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## High-desert hydro Developers hope to see more hydropower near China Mountain

By Nate Poppino  
Times-News writer

The desert southwest of Rogerson could host a little more water in the near future, according to a proposal by a group of hydropower developers.

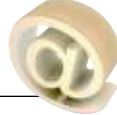
Symbiotics LLC, a multi-state company with offices in Rigby and Boise, is seeking permission from the U.S. Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to study building

a 1,100-megawatt pumped-storage hydropower project several miles west of Salmon Falls Creek Reservoir, on China Mountain.

According to the proposal filed with FERC for the Corral Creek South Pumped Storage Project, the site would include two reservoirs storing a combined 20,000 acre-feet of water, two 200-foot-tall earthen dams and a nearly one-mile shaft with 10 turbines buried in the rock beneath the site. The project

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VIEW: The project application submitted to FERC.



area includes roughly 1,400 acres belonging to the U.S. Bureau of Land Management — something originally overlooked by developers, who had to resubmit their permit application to correct it.

The end result, said Justin

Barker with Symbiotics, would be "like a giant battery": a system that runs water between the two reservoirs, creating power to stabilize wind and solar projects and help utilities in the region meet growing peak demand levels. Spare power from renewable projects could help power the water pump, which would consume more electricity than the site generates.

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The high desert north of Jackpot, Nev., and west of the Salmon Falls Creek Reservoir stretches into the distance from a view atop China Mountain in June 2008. Developers want to study the possibility of building a 1,100-megawatt pumped-storage hydropower project in the area.

# THE MEANS TO GROW



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College of Southern Idaho auto body technology student, Cory Cullip, sands a front bumper of a vehicle Wednesday at the school in Twin Falls. CSI would like to construct a building with federal stimulus cash for programs like auto body technology, a new wind energy program and environmental technology.

## CSI seeking stimulus money for new building

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

As early as the fall of 2010, students may be taking wind energy classes in a new \$6.9 million building at the College of Southern Idaho.

CSI officials are hoping that federal stimulus dollars will

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VIEW: A slide show of the building plans.

help make the building a reality at the campus. Along with space for a wind energy program, the 29,600-square-foot building would house the auto

body technology program and an environmental technology program.

The building would be located on four acres adjacent

to the northeast entry to the college and have six classrooms and labs for auto body, welding, electrical and wind energy instruction.

The college is seeking 80 percent of the needed funding — about \$5.52 million —

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## Car wash amputee sues her lawyer

Amanda Fomichev says local lawyer didn't secure settlement money

By Andrea Jackson  
Times-News writer

An amputee who lost her leg working as a car wash attendant says her lawyer left her without a penny of a hefty settlement he won for her last year.

Amanda Fomichev is suing lawyer William Hollifield, of Twin Falls-based Hollifield Law Office, alleging he didn't protect her settlement money, took a third of it and left her with nothing.

Fomichev says Hollifield breached his duty to protect her \$100,000 settlement, causing her to lose it all, according to her Feb. 25 law-

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suit filed in Twin Falls 5th District Court.

Fomichev was hit by a car on Sept. 10, 2005, while working at Mr. Wash in Twin Falls, run by Lynch Oil Inc. of Burley. Her left leg was amputated and Hollifield reached a \$100,000 settlement against the driver's insurer, according to the suit.

Hollifield got paid more than 33 percent of the

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Amanda Fomichev, seen in this 2005 photo, lost her leg while working at a Twin Falls car wash when a car collided with her.

Times-News file photo

## Senate panel OKs PUC bill; power users still leery

By John Miller  
Associated Press writer

BOISE — A Senate panel voted 7-1 Wednesday to give utilities more reassurance they'll be able to recoup billions of dollars for new transmission lines and plants from ratepayers, even if the projects sour.

Big customers of Idaho utilities fear this "preapproved ratemaking," which would allow regulators and utilities to agree to rules governing how to recover such investments well in advance, could unfairly shift risk away from utilities.

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"The hearing process is going to bring ... parties together. Through that process, we'll make a fair, just and reasonable decision."

— PUC Commissioner Jim Kempton

glomerate J.R. Simplot Co. and chipmaker Micron Technology Inc., didn't testify

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## Idaho gay-rights group criticizes Rupert's Stevenson over talk radio comments

By Nate Poppino  
Times-News writer

A Rupert legislator is under fire from a gay-rights group for comments he made on a local AM radio talk show.

Rep. Bert Stevenson, a Republican, appeared last week on Zeb Bell's talk show and the two discussed a measure that failed in a Senate committee to ban discrimination based on sexual orientation.

In a recording of the broadcast posted on YouTube, Stevenson told Bell he saw no reason to make "special concessions for special people" and that Sen. Nicole

LeFavour, D-Boise, has brought the same bill forward for a couple of years in a row now. The national debate over gay marriage is "trying to redefine the purpose of man being on the earth," he said, and people aren't fired for being gay, but because of their work habits.

"If those people want that kind of lifestyle, we will do away with the human race," he added. "That's what it was intended to do."



Stevenson

The group — Lion's Pride Idaho — blasted Stevenson, saying that he had suggested that homosexuals want to end humanity, and said he claimed that gay people get fired only because they're lazy.

On Wednesday, Stevenson defended his comments, saying that he feels federal protections against discrimination are adequate and don't need to be replicated by the state. He said his statement about the human race ending simply pointed out that if everyone was homosexual, no one would procreate any more — though he didn't seem to recognize his words

about intent.

"You're the only person that's said a word about it," he told the Times-News about the matter.

Lion's Pride owner Donna Harwood said she was alerted to the broadcast when one of her members noticed blog discussion about it on the Internet. Her organization, based in Meridian, has been around since 2006 and doesn't usually get involved in politics, she said, but made an exception.

"Our main concern is that public officials and lawmakers are making true statements as opposed to making things up," she said.



# MORNING BRIEFING

## TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

### ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

**Solo-part auditions for Magic Valley Chorale's May 1 performance of Mendelssohn's "Elijah,"** 6 to 7 p.m. and 8:30 to 9 p.m., Choral room, College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts building, Twin Falls, open to the public, 733-8286 or 733-3107.

**"Souvenir: A Fantasia on the Life of Florence Foster Jenkins"** by Stephen Temperley presented by Company of Fools and Barksdale Theatre, 7 p.m., Liberty Theatre, 110 N. Main St., Hailey, tickets: \$25 for adults, \$18 for senior citizens (62 and older) and \$15 for children (18 and younger), 578-9122.

**William Shakespeare's "Othello, the Moor of Venice,"** presented by Community School Players, 7 p.m., Community School Theatre, 181 Dollar Road, Sun Valley, \$8 for adults and \$3 for students, 622-3955, ext. 131.

**"Speak Truth to Power: Voices from Beyond the Dark,"** presented by College of Southern Idaho Theater Department, 8 p.m., CSI's Fine Arts Center Theater, 315 Falls Ave. W., Twin Falls, \$8 for adults and \$6 for senior citizens and students, 732-6288 or tickets.csi.edu.

### BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

**American Legion Bingo,** 7:20 p.m. bonanza bingo and 7:30 p.m. regular bingo, 610 W. Main St., Wendell, \$500 and \$1,195 black outs, 536-6358.

### BUSINESS

**Kickstand Southern Idaho,** with Executive Director of Southern Idaho Tourism Debbie Dane on "Customer Service, Performance, and Your Business Success," 6 to 7:30 p.m., Pandora's Restaurant, 516 Hansen St. S., Twin Falls, no cost, appetizers and drink tickets provided by Idaho TechConnect, brandon.armstrong@idahotechconnect.com or 208-324-3455.

### CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

**Soroptimist Int'l of Minico,** noon, East conference room, Minidoka Memorial Hospital, Rupert, 436-0481.

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

**Twin Falls Monarch Lions club meeting and no-host lunch,** Dilettantes preview of "My Fair Lady"; wives and guests invited, noon, Loong Hing Restaurant, 1719 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, 735-9092 or 733-3429.

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

**Mini-Cassia Women's Shelter meeting,** 6 to 7 p.m., 123 First St., Rupert, 208-436-0987.

**Minidoka Scout Leader Round Table,** preceded by 7 p.m. District Committee meeting and Boy Scouts Merit Badge focus: finish Personal Management or start Communications, 8 p.m., East Minico Middle School, Rupert, 670-1156.

**Paul Lodge 77,** 8 p.m., across from the Paul Post Office, 438-5150.

### 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.

**"Evidence" by David Drake,** 9:30 a.m. to 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.

**"Cantabile,"** featuring the work of Chinese artist Andrew Lui, Gallery DeNovo, 320 First Ave. N., Suite 101, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., free admission, Gallerydenovo.com or 726-8180.

**"June,"** an installation by Wood River Valley artist Pamela DeTuncoq, 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. (March 28)

**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.

**First Thursday Artist Studio Tours,** near Burley, 4 to 8 p.m., **Studio at 326 S. 250 E.** includes Nicole Maier with ceramics and wheel-thrown vases, 219-1384; Kathleen Hawkins with ceramic tea bowls and carved platters, 878-2222; and goldsmith Billie Larios with sterling silver piece for autism awareness. **Springdale School gallery,** (5 p.m. opening), 494 E. 200 S., includes Claudette Bray with paintings and Indian portrait, 654-2808; and June Carey, Joan Turner, DeeAnn Goodwin and Maize Bowers with paintings, 678-5666. **Studio at 401 E. 16th St.** includes Donna Arbogast with paintings of Twin Falls Temple, 678-5056; and Heywood Williams with paintings, 679-

1065; **Studio at 637 W. 18th St.** includes Marilyn Miller with local landscape paintings, 878-7540. **Studio at 177 S. 250 E.** includes Scott Razez with outdoor sculptures and wrought iron railing, 678-8125.

### GOVERNMENT

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

**Bellevue Planning and Zoning Commission,** 7 p.m., City Hall, 115 E. Poplar St., 788-2128.

**Malta City Council,** 7 p.m., Raft River Electric, 645-2211.

**Rupert Historic Preservation Commission meeting,** 7 p.m., City Hall (upstairs), public invited, 431-0400.

**Wendell City Council,** 7 p.m., City Hall, 300 Main St., 536-5161.

### 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 Filer Elementary; 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. at Hagerman High School gym; 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Buhl old Middle School gym; and 11:10 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. at Declo High School gym, no cost, 732-6475.

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

**Senior Health Insurance Benefit Advisory (SHIBA),** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Minidoka County Senior Center, 436-9107 for appointment.

**Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class,** 10 to 11 a.m., Living Waters Presbyterian Church, 821 E. Main St., Wendell, no cost, 737-5988.

**Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class,** 10:30 a.m., First Segregation Fire Station, Eden, no cost, 737-5988.

**Ongoing exercise program for people with Parkinson's disease,** offered by Magic Valley Regional Medical Center, 11 a.m. to noon, Episcopal Church of the Ascension, 371 Eastland Drive N., Twin Falls, no cost, 737-2977.

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

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

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

**Celebrate Recovery,** Christian-based, 12-step program to assist people with life issues, 7 p.m., Twin Falls Church of the Nazarene, 1231 Washington St. N., Twin Falls, 733-6610.

**Adult fitness and line-dancing class,** western, pop and hip-hop, 7 to 8 p.m., White Pine School gym, 1900 Hiland Ave., Burley, no cost, 878-7598.

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

### HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

**Pinochle,** 1 p.m., Twin Falls Senior Center, 530 Shoshone St. W., 50 cents, open to the public, 734-5084.

**Storytime Pottery,** "The Snail and the Whale" story time and pottery painting event for children ages 2 to 5; parental participation required, 1 to 2 p.m., Hands On, 147 Shoshone St. N., \$11, www.handsonstudio.com.

### LIBRARY

**Daycare Storytime,** 10 a.m., for children of daycares and homeschools, Jerome Public Library, 100 First Ave. E., 208-324-5427.

**Filer Public Library Preschool Storytime,** 10:30 a.m., Filer Public Library, 219 Main St., 326-4143.

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

### TODAY'S DEADLINES

**Meeting memo for March 6 MOMS Club,** for stay-at-home moms, 10 to 11 a.m., Twin Falls, 539-6470.

**Reservation reminder for March 6 and 7 Bel Canto dinner show,** 6:30 p.m., King Fine Arts auditorium stage, Burley, \$20 per person, 878-6606 or 677-8894.

## Pat's Picks ... Pat Marcantonio

Three things to do today



• Can you sing? If so, audition tonight for solo parts in the Magic Valley Chorale's May 1 performance of Mendelssohn's "Elijah." Auditions will be held from 6 to 7 p.m. and 8:30 to 9 p.m. in the Choral room in the College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts building in Twin Falls. Info: 733-8286 or 733-3107.

• If you can't sing, learn how to line dance with free classes from 7 to 8 tonight and March 19 at White Pine School, 1900 Hiland Ave., Burley.

• Community School Players present William Shakespeare's "Othello, the Moor of Venice" at 7 p.m. at the Community School

Theatre, 181 Dollar Road in Sun Valley. Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$4 for students. It's a great and timeless play.

*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.*

## Hydropower

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Construction costs, he said, can near \$1 billion for such facilities. But developers aren't at that point: If granted, the FERC permit will allow them to embark on three years of engineering, environmental and economic studies researching the feasibility of the project site, funded through as much as \$15 million from private investors and Symbiotics.

Those studies may reveal challenges to building such a project in what's becoming a busy area of the state. Idaho Department of Fish and Game maps show a few sage-grouse breeding sites between the site and the existing reservoir, creating possible conflicts with the struggling birds.

A 185-tower wind farm is planned for the hills just to the west, though the two may complement each other. And there's finding the water to fill the new reser-

voirs — though operators afterwards would only have to replenish water that evaporates, Barker said.

The initial fill would rely on water purchased elsewhere in the system, he said. But records kept by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service confirm that Salmon Falls Creek Reservoir has been low for much of the past decade and Salmon Tract irrigators haven't had the easiest time securing adequate irrigation water.

"That's one of the biggest issues, is whether we can negotiate with the water-rights holders within the region," Barker said.

If developed, the project would be one of the first pumped-storage operations in Idaho — others are proposed — and would generate more than any one dam owned by Idaho Power Co.

Those aware of the Corral Creek proposal, including

### BY THE NUMBERS

Here are some details of the proposed hydropower project:

- Two reservoirs, storing 20,000 total acre-feet of water
- Ten generators, a total of 1,100 megawatts
- Eight hours of generation, 7 days a week, for 3,212 gigawatt-hours per year
- Two 200-foot-high dams, 8,400 feet and 4,100 feet long
- A 4,700-foot shaft connecting the reservoirs

Fish and Game, plan to take advantage of a current 60-day comment period to get on FERC's mailing list for it. The proposal could be adjusted or scaled back if studies show a need, Barker said — just as long as it stays economically viable.

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## Building

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through the Economic Development Administration, an arm of the U.S. Department of Commerce. That could come in the form of stimulus funding or another source of federal dollars. The remaining 20 percent — \$1.38 million in matching funds — is being sought in federal stimulus funding that Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's office might disperse.

"We're not sure what everything's going to end up as," said Mike Mason, vice president of administration.

College administrators are also still seeking clarification on one part of federal stimulus law that says the funding must be used to "mitigate the need to raise tuition and fees for in-state students, or for modernization, renovation, or repair of ... facilities."

The college recently increased tuition for this summer and fall from \$95 per credit to \$100 per credit.

CSI President Jerry Beck said that the college's board would look at rescinding the tuition hike if enough stimulus funding comes in to offset the state holdbacks of this year and the coming fiscal year. He said it's too soon to say if the college will receive enough funding for that to happen.

Stimulus funding to offset state holdbacks would need to be available for operational expenses rather than the building proposal.

If the college's proposal for the building is accepted, construction could begin this September, with the building ready by the fall of 2010, Mason said.

Regardless of what the building's future is, wind energy courses will begin in the fall of 2009. At least 16 students will take classes this fall in the new program, said Todd Schwarz, the dean who oversees the college's technical division.

The environmental technology program still needs state approval before it could begin in the new building.

The program's already been approved by the state, but the final step is finding a teacher, he said, adding that there have been numerous inquiries about the program already.

"We're getting calls from all over the country," Schwarz said.

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## Amputee

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\$100,000 settlement and left Fomichev with the rest.

She didn't have her share very long, though.

The Idaho State Insurance Fund took Fomichev's remaining portion, \$66,347.57, during the same month Hollifield got his share of the settlement.

So Fomichev has hired a new lawyer, Stephen Meikle, of Advantage Legal services in Idaho Falls.

The suit alleges Hollifield accepted the state's claim even though it could have been fought.

"Defendant's blind acceptance of ISIF's (Idaho State Insurance Fund) defensible subrogation claim was a breach of his duty to plaintiff and directly and proximately resulted in her loss of \$66,347.57," according to the lawsuit. "Defendant had a duty as plaintiff's attorney to recover and protect settlement funds for plaintiff and to honor only completely legitimate subrogation claims."

The lawsuit alleges the state's claim for money could have been denied or limited, because the car wash contributed to her injury. The car wash failed to train staff, didn't tell the driver to park in neutral, and didn't have enough staff working, according to the lawsuit.

Fomichev wants Hollifield to pay \$66,347.57 along with interest and attorney fees, according to the lawsuit.

Hollifield is unavailable this week for comment, according to his staff. He is listed as an active member of the Idaho State Bar.

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## Power

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at the State Affairs Committee hearing, but will oppose the measure if it reaches the House, said Peter Richardson, the group's lawyer.

Office of Energy Resources chief Paul Kjellander, who is pushing the bill for Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter, and the Idaho Public Utilities Commission have resolved differences that surfaced late last year, including some provisions that limited regulators' authority.

At Wednesday's hearing, PUC Commissioner Jim Kempton told the Senate State Affairs Committee the latest version provides the necessary reassurances utilities need but still gives regulators ample room to weigh the merits of projects for those ultimately footing the bill.

"There's protection for both the consumer and the utility," Kempton said. "The hearing process is going to bring the intervening parties together. Through that process, we'll make a fair, just and reasonable decision."

Sen. Kate Kelly, D-Boise, was the single vote against the measure.

Regulators have traditionally set cost recovery rates for transmission lines, gas-fired power stations and other projects only after they've been completed.

Under this measure, commissioners could opt for a new process that sets the rules well in advance to recover costs of a proposed facility.

Utilities like Idaho Power Co., the state's largest, have complained it has grown more difficult to attract capital for big projects, in part because ratings agencies and investors fear that regulated utilities won't be able to recover their investments should something go awry.

Kjellander said that could drive up interest rates for the projects, forcing all customers to pay more later.

Under the proposal, if something unforeseen occurs and a utility must halt work on a project that's been preapproved by Idaho regulators, it would still be able to recover its investment in the project, though not future proceeds it might have anticipated from its operations, Kempton said.

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# State Board hits brakes on travel costs

## Overall costs dropped in '08; trustees' costs did rise

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

Travel is a cost of doing business for the Idaho State Board of Education, which oversees higher education and has a hand in federally mandated tests for public schools.

In the 2008 fiscal year, that cost came to \$125,871.50, including travel expenses for staff and board members. That total is down from fiscal 2007, when travel of the board's staff and members cost \$133,927.73.

The travel included a mix of board meetings, conferences, graduation ceremonies and other education-related events, most of which are in Idaho, according to records obtained by the *Times-News* through a public records request.

The board's executive director, Mike Rush, traveled to Boston in July 2008 for the State Higher Education

Executive Officers Conference. The price tag, including airfare, meals, hotel costs and registration was about \$2,000, records show.

Board spokesman Mark Browning said the event was an opportunity for the executive director to hear ideas about what works for other education officials elsewhere, adding that out-of-state travel is rare. The conference topics included trends in higher education, state policy leadership and building stronger connections between higher education and the economy, records show. Browning said that the board has always tried to keep a lean travel budget, even before state holdbacks and cutbacks became the talk of Boise.

"We're very much in that mindset," Browning said. "It's our money, too. We're taxpayers."

In May 2008, a board staff member had to travel to Bethesda, Md., for a federally

required trip for peer reviews needed to certify state Idaho Standards Achievement Tests. That trip's cost was \$1,304.69, records show.

When trips are made throughout the state, employees and board members get a per diem of \$30 a day for meals, Browning said.

If cuts come that require trimming travel, the board will have to "figure out a way to make it work," Browning said.

The board members' travel expenses were \$36,001.63 in fiscal year 2008, up from \$32,982.55 in fiscal year 2007, records show.

Board members are reimbursed for their mileage at the same rate as state employees, which is 45.5 cents a mile, Browning said.

Usually, there are nine board meetings a year, with five in locations outside Boise.

Kenneth Edmunds, the board member from Twin Falls, said it's helpful for the

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**VIEW:** A travel log and receipts from a 2008 trip that Idaho State Board of Education Executive Director Mike Rush took.



board to meet throughout Idaho. Because the board members serve as trustees or regents for universities, those institutions usually have just one meeting a year at their campus, he said.

"By one trip a year to each location it allows us to cover what might have been handled by four or six trips," he said, adding that it also helps officials from other institutions avoid having to travel to meetings.

Edmunds said he hasn't heard of any plans to change the meeting structure, noting that some members will always need to travel to meetings regardless of where they take place.

"I don't know how we could cut back on it," Edmunds said.

## AROUND THE VALLEY

### St. Luke's seeks applicants for grants

St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center will take applications for grants from its Community Health Improvement Fund through March 20, the hospital announced Wednesday.

Each year, the grants are used to support projects and organizations working to improve the health of area residents. Projects for this round should address improving access to care, injury and violence issues, overweight and obesity problems, improving mental health, and improving physical activity to improve health. Applicants should plan to collaborate with other organizations and include a way to measure health improvements. Preference will be given to projects that support multiple communities in south-central Idaho and northern Nevada. Funds will be awarded by April 22. Info: Jody Tremblay, 208-737-2943.

ing the bill but said Tuesday he'll wait a year and introduce a new version that creates a new section of the law rather than build upon existing statute.

"It needs more work," he said. Lawyers on the House judiciary committee expressed support in principle for Hartgen's idea but voiced concern over the legal aspects of it.

"It's a good idea," Hartgen said. "It's good public policy to regulate new technologies when the technology impinges on people's safety."

The laws would apply to online communication including e-mails, text messages and posting comments on Web sites like personal blogs. He said his decision does not stem from critics online and in the blogosphere, many of whom have said the bill violates First Amendment rights. He said that's not true and it simply updates state law into the 21st century.

— Times-News

### Hartgen drops bill on Internet regulation

Rep. Stephen Hartgen, R-Twin Falls, will wait until next year to address harassment on the Internet.

Last week, a committee expressed concern over this year's bill's provisions — jurisdiction and the existing telephone harassment laws it would expand — and postponed a vote. He was rewrit-

# Squirrels chewing on Burley power lines

By Damon Hunzeker  
Times-News writer

BURLEY — Squirrels around town are either making poor nutritional choices or committing suicide.

"We are raising a new and dangerous variety of squirrels in the city of Burley," Dile Monson, head of the electric department, told the City Council Tuesday night and passed around pieces of chewed-up cable from high-voltage power lines in the city.

It's not necessary to run for your lives yet — but on several occasions, squirrels have caused limited power outages or, at a minimum, flickering and fading power in Burley.

It's an ongoing problem, but recent incidents occurred on 21st Street, Overland Avenue, and Park Avenue.

"They are apparently mineral-deficient," Monson said, referring to the aluminum and copper cables that, when

chewed, short-circuit and kill the squirrels. "We are trying to protect them as much as possible ... so they can produce more squirrels."

As people in the audience passed around sections of rodent-ravaged cable, Mayor Jon Anderson said, "They're sure cute, those little squirrels, aren't they?"

The deep teeth marks carved into thick cable, however, made the squirrels seem more rabidly terrifying than cute. Monson doesn't feel sorry for them.

"It's not sad," he said Wednesday. "My goal is to keep everyone's power on. The two main sources of power outages are trees and squirrels. I don't like those little critters."

The power lines, Monson estimated, emit twice the voltage of an electric chair.

"They (the squirrels) get blown apart or burned," he said.

# Blaine officials agree on future airport governance model

By Ariel Hansen  
Times-News writer

HAILEY — Five elected Blaine County officials are going to dine on Sun Valley Mayor Wayne Willich's dime sometime soon.

The meal will be the result of a wager Willich lost: that within three meetings they couldn't come up with a new model for governance of the airport slated to replace Friedman Memorial in Hailey.

On Wednesday afternoon, Ketchum City Councilman Charles Conn, Hailey City Councilwoman Martha Burke, Carey City Councilwoman Vonnice Olsen, Bellevue city administrator Tom Blanchard and Blaine County Commissioner Tom Bowman joined Willich in reaching a governance recommendation to county commissioners.

The recommended model includes an advisory board of five members. One member will represent the county commission, which will own the airport and be responsible for it. One member nominated by the aviation community will specifically represent aviation concerns. The remaining three members will be nominated by a committee from each commission district to represent those districts.

Having representation for the north end of the county was important to Conn and Willich, who feel their constituents haven't been adequately considered in current airport operations or in the development of a replacement airport. They argued Sun Valley and Ketchum must buy into the new airport and its governance, or the county risks furthering dissent or encouraging lawsuits.

"There's a lot of concern, mistrust, fear from the towns we represent up there. The issues that were raised aren't put to bed yet," Conn said.

The group plans to meet again, tentatively on April 8, to discuss how best to involve all the parties in the ongoing discussion. Burke, who sits on the Friedman advisory board, said many decisions about the new airport will be made by the Federal Aviation Administration and the consultants it is funding, but that it is important to have support throughout the county for those decisions.

"Obviously, we want the buy-in. I do view it as a possibility for healing," she said, encouraging the north-county representatives to learn more about how the county has gotten where it is today in planning for a new airport, to be able to sell it to their constituents.

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## FOR THE RECORD

Cassia County police reports for March 3

**Burglary:** The Burley Public Library was burglarized. Part of the front doors had been broken out, large enough for a person to enter. No books appeared to be missing, but a water jug full of collection funds for the new library was taken. No suspects.

**Phone harassment:** Viola Munoz reported that her neighbor, Tierra Pena, both of Burley, had been harassing her for the past couple of months. They filed the report together, though, because they claim that Munoz's sister has been making Pena harass Munoz. Police would not press charges on Munoz's sister because Pena "can do what she wants to do."

**Domestic battery:** Police responded to the Riverview Apartments in Burley after a woman called 911 and hung up. When police arrived, she said her husband hadn't hit her or anything, but the officer noticed scratches on the man's neck. The husband declined to press charges against his wife.

**Curfew violation:** A 16-year-old male was arrested for violating curfew in Burley for "walking around" on Miller

Avenue at 3:48 a.m. He was booked and released to his mother.

**Malicious injury to property, vandalism:** A window was broken at the LDS church in Burley at 250 S. 200 W. A door was struck several times "with an object such as a bat or club that left black marks on the aluminum frame." Damage was estimated at \$500. Nothing was stolen. No suspects.

**Abandoned vehicle:** Christopher Kane, of Paul, either abandoned or forgot his 1999 Dodge pickup at the Pit Stop convenience store in Declo. Police attempted to contact Kane but were unsuccessful. The vehicle was towed.


**Lost property:** Dolores Pitchford reported that her wallet was lost at Smith's Food King in Burley. It's a black, tri-fold women's wallet containing her driver's license, \$20, and store-reward cards.

**Information report:** A 15-year-old male in Burley reported that his father had flushed his pain medication down the toilet and tried to run him over with a pickup. The story changed a couple of times. Officers found no reason to arrest anyone.

— Damon Hunzeker

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# Wanted man returned to T.F. Co.

**Times-News**  
One of Twin Falls County's "most wanted" people was arrested in Phoenix, Ariz., after almost six months on the lam. Michael Allen McCall, 53, appeared Wednesday in Twin Falls 5th District Court, after he was arrested on warrants for not showing up at sentencing hearings. He skipped out in September before being sentenced on convictions for

felony possession of a controlled substance and misdemeanor injury to a child. Two warrants were issued, one for \$10,000 and the other for \$250,000 bond. He was facing up to life in prison for felony possession of



McCall

a controlled substance with a habitual violator enhancement, officials said. A bail agent went to Phoenix and brought McCall back to Idaho, said Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office Spokeswoman Lori Nebeker. Further details of his arrest were unavailable on Wednesday. In July of last year, McCall posted \$25,000 bond through Boise-based Aladdin Bail Bonds but never went to his September sentencing hearings. Twin Falls County Prosecutor Grant Loebs said he doesn't think the absconding incident will help McCall at sentencing. "I don't think we have very many people who flee between when they're found guilty and when they're sentenced." McCall's sentencing hearing was set Wednesday for March 23 and a public defender was appointed.

## 5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

**TWIN FALLS COUNTY Wednesday arraignments**  
Justin Weaver, 30, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance; March 13 preliminary hearing; public defender appointed; recognizance release  
Jason Todd Stanger, 36, Twin Falls; violation of a no-contact order; \$2,000 bond; not guilty plea; public defender appointed; March 24 pretrial  
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# Third tractor gone missing in Minidoka County

**By Laurie Welch Times-News writer**

It's 7 p.m. Do you know where your tractor is? A Heyburn farm implement dealer reported on Sunday a missing tractor, the third tractor reported stolen in Minidoka County since December. Steve Carson Equipment in Heyburn reported a John Deere tractor worth \$7,000 missing on Sunday, but said it may have been missing for up to two weeks, according to a Heyburn police report on the incident. On Jan. 27, a Massey

Ferguson tractor valued at \$4,300 was also reported stolen from the business, according to a police report. Agri-Service, on Feb. 11, also reported a Kubota L3400 with a Kubota LA463 front-end loader valued at a combined \$20,300 had gone missing sometime between the end of December and Jan. 5, according to a Minidoka County Sheriff's report. Minidoka County Sheriff's Chief Deputy Vic Watson said Agri-Service didn't realize the items were missing until Jan. 5 and it took a while to determine

they had been stolen. "It's common for large dealerships to move inventory around between dealerships, so it took some research by them to determine it was not out on a demo or somewhere in inventory," Watson said. "When it could not be located, they had to sign it stolen." Due to the value of the items, all three tractor thefts are classified as grand theft. Anyone found guilty of grand theft of items valued more than \$1,000 faces fines of up to \$5,000, or one to 14 years in prison or a combi-

nation of fines and imprisonment. Anyone with information on the missing tractors is encouraged to contact the Heyburn Police Department, 679-4545, or the Minidoka County Sheriff's Office, 436-2320. Laurie Welch may be reached at 208-677-8767 or lwelch@magicvalley.com.

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# Calif. murder suspect killed after attacking judge

By Tracie Cone and Garance Burke  
Associated Press writers

FRESNO, Calif. — A man accused of killing his girlfriend was shot to death in a Stockton courtroom Wednesday after he attacked the judge presiding over his murder trial, officials said.

David Paradiso, 28, was shot by a police detective after he left the witness stand and began attacking San Joaquin County Superior Court Judge Cinda Fox during a break in proceedings, said Dave Konecny, a spokesman for the sheriff's department.

Paradiso had been testifying around 2 p.m. when his mother, in the audience, left the



Paradiso

courtroom upset. Fox called a recess, and as jurors filed out, Paradiso left the stand and approached the judge from behind "with an unknown cutting instrument," Konecny said.

Karen McConnell, a county spokeswoman, said witnesses reported seeing Paradiso lift the judge and begin punching and possibly stabbing her when bailiffs ran to her aid and shots rang out. Lodi Police Det. Eric Bradley has been placed on administrative leave while the shoot-

ing is being investigated, city spokesman Jeff Hood said.

Fox, who had a bandage on her left arm as she was carried out of the courthouse on a stretcher, told reporters, "I'm OK," before being taken to a hospital. Calls to her home were not immediately returned.

Konecny said he did not know how Paradiso obtained a weapon. He said at least two bailiffs were on duty in the courtroom at the time of the attack.

Paradiso was on trial for allegedly stabbing his girlfriend, Eileen Pelt, in the neck as his mother drove them in her car. Debra Paradiso told police her son forced her to drive to Amador

County, where he dumped the body.

Paradiso's attorney, Charles Pacheco, said in opening arguments last week that his client was high on methamphetamine at the time. Pacheco did not immediately return a call Wednesday seeking comment.

Aaron Paradiso, the suspect's brother, told KCRA-TV of Sacramento that his brother was "crazy" and said he had told authorities and attorneys that he shouldn't be put on the stand. He said his mother had warned deputies that the family believed Paradiso had a cutting weapon from some sort of clipper or scissors.



Debra Paradiso, mother of murder suspect David Paradiso, screams after leaving the San Joaquin County Courthouse, Wednesday in Stockton Calif.

AP photo

## Otter's rental car tax dies in Idaho House panel

By John Miller  
Associated Press writer

BOISE — Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's plan to add a 6 percent tax to rental cars died Wednesday after the industry argued new costs would hurt agencies already buffeted by the worst economy in decades.

The House Transportation Committee ditched the proposal, which would have raised \$2 million annually to fix roads, on an 11-3 vote, after listening to rental car outfits say they shouldn't have to bear the burden of fixing Idaho's highways.

Rhett Fornof, who runs Enterprise Rent-A-Car agencies in Idaho and Utah, told the panel a tax hike would add to the woes of an industry that's been hit by the economic slowdown and reduced tourist traffic.

"The time for our industry to be picked on is not now," Fornof said.

It's the second time in just two weeks that one of Otter's proposals — part of a six-bill package to boost highway revenue by \$174 million annually by 2014 — has been rebuffed by this House panel.

Members also were skeptical of a plan to increase fees on personalized and specialized license plates, shelving that bill for the time being. A measure to eliminate an ethanol tax exemption worth at least \$4 million has passed.

Jason Kreizenbeck, Otter's chief of staff, said the license plate proposal is still being reworked, but this failed bid to tax rental cars won't re-emerge.

"When we went around the state last summer, a new tax on rental cars had universal support among the people we talked to," Kreizenbeck told The Associated Press, before conceding few of those who attended Otter's road shows across Idaho to promote his road-and-bridge improvement package came from the rental car industry.

Its representatives were out in full force at Wednesday's hearing, where they highlighted the financial plight of rental car companies. Just this week, for instance, Hertz Global Holdings Inc. reported a \$1.21 billion fourth-quarter loss, while Avis Budget Group, Inc. reported a \$1.3 billion 2008 pretax loss late last month.

Michael Hillman, from Hertz in Boise, argued the measure singled out one group that's already paying other transportation-related fees — for instance, Idaho's 25-cent-per-gallon fuel tax and fleet registration costs.

"It's unfair," Hillman said. "It targets a single industry to address a much broader concern."

Rep. Scott Bedke, R-Oakley and a self-professed supporter of a similar rental car tax proposal last year, agreed, saying it would be similarly unjust to pile taxes on hybrid or fuel-efficient car owners simply because their mileage allowed them to use less gas — and pay less gas tax.

## Shelley woman's couponing business booming

SHELLEY (AP) — It started three years ago, when a friend introduced Amanda Fricke to shopping for pennies on the dollar by clipping coupons.

Fricke took the advice to heart, honing her couponing expertise and researching the best deals for each item on her grocery list.

"I started asking all the stores their coupon rules and going through ads," the Shelley resident told the Post Register. "I'm to the point where I won't pay more than a dollar for anything."

Now the 23-year-old has made a business out of the hobby, teaching others to save on groceries through classes — offered at \$40 a person — and subscription newsletters — for \$10 a month.

She'll also do personal grocery shopping for a small fee, and offers consulting to stores on the best timing and advertising for their coupons.

"I started with one or two classes a month, and now I do that in a week," Fricke said of her business, Stretching Your Dollars.

The recession has increased interest in her business, Fricke said.

"We've had a ton of people getting laid off. You can't cut back on most of your bills, but everyone knows they can cut back on groceries," she said. "I've had people who are almost millionaires sign up for classes because everyone is in that saving mindset now."

Her classes include a guided shopping field trip, handouts on coupon lingo and lists of the best available deals for popular items. Fricke, who says she feeds herself, her husband and her 14-month-old son on \$100 a month, has stacks of 10-item receipts with totals under \$1 as proof.

"There are places that will take competitors' coupons, others give register rewards," Fricke said. "I'm still learning

after three years."

Fricke says the savings have to come honestly — no photocopying allowed.

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# OPINION

## QUOTE

“They are running around like a lot of headless chickens.”

— Rep. John Dingell (D-Mich.) on problems being encountered in the Food and Drug Administration

### EDITORIAL

## Idaho Power should be responsible for its own risk taking

For much of its 93-year history, Idaho Power has been large and in charge when it comes to government and politics in this state.

So it's easy to understand why the utility's customers are leery of a proposal that would allow the company to recoup billions of dollars for new transmission lines and power plants from ratepayers, even if these projects sour.

The Senate State Affairs Committee on Wednesday approved a bill allowing “preapproved ratemaking,” which would allow regulators and utilities to agree to rules governing how to recover big investments in advance.

In a free market, not many companies get to shift risk elsewhere. Nor should Idaho Power. This bill is a bad bargain for Idahoans.

There's no disputing the eye-popping investment required to build transmission lines and power plants. Utilities have complained that it has grown more difficult to attract capital for big projects, in part because rating agencies and investors fear that regulated utilities won't be able to recover their investments should something go awry.

But a utility — especially a utility with a monopoly — can marshal resources unavailable to most companies. Market mechanisms exist to help Idaho Power raise capital.

What the company is asking, essentially, is for its customers — and especially big customers like J.R. Simplot and Micron — to pay for electricity they may never receive.

Under this bill, the PUC could opt for a new process that sets the rules well in advance to recover costs of a proposed facility.

If something unforeseen happens and a utility must halt work on a project preapproved by the Idaho Public Utilities Commission, it would still be able to recover its investment in the project, though not future proceeds it might have anticipated from its operation.

