Twin Falls, line up for a race.



Race to Safety competitors tear around the curves at NazzKart in Twin Falls during the Tuesday event.

Photos by ERIN MATHSON/For the Times-News

Kimberly rallies for Wendell boy battling leukemia

Those attending Saturday night's boys basketball game between Kimberly and Wendell high schools saw firsthand that teammates don't have to wear the same uniforms.

Saturday in Kimberly, the Kimberly freshman boys basketball team and others presented Wendell High freshman Cristian Vargas and his family with more than \$800, two homemade posters and an autographed basketball with the inscription, "We'll see you on the court next year."

The Bulldogs learned that Vargas is battling leukemia during a Jan. 13 road game at Wendell.

In response, the Kimberly boosters, pep club and student-athletes asked what they could do to help. The boosters donated halftime hoop shoot earnings, the pep club donated \$100 from a chili feed fundraiser and other donations from community members totaled more than \$700 in the kind of effort that doesn't always cross community lines.



Courtesy photo

Cristian Vargas, center, and family, of Wendell, received money and gifts donated by Kimberly High School students and supporters before the start of Saturday's game between the Bulldogs and Trojans in Kimberly. While attending a recent game between the two teams in Wendell, Kimberly residents learned Vargas is battling leukemia and decided to help.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Prime rib dinner to be held Saturday

The Twin Falls Senior Center is holding a Valentines Day beef prime rib dinner fundraiser from 5 to 7 p.m. Saturday at the center, 530 Shoshone St. W., Twin Falls.

Menu includes prime rib, garlic potatoes, asparagus, spinach salad and assorted desserts. Cost is \$10 per ticket. Tickets can be purchased at the center, ordered by phone or at the door. All ages welcome.

Information: 734-5084.

Chess tournament held in Twin Falls

The 2009 Idaho Closed State Chess Championship will be held Saturday through Monday at the Shilo Inn at 1586 Blue Lakes Blvd. N., Twin Falls.

Round times will be 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday and 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. on Monday.

U.S. Chess Federation and Idaho Chess Association membership is required. All ages and skill levels are invited. Players must have an understanding of USCF tournament rules. Idaho residents only.



Courtesy photo

The Twin Falls Optimist Club announced that Patsy Bland is the Optimist of the Quarter. Bland has been active in the club since before she became a member. She has volunteered to chair Coats for Kids, helps with any project and represents the Optimist Club in the best manner and always with a smile. Pictured from left are Bland with Optimist President Luree Evans.

Information: ICA President Jay Simonson, 208-206-7667 or rooknjay@yahoo.com.

Radio club holds license testing session

The Magic Valley Amateur

Radio Club will hold a testing session for those wishing to get an amateur radio license or upgrade their current license. The session will be held at noon, Saturday at NAPA Auto Parts, 1880 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls.

Information: Kelly, 308-5585.

Browne makes Boise State dean's list

Benjamin R. Browne, son of Mark and Suzanne Browne of Twin Falls, was recognized for achieving highest honors on the dean's list of students at Boise State University's College of Arts and Sciences for the fall 2008 semester by maintaining a 4.0 GPA.

Browne is a 2005 graduate of Twin Falls High School.

Koehn is Foster Parent of the Month

Magic Valley Youth and Adult Services announced that Pat Koehn of Buhl has been honored as Foster Parent of the Month for February.

Koehn became a foster parent in 1997 and has fostered more than 20 children, including medically fragile children. She mentors the children's birth parents and makes efforts to maintain children's connections to birth-family members. She has also served as a PRIDE Trainer and Peer Mentor.

Commenting on the rewards of foster parenting,

Koehn said, "To make a difference in a troubled or handicapped child's life is to me the epitome of fulfillment. Fostering has helped our whole family be more aware of and sympathetic toward troubled children."

"What more rewarding experience then to help a troubled family get their family back together. We love it."

Popplewell offers dental sealants

Beginning Feb. 19, Popplewell Elementary School third graders can receive free dental sealants to help prevent cavities.

Dental sealants fill the deep grooves of a child's back teeth, where 90 percent of children's cavities occur. The sealants are painless to apply and can last several years or more. Delta Dental of Idaho provides sealants on-site at schools serving low-income families as part of its Community Outreach program. The Delta Dental Sealant Clinic will be held through Feb. 20 at Popplewell Elementary in Buhl.

To receive this free cavity-prevention treatment, chil-

dren must have a parent or guardian sign a health history and permission form. Additional permission forms are available at the school.

Information: 208-489-3550.

Kabokoro earns youth volunteer award

Hosanna Kabokoro, 16, of Twin Falls was named Feb. 10 as one of two Idaho youth volunteers for the 2009 by The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards, a nationwide program honoring youths for outstanding acts of volunteerism. The award program, now in its 14th year, is conducted jointly by Prudential Financial and the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

Kabokoro was nominated by Twin Falls School District officials. She will receive \$1,000, an engraved silver medallion and a paid trip in May to Washington, D.C., for several days of national recognition events. During that time, 10 participants will be named the nation's top youth volunteers for 2009.

— staff reports

SOMEBODY NEEDS YOU

Volunteers — Twin Falls County Board of Guardians need volunteers to be court-appointed guardians and conservators for incapacitated individuals. Background checks are required and will be completed by the Twin Falls County commissioners office. Information: 736-4068.

Volunteers — St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center needs volunteers for all areas of the hospital including shuttle drivers. Help people and meet people in a caring environment. Information: Kim, 737-2006 or kimpam@mvrmc.org.

Drivers — Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center needs volunteer drivers for the home-delivered meals program for the homebound. Drivers do

Want to help?

This public service column is designed to match needs in the Magic Valley with volunteer help. If you need a volunteer, contact the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), 736-4764, before noon Wednesday for Friday publication. RSVP is a United Way-sponsored agency at the College of Southern Idaho.

not have to be seniors to volunteer to drive one or two days a week for an hour to an hour and a half. The center needs people who can be relied on for their appointed routes. Reimbursed mileage for gas is available. Information: Karen, 734-5084.

Drivers — Retired and Senior Volunteer Program needs volunteer drivers, age 55 and older, in the Mini-Cassia area to take senior citizens to doctor appointments and for

grocery shopping. Volunteers are reimbursed mileage and are covered by excess insurance. Information: Kitty, 677-4872, ext. 2.

Donations — New Hope Transition Center needs several items to help through the winter, including noodles, canned vegetables, stews and soups, fresh vegetables, large garbage bags, paper towels, toilet paper, liquid dish soap, laundry soap and cleaning supplies. Donated items can

be taken to the center, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, at 425 Second Ave. N. in Twin Falls. Information: 733-0823.

Volunteers — Long Term Care Ombudsman Program needs volunteers to visit residents in skilled nursing and residential care facilities. Volunteers can be advocates for residents and improve elderly care. Training and mentoring will be provided. Information: Mary or Laurene, Office of Aging, 736-2122.

Volunteers — Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers needs volunteers to provide transportation, homemaker services, respite and perform other tasks. Must have own car, primary insurance and current driver's license. Mileage reimbursement is available.

Information: Shirley or Verna, 733-6333.

Foster parents — Magic Valley Youth and Adult Services needs foster parents for local foster children who need temporary homes. Many children in south-central Idaho are in foster care due to neglect, abuse or abandonment. More children, 10 and younger, are in foster care, but less foster homes are available for those 11 and older. Information: 734-4435 or Idaho Care Line, 211.

Mentors — The Retired and Senior Volunteer Program needs volunteers, age 55 and older, in Jerome and Twin Falls counties to mentor children of prisoners. Volunteers must undergo a complete background check and be willing to

mentor a child for a minimum of one hour each week for one year. Information: Ken, 736-2122, ext. 2394 or kwhiting@ooa.csi.edu.

Donations/Volunteers — The College of Southern Idaho Refugee Center needs household items including microwaves, end tables, televisions, vacuums, washers and dryers. The center also needs volunteers to work with refugees in a variety of areas (English as a Second Language tutoring and transportation for grocery shopping). Donated items can be taken to the center, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (closed noon to 1 p.m.), Monday through Friday, at 1526 Highland Ave. E. in Twin Falls. Information: Michelle, 736-2166.

B.C. By Johnny Hart

YOU THINK YOU'RE SO HIGH AND MIGHTY, DON'T YOU?

WHAT MAKES YOU IMMUNE FROM THE FAILING JOB MARKET?

THIS ROCK.

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Baby Blues By Rick Kirkman & Jerry Scott

NOW HERE'S A PRACTICAL ONE!

IT HAS KNOBS, WHEELS, BUMPERS, KEYS, BROOMS...

DID YOU SAY "BROOMS"?

NEVER MIND!

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Beetle Bailey By Mort Walker

SOMETIMES I WONDER IF HE DOES THINGS JUST TO BUG ME!

GREG + MORT WALKER

SQUEAK SQUEAK

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Blondie By Dean Young & Stan Drake

BOSS, MAY I SPEAK TO YOU ABOUT A RAISE?

SURE... YOU COULD

MAY I HAVE A RAISE?

NO

MAY I SPEAK TO YOU ABOUT A RAISE NEXT WEEK?

SURE... YOU COULD

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Dilbert By Scott Adams

YOU CAN HAVE YOUR OLD JOB BACK, BUT YOUR COMPENSATION WILL REFLECT THE NEW MARKET REALITY.

YOU'LL GET A SMALL BASE SALARY PLUS ANYTHING YOU CAN SNEAK PAST THE GUARD IN THE LOBBY.

THESE AREN'T THE DROIDS YOU'RE LOOKING FOR.

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The Elderberries By Phil Frank and Joe Troise

Time for another issue of mah hard-hi Hin' news-letter!

Hard-hitting?! Your last cover story was about the things you found in your pocket!

A human interest story... Also received th' most e-mail!

...Only because you claimed to have lint shaped like Robert Goulet's head.

Yep. Gonna be hard to top that one...

Whatta ya think about this bit, here? Sorta resembles Bill Shatner, don't ya think?

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For Better or For Worse By Lynn Johnston

WHAT THE HECK ARE YOU PUTTING ALOWER YOUR FACE?

I HOPE YOU'RE NOT PLANNING TO WEAR THAT STUFF TO BED!

SURE! -DON'T YOU WANT ME TO HAVE A HEALTHY, YOUTHFUL COMPLEXION ALL DAY?

NOT IF I HAVE TO SLEEP NEXT TO THAT ALL NIGHT.

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Frank and Ernest By Bob Thaves

I SEE YOU'VE BEEN ASSIGNED TO THE PLATONIC LOVE DETAIL THIS YEAR.

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Garfield By Jim Davis

ARMANDO, MY FORK IS DIRTY.

MY APOLOGIES, SIR.

I SHALL PLUNGE IT INTO MY HEART, AND GET YOU A CLEAN ONE.

BOY, YOU'VE GOTTA ADMIRE THAT DEDICATION.

AND THAT SARCASTIC.

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Hagar the Horrible By Chris Browne

YOU HAVE A SPRAINED ANKLE - TRY TO STAY OFF IT FOR A FEW DAYS!

COULD YOU PUT MY LEG IN A CAST, DOCTOR?

WHY? IT'S JUST A SPRAINED ANKLE!

HELGA AND I WERE SUPPOSED TO GO TO A FORMAL DINNER TONIGHT...

AND I'VE ALREADY USED THE 'SPRAINED ANKLE' EXCUSE!

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Hi and Lois By Chance Browne

HA HA

WHAT ARE CHIP AND JERRY DOING UP IN THE ATTIC?

NOTHING

TEENAGE BOYS JUST LIKE TO DO NOTHING WHERE NO ONE CAN SEE THEM.

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Luann By Greg Evans

DO YOU THINK WASHINGTON CLIMBED ALL 897 STEPS?

NO, HE DIED IN 1799. THIS WASN'T BEGUN UNTIL 1848.

THEY KEPT HIS CORPSE ALL THAT TIME?!

MAYBE THEY KEPT HIM ON ICE... ALTHOUGH 49 YEARS...

HE'S NOT BURIED HERE! THIS IS A MONUMENT, NOT A TOMB! IS ANYONE EVEN AWAKE IN HISTORY CLASS?

WE HAVE A HISTORY CLASS?

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Classic Peanuts By Charles M. Schulz

PRIVATE SPIKE REQUESTS PERMISSION TO SPEAK TO THE CAPTAIN..

VALENTINE'S DAY IS TOMORROW, SIR..

THE TROOPS WISH TO KNOW IF WE CAN GO INTO TOWN AND BUY VALENTINES

RATS!

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Pearls Before Swine By Stephan Pastis

Dear Pigita, I have problems. I have insecurities. Please date me anyways.

YOU DUMB PIG...GIRLS ARE ATTRACTED TO CONFIDENCE.

I THOUGHT THAT WAS BAD...I THOUGHT THAT MEANT YOU HAD A BIG HEAD.

THAT'S ARROGANCE... CONFIDENCE IS SOMETHING LESS. SHOW HER YOU HAVE IT.

I have a medium-sized head.

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Pickles By Brian Crane

NELSON SAID SOMETHING FUNNY THE OTHER DAY.

OH?

YEAH, HE ASKED ME IF HE GETS MY STUFF WHEN I DIE.

HA! THAT'S CUTE!

YOU TOLD HIM I GET YOUR STUFF WHEN YOU DIE, DIDN'T YOU?

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Rose is Rose By Pat Brady

PEEKABOO!

MY LITTLE BUDDY!

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COOL! SO WHO ARE YOU GONNA SEND IT TO?

AARGH!

IS THIS WHAT THEY CALL A EUREKA MOMENT?

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JUST ONE

WHAT'S THAT?

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"YOU GUYS BELIEVE THERE'S LIFE ON OTHER WORLDS?"

"BOUND TO BE! SHE ACTS LIKE SHE'S FROM ANOTHER PLANET."

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Zits By Jim Borgman and Jerry Scott

MOM, WE NEED TO GO OVER TO HECTOR'S HOUSE.

IT'S 10:00! WHAT FOR?

MY PRINTER IS OUT OF INK SO I E-MAILED MY HISTORY PAPER TO HIM SO HE CAN PRINT IT OUT FOR ME.

THIS IS LESS THAN IT IS ABOUT DRIVING ISN'T IT?

C'MON, WE'LL TAKE THE SCENIC ROUTE!

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DEATH NOTICES

Carl W. Hiedeman

WOODLAND, Wash. — Carl Wayne Hiedeman, 59, of Woodland, Wash., and formerly of Hagerman, died Wednesday, Jan. 21, 2009, in Oregon. A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 14, at the home of Kenny and Ronda Crist in Hagerman.

Amos P. Watson

BELLEVUE — Amos P. Watson, 90, of Bellevue and formerly of Jerome, died Tuesday, Feb. 10, 2009, at his home. A service will be conducted at 1 p.m. Monday, Feb. 16, at the Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 15, at the mortuary.

Janice Evans

Janice Evans, 57, of Twin Falls, died Monday, Feb. 9, 2009, at the University of Utah Medical Center in Salt Lake City, Utah. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, at the Twin Falls Reformed Church (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Helen Goldberg

KETCHUM — Helen Goldberg of Scottsdale, Ariz., and formerly of Ketchum, died Saturday, Jan. 24, 2009, at her home. A memorial service will be held at 6 p.m. Friday, Feb. 20, at the Wood River Jewish Community, Ketchum Episcopal Church on Sun Valley Road.

Kathryn C. Ramseyer

Kathryn C. Daly Ramseyer, 91, of Twin Falls, died Sunday, Feb. 8, 2009, at Bridgeview

Estates in Twin Falls.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, March 19, at the Ascension Episcopal Church in Twin Falls (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Harland F. Jewett

GOODING — Harland Frank Jewett, 83, of Gooding, died Thursday, Feb. 12, 2009, at Aspen Grove Assisted Living in Gooding. Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

Ellen Nelson

HAGERMAN — Ellen Nelson, 86, of Hagerman, died Thursday, Feb. 12, 2009, at her residence. Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

Scott Johnson

Scott Johnson, 55, of Twin Falls, died Thursday, Feb. 12, 2009, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

Clinton A. Boll

JEROME — Clinton A. Boll, 62, of Jerome, died Thursday, Feb. 12, 2009.

Arrangements will be announced by Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome.

Elsie Mae Stone

JEROME — Elsie Mae Stone, 95, of Jerome, died Thursday, Feb. 12, 2009, in Jerome. Arrangements will be announced by Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome.

Clyde G. Harper

BURLEY — Clyde G. Harper, age 78, of Burley, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 11, 2009, at his home.

Clyde was born May 18, 1930, to Leslie Thomas and Ida Broadhead Harper at their home north of Paul.

He joined a family of three older brothers and two older sisters. Eighteen months later, twin sisters joined the family and then another boy. He received his education in Paul, graduating from Paul High School in 1949. He participated in drama, music and sports. He was outstanding in football and track, running the 100-yard dash, the 220 and the 440.

Clyde married his childhood sweetheart, Vonda Merrill, on Sept. 28, 1949, in the Salt Lake LDS Temple. They farmed east of Paul and had a small dairy. They later moved to a ranch in Shoshone for a year, after which he served in the U.S. Army, being stationed in Baumholder, Germany. Upon his return to Idaho, farm ground had been opened up north of Paul under the Homestead Act. They were awarded a farm north and west of Paul, where they cleared the sagebrush, put in ditches, fought jack rabbits, dust and frost, but survived for 48 years. They raised a family of five sons, one daughter and four foster children.

Clyde loved the outdoors. He always had a favorite horse



and a trusty dog by his side. He enjoyed camping, hunting and fishing and gained many close friends as a result of these activities. Clyde was an active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, serving in many capacities, often with the youth. He and Vonda were called to serve 18 months in the Fiji Suva Mission. He then served as mission president of that mission for three years. After being home four years, they were called to serve a mission in Philadelphia, Pa. He later served as patriarch of the Paul Idaho Stake.

Clyde is survived by his wife, Vonda; his children, Warren (Maureen), Jeffrey (Kim), Neil (Laura), Gordon (Michelle), Ida Jones and Carolyn Pedro; 27 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his siblings, Blaine (Nevaida), Lila Bowers, Lois (Gerald) Handy, and Larry (VerRona). He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Erin; a son-in-law, Craig Jones; two brothers, Darrell and Wendell; and two sisters, Shirley Jackson and Melba Weedop.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, Feb. 16, at the Burley LDS West Stake Center, 2420 Parke Ave., with Bishop Dan K. Alvey officiating. Military rites will be provided by the Mini-Cassia Veterans and Auxiliary.

Burial will be in the Paul Cemetery. Friends may call from 6 until 8 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 15, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and from 9:30 until 10:40 a.m. Monday at the church.

George Wesley Stapleton

George Wesley Stapleton, 88, of Twin Falls, passed away quietly and peacefully with his daughter by his side, on Tuesday, Feb. 10, 2009, at Stony Creek Living Center.

George was born June 20, 1920, in Lyons, Kan., to George Washington Stapleton and Cora W. Kellogg. He was the youngest of five children. He grew up in Lyons and attended school there until he joined the military. He was a veteran of World War II, seeing action in the European campaign. On July 8, 1943, in Lyons, Kan., he married Rebecca Faye Correll of Little River, Kan. The family moved to Buhl in 1951 and then into Twin Falls. After moving to the Magic Valley, he worked for Twin Falls County, the United States Post Office and retired from the city of Twin Falls in 1982. George loved restoring World War II military jeeps. He and Faye spent a great deal of time enjoying outings, military swap meets and conventions. They took an extensive trip to Europe in 1992 to visit the site of his military service and museums showing the vintage vehicles and other memorabilia. He enjoyed hunting and fishing but mostly loved



working on his Jeeps. He and Faye were members of the Twin Falls Jeep Club.