Regulators have traditionally set cost recovery rates for transmission lines, gas-fired power stations and other projects only after completion.

And that's as it should be. Ratepayers should not be asked to indemnify risk for a regulated utility.

Even a utility with the clout of Idaho Power.

**Our view:**  
‘Preapproved ratemaking’ would be great deal for Idaho Power — and a bad one for its customers.

**What do you think?**  
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## Banks: Obama prefers nursing to nationalizing

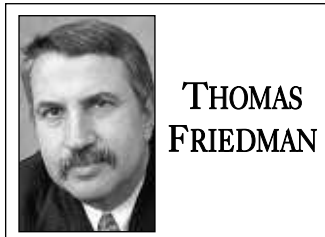
Two signs of the times: First, a banker friend remarked to me that you know your bank is in trouble when its share price is less than the cost of taking money out of one of its ATM's.

Second, go to Google and type in these four letters: m-e-r-e. Before you go any further, Google will list the possible things or people you're searching for, and at the top of that list will be the name “Meredith Whitney.” She comes up before “merengue” and “Meredith Viera.” Who is Meredith Whitney? She is a banking analyst who became famous for declaring last year, long before others, that Citigroup was up to its neck in bad mortgages and would not likely survive in its present form.

Do you know how many people have to be searching for you if all you have to do is put in four letters and your name pops up first? A lot! But I am not surprised. Our banking system is in so much trouble everyone is searching for the silver-bullet solution — and the person who can describe it. Alas, there is no silver bullet.

I fear that Obama's whole first term could be eaten by Citigroup, AIG, Bank of America, Merrill Lynch, and the whole housing/subprime credit bubble we inflated these past 20 years.

I hope my fears are exaggerated. But ask yourself this: Why couldn't former Treasury Secretary Hank



THOMAS FRIEDMAN

Paulson solve this problem? And why does it seem as though his successor, Tim Geithner, won't even look us in the eye and spell out his strategy? It is because they know — like Roy Scheider in the movie “Jaws,” when he first saw the great white shark — that “we're gonna need a bigger boat,” and they're too afraid to tell us just how big.

This problem is more complicated than anything you can imagine. We are coming off a 20-year credit binge. As a country, too many of us stopped making money by making “stuff” and started making money from money — consumers making money out of rising home prices and using the profits to buy flat-screen TVs from China on their credit cards, and bankers making money by creating complex securities and leverage so more and more consumers could get in on the credit game.

When this huge bubble exploded, it created a crater so deep that we can't see the bottom — because that hole is the product of two inter-related excesses. Some banks are in trouble because of the subprime mortgage

securities they have on their books that are now worth only 20 cents on the dollar because of widespread defaults.

And many other banks — the ones that took on the most leverage like Citigroup and Bank of America — are in trouble because of all the loans on their books that can't now be repaid, such as auto loans, commercial real estate loans, credit card loans, corporate loans. Most of the big banks have not marked down these loans yet because if they did, they would be insolvent. The subprime toxic securities will take billions to bail out; the loans could take trillions.

Climbing out of such a deep crater is going to be tricky. Any big step we try to take could trigger other problems — the full dimensions of which we don't understand. We need to create a “bad bank” to buy and hold the toxic mortgage assets or have the government buy the first batch and create a market, but that would likely involve bailing out banks that have behaved very recklessly. It is a price I'd pay to save the system, but even doing that is very complicated. Buying securitized toxic mortgages is not like buying a yacht off the books of a bankrupt savings-and-loan.

Nationalizing Citigroup may sound good on paper, but putting Citigroup into receivership could trigger all kinds of defaults on derivative contracts that it has

written. It may be inevitable, but we'd better understand all of Citigroup's counterparty risks so we don't inadvertently set off more falling dominos, a la Lehman Brothers.

At the moment, the Obama team seems to prefer a gradual attempt to nurse these sick banks back to health with repeated blood transfusions — \$30 billion more to AIG today, another \$40 billion to Citigroup tomorrow. And Lord only knows how much Bank of America will need after its weekend fling with Merrill Lynch has left it with Toxic Asset Disease. The Federal Reserve and the Treasury seem to be trying to give these banks enough capital to survive the next two years, as they de-leverage and de-risk their portfolios — and then hope for the best.

If they are right, the president (and the rest of us) will just have a wrenching first year and then be able to gradually put the banking crisis behind him.

For now, though, the banks still threaten to consume the Obama presidency. Indeed, I'm sorry to report that if you just type two letters into Google — “b-a” — the first thing that comes up is not Barack Obama. It's “Bank of America.” Barack Obama is third.

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### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Public invited to take part in MS Awareness Week

I live in Twin Falls, and I am one of millions of people who have joined the movement to end multiple sclerosis. I'm writing you to ask for your help in changing the lives of people our chapter of the National MS Society serves in this community.

Every hour someone is diagnosed with MS, a chronic disease of the central nervous system for which there is

no cure. Multiple sclerosis interrupts the flow of information between the brain and the body and stops people from moving. Many people have trouble imagining what their lives would be without the ability to move, but I know the effects of MS; my wife has MS, and I am active in fundraising efforts.

MS Awareness Week takes place March 2-8. I encourage people to join the movement to end MS and help people with MS move their lives for-

ward. It's easy to get involved. It only takes a few minutes to make a difference in the lives of the millions of people worldwide who live with this disease.

Some simple things you can do: Visit [nationalMSSociety.org](http://nationalMSSociety.org) to learn more. Tell 10 people that MS Awareness Week is March 2-8 and ask them to tell 10 people they know. Sponsor a walker or cyclist in a Walk MS or Bike MS event, or participate yourself!

To learn more, contact me at [jjfisher@cablone.net](mailto:jjfisher@cablone.net) or 733-0912, or visit the Web site. If you would like to help, I would be more than happy to help you get started.

JOHN FISHER  
Twin Falls

#### Times may be tough but we are still blessed

I would like to take a moment and encourage everybody in the Magic Valley to attend the College

of Southern Idaho Theater Department's production of “Speak Truth to Power: Voices From Beyond the Dark” by Ariel Dorfman.

It presents a story of human courage and triumph over the evil that exists in our world. I think as Americans we forget to recognize how good we have it in this country. This play is an opportunity to see how many other people around the world struggle and fight every day for the freedoms

we take for granted. As citizens of a great nation it is our responsibility to help our fellow human beings. Watching this play can open many eyes to the need that exists in our world. It is also an opportunity to recognize the things that we all have in our lives.

Times may be tough right now and they may very well get tougher but we are still very blessed to live here.

TAMARA HARMON  
Twin Falls

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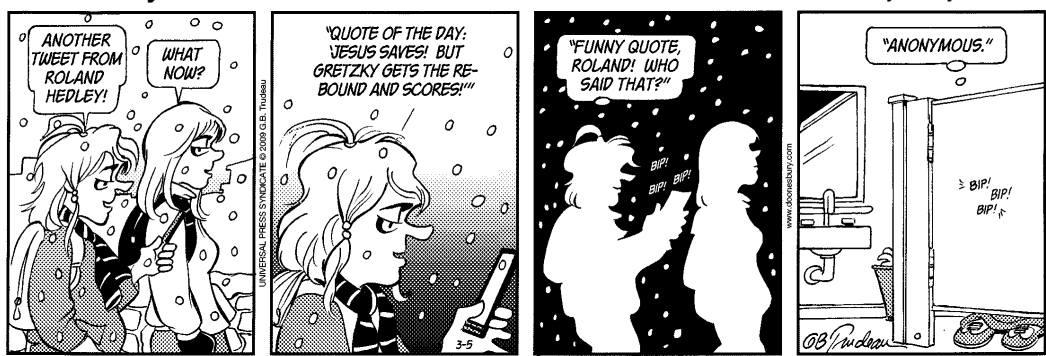
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# Battle over clean air will get dirty

After eight years, our long-suffering air is already breathing easier. In just the first month of the Obama administration, Environmental Protection Agency administrator Lisa Jackson began revisiting Bush administration policies that some scientists say have set us back more than a decade on global warming. A prime candidate for reversal is the agency's decision to turn down a California request to set tough emissions standards that would effectively create a vehicle fuel efficiency standard of 42 miles per gallon by 2020.

In addition, Obama's climate czar, Carol Browner, recently said that the EPA will soon finally announce whether carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases contributing to global warming are officially a public danger requiring regulation under the Clean Air Act. There is little doubt the EPA will find that they are.

In Capitol Hill testimony two years ago, Browner foreshadowed the assertive tone of the new president by saying the EPA had the moral and legal authority to "protect the health of future generations." She said, "We have the science; the will has been summoned; the technology will come. Have



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no doubt: We can stop global warming. Anything less would be a felony against the future."

This was even before Obama's budget proposal to raise hundreds of billions of dollars by closing tax loopholes or imposing fees on the fossil fuel industry and polluters. These industries, of course, wail that this idea is a felony against profits. In an unprecedented war, industries are summoning lobbyists and lawyers to twist the arms of senators and representatives, trash the science, and thwart the will of the people.

The Center for Public Integrity, with data from the Center for Responsive Politics, published a report last week that found that 15 percent of all lobbyists on Capitol Hill now do some work on climate change, as more than 770 companies hired an estimated 2,430 lobbyists to deal with such legislation over the last five years. It is an increase of more than 300 percent. That is 4.5 lobbyists for every

man and woman in Congress.

The fierce resistance is symbolized by William Kovacs, vice president of the US Chamber of Commerce. He told the Wall Street Journal that carbon dioxide regulation through the Clean Air Act "would completely shut the country down."

The resistance also comes in the fine print. In December, General Motors submitted a restructuring report that pledged an average car fleet fuel efficiency of 37.3 miles per gallon by 2012. But in a revision submitted to the Treasury two weeks ago, the company slid backward to 33.7 miles per gallon. It also downgraded its 2012 goal for trucks from 27.5 miles per gallon to 23.8.

If General Motors, on its knees for another \$17 billion in bailout funds, remains this sneaky and arrogant, what will other fossil fuel-related companies do to delay regulation and destroy the future? It is another reason GM and Chrysler should not get another dime of taxpayer money until they get real. More broadly, it is a reason for Obama — as much as he is being stretched by the overall economic crisis — to signal he will not tolerate any more corporate shenanigans.

The first thing Obama

should tell Gary Locke to do after Locke is confirmed as commerce secretary is tell the US Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Manufacturers to send away the lobbyists and bring in the engineers to retool America. Obama should also hold a public event with Jackson and Browner at his side to tell the polluters that, just like Vice President Joe Biden, you don't mess with Lisa or Carol.

Obama has to make it absolutely clear to his environment officials that he will not abandon them, in contrast to the way Bush humiliated his first EPA administrator, Christine Todd-Whitman, openly trashing her agency's reports on climate change. Obama must officially declare that the trash talk of the Chamber of Commerce and the toxic dump of lobbyists for polluters have no place in his White House. The air did breathe easier on inauguration day. But with lobbyists outnumbering members of Congress more than 4 to 1, a choking smog is about to envelop Capitol Hill.

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# Confusion reigns as conservatives regroup in political wilderness

They gathered in Washington from around the nation but actually all of the attendees were from the same place — the wilderness, specifically the political wilderness. Your GPS gizmo can't find it but just look around. It's everywhere for the true-believer conservatives who people the annual gatherings of the Conservative Political Action Committee.

This time, where for years they have convened in triumph, the tone seems to have been more a muddle of hysteria and bravado. On the one hand, the republic is doomed. On the other hand, true-blue conservatism will begin roaring back in the congressional elections just two years off.

The nature of the doom seems a mite unsettled as yet. Rep. Ron Paul, the Texas Republican who attracted a geeky, libertarian, Mensa-boy cult while running for his party's presidential nomination last year, said, "We now have moved in the direction of socialism. We're close to a fascist system where the government controls our lives and economy."

Well, then, is it socialism that looms or fascism? Some sort of dread looming is going on.

Former Arkansas Gov. Mike Huckabee, another castoff from the presidential primaries, contemplated a month's worth of President Obama and the Democratic Congress. "Lenin," he said, "and Stalin would love this stuff." So maybe it's communism outright?

Republicans have taken a shellacking in the last two elections and while movement conservatives of the CPAC sort insist they shouldn't be mistaken for partisans, in fact there is no other political vehicle with any promise at all of carrying them to power. The GOP may be a default home for the far right, but that's where its slippers and robe are. It has been a long sleep-over.

For movement conservatives and the bloggers and talk-radio barkers who are their rock stars, the GOP's



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TEEPEN**

recent losses are a welcome purging. Happyland lies ahead in a party properly chastened for its occasional lapses from rightist orthodoxy and cleared of such ideological chiselers as the wimpy George W. Bush, previously championed but now disdained for not having been nearly as Cheney-like as he should have been.

But where's the new Goldwater or new Reagan the ideological right has to offer? Nowhere apparent. A straw poll of CPAC delegates favored Louisiana Gov. Bobby Jindal for the next presidency. Recent polls find Republicans leaning to Alaska Gov. Sarah Palin.

The difference? Well, one's a boy, the other a girl. Otherwise ...

So CPAC fell back for heart and hardiness on the usual motivational speakers.

Rush Limbaugh unleashed his patented contempt and ridicule for all folks left of far right and offered, as a special treat, the catnip of a little nostalgic misogyny.

Hired harridan Ann Coulter hurled her standard venom, but didn't it seem this time, somehow, a little less devil-may-care than worried?

There is a place, in fact a need, for reflective conservatism. Obama and the Democrats will especially need that before long. But for too many years now, what passes for conservatism has been in the hands of political hustlers and showmen. You don't have to expect philosophy from politics; you should be able to expect of it something better than the outpouring from a clown car.

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## OTHER VIEWS

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

#### ... spending education's rainy day fund

**Idaho Statesman, Boise**

Idaho schools face a downpour right now. And Tom Luna still wants to save for a rainy day.

The state's school superintendent would rather keep \$114 million socked away in a savings account to protect public school funding — someday.

He would rather condemn Idaho schools to historic budget cuts.

He would prefer to move full steam ahead on \$62 million in education cuts ...

When Luna first floated the \$62 million in proposed cuts, he wasn't exactly an enthusiastic advocate. They were, he conceded, a list of "bad ideas." Unfortunately, the bad idea man was just warming up for his worst idea of the bunch.

Idaho will get \$166 million from the federal economic stimulus bill, money to stabilize public school budgets through 2011. The federal dollars aren't a cure-all. Even with them, Idaho might still be forced to cut

its education budget, something the state managed to avoid even during the recession of the early 1980s. But the federal dollars would certainly ease the blow — especially when coupled with Idaho's \$114 million school savings account.

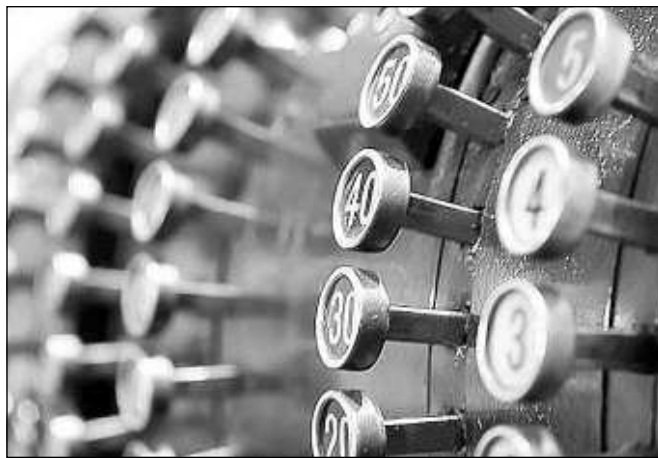
A few weeks ago, legislators were ready to follow Gov. Butch Otter's recommendation and use the savings account to spare schools from cuts this year. Some were even talking about depleting the account entirely.

Clearly, draining the schools savings account is a dire response to dire times. It is risky, because it leaves schools with no reserves if a recession lingers for several years. That's one reason why Luna wants to keep the savings account intact. Luna also wants money on hand if the economy worsens, so the state can avoid making budget cuts in the middle of a school year.

But here's the stark choice: Are we a state that wants to be known for maximizing its balance sheet, or minimizing the immediate impact on 275,000 students? ...

Tough times shine a beacon on our priorities. We have a chance to show we are committed to investing in our children — not just when it's convenient, but also when it's really difficult.

Or we can cut \$62 million and leave money in the bank. Now there's a bad idea.



#### ... stifling retailers

**Lewiston Tribune**

Whom do members of Idaho's House Revenue and Taxation Committee think they represent, anyway?

It sure isn't Idaho's Main Street retailers, who must collect the state's 6 percent sales tax on every sale they make while most online and catalog retailers collect nothing.

The retailers know this puts them at a competitive disadvantage. For that reason, the Idaho Retailers Association has always strongly supported the Streamlined Sales Tax Project through which 22 other states are working to capture tax dollars that are supposed to be paid by Idahoans making purchases, but for online or other distant sales almost never are.

A majority of Revenue and Taxation Committee members, however, see something sinister in the multistate enterprise to simplify and collect taxes

owing from such sales.

One member, Hayden Republican Jim Clark, says he doubts "there would ever be a right time for this issue."

Clark was among the majority that voted 10-6 to kill yet another attempt to permit Idaho's participation in the project Monday ...

The ultimate responsibility for legislators' failure to represent Main Street merchants ... rests with the merchants themselves. How many of them know which committee members vote year after year to preserve a state policy that is screwing them? And of those who do know, what have they done to change those members' positions, or to remove them from the Legislature?

Until they take such voluntary actions, they will remain bound to unvoluntarily collect 6 percent more than other merchants, sometimes for the same goods.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

### Doing business as usual will help us end downturn

It's surprising how so many people fail to realize that every dollar we receive from the government costs us at least \$2, just for the bureaucracy involved in collecting an redistributing it, not even considering the "shrinkage" corruption that is inherent in big government.

We were promised last fall that our new president would not sign any bill with earmarks (pork) and that everything would be open to the public. Then he just signed a 1,000-page bailout bill containing at least 250 earmarks that had not even been read by the legislators who passed it.

I'm not happy with either the Republicans or Democrats who voted for this or the previous giveaways. I think our legislators from Idaho at least did

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what we wanted them to do.

In 1929, we had a stock market crash and the beginning of a recession. The Hoover administration tried to fix it and it got worse. Roosevelt promised to fix it with more government interference and it turned into the Great Depression, which lasted until World War II.

We got by until the end of the war and government-controlled prices were eliminated, and things got back to normal. Normal being ups and downs in the economy controlled by

supply and demand, even with an occasional recession, from which we soon recover.

We are now threatened with another Hoover/Roosevelt type of government-caused depression, and I hope we will not depend on another world war to bail us out.

If we all keep our heads and try to do business as usual, buying, selling, hiring and working, we can overcome this economic downturn as we have in the past.

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# Tamarack Resort closes; employees cut loose

By **Jessie L. Bonner**  
Associated Press writer

DONNELLY — Three months after Marcos Salvador was hired to wash dishes at a swanky ski resort in the central Idaho mountains, he stood alongside Roseberry Road in the frigid cold and tried to hitch a ride to his last day of work.

Salvador, a 24-year-old college student from Peru, was among an estimated 250 employees being let go as Tamarack closed down Wednesday after four years of operation.

The first destination ski resort in the country was created in Idaho by a railroad magnate in the 1930s at Sun Valley. Tamarack, which billed itself as the first new destination ski resort in a quarter century when it opened in December 2004, failed because of debt, foreclosure lawsuits and \$2.8 million in losses since October.

Salvador paid \$300 a month to live in affordable housing provided for employees down

the street from the resort. Workers must vacate a colony of rust-colored homes by Sunday, he said.

"We don't know what's going to happen to everyone who worked there," said Salvador, who is going to live with a friend until he can find another job. "I am very sad."

Several factors doomed Tamarack, including an ambitious building plan by French owner Jean-Pierre Boespflug that drained a \$250 million construction loan, tight credit markets, collapsing resort real estate demand, foreclosure litigation and \$20 million in unpaid construction bills.

Financiers at Credit Suisse Group are shuttering the resort operation after a \$2.8 million operating loss since Oct. 20, according to court documents reviewed by The Associated Press.

Douglas Wilson, head of the California-based receiver running the resort since October, has told a state court judge his company plans to use \$1.7 million in new funding to mothball the place.



AP photo

Lori VanAlfen and her son Hudson, 3, of Eagle ride the ski lift at Tamarack Resort in Donnelly, against a backdrop of unfinished condos Wednesday. The resort closed down Wednesday due to financial troubles.

About seven miles outside this former timber town, skiers and snowboarders dotted the Tamarack mountain-

side on Wednesday against a backdrop of unfinished condominiums.

"It's going to leave a big hole," said Bridget Feider, a 29-year-old snowboarder from McCall who planned to use the last of a

Tamarack gift card.

A massive crane hung lifeless near the resort lodge, where a health club employee boxed up spa products. A message thanking employees for their hard work was scrawled across a whiteboard.

Tamarack, on the shores of Lake Cascade reservoir, has seven ski lifts. Of 2,100 planned chalets, condos and town homes, only 250 are completed, near a golf course.

Another 174 residences sit half done, a mountain lodge is similarly incomplete and the centerpiece Village Plaza required emergency measures late last year to protect it from winter.

Tennis stars Andre Agassi and Steffi Graf bolted from a luxury hotel project, and Bank of America threatened to remove ski lifts after Tamarack missed payments.

At the edge of the expansive property of winding roads and fancy, unfinished buildings, Doug Dvorak worked from the luxurious estate home he and his wife built on Discovery Drive.

## Economy sours West's wild horse adoption market

HERRIMAN, Utah (AP) — When the U.S. Bureau of Land Management put more than 450 wild horses and burros up for adoption here last month, the dirt parking lot was filled with cars and trucks — but very few horse trailers.

While wild horses still draw curious onlookers, the market for adopting them in Utah and across the West has cooled dramatically.

"The economy is playing a huge role," Jared Redington, who manages 70 hilly acres at the base of the Oquirrh Mountains west of Salt Lake City that serve as a short-term BLM holding facility for horses and burros.

In 2002, more than 7,700 were adopted nationwide. Last year, as part of a steady decline, it was 3,700. And so far this fiscal year, which started Oct. 1, only 713 have been adopted, according to BLM figures.

It's a discouraging development for an agency that relies on adoptions to help keep wild populations in check and is out of room at long-term holding facilities for unadopted horses.

"This is pretty grave but the BLM understands the gravity of the situation," said Paul McGuire, acting director of the wild horse and burro program in Nevada, which has more than 17,000 wild horses, the most of any state.

Under a 1971 law, the BLM manages some 33,000 wild horses in 10 Western states, mostly descendants of domesticated horses and burros that escaped or were set loose long ago.

Without any predators in the wild, horse populations can grow quickly, putting a strain on land designated by the BLM for habitat.

Each year, government agents take thousands of horses and burros off the range and put them up for adoption. More than 220,000 have been adopted since 1971.

But these days, even at rock-bottom prices — \$125 each and \$25 more for a "buddy" — the agency is struggling to find buyers.

"They can't afford the hay. That's what I hear the most," said Vicky Green, president of the Intermountain Wild Horse & Burro Advisors, a West Jordan, Utah-based organization that offers advice for those thinking about adopting horses.

The price for a ton of hay

### ON THE NET

#### BLM program:

<http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/prog/wild-horse-and-burro.html>

was about \$110 when Green first started adopting wild horses 10 years ago. Since then, it's climbed to around \$230 or \$240. It's fallen recently, but not enough to make a difference with adoptions.

Feed costs aren't the only reason. There is also the rising price of fuel and the falling price for domesticated horses on the market, driven in part by the closure of the nation's horse slaughterhouses.

And with growing urban



AP photo

Christian Hogan of West Jordan, Utah, looks at a young mare that is among the horses for adoption, Feb. 21 in Herriman, Utah.

populations, there are fewer people with a place for a horse.

"When you look at the potential horse-owning population of the U.S., it is at best

static if not shrinking," McGuire said.

That leaves BLM in a tight spot.

The agency says there are nearly 6,000 more horses on the range than they'd like but they have little room to put the "excess."

The cost of holding 33,000 horses and burros — which last year was more than \$28 million — is "spiraling out of control," according to Tom Gorey, a BLM spokesman in Washington, D.C.

The Government Accountability Office last fall said the BLM should consider euthanizing wild horses or selling off large numbers to cut costs.

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# Fed survey sees recovery in late '09 at earliest

By Jeannine Aversa  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — The businesses on the front lines of the dismal economy say the recession is getting worse in almost every part of the country, and in a bleak new forecast they see no improvement until late this year at the earliest.

A Federal Reserve snapshot of business activity issued Wednesday showed widespread declines in production, from the factories of Cleveland to the high-tech firms of Texas and California, in blue-collar construction

jobs and at white-collar accounting firms.

The survey, known as the Beige Book, rated the prospects for economic improvement anytime soon as "poor, with a significant pickup not expected before late 2009 or early 2010."

Factories exposed to the housing industry were hardest hit. Construction equipment and materials, such as primary metals, wood products and electrical equipment, saw especially steep drops in production. So did makers of furniture and cars.

The only bright spots were in food, drugs and biotech-

nology products.

Consumer spending was "very weak," the survey found — no surprise to Mark Steinke, owner of Revival, a Chicago antiques and home decor store, where sales are down 20 percent this year, cutting into Steinke's own paycheck.

"The first thing out of people's mouth is 'How are you doing? Are you going to survive?'" he said. "Everyone is waiting for another shoe to drop, which is not good."

The survey summarizes information, most of it anecdotal, supplied to the Fed's 12 regional banks. In 10 of those

regions, economic activity worsened. In the two others, Philadelphia and Chicago, the economies merely "remained weak," the survey said.

The Fed will use the Beige Book as one factor in its discussions when Fed Chairman Ben Bernanke and his colleagues meet March 17-18.

At that meeting, the Fed is widely expected to hold interest rates steady, at their record low. The widely watched federal funds rates is already almost as low as it can go, set at a range of zero to 0.25 percent.

The Fed also has said it will consider expanding existing

relief programs or come up with new ones to battle the worst financial crisis since the 1930s.

Still, most economists believe the recession will drag on at least for most of this year, even after the enactment of President Obama's \$787 billion stimulus package. Bernanke told Congress on Tuesday that the impact of the stimulus package is subject to "considerable uncertainty."

The economy also has been battered by a collapse in the housing market and a lockup in lending that has made it difficult, and more expensive, for people to secure financing

for homes, cars and household appliances.

Factories are getting hit by slower demand at home and overseas, where foreign customers are coping with their own economic troubles. In the Cleveland region, overall factory production dropped about 25 percent compared with a year earlier.

"Traditionally, we start to pick up in our business starting in February, with orders, and we're not seeing that at all," said Tod Oliva, president of Extrudex, a plastic parts manufacturer near Cleveland. "We're just dropping off completely."

# As recession saps demand, world becomes awash in oil

By Chris Kahn  
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — Supertankers that once raced around the world to satisfy an unquenchable thirst for oil are now parked offshore, fully loaded, anchors down, their crews killing time. In the United States, vast storage farms for oil are almost out of room.

As demand for crude has plummeted, the world suddenly finds itself awash in oil that has nowhere to go.

It's been less than a year since oil prices hit record highs. But now producers and traders are struggling with the new reality: The world wants less oil, not more. And turning off the spigot is about as easy as turning around one of those tankers.

So oil companies and investors are stashing crude, waiting for demand to rise and the bear market to end so they can turn a profit later.

Meanwhile, oil-producing countries such as Iran have pumped millions of barrels of their own crude into idle tankers, effectively taking crude off the market to halt declining prices that are devastating their economies.

Traders have always played a game of store and sell, bringing oil to market when it can fetch the best price. They say this time is different because of how fast the bottom fell out of the oil market.

"Nobody expected this,"



AP file photo

An oil tanker makes its way up the Houston Ship channel behind working pump jacks in Baytown, Texas. Producers, traders and brokers are struggling with a new reality: The world suddenly wants less of it, not more.

said Antoine Halff, an analyst with Newedge. "The majority of people out there thought the market would keep rising to \$200, even \$250, a barrel. They were tripping over each other to pick a higher forecast."

Now the strategy is storage. Anyone who can buy cheap oil and store it might be able to sell it at a premium later, when the global economy ramps up again.

The oil tanks that surround Cushing, Okla., in a sprawling network that holds 10 percent of the nation's oil, have been swelling for months. Exactly how close they are to full is a closely guarded secret, but analysts

who cover the industry say Cushing is approaching capacity.

There are other storage tanks in the country with plenty of extra room to take on oil, but Cushing is the delivery point for the oil traded on the New York Mercantile Exchange. So the closer Cushing gets to full, the lower the price of oil goes.

Some oil is ending up in giant ships and staying there.

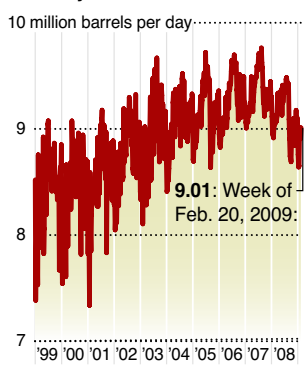
More than 30 tankers, each with the ability to move 2 million barrels of oil from port to port, now serve as little more than floating storage tanks.

See **OIL**, Business 2

## Gas demand drops

Americans are purchasing less gasoline than they did two years ago.

Amount of gasoline made by refiners



SOURCE: Energy Information Administration AP

# New home construction sees increase

By Joshua Palmer  
Times-News writer

Building permits in Twin Falls and Jerome saw a slight increase in February as builders began work on more affordable housing.

The number of building permits for single-family homes, which were issued by the city of Twin Falls, increased about 25 percent compared to the previous year to a total of eight permits in February.

The city of Jerome issued three building permits for new home construction, a 100 percent increase compared to the previous year.

New home permits are an indicator of new home construction in coming months. Although the increases in both cities are small, they represent the first year-over-year increase in February since the housing market crumbled in 2007.

Builders say the increase doesn't necessarily indicate a recovery, but they say demand appears to be improving for more affordable housing — homes

## New home construction permits in February

	'08	'09
Twin Falls:	6	8
Jerome	0	3
Burley*	-	-

Source: City building departments

\*Burley building permits unavailable.

according to permit reports.

According to the Intermountain Multiple Listing Service, sales of existing homes increased about 14 percent compared to the previous year, with a total of 33 homes sold in January.

Real estate agents say more affordable homes are being bought by buyers seeking more home for their dollar.

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# Tax losses slowing in Ketchum

By Ariel Hansen  
Times-News writer

After several months of rapidly declining tax receipts for Ketchum, the city had a better month in February. Receipts were still down in most categories, but not as steeply as in the previous quarter.

In what might be a sign of the times, only one category of taxes earned Ketchum more this February than the same month in 2008 — alcohol sales. That number has fluctuated greatly this winter, going down by 40 percent in November, up by 20 percent in December, down by 35 percent in January and up by

1.4 percent in February over the same months the previous year.

Combining building materials, liquor, condos, room rentals and other receipts, Ketchum's tax earnings were down by 16 percent over last February. That compares to declines of 24 percent in November, 21 percent in December and 33 percent in January over 2008.

Ketchum has struggled to accommodate the income decline from these retail taxes. Last month, the city laid off four employees and made other cuts, to save \$586,000. That followed cuts of \$730,000 earlier in the budget year.

# Intern interviews, accounting the future

**WHO'S KNOCKING:** If the applicant pool for this year's summer internship at your business is overwhelming, that may be because it's become more difficult to land an entry-level job.

Deborah Levy, vice president of talent recruitment at communications firm MS&L Worldwide, offers these tips to see which potential intern has the dexterity to work with you.

- Give candidates a pop culture quiz to test their knowledge of current events. It will help give you a sense of their ability to

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translate current trends into business ideas and opportunities for the company.

- Make them earn that acceptance letter. After the applications are screened, hold a "Challenge Day" for candidates to compete against one another in a simulated assignment for a coveted intern slot.

- Look for digital prowess and visual presentations that demonstrate creativity,

poise and strong communication skills.

- Recruit staff members from varied departments and levels of experience — human resources, technical support, new employees and senior executives — to conduct short interviews of the candidates. It'll give the applicants several opportunities to leave an impression and demonstrate their eloquence.

**FIX THE BOOKS:** Calling all Leo Blooms.

The mousy accountant portrayed in "The

Producers" may be the poster boy for a booming career in an uncertain economy. Employment of accountants is expected to grow by about 18 percent between 2006 and 2016, faster than the 10 percent growth projection for all occupations, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Jeff Thomson, president of the Institute for Management Accountants, says changing financial regulations and increased

See **INTERN**, Business 2

## STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	15.26	▲ .30	Dell Inc.	8.88	▼ .27	Idacorp	22.75	▲ .46
Lithia Mo.	2.45	▼ .11	Micron	3.20	▲ .11	Supervalu	15.96	▲ .77

## COMMODITIES

For more see Business 2

Live cattle	84.65	▲ .43	Apr. oil	45.38	▲ 3.73
Mar. gold	906.00	▼ 6.90	Mar. silver	12.90	▲ .21

MARKET SUMMARY

Table with 3 columns: NYSE, AMEX, NASDAQ. Each column contains 'MOST ACTIVE' and 'GAINERS' sections with columns for Name, Vol(00), Last, and Chg.

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HOW TO READ THE MARKET REPORT. Explains stock notations: Name, Fund Name, Sell, Chg, Stock Footnotes, Div, Last, Chg, Mutual Fund Footnotes, etc.

COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES table listing various commodities like Live cattle, Feeder cattle, Wheat, Soybeans, Corn, etc. with columns for High, Low, Close, and Change.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

Twin Falls BID OKs payment to scouts. The Downtown Twin Falls Business Improvement District approved a payment of \$200 to Boy Scout troops, who volunteered to place bags over parking meters for five weeks.

Costco 2Q profit drops partly on stronger dollar. ISSAQUAH, Wash. — Costco Wholesale Corp. said Wednesday that its fiscal second-quarter profit fell 27 percent partly on lower non-foods sales and some deeper discounting, while the stronger dollar and falling gas prices took a toll on same-store sales.

BEANS

Valley Beans. Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges.

GRAINS

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

CHEESE

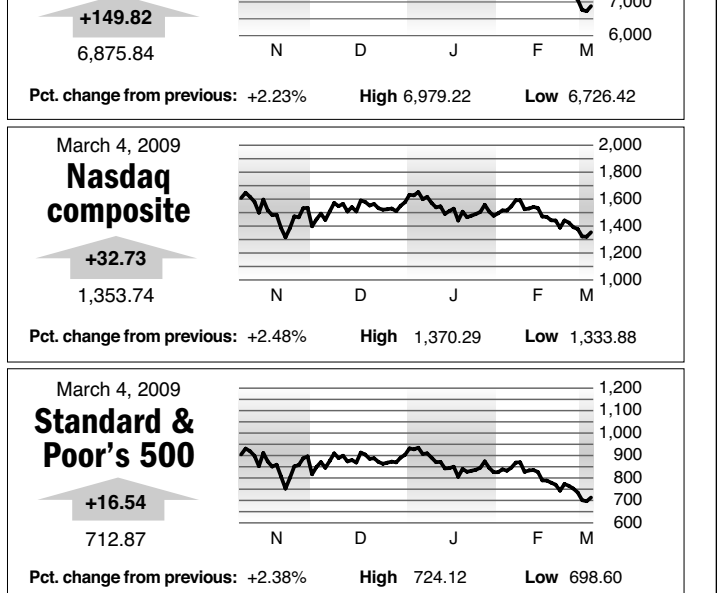
Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange. Barrels: \$1.1775, .0100; Blocks: \$1.1700, .0050.

LIVESTOCK

JEROME — Producers Livestock Marketing Association in Jerome reports the following prices from the livestock sale held Tuesday, March 3.

METALS/MONEY

Key currency exchange rates. NEW YORK (AP) — Key currency exchange rates Wednesday, compared with late Tuesday in New York:



Intern

Continued from Business 1. Accountability will drive growth for management accountants especially, as more than a quarter million new jobs are expected to be added over the next decade.

Oil

Continued from Business 1. "It gets expensive to do this," said Phil Flynn, an analyst at Alaron Trading Corp. "If you're sitting on a bunch of oil and you're stuck paying storage and insurance, and you can't find a buyer, you may have to sell it at a discount just to get rid of it."

B&G Produce Auction

Saturday, March 7, 2009. Located: Filer, Idaho. 2156 East 4100 North. From the southwest corner of Filer (Hunts Auto Sales), go 2 miles north and 1/4 west.