He is survived by his daughter, Carolyn (Clyde) Anderson of Twin Falls; eight grandchildren, Mynde Wildman of Twin Falls, Cora (Brad) Thompson of Jerome, Gina Stapleton of Jerome, Wesley (Carla) Anderson of St. George, Utah, Cheri (Jerry) Holloway of Homedale and Randi Ann, Bryan and Amy Hiebert. He is also survived by 19 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren plus numerous nieces and nephews. George was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Faye of 64 years; their only son, Wesley Eugene; his parents; and all of his siblings.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 14, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park" in Twin Falls, with entombment to follow at Sunset Memorial Park. A visitation for family and friends will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 13, at White Mortuary. Memorial contributions may be made in George's memory to Idaho Home Health and Hospice, 826 Eastland Drive, Twin Falls, ID 83301.

Wayne Roger Evans

Wayne Roger Evans was called home by his Heavenly Father on Tuesday, Feb. 10, 2009, ending a courageous five-month battle with cancer.

Wayne was born Nov. 19, 1937, in Temperance, Mich., the son of Ralph Kenneth Evans and Helen (Tary) Evans. Wayne attended elementary and high school in Lagrange, Ill., later completing carpentry course at a vocational school and working for a four-year period in the construction field. In June of 1959, Wayne and Joann Bickford of Hensdale, Ill., were united in marriage. Of this union, two sons were born, Timothy Wayne Evans and Jeffrey Allan Evans.

At age 20, Wayne entered his career as a trucker, a career that extended over a 50-year period, taking him throughout the 48 states and Canada. He was employed by Norton Trucking of California and Trans Continental. He resided in Elgen, Ore., for several years before moving to Twin Falls in 1988 to drive for Arlo Lott and later for Farm Fresh and Skinner

Trucking. During 2003 to 2004, Wayne was employed by Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home. The past four years, he served as an instructor for Top Gun Truck Driving Academy.

Wayne is survived by sons, Timothy Wayne Evans of Las Vegas, Nev., and Jeffrey Allan (Lenora) Evans of San Jose, Calif.; sisters, Carolyn Elizabeth Evans of San Jose, Calif., and Arlene Evans of Clear Water, Fla.; brother, Daniel (Cheri) Evans of Denver, Colo.; nieces, Bronwyn and April Evans; nephew, Mike Evans; caring companion, Dottie Amazeen and family; and his outstanding "family of friends!"

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice Visions Inc., 209 Shoup Ave. W., Twin Falls, ID 83301, 735-0121.

Special thanks to the staff at St. Luke's Mountain States Tumor Institute, Magic Valley Medical Center and Visions Home Health and Hospice for the loving care given to Wayne.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, Feb. 16, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. Condolences may be made at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

James A. Vaudrin

James A. Vaudrin, 64, of Twin Falls, died Wednesday morning, Feb. 4, 2009, at his home.

James was born Feb. 25, 1944, in Crookston, Minn., the son of Leopold and Josephine Hogan Vaudrin.

He grew up and attended schools in Crookston, after which he joined the U.S. Air Force. James was stationed in various locations, including Great Britain and California, in Thailand during the Viet Nam War, and finally in Mountain Home, from where he retired after 20 years in service. From that time, James lived in Idaho and, for many years, he worked in a potato processing plant and drove semi-truck until ill health prevented him from working.

James married Mary Lynn Peltier on Dec. 3, 1966, in Crookston, Minn., and the couple had four children, Michael, Christopher, April and Larry.

They were later divorced.

James is survived by his mother, Josephine Vaudrin of Crookston, Minn.; his children, Michael (Amy) Vaudrin, Christopher Vaudrin, April Vaudrin and Larry Vaudrin (Lindsey) Vaudrin, all of Boise; his brothers, John (Diane) Vaudrin of Westminster, Colo., Robert (Jeri) Vaudrin of Fargo, N.D., and David Vaudrin of Fort Worth, Texas; his sisters, Rosemary Vaudrin of Fargo, N.D., and Maureen (James) Laughery of Crookston, Minn.; and brother-in-law, Jerry Duphorn of Crookston, Minn.; as well as 10 grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his father, Leopold "Paul" Vaudrin; and his sister, Mary Duphorn.

A celebration of James' life will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 21, at the Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. E. in Twin Falls. Arrangements are under the direction of Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls. A memorial will also take place in Crookston at a later date.



SERVICES

Nancy Leona (Boehme) Marron of Twin Falls, funeral Mass at 10 a.m. today at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, 161 Sixth Ave. E. in Twin Falls (Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Russell A. Czaplicki of Twin Falls, service at 10:30 a.m. today at the United Methodist Church in Twin Falls (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Janis Mary Woodbridge of Wendell, funeral at 11 a.m. today at Farnsworth Mortuary Chapel, 1343 S. Lincoln in Jerome; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the mortuary; graveside service at 2 p.m. today at the Carey Cemetery in Carey.

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

Michael C. Brierley of Twin Falls, celebration of life at 2 p.m. today at the Redeemer Lutheran Church, 400 Irene St. in Kimberly; visitation from noon to 2 p.m. today at the church (Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Edwin Melvin Jackson of Buhl, funeral at 2 p.m. today

at The LDS Church, 1001 Fair St. in Buhl; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the church (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

LeAnn Neibaur Black of Almo, funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Paul LDS Stake Center, 424 W. Ellis St.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

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).

Robert "Bob" Andrew Ramsey of Burley, funeral at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Burley LDS Stake Center, 2050 Normal Ave.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today and 12:30 to 1:45 p.m. Saturday at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

Alma Alven Thibault of Jerome, funeral at 2 p.m. Saturday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 1301 N. Davis in Jerome (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome).

From kids to Obama, nation marks Lincoln's 200th

By John O'Connor
Associated Press writer

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — Folksy, melancholy Abraham Lincoln would have been dumbfounded by the fuss over his birthday Thursday.

Bells tolled, wreaths were laid, speeches intoned and banjos picked to mark the 200th anniversary of Lincoln's birth in a Kentucky log cabin. At the Lincoln presidential museum in Springfield, hundreds of excited schoolchildren joined in reciting the 16th president's Gettysburg Address — an attempt to break the record for the biggest worldwide crowd reading it aloud together.

"I got up at 4:30 this morning to be here!" said Emma Bradford, a 9-year-old fourth-grader from the Chicago suburb of Barrington. "Abraham Lincoln is my idol."

Bookended by a log cabin and a replica White House, Lincoln impersonator Michael Krebs of Chicago and



AP photo
President Barack Obama sings the National Anthem at the 102nd Abraham Lincoln Association banquet in Springfield, Ill., Thursday.

Gov. Pat Quinn led the reading of the famed speech. Officials hoped 300,000 Abe fans around the world would join in to break the record of 223,363.

"We were blessed by God to have Abraham Lincoln at a

crucial time in our country's history," Quinn said. "We have to be ambassadors from the Land of Lincoln to the whole world to make sure that Abraham Lincoln's memory is always with us."

Lincoln festivities were a hot ticket.

"Everyone wants to have something to do with it," said Anjali Baiju, a 10-year-old Springfield fifth-grader, whose mother was 5 when she emigrated from India.

"He didn't try to be all fancy. He just wanted to be himself and he wanted everyone to have equal rights," Anjali said.

Church bells rang from Springfield — where Lincoln was a state legislator and successful lawyer before moving to the White House — to points as far-flung as Vermont. Wreaths were laid in Hodgenville, Ky., where Lincoln was born, and the Spencer County, Ind., grave of his mother, Nancy Hanks Lincoln. Ford's Theater in

Washington, D.C., where an assassin felled Lincoln in April 1865, celebrated his birthday with performances of Lincoln's great speeches. In Owensboro, Ky., the president's life was set to bluegrass in the style of another famous native son, musician Bill Monroe.

At Gilson Brown Elementary School in the Mississippi River town of Alton, where one of Lincoln's game-changing 1858 senatorial debates with Stephen Douglas took place, students signed a monstrous pro-Lincoln banner in the cafeteria.

The U.S. Senate approved a resolution honoring Lincoln, and Sen. Roland Burris, D-Ill., urged Americans to "draw on Lincoln's legacy and move forward" during this time of economic turmoil.

President Barack Obama, speaking in Washington, urged Americans to remember Lincoln's message of putting national unity above political differences.

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TWIN FALLS FORECAST

Today: Mostly cloudy to overcast with a slim threat of snow. Highs middle 30s.
Tonight: Continued cloudy. Lows near 20.
Tomorrow: Cloudy. Showers in the area again. Highs middle 30s.

BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Mostly cloudy and breezy at times. Highs near 30.
Tonight: Light snow possible after midnight. Lows upper teens to low 20s.
Tomorrow: Occasional bands of light snow may surface. Highs low 30s.

IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.
 Conditions will remain unsettled for several days. While not all areas will see precipitation every day, a slight chance exists.

BOISE Today Highs 25 to 25 Tonight's Lows -2 to 9
 Cloudy skies will be common for many days to come. While showers will remain a possibility, not all areas will see activity over the next few days.

NORTHERN UTAH
 Mostly cloudy and cool today. Snow showers will develop on Saturday. Travel around the region may be slower than normal.

Yesterday's State Extremes: 44 at Lewiston Low: -19 at Stanley
weather key: bz-blizzard, c-cloudy, fg-fog, hs-heavy snow, hz-haze, ls-light snow, mc-mostly cloudy, mx-wintery mix, pc-partly cloudy, r-rain, sh-showers, sn-snow, su-sunny, th-thunderstorm, w-wind

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
More clouds than precipitation likely	Continued cloudy	Cloudy, showers in the area	Patchy sunshine	A chance of rain and, or snow	Still unsettled enough to shower
High 35	Low 20	35 / 20	36 / 25	37 / 26	40 / 28

Yesterday's Weather

City	Hi	Lo	Prcp
Boise	36	25	Trace
Burley	33	21	Trace
Challis	30	7	0.00"
Coeur d'Alene	34	23	0.00"
Idaho Falls	26	11	Trace
Jerome	29	13	0.00"
Lewiston	44	26	0.00"
Lowell	39	24	0.00"
Malta	not available		
Malta	30	12	0.02"
Pocatello	31	13	0.00"
Rexburg	24	12	0.01"
Salmon	28	10	0.00"
Stanley	20	-19	0.00"

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature	Precipitation	Humidity	Barometric Pressure	Sunrise and Sunset
Yesterday's High 33 Yesterday's Low 21 Normal High/Low 41 / 22 Record High 58 in 1991 Record Low 1 in 1982	Yesterday 0.00" Month to Date 0.09" Normal Month to Date 0.39" Year to Date 3.98" Normal Year to Date 4.75"	Yesterday's Maximum 93% Yesterday's Minimum 63% Today's Maximum 97% Today's Minimum 58%	6 pm barometer Yesterday 30.02 in.	Today Sunrise: 7:37 AM Sunset: 6:08 PM Saturday Sunrise: 7:36 AM Sunset: 6:09 PM Sunday Sunrise: 7:34 AM Sunset: 6:10 PM Monday Sunrise: 7:33 AM Sunset: 6:12 PM Tuesday Sunrise: 7:31 AM Sunset: 6:13 PM

Moon Phases

Feb 16 Last Qtr. Feb 25 New Moon Mar 4 First Qtr. Mar 11 Full Moon

Moonrise and Moonset

Today Moonrise: 11:23 PM Moonset: 9:16 AM
 Saturday Moonrise: none Moonset: 9:41 AM
 Sunday Moonrise: 12:31 AM Moonset: 10:10 AM

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REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Sunday
Boise	41 25 mc 41 26 mx	39 26 mc	31 20 ls
Bonnars Ferry	32 19 mc 31 20 mc	31 20 mc	34 23 mc
Burley	30 19 mc 31 21 ls	34 23 mc	
Challis	29 12 mc 28 14 ls	31 17 mc	
Coeur d'Alene	33 21 mc 32 22 mc	32 22 ls	
Elko, NV	30 14 ls 30 12 ls	34 18 ls	
Eugene, OR	42 31 sh 44 33 sh	48 34 sh	
Gooding	37 21 mc 37 21 c	38 26 mc	
Grace	27 8 mc 28 10 mc	30 14 mc	
Hagerman	38 19 mc 38 19 c	39 24 mc	
Hailey	27 13 mc 28 15 ls	30 21 mc	
Idaho Falls	26 7 mc 27 12 mc	28 16 mc	
Kalispell, MT	30 14 pc 30 16 mc	32 18 mc	
Jackpot	27 20 mc 26 13 mc	29 20 mc	
Jerome	30 14 mc 31 16 ls	33 22 mc	
Lewiston	46 29 mc 42 28 mc	41 30 mc	
Malad City	31 9 mc 32 5 mc	34 15 mc	
Malta	27 16 mc 28 18 ls	31 20 mc	
McCall	28 7 mc 26 6 ls	23 10 mc	
Missoula, MT	36 16 pc 36 18 mc	34 20 mc	
Pocatello	30 13 mc 31 15 mc	33 19 mc	
Portland, OR	41 34 mx 45 34 sh	47 35 sh	
Rupert	30 21 mc 31 23 ls	34 25 mc	
Rexburg	24 5 mc 25 9 mc	25 14 mc	
Richland, WA	40 26 ls 39 25 ls	39 25 ls	
Rogerson	35 21 mc 35 21 c	36 26 mc	
Salmon	31 13 mc 30 15 ls	33 18 mc	
Salt Lake City, UT	36 25 mc 35 22 ls	37 26 mc	
Spokane, WA	37 21 mc 34 21 mc	34 23 mc	
Stanley	30 1 mc 28 3 ls	29 8 mc	
Sun Valley	34 3 mc 32 5 ls	33 10 mc	
Yellowstone, MT	23 -1 mc 26 1 ls	29 11 mc	

NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Atlanta	67 49 pc 63 41 sh	
Atlanta City	44 27 pc 44 27 pc	
Baltimore	50 31 pc 39 29 mx	
Billings	33 13 ls 29 12 ls	
Birmingham	65 52 sh 65 41 sh	
Boston	36 22 pc 40 23 su	
Charleston, SC	64 51 pc 63 48 sh	
Charleston, WV	54 35 pc 48 34 sh	
Chicago	39 28 pc 35 26 sn	
Cleveland	37 24 pc 33 24 ls	
Denver	34 16 ls 37 17 c	
Des Moines	33 21 sn 31 17 pc	
Detroit	37 26 pc 35 23 ls	
El Paso	63 34 pc 64 35 pc	
Fairbanks	12 -9 pc 16 -2 mc	
Fargo	18 -1 pc 14 -5 pc	
Honolulu	78 70 mx 77 69 br	
Houston	75 56 th 69 53 pc	
Indianapolis	46 32 pc 39 26 mx	
Jacksonville	72 57 pc 74 53 th	
Kansas City	41 22 mc 34 21 pc	
Las Vegas	53 40 sh 52 39 pc	
Little Rock	62 38 sh 54 34 pc	
Los Angeles	56 45 r 60 46 r	
Memphis	65 47 sh 54 37 pc	
Miami	79 66 sh 80 67 sh	
Milwaukee	37 27 pc 34 22 sn	
Nashville	61 42 pc 55 33 pc	
New Orleans	71 61 th 71 55 th	
New York	44 25 su 40 28 pc	
Oklahoma City	64 28 pc 46 30 pc	
Omaha	29 15 sn 28 16 pc	

WORLD FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Acapulco	85 74 pc 85 73 pc	
Athens	52 42 pc 49 39 r	
Auckland	71 55 pc 63 52 r	
Bangkok	94 72 pc 96 72 pc	
Beijing	49 32 pc 50 21 pc	
Berlin	34 25 pc 33 26 pc	
Buenos Aires	95 70 pc 100 73 pc	
Cairo	77 45 pc 79 41 pc	
Dhahran	73 56 pc 75 61 pc	
Geneva	26 2 pc 24 7 pc	
Hong Kong	74 72 pc 75 72 pc	
Jerusalem	74 51 pc 74 48 pc	
Johannesburg	71 55 sh 74 56 sh	
Kuwait City	72 55 pc 74 61 pc	
London	37 27 pc 40 38 pc	
Mexico City	74 43 pc 73 42 pc	
Moscow	31 30 pc 33 30 ls	
Nairobi	77 51 sh 75 51 sh	
Oslo	24 6 pc 20 2 pc	
Paris	36 29 ls 39 28 pc	
Prague	31 22 ls 29 21 pc	
Rio de Janeiro	72 68 sh 78 67 sh	
Rome	47 34 ls 45 36 ls	
Santiago	86 58 pc 88 57 pc	
Seoul	53 31 sh 43 20 pc	
Sydney	69 63 sh 65 65 sh	
Tel Aviv	66 64 pc 67 63 pc	
Tokyo	58 49 pc 69 43 sh	
Vienna	32 26 pc 35 25 pc	
Warsaw	37 32 pc 35 30 ls	
Winnipeg	19 -5 pc 9 -8 pc	
Zurich	20 -1 ls 18 -9 ls	

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP

Valid to 6 p.m. today
 Yesterday's National Extremes:
 High: 86 at Laredo, Texas
 Low: -19 at Stanley, Idaho

CANADIAN FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Calgary	13 6 pc 12 5 pc	
Crantbrook	20 0 pc 13 1 pc	
Edmonton	20 12 ls 6 -5 pc	
Kelowna	27 8 pc 24 14 pc	
Lethbridge	20 12 ls 6 -5 pc	
Regina	7 -12 pc 5 -13 pc	

GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY
 "Make each day useful and cheerful and prove that you know the worth of time by employing it well. Then youth will be happy, old age without regret and life a beautiful success."
 Louisa May Alcott, 1832-1888, Author

UK marks Darwin's 200th with pride, humor

By Raphael G. Satter
 Associated Press writer

LONDON — They threw him a party at the Natural History Museum, they trotted out a set of stamps in his honor, and a zoo offered free admission to anyone sporting a beard in recognition of his famous facial hair.

While more than 600 events took place worldwide Thursday to commemorate "Darwin Day" — the 200th anniversary of scientist Charles Darwin's birth — it was a particularly special occasion in his native land.

Darwin enjoys a special pride of place in Britain, where his face adorns the 10-pound note. In a message to Parliament, British Culture Secretary Andy Burnham called the scientist "one of the most influential Britons of all time."

The British are celebrating his birthday with commemorations, lectures — and a good dose of homegrown irreverence. Bristol's zoo offered free entry to anyone sporting a beard, whether real or fake — a homage to Darwin's big bushy white whiskers.

"We had beards of all different colors, shapes and sizes," zoo spokeswoman Lucy Parkinson said. "It was a bit of fun, but also a nod to Darwin" — whose cottony beard fills the 19th century photographs of the aging scientist.

Amid all the celebration, a note of skepticism: A poll compiled by ComRes showed that as many as 43 percent of all Britons believed in "young earth creation" — or the idea that God created the world within the past 10,000 years. An even greater percentage thought "Intelligent Design," or the idea that evolution was not alone enough to explain the origin of some living things, was or might be true.

None of that took the wind out of Thursday's commemorations.

At Westminster Abbey, the final resting place for Britain's great, a solemn ceremony was held at Darwin's tomb with Anglican prayers sung at the simple white headstone in the massive cathedral's nave.

In Christ's College at Cambridge, where the scientist studied, the Duke of Edinburgh unveiled a bronze statue showing a young Darwin sitting on a bench.

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Hailey cast tells the tale of terrible '40s singer.

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Jeff Lohr uses an acetylene torch to bring out different colors in the metal.



ARIEL HANSEN/Times-News

Up close, wire mesh's fabric qualities are easily seen. The metal rubs off on artist Eric Boyer's hands, turning them dark as he works.