Tractors

2 John Deere 3010 diesel tractors, with cab, Synchro transmission, dual remotes, 540 top, wide front, 13.6x38 rubber, 3pt hitch - Massey Ferguson 50 gas tractor, hi lo transmission, sp, plow valve, 13.6x38 rubber, 3pt hitch - Ford 8N gas tractor, 28" rubber, wide front, 3pt hitch - Farmall "H" gas tractor, 13.6x38 rubber, double front tri-cycle with Farmhand hay stacker mounted, manure bucket - Pair of 13.6x38 Snap On Duals

Farm Equipment

Eversman 14ft tandem disc on rubber, cutouts front, hydraulic lift - John Deere 10ft roller harrow, outside rubber, solid rollers, hydraulic lift - Konskill 12ft Triple "K" renovator, gauge wheels, 3pt hitch - John Deere 6 row "C" shank corrugator or lay by bar with 3pt hitch - Case 10ft cultipacker - Meyers square nose V type ditcher, hi lift with 3pt hitch - 2 section 5ft Acme metal harrow and drawbar - 200 gal fiberglass tank trail sprayer on rubber with booms - 110 gal fiberglass spray tank, 3pt hitch - Dearborn 8ft spring trim renovator, 3pt hitch - Disc type feed ditch cleaner, 3pt hitch - 4ft alfalfa crowner, 3pt hitch - Bean blade lifter, 3pt hitch - 16ft tandem axle flat bed trailer - 14ft single axle flat bed trailer - 2 wheel utility trailer - Rear end feed platform with 3pt hitch - IHC "181" 4 row unit planter with 3pt hitch - John Deere "70" 4 row unit planter with 3pt hitch - HiCo 6ft rotary mower with 3pt hitch - 4 section 6ft metal harrow with drawbar

Antique Machinery

Oliver single row potato digger on steel, pto - McCormick Deering single row potato planter - Iron Age single row push type garden planter - Old one row walk behind spud digger

Truck Garden Equipment

Bisqueen 'Roll Out' implement, lays out a complete roll of Bisqueen, and covers the edges with dirt, ground driven, with attached corrugator, 3pt hitch - Holland single row 2 person transplanter, ground driven, 3pt hitch - Planter Jr. 4 row unit planter with 3pt hitch - Single row sled type corrugator, 3pt hitch - 2 row bean cultivator, gauge wheels, 3pt hitch - Lein Bach renovator cultivator, 3pt hitch - Electric belt driven vegetable sorting table - Platform scales - 8 garden carts - hand truck - plastic pails - tables - chairs - boxes - baskets - and many decorative items used in the corn maze - lots of vegetable seed - 25 gal PVC water tank - several rolls of planting embossed bisqueen plastic

Gated Pipe

33 joints of 8"x30ft PVC gated pipe - 20 joints of 6"x30ft PVC gated pipe - 40 joints of 10"x30ft PVC gated pipe - 50 plus 8"x30ft aluminum gated pipe - 17 joints of 12"x30ft PVC gated pipe - gated pipe turners - gated pipe components

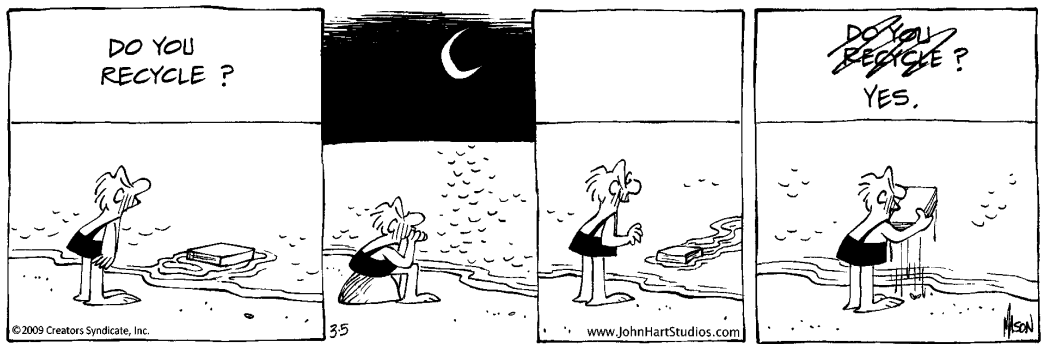
Shop - Miscellaneous

Mantis rototiller - 300 gal overhead fuel tank - gauge wheels - cultivator tools - herbicides - weed sprayers - saw horses - 5 gal propane bottle - electric hand grinder - chop saw - electric fence wire - child's swing set - some hand tools - used bricks - top links - shovels - and other miscellaneous items too numerous to mention

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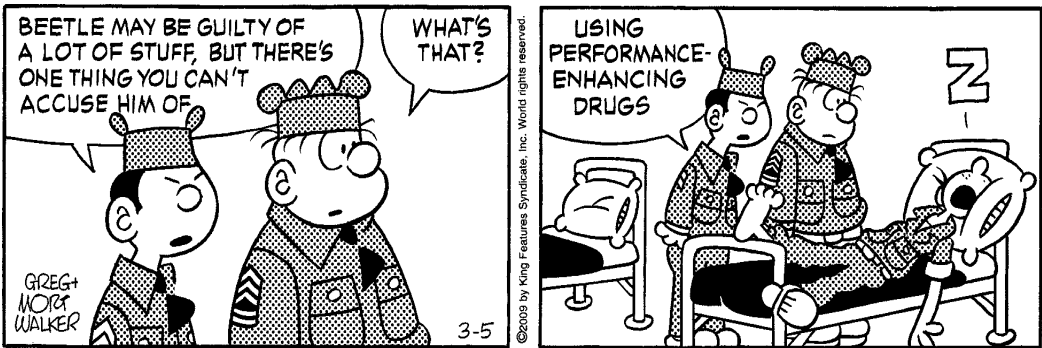
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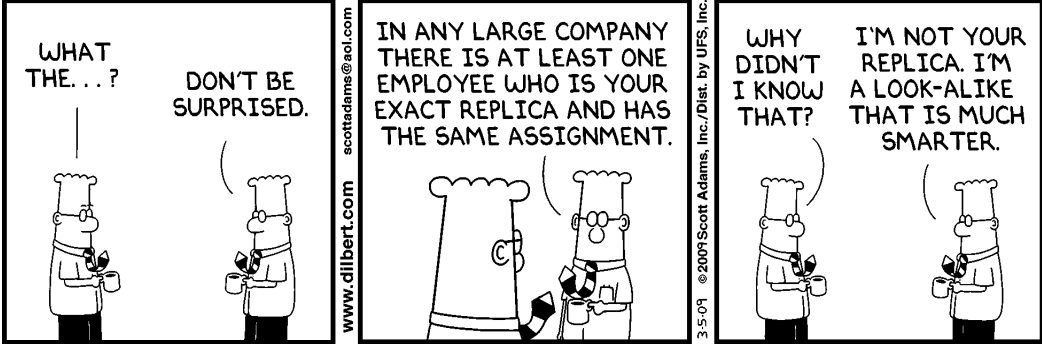
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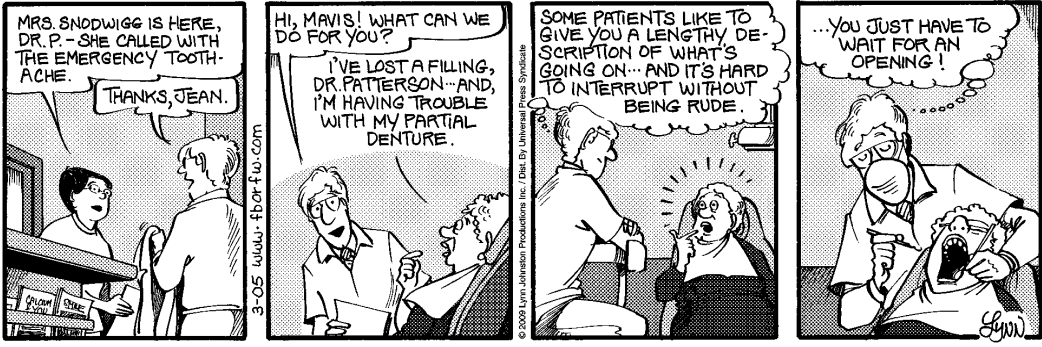
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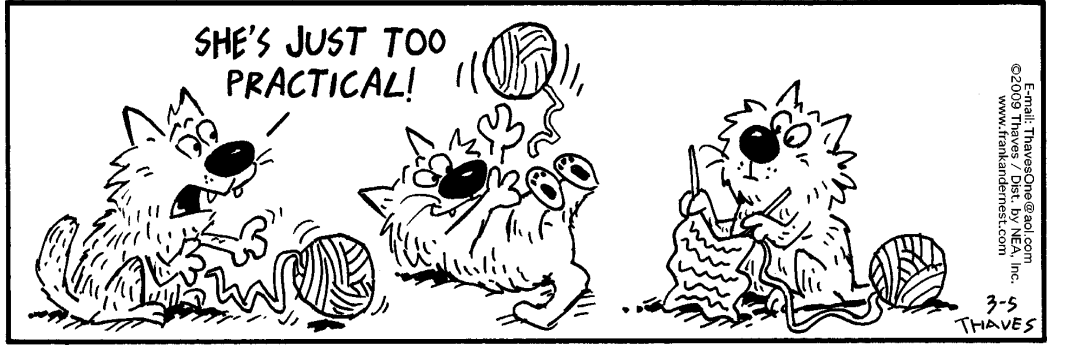
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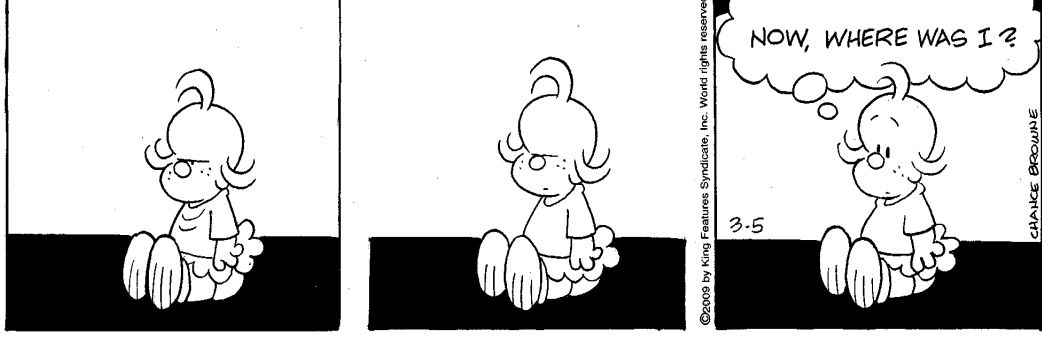
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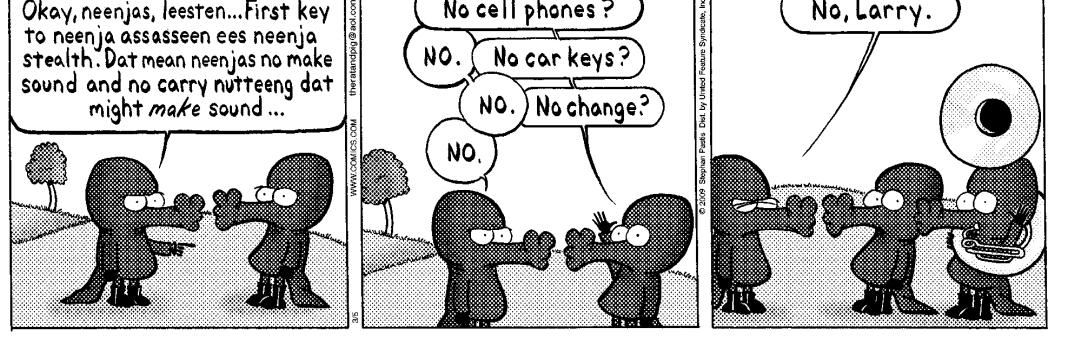
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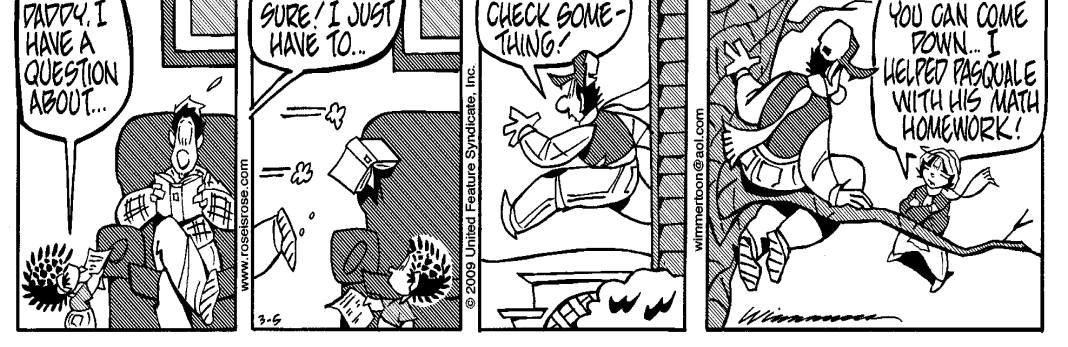
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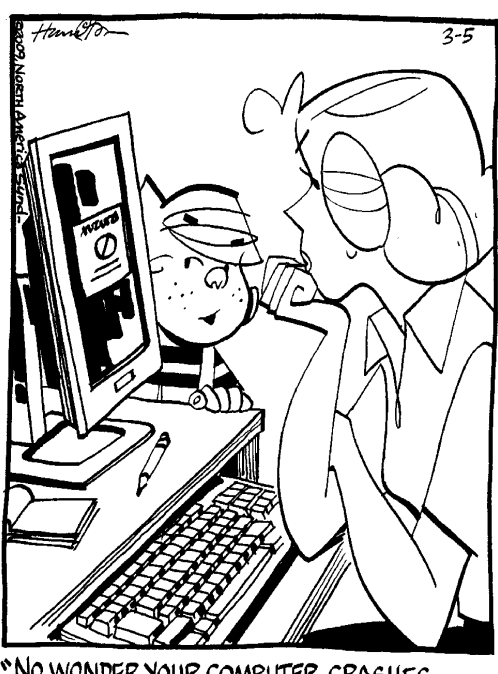
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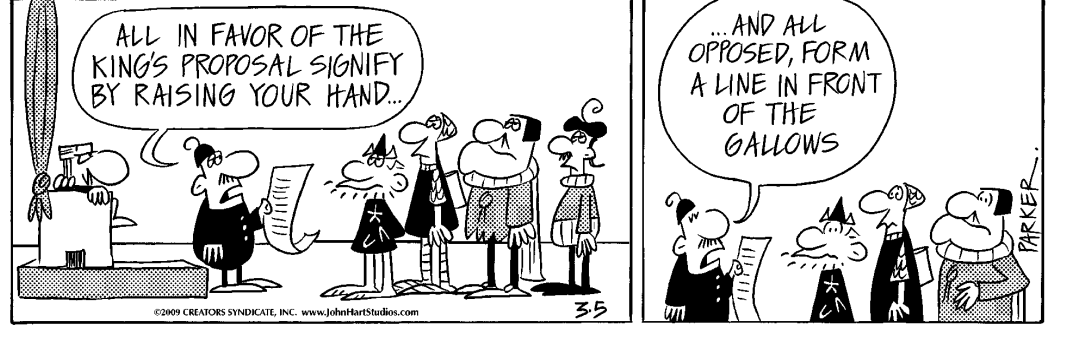
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TWIN FALLS FORECAST

Today: Mostly cloudy with a small chance of snow or rain. Highs 40 to 45.
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IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS. Snow likely today with several inches of accumulation possible. Snow tapers off tonight. A chance of snow from time to time will continue through the weekend.
Map showing weather forecasts for Boise, Grangeville, McCall, Sun Valley, and other Idaho locations.

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Table with 5 columns: Today, Tonight, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday. Includes weather icons and high/low temperatures.

Yesterday's Weather

Table with 4 columns: City, Hi, Lo, Precip. Lists weather for various Idaho cities.

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Table with 4 columns: Temperature, Precipitation, Humidity, Barometric Pressure. Includes sunrise and sunset times.

Moon Phases and Moonrise/Moonset table. Includes moon icons and times for March 11, 18, 26, and April 2.

REGIONAL FORECAST

Large table providing weather forecasts for numerous cities across the region, including Boise, Idaho Falls, and Pocatello.

CANADIAN FORECAST

Table with 4 columns: City, Today, Tomorrow. Provides weather forecasts for major Canadian cities.

NATIONAL FORECAST

Table with 4 columns: City, Today, Tomorrow. Provides weather forecasts for major US cities.

WORLD FORECAST

Table with 4 columns: City, Today, Tomorrow. Provides weather forecasts for major world cities.

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY: "When you're 'happy for no reason,' you bring happiness to your everyday experiences rather than try to extract happiness from them. It's not that your life always looks perfect - it's that however it looks, you'll still be happy!"

New Jersey insurance workers' payout: \$216M lottery

By Samantha Henry Associated Press writer
WHITEHOUSE STATION, N.J. — Robert Space got into work at the Chubb Insurance company at 6:30 a.m. Wednesday, realized the lottery ticket he was holding matched the winning numbers, and fired off a one-line e-mail to his nine co-workers who had pitched in to buy it.

GROVER ELECTRIC AND PLUMBING SUPPLY advertisement featuring various lighting fixtures (fluorescent shop light, residential wrap fixture, energy-efficient ceiling light, energy-saving pendant) and plumbing equipment (ultra-silent fan, wire dispenser, nonmetallic electrical boxes, tankless gas water heater, mobile/home panels).

Advertisement for kitchen fixtures including faucets (two-handle kitchen faucet, signature pullout kitchen faucet), sinks (economy stainless steel sink, granite composite kitchen sink), and garbage disposers.



# AN EYE IN THE SKY

Kepler satellite being launched Friday.

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## F&G seeks public input on proposed changes

By Andrew Weeks  
Times-News writer

Jerry Holton is an avid hunter and has been for years.

There are a number of virtues to hunting, he said, and he doesn't plan to stop anytime soon.

Nor is he against any of the proposed changes to hunting seasons the Idaho Department of Fish and Game is seeking.

"As long as I can still hunt, I'm OK with it," Holton said.

Holton, of Jerome, was one of about 50 people Tuesday night who turned out to the Fish and Game's Magic Valley regional office to learn about the proposals, which, if approved by the Fish and Game Commission, will alter some hunting and fishing regulations.

The reason for the proposals depends on the species of animal and their location, according to Randy Smith, F&G's regional wildlife manager. Changes to elk hunts are proposed mainly because of depredation problems, while changes to pronghorn seasons are proposed due to the overcrowding of hunters and declining buck quality, especially in units west of Rogerson, Smith said.

"That area has seen an increase in bow hunters over the last eight years," he said. "It's become a social issue with hunters being crowded out ... We're looking at making that a controlled hunt.

"With elk, there are some serious biological issues going on."

Proposals also would affect mule deer hunting and some fishing.

Silver Creek is proposed to become a catch-and-release only site, including its tributaries, Doug Megargle, regional fisheries manager, said. There's also a proposal to make circle hooks and slide weights mandatory when fishing for sturgeon.

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### F&G'S PROPOSED CHANGES

#### Mule deer

- Shorter general deer season in the Upper Snake and southeast regions to run Oct.10-24. (There is concern about influxes to Magic Valley units if seasons remain Oct. 10-31.)
- Small downward adjustments in buck permit levels in units 54-55
- New controlled antlerless hunts in units 54 and 56
- Rotate muzzleloader hunt from units 47, 54-55 and 57 to the east side of unit 45.

#### Elk

##### South Hills Zone — units 54-55:

- Add new A-tag general antlerless season in Unit 54 (within Cassia County outside National Forest boundary) to address depredation problems. Eliminate existing 40-permit landowner permission hunt.
- Add two new landowner permission hunts in units 52A and 45 to address depredation problems.

##### Pionner Zone — units 36A, 49-50:

- Eliminate A-tag general spike season and cap A tags.

##### Smoky Mountain Zone — units 43-44, 48:

- Cap A tags and reduce antlerless permits by 37 percent, and antlered permits by 24 percent.

##### Bennett Hills Zone:

- Eliminate the 30-permit Sept. 25-Oct.10 hunt; move the 100-permit Oct. 19-Nov. 9 hunt to Oct. 1-31; implement new 15-permit controlled archery hunt Aug. 30-Sept. 30.

#### Pronghorn

Alternatives to address hunter crowding and declining buck quality in some units:

- Controlled hunts with limited number of permits by unit
- Unlimited controlled hunts by unit or grouping of units
- Cap statewide pronghorn archery tags at 1,200 — a 33 percent reduction from current tag sales
- Adjust seasons to Aug. 30-Sept. 15.

#### Black bear and mountain lion

- No proposed changes

#### Gray wolf

- Oct. 1-Dec. 31; quota to be determined in summer

#### Fishing

- Catch and release only on Silver Creek, including its tributaries
- Circle hooks and slide weights for sturgeon fishing



# Still time for tubin'

The weather may be getting warmer, but you can still head out and hit the slopes on a snow tube

By Andrew Weeks  
Times-News writer

As the rope from my snow tube was hooked to the two line, I flopped myself onto the tube and thought, 'I hope this will hold me.' A second later I felt a tug as the cable pulled my tube and I began my journey up the hill.

I watched below as my wife and son's snow tubes were hooked to the same cable, them trailing up the hill behind me.

It was the first time we had tubed together. But it wasn't until after I had completed my first run — having realized how much fun it was — that I wondered why we had never gone tubing before. My family wondered the same thing.

Sure, we had gone sledding, but it was nothing like this.

It was pure, simple fun. And cheap.

At Magic Mountain you can have three hours of fun on the 750-foot long three-lane tube hill for \$10 a person.

This is the second year the resort has hosted the tube hill, resort owner Gary Miller said.

"Next year we might try to make it a little longer," he said, but noting you have to have just the right location for a tube hill.

If you're in the mood for a little bit longer hill, you might consider Snowhaven.

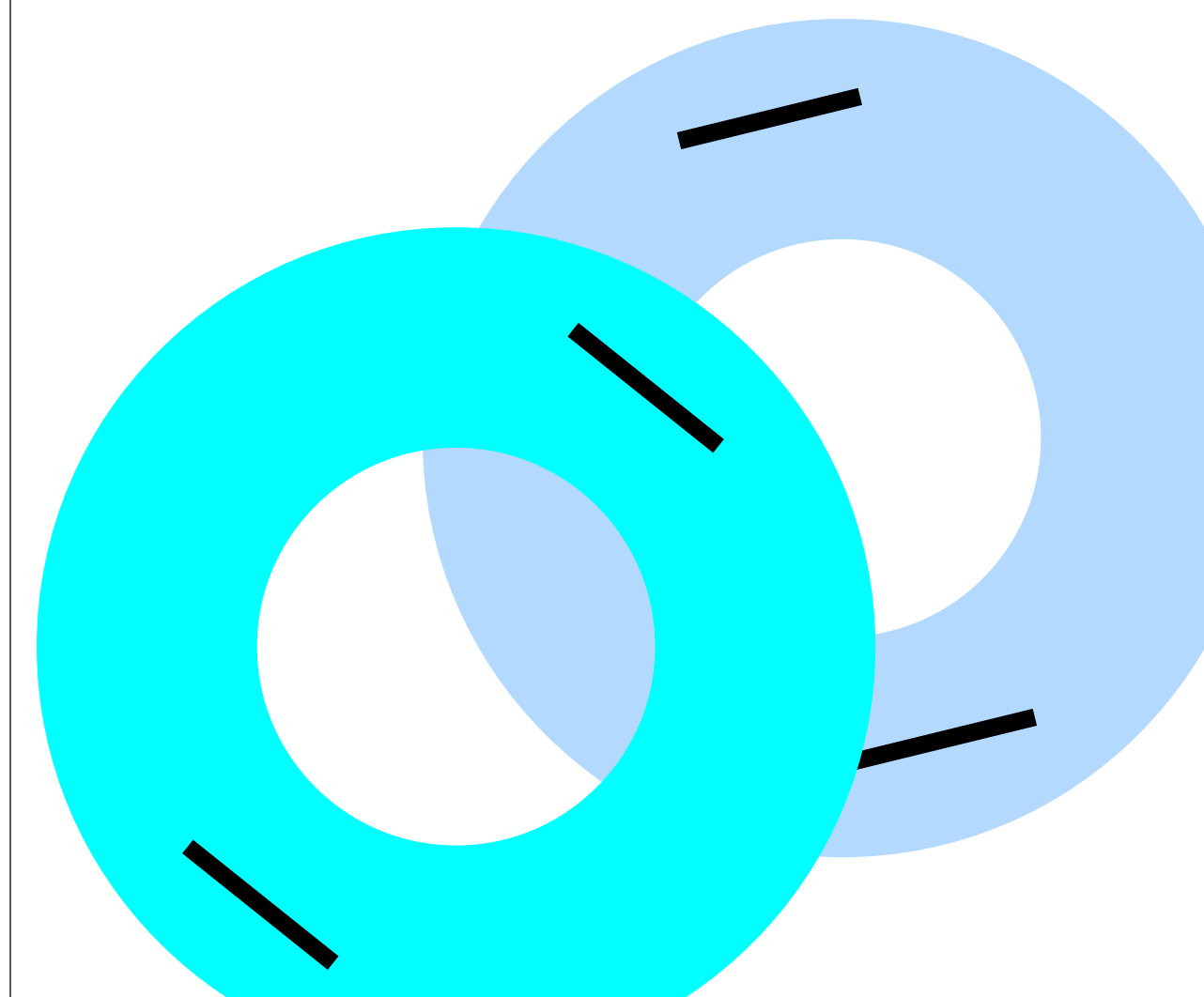
### Check out these tubing hills

**Bogus Basin:** 208-332-5493  
**800-foot** downhill run. Two-hours, \$10 a person.  
**Estimated closing:** March 15

**Magic Mountain:** 208-734-5979  
or <http://www.magicmountain-resort.com/>  
**Three-hours**, \$10 a person.  
**Estimated closing:** March 21

**Snowhaven:** 208-983-3866 or <http://www.grangeville.us/>  
**One hour** \$7; two hours \$11; all-day ski/tube pass \$22  
**Estimated closing:** Mid to late March

See **TUBING**, Outdoors 3



## Paw n' Pole this Sunday

By Karen Bossick  
Times-News correspondent

Other silly traditions have come and gone in the Wood River Valley.

But one of the most enduring — the Paw n' Pole — is back for the 24th time on Sunday.

The event pairs adults and children with their four-legged companions as they ski or snowshoe around loops of varying lengths at the Sun Valley Gun Club at the end of Sun Valley Road.

The fun starts at 10 a.m. Sunday — 10 a.m. Daylight Savings Time, that is.

A different theme is assigned each year — from the Wild West to Hollywood, from a Canine Circus to the Olympics. And over the years, poodles have come dressed as figure skaters and bulldogs as secret service agents. There's even been a dog disguised as an unidentified flying object pulling Rosie, the Jetson's maid.

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KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News  
Ketchum resident Doran Key dressed her dog as a secret agent for Paw n' Pole last year.

## Field testing at Alta Peak

For three days last month I wallowed in the snows of Sequoia National Park in pursuit of Alta Peak, an 11,204-foot pyramid of rock in California's Sierra Nevada Range. The trip, organized by REI Adventures, served as a proving ground for several new pieces of outdoors gear as my group kicked and trugged, ice axes in hand, to the top of the mountain.



**THE GEAR JUNKIE**  
Stephen Regenold

Snowshoes allowed locomotion through new powder snow on the six-mile hike in, where we wore heavy packs heading toward a basecamp. Except for me, the group — a guide and five clients — choose MSR's Denali Evo Ascent Snowshoes, which are about 22 inches long and 8 inches wide. The MSRs worked well on wind-blown snow and crust, but broke through in the powder, forcing the group to inefficiently plod and post-hole along.

My setup, the 30-inch Atlas 1030 snowshoes, were noticeably more efficient. I floated better in conditions where the others sank deep.

Heading up Alta Peak, I broke trail most of the way, bolstered by bigger platforms underfoot.

For balance and efficient striding, I employed Leki's Carbonlite AERGON Antishock poles, which are a fancy set of trekking sticks made of carbon fiber. A slight spring feature provides cushioning, and Leki's new AERGON handle — a rounded ovoid grip that sits nicely

See **GEAR**, Outdoors 3

# Soup on the slopes

Sawtooth Ski Club holds annual festival Saturday, Sunday

By Karen Bossick  
Times-News correspondent

You'd never expect to find a creamy spinach-garlic soup or a tomato-laden vegetable soup with tortellini out on a ski trail overlooking Alturas Lake.

But that's the kind of gourmet deliciousness you get when Karen Shideler-Keiski opens her Soup Kitchen.

The Stanley woman, who used to cook at the old Busterback Cross-Country Ski Lodge, sets up her soup kitchen once a year to raise funds for grooming the cross-country ski trails near Stanley.

And Nordic skiers and snowshoers can belly up to the stove this weekend when the Sawtooth Ski Club holds its annual Sawtooth Ski Festival.

The weekend gets under



KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News  
Karen Shideler-Keiski will be serving up soup this Sunday at the seventh annual Sawtooth Ski Festival.

way at 11 a.m. Saturday with a Ski and Snowshoe Poker Run at Park Creek Ski Area, seven miles west of Stanley. Skiers and snowshoers can vie for a pair of snowshoes as they collect poker cards by skiing or snowshoeing around a short course. Homemade chili and other goodies will be served up

from noon to 2 p.m. A Mexican buffet will be served up from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Saturday at Stanley's Community Hall. The local band, Headwaters, will pluck out some bluegrass tunes, and partygoers can bid on a wide variety of silent auction items. You never know what you'll

get, Keiski said. A couple years ago, for instance, former Arizona Cardinal Quarterback Jake Plummer, who grew up in Boise, donated a couple items to the cause.

The weekend will end with Keiski's Soup Kitchen from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday. Keiski will ladle out homemade soup, foccacia, cookies and brownies on the ski trail leading to Alturas Lake, 20 miles south of Stanley on Highway 75.

All she asks is a donation to help groom the trails and provide the other amenities, such as the installation of the old Murphy Bridge on the Alturas Lake inlet.

"It's always such a delightful weekend — something to look forward to," said June Carson, a Wood River Valley resident. "The food is just wonderful and it's so nice to be out seeing old friends and skiing in such a beautiful setting."

For more information: 774-3487.

## OUTDOORS BRIEFS

### MV Gobblers to hold banquet

The Magic Valley Gobblers Chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation will host its 10th annual banquet on Saturday at the Rupert Elks Lodge. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m., with dinner served at 7 p.m.

Funds raised from the family event will be used to enhance flock numbers and feed turkeys during Idaho winters. This spring a habitat restoration project will be held to replant trees in one of the areas burned by forest fires.

The evening will feature raffles and games, as well as live and silent auctions. Tickets can be purchased at the door. For more information: John Christensen at 670-9201, Dan Pace at 300-0225 or Bill Blair at 431-1355.

### Fun at Pomerelle

Hot Iron Nights rail jam competition will be held Saturday at Pomerelle Mountain Resort.

Registration is from 4-6 p.m. and competition begins at 7 p.m. Entry fee is \$15 with a refundable \$5 bib fee.

The event will include music, bonfire, and a winner-takes-all cash prize. Parental release waivers must be signed for participants under 18.

For information: 673-5599 or www.pomerelle-mtn.com.

### CSI to sell its rental equipment

The College of Southern Idaho Outdoor Program will sell its rental equipment to the public as CSI modifies the program in coming months. Surplus equipment will be sold Friday and Saturday in the CSI Student Recreation Center located adjacent to the CSI Gym.

Scott Rogers, recreation director at the CSI Student Recreation Center, said each item will be priced based on its age and condition and approximate market value. Prices will not be negotiable.

The list includes: Avalanche probes and transceivers; bike helmets; cruiser bikes; mountain bikes; a street bike; canoes; knee, elbow and wrist pads; ice chests; crampons; dry boxes; dry suits; GPS units; head lamps; ice axes; inflatable kayaks; oars; automatic air pumps; raft stands; hand pumps; white-water rafts; raft paddles; roller blades; snow shovels; cross-country boots; ski poles; Maja and Urso skis; sleeping bags, pads; snow shoes; dry-top jackets; tents; throw bags for rafts, and wet suits

Sale times are from noon until 8 p.m. Friday, and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. Customers are welcome to pay with cash, checks, and credit or debit cards. For more information: Rogers

at 732-6470 or at srogers@csi.edu

### Jerome Gun Club hosts clays shoot

The Jerome Gun Club will hold a sporting clays shoot on Saturday and on March 15. This is a 100-target event. If you have never shot sporting clays at Jerome Gun Club, your first 50 targets are free.

Cost is \$20 for adults and \$14 for juniors under age 18. There is a \$5 charge for non-members. Sign-up time is 9 a.m. and a shotgun start begins at 10 a.m.

The club is 11 miles north of the junction of Highway 93 and Interstate 84 at mile marker 64. There will be a league shoot that will start on March 28, and run for four consecutive weeks. All shoots are on Saturday. You will have four weeks to shoot a total of 300 targets. You can shoot ahead or back one week as well as shoot the current week.

Classes will be determined on scores you shoot in January, February and March. If you do not have a score when the league starts, your first 200 targets will determine your class. Classes will be AA, A, B, C, D, E, High Lady, Veteran, Sub-Junior and Junior, plus a H.O.A. will be awarded.

Cost is \$70 for adults and \$55 for juniors and sub-juniors. This will cover targets and trophy fees. For more information: Kenny at 733-6045.

### Annual Fish and Game Hide and Fur auction set for April

The Idaho Fish and Game annual Hide and Fur Auction will be at the Fish and Game region office in Jerome, starting at 9 a.m. April 25.

The spring auction, also known as the "Fur Sale," will be April 25, at the Magic Valley region office, 324 S. 417 E., Jerome, Idaho. Items include hides, furs, antlers, horns, but no wolves this year.

A taxidermist-furbuyer license is required in advance to bid on bear parts, mountain lion parts or any furbearer for anyone in the business of buying and selling hides or animal mounts. Resident licenses are \$40 for one year, and nonresident licenses are \$140.75. The licenses can only be purchased at an Idaho Fish and Game office.

Buyers for personal use are not required to have a taxidermist-furbuyer license. Previewing of items opens at 8 a.m. Auction starts at 9 a.m. Only checks and cash will be accepted as payment for the winning bids.

For more information or a list of auction items, please call the Magic Valley Region Fish and Game office at 208-324-4359.

— from staff reports

## Back to school for skiers this weekend

By Karen Bossick  
Times-News correspondent

It's back to school for Olympic skiers and snowboarders this weekend as they and other racing pros gather at Sun Valley for the annual Janss Pro-Am race.

The theme of this year's event is High School Reunion and the teams participating in the Pro-Am will be dressed accordingly in the spirit of Napoleon Dynamite, The Jocks, The Nerds, The Cheerleaders and even The Dropouts.

It's part of three days of fun and mayhem on the slopes of Baldy to raise money for the Sun Valley Ski Education Foundation.

Named for former Sun Valley Owner Bill Janss, the Janss Pro-Am is the Ski Education Foundation's biggest fundraiser of the year supporting more than 500 youth who race on alpine, cross country, freestyle and snowboard teams, as well as an Olympic Development program, said Ski Education Foundation Development Director Karoline Droegge.

It also is a celebration of skiing and riding in the valley, said Kate Berman, who organizes the event with the help of 150 volunteers each year.

The teams will have practice runs on Friday on Lower Warm Springs. The actual races, in costume, will start at 10:30 a.m. Saturday.

In between, teams will have a cocktail party at former Olympic Coach Michel Rudigoz's Christiania Olympic Bar, fun and games at the Wood River YMCA and even a prom complete with king and queen and a prom photo booth at Sun Valley's Limelight Room.

This year's pros include Sondra Van Ert, one of America's first Olympic snowboarders, and skiers Hillary Lindh, Edith Thies, Mark Steigemeier and Zack and Reggie Crist.

## INGA - LAMI FUN



KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News  
More than 100 women turned out Saturday at the Sun Valley Nordic Center for the third Inga-Lami, a takeoff on an annual Nordic event celebrated by thousands of women in Norway.

## How has Fish and Game adapted to the economy?

**Question:** "With the downturn in the economy, how has the Department adapted and what will it mean to the public? I know the department would like to increase fees in the coming year."

**Answer:** The Idaho Department of Fish and Game received the last fee increase four years ago, with another fee increase intended two years ago. The Legislature didn't implement that one for a number of reasons. Since then, we have frequently modified operations to continue to serve public expectations. Below are a few examples of how the downturn is affecting our activities and some examples of how the Department has adapted.

With the downturn in the economy new car sales are at an all-time low. If new cars are not being sold, neither are the new elk or bluebird license plates. The department's non-game program depends almost solely



**ASK THE OFFICER**  
**Gary Hompland**

on the sale of license plates and the income tax check-off and both of these funding sources are down.

In the Magic Valley the non-game biologist spends his time between non-game and game including sage grouse and mule deer. Loss of this program means no non-game program. These are the programs that work with school students about wildlife and fisheries and focus on non-sporting species of special concern such as birds of prey, pygmy rabbits, wolverine and lynx.

In this region it also eliminates a person to assist the local sage grouse working group (a local effort between

federal agencies and local ranchers to help recover ailing sage populations) and the mule deer fawn survival study.

Mule deer are an important species to Idaho hunters. Across southern Idaho during winter the Department has radio colored mule deer fawns to estimate fawn mortality (how many and why mule deer fawns die). A budget reduction significantly reduced the use of aircraft in the study resulting in a more time intensive trapping effort and fewer fawns fitted with radios. Reduction of aircraft for monitoring means personnel on foot, truck, ATV, and snowmobile. The bottom-line in this region is that the information about how mule deer fawns have died will not be as efficient, timely, precise and accurate as before.

Regional fishery and habitat biologists rely heavily on temporary employees during

summer months. Budget reductions translate to fewer surveys to monitor the status of populations on regional reservoirs and streams. At fish hatcheries, maintenance that doesn't affect hatchery operations may be reduced or discontinued. Some public niceties such as restrooms, parking areas, and maintenance of landscaping will receive less attention. Volunteers have contributed tremendously over the last several years and will continue to play an important role.

The cost of fish feed has increased about 30 percent. Hatchery staff will look at ways to make their efforts more efficient such as stocking smaller fish. For example, an 8-inch trout lives in the hatchery less time than a 12-inch trout and consumes less feed. The cost of pen-reared pheasants has also increased more than 20 percent for several years.

Conservation officers will

prioritize their time to increase efficiency, eliminate unnecessary expenses, and reduce overtime. Prioritizing calls will likely result in a loss or reduction in response and services to the public.

To reduce travel costs, video conferencing is being utilized and where travel is required all requests for travel are being scrutinized within the department as well as through the Governor's Division of Financial Management.

Overall, the public may have only noticed over time a few changes in how the department does business. Employees will attempt to maintain all the services at the level the public has come to expect, but additional revenue will be required in the future.

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Share your hunting, fishing or other outdoors photos or stories with Outdoors Editor Andrew Weeks. E-mail him at [aweeks@magic-valley.com](mailto:aweeks@magic-valley.com) or call him at (208) 735-3233.

**WANT TO BE PART OF A STORY?**

Do you use Google Earth when mapping your hunting, fishing or other outdoor destinations? If so, I'd like to speak with you as part of a story I am working on. Please contact me, Outdoors Editor Andrew Weeks, at 208-735-3233 or aweeks@magicvalley.com.

## Changes

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Circle hooks, which have no bend in the shank, are more apt to hook fish in their mouths instead of going deep into their organs, said Kelton Hatch, F&G's regional conservation educator. Slide weights could potentially also help decrease the mortality of sturgeon, he said.

Brad Fowler, who recently came to Twin Falls from Pocatello to study wildlife resources at the College of Southern Idaho, said he likes the proposal. He said sturgeon will often get trapped while being reeled in due to weights that have jammed in rock beds. A sliding weight will help eliminate that problem, Fowler said.

Smith said it's important that outdoorsmen remember

## COMMISSION MEETING

The Fish and Game Commission will set hunting seasons March 23-24 at 600 S. Walnut in Boise, with a public-comment period at 7 p.m. on the 23rd. Agenda items include a legislative update and budget direction for fiscal year 2011.

these are just proposals. People may comment on the proposals or submit their own by visiting the Magic Valley office, 324 S. 417 E., Ste 1, in Jerome, or by calling 324-4359. Also check out <http://fishandgame.idaho.gov/> and click on "Comments/Questions/Surveys" at the bottom right of the screen.

"We'll make the time to go over whatever we have," Smith said.

## Tubing

**Continued from Outdoors 1**

Though I haven't been there yet — I do plan to visit — I've been told that you really haven't experienced tubing sensation until you've been to Snowhaven. Located about seven miles from downtown Grangeville in north-central Idaho, the resort boasts one of the longest tube hills in the Gem State. Two hills, with 850 feet of tubing fun, are available with about 150 feet of nothing but "a drop," said hill manager Scott Wasem.

"We've never taken a radar gun up there, but I'm willing to bet you can get going at about 45 mph plus," he said previously when talking with the *Times-News*. To go that fast depends on weather conditions. "But if you get ice up there, you're going to get smokin'."

Snowhaven has 60 acres of skiable terrain, and offers both downhill skiing and snowboarding.

"We're a full-service facility," Wasem said. "We have snowboard instructors and we offer ski lessons," as well as a lodge with amenities and a retail and rental shop.

"We're popular," Wasem said. "Last year we jumped in attendance by about 50 percent ... The lift get's bottlenecked at the bottom, but we can accommodate between 100 and 150 people an hour."

Bogus Basin also offers a tubing hill — about 800 feet of fun.

If you plan to visit any of the resorts, you better hurry. They begin closing later this month as the weather continues to warm.

Currently, there's more than 40 inches of snow at Snowhaven and about 50 at Magic Mountain. But it's melting.

"You can tell when people start spending time in their yards," Miller said. "Already we've noticed about a 20 percent drop."

After completing another run on the tube hill, I wondered why I never took my family tubing earlier in the season.

No good answer.

But I promised next year we'd begin early.

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## Event

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This year's costume theme is "Ski the '70s," giving participants a chance to dress disco, in Nehru jackets or in any other ancient clothing they can find in their closets.

"It's my favorite event of all the events that go on in Sun Valley every year," said Ketchum resident Doran Key, who once made a special trip to it from Coeur d'Alene where she was working temporarily.

Bobby Noyes started the event, which has raised as much as \$14,000 for the Animal Shelter of the Wood River Valley in the past.

But, he said, the emphasis isn't so much on raising money as getting people out enjoying their dogs and having fun.

"It's an event where expert ski racers and children both can have a good time," said Nancy Smith, of Hailey. "No one takes themselves seriously. They're all in costume and having a good time."

Race registration costs \$10 per adult and \$5 per child or \$20 per family. Each entry includes one lunch and one raffle ticket to win a Nordic Trails ski pass donated by the Blaine County Recreation District.

Prizes donated by Wood River Valley merchants will be given for fastest times, silly pet tricks and best costumes.

Don't have a dog? Shelter dogs will be available to ski with. And if you want to take them home — so much the better.

For information: 788-4351.

# Satellite will stare for years, seeking earth-like worlds

The first unambiguous discovery of a planet orbiting a sun-like star came in 1995, when a world roughly half the mass of Jupiter was found orbiting a naked-eye star called 51 Pegasi, in the constellation of the winged horse.

In the interim, astronomers have chalked up a total of 342 extrasolar planets, mostly "super Jupiters" in orbits so close to their stars that their surfaces are boiling hot. Heavier planets in small orbits dominate the list because our current search techniques favor them over more distant planetary pipsqueaks.

That's about to change. Tomorrow night at 8:50 p.m., the Kepler satellite is scheduled to launch from Cape Canaveral aboard a Delta II rocket.

Then, following two-



**SKYWATCH**  
**Chris Anderson**

months of systems testing, the spacecraft will begin staring at a large patch of sky just off the star-strewn summer Milky Way.

Kepler will continuously measure the amount of light coming from roughly 100,000 stars. If a planet happens to lie in an orbit about its parent star that's nearly edge-on, the star's light will dim by a tiny fraction for a few hours each orbit when the planet passes between the star and Kepler.

Don't expect spectacular images from Kepler like those delivered by its space-

## SKY CALENDAR THROUGH THURSDAY:

**Planets**

One hour before sunrise:  
Jupiter: ESE, extremely low  
Saturn: W, very low  
One hour after sunset:  
Venus: W, low  
Saturn: E, very low

**Moon**

Full Moon Tuesday, 8:38 p.m.  
Other data: Daylight saving time begins Sunday morning. Advance clocks one hour.

borne cousins Hubble, Spitzer and Chandra. To see earth-sized worlds, it needs to be able to detect dips in stars' light by mere hundredths of a percent. This it will achieve by measuring

the stars' light as defocused blobs, not sharp, photogenic pinpoints.

What Kepler's data lack in beauty, they may make up for in profundity.

The spacecraft's designers estimate that several dozen earth-sized planets will be found by the end of Kepler's 3.5 year primary mission.

Larger telescopes will then zero in on these worlds, sifting their light for the chemical signatures of atmospheres, oceans, and possibly extraterrestrial life.

**Next week:** The waxing and waning of planets' brightness.

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# LUCKY LANDING



Northeastern Nevada Wildlife Rehabilitation Center /AP photo

**Pete Bradley, a biologist from the Nevada Dept. of Wildlife, holds an injured golden eagle as wildlife rehabilitator Jo Dean looks on in Springs Creek, Nev. on Wednesday. The 13-pound bird with a 7-foot wing span busted through the passenger side windshield of a semi truck Monday on Interstate 80 near Wells, Nev. One side of the bird's head is swollen, but there does not appear to be any permanent damage.**

## Eagle survives crashing into truck near Wells

**By Scott Sonner**  
**Associated Press writer**

RENO, Nev. — The eagle has landed — with a thud — after crashing through the windshield and into the cab of a tractor trailer traveling a Nevada highway.

State wildlife officials said Wednesday that a 15-pound golden eagle with a 7-foot wing span has a swollen head but otherwise appears unharmed after crashing into a Florida truck driver's big rig Monday.

Matthew Roberto Gonzalez of Opa Locka, Fla., was driving on U.S. Interstate 80 in northeast Nevada near Wells, about 60 miles west of the Utah line, when the eagle came crashing into

his truck.

"It looks like she hit it head first. One side of the head is swollen, but there does not appear to be any permanent damage," said Joe Doucette, a spokesman for the Nevada Department of Wildlife.

"The guys in the truck immediately bailed out because it was one ticked off bird. She was pretty feisty," Doucette told The Associated Press.

"Even the officer who responded didn't want to go in there so we had one of our wildlife biologists do it," he said.

The eagle was recovering at the Northeast Nevada Wildlife Rehabilitation Center in Spring Creek run

by a Jo Dean.

"Her left eye has some soft tissue damage around the eye but the eyeball looks OK to me. She doesn't seem to have any other injuries," Dean said.

"She is strong. She is really feisty," said Dean who said the eagle was placed in a flight cage with another eagle because she was just doing too well to be kept in a small cage meant for badly injured birds.

Doucette said the goal is to release the eagle into the wild.

"Right now the prognosis is good," he said.

Wildlife officials said the 3-foot-wide hole in the truck's windshield is an example of why drivers

need to slow down if they see an eagle on the side of the road.

"Eagles hit vehicles all the time out here," said Doucette, who estimates he sees three or four dead ones along the road a year.

"They come in on a jack rabbit or a piece of road kill and then they get their belly full. They are slow and have a hard time taking off. If the wind is the right direction, sometimes they fly right into the path of a vehicle," he said.

Dean said most people don't slow down for eagles because they think they will fly off like ravens.

"They are not used to having any enemies, so they just face off," she said.

## Gear

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in the palm — provided additional comfort and performance, but at a steep price: \$199.95.

Speaking of expensive, La Sportiva's Trango Extreme EVO Light GTX boots, which retail for \$400, graced my feet for the ascent on Alta Peak. But good boots are worth the cost, and the Trango Extremes did not disappoint. They weigh just more than 2 pounds per foot — as light as many summer-weight boots — but provide substantial support, warmth, comfort and, for mountaineering, compatibility with crampons.

A Gore-Tex liner makes the boots waterproof. The uppers mix a Cordura nylon and faux-leather with traditional lacing. Throughout, the company's touted made-in-Italy quality is apparent, and in the snows of Sequoia



tive bargain. The sleeping bag — a goose-down mummy that weighs a manageable 3 pounds 12 ounces — costs \$359, which is \$100 or more less

than you'll pay from competing companies. The sleeping pad, \$84.50, is an inflatable foam-core mat that unrolls to 72 inches long, though it packs into a 6 x 11-inch sack.

Finally, documentation in the high wilds was courtesy of Olympus and its new STYLUS TOUGH-6000, a made-for-the-outdoors camera that's safe to five feet underwater or, more apt on this trip, freeze-proof to about 15 degrees Fahrenheit. In my test, the \$299.99

camera captured short video clips and still photos in its "Snow" mode, one of several preset functions made for a specific photographic environment. Its battery never died over three days and hundreds of images shot.

However, at home after the trip I was forced to adjust many of the images in a software program, as underexposure in some shots made the snow appear grey. In a photo-editing program, I tweaked brightness, contrast, levels, and the sharpness of each image. But the final result was good, and I now have an album of images — from the trailhead to the requisite summit shot, arms raised in triumph, on the top of Alta Peak.

*Stephen Regenold writes a daily blog on outdoors sports at [www.gearjunkie.com](http://www.gearjunkie.com).*

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**Answer:** The Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005 requires that in order to be a debtor in bankruptcy, an individual must first obtain a "pre-bankruptcy credit briefing" from a non-profit credit counseling agency approved for that purpose. Because there are no approved local agencies, the counseling may be obtained by telephone or online. Debtors are also required to complete a course in "personal financial management" in order to obtain a bankruptcy discharge. Debtors who do not complete the personal financial management course by the deadline risk having their case dismissed without a discharge. Whether the counseling and financial management requirements actually benefit debtors is an open question. By the time debtors reach my office, they are usually well past the point where credit counseling can help much. For my readers who recognize that they are in trouble financially, but wish to avoid a bankruptcy if possible, I suggest they call Consumer Credit Management Services at (208) 733-2227. Consumer Credit has provided credit counseling and debt management services on a non-profit basis in Twin Falls for around 40 years and has helped many people with their debts.

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# COMMUNITY

**Jerome**

Covering the communities of Eden, Hazelton, Jerome

## Jerome Co. to discuss jail plan with citizens

By Katherine Welch  
Times-News correspondent

JEROME — Jerome County commissioners hope to educate county residents and gain approval before construction begins on a new county jail.

"The public has an input and if they say no, it doesn't make much sense to continue," Commission Chairman Charlie Howell said Monday afternoon at the county commission meeting.

The current jail is overcrowded and the county has contracted with surrounding jails to house its overflow of inmates.

Commissioners, along with consulting firm Rocky Mountain Corrections, set up a three-step education program to promote knowledge of the project and encourage feedback. A focus group of 30-40 people will discuss the proposed plan, then promotional information will be sent to residents, followed by two com-

munity meetings open to the public.

The focus group is scheduled to meet the evening of March 16. Those selected for the focus group will receive a list of what the county wants for the new jail and reasons for their involvement said April Lee, a consultant for Rocky Mountain Corrections.

Fliers and a media release will be used to promote the upcoming community meetings. The meetings set for April 6 and

7 will thrive on participation and input from attendees and a presentation will exhibit the intended plan. Commissioners want to hear from the whole county. One meeting will take place in Jerome while the other will be held on the east end of the county.

"There is good participation on the east end," Commissioner Cathy Roemer said, "despite the smaller population."

A survey will be distributed to the county once the community

education phase is complete. The survey will allow residents to provide further response.

The community education phase is projected to cost \$12,500, said Lee, and the survey will cost \$10,500.

A method of funding has not yet been determined, Roemer said.

Lee and the commissioners are set to convene prior to the focus group meeting to discuss its agenda.

## Scratching up a stimulus



Melissa Rice and Telinda Case, Jerome High School employees, show their blue-tinted thumbs after the second five-minute round of scratching dozens of lottery tickets at the Scratch for Schools, held Feb. 26 at the College of Southern Idaho.

MARY HANSON/  
For the Times-News

## Area schools compete for lottery funds

By Mary Hanson  
Times-News correspondent

It might pale in comparison to the more than \$200,000 the Jerome School District received in dividends from the Idaho Lottery in 2008, but an extra \$177 in district funding won't hurt.

Jerome was just one of the slew of area schools that converged upon the College of Southern Idaho on Feb. 26 to participate in the annual Scratch for Schools fundraiser.

Three representatives of each participating school formed teams with two people doing the scratch-

ing and one coordinating the scratch-off cards. Schools competed to scratch the most cards in two five-minute elimination rounds, with the winner of those rounds receiving a total 900 tickets to attempt to scratch. Castleford High School's team scratched the most cards.

As for Jerome, the sister act of Melissa Rice, Telinda Case and Terri Gardner couldn't make it to the final round, but scratched out \$177 in winnings for the district.

"Most of the schools attending took home around two or three-hundred dollars, Gardner said."

Gooding High School hit pay dirt with a \$600 ticket and totaled \$644 in the competition, Principal Eric Raine said.

"The competition is full of surprises every year," said Idaho Lottery spokesman David Workman. "You never know how things will turn out. That's part of the fun."

In total, Idaho's schools received \$34.75 million in dividends from the Idaho Lottery in 2008.

The Jerome district made it to the event through a stroke of lotto-like luck, as its team was elevated from a waiting list after a last-minute cancellation. The Tiger teachers and staff are already eyeing a return next year.

"Oh, I'm sure," Rice said about participating next year.

"It's possible to win a lot of money for your school. You never know."

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

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Medicare discussion held in Jerome

March is the last month for open enrollment for Medicare and Medicare advantage plans. Kelly Allen, sales representative for United Health Care, will be at the Jerome Senior Center March 10 and 24 to discuss the options for seniors. Information: 208-484-2583.

### Lenten lunches in Jerome

St. Jerome's Catholic Church, 216 Second Ave. E., Jerome, is serving Lenten lunches each Friday until April 3.

Lunches of homemade soups, sandwiches and pies plus a drink will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Friday. The cost is \$5.

### Seniors can call for bus service in Jerome

Trans IV is now transporting seniors in Jerome to medical and dental appointments, shopping, or even lunch out with friends. The handicap-accessible bus is available for pickup from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays. The service is free for seniors.

Call Dial-A-Ride at 736-2133 to schedule a ride. Information: Jerome Senior Center, 324-5642.

### AARP tax preparation in Jerome

AARP is preparing taxes at the Jerome Senior Center from noon to 3 p.m. Fridays through April 10.

This is a free service for everyone. Call for appointment: 324-5642.

### We want your community news

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

## Don't add HDL, LDL and triglycerides to get total cholesterol

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I'm an 85-year-old woman in good health. I take no medication of any kind, but I am on over-the-counter red yeast rice capsules and policosanol. My only problem is my cholesterol level. I recently had a blood test that revealed an HDL of 78, LDL of 16 and triglycerides of 81. My total cholesterol was slightly elevated at 243. I can't understand why that would be, since my other readings were in the normal range.

**DEAR READER:** You are in the majority when you think you can add your HDL, LDL and triglycerides to come up with a total cholesterol count. Unfortunately, that's not how it works. Total cho-



ASK DR. GOTT  
Dr. Peter Gott

lesterol is a combination of high-density lipoproteins (HDL), low-density lipoproteins (LDL) and very low-density lipoproteins (VLDL).

Before going any further, I would like to make an observation. You claim that your LDL is 16. If this is true, you might just have the lowest LDL in the world. But also, by taking your reading of 243 and subtracting your HDL

and LDL, your VLDL is 149. This is incredibly high. Normal VLDL levels range between 5 and 40. LDL levels in general should be below 130. Below 100 is considered optimal. HDL should be 40 or higher. Triglycerides should be below 150.

So assuming you simply forgot to write a third number on your LDL level and you meant that it was 116 (meaning the VLDL would be 49) or 160 (VLDL would be 5), you are likely fine. If I were your physician, I would not be concerned your total cholesterol is slightly elevated. Based on your age (no disrespect intended) and the general normalcy of your numbers, I would leave well

enough alone. My only recommendation would be for periodic lab testing, since red yeast rice can affect the liver because it is a natural statin similar to Mevacor. Adverse effects of these products include muscle problems and kidney impairment commonly associated with prescription statins.

Also, a research study published in 2006 in JAMA showed that policosanol did not improve cholesterol levels over that of a placebo.

For those readers who are considering alternative methods of cholesterol lowering, I urge you to speak with your physician for direction on the specific product you wish to try.

Those readers who would like more information should send a self-addressed, stamped, No. 10 envelope and \$2 to Newsletter, PO Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092. Be sure to mention the title.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** One of your readers wrote regarding pure oil of oregano for rosacea. I tried three to four drops on my nose and cheeks twice. Well, it felt as if someone lit a torch on my face both times. The feeling was far beyond the little stings as stated by your reader.

**DEAR READER:** I'm sorry your experience was not successful. As I have indicated before, if a reader passes on a tip that might help others

and appears harmless, I will mention it in my column. Obviously, this one did not work for you.

Should other readers find the product too strong, as well, I recommend blending it in equal parts with a carrier oil, such as castor or olive oil, before applying.

I value readers' opinions, both negative and positive, and am grateful you took the time to write.

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



# Gigantic gem subject of court case

By Linda Deutsch  
Associated Press writer

LOS ANGELES — An 840-pound emerald-encrusted rock will remain in the custody of the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department while a judge decides which of a half-dozen claimants owns the boulder-sized gem.

The emerald is one of the largest ever found and a judge conceded Tuesday it will take awhile to sort out all of the competing interests. The lawyer for one of the purported owners suggested outside court the gem may be a curse for his client. And the man who first reported it stolen said he was giving up his claims because "I have been threatened."

Larry Biegler, who refused to elaborate on the threats, told Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge John A. Kronstadt he was bowing out of the case. But it was his call to sheriff's deputies reporting that the emerald had been stolen that led to a multi-state caper in which two deputies trucked the mammoth object from Las Vegas.

Another of the claimants, Todd Armstrong of Eagle, Idaho, said outside court that he moved the emerald to Las Vegas after a gem dealer gave it to him as collateral for a shipment of diamonds he paid for but never received. He was trying to sell it when the law arrived.

The parties told the judge that the huge object is worth about \$400 million. Lawyers said that museums including the Smithsonian and the Getty have expressed interest in obtaining it for their collections. Its value is as an art object and it can't be broken down to make jewelry, they said.

The emerald was dug up in Brazil in 2001 and became known as the Bahia Emerald. Its first owner was a Brazilian gem trader who made the first sale of it. But after that, its route became muddled. At one point, it wound up in a warehouse in New Orleans that was flooded during Hurricane Katrina.

One claimant, Anthony Thomas, appeared with his lawyer who said Thomas was the first buyer of the emerald for \$60,000 from the Brazilian gem dealer but never received it.

"He was misled to think it had been stolen en route to him," said attorney Jeffrey Baruch. He said Thomas became aware of its whereabouts



Los Angeles County Sheriff/AP photo

This undated image shows an 840-pound emerald that is being held by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department while a judge decides which of a half-dozen claimants owns the boulder-sized rock.

when publicity broke about the case of the kidnapped emerald.

Another claimant, Ken Conetto, has said in court papers he obtained the emerald from the Brazilians and was to sell it for them. He has said he enlisted Biegler to help him.

His lawyer, Eric Kitchen, said the object was a granite cube, 4 feet by 4 feet by 4 feet weighing 840 pounds, with green crystals embedded in it.

Attorney Jon A. Divens, who represents Armstrong, told the judge the giant emerald belongs to his client and a partner in Idaho and should be released to him. Outside court, he said, "It was kidnapped by the sheriff's deputies. Someone said it was stolen and that was bogus.

The state has no right being involved in a private matter."

He said that as the publicity grows, "There will be people all over the world making claims to this item. It could go on forever. This could be the curse for my client."

The judge ruled that the emerald will stay in the custody of the Sheriff's Department for the time being. He scheduled two conferences among lawyers on April 7 and May 4 and said a trial would be scheduled after that to sort out the competing interests.

"There's a lot we don't know about this case," said Baruch, who represents Thomas. "That's what the court process is for."

# Conservation groups want more habitat for lynx

JACKSON, Wyo. (AP) — More parts of the Greater Yellowstone Area in Wyoming and Idaho could be set aside for lynx habitat, according to conservation groups.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service last week announced 39,000 square miles of critical lynx habitat in Washington state, northern Montana, Minnesota, Maine and the Greater Yellowstone Area.

Conservation groups called the new designation a drastic improvement over the previous plan that designated only 1,841 square miles of habitat and left out Greater Yellowstone completely.

The Endangered Species Act provides protections for land designated as critical habitat.

Still, conservation groups say lynx have been documented in areas around Greater Yellowstone that were not included in the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service decision, including portions of Grand Teton National Park in northwest Wyoming and the adjoining Palisades area in eastern Idaho.

Louise Lasley, public lands director for the Jackson Hole Conservation Alliance, said photographic evidence exists showing lynx in the Palisades area as recently as January.

"I'm not sure why the Palisades was left out," she said. "When you look at the map and you see how extensive the additions are, it seems strange that big chunk is not in there." Still, Lasley said she considers the new designation "very positive."

## 5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

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

### FELONY ARRAIGNMENTS

Leandro C. Ascencio, two counts of lewd conduct with a child under 16, sexual abuse of a child under 16.

### MISDEMEANOR ARRAIGNMENTS

Robert Michael Aquidez, driving without privileges.  
Jonathon Caleb Asher, driving without privileges, inattentive/careless driving, operate a motor vehicle without liability insurance, fail to carry registrations in vehicle.  
Kelsey Maria Astorga, driving without privileges.

Jeremiah Gregory Eden, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia.

Ana Fernandez, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Odilón Haro Garcia, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance, exceed the max speed limit, fail to use safety restraint.

Nancy M. Gomes, possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia.

Silvestre Gonzalez, provide false information to an officer.

Ward Lewis Hamilton, driving without privileges.

Joshua D. Hensley, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Amanda Hernandez, driving without privileges.

Ysai Hernandez, possession of a controlled substance, driving without privileges, fail to maintain liability insurance.

Lucinda Ann Lamb, driving without privileges.

Michael Alan Ledbetter, resisting/obstructing officers.

Crystal Dawn Lindsay, driving without privileges.

Sonia L. Lopez, driving without privileges, exceed the max speed limit.

Ariana Marin-Arteaga, driving without privileges (third offense), failure to provide proof of insurance.

Luis Martinez, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Nicole S. Ricks, driving without

privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Tina Jo Rucker, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Joshua ND Sexton-Gwin, driving without privileges.

Michael Max Suter Jr., domestic violence, destruction of telecommunication line/instrument, malicious injury to property.

Michael Max Suter Jr., malicious injury to property.

Lance Christopher Swinney, driving without privileges, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Timothy W. Thompson, dog violations.

Michael Thomas Wood, battery.

### DRIVING UNDER THE

### INFLUENCE ARRAIGNMENTS

Jonathon Caleb Asher, driving under the influence (excessive), possession of a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia.

Alejandro P Farfan, driving under the influence (felony), failure to purchase a driver's license, open container.

Jose Luis Mireles-Moreno, driving under the influence.

Cory L. Olsen, driving under the influence, open container, carrying a concealed weapon while under the influence.

Alberto Perez-Garcia, driving under the influence, driving without privileges.

Adan Ramirez-Cortes, driving under the influence, open container, failure to purchase a driver's license.

Fernando M. Solis, driving under the influence (excessive).

Tracie Deanna Stone, driving under the influence, failure to provide proof of insurance, fail to use safety restraint.

Mark A. Vandenberg, driving under the influence, open container, resisting/obstructing officers.

Luis Augusta Vieira, driving under the influence, failure to provide proof of insurance.

Jorge L. Villagomez-Ruiz, driving under the influence, exceed max speed limit.

Neal A. Weaver, driving under the influence (felony), driving without privileges, littering roadway from vehicle, open container.

### FELONY SENTENCINGS

Jose Fernando Ayala, battery with intent to commit a serious felony, burglary, guilty, 3 years prison determinate, 7 indeterminate, credit for 168 days served, \$701 fine.

Justin Gene Becker, aggravated assault, guilty; aggravated assault, dismissed, 1.5 years prison determinate, 1.5 indeterminate, credit for 80 days served, 5 years supervised probation, \$600.50 fine.

Luis Enrique Ceballos-Gil, sexual abuse of a child under 16, guilty, 2 years prison determinate, 3 indeterminate, credit for 2 days served, 180 discretionary days, 5 years supervised probation, \$1,297.50 fine.

Steven Brandon Lopes, possession of a controlled substance, guilty; resisting/obstructing officers, pedestrian under the influence of alcohol or drugs, dismissed, 5 years prison determinate, 2 indeterminate, credit for 86 day served, \$610.50 fine.

Steven Brandon Lopes, possession of a controlled substance, guilty, 4 years prison determinate, 3 indeterminate, credit for 130 days served, 180 discretionary days, 5 years supervised probation, \$810.50 fine.

Keven Paul Stone, lewd conduct with a child under 16, guilty; sexual abuse with a child under 16, dismissed, 5 years prison determinate, 20 indeterminate, credit for 13 days served, \$800.50 fine.

Marin L. Vandenbosch Sr., injury to a child, guilty, 2 years prison determinate, 8 indeterminate, credit for 1 day served, 180 discretionary days, 10 years supervised probation, \$600.50 fine.

### MISDEMEANOR SENTENCINGS

James Morland Hutchinson, failure to purchase a driver's license, guilty, \$140 fine.

Carlos Ibarra-Carlos, failure to purchase a driver's license, failure to provide proof of insurance, improper left turn, guilty, \$335.50 fine.

Joshua J. Martinez, driving without privileges, guilty, 180 days jail, 178 suspended, credit for 1 served, 1 day sheriff work

program, 1 year unsupervised probation, \$190.50 fine.  
Christina A. McFarling, inattentive/careless driving, guilty, 10 days jail, 10 suspended, 6 months unsupervised probation, \$175.50 fine.

Tracy E. Sears, driving without privileges, guilty, 180 days jail, 178 suspended, credit for 1 served, 1 day sheriff work program, 1 year unsupervised probation, \$190.50 fine.

Bryan Dwayne Knight, possession of drug paraphernalia, resisting/obstructing officers, guilty; placing debris on public/private property, dismissed, 180 days jail, 130 suspended, credit for 19 served, 20 discretionary days, 11 days sheriff work program, 2 years supervised probation, \$190.50 fine.  
Bryan Dwayne Knight, failure to purchase a driver's license, unlawful possession, guilty; failure to provide proof of insurance, dismissed, 180 days jail, 145 suspended, 30 discretionary days, 3 days sheriff work program, 2 years supervised probation, \$519.50 fine.

James Bryant Nelson, disorderly conduct, guilty, 30 days jail, 29 suspended, credit for 1 served, 1 year unsupervised probation, \$175.50 fine.

Cesar Alejandro-Conchas, failure to purchase a driver's license, guilty, \$144 fine.

Jose A. Alvarado, failure to purchase a driver's license, guilty, \$144 fine.

Luis Alberto Arrellano-Montes, failure to purchase a driver's license, exceed the max speed limit, guilty, \$219 fine.  
Tanilo Carrillo Carlos, failure to purchase a driver's license, failure to provide proof of insurance, guilty, 1 year unsupervised probation, \$260.50 fine.

Luis A. Chavez-Diaz, failure to purchase a driver's license, guilty, \$144 fine.

Lorenzo Cruz, failure to purchase a driver's license, guilty,

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\$144 fine.  
Horacio Neftali Diaz-Villatoro, failure to purchase a driver's license, improper left turn, guilty, \$219 fine.

Felipe Flores, failure to purchase a driver's license, stop/yield sign violations, failure to provide proof of insurance, guilty, 1 year unsupervised probation, \$335.50 fine.

Alejandro Gonzalez-Mercado, failure to purchase a driver's license, failure to provide proof of insurance, fail to display license plates, guilty, \$335.50 fine.

Gary S. Kohring, fail to carry driver's license on person, guilty, \$89 fine.

Brenda Kay McConnell-Trejo, failure to purchase a driver's license, failure to provide proof of insurance, guilty, \$260.50 fine.

Julio A. Rodriguez-Hernandez, failure to purchase a driver's license, guilty, \$144 fine.

### MISDEMEANOR DISMISSALS

Daniel G. Zavala, failure to provide proof of insurance, dismissed.

### DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS

Tyrel W. Burch, driving under the influence, guilty; driving without privileges, dismissed, 180 days jail, 140 suspended, credit for 3 served, 30 discretionary days, 7 days sheriff work program, 2 years supervised probation, \$390.50 fine.

Phillip James Campbell, driving under the influence, guilty; driving without privileges, dismissed, 180 days jail, 140 suspended, credit for 10 served, 30 discretionary days, 2 years supervised probation, \$440.50 fine.

Laurencio R. Jaurequi, driving

under the influence (excessive), guilty, 180 days jail, 100 suspended, credit for 1 served, 70 discretionary days, 9 days sheriff work program, 2 years supervised probation, \$490.50 fine.

Jorge Mora-Caballos, driving under the influence, following too closely, guilty; failure to purchase a driver's license, dismissed, 180 days jail, 178 suspended, credit for 1 served, 1 day sheriff work program, 1 year supervised probation, \$340 fine.

Kimberly Ann Peterson, driving under the influence, guilty; failure to provide proof of insurance, failure to purchase a driver's license, dismissed, 180 days jail, 178 suspended, credit for 2 served, 1 year supervised probation, \$340.50 fine.

Jose G. Rodarte, driving under the influence (under 21), guilty, 2 years supervised probation, \$340.50 fine.

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SERVICES

**Fred Stremler** of Hazelton, graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Hazelton Cemetery (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome).

**Justin Clark Mills** of Twin Falls, 2 p.m. today at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

**Dorothy Ann House** of Paul, memorial service at 11 a.m. Friday at the Rupert United Methodist Church, 605 H St.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley.

**Janet Linda Glorfield Van Every** of Pocatello and formerly of Rupert, funeral at 11 a.m. Friday at the Pocatello LDS West Stake Center on the corner of Hawthorne and Eldredge; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Colonial Funeral Home, 2005 S. Fourth Ave. in Pocatello, and one hour before the funeral Friday at the church.

**Marilyn Adelaide Bengtson Sederlund** of Frederic, Wis., and formerly of Shoshone, celebration of life at 2 p.m. Friday at the Pilgrim Lutheran Church in Frederic, Wis.

**Barton E. Sonner** of Buhl, memorial and Masonic service at 2 p.m. Friday at the Buhl United Methodist Church; reception follows at the church.

**Irene Blick** of Buhl, graveside service at 10 a.m. Saturday at the West End Cemetery in Buhl; visitation from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

**Elmer Dalling Eddington** of Idaho Falls and formerly of Rupert, funeral at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Rupert LDS 10th Ward Church, 526 S. F St.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at the Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel, 710 Sixth St.

Lennie L. Eisenhauer

**FILER** — Lennie L. Eisenhauer, born 16 December 1929, to Leone W. and Russell Dille, was raised to the sound of music as her father fiddled and her mother accompanied him on the piano at many week-end gatherings in the ranching community of Holbrook, Idaho. Later in life, she and her father would be not only charter members of the Idaho Old Time Fiddlers Association, representing Idaho at the Seattle World's Fair and later in the country of Romania, but they were also National Trick Fiddler Champions at an annual Weiser contest. She was also a charter member of Fiddlers Inc.



Lennie was a member of the LDS Church, in which she and Glenn Baum raised four daughters, Glenda Moyes (Dan) of San Antonio, Texas, Jan Lambert of Moscow, Idaho, Carolyn Baum-Buttorff (Mark) of Nampa, Idaho, and Laurie Henderson (Kim) of Casper, Wyo.

Lennie married Gerald Eisenhauer on July 15, 1984, who was her loving and caring spouse throughout their marriage and through many med-

ical challenges to which she finally succumbed on Monday, March 2, 2009.

Her life is celebrated by Jerry's family, Cindy Galvin (Mike), Julie Hartman and Judy Loughmiller (Larry); her four daughters; her siblings, Robert Dille (Tina) and Margaret Brackenbury (Phil). She is loved by her grandchildren, Derek, Ann, Joel, Ben and Jennifer Moyes; Jerry Lambert Jr., Brent Buttorff; Misty Welsh (Niel) and Tevis Henderson; Greg, Brian and Scott Hartman; Anna Peterson (Craig) and Christopher Galvin; Kate Taton (Josh) and Kari Griffiee (Adam); 16 great-grandchildren; and a sister-in-law, Myrna Dille. She is preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Russell Jr. and George Dille; and one stepson, Jerry D. Eisenhauer.

A public viewing is scheduled between 7 and 8 p.m. Thursday, March 5, at Parke's Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls, with funeral services at 11 a.m. Friday, March 7. Interment follows at Sunset Memorial Park.

The family would like to extend thanks for the wonderful friends and family who have supported them during this loss and the LDS Filer and Twin Falls 24th Wards for the family dinner following the service.

Doris Hollis Dean

**CHENEY, Wash.** — Doris Hollis Dean, age 78, passed away quietly at the home of her daughter and son-in-law on Saturday, Feb. 28, 2009.



She was born Johnnie Doris Hollis to John William "Tuck" Hollis and Helen Rachel Roberts Hollis in Poolville, Texas, on March 3, 1930. Doris graduated from high school in 1947 and then attended Texas Tech in Lubbock, Texas, and graduated in 1950. She loved adventure and decided to go to the territory of Alaska to teach school. She stopped off in Moscow and decided after one winter she didn't want to go any farther north. She worked in Twin Falls the summer of 1954, where she met Dr. Leslie L. "Bill" Dean. They were married Nov. 1, 1954. They had three children, two sons and one daughter. She taught school in the Twin Falls area for 37 years, in Kimberly, then at Vera C. O'Leary Junior High and moving to Robert Stuart

Junior High when it opened. She taught there until she retired. After she retired from teaching school, she worked with her husband and son at their business, Idaho Seed Bean Company.

She is survived by her husband of 54 years; sons, John L. (Becky) Dean of Buhl and Truman "Curt" Dean of Alturas, Calif.; one daughter, Holly (Ralph) Homan of Edwall, Wash.; three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; four stepdaughters, Patricia A. Dean of Twin Falls, Dotti (Kern) McMaster of Vancouver, Wash., Laurie (Eric) Evans of Twin Falls and Elizabeth K. (Richard) Brawner of Salem, Ore.; 12 step grandchildren; and nine step great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers; two sisters; and her granddaughter, Sarah Dean.

The family suggests memorials to the Susan G. Komen Foundation, Shiner's Children's Hospital or to a charity of your choice.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, March 7, at White Mortuary and Crematory in Twin Falls.

DEATH NOTICES

Robert Francis

**BURLEY** — Robert Montgomery Francis, 84, of Burley, died Tuesday, March 3, 2009.

The funeral will be held at noon Saturday, March 7, at the Springdale LDS Church, 200 S. 475 E. of Burley; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, March 6, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and from 11 until 11:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

James W. Cobb

**BUHL** — James W. Cobb, 78, of Buhl, died Tuesday, March 3, 2009, at River Ridge Care Center in Twin Falls.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, March 9, at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

Dean Hadden

**PAUL** — Merle Dean Hadden, 55, of Paul, died Tuesday, March 3, 2009.

A celebration of life will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, March 9, at the Paul Congregational Church, 121 N. Second W.; visitation from 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday, March 8, at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

Lawrence Roth

**WENATCHEE, Wash.** — Lawrence (Larry) Roth of Wenatchee, Wash., and formerly of Jerome, died Wednesday, Feb. 4, 2009, in Wenatchee, Wash.

A service was held Feb. 7 in Wenatchee, Wash.

James F. Brothers

**WENDELL** — James F. Brothers, 66, of Wendell, died Monday, March 2, 2009, at Magic Valley Manor in Wendell.

No service is planned at this time (Demaray Funeral Service, Wendell Chapel).

Patrick J. Sullivan

**RUPERT** — Patrick J. Sullivan, 67, of Rupert, died Tuesday, March 3, 2009, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Morrison Funeral Home and Crematory, 188 S. Highway 24 in Rupert.