ERIN MATHSON/For the Times-News

Jeff Lohr gets ready to tap out a metal trout with a hammer after cutting it with a plasma cutter.

SHOWING THEIR METAL

By Ariel Hansen • Times-News writer

Unusual material gains popularity among Idaho artists

HAILEY — Metal. It's how cars and buildings are framed, what nails and paper clips are made of, what protects astronauts from the vacuum of space. But can it be art?

To many creative minds in south-central Idaho, absolutely. "Anything's an art material, why not?" said Hailey artist Eric Boyer, who sculpts metal fireplace screen into torsos and abstract shapes. "It's a cool contrast. I can call my work industrial and I can call it classical at the same time. The material itself is part of the expression."

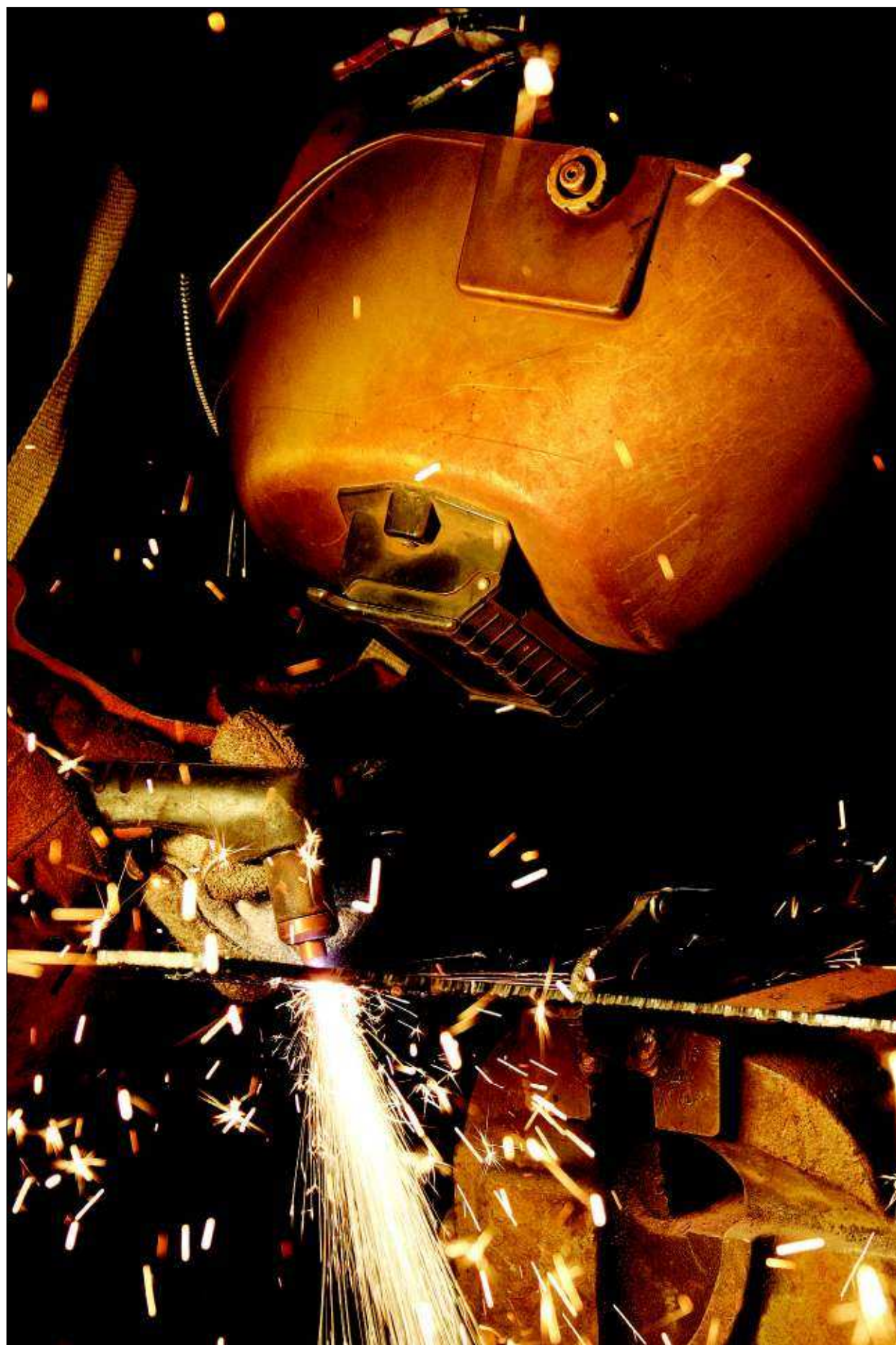
Boyer came to the idea of using screen accidentally, when working with a blacksmith in Vermont.

"We'd be making it flat, taking lumps out, and at some point I went, 'What about putting lumps in?'" he said. So he bent the screen, pinched it, rubbed it against a doorknob, and quickly saw human forms emerging. More twisting and warping, and he made muscles and joints distinct.

From a distance, the mesh of the screen forms moire patterns that bring the torsos to life. But up close, the crisscrossed fibers jump out like lines on graph paper.

"I think of this as a cross between fabric and clay," Boyer said. Though he has experimented with abstract objects — curvy vase-like figures and geometrically complex shapes — it's the human body he keeps coming back to. "I want to respect the material, and one of the things it's good at is making human forms."

SEE METAL ON ENTERTAINMENT 3



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Filer metal artist Jeff Lohr cuts out a sheet metal trout with a plasma cutter. Metal is rising in popularity as an artistic medium in southern Idaho. 'It's something that more people are becoming interested in here, because it ties in with agriculture,' Lohr says.



Finished sculptures hang on the wall of artist Eric Boyer's Hailey workshop, providing inspiration as he manipulates the screen on a metal-covered table. Here, he works on a piece that will ultimately look like a diving man.

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Want to buy your own metalworks?

For more about the metal artists featured in this story, contact the artists:

- **Eric Boyer, Hailey.** 788-8185 or boyermesh.com. Many images on this site are of sculptures of classical nude torsos. Prices range from \$1,000 to \$3,200.
- **Jeff Lohr, Filer.** 326-4756. Prices range from \$55 to \$2,000.
- **Rod Kagan, Ketchum.** 726-8860. Prices range from \$900 to more than \$28,000. These are just three of many creative people working with metal in south-central Idaho. To find more, visit art galleries and keep your eyes open at festivals and in local shops.



Eric Boyer



Jeff Lohr



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Finished trout by Jeff Lohr. 'The best way to describe it is I paint it by fire,' he says.

Inspirational confidence, or just bad music?

Hailey cast tells the tale of a terrible '40s singer

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

HAILEY — Don't even think about wearing earplugs to "Souvenir" — though you'll wish you had them.

You'll miss out on all the chuckles if you try to shut out the screechingly painful noise that the star of the show fancies as melody.

"Souvenir" stars longtime Company of Fools songbird Debra Wagoner as Florence Foster Jenkins, a real-life society matron of the 1940s who fancied herself an opera singer even though she was tone deaf and possessed poor diction that made opera connoisseurs dive for cover.

"The play is wildly funny but surprisingly touching," said R.L. Rowsey, who plays Jenkins' long-suffering accompanist Cosme Mc Moon. "I mean, she was b-a-d. "Often she was this close to being good," Rowsey added, holding his fingers slightly apart. "Just enough to make the hairs on the back of your neck stand up."

Jenkins lived on the 16th floor of the old Ritz-Carlton Hotel on New York's Fifth Avenue, where she collected the chairs that rich and famous had died in.

Intent on singing, she adorned her bald head with a variety of wigs and designed elaborate costumes for each song. And she hired a concert

pianist who had to make frequent adjustments to compensate for her tempo variations and rhythmic mistakes.

"Why does she do it?" McMoon asks in the script. "I always thought the better question was, 'Why did I?'"

Actually, McMoon was paid well to suffer along with her attempts. And, in the end, Jenkins performed one of the songs he wrote at Carnegie Hall — and not many composers can brag about their music being played at Carnegie Hall. At the same time, he looked out for Jenkins.

Though she slaughtered the music she sang, Jenkins did it with such self-confidence that she transfixed her audiences. And as the news of her terrible singing spread, so did her celebrity, ultimately leading to a performance at Carnegie Hall where she had to turn away 2,000 people.

"Most of her reviewers wrote for the society page so they would write only that she had sung several well-known arias or they'd talk about her fabulous costumes, rather than criticizing her singing ability," Rowsey said. Company of Fools fans know well that Wagoner is a quality singer who has recorded her own CD, faithfully replicated country western singer Patsy Cline and sung in a number of other Fools productions.



R.L. Rowsey grits his teeth as he accompanies Debra Wagoner in her depiction of a real-life society matron who wowed audiences of the 1940s with her imperfect pitch.

So how does someone who can sing so well learn to sing so badly?

"Actually, I had to learn to sing the music I will perform well first, because I don't have a strong background in opera," said Wagoner. "I had to learn the pieces as well as I could so I could practice missing it by ever so much. And, unfortunately, there are recordings of Florence, which helped me do that."

Society being a polite one in those days, Flo-Jo's audiences found a polite way to laugh, Rowsey said: "When she missed a perfectly high note, they'd break out in rabid applause."



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Flo-Jo, portrayed by Debra Wagoner, always sang 'Ave Maria' for her encores, designing an angel's outfit for the number. Wagoner has 13 costume changes during 'Souvenir.'

When she was criticized, Wagoner said, "she simply said there's nothing more detrimental to good singing than 'this modern mania for accuracy.'"

Stephen Temperley's play is just a few years old. It opens in San Francisco with the original cast the day before the Fools debut it in Hailey,

so people will be talking about it, said director John Glenn. Wagoner and Rowsey will also present the play in September at the Barksdale Theater in Richmond, Va., where Glenn was artistic director before moving to Idaho.

"It's the right story for here right now because it puts a

SINGING OFF KEY

- **What:** Company of Fools production of "Souvenir"
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- **Where:** Liberty Theatre in Hailey
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smile on your face and gives you a chuckle," Glenn said. "It's also a story about someone who marched to their own drummer and didn't let the critics stop her."

"Florence once said, 'People may say I can't sing, but no one can ever say I didn't sing.' She really is an inspiration to all of us."

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Real sustainability in the real world

Times-News

Soccer moms drive Priuses and business consultants say it's easy and profitable to be green. In reality, though, implementing sustainability is brutally difficult, says Auden Schendler, author of the soon-to-be-published "Getting Green Done: Hard Truths and Real Solutions from the Front Lines of the Sustainability Revolution."



Schendler

Schendler, executive director of sustainability at Aspen Skiing Co., will explain why the consultants are clueless and how we're kidding ourselves if we think recycling our soda cans will solve all our problems, in a free, public talk at 6 p.m. Thursday at the Community Library in Ketchum.

Iconoclast Books will provide copies of his book for sale and signing. "Schendler has emerged as the ski industry's most visible environmental gadfly, and the man who's led Aspen's relentless push toward more forward-thinking projects," Elizabeth Hightower wrote in an Outside magazine profile in November. "As other resorts rush to follow Aspen's lead, Schendler is, in effect, setting the environmental agenda for the entire industry."

At the same time, Schendler has criticized his own company's environmental progress.

"Achieving sustainability is not going to be easy," Schendler said in a Sun Valley Center for the Arts press release. "And that's OK. We need to do it for the benefit of our businesses and the planet, and we're going to do it. But we shouldn't be deluded. And we shouldn't be afraid to be honest."

At Aspen Skiing, Schendler oversees the company's environmental efforts, corporate contributions and civic engagement. He also is director of Aspen Sustainability Associates, a green business consulting practice. Previously a research associate in corporate sustainability and

newsletter editor at Rocky Mountain Institute, Schendler has worked as a residential energy auditor, high-school math and English teacher, Outward Bound instructor, emergency medical technician, planning and zoning commissioner and energy efficiency researcher.

Named a "Climate Crusader" in Time magazine's 2006 special issue on climate change, Schendler is also a recipient, along with Robert Redford, of the 2007 EPA Climate Protection Award.

His writings on sustainable business, life in the West and mountaineering have



been in a variety of publications. Information: www.sunvalleycenter.org or 726-9491, ext. 10.

Create simple handmade books

Times-News

Learn the fundamentals of the art of making books at a workshop offered by the Sun Valley Center for the Arts.

In this one-day workshop taught by Wendy Diedrick, students will learn to create two types of books made with folded paper: a concertina and an accordion book. You'll find out about manuscript book structure, paper grain, folding, tear-

ing, cutting and sewing bindings.

Simple Handmade Books meets from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Feb. 28 at the center's classroom in Hailey, on the corner of Second and Pine streets. Cost is \$75 for Sun Valley Center for the Arts members and \$125 for non-members, plus a \$10 supply fee.

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Metal

Continued from Entertainment 1
Burning out the beauty

For Filer metal artist Jeff Lohr, it's the forms of other animals and natural scenes that inspire.

He works with sheet metal, cutting it with a plasma torch, then using an acetylene torch to burn off specific minerals in the steel to bring out brilliant colors — purple, tan, lavender, bronze.

"The best way to describe it is I paint it by fire," he said. "You can take metal, which most people think is a dull lifeless thing, and actually bring some life into it, turn it into something that looks like it's about to leap off the wall."

Lohr, who works with water and wastewater for municipalities, grew up on a family farm, where he learned to weld and manipulate metal for machinery. It wasn't long before he noticed the colors that emerged when he tempered the metal.

"I thought, why not torch the metal and just see what color comes out with it. ... I thought 'Hey, this looks pretty cool.'"

A friend asked him to cut out an elk silhouette, and soon he was off and running, producing layered schools of fish and mountain scenes. He's particularly proud of the silhouettes, because they are created by hand rather than computer-assisted design, and of his colors, because they are difficult to control.

"What happens is that the color that comes out, I have to cool it down immediately. If I keep going a little bit longer, it'll go to a different color, and if you're real careless, you can actually burn the metal," Lohr said. "It's not really something you can teach. It's all finesse. It's like being a person on a tightrope without a net underneath them; if I make a horrible mistake while I'm burnishing it, that piece is ruined."



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Filer artist Jeff Lohr specializes in Western art and mounts his finished pieces on barn wood.



ARIEL HANSEN/Times-News

By working on a diagonal and stretching and compressing wire mesh, Eric Boyer can create globular figures like this red-coated sculpture.

Because his metalwork is a hobby, and he wants it to be affordable to average folks, Lohr charges about what a blacksmith would per piece — it's based more

on an hourly rate than on the piece's artistic achievement.

Function and form

With an audience at the other end of the economic spectrum, Ketchum artist Rod Kagan produces bronze columns, many with the feel of a contemporary totem pole, that vary in size from 9 inches to 25 feet tall. Many of his pieces are in public spaces in Idaho, including The Community School in Sun Valley, St. Luke's Wood River Medical Center and the Boise Art Museum. Other pieces are in private collections across the world.

Kagan says his customers usually aren't seeking a sculpture made specifically of metal.

"The material isn't a real important factor to them, it's the design," he said. Kagan grinds the edges of his sculptures, and waxes them to prevent rust, so they are smooth to the touch. "I'm sure they think about the metal, but it doesn't look or feel like a piece of metal to them, it's an object."

Like many other metal artists, Kagan came to the material from a functional standpoint — he learned to

weld to make a '32 Ford into a hot rod. He enjoys the industrial qualities of the material, and its longevity.

"There's not too much glamour in it, it's like factory work, really," he said. "I have always liked the smell of metal, the feel of it, what you can do with it."

All three of these metal artists have noticed the medium rising in popularity, and some people who may never have thought they were creative are now producing great art.

"It's something that more people are becoming interested in here, because it ties in with agriculture. A lot of people in the past thought that to do sculpture, you had to have an art degree," Lohr said.

He noted that many people have thought metal sculptures had to be abstract rather than representational, and that discouraged them from working with the material. The College of Southern Idaho's metalworking programs in particular are building talent, he said. "I know there's a lot of really fantastic metalworkers in the valley."

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Although most of Eric Boyer's work is of classical nudes, he also uses metal mesh to make more abstract objects, like this figure of a man doing yoga and this punched-in cube.

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'Out of balance'

Ketchum artist invites viewers to finish his stories themselves

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

KETCHUM — David deVillier's colorful acrylic paintings beg the viewer to complete the story.

Will the bird with the human face fall from its precarious perch on high heels and a bicycle?

"You don't know what's going to happen — is it going to fly or fall?" deVillier said. "Having it balance on top of something that adds a sense of being out of balance adds to the sense of strangeness. I like that."

Strange or not, deVillier said his paintings refer to the idea of moving through life. Many have their roots in his own life.

"His are stories with many endings," said Ben Mitchell, curator of a gallery in Walla Walla, Wash.

"Almost everyone can find something in them with which they can make a story about their own life," said Gail Severn, owner of Gail Severn Gallery in Ketchum.

Severn is exhibiting 28 works of deVillier's this month — 17 years after she first began showing his work. DeVillier will be present for the opening reception during Gallery Walk, from 6 to 9 p.m. tonight. He will also discuss his work during a free Artist Chat at 10 a.m. Saturday at the gallery, 400 First Ave. N. in Ketchum.

"David has such a totally unique voice and vision," Severn said. "He doesn't look like any other artist. One of the hardest things for a gallery owner is that you can only show so many landscape artists. David's work doesn't look like any other artist — and his pieces are playful and poignant."

DeVillier works on his paintings in a studio the size of a three-car garage that abuts Idaho Highway 75 across from Knob Hill Inn. He works on several pieces at a time, painting some on the floor, some on the walls and others on giant easels scattered around his studio.

He often tinkers with a 5-foot painting for months, covering things that no longer seem important.

"You have to be willing to destroy so better things can come out," he said.

DeVillier hails from the Louisiana bayou but has studied and taught on both coasts, from Boston to Seattle. He has a second home in LaGrande, Ore. His fantastical images started with more realistic depictions of birds and other things that he saw in all those places. But imagination has assumed a greater role with time.

Take a painting of a bird in a blue bubble — a work that represents time travel.

You could think of the bubble as a bird cage filled with a variety of things, deVillier said. Throw in dice and you sense a game of chance — what's going to happen? Add thorns and the viewer is left wondering whether the bubble will be punctured.

Halos are a sign of perfec-



David deVillier's painting 'The Most Curious Step' is one of 28 works in an exhibition titled 'Boxes, Circles and the Mechanics of Memory,' showing at Gail Severn Gallery in Ketchum.



David deVillier's 'The Best Blue Day in Bolinas' is an acrylic on wood panel.

TONIGHT'S TOUR

David deVillier's paintings are among a wide range of work that art lovers can peruse from 6 to 9 p.m. today when Ketchum galleries throw their doors open for a Valentine's weekend Gallery Walk.

Viewers may stroll from one gallery to another, perusing the art as they sip and nibble free beverages and hors d'oeuvres.