Elmo Stark

**BURLEY** — Elmo Stark, 91, of Burley, died Monday, March 2, 2009, at the Mini-Cassia Care Center.

Arrangements will be announced by Hansen-Payne Mortuary in Burley.

John H. Darrow

**CASTLEFORD** — John Howard Darrow, 88, of Castleford, died Wednesday, March 4, 2009, at his home.

Arrangement will be announced by Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

Charles Niska

Charles "Charlie" Niska, 63, of Twin Falls, died Wednesday, March 4, 2009, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome.

Roger Donald Nass

Roger D. Nass, 76, longtime resident of Twin Falls, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 11, 2009, at his home.



He was born Nov. 9, 1932, in Merrill, Wis., to the Rev. Gerhard and Ruth Nass. He was the youngest of three sons.

He was a sergeant first class with Tank Company 127th Infantry in the Wisconsin National Guard and served just shy of two years in active duty. He married Laura Bell Hanson on Sept. 15, 1954, in Fayetteville, N.C. He received his bachelor's degree in

wildlife management at the University of Wisconsin and his master's degree at the University of Missouri. He spent the entirety of his working career with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and retired in 1991. He was an avid outdoorsman who loved nothing more than to hunt and fish. He dedicated considerable time and energy to the county 4-H program and to Boy Scouts of America Troop 65.

He was preceded in death by both parents and one brother. Mr. Nass is survived by his two children, Scot Nass of Coeur d'Alene and Nancy Boon of Washougal, Wash.; and granddaughters, Elizabeth and Katherine.

Iris C. Parsons

**MILWAUKEE, Wis.** — Iris C. Parsons, age 40, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 25, 2009, at her home in Milwaukee, Wis.



She was born in Portland, Ore., on Sept. 12, 1968, to Mary L. Groda-Lewis. Iris spent her childhood in Portland, Ore., and Vancouver, Wash. Her family later moved to Albany, N.Y., then on to Youngstown, Ohio, where she graduated from high school. Iris was an adventurous person whose travels took her all over the country and finally to

Milwaukee, Wis. In life, Iris loved her family and being the mother to her three fine sons. She was a lover of art, music, poetry and education.

Iris is survived by her three loving sons, Christopher T. Lewis, age 21, Steven A. Pyell, age 19, and DJ. Parsons, age 15; her grandmother, Christine Groda; parents Mary and David Lewis; and brother, Christopher T. Lewis.

The funeral will be held at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, March 5, at Evergreen Staples Funeral Chapel, 4700 NE St. Johns Road, Vancouver, WA 98661 (360-693-3649). Public viewing will be from 11 a.m. to noon Thursday at the mortuary.

Donna Joy Edinborough Petterson

Donna Joy Edinborough Petterson, age 80, died Sunday, March 1, 2009, at her home in Twin Falls.



Donna was born Dec. 1, 1928, in Penokee, Kan., the second of seven children to Alonzo and Blanche Garrison. She graduated in Hill City, Kan., in 1946. Donna married John Edinborough in March 1946 and moved to Gooding, then in 1970, moved to Boise. She worked for Mountain Bell Telephone until she retired in 1986. In 1987, she married Chuck Petterson and moved to the Twin Falls area. Donna enjoyed traveling, family and friends.

Donna is survived by her three children, Connie Edinborough Shull of Elko, Nev., John W. Edinborough of Middleton and Steven Max Edinborough of Mackay; 10 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Delbert; and sister, Mary.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 7, with a viewing for family and friends being held from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, March 6, and one hour prior to the service Saturday at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Park.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.magic-valleyfuneralhome.com.

Bruno Floyd Zampedri

**RUPERT** — Bruno Floyd Zampedri, 72, of Rupert, passed away Thursday, Feb. 26, 2009.

Floyd was born April 18, 1936, in Rupert, to Joseph and Angela Stenek Zampedri and lived in Rupert all his life.

A funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, March 6, at

St Nicholas Catholic Church, 802 F St. in Rupert. Burial will follow at the Rupert Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to a charity of choice. He was well known in the area and will be missed.

Arrangements are under the direction of Hansen Mortuary.

Benjamin Lee Lasley

**DIETRICH** — Benjamin Lee Lasley of Dietrich returned to his Father in Heaven on Monday, March 2, 2009, at the age of 13.



He was a loving boy born April 19, 1995, in Salt Lake City, Utah. His love will be greatly missed.

He is survived by his parents, Michael Lee Lasley and

Nancy Alder Lasley; his sisters, Mary Jean Haynie and Elizabeth Anne Lasley.

The funeral will be conducted 11 a.m. Thursday, March 5, at the Dietrich LDS Church, with Bishop Jess Southwick conducting. Viewing will be conducted from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 4, and one hour prior to service Thursday at the Dietrich LDS Church.

Services are under the care and direction of the Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome.

Playwright, screenwriter Horton Foote dies at 92

By Michael Kuchwara  
Associated Press writer

**NEW YORK** — Playwright and screenwriter Horton Foote, who movingly portrayed the broken dreams of common people in "The Trip to Bountiful," "Tender Mercies" and his Oscar-winning screen adaptation of "To Kill a Mockingbird," died Wednesday in Connecticut, Paul Marte, a spokesman for Hartford Stage, said. He was 92.



Foote

Foote died in his sleep in his apartment in Hartford where he was preparing work on "The Orphans' Home Cycle," a collection of nine plays, for next September at the nonprofit theater, Marte said.

Foote left the cotton fields of his native Wharton, Texas, as a teenager, dreaming of becoming an actor. But realizing his gifts as a storyteller, he embarked on a writing career that spanned more than half a century and earned him two Academy Awards ("To Kill a Mockingbird" and "Tender Mercies") and a 1995 Pulitzer Prize for "The Young Man From Atlanta."

Foote was active in the theater until the end of life. His play, "Dividing the Estate," the comic tale of a Texas fam-

ily squabbling over an inheritance, was presented on Broadway this season by Lincoln Center Theater.

"He created so many unforgettable characters in so many indelible stories for the stage and screen that lifted our hearts and souls and gave such vivid expression as to what it means to be human," said Hartford Stage artistic director Michael Wilson, who directed many of Foote's plays including "Dividing the Estate."

The stories and lives of the people Foote loved in Texas became the bedrock for many of his plays, with the fictional Harrison, Texas, standing in for Wharton.

Dividing his time mostly between Texas and New York, he kept the Wharton home in which he had grown up and did much of his writing there.

"I picked a difficult subject, a little lost Texas town no one's heard of or cares about," Foote told The New York Times in 1995. "But I'm at the mercy of what I write. The subject matter has taken me over."

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## AROUND THE NATION

### TEXAS

#### Barbara Bush rests after heart surgery

HOUSTON — Former first lady Barbara Bush was resting comfortably after undergoing successful open heart surgery Wednesday to replace her aortic valve, a family spokesman and hospital officials said.

The surgery at The Methodist Hospital lasted about 2 1/2 hours and was scheduled last week after Bush, 83, experienced a shortness of breath, family spokesman Jim McGrath said.

He said doctors determined the aortic valve had started to harden.

Dr. Gerald Lawrie, a heart surgeon at the Methodist DeBakey Heart & Vascular Center, replaced the valve with a biologic valve, the hospital said in a statement. He said the surgery went "extremely well."

### WASHINGTON

#### Rove, Miers to testify in prosecutor firings

WASHINGTON — Former top Bush aides Karl Rove and Harriet Miers agreed Wednesday to testify before Congress under oath about the firings of U.S. attorneys, a controversy involving allegations of political interference that grew into a constitutional standoff between two branches of government.

The Bush White House had fought attempts to force Rove and Miers to testify, and the agreement — steered by aides to President Barack Obama — ended that dispute.

The agreement calls for Rove and Miers, Bush's top political adviser and White House counsel, to be interviewed by the House Judiciary Committee in closed depositions "under the penalty for perjury," said House Judiciary Committee Chairman John Conyers, D-Mich.

### CONNECTICUT

#### Chimp attack victim may have brain damage

NEW HAVEN — A Connecticut woman mauled by a chimpanzee two weeks ago lost her hands, nose, lips and eyelids and may be blind and suffering brain damage, and hospital officials say it's still unclear if her condition can improve at all.

The Cleveland Clinic, revealing the specific injuries Wednesday for the first time, told The Associated Press in a statement that 55-year-old Charla Nash also lost the bone structure in her face when she was attacked on Feb. 16 in Stamford, Conn.

Her wounds have been stabilized, but "critical issues still remain related to a significant traumatic brain injury and injuries to her eyes that threaten her vision," the hospital said.

### CALIFORNIA

#### 911 tape: Octuplet mom frantic in search for son

WHITTIER — Octuplet mother Nadya Suleman became unhinged with fear last year when she thought she had lost one of her children, repeatedly telling an emergency dispatcher, "Oh God, I'm going to kill myself," according to a recording of her 911 call released Wednesday by police.

Suleman made the call Oct. 27 after her 5-year-old son went missing from the front yard, only to find him a few minutes later after he returned from a walk.

Suleman's repeated threats of suicide prompted the dispatcher, who could hear children's voices in the background, to urge her to calm down.

— The Associated Press

## Ruling is strong medicine for drug industry

By David G. Savage  
Los Angeles Times

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court dealt a defeat to the pharmaceutical industry and the Bush administration Wednesday, ruling that federal approval of a prescription drug does not provide a shield against lawsuits from injured patients.

The 6-3 decision upholds the traditional right of U.S. consumers to sue the manufacturer if they are harmed by a defective product.

The ruling affirms a nearly \$7 million jury verdict in favor of Diana Levine, a Vermont musician whose

right arm was amputated after she was injected with an anti-nausea drug.

"Next to getting my hand back, this is the best thing they can do," Levine said by phone of the justices' decision. "I feel like something worthwhile has come out of a tragedy."

The ruling applies to the more than 11,000 drugs on the market in the United States, including over-the-

counter as well as prescription drugs.

It also gives a thumbs-down verdict to one of the Bush administration's most far-reaching legal policies. Its lawyers maintained that federal regulation of a product generally should bar juries from deciding whether the same product is defective.

Three years ago, the Bush administration switched long-standing Food and Drug Administration policy and announced that federal approval of a drug "pre-empts" or bars suits in state courts.

Last fall, the administration's lawyers joined the

Levine case on the side of drug maker Wyeth and urged the court to adopt the policy as federal law.

But Justice John Paul Stevens, speaking for the court, said the administration's view "does not merit deference."

Congress has passed laws regulating drugs for a century, he said, yet lawmakers have never barred consumers from suing drugmakers. And for good reason, Stevens added. Lawsuits not only compensate injured individuals, but they "uncover drug hazards and provide incentives for drug manufacturers to disclose safety risks

promptly," he wrote.

Justices Anthony M. Kennedy, David H. Souter, Ruth Bader Ginsburg and Steven G. Breyer agreed. Justice Clarence Thomas concurred in the result. Thomas has been wary of the notion that federal regulations trump state law.

It was second defeat for manufacturers in this term on a pre-emption issue. In December, the court cleared the way for smokers to sue the makers of "light" cigarettes for false advertising. The 5-4 ruling rejected the industry's claim that the federal cigarette warning label barred such suits.



Levine

## Is my chemo working?

### New types of scans may give faster answer

By Malcolm Ritter  
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — When Mike Stevens learned his lungs were riddled with cancer, it took only a week to start chemotherapy — but six weeks to find out if it was doing any good.

"You're going through all this suffering and stuff and you want to know, am I going to survive? Is this stuff working?" said Stevens, 48, of La Jolla, Calif. "Your whole life is in sort of a limbo."

Doctors typically must wait weeks or months to see if a treatment is shrinking tumors or at least halting their growth. But researchers are exploring a new use for medical imaging that could shorten the stay in purgatory, possibly revealing within a few days whether chemo is working.

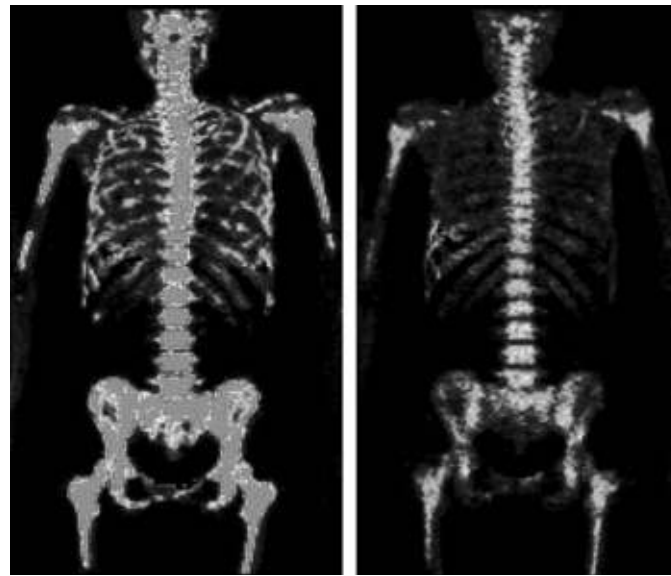
That speed could save both lives and money. It would allow doctors to switch more quickly from an ineffective drug to a different one, and save health care dollars by waving doctors off expensive but futile treatments.

The same approach may also prove useful for monitoring radiation therapy.

This experimental imaging relies on a familiar hospital workhorse: PET scans, typically used for things like detecting cancer or revealing the effects of a heart attack. Unlike CT scans or MRIs, PET scans can show a tumor's internal activity, not just its size.

When used to assess the effects of cancer treatment, it can reveal inside information about what the therapy is doing to a tumor even when there's no outward sign.

To do a PET scan, doctors inject a patient with a radioactive substance that shows up on the scan in places where certain processes are happening — like



This image, taken from a FLT-PET scan of a 47-year old woman, shows that leukemia present in the bone marrow before treatment, left, persisted after chemotherapy, right.

University of Wisconsin, Section of Hematology & Medical Oncology/AP photo



AP photo

Lung cancer patient Mike Stevens poses in his La Jolla, Calif. home Monday. When Stevens, 48, learned his lungs were riddled with cancer, it took only a week to start chemotherapy but six weeks to find out if it was doing any good.

hungry cancer cells gobbling up a lot of blood sugar. Think of it as looking around your neighborhood late at night for light in bedroom windows to see who is still awake.

Many cancer patients get PET scans now to assess their disease before treatment, or to spot recurrences later on. But except for lymphoma, PET scans aren't routinely used to get a quicker answer on how cancers are responding to therapy.

The new research tests both standard PET scans and a newer approach that involves injecting a different tracer substance.

The standard scan, which looks for blood sugar usage, has gotten good results in tests with a variety of tumors including breast, prostate, colorectal and esophageal cancers, said Dr. Steven Larson of the Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York.

"I think it's going to be extremely valuable for most tumors where there are effective treatments," he said. Some experiments have revealed chemo's effects within 10 days to two weeks.

As a practical matter, the goal of researchers is to convince federal regulators to cover the procedure under Medicare and Medicaid, which would open the door to routine use. That might take two or three years, he said.

Farther out on the research horizon is a PET scan that uses injections of a different radioactive material and has revealed chemotherapy's impact even faster. Larson figures it will be especially useful for assessing newer drugs that aim to stop a patient's cancer from growing rather than killing the tumor.

This scan is called FLT PET, after radioactive fluorothymidine. These scans show whether cancer cells are dividing. Uncontrolled division is a hallmark of active cancer, and stopping that division should be an early effect of successful chemotherapy.

"Our hope ... is you might be able to give a single dose of a chemotherapy agent and within a day or two figure out whether the tumor is going to respond," says Dr. Michael Graham of the University of Iowa.

## Obama tax plan meets Democratic resistance

By Stephen Ohlemacher  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — President Barack Obama's proposal to limit itemized tax deductions for high earners is running into opposition from key Democrats in Congress who worry that charities and the housing market would be hurt.

Senate Finance Committee Chairman Max Baucus questioned Wednesday whether the proposal was viable, a day after his House counterpart also expressed reservations.

Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner said tax increases on families making more than \$250,000 a year

are necessary to make a down payment on health care reform and to limit future budget deficits. But, he said, he was willing to work with lawmakers on proposals they objected to.

"We recognize there are other ways to do this," Geithner told the Finance Committee.

Baucus, a Montana Democrat, said he thought the administration would be flexible on the proposal. "They want health care reform as much as I do," he told reporters.

Geithner and White House budget director Peter Orszag returned to Capitol Hill on Wednesday for a second day of hearings on Obama's \$3.6

trillion tax and spending proposal. Both faced tough questions about the tax package.

Obama's budget calls for setting aside \$634 billion over the next 10 years as a down payment on health care reform. Half the money would come from tax increases on upper-income earners; the other half from cuts to Medicare and Medicaid.

Obama's budget calls for two tax increases on couples making more than \$250,000

and individuals making more than \$200,000. He wants to increase the top tax rates from 35 percent to 39.6 percent by allowing a tax cut enacted under President George W. Bush to expire in 2011.

He also wants to limit the deductions those families can claim for charitable donations, mortgage interest and state and local taxes.

Without the new limits, a taxpayer in the proposed 39.6 percent tax bracket could save \$396 in taxes from a \$1,000 reduction in taxable income. Obama wants to limit deductions to the 28 percent bracket, starting in 2011, meaning the same taxpayer would save only \$280.



Geithner

## Housing plan aims to help 9 million

### But many in worst areas may be left out

By Alan Zibel  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — The Obama administration's housing plan is intended to help 9 million struggling homeowners avoid foreclosure, but it leaves out tens of thousands of borrowers in the most battered housing markets who won't qualify because their homes have lost too much value.

The program detailed Wednesday offers refinanced mortgages or modified loans with lower monthly payments. Yet its refinancing plan is limited to borrowers who owe up to 5 percent more than their home's current value. Loan modifications, supported by \$75 billion in federal funding, are unlikely for severely "underwater" borrowers.

In the California cities of Stockton, Modesto and Merced, more than one out of every 10 homeowners with a mortgage won't qualify for any help because they owe more than 50 percent more than their house's current value, according to data from real-estate Web site Zillow.com.

The ineligible households are concentrated in speculator-driven markets in California, Florida, Nevada and Arizona, but can also be found in struggling cities such as Detroit and Grand Rapids, Mich. Even houses in the outlying suburbs of the nation's capital, where the economy is relatively healthy, have dropped substantially in value.

For a homeowner who borrowed \$380,000 and now has a house worth \$270,000, "I just don't know what you do with that," said Jared Martin, a mortgage broker in Bethesda, Md.

Government officials acknowledge that the initiatives are only a partial fix for a sweeping problem that has helped plunge the U.S. economy into the worst recession in decades.

"This is not going to save every person's home," said Robert Gibbs, the White House press secretary. "The plan is not intended to ... augment somebody's loan for a house that they couldn't afford under any economic situation."

Of the nearly 52 million U.S. homeowners with a mortgage, almost 14 million, or nearly 27 percent, owe more on their mortgage than their house is now worth, according to Moody's Economy.com.

# Court charges president of Sudan with war crimes in Darfur

By Mike Corder  
Associated Press writer

THE HAGUE, Netherlands — The president of Sudan became a wanted man Wednesday when the International Criminal Court charged him with war crimes and crimes against humanity in Darfur — its first action against a sitting head of state and one that could set the stage for more world leaders to be indicted.

President Omar al-Bashir's government retaliated by expelling 10 humanitarian groups from Darfur and seizing their assets, threatening lifesaving operations, a U.N. spokeswoman said.

Susan Rice, the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, said the United States supported the court's action "to hold accountable those who are responsible for the heinous crimes in Darfur." Up to 300,000 people have died and 2.7 million have fled their homes in the region.

U.N. officials in Sudan will continue to deal with al-Bashir because he remains the president of the country, U.N. spokeswoman Michele Montas said in New York.

In the Sudanese capital of Khartoum, the government denounced the warrant as part of a Western conspiracy aimed at destabilizing the vast oil-rich nation south of Egypt. "There will be no recognition of or dealing with the white man's court, which has no mandate in Sudan or against any of its people," the Information Ministry said.

Several thousand people waving pictures of al-Bashir and denouncing the court turned out in a rally in Khartoum. Some waved posters of chief prosecutor Luis Moreno Ocampo's face with pig ears superimposed to chants of, "Cowardly pig, you will not get to the Sudan."

Al-Bashir, who denies the accusations, drove through the capital after the warrant was announced, waving at crowds. Security was tightened at many embassies, and some diplomats and aid workers stayed home amid fears of retaliation against Westerners.

The decision by the court lays the groundwork for potential indictments of other heads of state who have been mentioned as possible targets of war crimes investigations, including leaders of other African nations and Israel.

"Head of state immunity no longer is a bar to prosecuting heads of state who commit war crimes and crimes against humanity during their time in office," said David Crane, an international law professor at Syracuse University and former prosecutor of the Sierra Leone tribunal that indicted Liberian President Charles Taylor and put him on trial in The Hague. Slobodan Milosevic was indicted while still president of Yugoslavia in 1999 by the tribunal for the former Yugoslavia.

Both Milosevic and Taylor were indicted by temporary courts. Wednesday's ruling is significant because the International Criminal Court is permanent.

Crane said the principle could even extend to former U.S. President George W. Bush over claims officials from his former administration may have engaged in torture by using coercive interrogation techniques on terror suspects.

Congressional Democrats and other critics have charged that some of the harsh inter-

rogation techniques amounted to torture, a contention that Bush and other officials rejected.

The prospect of The Hague-based court ever trying Bush is considered extremely remote. The U.S. government does not recognize the court and the only other way it could be investigated is if the Security Council were to order it, something unlikely to happen with Washington a

veto-wielding permanent member of the council.

The Security Council adopted a resolution ordering the International Criminal Court to investigate Darfur in 2005, leading to the charges against al-Bashir even though Sudan does not recognize the court's jurisdiction.

Richard Dicker, director of the International Justice Program at Human Rights Watch, said the ruling would

likely fuel discussion about investigations of possible crimes by Bush administration officials.

Moreno Ocampo had accused Sudanese troops and the janjawed Arab militia they support of murdering civilians and preying on them in refugee camps. He said the militia also waged a campaign of rape to drive women into the desert, where they die of starvation.



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Sudanese President Omar al-Bashir salutes during a graduation ceremony at the air force academy near Khartoum, Sudan, Wednesday.

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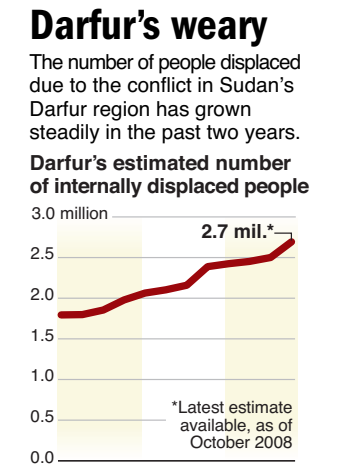
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## CSI softball begins long home stand

By **Bradley Guire**  
*Times-News writer*

Finally, the Golden Eagles have come back to Twin Falls. Starting Friday, the College of Southern Idaho softball team will host its first weekend series as Western Nevada College comes to town for four Scenic West Athletic Conference games. There's not a player or coach who isn't excited for the home opener.

"I think, a big relief," head coach Nick Baumert said. "It just feels better knowing that we don't have to get right



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back on the road."

Not only does it mean avoiding long bus trips and getting to sleep in their own beds, it means another day to prepare. The Golden Eagles are resuming SWAC play after taking last weekend off to play in the Eastern Arizona College's round robin tournament.

The extra day may come in handy, as Baumert has the

Eagles scrimmaging more with a focus on fielding, something the team struggled with lately.

"That's one thing that we talked about when we left the park on Saturday," Baumert said. "We can hit all the home runs we want, but if we

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## CSI baseball searches for consistency

Golden Eagles travel to Salt Lake this week

By **David Bashore**  
*Times-News writer*

Seventeen games into the 2009 season, the one constant that can fairly be attributed to the College of Southern Idaho baseball team is usually one reserved for umpires: inconsistency.

As the Golden Eagles prepare to head south for a

pair of doubleheaders with Salt Lake Community College this weekend, consistency is the most frequent word on coach Boomer Walker's tongue.

CSI hasn't ironed out a solid batting lineup yet, and the order that the Golden Eagles have sent to the plate has struggled initially, mounted one or two rallies in a game, and then gone dormant altogether.

Walker attributed the problem in some part to the con-

stant shuffling of the deck, but added that the inability to reach base to start innings and general inconsistency at the plate.

"You'd figure that 17 games into the season that we'd have a solid nine and go out there," Walker said. "But we haven't been able to get the first guy on base, and it's hard for us to get two or three hits an inning (right now) as offense. But we're still looking for something that will work in the long haul. We don't need a quick fix."

See **BASEBALL**, Sports 2

## Idiot-proof guide to boys state basketball

It's almost time to put winter to bed for another year, and there's no better way to carry that out than by gathering the finest basketball teams from around the Gem State and sorting out exactly who is best of the best.



DAVID BASHORE

That in mind, here's your idiot-proof guide (authored by a sufficiently-motivated idiot) to the Boys Real Dairy Shootout, as well as my predicted order of trophy finish (champion, runner-up, third, consolation).

### Class 5A

**Favorite:** Vallivue (17-6). The Falcons are the defending champs, and have hit their stride down the stretch.

**Other contenders:** Lewiston, Capital and Eagle.

**Dark horses:** Take your pick of the "Falls" schools. Twin Falls and Post Falls are both teams that can catch fire and beat anyone — or flame out and lose to anyone. If either club can get out of the first round, they might have the confidence to make a run.

**Predicted order:** Vallivue, Capital, Eagle, Lewiston.

### Class 4A

**Favorite:** Skyview (23-0). The Hawks are unbeaten and hit the afterburners in the District III title-game win over Bishop Kelly.

**Other contenders:**

See **STATE**, Sports 2

On Saturday night, the CSI men's and women's basketball teams hope to be

# CUTTING DOWN THE NETS



## Watkins, CSI hope to give tourney foes nightmares

By **Mike Christensen**  
*Times-News writer*

Nearly eight months ago, Jay Watkins finished a scrimmage session in CSI's practice gym and sat down for an interview, his answers coming in a soft-spoken voice that contrasted sharply with his brash, high-flying on-court persona.

But there was no mistaking the intensity of his words.

"I'm dedicated 110 percent to bringing a championship to CSI," Watkins said on that July day.

While Watkins' career will soon take him to the University of Utah, he's determined to put another banner in the CSI rafters before he parts with the gold and black.

"I'm going to do whatever I have to do to lead my team to victory," said Watkins. "If that means going out and grabbing 15 rebounds, I'll do that. If it means only scoring two points, I'll do it."

His next chance will come Friday when the 22-8 College of Southern Idaho men open play in the Region 18 Men's Basketball Championship against rival Salt Lake Community College.

The second-seeded Bruins (24-6, 10-5 Scenic West Athletic Conference) will tangle with the Golden Eagles at 3 p.m. (MST) Friday in Coeur d'Alene. Salt Lake took two of three games from CSI this season, adding extra fuel to the Golden Eagles' fire.



Watkins

### 2009 Region 18 men's basketball championships

(All times MST)

#### Today

No. 4 College of Eastern Utah vs. No. 5 Snow College, 8:30 p.m.

#### Friday

No. 2 Salt Lake Community College vs. No. 3 CSI, 3 p.m.  
 No. 1 North Idaho College vs. CEU-Snow winner, 8:30 p.m.

#### Saturday

Championship: Semifinal winners, 8:30 p.m.

"We're going to go up there and take care of whoever we play," said Watkins. "But it does mean a lot because it's Salt Lake. ... We have a little chip on our shoulder. We feel like we owe them one."

Regular-season champion North Idaho College (27-3, 12-3) will face today's College of Eastern Utah vs. Snow College winner in Friday's other semifinal. The winners advance to Saturday's 8:30 p.m. (MST) championship game.

While last-place Colorado Northwestern Community College is not eligible for tournament play, the five remaining teams all appear to have the talent to string together two or three wins for the title.

"There's just a small

See **MEN**, Sports 2

## Wood, Golden Eagle women eager to claim tourney title

By **Mike Christensen**  
*Times-News writer*

Cassie Wood knows what it's like to be a champion.

A four-year varsity player at Richfield High School, Wood led the Tigers to a 26-1 record and a Class 1A state championship as a senior. In two seasons at the College of Southern Idaho, she has helped the Golden Eagles to a 57-8 record and a pair of Scenic West Athletic Conference championships.

"I'm used to winning," said Wood, a 5-8 sophomore guard. "I grew up winning. It's win or nothing for me. I don't like losing. I'm not used to losing. I've never been in a losing program before."

Is any wonder that when asked if the 11th-ranked Golden Eagles will win this week's Region 18 Women's Basketball Championship in Coeur d'Alene, Wood responded with a big smile and the words, "Of course."

The CSI women (25-4) have done plenty of winning this season, coming away victorious in 22 of their last 23 games since a 3-3 start. The Golden Eagles went 14-1 in SWAC play, winning the conference with a four-game cushion over second-place



Wood

### 2009 Region 18 women's basketball championships

(All times MST)

#### Today

No. 4 Salt Lake Community College vs. No. 5 College of Eastern Utah, 6:30 p.m.

#### Friday

No. 1 CSI vs. SLCC-CEU winner, 1 p.m.  
 No. 3 Snow College vs. No. 2 North Idaho College, 6:30 p.m.

#### Saturday

Championship: Semifinal winners, 6 p.m.

North Idaho College (23-7, 10-5).

"I think we're pretty confident and loose," said Wood. "We've been playing pretty well lately. We're really meshing as a team."

The front-court play of All-American Soana Lucet (21.3 points, 8.1 rebounds) and freshman Shauneice Samms (15.0 points, 8.0 rebounds) has been stellar all season, while guards Martina Holloway (9.7 assists, 3.2 steals) and LaCale Pringle-Buchanan (12.0 points, 6.3 rebounds, 3.9 steals) have helped CSI average 80.7 points compared to 61.0 for its opponents.

The Golden Eagles have done all that despite the loss of All-American post Maddy Plunkett to an ACL tear before the season, coupled with a season-ending ACL tear for top reserve Noelle Milicic with six games remaining in the conference season.

"I'm really happy about the season and how it ended up," said CSI head coach Randy

See **WOMEN**, Sports 2



### WAC HOOPS ON TV TONIGHT

The University of Idaho hosts Louisiana Tech at 8 p.m. (MST) today in a men's basketball game that will be broadcast live on Altitude TV (Channel 410 Dish Network, Channel 681 DirecTV). The Vandals are 14-14 overall and 7-7 in Western Athletic Conference play, while Louisiana Tech is 14-16 and 6-9.

Boise State's 7 p.m. matchup with Fresno State will not be televised locally, but the Broncos are offering \$7 tickets as part of a "Weeknight Economy Buster" promotion. The Broncos (18-10, 8-6 WAC) will look to avenge a road loss earlier this season to Fresno State (12-18, 3-11).

# Baseball

## Continued from Sports 1

CSI scored in just three of 16 innings in the Scenic West Athletic Conference-opening doubleheader last Friday at Southern Nevada — seven in the fourth and two in the seventh of Game 1 and four in the ninth of the nightcap. The Golden Eagles were scoreless in 14 innings on Saturday.

The pitching has been good enough, and Walker said that would need to continue if the Golden Eagles are to have any success against the Bruins, before adding that a quick start would help soothe nerves.

"I think we have to score in the first or second inning to get everyone to relax," Walker said. "We haven't scored very many runs early on ... we

have to learn to start quickly because it becomes a pressure-cooker situation if you don't."

**Notes:** Walker expects the weather to be nasty in Salt Lake City, but the Bruins have a turf field, which by and large takes care of the moisture problem. ... Center fielder Tyler Chism is expected to remain stationed in right field this weekend as he nurses a tight hamstring for the second straight week. ... Sophomore pitcher Tyler Barrett will move from starting the first game Saturday to the second game Friday to give Preston Olson another day to recover from a split fingertip. Olson will start in Barrett's normal place on Saturday.

# State

## Continued from Sports 1

Jerome, Hillcrest and Blackfoot.

**Dark horse:** Put a gun to my head and I'll say Bishop Kelly, just because the Knights finished second in District III and that conference has historically been good. This season, however, it's been atrocious outside of Skyview. If you're looking for someone to come off the radar, it's not likely to come from this classification.

**Predicted order:** Jerome, Hillcrest, Skyview, Blackfoot.

## Class 3A

**Favorite:** Kimberly (16-5). All due respect to defending champion Fruitland, but the Bulldogs return nine of their top 10 from last year's runner-up season — and they have a point to prove.

**Other contenders:** Sugar-Salem, Fruitland and Shelley.

**Dark horse:** St. Maries has a mix of size and shooting that could lend well to tournament play, but the Lumberjacks have a tough draw in 22-3 Sugar-Salem to start the tournament. That's why you should look to the Filer-Priest River winner as the most likely club to cause a shock.

**Predicted order:** Kimberly, Sugar-Salem, Filer, Shelley.

## Class 2A

**Favorite:** Firth (19-4). The Cougars are two-time defending champs and are playing some of their best ball of the season.

**Other contenders:** Aberdeen, Glens Ferry and Melba.

**Dark horse:** It might be unfair to call West Side a dark horse — the Pirates have lost to Firth in the title

game each of the last two seasons — but with an 11-10 record they just might fit the bill. Since a team meeting earlier in the year they are 6-2 and are coming into the tournament on a hot streak.

**Predicted order:** Firth, Melba, Glens Ferry, West Side.

## Class 1A Division I

**Favorite:** Genesee (22-0). The Bulldogs won the title in 2007 and would have been back there last season if not for Hagerman upsetting them in the semifinals.

**Other contenders:** Hagerman, Wilder and Prairie.

**Dark horse:** If this year's Wallace club is anything like last year's, I like the Miners a lot. Jared Bilaski has the ability of a big-time player at the 1A level, and momentum is a tough thing to stop. If Hagerman isn't paying attention in the first round, it could be Wallace that ends up getting to the championship round.

**Predicted order:** Genesee, Hagerman, Prairie, Wallace.

## Class 1A Division II

**Favorite:** Richfield (19-3). The Tigers haven't lost to a 1A D-II opponent this season and have the horses for a run at the title.

**Other contenders:** Garden Valley, Carey and Dietrich.

**Dark horse:** Nezperce is just 13-10, but the Indians started the season 0-7. They've been playing great basketball down the stretch, including a couple of near 30-point thrashings of fellow entrant Summit Academy in the district tournament.

**Predicted order:** Richfield, Carey, Garden Valley, Dietrich.

# Women

## Continued from Sports 1

Rogers. "For this team to overcome and finish first is a credit to them."

The Golden Eagles will open tournament play at 1 p.m. (MST) Friday against the winner of today's game between No. 4 seed Salt Lake Community College (16-14, 7-8 SWAC) and fifth-seeded College of Eastern Utah (16-14, 6-9 SWAC). CSI went 3-0 against both squads, beating CEU by an average of 38 points and Salt Lake by an average of 17.

Each presents different challenges as Eastern Utah uses pressure to create transition opportunities, while the Bruins are more methodical offensively.

"When you've played them as many times as we have, you're pretty familiar with what they do," said Rogers.

A win on Friday will put CSI in Saturday's 6 p.m. (MST) championship game against either second-seeded NIC or No. 3 seed Snow College (17-13, 8-7). The Cardinals, playing on their home floor, are the lone conference team to beat CSI this season and could present a tough challenge. But Rogers believes Wood and the other Golden Eagles know how to win big games.

"That's kind of what we're

banking on," he said. "The practices (this week) haven't been all that great. I think the kids are pretty loose and excited about the games and can't wait to get to the games. We have to be up to the challenge or the season is over."

When tip-off arrives on Friday, Wood knows she and her teammates will be ready.

"You have worked all season long, so hard for tournament time," she said. "Now tournament time is here and you want to go as far as you can and give everything you have."

**Notes:** A region championship will send CSI to the March 17-21 NJCAA national tournament in Salina, Kan. ... Rogers has been to nationals three times, including last year's sixth-place finish. If the Golden Eagles win the title in Coeur d'Alene, it will be the first time under Rogers that CSI has won the Region 18 crown away from Twin Falls. ... While Wood, MeChel Hunt and Kalika Tullock have filled in the minutes played by Milicic, Rogers said the team misses the presence and skill set of the 6-foot sophomore. "We feel that absence because of her length, her ability to knock down 3-point shots and contest shots. The other kids that have filled in really don't have that ability."

# BYU rallies past Wyoming, grabs MWC lead

LARAMIE, Wyo. — Down the stretch, BYU showed why it is fighting for the Mountain West Conference title. The young Cowboys showed why they are not there yet.

The Cougars (23-6, 11-4 Mountain West) outscored Wyoming 21-8 in the final eight minutes for a 78-68 win Wednesday night. BYU is tied with Utah and New Mexico for first place with one game to play.

"I think our guys really dug down deep and competed tonight," BYU coach Dave Rose said. "Wyoming played really well in the first half, and it showed with their 40 points. We knew we needed to come out in the second half and defend and rebound better."

Lee Cummard, who led BYU with 24 points, scored seven straight points in that run and Jonathan Tavernari hit a 3-pointer to put the Cougars ahead 67-60.

Sean Ogirri led Wyoming with 25 points — 17 in the first half. Brandon Ewing followed with 16 and Afam Muojeke added 11 for the Cowboys.

Tavernari scored 19 points and grabbed 11 rebounds, while Jimmy Fredette added 15 points for BYU.

## TOP 25 NO. 2 NORTH CAROLINA 86, VIRGINIA TECH 78

BLACKSBURG, Va. — Tyler Hansbrough had 22 points and 15 rebounds and No. 2 North Carolina stayed on track to win the Atlantic Coast Conference regular season title with an 86-78 victory over fading Virginia Tech on Wednesday night.

## NO. 3 PITTSBURGH 90, NO. 13 MARQUETTE 75

PITTSBURGH — DeJuan Blair scored 23 points and was dominating inside during a decisive 21-2 run for

Pittsburgh, which fell behind by nine points early in the second half.

## NO. 15 MISSOURI 73, NO. 4 OKLAHOMA 64

COLUMBIA, Mo. — DeMarre Carroll had 15 points and 10 rebounds, helping No. 15 Missouri wind up a perfect season at home and grab a share of second place in the Big 12 with a 73-64 victory over No. 4 Oklahoma on Wednesday night.

## NO. 5 MEMPHIS 69, HOUSTON 60

HOUSTON — Tyreke Evans scored 23 points and Shawn Taggart added 12 points and 10 rebounds as Memphis inched closer to another perfect run through Conference USA.

## NO. 6 LOUISVILLE 95, SETON HALL 78

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Junior

Earl Clark scored a career-high 27 points in his final home game and senior Terrence Williams added 14 points, 12 rebounds and eight assists for Louisville.

## TEXAS TECH 84, NO. 9 KANSAS 65

LUBBOCK, Texas — Alan Voskuil had nine 3-pointers and scored a career-high 35 points to lead Texas Tech to an 84-65 upset of No. 9 Kansas on Wednesday night.

## VANDERBILT 75, NO. 12 LSU 67

BATON ROUGE, La. — A.J. Ogilvy scored a career-high 33 points and grabbed 10 rebounds for Vanderbilt.

## NORTHWESTERN 64, NO. 19 PURDUE 61

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. — Kevin Coble scored 16 points and Northwestern ended the Boilermakers' seven-game home winning streak.

— The Associated Press

# Boozer big against Rockets as Jazz win ninth straight

SALT LAKE CITY — Carlos Boozer had 20 points and 17 rebounds in his best game since his return from a three-month absence and the Utah Jazz won their ninth straight, beating the Houston Rockets 101-94 on Wednesday night.

Deron Williams scored 10 of his 26 points in the fourth quarter, including a 20-foot jumper with 21 seconds left after Houston got within three points. Williams also had 14 assists for the surging Jazz, who have won 10 straight at home.

## MAVERICKS 107, SPURS 102

DALLAS — Mark Cuban had to like what he saw this time.

Josh Howard scored 29 points including a key layup in the final minute, Jason Kidd hit a clutch 3-pointer with 31 seconds left and the Dallas Mavericks — perhaps inspired by a tongue-lashing from their owner — beat the San Antonio Spurs 107-102 Wednesday night.

The Mavericks were thumped Monday night in Oklahoma City by a Thunder

team missing its two leading scorers. On Tuesday, Cuban questioned his team's effort and commitment, threatening to get rid of anyone he didn't think was trying.

## CAVALIERS 91, BUCKS 73

CLEVELAND — LeBron James scored 23 points, Delonte West had 13 and a career-high eight steals and Cleveland became the first team to clinch a spot in the NBA playoffs.

Mo Williams scored 15 against his former team and Zydrunas Ilgauskas added 14 for Cleveland, which lowered its magic for winning the Central Division to six.

## KNICKS 109, HAWKS 105

NEW YORK — Larry Hughes scored 23 points to continue his turnaround from a rocky start with his new team, and New York snapped a three-game losing streak.

Al Harrington had 20 points and 10 rebounds, and Danilo Gallinari scored a career-high 17 points for the Knicks, who got March off to

a good start after a 3-10 February that damaged their hopes of making the playoffs.

## HEAT 135, SUNS 129

MIAMI — Dwyane Wade scored 35 points and tied his career high with 16 assists, reserves Michael Beasley and Daequan Cook combined to score 55 points, and the Heat spoiled Shaquille O'Neal's return to Miami.

Beasley scored 28 points — the most by a Heat player besides Wade this season — and nine rebounds. Cook added 27 points and Miami led for all but a portion of the opening minutes on the way to the second-highest point total in franchise history.

## CELTICS 115, NETS 111

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Paul Pierce scored 31 points and hit a game-winning 17-footer with 20.9 seconds to play to lead Boston.

Ray Allen, who tied the game at 111 with a clutch 3-pointer with 1:05 to play, iced the contest with two free throws with 7.5 seconds to play.

## THUNDER 88, WIZARDS 83

OKLAHOMA CITY — Russell Westbrook and Thabo Sefolosha made big baskets in the final 2 minutes, helping Oklahoma City to its first three-game winning streak of the season.

Sefolosha made a reverse layup with 1:47 to play, pushing Oklahoma City's lead to 84-81. A jumper by Westbrook with 33.3 seconds remaining stretched the lead to five and Nenad Krstic added two free throws with 9.5 seconds left.

## BULLS 110, WARRIORS 88

CHICAGO — John Salmons had 23 points and seven rebounds, Joakim Noah added 14 points and 17 rebounds and Chicago beat Golden State.

Brad Miller finished with 19 points and six rebounds for Chicago, and Derrick Rose finished with 14 points and six assists. The Bulls pulled into a tie with Milwaukee for eighth place in the Eastern Conference.

— The Associated Press

# Softball

## Continued from Sports 1

don't play good defense we're not going to win a conference championship, and we're not going to win our region. That's what we'll start working on, getting the kids in pressure situations in practice so that they feel like 'It's not that big a deal. I can make this play.'"

On paper, the Eagles have a team fielding percentage of .938. Ashley Chappel agreed with Baumert, acknowledging that there's room for improvement.

"We have a solid defense," she said. "I think our defense is pretty legit. There are definitely things we could all work on, like our communication."

The Wildcats may be a shade about Colorado Northwestern Community College, but they can score runs. Against league-leading Southern Nevada, Western Nevada scored nearly two dozen runs across four games.

"They're capable of scoring runs, and Southern Nevada's pitching is pretty good," Baumert said. "I don't know what to expect,



Bryant

but I do know that they can score some runs if we're not on the top of our defensive game." At the plate, CSI remains a SWAC leader. The team is batting .366 with two players hitting more than .400 through a minimum of 85 at bats. Another four are batting more than .300. Chappel, Cassi Merrill and Megan Zimmerman are still a major force in the lineup. Zimmerman leads in RBI, runs, stolen bases and home runs.

From the circle, freshman Generra Nielson is 7-2 with a 1.84 ERA and continues to anchor the pitching staff.

## CSI SOFTBALL ON DECK

**This weekend's doubleheader:** Western Nevada College (4-12, 4-12 SWAC) at No. 27 CSI (16-10-2, 9-5 SWAC); 1 p.m., Friday & noon, Saturday

**Last time they met:** This marks the first matchup between the Golden Eagles and the Wildcats, a program in its inaugural season.

**On deck:** College of Southern Nevada (15-6, 12-4) comes to Twin Falls next weekend for a four-game SWAC series.

### CSI season leaders

**Batting — Average (minimum 80 at bats):** Ashley Chappel .422. **Hits:** Chappel 28, Megan Zimmerman 28. **2B:** Zimmerman 7. **3B:** Cassi Merrill 2, Erin Olander 2, Dani Grant 2. **HR:** Zimmerman 13, Chappel 12. **RBI:** Zimmerman 42. **Runs:** Zimmerman 40. **BB:** Merrill 12. **SB:** Zimmerman 13. **Pitching — Record:** Generra Nielson 7-2. **SV:** none. **ERA (minimum 40 innings):** Nielson 1.84. **Innings pitched:** Nielson 68.1. **CG:** Nielson 10. **Shutouts:** Nielson 3. **SO:** Nielson 59. **Opponents' average (minimum 40 innings):** Nielson .250.

Kyla Bryant has emerged as a strong pitcher in her sophomore season, recording a 2.05 ERA with a 4-3 record.

"It's exciting to know that these girls are playing so well," Bryant said. "Generra, with her on the diamond and Megan behind the plate, with a freshmen infield, it's so exciting just to

know that we're right up there and one of the youngest teams in the league."

Friday's doubleheader begins at 1 p.m., while Saturday's starts at noon.

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# Men

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(10.7 points, 6.0 assists) and Charles Odum (6.9 points, 2.9 assists) have settled into the point guard position, while 7-foot center Aziz Ndiaye (8.5 points, 7.9 rebounds, 2.3 blocks) continues to develop in the post.

"If there's ever been a freshman class that's been seasoned, it's these guys," said Gosar.

Watkins concurs. "The team has grown up a lot this season, matured a lot," he said. "We had a team full of freshman at the beginning of the year, but now we have a team full of sophomores."

With University of Connecticut transfer Nate Miles (18.6 points, 4.4 rebounds, 3.4 assists) joining the lineup in early February and health and injury issues

freshmen Janelle Barrett

hopefully behind them, the Golden Eagles look to be at full strength for tournament play.

"We're a scary team," said Watkins. "If we play the way we're supposed to play, we'll be a nightmare for a lot of teams."

While the Bruins finished one game ahead of CSI in the final standings, they have dropped three of their last four outings, including a pair of road losses at Eastern Utah last weekend.

Since starting the season 19-1, Salt Lake's sophomore-laden lineup is just 5-5.

"I think they're starting to come down a little," said Watkins. "I think they peaked a little too early in the season and we haven't even peaked yet."

If CSI can win two games

in Coeur d'Alene, it will fly to Phoenix for a game against the Region 1 champion (likely Arizona Western College) on Tuesday. That game is for a berth in the March 17-21 NJCAA national tournament in Hutchinson, Kan.

"I think we're ready, we're excited about it," Gosar said of tournament time. "This is what we worked hard all year for."

If the rest of the team is confident as Watkins, there's no doubt these Golden Eagles will make it a March to remember.

"Whoever it is in the tournament, whoever it is in Phoenix, whoever it is in Huch, they're going to have a lot of problems because we're going to come to play and come to fight every game," said Watkins.

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# SCOREBOARD

## BASEBALL

MLB Spring Training				
Times MST				
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Seattle	4	0	1.000	—
Los Angeles	4	2	.667	—
Baltimore	5	2	.714	—
Minnesota	5	2	.714	—
Texas	4	3	.571	—
Detroit	4	4	.500	—
Toronto	4	4	.500	—
Kansas City	3	3	.500	—
Chicago	3	4	.429	—
Cleveland	3	4	.429	—
Tampa Bay	3	4	.429	—
Oakland	2	4	.333	—
Boston	2	5	.286	—
New York	2	5	.286	—

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Pittsburgh	7	1	.875	—
Atlanta	6	2	.750	—
St. Louis	4	2	.667	—
Chicago	5	3	.625	—
Arizona	4	3	.571	—
Cincinnati	4	3	.571	—
Philadelphia	4	3	.571	—
Washington	4	4	.500	—
San Francisco	3	3	.500	—
Milwaukee	3	2	.600	—
San Diego	2	2	.500	—
Los Angeles	3	4	.429	—
New York	3	4	.429	—
Florida	1	5	.167	—
Houston	1	5	.167	—
Colorado	0	7	.000	—

NOTE: Split-squad games count in the standings; games against non-major league teams do not.

## Florida's Games

Italy 5, Wednesday 3
Panama 9, Detroit 3
Venezuela 4, Houston 4, tie
Toronto 6, USA 5
Philadelphia 9, Canada 2
Washington 6, N.Y. Mets 4
Atlanta 3, N.Y. Yankees 2
Pittsburgh 2, Minnesota 1
Baltimore 6, Dominican Republic 1
Texas 5, Kansas City 3
L.A. Angels 13, South Africa 6
San Francisco 10, L.A. Dodgers 8
Oakland 7, Chicago White Sox (ss) 2
Cleveland 5, Chicago Cubs (ss) 4
Cincinnati 4, Netherlands 3, 10 Innings
Puerto Rico 2, Tampa Bay 1
Mexico 19, Arizona 4
Australia 10, Seattle at Peoria, Ariz., late
Chicago Cubs (ss) vs. Chicago White Sox (ss) at Las Vegas, late

## Thursday's Games

Puerto Rico vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 10:05 a.m.
USA vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla., 10:05 a.m.
Panama vs. Houston at Kissimmee, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Italy vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Washington vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Florida vs. Baltimore at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Pittsburgh vs. Cincinnati at Sarasota, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Canada vs. N.Y. Yankees at Tampa, Fla., 11:15 a.m.
Venezuela vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Minnesota vs. Netherlands at Fort Myers, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Dominican Republic vs. St. Louis at Jupiter, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
San Diego vs. Texas at Surprise, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Seattle vs. Milwaukee at Phoenix, 1:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh vs. Atlanta at Peoria, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
South Africa at Oakland (ss), 1:05 p.m.
Oakland (ss) vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (ss) vs. L.A. Dodgers at Phoenix, 1:05 p.m.
Mexico vs. Colorado at Tucson, Ariz., 1:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (ss) vs. Chicago Cubs at Las Vegas, 2:05 p.m.

## Scenic West Athletic Conference standings

Team	As of March 4			
	SWAC	W	L	Pct.
W. Nevada	4	0	1,000	6.25
Salt Lake	3	1	.750	6
S. Nevada	3	1	.750	5.50
CSI	1	3	.250	4.11
Colo. NW	1	3	.250	5.13
E. Utah	0	4	.000	7.17

## Friday, March 6

CSI at Salt Lake (DH)
W. Nevada at S. Nevada (DH)
E. Utah at Colo. NW (DH)

## Saturday, March 7

CSI at Salt Lake (DH)
W. Nevada at S. Nevada (DH)
E. Utah at Colo. NW (DH)

## BASKETBALL

### NBA All Times MST

EASTERN				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	48	14	.774	—
Philadelphia	29	30	.492	17½
New York	27	34	.443	20½
New York	25	35	.417	22
Toronto	23	39	.371	25

### SOUTHEAST

	W	L	Pct	GB
Olando	44	16	.733	—
Atlanta	34	27	.557	10½
Miami	32	28	.533	12
Charlotte	26	35	.429	18½
Washington	14	47	.230	30½

### CENTRAL

	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Cleveland	48	12	.800	—
Detroit	30	29	.508	17½
Milwaukee	29	35	.453	21
Chicago	28	34	.452	21
Indiana	24	38	.387	22½

### SOUTHWEST

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	40	20	.667	—
Houston	39	23	.629	2
New Orleans	37	22	.627	2½
Dallas	37	24	.607	3½
Memphis	15	44	.254	24½

### NORTHWEST

	W	L	Pct	GB
Pittsburgh	7	1	.875	—
Atlanta	6	2	.750	—
St. Louis	4	2	.667	—
Chicago	5	3	.625	—
Arizona	4	3	.571	—
Cincinnati	4	3	.571	—
Philadelphia	4	3	.571	—
Washington	4	4	.500	—
San Francisco	3	3	.500	—
Milwaukee	3	2	.600	—
San Diego	2	2	.500	—
Los Angeles	3	4	.429	—
New York	3	4	.429	—
Florida	1	5	.167	—
Houston	1	5	.167	—
Colorado	0	7	.000	—

Denver	39	22	.639	—
Portland	37	22	.627	1
Utah	38	23	.623	1
Minnesota	18	42	.300	20½
Oklahoma City	16	45	.262	23

## PACIFIC

	W	L	Pct	GB
L.A. Lakers	49	12	.803	—
Phoenix	34	27	.557	15
Golden State	21	40	.344	28
L.A. Clippers	15	46	.246	34
Sacramento	13	49	.210	36½

## Tuesday's Games

Orlando 111, Phoenix 99
Charlotte 96, Chicago 80
Detroit 100, Denver 95
New Jersey 99, Milwaukee 95
Golden State 118, Minnesota 94
Houston 107, Toronto 97
Indiana 117, Sacramento 109
L.A. Lakers 99, Memphis 89

## Wednesday's Games

Cleveland 91, Milwaukee 73
Miami 135, Phoenix 123
Boston 115, New Jersey 111
New York 109, Atlanta 105
Oklahoma City 88, Washington 83
Chicago 110, Golden State 88
Utah 101, Houston 94
Dallas 107, San Antonio 102
Indiana at Portland, late
Memphis at L.A. Clippers, late

## Thursday's Games

Dallas at New Orleans, 6 p.m.
Portland at Denver, 8:30 p.m.
Miami at Toronto, 5 p.m.
New York at Orlando, 5 p.m.
Atlanta at Charlotte, 5 p.m.
Cleveland at Boston, 6 p.m.
Golden State at Detroit, 6 p.m.
Phoenix at Houston, 6:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Chicago, 6:30 p.m.
Washington at San Antonio, 6:30 p.m.
Denver at Utah, 8:30 p.m.
Minnesota at L.A. Lakers, 8:30 p.m.

## NBA ROKETS

Jazz 101, Rockets 94				
Battier 1-4 2-4, Scola 5-9 3-4 13, Yao 7-18				
5-5 19, Brooks 3-8 1-2, Artest 9-19 2-6 25,				
Landy 2-3 4-4 8, Hayes 0-0 0-0, Wafer 0-4				
2-2, Lowry 4-7 5-6 14, Barry 0-1 0-0 0				
Totals 31-73 24-32 94				

## HOUSTON (24)

Miles 1-6 0-0, Boozer 8-17 4-4 20, Okur 5-10
4-4 16, Williams 11-19 2-2 26, Brewer 8-15
3-3 19, Millsap 2-0 0-0 4, Korver 1-3 0-0 2
2, Knight 1-0 0-0 2, Harpring 2-4 0-0 4,
Kirielenko 1-3 4-4 6, Totals 40-80 17-17 101

## Houston 28 27 26 94

3-Point Goals—Houston 8-22 (Artest 5-8,
Brooks 2-5, Lowry 1-2, Landry 0-1, Barry 0-1,
Wafer 0-2, Battler 0-3), Utah 4-13 (Okur 2-4,
Williams 2-5, Brewer 0-1), Miles 0-1, Kirielenko
0-1, Korver 0-1), Fouled Out—Yao, Okur,
Rebounds—Houston 40 (Yao 7), Utah 50
(Boozer 17), Assists—Houston 14 (Yao 6),
Utah 25 (Williams 14), Total Fouls—Houston
18, Utah 29.—19,911 (19,911).

## Mavericks 107, Spurs 102

SAN ANTONIO (102)
Finley 2-8 1-2 5, Duncan 7-21 5-7 19, Bonner
5-8 0-1 11, Parker 15-25 6-7 37, Mason 7-13
5-5 23, Hairston 0-1 0-0 0, Thomas 2-5 0-0 4,
Bowen 1-3 0-0 3, Udoke 0-0 0-0 0, Oberto 0-0
0-0 0, Hill 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 39-85 17-22 102.

## DALLAS (107)

Howard 10-15 5-5 29, Nowitzki 9-15 5-6 24,
Dampier 2-2 5-6 9, Kidd 6-10 2-17, Wright
2-5 1-2 5, Terry 0-0 4-4 17, Singleton 1-2 0-0
2, Barea 0-4 1-2 4, Bass 1-3 2-2 4, Totals 37-
69 24-27 107.

## Cavaliers 91, Bucks 73

MILWAUKEE (73)
Jefferson 10-10 5-6 29, Villanueva 4-12 1-2
9, Elson 0-10 0-0, Sessions 4-4 1-2 10, 1-2
Mbah 1-0-0-0, Serrano 1-2-2, Gudzic 1-3 0-0 2,
Bell 1-5 0-0 3, Allen 2-4 0-0 4, Rindour 0-7 0-0
0, Bogans 1-4 2-2 4, Jones 0-2 0-0 0, Totals
28-75 13-34 73.

## Atlanta (105)

Johnson 9-15 7-23, Vazquez 1-4 4-8 6,
Ilgaskaus 5-7 14 14, Williams 5-9 2-22, 1-5
West 5-11 2-13, Szczerbiak 5-9 0-11, 1-3
Gibson 1-4 0-2, Hickson 1-4 1-2 3, Pavlovic
1-3 0-2, Jackson 0-2 2-2 2, Kinsey 0-0 0-0
0, Totals 31-74 20-29 91.

## Milwaukee 22 26 24 91

3-Point Goals—Milwaukee 4-18 (Jefferson 3-6,
Bell 1-3, Gudzic 0-1, Bogans 0-2, Villanueva
0-3, Rindour 0-3), Cleveland 9-17 (James 4-5,
Williams 3-4, West 1-2, Szczerbiak 1-4,
Gibson 0-2), Fouled Out—None, Rebounds—
Milwaukee 46 (Villanueva 8), Cleveland 54

## Cleveland 22 26 24 91

3-Point Goals—Milwaukee 4-18 (Jefferson 3-6,
Bell 1-3, Gudzic 0-1, Bogans 0-2, Villanueva
0-3, Rindour 0-3), Cleveland 9-17 (James 4-5,
Williams 3-4, West 1-2, Szczerbiak 1-4,
Gibson 0-2), Fouled Out—None, Rebounds—
Milwaukee 46 (Villanueva 8), Cleveland 54

## Knicks 109, Hawks 105

ATLANTA (105)
Smith 7-10 1-3 16, Williams 8-17 1-2 17,
Hoford 9-14 2-20, Bibby 5-13 0-11,
Johnson 6-14 6-7 18, Evans 3-5 0-0 7, Murray
4-9 0-0 10, Pachulia 0-0 3-4, Law 1-1 0-0 3,
Totals 43-83 13-38 105.

## New York (109)

Chandler 7-15 4-18, Harrington 8-18 2-4
20, Lee 4-8 5-13, Duhon 4-9 5-6 14,
Hughes 9-18 3-23, Richardson 0-2 0-0 0,
Wilcox 2-5 0-0 4, Gallinari 6-11 1-17, Totals
40-86 20-25 109.

## Atlanta 26 23 26 30 - 105

3-Point Goals—Atlanta 6-25 (Murray 2-6, Law
1-1, Evans 1-2, Smith 1-2, Bibby 1-5, Johnson
0-4, Williams 1-1, New York 9-22 (Gallinari 4-5,
Hughes 2-4, Harrington 2-5, Duhon 1-4,
Richardson 0-1, Chandler 0-3), Fouled Out—
None, Rebounds—Atlanta 50 (Hoford 13),
New York 46 (Lee 14), Assists—Atlanta 21
(Johnson 6), New York 14 (Duhon 5), Total
Fouls—Atlanta 15, New York 20, Technicals—

# GAME PLAN

## LOCAL

### HIGH SCHOOL

#### BOYS BASKETBALL

##### Class 5A state tournament, at Idaho Center, Nampa

Twin Falls vs. Eagle, 3 p.m.

##### Class 4A state tournament, at Borah HS, Boise

Jerome vs. Mountain Home, 6:15 p.m.

##### Class 3A state tournament, at Meridian HS

Kimberly vs. Shelley, 6:15 p.m.

Filer vs. Priest River, 8 p.m.

##### Class 2A state tournament, at Capital HS, Boise

Glenns

# Dreads locked: Ramirez to stay in L.A.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The winter of discontent in Manny Ramirez is over.

Manny Ramirez and the Los Angeles Dodgers officially agreed Wednesday on a \$45 million, two-year contract that keeps him with the NL West champions. The slugger can void the second season of the deal and again become a free agent.

The stalemate was broken during a 6 a.m. meeting that brought the sides face-to-face at owner Frank McCourt's Malibu home. The gathering came after weeks of protracted negotiations that led to starts, stops, offers and subsequent rejections.

At times, McCourt's frustration with Ramirez's agent Scott Boras surfaced, with the owner describing the agent as "challenging to work with."

All that was forgotten on a rainy late-winter morning when Ramirez surfaced in the

Malibu mist to rejoin the team and city that embraced him after he left Boston at the July 31 trade deadline.

"We got a great meeting," Ramirez told KCAL-TV as he emerged from a mandatory physical in suburban Inglewood. "I'm happy to be here. We got some unfinished business, and that's why I'm here."

The Dodgers confirmed the deal shortly after Ramirez passed the physical. He is set to meet with the media Thursday morning in Phoenix.

Ramirez gets \$10 million this year, and \$15 million in deferred money with no interest, payable in \$5 million installments each Jan. 15 from 2010 through 2012. If it winds up as a two-year deal, he gets \$10 million each season, with three payments of \$8,333,333 each Jan. 15 from 2011-13.

Ramirez has until November to decide whether to void the second season.

Los Angeles' original offer was for \$45 million in guaranteed money, including a \$4 million buyout of a 2011 option, and gave the Dodgers the ability to maintain control of Ramirez over three years. It also did not include the no-trade provision.

Ramirez will make a \$1 million commitment to the Dodgers Dream Foundation as part of the deal.

"We are thrilled that Manny wants to be a Dodger and that he has made such a tremendous commitment to the Los Angeles community," McCourt said in a statement. "We witnessed something very special last year in the way that our fans connected with him and the manner in which the team came together. Now, we focus our complete and undivided attention

on our primary goal, winning a world championship."

The left fielder was believed to be seeking a four- or five-year deal that would take him through the end of his career. He turns 37 in May.

But Ramirez found it tough going in a recession-plagued free agent market, with the Dodgers the only team to acknowledge pursuing the 12-time All-Star.

Ramirez helped Los Angeles win the division by hitting .396 with 17 homers and 53 RBIs in 53 regular-season games. In the playoffs, he batted .520 with four homers, 10 RBIs, nine runs and 11 walks in eight games.

"We all wanted the same thing and that's what was apparent to me," said Dodgers manager Joe Torre, who left spring training in Arizona with general manager Ned Colletti to attend the Malibu get-together.



AP file photo

Manny Ramirez and the Los Angeles Dodgers reached a preliminary agreement Wednesday on a \$45 million, two-year contract following months of talks.

# DESERT DEAL

## Warner, Arizona agree to 2-year, \$23M deal

TEMPE, Ariz. — Kurt Warner wound up right where he wanted to be, with a hefty pay raise to return to the Arizona team he led to the Super Bowl.

The 37-year-old quarterback agreed to terms Wednesday on a two-year, \$23 million contract with the Cardinals.

"I love what we've been doing," Warner said. "I love what we've been building here."

The deal includes a \$15 million signing bonus. Combined with a \$4 million salary for the first year of the contract, \$19 million is guaranteed.

"We're ecstatic about the commitment the organization has made to us," Warner said. "Now it's my job for the next two years to go fulfill my part of the deal."

He believes it's his final NFL contract.

"You never say never," Warner said, "but I'm old."

He had talked about needing time after the season to decide whether to retire, a thought that turned out to be fleeting.

"Probably two days after the Pro Bowl all that was on my mind was football," Warner said. "I told my wife, 'Sorry honey, it's not time.'"

He said he understands that he's getting a lot of money in a time of financial hardship for so many.

"You know the numbers are staggering, and to add to that the economy and where people are struggling, it's tough," Warner said. "But all I know is I've worked hard to get to the point that I'm at, to be in this position and have opportunities like this and I don't regret that fact."

"The fact is that's the market for what I do. I'm fortunate for that and I'm blessed in so many ways."

Warner and his wife Brenda made a highly publicized visit to the San Francisco 49ers on Monday, but he said he knew quickly that he wanted to return to the Cardinals.

### RAVENS REACH AGREEMENT WITH RAY LEWIS, MATT BIRK

OWINGS MILLS, Md. — The Baltimore Ravens brought back a famous Pro Bowl player and added another one, too.

Linebacker Ray Lewis will finish his career with the Ravens after reaching agreement on a multiyear deal with Baltimore, which also agreed with center Matt Birk on Wednesday.

"From beginning to end as a Raven. ... Wow!" To be with the same team with the same fans for an entire career, that doesn't happen in the NFL," Lewis said. "I don't think an athlete can have a greater legacy than to be able to stay in one place for an entire career."

By keeping Lewis, the Ravens fill the void created at inside linebacker when Bart



AP file photo

Kurt Warner is staying with the Arizona Cardinals, agreeing to a two-year, \$23 million contract. The agent for the 37-year-old quarterback said Wednesday that the deal includes a \$15 million signing bonus.

### PRIVATE SEARCH ON FOR MISSING NFL PLAYERS IN GULF

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Private boats and planes searched Wednesday for two NFL players and a third man missing for four days since their boat capsized in the Gulf of Mexico off Florida, family members said.

The Coast Guard called off the official search Tuesday for Oakland Raiders linebacker Marquis Cooper, who owned the boat, free-agent NFL defensive lineman Corey Smith and former South Florida player William Bleakley. But their families appealed for help to keep hunting.

Two or three charters left in the late morning from a St. Petersburg marina and at least one had friends of the families of the missing men aboard, said Don Beggs, who owns one of the local docks. Three private planes also had searched, according to Cooper's father, Bruce Cooper.

A fourth man on the fishing trip, Nick Schuyler, was rescued Monday after crews found him clinging to the boat. His doctor said it's a "miracle." Schuyler survived in the cold water for nearly two days after the boat carrying the men on a fishing trip overturned in rough seas off the Florida coast Saturday. Dr. Mark Rumbak said the 24-year-old is in good condition but will remain in intensive care in case there are complications. Schuyler was in 63-degree Gulf of Mexico water for around 46 hours and probably could have lived only another five to 10 hours if he wasn't rescued Monday, Rumbak said. "I think he is extremely fortunate having been in the water for 46, 47 hours and that he's even alive," Rumbak said. "I can't explain it. Some divine providence, I really think."

Scott signed with the New York Jets.

"We got better today. Our football team got better. I am very happy," general manager Ozzie Newsome said. "This will allow Ray to finish his career as a Raven."

Birk replaces last year's starting center, Jason Brown,

who signed a five-year, \$37.5 million contract with the St. Louis Rams.

"To add a player like Matt, who will also give us outstanding leadership, makes us a better team," coach John Harbaugh said. "We're not standing pat. We're moving forward and getting better."

### BENGALS REACH DEAL WITH WR COLES

CINCINNATI — All the Cincinnati Bengals needed was one day to replace their top receiver.

The Bengals agreed to a four-year deal with former Jets receiver Laveranues Coles on Wednesday, a day after T.J. Houshmandzadeh left for Seattle as a free agent and suggested the team wasn't sincere about keeping him around.

Coles didn't get the opposite impression.

"The Bengals were very aggressive right from the start in talking to us," Coles said, in a statement released by the team. "And when a team makes you feel really wanted, that's a factor you're not going to ignore. They said, 'Let's get this worked out,' and we did."

The Jets let the 31-year-old receiver leave as a free agent last week, restructuring his contract to make it easier. Coles had another year left on his deal, but wanted a multi-year extension. As part of a compromise, he became an unrestricted free agent and the team didn't have to pay \$6 million that was guaranteed him this season.

ESPN reported that the deal with Cincinnati was worth \$28 million. Coles also visited Buffalo last week.

— The Associated Press

## MWC proposes college football playoff plan

NEW YORK (AP) — The Mountain West Conference wants to lead the fight for a major college football playoff.

The MWC presented the BCS with a proposal Wednesday to create an eight-team playoff system that would allow greater access to the national championship game to teams outside the six most powerful leagues.

Commissioner Craig Thompson and four university leaders from the MWC announced details on a conference call and the entire 2½-page proposal was posted on the league's Web site.

"I will put this as bluntly as I can," said Tom Buchanan, University of Wyoming president and chairman of the MWC board of directors. "We all believe that change is needed. The current system is not fair and somebody needs to stand up and say that and ask for dialogue amongst all the parties involved."

"Our goal is to find a system that is best for college football."

The next BCS meeting is scheduled for April in Pasadena, Calif.

"I would strongly suggest

this will be a conversation topic," Thompson said.

Thompson would not speculate how the proposal will be received, but the chances of it being met with anything other than a resounding 'No thank you' from the commissioners of the six automatic qualifying conferences seems remote — at best.

"We have received the Mountain West proposal," BCS coordinator and ACC commissioner John Swofford said in a statement. "Some of these ideas or similar ones have been addressed before in BCS meetings. We will make sure that the proposal has a full airing by the commissioners and presidents, and we will respond to the Mountain West at the conclusion of those discussions."

The Bowl Championship Series last summer shot down a proposal brought by Southeastern Conference commissioner Mike Slive that would have created a four-team playoff.

One of the reasons commissioners from the Big East, Big 12, Pac-10 and Big Ten gave for being against the so-called plus-one model Slive presented was a fear that any playoff system would inevitably expand.

## Rory McIlroy's tour set to continue at Honda Classic

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. — Rory McIlroy is going through his schedule, sounding remarkably unimpressed.

Honda Classic this week. Doral next week. A quick trip home. Back to the United States for a round at Augusta National, maybe even a practice round with Tiger Woods in there somewhere.

It's a glitzy itinerary for just about any pro golfer. For the 19-year-old from Northern Ireland, it's somehow no big deal.

"I just go out and play golf, talk about what I've been doing, and everything else takes care of itself," McIlroy said.

He makes it all sound simple.

Golf's latest Next Big Thing is at PGA National this week, where Sergio Garcia, Camilo Villegas and defending champion Ernie Els headline the field at the Honda. But there's going to be plenty of eyes on the teen, who's already No. 16 in the world rankings and gave eventual champion Geoff Ogilvy all he wanted last week at Match Play before losing 2 and 1 in the quarterfinals.

McIlroy has already won at Dubai, and with a victory this week or at Doral, could become the PGA Tour's youngest winner.

"He's what I was 10 years ago," Garcia said.

As almost always, the

South Florida wind is blowing. The greens are even a touch quicker than last year and many are convinced that if anyone matches Els' 6-under 274 from a year ago, he will be the guy walking away with \$1,008,000 on Sunday.

### OCHOA TO DEFEND HSBC CHAMPIONS CROWN IN SINGAPORE

SINGAPORE — Fresh from winning her opening tournament of the season, No. 1-ranked Lorena Ochoa will defend her crown this week in Asia's richest women's golf tournament, the \$2 million HSBC Women's Champions in Singapore.

Ochoa, who won here last year by 11 strokes, will take on 34 of the 40 top-ranked players in the 78-woman field, including Americans Paula Creamer, Angela Stanford, Cristie Kerr, and Natalie Gulbis at the par-72, 6,547-yard Tanah Merah Country Club course.

Ochoa is also eyeing a group of young Asian stars, including world No. 2 Yani Tseng of Taiwan, after winning her 25th career title at last week's Honda LPGA Thailand.

"It's great that now there's a whole new generation of players to challenge me," said Ochoa, a 27-year-old from Mexico. "All of them are very young, and they're not afraid."

— The Associated Press



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On Tuesday, the 16th day of June, 2009, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. of said day at Land Title and Escrow, 706 Main St., Gooding, in the County of Gooding, State of Idaho, Charles W. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Gooding, State of Idaho, and described as follows: to wit: LOT 1 AND THE WEST 53 FEET OF LOT 2, REGAL ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WENDELL, GOODING 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 Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60 113, Idaho Code, the Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 125 6th Ave. E., Wendell, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by GERALD A. EVENSON and BETTY J. EVENSON, Husband and Wife, Grantor, to Charles W. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of BANNER BANK, recorded January 18, 2008, as Instrument No. 224952, Mortgage records of Gooding County, Idaho; and assigned to the Idaho Housing and Finance Association by Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on February 5, 2008, as Instrument No. 225178, and re-recorded on April 8, 2008, as Instrument No. 225959, Mortgage records of Gooding County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS 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 (1) the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated January 17, 2008, in the amount of \$1,146.00 each, for the months August, 2008, through January, 2009, inclusive; and for each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reimbursement; and (2) the failure to occupy the premises as required by the Addendum to the Deed of Trust. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 5.66% per annum from July 1, 2008. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$134,276.30, plus accrued interest at the rate of 5.66% per annum from July 1, 2008. DATED This 9th day of February, 2009. CHARLES W. FAWCETT, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

PUBLISH: Feb 12, 19, 26 and March 5, 2009

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 14, 2009 File No.: 7777.28581 Sale date and time (local time): June 17, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of Land Title and Escrow, 706 Main Street, Gooding, ID 83330 Property address: 1901 Airport Rd Gooding, ID 83330 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Luis A. Leon, an unmarried man Original trustee: Gooding Title & Escrow Company Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Financial Idaho, Inc. Recording date: August 13, 2007 Recorder's instrument number: 222959, re-recorded on August 29, 2007 as Instrument No. 223168 County: Gooding Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 14, 2009: \$154,949.88 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: Township 6 South, Range 14 East of the Boise Meridian, Gooding County, Idaho. Section 11: A tract of land located in the NW1/4NW1/4 more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest Corner of Section 11 marked with an aluminum survey cap set by the Idaho Transportation Department; thence South 89 degrees 56'59" East 1309.78 feet along the Northernly boundary of Section 11 to the Northeast Corner of NW1/4NW1/4 marked with an aluminum survey cap and steel pin; thence South 0 degrees 15'08" East 40.00 feet along the Easterly boundary of NW1/4NW1/4 to the Southerly Right of Way boundary for State Highway 20-26; thence North 89 degrees 56'59" West 60.00 feet along said Right-of-way to the Westerly boundary of the "Gooding Access Road", the True Point of Beginning; thence North 89 degrees 56'59" West 612.00 feet along the Southerly boundary of State Highway 20-26; thence South 0 degrees 15'08" East 24.00 feet to a non-tangent curve; thence 819.35 feet Southeastly along the arc of a curve right having a radius 838.00 feet and a chord of South 53 degrees 27'40" East 764.20 feet to the Westerly boundary of the Gooding County Airport Access Road; thence North 0 degrees 15'08" West 478.54 feet along said access boundary to the True Point of Beginning. Excepting therefrom the East 60 feet conveyed to the City of Gooding, a municipal corporation recorded December 2, 1944 in Book 37 of Quitclaim deeds Page 106 as Instrument Number 91859, records of Gooding County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7777.28581) 1002.111502-FEI

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/s/ Maria Lickley, Clerk  
Jerome Highway District

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## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 14, 2009 File No.: 7777.28432 Sale date and time (local time): June 18, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 199 Country Lane, Jerome, ID 83338 Property address: 1422 North Elm Street Jerome, ID 83338 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: Agnes M. Benavides and Moises K. Benavides, wife and husband Original trustee: First American Title Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. solely as nominee for New Century Mortgage Corporation Recording date: October 16, 2006 Recorder's instrument number: 2066357 County: Jerome Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 14, 2009: \$128,697.60 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot 1 in Block 7 of Jerome Estates Subdivision Phase 1, Jerome County, Idaho, recorded June 29, 2005 as Instrument No. 2053455. 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# 7777.28432) 1002.111541-FEI

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## NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO WATER RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given that an application has been filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources for changes to water rights within Cassia County by BIG SKY DAIRY, PO BOX 407; JEROME ID 83338. Application No. 75396 proposes to change the point of diversion for one well in the east part of the property to a different location closer to the center of the dairy. The well being replaced was authorized under an approved transfer in 2006, but was never drilled. The well will provide water for both irrigation and dairy uses, as will the two existing wells on the property. The new well will be located about 14 miles SW of Burley. For specific details regarding an application, please contact IDWR Southern Regional Office at 208-736-3033 or visit the website for the Department at <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WR-Filing.asp> Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Protests against approval must be filed with IDWR, Southern Region, 1341 Fillmore St., Suite 200; Twin Falls, ID 83301 with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before March 18, 2009. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant. David R. Tutill, JR., Director

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## REGULAR SESSION, FEBRUARY 2, 2009

This is a summary of the Gooding County Board of Commissioners minutes. Copies in their entirety are on file in the office of the Gooding County Clerk.