- Southern Idaho artists Lori McNee, Shanna Kunz and Lona Hymas-Smith will be present at an exhibit titled "Inspired by Nature" at Kneeland Gallery, 271 First Ave. N. The exhibit features Kunz's oil on canvas landscapes and Hymas-Smith's hand-painted woodcarvings of such subjects as an owl perched on a cattail.
- Lawrence Fodor will be present for the unveiling of his "Ligatures and Koan Boxes" at Friesen Gallery, 320 First Ave. N. A koan is a paradoxical statement used in Zen Buddhism to demonstrate the inadequacies of logical thinking, often raising a question to which there is no correct answer.
- Chinese artist Andrew Lui will be on hand to show off his acrylic and ink paintings that depict both the melancholy and the exhilaration of voyagers on the move, at Gallery DeNovo, 320 First Ave. N.
- Ted Larsen's accordion-like works from scrap metal pieces will be on view at Anne Reed Gallery, 391 First Ave. N., along with Emily Leonard's nature-inspired works centered around the idea of "Branching Out."
- Lynn Toneri will display her watercolors of Sun Valley's foxes cavorting through snow, while woodcarver R.C. Hink shows off his trout lamps, saddle chairs and Baldy ski benches at the Toneri/Hink Gallery at 400 Sun Valley Road.
- Frederic Boloix Fine Arts, 320 First Ave. N., is showing a selection of works by modern and contemporary masters.
- Sun Valley Center for the Arts, 191 Fifth St. E., is hosting an exhibition of paintings and installations that make a statement about home and domestic life.
- Broschofsky Galleries, 360 East Ave., is featuring Western art, including works by Theodore Villa and Edward S. Curtis.

tion; wheels, of completion. "The beaks come out of the side of the head because some people get nervous if they see a beak pointed straight at them. When the beaks point away, they're not so threatening," he said. "The faces on the birds are

universal, everyman. It's all about imagining and inventing a language that makes sense to you."

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"You have to be willing to destroy so better things can come out."

— David deVillier

Test your Oscar-picking skills

Clip up, fill out and send in your entries for our Academy Awards Prediction Contest.

Who will walk away with a golden statuette this year? Will Heath Ledger win, becoming only the second actor to receive an Academy Award posthumously? Will "Slumdog Millionaire" snag Best Picture?

Last year's pick-the-Oscars winner, Christine McNurlin of Twin Falls, won by correctly guessing 11 out of 16 categories. This year's winner will receive a \$25 gift certificate to Best Buy and be featured in an

Entertainment story.

In the case of a tie, whoever correctly predicts the Best Foreign Language Film will be the winner. (Luck plays a part in this category. How many southern Idahoans had access to all five nominees?)

Send this form to Times-News, Attention: Virginia Hutchins, P.O. Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303, or drop it off at our office at 132 Fairfield St. W. in Twin Falls. Entries must be received by Feb. 20 and include your name and telephone numbers. The winner will be notified by Feb. 24.

Best Actor

- Richard Jenkins, "The Visitor"
- Frank Langella, "Frost/Nixon"
- Sean Penn, "Milk"
- Brad Pitt, "The Curious Case of Benjamin Button"
- Mickey Rourke, "The Wrestler"

Best Actress

- Anne Hathaway, "Rachel Getting Married"
- Angelina Jolie, "Changeling"
- Melissa Leo, "Frozen River"
- Meryl Streep, "Doubt"
- Kate Winslet, "The Reader"

Best Supporting Actor

- Josh Brolin, "Milk"
- Robert Downey Jr., "Tropic Thunder"
- Philip Seymour Hoffman, "Doubt"
- Heath Ledger, "The Dark Knight"
- Michael Shannon, "Revolutionary Road"

Best Supporting Actress

- Amy Adams, "Doubt"
- Penelope Cruz, "Vicky Cristina Barcelona"
- Viola Davis, "Doubt"
- Taraji P. Henson, "The Curious Case of Benjamin Button"
- Marisa Tomei, "The Wrestler"

Best Adapted Screenplay

- "The Curious Case of Benjamin Button," screenplay by Eric Roth, screen story by Eric Roth and Robin Swicord
- "Doubt," written by John Patrick Shanley

- "Frost/Nixon," screenplay by Peter Morgan
- "The Reader," screenplay by David Hare
- "Slumdog Millionaire," screenplay by Simon Beaufoy

Best Original Screenplay

- "Frozen River," written by Courtney Hunt
- "Happy-Go-Lucky," written by Mike Leigh

- "In Bruges," written by Martin McDonagh
- "Milk," written by Dustin Lance Black
- "WALL-E," screenplay by Andrew Stanton, Jim Reardon; original story by Andrew Stanton, Pete Docter

Best Director

- David Fincher, "The Curious Case of Benjamin Button"
- Ron Howard, "Frost/Nixon"
- Gus Van Sant, "Milk"
- Stephen Daldry, "The Reader"
- Danny Boyle, "Slumdog Millionaire"

Cinematography

- "Changeling"
- "The Curious Case of Benjamin Button"
- "The Dark Knight"
- "The Reader"
- "Slumdog Millionaire"

Best Animated Feature

- "Bolt"
- "Kung Fu Panda"
- "WALL-E"

Best Foreign Language Film

- "The Baader Meinhof Complex," Germany
- "The Class," France
- "Departures," Japan
- "Revanche," Austria
- "Waltz with Bashir," Israel

Best Picture

- "The Curious Case of Benjamin Button"
- "Frost/Nixon"
- "Milk"
- "The Reader"
- "Slumdog Millionaire"



Common Interest founder to speak at Herrett Forum on Wednesday

Times-News

A 1983 Twin Falls High School graduate, Keith Allred, will be the featured speaker at the Herrett Forum at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. His topic is "Realizing the Founders' Vision" — the culture wars and special interest influence that have evolved in America's history.

Allred earned a bachelor's degree from Stanford and a doctorate in organizational behavior and social psychology from University of California, Los Angeles. He taught for seven years at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government where he was also a faculty member of the Program on Negotiation at Harvard Law School. A fifth-generation Idahoan, Allred returned to Idaho in 2003 to form Common Interest, a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization that says it works with the Idaho Legislature to put common-sense solutions ahead of special interest and partisan politics.

His presentation will discuss the implications America's founders warned about concerning factionalism and political parties, organizers said.

The Herrett Forum is a series of presentations held the third Wednesday of each month. No tickets are required for the free public

lecture. Doors open at 7 p.m. at the Herrett Center for Arts and Science, on the north side of the College of Southern Idaho campus.

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Translator reads poetry of Rumi

Times-News

Coleman Barks, a translator of Rumi's poetry, will read from the work of the Sufi master from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Feb. 23 at Church of the Big Wood in Ketchum.

Rumi is the best-selling poet in America today, organizers said. Much of the credit goes to Barks' "ability to create an American Rumi: one who speaks across the centuries with a voice as direct and imperative as a tug on the shirt," says Time magazine.

The reading will be accompanied by music from Connecticut-based cellist David Darling and cellist Travis Job of Hailey, and movement by Hafizullah Chisti, a Sufi Whirling Dervish. The performance, "Celebrating Love," is the culminating event of A Winter Feast for the Soul.

Jelaluddin Rumi, who lived in central Asia in the 1200s, was a theologian as well as a poet. Following his death, his followers and his son founded a Sufi Order known as the Order of the Whirling Dervishes, famous for its whirling ritual.

A teacher of creative writing and poetry at the University of Georgia for 30 years, Barks is the author of numerous Rumi translations



David Darling

and has been a student of Sufism since 1977. Darling has played with a range of musicians from the Paul Winter Consort and the Nashville Symphony Orchestra to Bobby McFerrin and Arlo Guthrie. Chisti is a Sufi Order International senior teacher and retreat guide with a special interest in the interface between psychology and spirituality.

Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for ages 16 and under; www.sunvalleycenter.org or 726-9491, ext. 10. Tickets will also be available at the door. Book sales and signing will be in the lobby after the performance, and dessert and tea will be served.

'King celebrant' speaker featured at CSI event

Times-News

The Rev. Leonard Lovett, whose ministries and college association with Martin Luther King Jr. have featured him at churches and campuses around the country, will be the keynote speaker at the Soul Food Dinner and Lecture organized by the College of Southern Idaho's Black Student Alliance on Feb. 21.

Lovett is a graduate of Morehouse College and was a classmate of King. For more than 20 years, he has spoken before congregations, colleges and military audiences around the country to decry racism and prejudice.

His Web site (www.cog-icecumenical.com/about.htm) describes him as a Martin Luther King Jr. celebrant speaker. He is also author of several books, including "Kingdom Beyond Color" and "Close Your Back Door."

Organizer Patrice Walker said the event will also feature music from Delores Burgess of Boise and Marla Garrett and Ethan Tucker of Twin Falls.

Dinner will begin at 6 p.m. in the Herrett Center's Rick Allen Community Room followed by Lovett's lecture at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for students and \$8 for children under 12. Organizers advise participants to dress to impress.

Tickets are available at the Student Activities office on the second floor of the CSI Student Union Building, or at the door. Information: 732-6221.

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Magic Valley students win poetry recitation contest

Times-News

Kimberly High School announced winners of the regional semifinal contest for "Poetry Out Loud: National Recitation Contest." The student winners are champion Amanda N. Smith from Filer High School and runner-up Jessie Coleman from Kimberly High.

The competition, presented in partnership with the Idaho Commission on the Arts, the National Endowment for the Arts and the Poetry Foundation, is part of a national program that encourages high school stu-

dents to learn about great poetry through memorization, performance and competition. On Feb. 5, the four winners from Kimberly and Filer high schools competed at Kimberly Middle School.

Poetry Out Loud uses a pyramid structure. Beginning at the classroom level, winners advance to a schoolwide competition, then to regional semifinals, then to state competition and ultimately to the National Finals in Washington, D.C.

Smith will advance to the state contest Feb. 21 in Boise. Information: www.poetryoutloud.org.

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EVENTS CALENDAR

13 FRIDAY



Father daughter ball/ Twin Falls

Fourth annual **Jubilee Father Daughter Ball**, with the theme "My Dad Is Cool," 6:30-10 p.m. at The Ballroom, 205 Shoshone St. N. Features dancing, desserts, entertainment and father-daughter-themed silent auction packages. Tickets are \$15 for father-daughter pair, at Charles Stevens Insurance, Everybody's Business or the door. Proceeds benefit Jubilee House. Information: Diane Stevens, 316-1292.

Planetarium/Twin Falls

The **Faulkner Planetarium** at College of Southern Idaho's Herrett Center for Arts and Science presents "Here Comes the Sun" at 7 p.m.; and "Led Zeppelin: Maximum Volume 1" at 8:15 p.m. Education-show tickets are \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for seniors and \$2.50 for students. Tickets for the 8:15 p.m. entertainment show are \$4.50 for all ages.

Arts class/Twin Falls

Fab Fridays "Creative Arts" class for ages 10 to adults, in two sessions, 2-3:30 p.m. or 3:45-5:15 p.m. at Twin Falls Creative Arts Center, 249 Main Ave. W. Learn different art media (painting, drawing and sculpting) plus home arts (candle making, knitting, candy making and counted cross stitch). \$45 per month. 737-9111.

Dance/Twin Falls

Rosetta Assisted Living's Sweethearts Dance, 6:30-8 p.m. at the center, 1177 Eastridge Court. Free admission; open to the public. Volunteers are needed as dance partners for residents. Information: Stacey, 734-9422.

Rock/Twin Falls

Milestones, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Pioneer Club, 1519 Kimberly Road. No cover.

Easy listening/Twin Falls

Pianist **Carolee Remington** plays dinner music, 6:30-8:30 p.m., and **Robin Mingo** performs easy-listening music, 8:30-10:30 p.m. at Canyon Crest Dining and Event Center, 330 Canyon Crest Drive. No cover.

Country, rock/Twin Falls

Mixed Emotions, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at Montana Steakhouse, 1826 Canyon Crest Drive. No cover.

Jazz/Twin Falls

Great Riff Jazz combo, 7-10 p.m. at Pandora's restaurant, 516 Hansen St. No cover.

Blues/Twin Falls

Swampcats, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Woody's, 213 Fifth Ave. S. \$5 cover.

Dance/Jerome

Ladies of the Elks and the **Snake River Elks** will hold the annual **Sweetheart Ball** at the lodge, 412 E. 200 S. Dinner starts at 6 p.m., followed by dancing at 9 p.m. Gift baskets will be raffled throughout the event (for raffle tickets: Kattie at 308-4477 or at the door). Proceeds benefit the Elks Rehabilitation Hospital in Boise. \$5 cover.

Music/Burley

Kroakers DJ, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Riverside, 197 W. U.S. Highway 30. \$2 cover.

Music/Rupert

Ratz Azz band, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Blue Room, 613 Fremont Ave. No cover.

Country/Declo

The Fugitives, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Shakers, 826 Idaho Highway 81. No cover.

Gallery walk/Ketchum

Gallery Walk, 6-9 p.m. at area art galleries. Visit with artists in



Courtesy photo

Ketchum's Gallery DeNovo will feature the work of Chinese artist **Andrew Lui** in the exhibition "Cantabile," opening today. Here, his "Farewell to the Concubine I."

attendance. Free admission. 726-4950 or www.svgalleries.org.

Artist reception/Ketchum

Artist's reception for Chinese artist **Andrew Lui's** work "Cantabile," 6 p.m. at Gallery DeNovo, 320 First Ave. N., Suite 101. Exhibit on display through **FEB. 28**. Lui depicts the melancholy and exhilaration of voyagers. Free admission. Gallerydenovo.com or 726-8180.

Comedy/Sun Valley

Sun Valley Resort Winter Comedy Series, featuring **Adam Hunter** and **Jay Davis**, 6:30 p.m. in the Boiler Room at Sun Valley Village. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; \$10 cover (\$7 with a current Sun Valley Resort ski pass or lift ticket). Live music after the comedy series: **Doo-Wah Riders**, doors open at 9 p.m.; \$10 cover (free admission with Blaine County identification). 622-2148.

Jazz/Sun Valley

Paul Tillotson Trio, 4:30-8:30 p.m., and **Joe Fos Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

Jazz/Sun Valley

Bruce Innes, 2:30-4:30 at River Run Lodge's Apres Ski. No cover.

Country/Sun Valley

Doo Wah Riders, 2:30-4:30 p.m. at Warm Springs Lodge's Apres Ski. No cover.

Music/Sun Valley

Accordianist **Tim Eriksen**, 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Roundhouse restaurant at Sun Valley Resort, and during dinner hours at Trail Creek Cabin. No cover.

Jazz/Sun Valley

Jazz pianist **Brooks Hartell**, 4:30-8 p.m. in the Lobby Lounge at Sun Valley Inn. No cover; reservations not required. 622-2266.

Music/Sun Valley

Pianist **Larry Harshbarger**, 6-9 p.m. at Ram Restaurant at Sun Valley Inn. No cover. Restaurant reservations: 622-2800.

14 SATURDAY

Jazz/Twin Falls

Arts on Tour presents jazz vocalist **Sophie Milman**, 7:30 p.m. at College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Center auditorium, 315 Falls Ave. W. Milman, a sophisticated and torchy singer with a bent toward American popular songbook standards, evokes the spirit of the great jazz singers of the '40s and '50s. Since her self-titled debut was released in 2004, it made the Billboard Top 5 in Canada and Top 15 in the U.S., and topped the iTunes jazz charts. Her new album, "Make Someone Happy," was listed as one of iTunes' "Best Selling Jazz Albums of 2007." Tickets are \$29 for adults and \$21 for children, at CSI Fine Arts box office, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays, 732-6288 or csi.edu/art-sontour.



Galaxy image display/ Twin Falls

"Great Observatories" image unveiling ceremony, 3 p.m. at College of Southern Idaho's Herrett Center for Arts and Science. The Herrett Center was chosen as an official partner in the International Year of Astronomy, and the unveiling is the first of several events. The prints, displayed in the Herrett Center's Browning/Keveren Gallery, are of a distinctive spiral galaxy and photographed from various telescopes and observatories. Identical images from the Hubble, Spitzer and Chandra space telescopes are combined; each of the three telescopes sees in a different spectrum of light (visible, infrared and X-ray). Includes

refreshments, activities and a new program at Faulkner Planetarium called "Bad Astronomy," based on the books and blogs of Phil Plait. Free admission. csi.edu/herrett.

Astronomy/Twin Falls

Star Party with telescope viewing, 7 p.m. to midnight in the Centennial Observatory at College of Southern Idaho's Herrett Center for Arts and Science. View Venus, Saturn, Orion nebula and star clusters (moonless night). Free admission.

Planetarium/Twin Falls

The **Faulkner Planetarium** at College of Southern Idaho's Herrett Center for Arts and Science presents "Bad Astronomy: Myths and Misconceptions" at 2, 4 and 7 p.m.; and "Lynyrd Skynyrd: Fly On Free Bird" at 8:15 p.m. Education-show tickets are \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for seniors and \$2.50 for students. Tickets for the 8:15 p.m. entertainment show are \$4.50 for all ages.

Painting, desserts/ Twin Falls

Special Valentine's Date Night, 5-9 p.m. at Hands On, 147 Shoshone St. N. Free desserts and other goodies for all painters. No cover. Reservations: 736-4475.

Easy listening, rock/ Twin Falls

Guitarist and vocalist **Kent Jensen** plays easy listening music, 6-9 p.m., and **Heartnote** performs light rock, 9-11 p.m. at Canyon Crest Dining and Event Center, 330 Canyon Crest Drive. No cover.

Country, rock/Twin Falls

Mixed Emotions, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at Montana Steakhouse, 1826 Canyon Crest Drive. No cover.

Blues/Twin Falls

Swampcats, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Woody's, 213 Fifth Ave. S. \$5 cover.

Jazz/Twin Falls

Great Riff Jazz combo, 7-10 p.m. at Pandora's restaurant, 516 Hansen St. No cover.

Dance/Buhl

Valentine's Day Dance, 8-11 p.m. at Eighth Street Center, 200 N. Eighth St. Features music by Jim Crawford and The Desert Rats, and a no-host bar by Holesinsky Vineyards. Tickets are \$10 per person, at 543-5417.

Music/Gooding

Valentine's Day Bash, featuring **C & R Express**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Lincoln Inn, 413 Main St. No cover.

Country, rock/Castleford

Milestone, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. for the annual Valentine's Day party at On The Rocks Bar & Grill, 290 Main St. No cover.

Country/Declo

The Fugitives, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Shakers, 826 Idaho Highway 81. No cover.

Fundraiser/ Ketchum

"Love Lives on Stage!" the nexStage Theatre's Valentine's fundraising concert, 8 p.m. at the theater, 120 S. Main St. The concert showcases vocal artist and musician **Tyia Wilson** in her Sun Valley debut after moving here



Courtesy photo

Jazz vocalist Sophie Milman will spend Valentine's Day in Twin Falls, for **Arts on Tour's** fourth performance of the season.

Concert series/Ketchum

Webb Winter Concert Series, 3-7 p.m. at Irving's Red Hots Hill (corner of Fourth and Main streets). Concerts will continue through March with a different musical act every Saturday. Food and beverages for sale from local restaurants. Free admission; open to all ages.

Jazz/Sun Valley

Paul Tillotson Trio, 4:30-8:30 p.m., and **Joe Fos Trio**, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., at Duchin Lounge at Sun Valley Lodge. No cover. 622-2145.

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Evening of fun supports theater renovation

By Judy Albertson
Times-News writer

BURLEY — "Route 66" is the theme for the 7th annual Renaissance Ball, Banquet and Auction, at 6 p.m. Feb. 28 at Best Western Burley Inn Convention Center.

The ball is a fundraiser for the Historic Wilson Building & Theatre in Rupert, said Chris Jackson, executive director of Renaissance Arts Center Inc. RACI is the nonprofit organization in charge of renovation and restoration of the 1920s Wilson Building.

"This will be an evening of fun, great food, unique auction items and an outstanding band, the National Guard 25th

Army Band," Jackson said.

Doors open at 6 p.m. with a social hour, and a balloon sale at \$10 each or three for \$25. Just before dinner at 7 p.m., everyone pops their balloons; throughout the evening they can redeem what they won, valued between \$10 and \$75.

The 7 p.m. dinner is followed by a live auction, with auctioneer Carl Van Tassell. Items include a painting from artist Robert Moore, a statue by sculptor Robert Murphy, a salmon dinner for six by Arvin Hansen, a painting by local artist Tim Gregersen and more. A silent auction also has a myriad of items for bid.