Chairman Faulkner convened the regular session with Commissioner Williams, Commissioner Edwards and the Chief Deputy Clerk, Diane Houser present.

### LIQUOR LICENSE

Commissioner Faulkner opened the hearing to allow consumption of beer and wine on premises for the Pit Stop in Wendell according to Idaho Code. No one appeared at hearing except owner of The Pit Stop, Mr. Becker. Commissioner Williams made the motion to approve the selling on premises. Commissioner Faulkner seconded. Commissioners approved renewal of the Thunderbird Café Liquor License.

**BUILDING INSPECTOR-CITY OF WENDELL.** Commissioner Faulkner made a motion to sign the Agreement with the City of Wendell for building inspector services and fees.

### INDIGENT MENTAL HEALTH

Tracy Mangrim Elmore County Prosecutors Office, Brenda Grupe Mental Health Region 5, Luvorne Shull Gooding County Deputy Prosecutor, Calvin Campbell Gooding County Prosecutor, John Horgan Jerome County Prosecutor, Duke Morton City of Gooding Mayor, Dr. Adrian Dean and Judy Dean join the commissioners to discuss the proposal for Designated Examiners service.

### INDIGENT

Commissioner Edwards moved to go into an executive session pursuant to IC§31-874 to consider indigent matters.

### MINUTES

Commissioner Williams moved to approve the minutes for January 12th, 15th, 26th and 29th, 2009.

Commissioner Edwards moved to adjourn meeting. Commissioner Faulkner seconded motion. Motion carried.  
/s/Helen P. Edwards, Commissioner  
/s/Terrell Williams, Commissioner  
/s/Tom Faulkner, Chairman  
Attest: /s/Denise M. Gil, Clerk

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## NOTICE OF SALE

Buhl Storage, 801 Barsness, Buhl, ID will sell to Auction service or dispose of as we deem necessary after March 10, 2009 the contents belonging to: Sheila Kuykendall, 350 E. Dogwood, Apt. B, Hermiston, OR 97838.

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## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MINIDOKA MAGISTRATE DIVISION

Case No. CV 2008-101  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
In the interest of the Estate of  
**MARLENE EVELYN FREDRICKSON,**  
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims shall be presented to Kenneth E. Fredrickson, Personal Representative of the estate at GOODMAN LAW OFFICE, 717 7th Street, PO Box D, Rupert, Idaho and must be filed with the Court.  
DATED This 10th day of February, 2009.  
/s/Kenneth E. Fredrickson

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## Jerome County Commissioners Minutes April, May & June 2008

This is a synopsis of the approved minutes; the complete minutes are on record and can be reviewed at the office of the Jerome County Clerk, 300 North Lincoln, Jerome, ID 83338.

- April 7, 2008 - Admin. matters; Indigent; Ordinance No. 2008-2 signed
- April 14, 2008 - Admin. matters; Indigent; Update Chapter 13; Snake River Canyons Park
- April 15, 2008 - Admin. matters; Claims \$681,139.95 SR Sub:#2 Plat Ext.; BLR final plat; P&Z Commissioner
- April 21, 2008 - Admin. matters; Airport fencing; SCPH budget request; Indigent
- April 22, 2008 - Admin. matters; Indigent; NSS&C Budget request; UR; Res. No.2008-7 adopted
- April 29, 2008 - Admin. Matters; claims \$428,229.31; Res. No.2008-8 adopted (M&P); Impact Fees prop.; Codifiers
- May 5, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Jail study; Indigent; PD Matters
- May 12, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Jail study; annex fire Code
- May 13, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Claims \$556,701.49; Noxious weeds
- May 19, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Budget requests; Res. No.2008-9 Adopted; Indigent; Election costs
- May 20, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Crossroads East prelim plat signed
- May 28, 2008 - Admins. Matters; Weigt JCZO map amend; Canyon Crest PUD
- June 2, 2008 - Admin. Matters; canvass of votes
- June 3, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Impact fees; Weight re-zone; Canyon Crest; Region IV grant
- June 9, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Impact fees; SC-CAP; Indigent
- June 10, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Claims \$1,055,383.05; Anasazi
- June 16, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Badger Medical; Impact Fees; Indigent
- June 17, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Sunridge #4; Ordinance No. 2008-3 signed
- June 23, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Devil's Corral Road; Indigent
- June 24, 2008 - Admin. Matters; P&Z Projects; Impact fees; BOE
- June 30, 2008 - Admin. Matters; Indigent; Jail study; BOE

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Loan No. xxxxxx2553  
T.S. No. 1188912-09  
Parcel No. rpj13701460070a

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On May 19, 2009, at the hour of 11:00a.m. of said day, at At the front entrance of first American Title Company, 199 Country Lane, Jerome, Idaho, First American Title Insurance Company, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier's check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Jerome, state of Idaho, and described as follows: to wit: Lot 7 in block 146, Jerome Townsite, Jerome County, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the office of the county recorder of said county. Commonly known as 227 West Avenue F Jerome ID 83338. 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 the Deed of Trust executed by Tom Vaughn, An Unmarried Person as Grantor, to Land Title and Escrow, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as Beneficiary, recorded April 10, 2007, as Instrument No. 2072105, Mortgage 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: Failure to pay the monthly payment due September 1, 2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$49,915.22, including interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale, and trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. First American Title Insurance Company C/o Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation P.O. Box 22004 El Cajon Ca 92022-9004 (800)546-1531 Dated: January 15, 2009 Signature/By First American Title Insurance Company. R-217851

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Bureau of Land Management

### Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Sale of Public Land, Idaho

**SUMMARY:** The following described public land in Blaine County, Idaho, has been found suitable for disposal by direct sale to Helios Development, LLC, under the authority of Sections 203 and 209 of the Federal Land Policy Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA), at no less than the appraised fair market value: Boise Meridian, T. 4 N., R. 17 E., Section 13: Lot 5. The area described contains 1.62 acres in Blaine County. The 1981 BLM Sun Valley Framework Management Plan (MFP) had identified this parcel for potential disposal; thus allowing it to qualify for disposal under the Federal Land Transaction Facilitation Act (FLTFA). The FLTFA directs the revenues generated from the sale or disposal of lands identified for disposal in land use plans as of July 25, 2000, to an account that can be used by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), the U.S. Forest Service, the National Park Service, and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, to purchase lands located within federally designated areas or with higher resources from willing sellers. It has been determined that the subject parcel contains no known mineral values; therefore, mineral interests will be conveyed simultaneously. The patent, when issued, will contain a right-of-way thereon for all ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States under the Act of August 30, 1890, 43 U.S.C. 945. On the date of publication of the Notice of Realty Action in the Federal Register the above-described land will be segregated from appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining laws, except the sale provisions of the FLPMA. Until completion of the sale, the BLM is no longer accepting land use applications affecting the identified public land, except applications for the amendment of previously-filed right-of-way applications or existing authorizations to increase the term of the grants in accordance with 43 CFR 2807.15 and 2886.15. The segregative effect will terminate upon issuance of a patent, publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER of a termination of the segregation, or 2 years after date of publication in the Federal Register unless extended by the BLM State Director in accordance with 43 CFR 2711.1-2(d) prior to the termination date.

The land will not be offered for sale until at least 60 days after the date of this notice. For a period of 45 days from March 3, 2009, interested parties may submit comments.

**COMMENTS:** Interested parties and the general public may submit in writing any comments concerning the land being considered for sale to Tara Hagen, Realty Specialist, BLM Shoshone Field Office, at the following address. In order to ensure consideration comments need to be received by April 17, 2009. In the absence of timely objections, this proposal shall become the final determination of the Department of the Interior. Comments transmitted via e-mail will not be accepted. Comments, including names and street addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the BLM Shoshone Field Office during regular business hours, except holidays. Individual respondents may request confidentiality. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment including your personal identifying information may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. If you wish to have your name or address withheld from public disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comments. Any determination by the BLM to release or withhold the names and/or addresses of those who comment will be made on a case-by-case basis. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowed by law. The BLM will make available for public review, in their entirety, all comments submitted by businesses or organizations, including comments by individuals in their capacity as an official or representative of a business or organization. (Authority: 43 CFR 2711.1-2)

**ADDRESSES:** Address all comments and request for further information concerning this Notice to Tara Hagen, Realty Specialist, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Shoshone Field Office, 400 West F Street, Shoshone, Idaho 83352; (208) 732-7205.  
/s/Lori A. Armstrong  
Shoshone Field Manager

PUBLISH: March 5, 2009

## PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Idaho Code 50-1807, the Jerome City Mayor and Council shall meet on March 17th, 2009 to correct the 2009 City Irrigation Assessments. Said meeting shall be held at the Jerome City Council Chambers at 5:30 pm on the 17th day of March, 2009.

The Irrigation Assessment Roll is maintained in the Office of the City Clerk at Jerome City Hall, 152 East Avenue A, Jerome, Idaho for inspection. Any interested person is invited to attend said meeting.  
Kathy Cone  
City Clerk

PUBLISH: March 5 and 12, 2009

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 5, 2009 File No.: 7023.18555 Sale date and time (local time): June 08, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 199 Country Lane, Jerome, ID 83338 Property address: 1422 Summer Pl Jerome, ID 83338 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: Robert S. Rich Jr. and Abby R. Rich, husband and wife Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company of Ada County Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: May 31, 2006 Recorder's instrument number: 2063118 County: Jerome Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 5, 2009: \$181,620.23 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot 18 in Block 2 of Tiger Hills Subdivision located in part of the E1/2 NE1/4 of Section 18, Township 8 South, Range 17 East Boise Meridian, as same is platted in the official plat thereof, recorded May 6, 2002 as Instrument number 2022250, records of Jerome County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.18555) 1002.110438-FEI

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CASSIA**  
 Case No. CV-2009-196  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
 IN THE Matter of the Estate of  
**NORMAN HYRUM POULTON,**  
 Deceased.  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Tanya Nix has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedents or his estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, or filed with the Clerk of the Court.  
 DATED this 23rd day of February, 2009.  
 TANYA NIX  
 c/o Alfred E. Barrus  
 Attorney at Law  
 PO Box 487  
 Burley, Idaho 83318  
 PUBLISH: March 5, 12 and 19, 2009

**NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE**  
 Case No. CV-09-217  
 A Petition to change the name of Charles D McCullough, born September 13, 1975, in Killeen, Texas, residing at 2233 Almo Ave., #36, Burley, has been filed in Cassia County District Court, Idaho. The name will change to Chuck D. Heins. I want to change my name because my step-parent raised me. The petitioner's father is living/unknown if living and his address is unknown. The petitioner's mother is living and her address is 1951 Pleasant View Lane, Burley, Idaho 83318. A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 1:30 o'clock PM on April 15, 2009 at the County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can show the court a good reason against the name change.  
 Date: March 2, 2009  
 By Deputy Clerk  
 PUBLISH: March 5, 12, 19 and 26, 2009

**REGULAR SESSION, FEBRUARY 9, 2009**  
 This is summary of the Board of County Commissioners minutes. Copies in their entirety are on file in the office of the Gooding County Clerk. Chairman Faulkner convened the regular session with Commissioner Williams, Commissioner Edwards and the Clerk, Denise Gill present.  
**CLAIMS**  
 Commissioner Williams moved to approve the claims. Commissioner Edwards seconded the motion. Motion carried.  
**JUVENILE PROBATION**  
 Carol Johnson, Juvenile Probation Administrator, discussed the vacancy of the Juvenile Probation secretary and her plans to fill the position.  
**CELL PHONES**  
 Sheriff Gough requested to reimburse the deputies \$20.00 per month for the usage of their personal cell phones for county business instead of providing county cell phones.  
**PLANNING AND ZONING**  
 Judy Davis, P&Z Administrator, reported on the last Planning and Zoning meeting  
**COURTHOUSE SECURITY**  
 Commissioner Edwards moved to allow an additional \$1025.00 for the security system; conditional upon a one year warranty  
 Board recessed for lunch. Board reconvened with Commissioner Faulkner absent.  
**FISCAL YEAR 2008 AUDIT**  
 Rick Basterrechea, CPA with Jones, France, Basterrechea & Brush, presented the FY08 audit. Mr. Basterrechea reported that they did not find any material deficiencies. The county is financially sound but slightly less than in FY07.  
**INDIGENT**  
 Commissioner Williams moved to go into an executive session pursuant to IC§31-874 to consider indigent matters.  
**DISTRICT COURT**  
 Judge Wood thanked the board for repairing the courthouse security system and the additional camera in the courtroom.  
**PLANNING & ZONING DECISION**  
 The Board deliberated on the Aardema Jersey appeal of the Planning & Zoning decision of denial.  
**WATERWAYS GRANT**  
 Commissioner Faulkner moved to allow the chair to sign the grant application for waterways.  
**CLAIMS**  
 The Board reviewed claims from the extension office. Commissioner Edwards will discuss with Cindy Kinder regarding the need to be conservative during these difficult economic times and that prior approval is necessary.  
**GOODING COUNTY AMBULANCE DISTRICT**  
 The board approved the renewal of 24-7 EMS educational material for one year.  
 Commissioner Edwards moved to adjourn meeting. Commissioner Faulkner seconded motion. Motion carried.  
 /s/Helen P. Edwards, Commissioner  
 /s/Terrell Williams, Commissioner  
 /s/Tom Faulkner, Chairman  
 Attest:/s/Denise M. Gill, Clerk  
 PUBLISH: March 5, 2009

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 On June 15th 2009 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. on said day, at the front door of Land Title and Escrow, Inc., 211 West 13th Street, Burley, ID 83318.  
 Bruce J. Blohowiak, 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 same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Cassia, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: Lot 7 and 8 in Block 151 of the Burley Townsite, 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 DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60 113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: 1435 Miller Ave., Burley, ID 83318, MAY SOMETIMES BE 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 **FRANK, D. SELF AND APRIL D. SELF**, Husband and Wife, as Grantors to **LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, INC.**, as original Trustee, and **FIRST FRANKLIN FINANCIAL CORP.**, a SUBSIDIARY OF **NAT. CITY BANK OF INDIANA** as Beneficiary, on that certain Deed of Trust dated October 20th 2004 and recorded as Instrument Number 298784 Records of Cassia County, Idaho. The beneficial interest of which was assigned to **LASALLE BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION**, AS TRUSTEE FOR **MERRILL LYNCH MORTGAGE INVESTORS TRUST, MORTGAGE LOAN ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, 2006-FF1** by an instrument dated May 17th 2007 as Instrument number 316542, Records of Cassia 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 failure to pay, when due, under said Deed of Trust Note, monthly, principal, interest taxes and insurance payments in an amount not less than \$635.71 for the month of October 2008, and each month thereafter together with accrued late charges and other costs and fees as provided by the Deed of Trust Note and Deed of Trust; and the principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$54,050.03 as of September 1st 2008, excluding interest and costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations there under or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.  
 Dated: 2/9/2009  
 By: Bruce J. Blohowiak, Successor Trustee  
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 137 West 13th Street  
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 Idaho State Bar #849  
 Attorneys for Petitioner  
 (LarsenBobbie/RobertNOH.doc)

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CASSIA MAGISTRATE DIVISION**  
 Case No. CV 2009-128  
**NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE HEARING PETITION TO DETERMINE SURVIVING SPOUSE IS SOLE BENEFICIARY**  
 Estate of **ROBERT S. LARSEN,**  
 Deceased  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Bobbie J. Larsen has filed a Petition for a Decree determining that she was the sole beneficiary of the decedent.  
 Hearing has been set upon the Petition on the 23rd day of March 2009, at 11:00 o'clock A.M. at the courtroom of the above-entitled court in Burley, County of Cassia, State of Idaho.  
 DATED this 5th day of February, 2009.  
 /s/ Bobbie J. Larsen  
**BOBBIE J. LARSEN**  
 Petitioner  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 10, 2009 File No.: 7023.17663 Sale date and time (local time): June 12, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Cassia County Courthouse, 1459 Overland Ave. Burley, ID 83318 Property address: **626 South 55 East Burley, ID 83323** 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: **Salvador Mendoza**, a married person and **Adrian Mendoza**, a single person Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: October 4, 2006 Recorder's instrument number: 311249 County: Cassia Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 10, 2009: \$86,451.44 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: Township 11 South, Range 24 East of the Boise Meridian, Cassia County, Idaho. Section 30: N1/2 NE1/4 NE1/4 SE1/4 NE1/4. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at [www.northwest-trustee.com](http://www.northwest-trustee.com) or [USA-Foreclosure.com](http://USA-Foreclosure.com). The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.17663) 1002.110888-FE1  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 11, 2009 File No.: 7023.19180 Sale date and time (local time): June 12, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Cassia County Courthouse, 1459 Overland Ave. Burley, ID 83318 Property address: **00 South Hwy 77 Delco, ID 83323** 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: **Gregory S. Matthews and Sheri K. Matthews**, husband and wife Original trustee: Land Title & Escrow, Inc. Original beneficiary: **ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc.** Recording date: May 2, 2002 Recorder's instrument number: 281277 County: Cassia Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 11, 2009: \$95,614.46 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: Township 10 South, Range 24 East of the Boise Meridian, Cassia County, Idaho. Section 23: Part of the SW1/4 SW1/4, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the SW1/4 SW1/4 which point shall be known as the True Point of Beginning; thence East along the South section line for 342 feet; thence North 210 feet; thence West 342 feet to the West section line of said Section 23; thence South 210 feet to the True Point of Beginning. Excepting therefrom that portion deeded to the State of Idaho for highway purposes. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at [www.northwest-trustee.com](http://www.northwest-trustee.com) or [USA-Foreclosure.com](http://USA-Foreclosure.com). The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.19180) 1002.110938-FE1  
 PUBLISH: Feb 19, 26, March 5 and 12, 2009

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 On June 12th 2009 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. on said day, at the front door of Land Title & Escrow, Inc. 710 G. Street, Rupert ID, 83350.  
 Bruce J. Blohowiak, 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 same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Minidoka, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:  
 Lot 8 SAVE AND EXCEPT the Westerly 25 feet, and all of Lot 9 in Block 25 of the First State Addition to the City of Heyburn, Minidoka County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, now of file in the office of the County Recorder, Minidoka County, Idaho.  
**THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60 113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: 1730 17th St., Heyburn, Idaho 83336, MAY SOMETIMES BE 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 **ROBYN TACHELL, AND ADAM L. TACHELL** as TRUSTORS to **LAND TITLE AND ESCROW** as original Trustee, and **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC (MERS)** the Beneficiary acting solely as the nominee for **FIRST FRANKLIN FINANCIAL CORP., AN OP SUB OF ML&T CO.** FSB on that certain Deed of Trust dated January 5th 2007 and recorded January 12th 2007 under Minidoka County Recorder's No. 489717. The beneficial interest of which has been assigned to LaSalle Bank National Association, as Trustee for Merrill Lynch First Franklin Mortgage Loan Trust, Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-1. **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 failure to pay, when due, under said Deed of Trust Note, monthly, principal, interest taxes and insurance payments in an amount not less than \$417.07 for the month of September 2008 and each month thereafter together with accrued late charges and other costs and fees as provided by the Deed of Trust Note and Deed of Trust; and the principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$49,341.58 excluding interest and costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations there under or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.  
 Dated: 2/10/2009  
 By: Bruce J. Blohowiak, Successor Trustee  
 PUBLISH: Feb 12, 19, 26 and March 5, 2009

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 T.S. No.: ID-172334-C Loan No.: 0591707401 A.P.N.: RP002980010030 A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, **PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC** the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 5/14/2009 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), On the front steps of the Jerome County Courthouse located at 300 N Lincoln, Jerome ID 83338, 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 and personal property, situated in the County of Jerome, State of Idaho, and described as follows: **LOT 3, BLOCK 1, AMENDED HERITAGE ESTATES SUBDIVISION, JEROME COUNTY, IDAHO ACCORDING TO THE AMENDED PLAT FILED MARCH 5, 1997, AS INSTRUMENT NUMBER 970809, JEROME COUNTY RECORDS.** The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address sometimes associated with said real property is: **490 CLOVER LANE JEROME, Idaho 83338** 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: **CHRISTOPHER D. PHILLIPS**, AN UNMARRIED PERSON, as grantors, to **TITLEFACT, INC.**, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR LENDER GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION**, as Beneficiary, dated 3/24/2006, recorded 3/28/2006, as Instrument No. 2061707 and re-recorded , records of Jerome County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO 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 and Note dated 3/24/2006. The monthly payments for Principal, interest and impounds (if applicable) of 697.66, due per month from 8/1/2008 through 5/14/2009, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$86,865.08, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.5% 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. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: 1/12/2009 **PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC** By Executive Trustee Services, As Attorney in Fact Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727 ASAP# 2969008  
 PUBLISH: March 5, 12, 19 and 26, 2009

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 On Wednesday, the 1st day of July, 2009, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m., of said day, in the lobby of the Lincoln County Courthouse, 111 West B Street, Shoshone, Idaho, **LAND TITLE & ESCROW, INC.**, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the real property situate in the County of Lincoln, State of Idaho, more particularly described as follows to-wit:  
 Township 6 South, Range 17 EBM, Lincoln County, Idaho  
 Section 2: A parcel of land located in the N1/2SW1/4, more particularly described as follows:  
 Commencing at the Southwest corner of said Section 2, from which the West one quarter (W1/4) corner bears North 00°19' 25" East, 2650.71 feet;  
 THENCE, North 00°19' 25" East along the West boundary of the SW1/4 of Section 2 for a distance of 1325.36 feet to the Southwest corner of the NWSW of Section 2;  
 THENCE, South 89°42' 02" East along the South boundary of the NWSW of Section 2 for a distance of 961.34 feet to a point on the arc of a curve on the Easterly right-of-way boundary of Highway U.S. 93 and being the True Point of Beginning;  
 THENCE, Northeasterly along the Easterly right-of-way boundary of Highway U.S. 93 on the arc of the curve right for a distance of 306.60 feet, said arc having a radius of 7463.90 feet and a long chord bearing and distance of North 16°16' 20" East 306.58 feet;  
 THENCE, leaving the Easterly right-of-way boundary of Highway U.S. 93 on a bearing of South 89°41' 54" East for a distance of 240.64 feet;  
 THENCE, South 00°17' 58" West for a distance of 294.73 feet to a point on the South boundary of the NWSW of Section 2;  
 THENCE, North 89°42' 02" West along the South boundary of the NWSW of Section 2 for a distance of 325.00 feet to the True Point of Beginning.  
 For purposes of complying with Idaho Code §60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **313 North Dorothy Street, Shoshone, Idaho 83352**, may sometimes be associated with said 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 **ARMANDO GIL-SALINAS**, an unmarried man; **MARIA CARMEN C. SANCHEZ**, an unmarried woman; **SERGIO CORDOBA** and **REYNA CORDOBA**, husband and wife, to **LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, INC.**, an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of **JOSEPH G. ANDREASEN** as beneficiary, which Deed of Trust was dated October 26, 2006 and recorded November 2, 2006, as Instrument No. 181993 of the Official Records of Lincoln County, Idaho. The above Grantor is named to comply with 45-1506(4)(a) Idaho Code. No representation is made that she is, or is not, presently responsible for this obligation.  
 The default for which this sale is made is a failure to pay monthly installments as set forth on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust in the amount of Three Hundred Ninety-Six and 40/100 Dollars (\$396.40) per month for the months of November 2008 through February 2009, together with subsequent money advanced until the date of such sale or payment. The accrued interest is at the rate of ten percent (10%) annum from November 1, 2008. The balance due, as of February 12, 2009, including interest, but excluding attorney fees, trustee's fees and costs associated with the foreclosure is Twenty-Eight Thousand Eighty-Three and 29/100 Dollars (\$28,083.29) together with interest thereon which is accruing at the rate of Seven and 40/100 Dollars (\$7.40) per day from February 12, 2009 until the date of sale.  
 DATED this 25th day of February, 2009.  
**LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, INC.**  
 By: /s/Becky Shubert - Vice-President - Manager  
 PUBLISH: March 5, 12, 29 and 26, 2009

**CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO**  
**SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE REPEALING GENERAL PENALTIES AND ADOPTING ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES APPLICABLE TO CASSIA COUNTY CODE.**  
**ORDINANCE NO. 2009-03-01**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CASSIA COUNTY, REPEALING THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 4, TITLE 1, CASSIA COUNTY CODE IN ITS ENTIRETY AND ADOPTING PROVISIONS FOR ENFORCEMENT, PENALTIES, APPLICATION OF PROVISIONS, AND LIABILITY OF OFFICERS AS APPLIES TO THE CASSIA COUNTY CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**  
**ARTICLE 1: SUMMARY OF PRINCIPAL PROVISIONS.**  
**Section 1.** Enforcement. This section authorizes the county prosecutor and/or county administrator to enforce the provisions of the Cassia County Code. It defines violations and declares them to be subject to penalty provided by Chapter 4, Title 1, Cassia County Code and other provisions of law.  
**Section 2.** The second Section sets forth penalties. Infraction penalties, misdemeanor penalties and public nuisances are set forth.  
**Section 3.** The third section discusses application of provisions. The application of penalties is to every section of Cassia County Code and ordinance of the County. It provides a separate offense for each day that a duty or obligation remains unperformed or an act continues in violation. It provides that the county can proceed with action to abate code violations as nuisance actions. It clarifies that the county must elect, if different sections apply, which section to proceed with, and that there will only be one recovery for the same offense. It applies chapter 4 to violations of code that do not declare specific fine or penalty. It provides right of entry to county agents is attached to any county issued license, permit, or variance to enforce provisions of code, ordinance or provisions attached to license, permit or variance.  
**Section 4.** The fourth section applies to liability of county officers. It provides that no county agent shall be liable for fine or penalty for failure to perform duty unless such fine or penalty is specifically and clearly expressed in the code.  
**ARTICLE 2: FULL TEXT AVAILABILITY**  
 The full text of the Chapter 4: Enforcement and Penalties chapter of Cassia County Code is available at the Cassia County Administrative Office, Room 4 Basement of Courthouse, 1459 Overland Avenue, Burley, Idaho. A copy will be provided to any citizen, upon personal request during usual business hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excepting County recognized holidays.  
**ARTICLE 3: EFFECTIVE DATE**  
 This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in accordance with law.  
**DATED this 2nd day of March, 2009.**  
**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO**  
 Dennis D. Crane, Chairman  
 Paul Christensen, Commissioner  
 Clay D. Handy, Commissioner  
 ATTEST:  
 Larry A. Mickelsen, Clerk  
**COUNTY CLERK'S STATEMENT**  
 I, the undersigned County Clerk for Cassia County, Idaho hereby certify that the foregoing Summary of Ordinance 2009-03-01, an Ordinance of Cassia County, Idaho adopting Enforcement and Penalties for Cassia County, Idaho, is a true and complete summary of said ordinance and provides adequate notice to the public of said provisions.  
**DATED this 2nd day of March, 2009.**  
**CLERK OF THE BOARD**  
 Larry A. Mickelsen, Clerk  
 PUBLISH: March 5, 2009

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**NOTICE OF LIEN SALE**

In accordance with Title 49, Chapter 17, Idaho code Section 45-805 A&T Auto Center will sell the following described vehicles to satisfy the possessory lien for money owed.

**2001 Ford Focus**, VIN #1FAPP34P51W333345  
**1990 Mazda Pickup**, VIN#JM2UF3137L0926048  
 Call 208-431-2886 to preregister for auction or to view vehicles. Date and time of sale: March 23 at 9:00 AM.

PUBLISH: March 5 and 12, 2009

**Notice of Work Session  
March 12th 2009**

PURSUANT TO ESTABLISHED PROCEDURE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT **The Lincoln County Planning & Zoning Commission** WILL HOLD A work session. It will be held at the Lincoln County Courthouse, 111 W. B Street, Shoshone, ID.

7:00PM To Look over Zoning Ordinance 1212-08-01 and discuss Future land use areas, and Will be looking at Training videos. No public comment.

ANY FURTHER LEGALS OR DESCRIPTIONS CAN BE SEEN AT THE LINCOLN COUNTY P&Z OFFICE IN THE COURT HOUSE. TESTIMONY IS LIMITED TO 3 MINUTES UNLESS APPROVAL OF MORE TIME BY COMMISSION. IF THERE ARE ANY PERSON(S) NEEDING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ABOVE NOTICED MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT THE P&Z ADMINISTRATOR WITH ADEQUATE TIME TO FACILITATE TESTIMONY. (208)886-9808

PUBLISH: March 5 and 12, 2009

**GOODING COUNTY HAS BEEN AWARDED FEDERAL FUNDS UNDER THE EMERGENCY FOOD AND SHELTER NATIONAL BOARD PROGRAM**

Gooding County has been chosen to receive \$4,906.00 to supplement emergency food and shelter programs in the county.

A Local Board made up of Gooding County Services Assistant Director, Nazarene Church representative, Catholic Church representative, Native American representative, homeless person representative and Gooding County Commissioners representative will determine how the funds awarded to Gooding County are to be distributed among the emergency food and shelter programs run by local service organizations in the area. The Local Board is responsible for recommending agencies to receive these funds and any additional funds available under this phase of the program.

Under the terms of the grant from the national Board, local organizations chosen to receive funds must 1) be private voluntary nonprofits or units of government, 2) have an accounting system, 3) practice nondiscrimination, 4) have demonstrated the capability to deliver emergency food and/or shelter programs and 5) if they are a private organization, they must have a voluntary board. Qualifying organizations are urged to apply. Public or private voluntary organizations interested in applying for Emergency Food and Shelter program funds must contact Linda Laguineche, Gooding County Services Assistant Director for an application.

PUBLISH: March 5, 2009

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING**

Case No. CV-2009-113

**SUMMONS**

In The Matter of Termination of the Parental Rights of **ADAM STEVE CASTILLO**, In the Matter of the Adoption of **ALIX ELISE CASTILLO**, a minor.

**TO: ADAM STEVE CASTILLO:**

NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY GILBERT M. HURTADO, PETITIONER, IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR GOODING COUNTY, IDAHO.

The nature of the claim against you is for Termination of Parental Rights.

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. CV-2009-113, and paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court at PO Box 477, Gooding, Idaho 83330, telephone number: (208) 934-4261 and served a copy of your response on the Petitioner's Attorney, Harry DeHaan, at 335 Blue Lakes Boulevard North, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, telephone number: (208) 733-0731.

A copy of the Summons and Petition can be obtained by contacting either the Clerk of the Court or the attorney for Petitioner. If you wish legal assistance, you should immediately retain an attorney to advise you in this matter. Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

By Deputy Clerk

PUBLISH: March 5, 12, 19 and 26, 2009

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 10, 2009 File No.: 7777.28301 Sale date and time (local time): June 12, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of Land Title and Escrow, 706 Main Street, Gooding, ID 83330 Property address: **629 5th Avenue East Gooding, ID 83330** Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust Information Original grantor: **Kenneth J. Peterson and Katherine G. Peterson**, husband and wife Original trustee: Transnation Title and Escrow Original beneficiary: New Century Mortgage Corporation Recording date: June 7, 2005 Recorder's instrument number: 211496 County: Gooding Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 10, 2009: \$90,093.26 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lots 21, 22, 23 and 24 in Block 97 of East Gooding Addition, Gooding 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 sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at [www.northwesttrustee.com](http://www.northwesttrustee.com) or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7777.28301) 1002.110892-FEI

PUBLISH: Feb 19, 26, March 5 and 12, 2009

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Idaho Code 50-1814, the Jerome City 2009 Irrigation Operations & Maintenance Assessments are due and payable to the City of Jerome on or before April 1, 2009.

Kathy Cone  
City Clerk

PUBLISH: February 26 and March 5, 2009

**Notice of Public Hearing**

**March 23rd 2009**  
 PURSUANT TO ESTABLISHED PROCEDURE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT **The Lincoln County Commissioners** WILL HOLD A Public Hearing at Lincoln County Courthouse 111 West B street Shoshone, ID in the Commissioners Room.

1:30pm Amend Zoning map have had some zone changes by hearing and some zones that need to be changed due to mappers mistakes. Will also make a resolution to zoning application fee's.

ANY FURTHER LEGALS OR DESCRIPTIONS CAN BE SEEN AT THE LINCOLN COUNTY P&Z OFFICE IN THE COURT HOUSE. TESTIMONY IS LIMITED TO 3 MINUTES UNLESS APPROVAL OF MORE TIME BY COMMISSION. IF THERE ARE ANY PERSON(S) NEEDING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ABOVE NOTICED MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT THE P&Z ADMINISTRATOR WITH ADEQUATE TIME TO FACILITATE TESTIMONY. (208)886-9808

PUBLISH: March 5, 2009

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING**

Case No. CV-2009-80

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

In the Matter of the Estate of **BARBARA M. OSBORNE**, Decedent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above named estate. All persons having claims against the Decedent 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 GARY L. OSBORNE, Personal Representative of the Estate, or at HOBDEY LAW OFFICE, PLLC, P.O. Box 176, Gooding, Idaho 83330 or filed with the Court.

DATED THIS 9th day of February, 2009.

/s/Gary L. Osborne

PUBLISH: Feb 19, 26, March 5, 2009

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING**

Case No. CV-2009-87

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

In the Matter of the Estate of **RAELENE W. SEARS**, Decedent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above named estate. All persons having claims against the Decedent 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 STEVEN W. SEARS, Personal Representative of the Estate, or at HOBDEY LAW OFFICE, PLLC, P.O. Box 176, Gooding, Idaho 83330 or filed with the Court.

DATED THIS 12th day of February, 2009.

/s/Steven C. Sears

PUBLISH: Feb 19, 26, March 5, 2009

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On July 10th 2009 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. on said day, at the front door of First American Title Company, 260 Third Ave. North, Twin Falls, ID 83303.

Bruce J. Blohowiak, 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 same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:

LOT 1 IN BLOCK 2 OF THOMPSON GRANDVIEW SUBDIVISION, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 8 OF PLATS, PAGE 44.

THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: **911 LAVINA AVENUE, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301**, MAY SOMETIMES BE 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 **GUILLERMO MORENO**, AN UNMARRIED PERSON as TRUSTOR TO FIRST AMERICAN TITLE as original Trustee, and MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. ("MERS") is the beneficiary solely as nominee for FIRST FRANKLIN FINANCIAL CORP., AN OP. SUB OF ML&T CO., FSB on that certain Deed of Trust dated May 11th 2007 and recorded under Twin Falls County recorder's no. 2007-011782. The beneficial interest of which has been assigned to Bank of America, National Association as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank National Association, as Trustee for Merrill Lynch First Franklin Mortgage Loan Trust, Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-4. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45 1508 (4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The failure to pay, when due, under said Deed of Trust Note, monthly, principal, interest taxes and insurance payments in an amount not less than \$ 1,029.97 for the month of November 2008 and each month thereafter together with accrued late charges and other costs and fees as provided by the Deed of Trust Note and Deed of Trust; and the principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$118,585.28, excluding interest and costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations there under or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Dated: 2/25/09  
By: Bruce J. Blohowiak, Successor Trustee

PUBLISH: March 5, 12, 19 and 26, 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

(I.C. 15-3-801)

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

In the matter of the Estate of **KENNETH STEVENS** Decedent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Margery Pickett has been appointed Personal Representative of the above named decedent. All persons having claims against the Decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated and filed with the Clerk of the Court. Dated: Feb. 2009 Joe Rockstahl, Attorney at Law, By: Joe Rockstahl, of the firm, 263 2nd Ave N., Twin Falls, ID 83301, Tel: 208-734-8810 Fax: 208-734-8820 ISB# 6576 Attorney for Personal Representative.