"This is the third time we've been honored to have the 25th

Army Band," Jackson said. "They perform at 9 p.m. for the dance crowd, and we are opening the doors to anyone who would like to come and listen to them play, free of charge, at 9 p.m."

The committee who puts together this annual event is outstanding, Jackson said. "The donations we receive from the community and regional businesses and individuals are unbelievable, and it really makes this event successful."

The ball committee: Cheryl and Don Billings, Tammy Jones, Renee Schafer, Marti Friesen, Duane and Lucy Knos, Jesse and Peggy Hess, Norma Mittlestedt, Diane

Newman, Bob and Margaret Cameron, Steve Stanger, Audrey Neiwerth and Betty Martin.

This is an important fundraiser for RACI. It doesn't use local tax dollars, so it relies on fundraisers, grants and donations, Jackson said.

"I'm proud to say the community and region have come together to restore this historic facility back into the cornerstone it used to be. We can document \$300,000 of in-kind labor and materials, and then we've raised \$1.2 million in grants, fundraisers and donations toward this \$2.5 million project. ...

"All the support we've received has assisted the RACI



Courtesy photo

On Feb. 28, the National Guard 25th Army Band will perform during the Renaissance Ball, Banquet and Auction in Burley. The band will play for the dance from 9 p.m. until everyone goes home, and the dance portion is free to the public. The band formed in Caldwell in fall 1925.

in restoring two-thirds of the facility, and we are now stepping into the last of returning the actual theater area back to its original design. We hope to host an open house of the lobby and community/convention center within the next couple of months to allow

everyone to see where their money and the grants we've received have been used," Jackson said.

Admission for the evening is \$40 per person, or purchase a table for \$380. Call Jackson at 208-436-2787; organizers request RSVP by Jan. 23.

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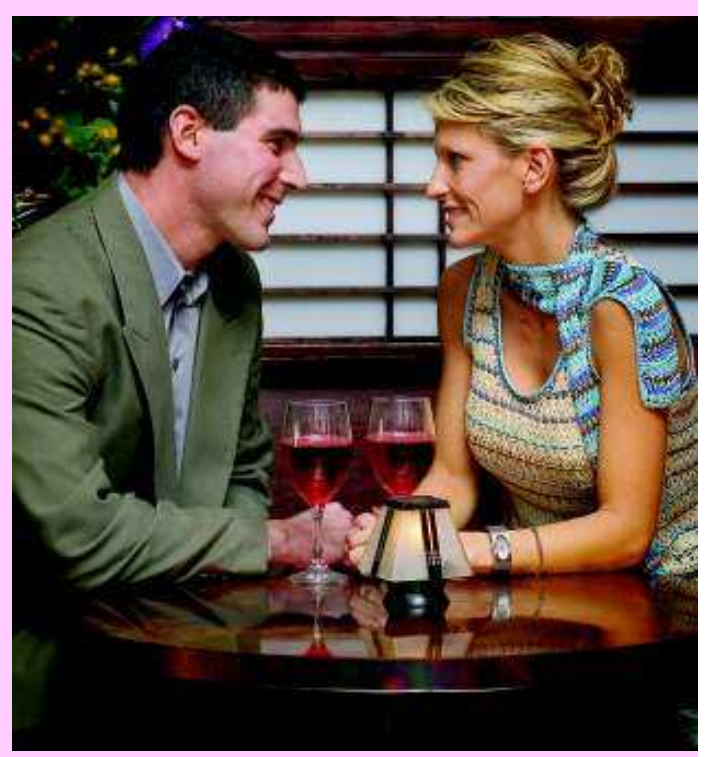
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Valley holds off Declo for Canyon title

By Diane Philbin
Times-News writer

HAZELTON — Finally. With the former conference nemesis Wendell having moved up to Class 3A after twice depriving Valley of a trip to state, the Vikings had the look of a team that had vowed not to let another chance slip away.

Seniors Katie Hall and

Camelle Sizemore and junior Alyssa Henry made sure that didn't happen, scoring 38 points between them as the Vikings downed Declo 56-49 in the championship game.

The Hornets gave Valley something to think about the first half. The two teams were tied 8-8 after the first quarter and 26-26 at the half, but Declo just never got the one or two

plays it needed.

"We came out a little tentative and nervous," said Hall. "Coach (Brian Hardy) told us at the half that we had 16 minutes to win districts so we picked it up a step. The first possession of the second half was big but we won the game down the stretch."

Hall hit a basket at 7:36 to break the tie and Henry followed with another score 20

seconds later giving the Vikings a four-point lead. But Declo's Sarah Silcock and Catherine Blakeslee knotted the score with equalizing baskets. But final tie of the game came at 30-30 as Valley outscored the Hornets 17-8 in the third quarter to move ahead 43-34.

"The third quarter killed us

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Valley's Katie Hall takes the ball to the hoop Thursday night during the Vikings playoff victory over Declo in Hazelton.

MEAGAN THOMPSON/
Times-News



Kalika Tullock

5-9, freshman, forward
3.0 points, 1.7 rebounds

An artist as well: Tullock loves to draw, and took art classes all through junior high and high school. Her specialty: scenery images down with Prisma colors.

Tullock on her role: "I have to be as aggressive as I can and go as hard as I can. ... Usually I can get a few points up and help out that way."

Rogers says: "We're looking at Talika as more of a scorer. ... She's not one to shy away from a shot. We say she's just slow enough to be tough to guard. She's got a scorer's mentality. ... She's a smart kid, she knows the offense."



MeChel Hunt

6-foot, freshman, forward
3.3 points, 2.3 rebounds

Hair-raising: Hunt left beauty school to play for CSI and plans to return when her time in Twin Falls is done. She also raised pigs while growing up in Plain City, Utah.

Hunt on her role: "I think it's just (to provide) another burst of energy for the team on offense and defense."

Rogers says: "MeChel as thin as she is she's a real physical kid. We can play her inside on post defense and use her on the perimeter. This last game (17 points against Eastern Utah), she really showed what kind of potential she has on the offensive end. She wants to come in and try to get shots up and drive to the basket and draw fouls."

Not everyone can be a star. For a team to succeed, that's the way it has to be. While All-American Soana Lucet, NJCAA assist leader Martina Holloway, do-it-all sophomore LaCale Pringle-Buchanan and double-double machine Shauneice Samms dominate the stat sheet and headlines, there's another group of Golden Eagles playing an integral part in the success of the CSI women's basketball team.

FILLING —their— ROLES

BY MIKE CHRISTENSEN • TIMES-NEWS WRITER

With sophomore Noelle Millic out with a torn ACL, the foursome of Kalika Tullock, Cassie Wood, MeChel Hunt and Kiara Tate will now take on even bigger roles.

"All these kids wish they were getting a little bit more minutes," said CSI head coach Randy Rogers. "A good team has role players that know their roles and accept their role and come in and work hard in the minutes they are given."

As Wood put it, "Everyone on the team has roles and you just have to accept your own and do your best at it."



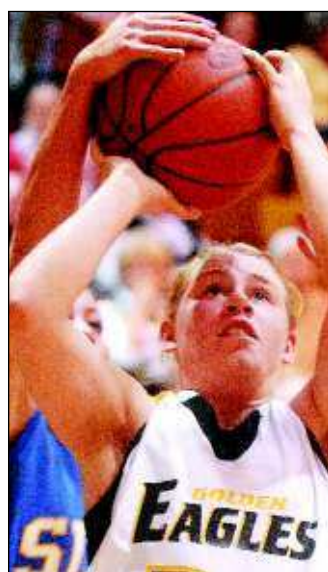
Kiara Tate

5-6, freshman, guard
3.6 points, 1.9 rebounds

Go team go: Tate was a cheerleader through eighth grade before taking up basketball. "I love to sing and dance and cheer 24/7," she said.

Tate on her role: "I try to be a spark player and give the momentum, especially defensively. I love to start communication on the court. I love getting the team live and hyped. I think I'm a spark player, so on defense I like to get up and pressure the ball."

Rogers says: "She's got the quickness on offense to get to the bucket and score off penetration. Defensively, she's got probably the quickest feet we have on the team. She's come out and given us some really good quality minutes. ... She's come out and guarded some of the best players we've gone up against this year."



Cassie Wood

5-9, sophomore, guard
2.5 points, 2.3 rebounds

Going for a ride: When Wood is home in Richfield, she enjoys riding her family's horses.

Wood on her role: "(I think it's) just to bring up the energy level and get everybody going."

Rogers says: "When Cassie comes in, we expect her to make stops and frustrate our opponents. She does that on the defensive end. ... She doesn't look to shoot very much, she doesn't look to score. She knows when she comes in she's got to be a tempo changer."

CSI men, women face tough tests at Snow

By Mike Christensen
Times-News writer

Welcome to Ephraim, Utah: Where championship dreams often die.

The College of Southern Idaho men's and women's basketball teams are in that small central Utah town today and Saturday for Scenic West Athletic

Conference battles with Snow College, and both squads know they'll have their hands full.

Two seasons ago, the CSI men headed to Ephraim needing only a road split to wrap up the SWAC regular-season crown.

CSI at Snow College

Today
Women, 5:30 p.m.
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The Golden Eagles came away with two losses and had to return to Snow

INSIDE

CSI baseball, softball teams ready for weekend series.

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College a week later for the Region 18 Tournament.

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Jerome cruises to IV-V crossover title

By David Bashore
Times-News writer

JEROME — For the first two quarters, Jerome's girls basketball team looked like it knew it was 15 to 20 points better than its opponent.

For the last two, the Tigers proved they were.

After allowing Century to hang around in the first half, Jerome outscored the Diamondbacks 17-3 in the third quarter and cruised to a 64-32 victory in the District IV-V crossover championship game on Thursday night.

Aubree Callen led Jerome (20-4) with 20 points, 14 of those coming in the first half. When she went out late in the second quarter after picking up her third foul, Century (8-16) clawed back into the game after trailing by 10 at the end of one quarter.

But once Callen returned, she and the Tigers started firing on all cylinders.

"Coach (Brent Clark) said at halftime that they looked like they wanted it more than we did," said Callen. "When a coach says that it lights a fire under you and really gets you wanting to pick it up."

Jerome beat Century 54-37 and 64-38 during the regular season, but the Tigers seemed to take the first half a little easy with that knowledge.

After intermission they



"We become a better team when we pick up the defensive intensity. We picked up our intensity, our movement, and our communication."

— Baylie Smith, who scored 11 for the Tigers

allowed just three field goals and outscored Century 34-13.

"We become a better team when we pick up the defensive intensity," said Baylie Smith, who scored 11 for the Tigers. "We picked up our intensity, our movement, and our communication."

Carrie Thibault added 11 points and seven assists for Jerome. Allison Bruckner had six points and 10 boards.

With the victory comes a massive incentive. Jerome will face the winner of today's game between

See JEROME, Sports 5

Preston holds on to eliminate Burley

By David Bashore
Times-News writer

JEROME — Sometimes it's almost easier to get blown out than to lose a close game, particularly when a team's playoff life on the line.

Burley got a taste of that unfortunate feeling Thursday, losing 48-46 to Preston in the District IV-V girls basketball crossover elimination game.

Kassi Kerbs scored a game-high 24 points in the loss for the Bobcats (18-7), who fell along the state play-in path for the second straight season.

Preston (15-9) scored the first seven points of the third quarter to break a half-time tie and also stemmed the tide of a five-point swing following a technical foul in the fourth quarter that gave Burley the lead.

The fact that the Bobcats could have won despite not playing their best basketball was a particularly tough pill to swallow.

"When you lose by two you really start to look at a lot of things," said Burley coach Gordon Kerbs. "You have a rebound opportunity on a missed free throw, missed layups, missed free throws."

The Bobcats went 20-for-33 from the foul line, but hit only 8 of 15 in the fourth quarter.

Still, Burley looked like it would ride the momentum of an 11-second spurt during which Preston lost two of its most steady players to fouls.

But little-used sophomore Jessica Tews, fresh off missing a pair of free throws, buried the decisive two shots from the foul line with 11 seconds left in the game to give the Indians a four-point lead. Teresa Wayment hit a layup with 2 seconds to go, but Preston let the clock run out without inbounding to cement the win.

"It hurts, but I don't think there were very many people who thought this group would have an 18-win season," said Gordon Kerbs. "We had a phenomenal season ... but it still hurts right now."

Preston 48, Burley 46

Preston: 10 7 17 24 - 48
Burley: 6 11 12 17 - 46
PRESTON (48)

BURLEY (46)
Carli Parish 4, Kassi Kerbs 24, Paige Andersen 3, Teresa Wayment 11, Sky Palomarez 2, Shawna Pace 2. Totals 12 20-33 46.
3-point goals: Preston 1 (Daniels); Burley 2 (Kerbs 2). Total fouls: Preston 25, Burley 22. Fouled out: Preston, Checketts, Kelsey, Parker, Wilcox; Burley, Andersen. Technical fouls: Preston, Kelsey.

Gordon, Busch win qualifying races at Daytona

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Jeff Gordon and Kyle Busch both celebrated in Victory Lane, far away from the real winners of the Daytona 500 qualifying races.

Jeremy Mayfield choked back emotion. AJ Allmendinger hid his tears behind sunglasses. Scott Riggs felt as if he'd just won NASCAR's biggest race.

None of them are a threat to win the Daytona 500, but at least they'll be in the show.

Allmendinger, Mayfield, Riggs and Regan Smith earned spots in the season-opening race in Thursday's Gatorade Duels.

"It feels absolutely awesome. It's like we just won the race," said Riggs, who finished eighth in the first qualifier.

None of the four drivers had rides a month ago, piecing together any opportunity they could to get them to Daytona International Speedway. Allmendinger was let go from Red Bull Racing late last year, and is clinging to an eight-race deal with Richard Petty Motorsports. Riggs became unemployed when Tony Stewart took control of his race team and revamped the driver lineup.

Smith was a casualty of the merger between Dale Earnhardt Inc. and Chip Ganassi Racing, while Mayfield has been out of full-time work since Ray Evernham fired him midway through the 2006 season.

Allmendinger, who failed to make the 500 in his first two NASCAR seasons with Red Bull, will finally be able to rest after a stressful buildup to the qualifying races.

"I've been so nervous over the last couple days 'cause I've been in this position the last two years," Allmendinger said. "But I really felt like this year I deserved to be in the race, that this team deserved to be in the race."

Mayfield has felt the same way, watching from the sidelines as NASCAR roared on without him.

With no ride lined up, Mayfield at the last minute threw his own team together for one last try. He's got a mismatched group of volunteers, and after loaned-out jackman Kyle Roland was injured while pitting Kirk Shelmerdine's car during the first qualifying race, Mayfield borrowed an emergency replacement from Michael Waltrip's crew.

"Man, 23 days ago we didn't even have a race team," Mayfield said after finishing ninth in the second qualifier. "It's a very unbelievable feeling. To know where we were at then, how much hard work has been done in such a short amount of time is just unbelievable. To come here and do this, it's like winning 10 races."

The 39-year-old journey-



Kyle Busch celebrates in victory lane after winning the second of two NASCAR Gatorade Duel 150 qualifying auto races at Daytona International Speedway in Daytona Beach, Fla., Thursday.

man is throwing everything into this effort. After racing just 25 times over the past two years, and failing to draw much interest when rides became available, starting his own team became the last option in continuing his career.

"If I ever want to retire as a driver, I want to retire on my own, not be pushed to the wayside," Mayfield said. "That's what kept me motivated to do this."

Riggs could relate after a fruitless offseason job search had him still scouring for work last month.

He was finally swayed by Tommy Baldwin, who was crew chief and competition director at Bill Davis Racing before the sponsor-strapped team folded in late December. Baldwin was putting together a startup race team, and lured Riggs to the driver seat.

"It came down to a point that I had to make a decision — am I going to sit at home and stay on the phone and call people and hope that something opens up to give me an opportunity to get in the car?" Riggs said.

"Or am I going to go down

to Daytona and start the season off with somebody like Tommy?"

"What really made the decision for me was when I talked to Tommy and just heard the passion in his voice. Man, I am just elated."

So was Gordon, who ended the longest winless drought of his career by winning the first duel.

The four-time Cup champion, coming off his first winless season since his 1993 rookie year, climbed from his car in Victory Lane and immediately reached for his young daughter. Ella was just an infant during his last victory celebration, in October 2007.

"I've been fortunate enough to visit Victory Lane quite a few times, but not many times as a father," Gordon said. "There's nothing more special than that."

The non-points Gatorade Duel doesn't officially count for anything in Gordon's victory total, but gave him a second-row starting spot in Sunday's race.

It also gave him much-needed momentum after his disappointing 2008 season.

"Who says we can't win?"

Gordon asked. "This team has been unbelievable. We all know what we went through last year by not winning. There's a lot of expectations on this team, but they never wavered. The guys just kept working hard, building great race cars."

"I'm really excited about the Daytona 500 after that race. It's been awhile since I've been to Victory Lane. I've got to take advantage of this."

Busch also made an overdue return to Victory Lane, where he was a frequent visitor last season before trailing off when the championship was on the line. Busch won eight races last year and led the Cup standings most of the season, but started to falter in August and fell apart when the Chase for the championship began.

A victory in the duel — he held off a late charge from sentimental favorite Mark Martin and used help from teammate Denny Hamlin — has helped him regain momentum.

"It was a disappointing season toward the end," Busch said, "so that was a great way to start it off."

Armstrong hails cycling's anti-doping progress

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Lance Armstrong believes cycling is ready to emerge from the shadow of doping, even while it encircles some of baseball's biggest stars.

Armstrong spoke at the end of a lengthy news conference Thursday night to promote the Tour of California, his first event on his native soil since the seven-time Tour de France winner began his comeback.

Asked his opinion on the latest round of steroid revelations in baseball surrounding Alex Rodriguez and Miguel Tejada, Armstrong — the subject of years of doping suspicion — professed hope that cycling's tougher regulation and his personal testing regimen have reduced fans' disbelief in the sport's top athletes.

"It seems like cycling is on its way out of that, that dark spot," Armstrong said. "And maybe baseball is entering, I don't know."

But Armstrong also defended his recent decision to scrap his self-imposed testing program with Don Catlin before it even began. When Armstrong announced his comeback five months ago, he said Catlin — a prominent anti-drug scientist — would supervise his personal, extra-stringent testing program.

Armstrong blamed exorbitant costs and scheduling problems for his split with Catlin, still praising the doctor as "one of the best there is."

After a 3½-year absence from the sport he dominated

for most of the decade, Armstrong began his comeback last month at the Tour Down Under in Australia. He said he was pleased after finishing 29th, 49 seconds behind winner Allan Davis on aggregate time.

The 37-year-old Armstrong said his main goal in the Tour of California is to set the stage for another victory for Levi Leipheimer, his Astana teammate and the event's two-time defending champion.

Armstrong also is racing in California against George Hincapie, his close friend and eager assistant in each of Armstrong's seven Tour de France victories. Hincapie now races for Team Columbia-High Road.

Although he's beginning his comeback with mostly friendly fans in Australia and California, he knows the climate could change once he moves to Europe for the Giro D'Italia and the Tour de France, where he has a decidedly tumultuous relationship with the cycling public and press.

Floyd Landis also plans to ride in the race despite crashing his bike during a training run Thursday.

The former Tour de France champion is headed into his first race back from a two-year doping ban. Landis' crash was announced by Tour of California officials moments before he was due to appear at a news conference promoting the race, which begins with a prologue Saturday in downtown Sacramento.

Valley

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but we competed," said Declo coach Val Christensen. "We had our chances but we let it slip. We did all we were capable of doing. We just didn't have the foot speed for a whole game. Valley has two athletic bigs that can dominate the boards."

The Vikings shared the ball very well and showed a lot of balance. Henry led the game in scoring with 18 points, including four 3-pointers. Hall and Sizemore each scored 10.

"I had some wide open shots and my teammates got me the ball," said Henry. "We communicated really well tonight on defense and we were aware where their good shooters were."

Said Sizemore: "Our defense was good and the

girls all stepped up. We came out wanting it and knowing we had to play hard."

Silcock had 17 points for the Hornets and Blakeslee followed with 15.

"Even when we didn't score we got some good looks and we took care of the ball," said Hardy. "The key to the game was on the boards. We didn't give them any second looks. This was how a championship game should go. Declo fought so hard and they just weren't going down."

Valley 56, Declo 49
 Declo 8 18 8 15 — 49
 Valley 8 18 17 13 — 56
 DECLO (49)
 Jessica Fuentes 2, Alli Webb 4, Sydney Christensen 9, Sarah Silcock 17, Catherine Blakeslee 15, Emily Moore 2. Totals 18 11 13 49.
 VALLEY (56)
 Katie Hall 10, Dacia Hunter 3, Camelle Sizemore 10, Alyssa Henry 18, Ashley Kraus 2, Gabi Nava 8, Jamie Wood 5. Totals 15 21 31 56.
 3-point goals: Declo 2 (Christensen, Silcock); Valley 5 (Henry 4, Nava). Total fouls: Declo 22, Valley 14. Fouled out: Declo, Christensen. Technical fouls: none.

Jerome

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Mountain Home (11-11) and Emmett (6-17) in the first round of the state tournament next Friday in Meridian. The Tigers beat Mountain Home by 11 and 17 points this year, and they beat Emmett by 33. Century, meanwhile, has to open state play against 21-2 Bonneville.

Clark said earlier in the week that the team might be playing its best basketball of the season. The girls would agree — with one caveat.

"I don't think we've peaked yet," Smith said. "Our best games are still in front of us."

Said Callen: "There's another gear for us to get to. The state tournament is a big stage and I think that'll bring out the best in us."

Century, meanwhile, will face No. 1 Bonneville (21-2) in the tournament opener. The Bees beat Century by 23 and 12 in their two regular-season meetings.

Jerome 64, Century 32
 Century 9 18 3 8 — 38
 Jerome 19 11 17 17 — 64
 CENTURY (32)
 Erika Pattie 2, Brooke Dial 7, Olivia Anderson 4, Brook Ferro 3, Tasi Kelemetele 8, Jenna Ellis 2, Charlette Minor 1, Lynnsie Toggai 2, Jennifer Donaldson 2, Janika Johnson 1. Totals 11 8-16 32.
 JEROME (64)
 Aubree Callen 20, Hailey Long 8, Carrie Thibault 11, Sydney Sutter 2, Tinley Garey 2, Jordann Hollifield 3, Baylie Smith 11, Allison Bruckner 6, Jasmine Branch 1. Totals 24 13-19 64.
 3-point goals: Century 2 (Ferro, Dial); Jerome 3 (Callen 2, Thibault). Total fouls: Century 18, Jerome 18. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Lawyers: Is sheriff too aggressive in Phelps case?

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — Even if a South Carolina sheriff is successful in building a marijuana case against swimming superstar Michael Phelps, it might be hard to make the charges stick, defense attorneys say.

The case took a turn Thursday when lawyers for two people said their clients were among eight arrested last week and questioned at length about the November party near the University of South Carolina where Phelps was photographed smoking from a marijuana pipe. At the time, the men were renters at the house.

The effort to prosecute Phelps on what would be at most a minor drug charge seem extreme compared to similar cases, lawyers said, and have led some to question whether the sheriff is being overzealous because he's dealing with a celebrity.

"The efforts that are being made here are unlike anything I've ever seen before," said Jack Swerling, a defense attorney in South Carolina. "I know Leon Lott, I know him to be an honorable guy. I've known him for 30 something years. But the efforts here are extraordinary on simple possession cases."

After the photo was Phelps was published Feb. 11, Richland County Sheriff Leon Lott said his office would investigate and possibly

charge Phelps, though officials have not specified what the offense might be. Since then, authorities have released little information, and the sheriff's department refused to talk again Thursday.

Lott has made fighting drug crimes a central plank. He rose from patrol officer to captain of the narcotics division in the early 1990s and was well-known in the county for wearing stylish suits like the drug agents on "Miami Vice" and driving a Porsche seized from a drug dealer. He was elected sheriff in 1996.

Lawyers for the two men say they were questioned almost exclusively about Phelps and charged with misdemeanor marijuana possession.

Authorities haven't contacted the swimmer, who issued an apology for his behavior earlier this month, one of his agents said.

"Michael has not been contacted and we are not going to speculate," said agent Drew Johnson.

Defense attorney Dick Harpootlian and fellow defense attorney Joseph McCulloch said deputies searched at least two houses. The men told their lawyers the raids went down like a major drug bust, and 12 deputies burst into the home with guns drawn, pulling small amounts of marijuana from those arrested.

Several computers and stor-

age devices were also seized, Harpootlian said.

The lawyers did not release the names of their clients, but Harpootlian said that his client didn't even see Phelps smoke marijuana at the party. McCulloch said his client was out of town, and only lived at the home when the party happened. Both men have since moved.

"After they arrested him, they didn't ask him where did you get the marijuana or who sold it to you. Almost all the questions they asked him were about Michael Phelps," Harpootlian said. He added: "It was like they were busting the biggest heroin distributor in the country."

The investigators appear to be trying to build a case against Phelps from others — a tactic normally used to bring down drug dealers with a large amounts of cocaine or methamphetamine, not someone who smoked marijuana five months ago, said Chip Price, a Greenville attorney who has dealt with drug cases for 33 years.

"Never have I seen anything like this on a simple marijuana case," Price said.

McCulloch, who said his client was out of town at the time, doubted that anything his client told authorities would assist them in the case against Phelps.

"It seems to me that Richland County has a host of

its own crime problems much more serious than a kid featured in a photograph with a bong in his hand," he said.

Investigators don't need to have the marijuana Phelps may have had that night to make a case against him, although the lack of physical evidence makes things a lot tougher. They will need several witnesses saying they were at the party, smoked marijuana in that pipe and saw Phelps smoke it too, said Swerling.

There's one more problem with the case, too. Even if Phelps is charged, authorities may not be able to get him back to South Carolina to face a judge. State law only allows extradition for charges that carry more than a year in prison — and possession of one ounce or less of marijuana is a misdemeanor that carries 30 days in jail for first offenders.

Phelps lives and trains in Baltimore, and if Richland County authorities were serious about hauling him in on a misdemeanor drug charge, city police would be willing to help, said Col. John Skinner, chief of patrol for the department.

But if Phelps were arrested in Baltimore, it would be up to South Carolina to extradite him. Prosecutors sometimes decide against bringing defendants in from out of state to face minor charges, Skinner said.

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Selig on A-Rod: 'Shamed the game'

TAMPA, Fla. — Unable to punish Alex Rodriguez for flunking a drug test that was supposed to be anonymous, Bud Selig could only chastise him.

"What Alex did was wrong and he will have to live with the damage he has done to his name and reputation," the commissioner said Thursday, three days after the Yankees star admitted using banned substances from 2001-2003 while playing for the Texas Rangers.

"While Alex deserves credit for publicly confronting the issue, there is no valid excuse for using such substances, and those who use them have shamed the game," Selig said. Rodriguez's admission followed a Sports Illustrated report that he was on a list of 104 players who tested positive for steroids in 2003, when testing was intended only to determine the extent of steroid use in baseball.

"It is important to remember that these recent revelations relate to pre-program activity."

— Bud Selig

The results were seized by the government in 2004 and remain under seal.

Because it was an anonymous test and because Rodriguez's confession involved years before the drug agreement took effect, there is little Selig can do in terms of punishment.

Players and owners didn't agree to a joint drug program until August 2002, and testing with punishment didn't start until 2004.

"It is important to remember that these recent revelations relate to pre-program activity," Selig said. "Under our current drug program, if you are caught using steroids and/or amphetamines, you will be punished. Since 2005, every player who has tested positive for steroids has been suspended for as much as 50 games."

Yankees manager Joe Girardi, speaking after his first staff meeting of spring training, said he wasn't sure whether he wanted Rodriguez to address the team. Position players are due to report Tuesday and start workouts the following day.

"If it's in his heart, yes, I would, but if it's not, that's OK, too," he said.

In 2008, there were three major league violations and 68 minor league violations for performance-enhancing drugs. So far this year, there have been two major league and three minor league violations.

"We are fully committed to ridding our game of steroids and other performance-enhancing substances. These drugs and those who use them and facilitate their use threaten the integrity of our sport," Selig said. "But we will not rest or relax our efforts until the use of these illegal drugs are gone from baseball."

JUDGE DISMISSES BULK OF MCNAMEE DEFAMATION SUIT

HOUSTON — A federal judge dismissed most of Roger Clemens' defamation lawsuit against his former personal trainer on Thursday, saying statements made in the Mitchell Report on doping in baseball are protected. Brian McNamee has told federal agents, baseball investigator George Mitchell and a House of Representatives committee that he injected Clemens more than a dozen times with steroids and human growth hormone from 1998-2001.

McNamee's attorneys said Clemens' lawsuit should be thrown out because McNamee was compelled to cooperate by federal investigators.

U.S. District Judge Keith Ellison agreed, but he left in McNamee's statements to Andy Pettitte, Clemens' former New York Yankees teammate. McNamee told Pettitte that Clemens had used HGH and steroids.

Ellison said Clemens must file an amended complaint within 30 days to pursue that

claim further and provide specific information about how he was harmed by the statements.

Earl Ward, one of McNamee's attorneys, said the decision was a total victory for McNamee and proof that Clemens' lawsuit never had merit.

INTERNAL IRS PROBE OF BALCO AGENT SURFACES

SAN FRANCISCO — The government's lead sports doping investigator and several other Internal Revenue Service agents have been



cleared of any wrongdoing in a raid on the home of Barry Bonds' personal trainer.

When federal agents raided the home of Bonds' trainer, Greg Anderson, on Sept. 3, 2003, they seized \$63,920 from a safe and a drawer in his kitchen. Less than a month later, \$600 went missing, and several IRS agents, including BALCO investigator

Jeff Novitzky, were placed under investigation.

According to court documents filed Thursday, the IRS' yearlong internal investigation concluded that "it did not identify who was responsible for taking the missing \$600."

But the investigation has become an issue in Bonds' upcoming trial and in the case of cyclist Tammy Thomas, who was convicted last year of lying to a grand jury when she denied using steroids.

— The Associated Press



In this Jan. 17, 2008 file photo, baseball commissioner Bud Selig addresses the media during a news conference in Scottsdale, Ariz. Selig says Alex Rodriguez has 'shamed the game,' though the commissioner indicated no plans to punish the three-time AL MVP.

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2009 MERCURY MARINER HYBRID SUV

NEW ENGINE, BETTER PERFORMANCE!

RoadWorthy!
By Ken Chester, Jr.
Motor News Media Corporation

With the benefits of a complete redesign inside and out last year, the Mariner Hybrid SUV features a look of enhanced style and refinement that defines the Mercury brand moving forward. The Mariner Hybrid is a full hybrid, meaning it automatically switches between pure electric power, pure gasoline engine power or combined operation to maximize efficiency and performance. Its gasoline engine and electric motor work in concert, providing performance similar to that of a V6 engine. In less demanding situations, the Mariner Hybrid can run on its electric motor alone (at speeds up to 25 mph), its gasoline engine alone, or the most efficient combination of the two.

Full hybrids achieve their greatest improvement in fuel economy during stop-and-go driving. This is when the electric motor is most efficient. In fact the Mariner Hybrid delivers approximately 80 percent better fuel economy in city driving than the conventional V6 Mariner, and can travel more than 500 miles in city driving on a single tank of gasoline.

Available in front-wheel or intelligent all-wheel drive (AWD) configurations, power for the Mariner Hybrid is provided by the following key components: a new-for-2009 2.5L four-cylinder-gasoline engine featuring Atkinson-cycle combustion; a 70 kW electric traction motor; a generator-motor to recharge the batteries, start the engine and regulate the blend of the gasoline engine and electric traction motor; a 330-volt nickel-metal-hydrate battery pack located and sealed at the rear load floor to store electrical energy; a special electronically controlled continuously variable transmission (eCVT) takes power from the different sources and delivers it through the drive wheels to the pavement; and an electronic vehicle system controller manages charging,



drive assist and engine-starting functions. This device shuts the engine down during coasting and at stoplights to save fuel. It also converts the traction motor into a generator during braking to help recharge the batteries.

Additional fuel efficiency improvements include new low-rolling resistance tires; exterior aerodynamic refinements featuring a redesigned front bumper spoiler and new rear fire spoilers; and Electric Power Steering Assist (EPAS) that replaces the traditional hydraulic power steering pump, resulting in lower fuel consumption.

Mariner Hybrid's unibody construction and four-wheel independent suspension contribute to its car-like ride and handling. For 2009, the Mercury hybrid SUV's suspension is revised and retuned, with the addition of a new rear stabilizer bar and revised shock absorber tuning, to help deliver a balance of enhanced ride comfort and handling confidence. The steering system was also retuned for better control and tighter cornering capabilities.

Inside the cabin, the last year's all-new interior features more upscale appointments, new innovative storage

options and improved comfort and quietness. The Mariner Hybrid features Mercury's first use of a top of dash display positioned at eye level on the dashboard, which shows ambient temperature, radio functions and climate-control readouts. This simple, efficient design puts much of the vehicle's information in one place at the top of the dashboard, making it easier to reference when driving.

The Mariner Hybrid is also equipped with Ice Blue interior lighting. The cool blue lighting replaces the traditional green on the instrument cluster, center

console, steering wheel controls and the door lock and window switches. Ice Blue presents a cool, crisp, easy-on-the-eyes light for night driving and enhances the overall feel of the interior.

Mariner Hybrid's center console boasts best-in-class storage volume with space for a laptop computer. Two innovative storage bins fit snugly inside the center console, or can be removed and hung on dovetail mounting points on the front passenger side and rear of the console for additional storage.

2009 Mercury Mariner Hybrid SUV

By The Numbers

PRICING

The base Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price (MSRP) for the 2009 Mercury Mariner Hybrid SUV starts from \$ 30,090 for the FWD model and \$31,840 for AWD. Destination charges add \$725.

DIMENSIONS & SPECIFICATIONS

Wheelbase: 103.1; overall length: 174.7; width: 71.1; height: 67.7 - All vehicle measurements are in inches.

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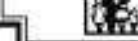
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RUPERT 200 acres North of Rupert. A&B water, pivot & wheel line irrigated. Call Pete, 208-431-3003.

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SUDOKU

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Conceptis Sudoku By Dave Green

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Answer to previous puzzle

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602 Unfurnished Homes

BUHL 1 bdrm, 1 bath, \$425 + deposit. 724 Walnut 208-423-4557 or 909-881-2045

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BUHL Clean 2 bdrm, 1 bath, no pets/smoking \$550 + \$550 deposit. 208-404-1834

FILER 1 bedroom, 1 bath. \$350 month. \$300 deposit. Call 208-731-0919

FILER Clean & spacious, newer 3 bdrm, 2 bath, with dbl car garage, great corner lot. \$695 + dep. No pets. Refs. 326-5887

FILER Cute 3 bdrm, 1 bath house, large yard, sprinkler system, no smoking/pets, 1 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 1st + last + cleaning & pet deposit. \$775/mo. 3625 N. 2200 E. B. 208-731-7218

FILER Ranch acres, large double wide, 3 bdrm, W/D hookups, new carpet, central heating/AC, small animals ok, horse corral, 1st + last + cleaning & pet deposit. \$775/mo. 3625 N. 2200 E. B. 208-731-7218

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SHOSHONE 2 bedroom, 1 bath, quiet setting, refs, no pets. Call 208-731-0073.

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TWIN FALLS 1 year old, very clean, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, \$695 month. No smoking. 402 Lacasa Loop. Call Bob at 208-539-6619.

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TWIN FALLS Near CSI, updated 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double garage, fenced yard, \$910 month. Call 208-316-0311 or 539-2009

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TWIN FALLS newer 3 bdrm house w/auto sprinklers, quiet neighborhood, hot tub RV parking, avail 3/15 \$1100 + dep. 208-734-53

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KIMBERLY Studio \$280/mo. 324 Highway 30 #1 208-539-1403

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Teenage girl second-guesses engagement to impatient beau

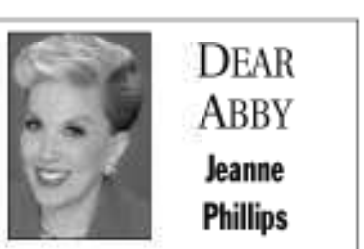
DEAR ABBY: I am 16 but will be 17 in a few months. I have known my boyfriend, "Gabriel," for two years. He is my first boyfriend.

After four months of dating, Gabriel has asked me to marry him, and I said yes. He had been hinting about an engagement, and I didn't have the heart to say otherwise. Gabriel is very dear to me, but I keep hearing people say, "Keep your options open." I told Gabriel that I am young (he's 18), and I want to take it slowly, but he says if I break up with him to date other guys, he will never date me again.

Abby, I want to make sure Gabriel is the person I want to spend the rest of my life with. Sometimes I wish I hadn't started dating him because I feel too young to be engaged or married. I love Gabriel dearly. I don't want to break his heart or mine. I am also scared I might mess up this relationship. What should I do to make myself believe that I have found my true love?

—STUCK IN OKLAHOMA

DEAR STUCK: You should have been absolutely honest with Gabriel from the beginning. When you have found your own true love, you won't have to "make



DEAR ABBY
Jeane Phillips

yourself" believe it. You will know it.

Gabriel is pressuring you because he is afraid if you start dating others he won't measure up. For both your sakes, tell him that you are not ready to make the kind of commitment he is demanding. He may not like hearing it, but it is the truth. You won't break his heart, and once you have done it, you will feel a sense of relief.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been married almost five years. Our wedding present from his sister and her husband—who owns a video production company—was supposed to be our wedding video.

Abby, we still have not received it or seen it. We have asked for it many times, and his answer is always, "I'm working on it." It's really sad. I now have two children, and this has become a sore

subject. What can I do to get it without causing any more drama in the family?

—YEARNING TO SEE IT IN NEW ORLEANS

DEAR YEARNING: What can you do to get it? FORget it! Either the video was lost or something went wrong with the camera during your wedding, and your brother-in-law didn't have the courage to fess up. Shame on him.

DEAR ABBY: I am confused. What is the rule of etiquette for buying drinks these days? I feel as though I am required to buy drinks for women whenever I am out, but I can't afford to keep this up. I'm afraid if I don't offer, I will be regarded as cheap.

I'm not dating anyone, but I still feel like it is my "macho duty" whenever I'm out with female friends or meeting women. What is the acceptable social protocol?

—J.G. IN COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS

DEAR J.G.: Things have changed a lot over the last 20 years or so. Many women prefer to buy their own drinks these days. While it is sweet of you to offer, you are under no social obligation to do so. My advice to you is to be less quick on the draw.

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Jeraldine Saunders

while still getting a handle on the latest catch phrases. Thrill your audience by remaining current.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Slow down to smell the flowers. If you are in too much of a hurry, you might miss seeing the helpful people who may appear. Count on loyal supporters to rally around your long-range plans.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Follow your heart. Listen to your intuitions before you act on matters of major importance and you won't go very far wrong. Live up to promises to gain recognition and climb the ladder of success.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): The thinking space between your ears is immeasurable. Anything you can dream of doing is probably entirely possible. Allow the mind to work faithfully in the background unencumbered by negativity.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Smooth sailing is to be expected in career or relationship areas. Sidestep unreasonable people and emotional situations for the best results. Those who are the

soul of honor receive the highest accolades.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Don't be too wrapped up in temporary distractions that interfere with the day's work. Tonight you may get an opportunity to act out romantic fantasies at home. Turn on your love light tonight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): The odds are good that you might have the goods. Be ready to accept proposals, offers and invitations. Take a few minutes to put a few dollars into your favorite piggy bank for future use.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You can become known as a business strategy ninja. You can hit the jackpot if you are given an opportunity to combine a rolled-up-shirt-sleeves work ethic with an inspired sense of what is possible.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Pretty is as pretty does. Put your money to work for you with an eye to the future. Your judgment is better than usual in regards to long range planning and helpful assistance is available if needed.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A significant romantic relationship may move along according to the storybook outline. Ignore your fleeting doubts. If you are sincere and honest about your feelings there will be a happy ending.

Today is Friday, Feb. 13, the 44th day of 2009. There are 321 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On Feb. 13, 1935, a jury in Flemington, N.J., found Bruno Richard Hauptmann guilty of first-degree murder in the kidnap-slaying of the son of Charles and Anne Lindbergh. (Hauptmann was later executed.)

On this date:
In 1542, the fifth wife of England's King Henry VIII, Catherine Howard, was executed for adultery.

In 1741, Andrew Bradford of Pennsylvania published the first American magazine. Titled "The American Magazine, or A Monthly View of the Political State of the British Colonies," it lasted three issues.

In 1914, the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, known as ASCAP, was founded in New York.

In 1920, the League of Nations recognized the perpetual neutrality of Switzerland.

TODAY IN HISTORY

In 1939, Justice Louis D. Brandeis retired from the U.S. Supreme Court. (He was succeeded by William O. Douglas.)

In 1945, during World War II, Allied planes began bombing the German city of Dresden. The Soviets captured Budapest, Hungary, from the Germans.

In 1960, France exploded its first atomic bomb, in the Sahara Desert.

In 1980, the 13th Winter Olympics opened in Lake Placid, N.Y.

In 1984, Konstantin Chernenko was chosen to be general secretary of the Soviet Communist Party's Central Committee, succeeding the late Yuri Andropov.

In 1988, the 15th winter Olympics opened in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

Ten years ago: In his weekly radio address, President Bill Clinton said as many as 4,000

American troops would go to Kosovo as part of a NATO peace-keeping force if warring Serbs and ethnic Albanians were to reach a political settlement. A federal judge held American Airlines' pilots union and two top board members in contempt and promised sizable fines against them, saying the union did not do enough to encourage pilots to return to work after a court order.

Five years ago: President George W. Bush, trying to calm a political storm, ordered the release of his Vietnam-era military records to counter Democrats' suggestions that he'd shirked his duty in the Texas Air National Guard.

One year ago: Under oath and sometimes blistering questioning, seven-time Cy Young Award winner Roger Clemens told Congress: "I have never taken steroids or HGH." Hollywood writers ended their 100-day strike that had disrupted the TV season and canceled awards shows. Japanese movie director Kon Ichikawa died in Tokyo at age 92.

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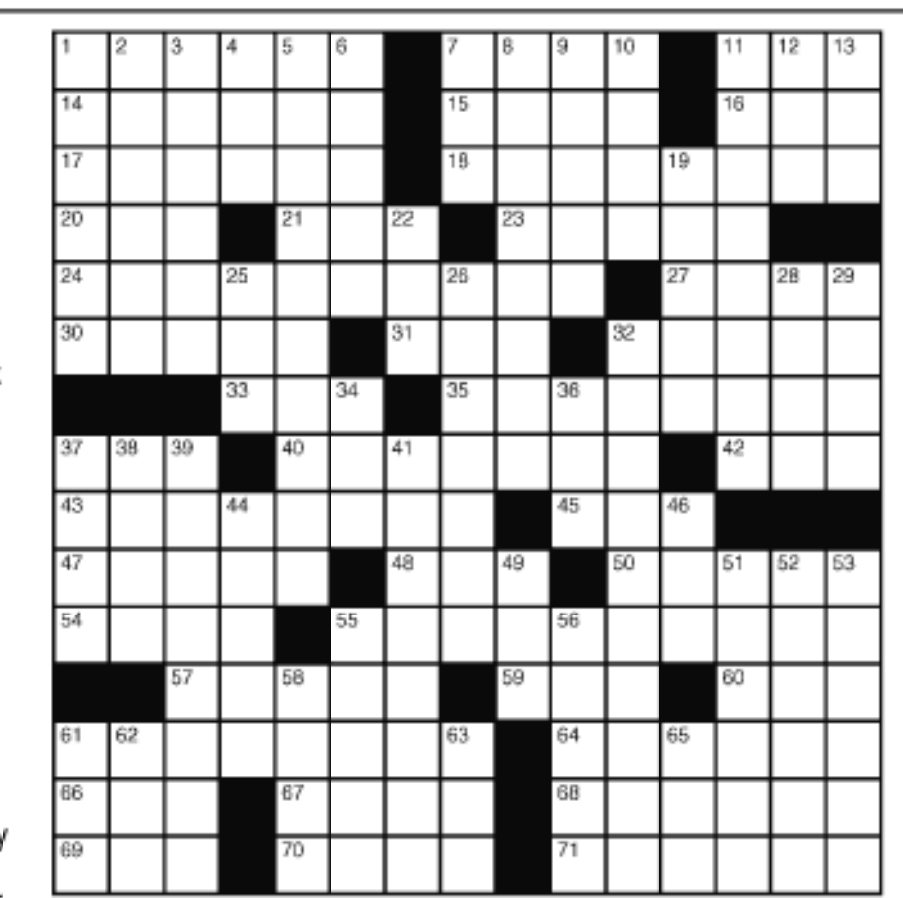
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- 50 Easy wins
- 54 Boy with a bow
- 55 Merchant's partner in films
- 57 Counter
- 59 Big time unit
- 60 Make free
- 61 Possible course of events
- 64 Do up
- 66 "Ben-__"
- 67 Capital of West Germany
- 68 Relaxing
- 69 Bradley and Begley
- 70 Cogito __ sum
- 71 Land

DOWN

- 1 Walks heavily
- 2 Pick again
- 3 Ms. Gandhi
- 4 Part of GTE
- 5 Self-absorbed



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Thursday's Puzzle Solved



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- 6 Change prices
- 7 Element classification
- 8 Angel Gabriel's salutation
- 9 Accepted as fact
- 10 Citrus drinks
- 11 Dignified bearing
- 12 Part of m.p.g.
- 13 Writer Tan
- 19 Moroccan capital
- 22 Relative pronoun
- 25 Sermon subject
- 26 Bilbo Baggins' portrayer
- 28 Regan's father
- 29 Cooking meas.
- 32 Disinfect, as pool water
- 34 Actor Linden
- 36 Become a jelly
- 37 Speed along
- 38 Eastern ruler
- 39 Ones with a bias

- 41 Making folds
- 44 Already up
- 46 11
- 49 Cost to play
- 51 Human
- 52 Man with a mission?
- 53 Greenstreet of Hollywood

- 55 Peer among peers
- 56 Until now
- 58 Infant
- 61 Personal pronoun
- 62 Bovine's chew
- 63 Lennon's Yoko
- 65 Red or Yellow

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 Loan No 0071697320 TS No 039-002981 On 5/12/2009, at 11:00 a.m. (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho: Lobby of Title Fact 163 4th Avenue North Twin Falls, ID 83301 Transation Title & Escrow, Inc., a Delaware Corporation, as Trustee on behalf of Land America OneStop, Inc. will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all property at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 6 IN BLOCK 1 OF GRANDVIEW MESA SUBDIVISION NO. 2, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN BOOK 15 OF PLATS, PAGE 29, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 832 SAGE MESA CT., 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 JOHN BURROUGHS and ANITA BURROUGHS, HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor/Trustor, in which NATION ONE MORTGAGE COMPANY, INC., is named as Beneficiary and FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY as Trustee and recorded 7/30/1999 as Instrument No. 1999-014184 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 7/29/1999. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,024.57, due per month for the months of 4/1/2008 through 12/30/2008, 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 \$118,676.64 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 8.25000 per cent (%) per annum from 3/1/2008. 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 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. Date: 12/31/08 Transation Title & Escrow, Inc. a Delaware Corporation By: Lynn Darling, AVP THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. ASAP# 2988500

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
 Corral Creek South Hydro, LLC
 Project No. 13314-000

Notice of Preliminary Permit Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene and Competing Applications
 (February 4, 2009)

On November 5, 2008, Corral Creek South Hydro, LLC filed an application, pursuant to section 4(f) of the Federal Power Act (FPA), proposing to study the feasibility of the Corral Creek South Pumped Storage Project to be located in Twin Falls County, Idaho on federal land administered by the Bureau of Land Management. The proposed project would be closed loop and would not be built on an existing body of water. The proposed project would consist of: (1) an upper earthen dam with a height of 180 feet and a length of 8,400 feet; (2) an upper reservoir with a surface area of 118 acres, a capacity of 9,120 acre-feet, and a maximum pool elevation of 6,620 feet msl; (3) a lower earthen dam with a height of 200 feet and a length of 4,140 feet; (4) a lower reservoir with a surface area of 113 acres, a capacity of 10,880 acre-feet, and a maximum pool elevation of 5,500 feet msl; (5) a 30 foot diameter, 4,710 foot long penstock; (6) a powerhouse containing 10 pump/turbine units with a total installed capacity of 3,100 MW; (7) a 10.6 mile long, 500 kV transmission line and; (8) appurtenant facilities. The proposed project would have an annual production of 3,212 GWh which would be sold to a local utility. Applicant Contact: Brent L. Smith, P.O. Box 535, Rigby, Idaho, 83442 (208) 745-0834. FERC Contact: Steven Sachs (202) 502-8666. Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, competing applications (without notices of intent), or notices of intent to file competing applications: 60 days from the issuance of this notice. Comments, motions to intervene, notices of intent and competing applications may be filed electronically via the internet. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's website under the "e-Filing" link. If unable to be filed electronically, documents may be paper-filed. To paper-file, an original and eight copies should be mailed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426. For more information on how to submit these types of filings please go to the Commission's website located at <http://www.ferc.gov/filing-comments.asp>. More information about this project can be viewed or printed on the "eLibrary" link of the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov/tdocs-filing/eLibrary.asp>. Enter the docket number (P-13314) in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, call toll-free 1-866-208-3372. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary.

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NOTICE OF LETTING
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS *Corrected*

Twin Falls County is requesting proposals from interested persons for the removal of four homes located on County property. The homes are located at 141 Rose Street North (occupied), 151 Rose Street North (occupied), 161 Rose Street North, and 227 6th Avenue North. The County will allow the homes to be either demolished and the rubble hauled away or moved completely from the site. The lot shall be returned to a graded, buildable condition. Proposals shall include the following: cover letter, five bound copies of the proposal including detailed timeline for complete the project, cost, a description of experience associated with this type of work, and copies of current liability and workmen's compensation insurance as well as all state required licenses. The County will review all proposals to ensure that each has met the submission requirements and reserves the right to reject any and all proposals. Twin Falls County will not pay any costs incurred in the preparation of the proposal. This Request for Proposal is not a contract or a commitment of any kind by Twin Falls County and does not commit the County to award a contract. Proposals must be received in a sealed envelope clearly marked "House Removal Proposal" no later than the close of business, 5 p.m. Mountain Standard Time, on Wednesday, March 4, 2009. Questions for regarding this Request for Proposals may be submitted in writing no later than Wednesday, February 25, 2009. Proposals will be opened by the Twin Falls County Board of County Commissioners on Monday, March 9, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. Mountain Standard Time in the County Commissioners' Office, 425 Shoshone St. North, 4th Floor, Twin Falls, Idaho. Dated this 6 day of February, 2009. /s/ George Urie, George Urie, Chairman ATTEST: /s/ Kristina Glascock, Kristina Glascock, Clerk PUBLISH: Friday, February 13, 2009 Monday, March 2, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 5, 2009 File No.: 7023.14170 Sale date and time (local time): June 08, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Cassia County Courthouse, 1459 Overland Ave. Burley, ID 83318 Property address: 133 South 400 East Rupert, ID 83350 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Rodney Dale Fairchild and Rebecca Lynn Fairchild, husband and wife Original trustee: First American Title Insurance Company Original beneficiary: Headlands Mortgage Company, a California Corporation Recording date: October 21, 1997 Recorder's instrument number: 251804, Film No. 292 County: Cassia Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 5, 2009: \$110,566.49 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Parcel No. 1: Township 9 South, Range 25 East of the Boise Meridian, Cassia County, Idaho. Section 31: Part of Lot 2, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the W1/4 corner of said Section 31, said corner marked by a 5/8 inch rebar with a 3 inch Cassia County Survey cap on top; thence North 00 degrees 21'02" East along the West section line for a distance of 906.29 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 81 degrees 23'01" East for a distance of 211.09 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 80 degrees 18'12" East for a distance of 610.93 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar which shall be the Point of Beginning; thence North 79 degrees 27'31" East for a distance of 284.54 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 09 degrees 58'58" East for a distance of 171.22 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 79 degrees 00'58" West for a distance of 160.33 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 83 degrees 09'08" West for a distance of 129.15 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 08 degrees 19'53" West for a distance of 164.25 feet to the Point of Beginning. Parcel No. 2: Township 9 South, Range 25 East of the Boise Meridian, Cassia County, Idaho. Section 31: Part of Lot 2, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the W1/4 corner of said Section 31, said corner marked by a 5/8 inch rebar with a 3 inch Cassia County Survey cap on top; thence North 00 degrees 21'02" East along the West section line for a distance of 906.29 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 81 degrees 23'01" East for a distance of 211.09 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 80 degrees 18'12" East for a distance of 610.93 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 79 degrees 27'31" East for a distance of 284.54 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 09 degrees 58'58" East for a distance of 171.22 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar which shall be the Point of Beginning; thence North 79 degrees 00'58" East for a distance of 100.13 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 08 degrees 03'41" East for a distance of 127.98 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 80 degrees 34'40" West for a distance of 263.64 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 06 degrees 25'48" West for a distance of 121.01 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence North 79 degrees 00'58" East for a distance of 160.33 feet to the Point of Beginning. Parcel No. 3: Easement for ingress and egress for the benefit of Parcels No. 1 & 2, as created by Gift Deed executed by Byron Dale Fairchild and LaRaine Fairchild, husband and wife to Rodney Dale Fairchild and Rebecca Lynn Fairchild, husband and wife dated April 23, 1997 and recorded May 5, 1997 as Instrument No. 248821 on Film No. 286, records of Cassia County, Idaho, over and across the following described property: Township 9 South, Range 25 East of the Boise Meridian, Cassia County, Idaho. Section 31: Part of Lot 2, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the W1/4 corner of said Section 31, said corner marked by a 5/8 inch rebar with a 3 inch Cassia County Survey cap on top; thence North 00 degrees 21'02" East along the West section line for a distance of 906.29 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar which shall be the Point of Beginning; thence North 00 degrees 21'02" East for a distance of 30.37 feet; thence North 81 degrees 23'01" East for a distance of 206.07 feet; thence North 80 degrees 18'12" East for a distance of 610.42 feet; thence North 79 degrees 27'31" East for a distance of 186.58 feet; thence South 10 degrees 32'29" East for a distance of 30.00 feet; thence South 79 degrees 27'31" West for a distance of 186.80 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 80 degrees 18'12" West for a distance of 610.93 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; thence South 81 degrees 23'01" West for a distance of 211.09 feet to the Point of Beginning. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.14170) 1002.85849-FEI PUBLISH: Feb 13, 20, 27 and March 6, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0002730 Title Order No. 090034305IDGNO Parcel No. RPF 84710020060 The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of Alliance Title & Escrow located at 1411 Falls Ave. East, Suite 1315, Twin Falls, ID 83301., on 06/09/2009 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 09/29/2006 as Instrument Number 2006-021745, and executed by RUSSELL J SHERMAN, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE & SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: LOT 6 IN BLOCK 2 OF GOLDEN SPUR SUBDIVISION NO.8, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK 19 OF PLATS AT PAGE(S) 17, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 601 YAKIMA, FILER, ID 83328 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 IRA J BRYANT & MARY F BRYANT, HUSBAND & WIFE as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. is named as Beneficiary and FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY as Trustee and recorded 1/31/2006 as Instrument No 2008-002562 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 1/27/2006 The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$927.06, due per month for the months of 8/1/2008 through 1/14/2009, 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 \$106,741.77 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 6.25000 per cent (%) per annum from 7/1/2008. 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 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. Date: 1/15/09 Transcription Title & Escrow, Inc., a Delaware Corporation By: Lynn Darling, AVP THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. ASAP# 2972860 PUBLISH: Jan 23, 30, Feb 6 and 13, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0002728 Title Order No. 090034300IDGNO Parcel No. RP10518E051241 The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of Alliance Title & Escrow located at 1411 Falls Ave. East, Suite 1315, Twin Falls, ID 83301., on 06/09/2009 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 06/10/2005 as Instrument Number 2005-012411, and executed by WADE VAWDREY, MARRIED MAN AS TO SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: Township 10 South, Range 18 East of the Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, Idaho Section 5: A parcel of land being parcel Number 33 of the 2nd Amended Plat of Prescott Acres, as recorded in Miscellaneous plats of Twin Falls County, Idaho and more particularly described as follows: The East 214 feet of the following described property: Commencing at the East Quarter corner of said Section 5; Thence North 89°18'20" West along the South boundary of the N1/2 of Section 5 for a distance of 2610.00 feet to the True Point of Beginning; Thence continuing North 89°18'20" West along the South boundary of the N1/2 of Section 5 for a distance of 655.00 feet; Thence North 41°54'37" East for a distance of 676.66 feet; Thence South 89°61'20" East parallel with the South boundary of the N1/2 Section 5 for a distance of 207.98 feet; Thence South 00°33'44" West for a distance of 509.00 feet to the True Point of Beginning. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of 3449 EAST 4058 NORTH, KIMBERLY, ID 83341 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 07/01/2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.400% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$165,129.22, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 01/30/2009 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 90028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Amanda Roese, Team Member ASAP# 2984800 PUBLISH: Feb 6, 13, 20 and 27, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0002730 Title Order No. 090034305IDGNO Parcel No. RPF 84710020060 The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of Alliance Title & Escrow located at 1411 Falls Ave. East, Suite 1315, Twin Falls, ID 83301., on 06/09/2009 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 09/29/2006 as Instrument Number 2006-021745, and executed by RUSSELL J SHERMAN, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE & SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: LOT 6 IN BLOCK 2 OF GOLDEN SPUR SUBDIVISION NO.8, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK 19 OF PLATS AT PAGE(S) 17, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of 1002 LAUREN LANE , FILER, ID 83328 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 09/01/2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 6.750% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$179,908.85, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 01/30/2009 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 90028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Amanda Roese, Team Member ASAP# 2984798 PUBLISH: Feb 6, 13, 20 and 27, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Loan No. 17109111 T.S. No. ID-08-206271-TD On 5/13/2009, at 11:00:00 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, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee on behalf of Beal Bank 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: TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH RANGE 13 EAST BOISE MERIDIAN TWIN FALLS COUNTY IDAHO SECTION 12 N1 2NE1 4NW1 4 The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 835 E 3400 N, CASTLEFORD, ID 83321 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 SOLOMON BRITO AND VICI BRITO HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor/Trustor, in which ALLIANCE FUNDING, A DIVISION OF SUPERIOR BANK FSB, is named as Beneficiary and ALLIANCE TITLE & ESCROW CO as Trustee and recorded 8/3/2001 as Instrument No. 2001-014195 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 8/3/2001. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$2,292.48, due per month for the months of 4/1/2008 through 12/17/2008, 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 \$187,374.07 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 11.8700 per cent (%) per annum from 3/1/2008. 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 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. Date: 1/9/2009 By: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an 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.fidelitysas.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 exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified 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 your credit obligations. ASAP# 2971866 PUBLISH: Jan 23, 30, Feb 6 and 13, 2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS SMALL CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Case No. CV 09-466 SUMMONS WILSON-BATES, INC. Plaintiff(s) vs. GORBEN PETER VANDERZEE, CYNTHIA KAY VANDERZEE, Defendant(s). TO THE DEFENDANT(S): YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT a claim has been filed against you. The plaintiff(s) who filed the claim, the court with which the claim is filed, and the case number assigned to your case are listed above. IF YOU DISAGREE WITH THE CLAIM, AND IF YOU WANT TO CONTEST THE CLAIM, you must file an answer with the court within 20 days from the date you received this summons. IF YOU AGREE WITH THE CLAIM, AND DO NOT WISH TO CONTEST IT, NO ACTION NEED BE TAKEN BY YOU. IF YOU DO NOT FILE YOUR ANSWER with the court within 20 days, the court may enter judgment against you, for the money or personal property that the plaintiff asks for in the claim, plus the plaintiff's costs for filing the claim and serving you with notice of the claim. IF YOU FILE AN ANSWER, you will be mailed a notice with the date and time for a hearing, when the judge will hear your case. IF YOU DO NOT WANT A HEARING DO NOT FILE THE ANSWER. You should receive an ANSWER form along with this summons. You must use that form if you decide to file an answer. You can mail your answer to: Court Services, PO Box 126, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0126. The answer must be received by the court within the 20-day deadline. You should also have received a document called "INFORMATION FOR DEFENDANTS IN SMALL CLAIMS CASES" along with this summons. A more detailed booklet which will take you step-by-step through the small claims court process is available upon request from the Clerk of the District Court in your county. This booklet has important information that will help you prepare for your hearing. Favor de avisarnos antes de la fecha de la audiencia si usted necesitara un interprete en la corte. DATED THIS 26th day of January, 2009 By Deputy Clerk of Court PUBLISH: Jan 30, Feb 6, 13 and 20, 2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

Case No. CV-2009-219 SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION RUBY A. McALISTER, Plaintiff vs. ESTATES OF JOHN F. GILSON, SR. and MILDRED GILSON; and all unknown owners and claimants to any estate, title, or interest in the following described real property in Twin Falls County, Idaho: an undivided one half interest in well, pump, and water system and easement thereto, located in the northwest corner of Lot 4 of Gilson Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 9, page 30, records of said county and state, Defendants. TO: The above-captioned Defendants: you have been sued by Ruby A. McAlister, the Plaintiff, in the District Court in and for Twin Falls County, Idaho, Case No. CV-2009-219. The nature of the claim against you is an action quieting title to an undivided one half interest in a well, pump, water system, and easement thereto, located in the northwest corner of Lot 4 of Gilson Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 9, page 30, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. Any time after 20 days following the last publication of this summons, the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice, unless prior to that time you have filed a written response in the proper form, including the Case No., and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at 427 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, Tel. No of Clerk is 208-736-4025 and served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff's attorney - Dennis S. Vorhees at 112 Shoshone Street East - Key Bank Ctr - 2nd Level, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, Tel. no. of attorney is: 208-736-6000. A copy of the Summons and Complaint can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for Plaintiff. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter. DATED THIS 27th day of January, 2009. KRISTINA GLASCOCK, Clerk By: Deputy PUBLISH: Jan 30, Feb 6, 13 and 20, 2009

City of Hansen, Idaho FAIR HOUSING RESOLUTION (Population less than 5,000)

LET IT BE KNOWN TO ALL PERSONS of the City of Hansen that discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, or national origin in the sale, rental, leasing, or financing of housing or land to be used for the construction of housing, or in the provision of brokerage services is prohibited by Title VIII of the 1968 Civil Rights Act (Federal Fair Housing Law). It is the policy of the City Council to encourage equal opportunity in housing for all persons regardless of race, color, religion, gender, or national origin. The Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 expands coverage to include disabled persons and families with children. Therefore, the City does hereby pass the following Resolution. BE IT RESOLVED that within available resources, the City will assist all persons who feel they have been discriminated against because of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability, or familial status to seek equity under federal and state laws by filing a complaint with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, Compliance Division. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City shall publicize this Resolution and through this publicity shall encourage owners of real estate, developers, and builders to become aware of their respective responsibilities and rights under the Federal Housing Law and amendments and any applicable state or local laws or ordinances. SAID PROGRAM will at a minimum include, but not be limited to: (1) publicizing this policy through local media and community contacts; (2) distributing posters and flyers to community contacts to educate the public of their respective responsibilities and rights concerning equal opportunity in housing; (3) preparing fair housing outreach plan to identify local landlords, realtors, banks and lending institutions, to review zoning ordinances and to inform the community who is responsible for enforcing the jurisdiction's building code; and 4) declaring April as Fair Housing Month. This Resolution shall take effect this 10th day of November, 2008. /s/ Chad Urie, Mayor Attest: /s/ Linda Morrill, City Clerk PUBLISH: February 13, 2009

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF JEROME

Case No. CV 2009-56 NOTICE OF HEARING In the Interest of: JIMMY P. VALENZUELA, D.O.B. 10/05/1998 Child under 18 years of age.

TO: EDWARD VALENZUELA, father of the above-named minor child A Petition for Appointment of Guardian of a Minor has been filed by Patricia R. Provo in the above-entitled Court. Such Petition will be heard before the Honorable Thomas H. Borresen on Wednesday, March 18, 2009 at the hour of 9:00 o'clock AM, at the Jerome County Judicial Annex, 233 West Main Street, Jerome, Idaho.

PUBLISH: Jan 23, 30, Feb 6 and 13, 2009

TitleOne Corporation 1101 W. River Street, Ste 201 Boise, Idaho 83702 (208) 424-8511 Order No.: TS0900861

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 28th day of May, 2009, at the hour of 10:30 a.m. of this day (recognized local time), in the office of Jerome County Courthouse 300 N. Lincoln Avenue, Jerome, Idaho 83338, in the County of Jerome, State of Idaho, TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash or cashier's check (cash equivalent), in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Section 45-1506(9) Idaho Code, the following described real property, situated in Jerome County, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

Lot 5 in Block 154, Jerome Townsite, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the office of the Recorder of said county.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that according to the County Assessors office, the address of 317 W. Avenue G, Jerome, ID, 83338, 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 Tom Vaughn, an unmarried man, as Grantor(s), to TitleOne Corporation, an Idaho corporation, as successor trustee, and Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Lender, as Beneficiary, recorded November 4, 2005, as Instrument No. 2056207, and assigned to Chase Home Finance LLC by assignment recorded January 14, 2009, as Instrument No. 2090207, in the records of Jerome County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note, the monthly payments of \$385.20, due per month for the month of September 1, 2008 and all subsequent monthly payments of principal, interest, late charges and any miscellaneous fees thereafter. The Principal balance is \$37,057.83; the current interest rate is 8.0% per annum, as of January 7, 2009. All amounts are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

Dated: January 27, 2009 TITLEONE CORPORATION Successor Trustee By: Andrew Ford Jr. Trust Officer

PUBLISH: Jan 30, Feb 6, 13 and 20, 2009

Fair Housing Resolution Minidoka County, Idaho (Population of 5,000 and Up)

LET IT BE KNOWN TO ALL PERSONS OF Minidoka County that discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, gender or national origin in the sale, rental, leasing or financing of housing or land to be used for construction of housing or in the provision of brokerage services is prohibited by Title VIII of the 1968 Civil Rights Act (Federal Fair Housing Law). It is the policy of Minidoka County to encourage equal opportunity in housing for all persons regardless of race, color, religion, gender or national origin. The Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 expands coverage to include disabled persons and families with children. Therefore, the County of Minidoka does hereby pass the following Resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED that within available resources Minidoka County will assist all persons who feel they have been discriminated against because of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability or familial status to seek equity under federal and state laws by filing a complaint with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, Compliance Division.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Minidoka County shall publicize this Resolution and through this publicity shall encourage owners of real estate developers, and builders to become aware of their respective responsibilities and rights under the Federal Fair Housing Law and amendments and any applicable state or local laws or ordinances.

SAID PROGRAM will at a minimum include: 1) publicizing this policy and other applicable fair housing information through local media and community contacts; 2) distributing posters and flyers to inform the public of their respective responsibilities and rights concerning equal opportunity in housing; and 3) preparing an analysis of impediments to fair housing choice and actions to mitigate such impediments; and 4) declaring April as Fair Housing Month.

EFFECTIVE DATE This Resolution took effect March 2, 2006. This Resolution was reaffirmed February 26, 2007.

/s/Daniel Stapelman, Chairman Minidoka County Commissioners Attest: /s/Duane Smith County Clerk PUBLISH: February 13, 2009

PUBLIC NOTICE

Actions planned and taken by your government are contained in public notices. They are part of 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.

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ORDINANCE NO. 09-59

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLISS, IDAHO, AMENDING SECTION 2-3-1 OF THE BLISS MUNICIPAL CODE BY REQUIRING THE PAYMENT OF A NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT AT THE TIME OF MAKING APPLICATION FOR SERVICE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; BE IT THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL, of the City of Bliss, Idaho, as follows:

Section 1: Section 2-3-1of the Bliss Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows: 2-3-1: APPLICATION FOR SERVICE: It shall be unlawful for any person to make any connection to any water main or service pipe through which water is supplied by the City of water consumers or to interfere to tamper in any manner with such mains or pipes to use any water supplied by the City without first having made application to the Water Commissioner(s) on forms furnished by the City and having received the City's written consent. Application for the use of water from the Municipal waterworks system must be made at the office of the Clerk/Treasurer on printed forms furnished for that purpose. Every such application must be made by the owner or tenant of the property to be benefited, stating the lot and block on which it is to be used, and he must agree to conform to the rules and regulations established from time to time as a condition for the use of water.

All persons applying for water service, excepting Federal, State, County, Municipal, Religious or charitable institutions, shall make a cash deposit securing the credit and the payment for the water services to be rendered by the City. Any person exempted from making the cash deposit shall, upon thirty (30) days notice, be required to make a cash deposit if their account becomes delinquent by more than thirty (30) days.

The amount of the deposit to be paid shall be established by resolution of the City Council from time to time. One (1) deposit rate shall be required for residential customers and another deposit amount for all other customers. Upon a customer ceasing to be serviced by the City's water system, any balance remaining of the deposit shall be returned to the customer who paid the deposit upon proof of payment of all charges and fees through the date of final use. The City shall have the right to apply the deposit to the payment of all amounts due and owing from the customer, if the customer should fail to restore any such deposit so applied, upon ten (10) days notice in writing by the City, delivered personally or by mail, the City may without further notice discontinue the water service until the deposit is restored.

Section 2: This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and publication as required by law.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL this 21st day of January, 2009. SIGNED BY THE MAYOR this 21st day of January, 2009. CITY OF BLISS, IDAHO By: Mayor ATTEST: LESLIE LOPES, City Clerk

PUBLISH: February 13, 2009

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR LIVESTOCK CONFINEMENT OPERATION

THE JEROME COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON, March 30, 2009, at 7:15 p.m. in the Jerome County District Courtroom Room, located at 300 North Lincoln, Room 306, Jerome, Idaho, for the request of Carlos Flores for a Livestock Confinement Operation for 180 animal units intended to be a calf facility, consisting of approximately 1,200 head of Holstein calves raised from birth to 175 pounds and a variance to reduce the setback required for a waste water lagoon associated with a LCO from 300' to 50'. Location in A-1 Agriculture Zone is Parcel 7801, Tax 63 of NWSE in Section 2, Township 8 South, Range 16 EBM of Jerome County, Idaho; more commonly known as approximately 280 North 160 West, Jerome, Idaho.

The complete application is available for review between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. week days at the Planning and Zoning Office, 300 North Lincoln, Room 307, Jerome, Idaho.

All documentary evidence shall be submitted 7 days prior to the hearing in accordance with Jerome County Zoning Ordinance Chapter 23. Thirteen copies of all written evidence, objections and/or comments shall be provided to the P&Z Office for submission into the record. Additionally, a person present at the scheduled hearing may be allowed to present a one-sided document no larger than 8 1/2 inches x 11 inches that is sufficiently legible, handwritten or typed in type size not less than 12 point pica in any standard font provided the type may not be smaller than 12-point standard Times New Roman.

Principal representatives for the applicant shall have 20 minutes, the principal representative for the opposition shall have 15 minutes and each interested party shall have 3 minutes. Staff Reports are available 7 days prior to the Public Hearing at the P&Z Office.

Any person needing special accommodations to participate in the above noticed hearing should contact the Jerome County Planning and Zoning Office at 300 North Lincoln, Room 307, Jerome, Idaho, 208-324-9262, seven days prior to the meeting.

/s/Art Brown Planning and Zoning Administrator PUBLISH: February 13, 2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CASSIA

Case No. CV-2009-68 NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the Matter of the Estate of: CARL EDWARD OSTERHOUT and SARAH H. OSTERHOUT, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Glen Paul Osterhout has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named decedents. All persons having claims against the decedents or their estates are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, or filed with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 28th day of January, 2009. GLEN PAUL OSTERHOUT c/o Alfred E. Barrus Attorney at Law PO Box 487 Burley, Idaho 83318

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JUST LAW, INC. P.O. Box 50271 Idaho Falls, Idaho 83405 (208) 523-9106 FAX (208) 523-9146 Toll Free 1-800-923-9106

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On June 3, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock AM of said day, at Land Title and Escrow, Inc., 706 Main Street, Gooding, Idaho, JUST LAW, INC., as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Gooding, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:

See Attached Exhibit "A" Schedule A

TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, GOODING COUNTY, IDAHO

Section 6: Part of Government Lot 7 more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner for Section 6 marked with a steel pin and survey cap; Thence North 00°02'00" West 105.60 feet along the Westerly boundary of Section 6 to the Northerly Right-of-Way boundary for State Highway 20-26 Project F-2351(1) the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING;

Thence North 00°02'00" West 720.00 feet along the Westerly boundary of Section 6; Thence South 89°56'05" East 489.24 feet; Thence South 12°32'14" West 91.20 feet along an existing wood fence;

Thence South 78°43'10" East 217.86 feet; Thence South 87°02'16" East 155.60 feet; Thence North 29°07'39" East 10.16 feet; Thence South 39°54'25" East 159.07 feet; Thence South 22°55'37" West 283.61 feet to the center of a 40.00 feet in width Access Easement;

Thence South 03°22'30" East 206.73 feet along the center of said Access Easement to the Northerly Right-of-Way for State Highway 20-26;

Thence North 89°56'05" West 846.75 feet along said Northerly Right-of-Way to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING;

SUBJECT TO and together with, an Access Easement, 40.00 feet in width more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner for Section 6; Thence North 00°02'00" West 105.60 feet to the Northerly Right-of-Way boundary for State Highway 20-26;

Thence South 89°56'05" East 846.75 feet along said Right-of-Way to the center of said 40.00 feet in width Access Easement;

Thence North 03°22'30" West 206.73 feet along the center of said Easement to the end of said Easement;

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of 1216 A US Highway 26, Bliss, ID, is sometimes associated with the said real property.

This Trustee's Sale is subject to a bankruptcy filing, a payoff, a reinstatement or any other conditions of which the Trustee is not aware that would cause the cancellation of this sale. Further, if any of these conditions exist, this sale may be null and void, the successful bidder's funds shall be returned, and the Trustee and the Beneficiary shall not be liable to the successful bidder for any damages.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possessions or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by James A. Vail, an unmarried man, as Grantor(s) with Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded December 31, 2007, as Instrument No. 224714, in the records of Gooding County, Idaho.

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

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay the amount due under the certain Promissory Note and Deed of Trust, in the amounts called for thereunder as follows: Monthly payments in the amount of \$1,595.52 for the months of September 2008 through and including to the date of sale, together with late charges and monthly payments accruing. The sum owing on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$196,541.13 as principal, plus service charges, attorney's fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 8.125% from August 1, 2008, together with delinquent taxes plus penalties and interest to the date of sale.

The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated this 28th day of January, 2009. Sumeril Lynch Trust Officer for Just Law, Inc.

For information concerning this sale please contact Just Law, Inc. at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free 1-800-923-9106. Thank you.

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RESOLUTION No. 09-02-12b Fair Housing Resolution (Population Less Than 5,000)

LET IT BE KNOWN TO ALL PERSONS OF the City of Oakley that discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, gender or national origin in the sale, rental, leasing or financing of housing or land to be used for construction of housing or in the provision of brokerage services is prohibited by Title VIII of the 1968 Civil Rights Act (Federal Fair Housing Law).

It is the policy of the City of Oakley to encourage equal opportunity in housing for all persons regardless of race, color, religion, gender or national origin. The Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 expands coverage to include disabled persons and families with children. Therefore, this City does hereby pass the following Resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED that within the available resources the City will assist all persons who feel they have been discriminated against because of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability or familial status to seek equity under federal and state laws by filing a complaint with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, Compliance Division.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City shall publicize this Resolution and through this publicity shall encourage owners of real estate, developers, and builders to become aware of their respective responsibilities and rights under the Federal Fair Housing Law and amendments and any applicable state or local laws or ordinances.

SAID PROGRAM will at a minimum include: 1) publicizing this policy through local media and community contacts; 2) distributing posters and flyers to community contacts to educate the public of their respective responsibilities and rights concerning equal opportunity in housing; and 3) preparing a fair housing outreach plan to identify local landlords, realtors, banks and lending institutions, to review zoning ordinances for fair housing compliance, to identify the building code applicable to the jurisdiction and to inform the community who is responsible for enforcing the jurisdiction's building code; and 4) declaring April as Fair Housing month.

EFFECTIVE DATE This Resolution shall take effect on February 12, 2009.

/s/Georgia Dimick, Mayor City of Oakley ATTEST: /s/Beckie Clark City Clerk-Treasurer

PUBLISH: February 13, 2009

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Loan No. 101131399 T.S. No. ID-08-219311-TD On 5/13/2009, at 10:00:00 AM (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of CASSIA, State of Idaho: in the main office of Land Title & Escrow, 211 W. 13th St., Burley, ID 83318, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC, an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee on behalf of Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for the registered holders of New Century Home Equity Loan Trust, Series 2003-2, Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2003-2 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 CASSIA State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 9 IN BLOCK 1 OF FAIRMONT PARK DIVISION NO. 1 TO THE CITY OF BURLEY, CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO, AS THE SAME IS PLATTED IN THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 2690 Southview Place, Burley, ID 83318 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 MICHAEL SCOTT SMITH AND HEIDI ELIZABETH SMITH, HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor/Trustor, in which NEW CENTURY MORTGAGE CORPORATION, is named as Beneficiary and LAND TITLE as Trustee and recorded 5/24/2002 as Instrument No. 281698 in book , page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of CASSIA 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 5/22/2002. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$560.70, due per month for the months of 9/1/2008 through 12/9/2008, 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 \$59,808.44 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 11.2500 per cent (%) per annum from 8/11/2008. 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 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. Date: 1/9/2009

By: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC, an 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 exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified 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 your credit obligations. ASAP# 2971859

Dated this 28th day of January, 2009. Sumeril Lynch Trust Officer for Just Law, Inc.

For information concerning this sale please contact Just Law, Inc. at www.justlawidaho.com or Toll Free 1-800-923-9106. Thank you.

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