PUBLISH: March 5, 12 and 19, 2009

**NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE**

Case No. CV09-772

A Petition to change the name of Karen Ann Kelley, born 03/02/1960, in Fresno, CA, residing at 335 Caswell Avenue West, Twin Falls, has been filed in Twin Falls County District Court, Idaho. The name will change to Karen Ann Burton because the proposed name is my birth name and better fits my present identity; therefore, I would like to be known by this name in all my personal and business affairs. The petitioner's father has died and the names and addresses of his closest blood relatives are: Patrick Joseph Burton, 2320 North Millbrook, Fresno, CA 93703. The petitioner's mother has died and the names and addresses of her closest blood relatives are: Patrick Joseph Burton, 2320 North Millbrook, Fresno, CA 93703. A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 9 o'clock AM on March 24, 2009 at the County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can show the court a good reason against the name change. Date: February 10, 2009  
By Deputy Clerk

PUBLISH: Feb 12, 19, 26 and March 5, 2009

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On FRIDAY, 29 MAY 2009 AT THE HOUR OF 11:00 o'clock A.M., local time, of said day, at the front steps of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, Idaho, Paul Harrington, 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, together with fixtures, of the following described real property in Twin Falls County, Idaho: TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST, BOISE MERIDIAN, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO

SECTION 23: A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN THE SW1/4NW1/4, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCING AT THE WEST ONE-QUARTER CORNER OF SAID SECTION 23 FROM WHICH THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 23 LIES N00°10'57"W - 2638.47 FEET; SAID WEST ONE-QUARTER CORNER OF SECTION 23 BEING THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING;

THENCE N00°10'57"W ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY OF THE NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 520.23 FEET;

THENCE S89°37'32"E PARALLEL TO THE NORTH BOUNDARY OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 235.00 FEET;

THENCE N00°10'57"W PARALLEL WITH THE WEST BOUNDARY OF THE NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 570.00 FEET;

THENCE N89°37'32"W PARALLEL WITH THE NORTH BOUNDARY OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 235.00 FEET TO A POINT ON THE WEST BOUNDARY OF THE NW1/4 OF SECTION 23;

THENCE N00°10'57"W ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY OF THE NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 229.00 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23;

THENCE S89°37'32"E ALONG THE NORTH BOUNDARY OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 1323.28 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23;

THENCE S00°12'19"E ALONG THE EAST BOUNDARY OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 1319.44 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23;

THENCE N89°37'01"W ALONG THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF THE SW1/4NW1/4 OF SECTION 23 FOR A DISTANCE OF 1323.80 FEET TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING.

Commonly known as: NNA, Kimberly, Idaho. The trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrance to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust described as follows:

Deed of Trust dated March 05, 2007, to secure an original indebtedness of \$1,142,000.00, and any other amounts and/or obligations secured thereby ; Recorded: March 09, 2007, as Instrument No. 2007005423  
 Grantor: **Anchor Investments, LLC**, an Idaho Limited Liability Company  
 Trustee: First American Title  
 Beneficiary: Mountain West Bank  
 THE GRANTOR NAMED HEREIN IS LISTED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 OF THE IDAHO CODE. No representation is made whether or not it is currently responsible for the obligation listed herein.  
 The default for which this sale is to be made is the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust in default for failure of the obligor to make payment on said obligation upon maturity. As of 5 January 2009, the outstanding principal balance owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust was \$1,123,718.66 plus accrued interest of \$23,767.45. Additional interest accrues at the rate of 4.75% per annum or \$146.23736 per day. Grantor must also pay outstanding taxes, interest, penalties, late charges, service charges, appraisal fees, title policy fees, and any other disbursements, costs, fees or expenses incurred or paid by the Beneficiary and/or Trustee associated with this Notice of Default and/or this foreclosure as provided by the Deed of Trust, Promissory Note, or by Idaho law. Mountain West Bank is the Beneficiary. **PAUL HARRINGTON**, Attorney at Law, is successor trustee of said Deed of Trust. DATED: January 22, 2009  
 /s/PAUL HARRINGTON, Trustee  
 250 Northwest Boulevard, Suite 102,  
 Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83814  
 208-667-0517

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**NOTICE OF BID**

Notice is hereby given that the Twin Falls School District #411, Twin Falls, Idaho will receive sealed bids for Weight Room/Cardio equipment and supplies for Canyon Ridge High School until 1:00 P.M., March 23, 2009 at the School Administration Building, 201 Main Avenue West, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301.

The list of weight room/cardio equipment and supplies, specifications and conditions may be obtained from the School District Purchasing Agent at the School Administration Building. The Board of Trustees for Twin Falls School District #411 reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all informalities. **TWIN FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT #411**  
 BY: Michelle Lucas  
 Clerk of the Board

PUBLISH: March 5, 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 TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Case No. CV 2006-4946

**ORDER, NOTICE, AND SUMMONS FOR HEARING**

In the Interest of: **ANTHONY ARMENTA** d.o.b. 10/08/06  
 A Child Under Eighteen Years of Age

A Petition under the Termination of Parent-Child Act has been filed by the Department of Health and Welfare. The merits of the petition will be examined in an evidentiary hearing on **May 7, 2009 at 9:30 AM** in the Magistrate's Court, Twin Falls County Courthouse, Twin Falls, Idaho.

The following individual shall personally appear at the hearing:

**PABLO ZELARDE ARMENTA, aka/Pablo Belarde**

The above-named individual is further notified that he is entitled to be represented by legal counsel. If he is financially unable to retain an attorney, he may apply to the Court, prior to the hearing, for appointment of counsel.

Said father is further notified that pursuant to 16-1513 of the Idaho Code that he may register his claim as father of a child born out of wedlock with the Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Vital Statistics, on forms available for such purposes from the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the Department of Health and Welfare. Said father is further notified that he shall mail the completed form to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, and it shall be signed and witnessed before a Notary Public. Your failure to so register can result in your being barred in your maintaining an action to establish paternity of the said child and constitutes a prima facie case of abandonment pursuant to section 16-2005 of the Idaho Code.  
 Date February 3, 2009.  
 /s/Magistrate

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BLAINE MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Case No. CV 2006-921

**ORDER, NOTICE, AND SUMMONS FOR HEARING**

In the Interest of: **ALOE OWL JENKS** d.o.b. 5/3/00  
 A Child Under Eighteen Years of Age

A Petition under the Termination of Parent-Child Act has been filed by the Department of Health and Welfare. The merits of the petition will be examined in an evidentiary hearing on **April 28, 2009** in the Magistrate's Court, Blaine County Courthouse, Hailey, Idaho.

The following individuals shall personally appear at the hearing:

**MICHAEL STEEL  
 ANDY SANDOVAL  
 JOHN DOE**

The above-named individuals are further notified that they are entitled to be represented by legal counsel. If they are financially unable to retain an attorney, they may apply to the Court, prior to the hearing, for appointment of counsel. Said father is further notified that pursuant to 16-1513 of the Idaho Code that he may register his claim as father of a child born out of wedlock with the Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Vital Statistics, on forms available for such purposes from the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the Department of Health and Welfare. Said father is further notified that he shall mail the completed form to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, and it shall be signed and witnessed before a Notary Public. Your failure to so register can result in your being barred in your maintaining an action to establish paternity of the said child and constitutes a prima facie case of abandonment pursuant to section 16-2005 of the Idaho Code.  
 Date February 4, 2009.  
 /s/Magistrate

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

Case No. CV 08-5364

**SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION FARMERS NATIONAL BANK,**

Plaintiff, vs. **GARY BOHANNON and GLENDA BOHANNON**, husband and wife, and **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**, acting through the **INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE**, Defendants.

**TO: GARY BOHANNON and GLENDA BOHANNON, husband and wife:**

You have been sued by Farmers National Bank, the Plaintiff, in the District Court in and for Twin Falls County, Idaho, Case No. CV-08-5364. The nature of the claim against you is for foreclosure of liens against real property and personal property and for money judgment. 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 425 Shoshone St. North, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, (208)736-4119, and served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff's attorney, David A. Coleman, Coleman, Ritchie & Robertson, 156 2nd Ave. West, PO Box 525, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0525, (208)734-1224. 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 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009.  
 CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT  
 By: Deputy Clerk

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Case No. CV-09-568  
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
 In the Matter of the Estate of **VIVIAN L. JACKY**, Deceased.

**WARREN W. JACKY** has been appointed Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against said deceased persons are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice at the offices of **Williams, Meservy & Lothspeich**, 153 East Main Street, P.O. Box 168, Jerome, Idaho, or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the Personal Representative at the above address and filed with the above Court. DATED this 13th day of February, 2009.  
**WILLIAMS, MESERVY & LOTHSPREICH, LLP**  
**ROBERT E. WILLIAMS**  
 Attorney for Estate

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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Case No. CV 2009-342  
 CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT SUMMONS  
 In the Matter of:  
**JUSTIN HANEY**,  
 d.o.b. 07-25-92,  
**NICOLE HANEY**,  
 d.o.b. 12-02-93,  
**TIMOTHY HANEY**,  
 d.o.b. 12-02-93  
 Children under the age of eighteen.  
 THE STATE OF IDAHO SENDS GREETINGS TO:  
**FRANK HANEY**  
**PO Box 237**  
**Tonasket, Washington 98855**

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
 The March 2009 meeting of the Idaho Crop Improvement Association, Inc. Board of Directors will be held via video on Tuesday, March 10 beginning at 1:00 PM. If you would like to participate please call your local Idaho Crop Improvement Office for instructions on participating.  
 /s/ Gregory H. Lowry

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT:**  
 A Petition, a copy of which is attached, has been filed in the above-entitled matter in the Magistrate's Division of the District Court of Twin Falls County, Idaho, by the Prosecuting Attorney, alleging that the above-named children come within the jurisdiction of the Child Protective Act. You are hereby directed to appear personally for a Review Hearing at the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street, Twin Falls, Idaho, on May 21, 2009 at 9:30 AM.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
 The March 2009 meeting of the Idaho Crop Improvement Association, Inc. Board of Directors will be held via video on Tuesday, March 10 beginning at 1:00 PM. If you would like to participate please call your local Idaho Crop Improvement Office for instructions on participating.  
 /s/ Gregory H. Lowry

**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 08-4098  
 SUMMONS  
**BERTHA A. MENDOZA**,  
 Wife and Husband,  
 Plaintiffs,  
 v.  
**KENNETH D. KOEHN, CALVIN KOEHN, and DOES I through X**,  
 Defendants.

**NOTICE: YOU HAVE BEEN SUED BY THE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF. THE COURT MAY ENTER JUDGMENT AGAINST YOU WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 DAYS. READ THE INFORMATION BELOW.**

**TO: Kenneth D. Koehn**  
**3241 North 4700 East**  
**Murtaugh, ID 83344**

**YOU HAVE BEEN SUED** by Bertha Mendoza, the Plaintiff, in the District Court in and for Twin Falls County, Idaho, Case No. CV 08-4098. The nature of the claim against you is for monetary damages for injuries suffered by the Plaintiff in an October 20, 2006, motor vehicle collision. 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, 208-736-4024, and served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff's attorney at Kevin E. Donohoe, Donohoe Law Firm, 112 South Main Street, Suite C, Bellevue, Idaho 83313, 208-788-3807. 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 14th day of February, 2009. Clerk of the District Court By /s/, Deputy Clerk

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

Case No. CV-09-046  
 SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION  
**EVANS GRAIN & ELEVATOR CO.**,  
 a Utah Corporation, dba WESTERN SEEDS,  
 Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
**PROFESSIONAL MACHINERY SALES, INC.**, an Idaho Corporation and **DARRELL JACKSON**, individually, and **DARRELL JACKSON**, as Director of Professional Machinery Sales, Inc.,  
 Defendants.

**TO: PROFESSIONAL MACHINERY SALES, INC., and DARRELL JACKSON**  
 You have been sued by Plaintiff, Evans Grain & Elevator Co., in the Fifth Judicial District Court in and for Twin Falls County, Idaho, Case No. CV-2009-046.

The nature of the claim against you is for collection. 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. CV-2009-046, and have paid any required filing fee to the Clerk of the Court, Twin Falls County Courthouse, P.O. Box 126, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0126, and have served a copy of your response on the Plaintiff's attorney, David F. Shirley, of the firm Parsons, Smith & Stone, LLP, P.O. Box 910, Burley, Idaho 83318. A copy of the Summons and petition 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 19th day of February, 2009. Twin Falls County Court By /s/ Deputy Clerk

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 5, 2009 File No.: 7023.18970 Sale date and time (local time): June 08, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID 83301 Property address: **356 Van Buren Street Twin Falls, ID 83301** Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: **James D. Richards and Barbara L. Richards**, husband and wife Original trustee: Alliance Title Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Republic Mortgage Home Loans, LLC Recording date: September 12, 2007 Recorder's instrument number: 2007022742 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 5, 2009: \$130,859.75 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: The North 50 feet of Lot 14 in Block 1 of Suburban Park Addition, according to the official plat thereof, filed in Book 2 of Plats at Page(s) 12, official records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at [www.northwesttrustee.com](http://www.northwesttrustee.com) or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.18970) 1002.110364-FE1

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On the 27th day of April, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a.m., of said day, in front of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 427 Shoshone Street N., Twin Falls, Idaho 83303;  
**Mark B. Perry**, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for certified funds, or the equivalent, which is lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale in compliance with Idaho Code Section 45-1506, the following described real property, situate in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:  
**EXHIBIT "A"**  
 Township 10 South, Range 17 East, Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, Idaho  
 Section 4: A parcel of land located in a portion of the NE1/4 being more particularly described as follows:  
 COMMENCING at the East Quarter corner of Section 4, said point lies North 01°01'45" East 2,601.71 feet from the Southeast corner of Section 4;  
 THENCE South 01°01'45" West 1,302.12 feet along the East boundary of Section 4 to a point on the extended North boundary of "Green Acres Subdivision";  
 THENCE North 88°43'40" West 40.00 feet along the extended North boundary of said subdivision to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING;  
 THENCE North 88°43'40" West 285.00 feet along the North boundary of "Green Acres Subdivision";  
 THENCE North 00°28'54" East 123.31 feet;  
 THENCE South 89°17'11" East 6.18 feet;  
 THENCE North 01°01'45" East 40.61 feet;  
 THENCE South 88°56'19" East 88.73 feet;  
 THENCE South 01°29'12" West 22.86 feet;  
 THENCE South 88°46'13" East 191.45 feet to a point on the Westerly right-of-way on Blue Lakes Boulevard North;  
 THENCE South 01°01'45" West 141.58 feet along said right-of-way to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.  
 The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that according to the Twin Falls County Assessor's office, the address of **1111 Blue Lakes Boulevard North, Twin Falls, Idaho 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 **HENDRIKUS C. LOMAN and ESTHER C. LOMAN, husband and wife** as Grantors, for the benefit and security of **HOME FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION**, recorded March 31, 2003 as Instrument No. **2003-08057**, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.  
 THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH IDAHO CODE SECTION 45-1506(4)(A). NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT HE IS, OR IS NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to make monthly payments in the amount of \$11,337.60 each for the months of August, September, October, November, and December, 2008, and any delinquent and unpaid taxes for the year 2008. The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$1,486,460.17 principal, plus accruing interest, costs and advances. 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 the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.  
 DATED December 18, 2008.  
**MARK B. PERRY**

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

TS No. 09-0010475  
 Title Order No. 090085812IDGNO  
 Parcel No. RPT434100002DA  
 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 Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street, Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, on 07/06/2009 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 03/13/2007 as Instrument Number 2007-005752, and executed by **ROBERT H. LAWASON**, AN UNMARRIED MAN, 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: THE SOUTH HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF LOT 2 OF PURPOSE, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 2 OF PLATS, PAGE 28, RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS: BEGINNING AT A POINT 1115 FEET NORTH AND 170 FEET EAST FROM THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 17 EAST, BOISE MERIDIAN AND RUNNING THENCE EAST A DISTANCE OF 165 FEET; THENCE NORTH A DISTANCE OF 50 FEET; THENCE WEST A DISTANCE OF 165 FEET; THENCE SOUTH A DISTANCE OF 50 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO THE 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 **317 ASH ST, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301-7235** 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 6.375% 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 \$113,093.11, 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: 02/25/2009 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-34 SIMI VALLEY, CA 90028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Amanda Rose, Team Member ASAP# 3009092

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GOODING**

Case No. CV-2008-0000393  
 NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

**JEAN E. RANKIN**, individually, and as Trustee of the **JEAN E. RANKIN TRUST**,  
 Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
**CHRIS E. ROBERTS**,  
 Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a Writ of Execution issued on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2009, out of and under the seal of the above-entitled Court on an Amended Foreign Judgment in said Court in the above-entitled action on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008 in favor of the above-named Plaintiff; whereas on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2008, the Plaintiff, Jean E. Rankin, individually, and as Trustee of the Jean E. Rankin Trust, by virtue of the entry of an Amended Judgment rendered by the Honorable James L. Shumate, District Judge of the State of Utah in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Utah, in and for the County of Washington, recovered an Amended Judgment in Case No. 070503034 in said Court against the Defendant, Chris E. Roberts, together with costs and disbursements at the date of said Judgments, and accruing costs, I am commanded and required to proceed to notice for sale and to sell at public auction the property described in said Writ of Execution and to apply the proceeds of such sale to the satisfaction of said Judgments with interest thereon and my fees and costs. The property directed to be sold is situate in Twin Falls County, State of Idaho, and is described as follows, to-wit:  
**PARCEL NO. 1:**  
 Lot 56, KANAKA RAPIDS RANCHES, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 12 of Plats, page 35, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; Commonly known as 4506 Silver Creek Rd., Buhl, Idaho 83316.  
**SUBJECT TO:** Amended and Restated Declaration of Covenants and Restrictions of Kanaka Rapids Ranch Homeowners Association, Inc., recorded June 29, 1994, as Instrument No. 1994-011807, records of Twin Falls, Idaho.  
**PARCEL NO. 2:**  
 Lots 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 in Block 69, BUHL TOWNSITE, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Book 1 of Plats, Page 33, in the Office of the County Recorder of said County; commonly known as 130 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue S., Buhl, Idaho 83316.  
**PARCEL NO. 3:**  
 Block 5 of BUHL HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Book 2 of Plats, Page 24, in the Office of the County Recorder of said County. EXCEPT Lot 15 and except the North 20.5 feet of Lot 14 in Block 5 of BUHL HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Book 2 of Plats, Page 24, in the Office of the County Recorder of said County.  
 Together with any tenements, hereditaments, improvements, structures, buildings, or appurtenances appertaining thereto.  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2009, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock PM at the Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office on the first floor of the Twin Falls County Courthouse in Twin Falls, Idaho, I will attend, offer and sell at public auction all or so much of the above-described property thus directed to be sold as may be necessary to raise sufficient funds to pay and satisfy the Judgment as set out in said Writ of Execution to the highest bidder therefor in lawful money.  
 DATED this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2009.  
**TOM CARTER, SHERIFF**  
 TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On Tuesday, June 23, 2009 at the hour of 10:30 o'clock A.M., of said day, in the office of Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. located at 1411 Falls Avenue East, Suite 1315 Twin Falls, ID 83301,  
 Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier's check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of the sale), money order, State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:  
**Lot 13 in Block 8 1/2 of Murtaugh Orchard Addition, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, recorded in Book 3 of Plats at Page(s) 22, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.**  
 THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: **836 Walnut Street, Twin Falls, ID 83301**, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.  
 If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec.  
 Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **Becky L. Rule**, a married woman as her sole and separate property, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Chase Home Finance LLC as Successor Beneficiary, recorded August 4, 2005 as Instrument No. 2005-017133, Mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to:  
 Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$74,100.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 6.0000% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated August 4, 2005. Payments are in default for the months of October 2008 through and including February 2009 in the amount of \$616.00 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance as of February 4, 2009 is \$70,112.48 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 6.0000% per annum. The per diem is \$11.52. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.  
 The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$70,112.48, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.  
 Dated: February 19, 2009  
 Alliance Title & Escrow Corp.  
 By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer  
 Phone: (877) 947-1553

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On Tuesday, June 23, 2009 at the hour of 10:30 o'clock A.M., of said day, in the office of Alliance Title & Escrow Corp. located at 1411 Falls Avenue East, Suite 1315 Twin Falls, ID 83301,  
 Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier's check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of the sale), money order, State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:  
**Lot 13 in Block 8 1/2 of Murtaugh Orchard Addition, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, recorded in Book 3 of Plats at Page(s) 22, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.**  
 THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: **836 Walnut Street, Twin Falls, ID 83301**, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.  
 If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec.  
 Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **Becky L. Rule**, a married woman as her sole and separate property, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Chase Home Finance LLC as Successor Beneficiary, recorded August 4, 2005 as Instrument No. 2005-017133, Mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to:  
 Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$74,100.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 6.0000% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated August 4, 2005. Payments are in default for the months of October 2008 through and including February 2009 in the amount of \$616.00 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance as of February 4, 2009 is \$70,112.48 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 6.0000% per annum. The per diem is \$11.52. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.  
 The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$70,112.48, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.  
 Dated: February 19, 2009  
 Alliance Title & Escrow Corp.  
 By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer  
 Phone: (877) 947-1553

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On June 16, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock AM of said day, at First American Title, 260 Third Avenue North, Twin Falls, Idaho, JUST LAW, INC., as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows to wit:  
**Lot 17 in Block 3 of Magic Valley Ranch Subdivision, according to the official plat thereof, filed in Book 15 of Plats at Page(s) 32, Official Records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.**

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed the address of **1483 Wrangler St., Twin Falls, 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. Kimmett and Haley E. Kimmett**, husband and wife, as Grantor(s) with Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as the Beneficiary, under the Deed of Trust recorded December 15, 2003, as Instrument No. 2003031834, in the records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. The Beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Midfirst Bank, recorded February 6, 2009, as Instrument No. 2009-002523, in the records of said County.

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 \$768.25 for the months of February 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 \$91,482.02 as principal, plus service charges, attorney's fees, costs of this foreclosure, any and all funds expended by Beneficiary to protect their security interest, and interest accruing at the rate of 6.8750% from January 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 9th day of February, 2009.

Sumerli Lynch  
Trust Officer for  
Just Law, Inc.

**For information concerning this sale please contact Just Law, Inc. at [www.justlawidaho.com](http://www.justlawidaho.com) or Toll Free at 1-800-923-9106. Thank you.**

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Case No. CV 2009-485  
CHILD PROTECTIVE ACT SUMMONS  
In the Matter of:  
**TRISTEN ROANHORSE,**  
d.o.b. 07-07-01  
**IMELDA THOMAS,**  
d.o.b. 03-11-05  
**AIDEN THOMAS,**  
d.o.b. 03-12-06  
**BRIANNA THOMAS,**  
d.o.b. 09-01-07  
**CASON BEGAY,**  
d.o.b. 01-23-09  
Children under the age of eighteen.  
THE STATE OF IDAHO SENDS GREETINGS TO:

**CHUCK ROANHORSE**  
PO Box 1138  
White River, AZ 85941

**HAZEL THOMAS**  
PO Box 8411  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96830

**YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT:**  
A Petition, a copy of which is attached, has been filed in the above-entitled matter in the Magistrate's Division of the District Court of Twin Falls County, Idaho, by the Prosecuting Attorney, alleging that the above-named children come within the jurisdiction of the Child Protective Act. You are hereby directed to appear personally for a Review Hearing at the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street, Twin Falls, Idaho, on May 28, 2009 at 9:30 AM.

You are notified that service of the attached Petition upon you, as the parent(s), guardian, or custodian of these children confers personal jurisdiction of the court upon you and subjects you to the provisions of the Child Protective Act. You are notified that if you fail to appear without reasonable cause, the Court may proceed in your absence or you may be proceeded against for contempt of Court.

You are notified that the parent(s), guardian, or a custodian may be financially liable for the support and/or treatment of the children.  
You are further notified that the children and parent(s), guardian, or custodian have the right to be represented by an attorney of your choosing, or if financially unable to pay, have the right to have an attorney appointed by the court to represent the parent(s), guardian, or custodian at county expense. If you request to have an attorney appointed at county expense, you must appear before the court at the address given above, at which time the court shall consider appointment of an attorney for the children and inquire whether the parent(s), guardian, or custodian require the separate appointment of an attorney.

You are further notified that there shall be a rebuttable presumption that if a child is placed in the custody of the IDHW and was also placed in out of the home care for a period not less than fifteen (15) out of the last twenty-two (22) months from the date of Adjudication, the IDHW shall initiate a Petition for Termination of Parental Rights. This presumption may be rebutted by a finding of the court that the filing of a Petition for Termination of Parental Rights would not be in the best interest of the child and their family, or that the child is placed permanently with a relative.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of said Magistrate Court this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2009.  
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT  
By Deputy Clerk

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On Thursday, the 2nd day of July, 2009, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a.m. of said day at Alliance Title & Escrow, 1411 Falls Ave. E., Suite 1315, Twin Falls, in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, Charles W. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:  
**A PORTION OF LOTS 15 AND 16 IN BLOCK 51 OF BUHL TOWNSITE, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 1 OF PLATS, PAGE 33, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:**  
BEGINNING AT A POINT THAT IS NORTH 44°29' EAST 68 FEET FROM THE MOST SOUTHERLY CORNER OF SAID LOT 16;  
THENCE NORTH 44°29' EAST 62 FEET TO THE MOST EASTERLY CORNER OF SAID LOT 16;  
THENCE NORTH 45°31' WEST 75 FEET;  
THENCE SOUTH 44°29' EAST 62 FEET;  
THENCE SOUTH 45°31' EAST 75 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

The Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60 113, Idaho Code, the Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of **714 Linden St., Buhl, Idaho**, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **BARBARA JUNE HUEY SKINNER**, an Unmarried Woman, Grantor, to Charles W. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of D.L. EVANS BANK, recorded August 29, 2006, as Instrument No. 2006-021732, Mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; and assigned to the Idaho Housing and Finance Association by Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on September 14, 2006, as Instrument No. 2006-023156, Mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45 1506 (4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT SHE IS, OR IS NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is (1) the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated August 25, 2006, in the amount of \$444.00 each, for the months of October, 2008, through February, 2009, inclusive; and for each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reimbursement; and (2) the failure to occupy the premises as required by the Addendum to the Deed of Trust. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 5.85% per annum from September 1, 2008. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$57,668.39, plus accrued interest at the rate of 5.85% per annum from September 1, 2008.

DATED This 2nd day of March, 2009.  
**CHARLES W. FAWCETT**, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

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**TRUSTEE'S SALE NO. 02-FMS-65800**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on June 19, 2009, at the hour of 01:00 PM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE TWIN FALLS COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 425 SHOSHONE STREET NORTH, TWIN FALLS ID, 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 and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of TWIN FALLS, State of Idaho, to-wit: THE EAST 32 FEET OF LOT 15 AND THE WEST 26 FEET OF LOT 16 OF CUMMINGS SUBDIVISION, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME 6 OF PLATS, PAGE 52, RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **1823 HEYBURN AVENUE EAST, 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 **JAMES M BAKER AND GENEVA B. BAKER**, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to ALLIANCE TITLE & ESCROW - TWIN FALLS, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of TMS MORTGAGE INC., DBA THE MONEY STORE, as Beneficiary, dated 4/24/1996, recorded 4/29/1996, under Instrument No. 1996007221, Mortgage records of TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by WACHOVIA EQUITY SERVICING LLC, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO HOMEQ SERVICING CORPORATION (SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO TMS MORTGAGE INC., DBA THE MONEY STORE), 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 made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 4/24/1996. THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 10/1/2008 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH, Amount due as of February 12, 2009 Delinquent Payments from October 01, 2008 5 payments at \$ 692.48 each \$ 3,462.40 (10-01-08 through 02-12-09) Late Charges: \$ 173.10 Beneficiary Advances: \$112.98 Suspense Credit: \$ 0.00 TOTAL: \$3,748.48 All delinquencies 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. The principal balance is \$69,897.57, together with interest thereon at 9.750% per annum from 9/1/2008, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 2/12/2009. PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone. (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: <http://www.rtrustee.com> ASAP# 3002144

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**ADVERTISEMENT FOR ASPHALT BIDS**

The Twin Falls Highway District invites proposals for the following asphalt products for the 2009 Oiling Season.  
CRS-2, CRS-2R, CSS-1, CSS-1H, CSS-1 Diluted, HFSFS-2P, HFE-300, HFE-90, HFE-150, PASS-CR, GSB-88, SC GRADES AND MC GRADES  
Specifications and bid documents are on file and may be examined at the Twin Falls Highway District office located at 2620 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301-7975. Office hours are 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday. Bids will be received on or before 10:00 AM, March 19, 2009.  
All bids must be sealed with a concise statement marked on the outside "2009 Asphalt Bids."  
Dave Burgess  
Director

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 25th day of June, 2009, at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P.M. of said day, at the offices of Twin Falls Title & Escrow Company, located at 905 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, Twin Falls County, Idaho 83303, David E. Wishney, a member of the Idaho State Bar Association, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: Lot 16, Block 2, Northern Passage Subdivision Number 1, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 20 of Plats, page 17, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-described real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **2202 Tendoy Street, Twin Falls, Idaho, 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 **Victory Lane Consulting, Inc.**, a Nevada corporation, as Grantor, to David E. Wishney, a member of the Idaho State Bar Association, as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Washington Federal Savings, Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been recorded on December 1, 2006 as Instrument No. 2006-030552, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. The above Grantor is named to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506(4)(a). No representation is made that said Grantor is or is not presently responsible for this obligation.

The nature of the default for which this sale is to be made is the failure of the Grantor to pay monthly interest installments due for the months of June, 2008 through January, 2009, in accordance with the provisions of the Promissory Note of even date, secured by said deed of trust.

The original loan amount was \$240,000.00, with interest thereon at the initial adjustable rate of 9.5% per annum commencing on December 1, 2006. The unpaid balance of said Promissory Note, including accrued interest through January 14, 2009, is \$254,375.78, with interest accruing thereafter at the rate of \$52.77 per day, until paid, and late charges of \$562.82.

All delinquent amounts are now due and payable, along with all accruing late charges, and all costs and fees associated with this foreclosure. The sale is made without representation, warranty, or covenant of any kind or nature. DATED This 7th day of February, 2009.  
SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE  
David E. Wishney  
Attorney at Law  
P.O. Box 837  
Boise, ID 83701

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Loan No 0061964714 TS No 057-005378 On 7/2/2009, at 11:00 am (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho: Lobby of TitleFact 163 4th Avenue North Twin Falls, ID 83301 TRANSNATION TITLE AND ESCROW INC, as Trustee on behalf of LandAmerica OneStop, Inc. will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 11, IN BLOCK 9 OF VILLA VISTA SUBDIVISION NO. 2, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK 11 OF PLATS, AT PAGE (S) 9, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF TWIN 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 **267 CORONADO AVENUE, 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 **RICK T SWENSEN, AN UNMARRIED MAN** as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., is named as Beneficiary and ALLIANCE TITLE AND ESCROW as Trustee and recorded 9/18/2007 as Instrument No 2007-023186 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 9/17/2007. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,166.91, due per month for the months of 7/1/2008 through 2/23/2009, 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 \$135,541.07 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 6.75000 per cent (%) per annum from 6/1/2008. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this 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: 2/24/09 TRANSNATION TITLE AND ESCROW INC BY: Lynn Darling, AVP THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. ASAP# 3007422

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Case No. CV-2009-0000987  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
I.C. §15-3-801  
In the Matter of the Estate of  
**TERRANCE LEROY SULLIVAN,**  
Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Terrance R. Sullivan and Debbie A. Hall have been appointed co-personal representatives of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated and filed with the Clerk of the Court.

**STEPHEN, KVANVIG, STONE & TRAINOR**  
By Russell G. Kvanvig  
Attorneys for Personal Representative  
PO Box 83  
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0083  
Telephone: 208-733-2721

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 11, 2009 File No.: 7023.19105 Sale date and time (local time): June 15, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID 83301 Property address: **3868 North 900 East Buhl, ID 83316** 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: **Paul J. Head and Heidi Head**, husband and wife Original trustee: First American Title Company, Inc. Original beneficiary: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Eagle Home Mortgage, Inc. Recording date: April 14, 2004 Recorder's instrument number: 2004007975 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 11, 2009: \$85,821.82 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: Township 10 South, Range 14 East, Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, Idaho. Section 18: A parcel of land located in a portion of Government Lot 2, being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the West quarter corner of Section 18, said point lies South 00 degrees 01' 47" East 2648.80 feet from the Northwest corner of Section 18, thence North 00 degrees 01' 47" West 896.40 feet along the West boundary of Section 18 to the Real Point of Beginning. Thence Continuing North 00 degrees 01' 47" West 180.00 feet along the West boundary of Section 18; thence North 89 degrees 58' 12" East 242.00 feet; thence South 00 degrees 01' 47" East 180.00 feet; Thence South 89 degrees 58' 12" West 242.00 feet to the Real Point of Beginning. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at [www.northwest-trustee.com](http://www.northwest-trustee.com) or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.19105) 1002.111255-FE1

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 25th day of June, 2009, at the hour of 3 o'clock P.M. of said day, at the offices of Twin Falls Title & Escrow Company, located at 905 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, Twin Falls County, Idaho 83303, David E. Wishney, a member of the Idaho State Bar Association, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: Lot 10, Block 2, Northern Passage Subdivision Number 1, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 20 of Plats, page 17, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-described real property, but for purposes of compliance with Idaho Code Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **2151 Selway Street, Twin Falls, Idaho, 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 **Victory Lane Consulting, Inc.**, a Nevada corporation, as Grantor, to David E. Wishney, a member of the Idaho State Bar Association, as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Washington Federal Savings, Beneficiary; said Deed of Trust having been recorded on April 10, 2007 as Instrument No. 2007-008201, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. The above Grantor is named to comply with Idaho Code Section 45-1506(4)(a). No representation is made that said Grantor is or is not presently responsible for this obligation.

The nature of the default for which this sale is to be made is the failure of the Grantor to pay monthly interest installments due for the months of July, 2008 through January, 2009, in accordance with the provisions of the Promissory Note of even date, secured by said deed of trust.

The original loan amount was \$252,000.00, with interest thereon at the initial adjustable rate of 9.5% per annum commencing on April 6, 2007. The unpaid balance of said Promissory Note, including accrued interest through January 14, 2009, is \$259,822.47, with interest accruing thereafter at the rate of \$54.25 per day, until paid, and late charges of \$494.73.

All delinquent amounts are now due and payable, along with all accruing late charges, and all costs and fees associated with this foreclosure. The sale is made without representation, warranty, or covenant of any kind or nature.

DATED This 7th day of February, 2009.  
SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE  
David E. Wishney  
Attorney at Law  
P.O. Box 837  
Boise, ID 83701

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**LEGAL NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENT OR HEARING**

**Trans IV Buses** a part of the College of Southern Idaho, that is a political subdivision of the State of Idaho, intends to seek Federal Transit Administration assistance for operating, capital, administrative & preventive maintenance expenses through the Idaho Transportation Department's funding application to meet locally developed strategies identified and prioritized in Local Mobility Management Network plans. Notice is hereby given that public comment regarding the accessibility, routes, and any other pertinent information is solicited from the general public, persons with disabilities, elderly individuals and their respective organizations, and private or competing transportation providers. Comments and information can be obtained by calling 208-736-2133 or at the office located at 496 Madrona, Twin Falls, Idaho. A district meeting will be held to provide a final opportunity for comment, at which time a public hearing may be held if requested at **Idaho Transportation Department, March 30, 2009 from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM, EOC Conference Room, 216 South Date Street, Shoshone, Idaho 83352.**

PUBLISH: March 5, 2009

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Estate Number CV09-548  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
In the Matter of the Estate of **TRESSIE M. COWGILL,**  
Deceased.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or her estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented both to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court.  
DATED this 29<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2009.  
s/Patricia A. Daniel  
**RAYBORN and RAYBORN**  
By: R.E. Rayborn  
Attorney for the Estate  
PO Box 321  
Twin Falls, ID 83303-0321

PUBLISH: January 15, 22 and 29, 2009

**PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHTS**

**Montour Farmers Ditch Co c/o Lon McConnell of 10040 Gatfield Rd, Emmett ID 83617** filed Application No. 74823 to transfer 2 water rights with 1884 priority dates from the Payette River totaling 21.63 cfs. The purpose of the transfer is to add a point of diversion on the Payette River and to change the 1339.9-acre service area boundary to exclude land condemned by the US bureau of Reclamation and include land to the east. Water will be used in the Montour Valley south and adjacent to the Payette River.  
For specific details regarding the application, please contact the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) Western Region at 208-334-2190 or visit www.idwr.idaho.gov with detail provided under "new water right applications." Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Director, IDWR Western Region, and 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before March 23, 2009. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.  
**DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR.,** Director

PUBLISH: March 5 and 12, 2009

**PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE**

Pursuant to Idaho Code Section 67-2343, notice is hereby given of an open public meeting of the Idaho Fish and Game Commission.  
DATE OF NOTICE: February 27, 2009  
DATE OF MEETING: March 23-24, 2009  
A public meeting is scheduled beginning at 7:00 PM MDT on March 23. The Commission meeting will convene at 8:00 AM MDT on March 24.  
PLACE OF MEETING: Idaho Department of Fish and Game, 600 S. Walnut Street, Boise, Idaho.  
PERSONS ATTENDING: Commissioners, Director, Staff  
PURPOSE OF MEETING, AGENDA: Rules: Big Game Species, Rules: Salmon Season Spring Chinook, Reports on Wolf Management, Legislative Update, Fee Increase Status, Grizzly Bear Recovery, Draft Pelican Management Plan, Outfitting for Upland Game and Waterfowl, Hunter Education Award, Idaho Fish and Wildlife Foundation, and Land Acquisition.  
Individuals with disabilities may request meeting accommodations by contacting the Director's office at the Idaho Department of Fish and Game directly at 208-334-5159 or through the Idaho Relay Service at 1-800-377-2529 (TDD).

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: February 2, 2009 File No.: 7023.18653 Sale date and time (local time): June 04, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID 83301 Property address: 2938 4th Avenue East Twin Falls, ID 83301 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: **Feho Sipic and Sefika Sipic,** husband and wife and Muris Sipic, a single person Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: March 21, 2006 Recorder's instrument number: 2006006690 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on the obligation: as of February 2, 2009: \$132,846.77 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot Ten (10) in Block Ten (10) of Eastwood Subdivision Phase 4 Twin Falls County, Idaho, recorded in Book 19 of Plats, Page 13. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwest-trustee.com or USA-foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.18653) 1002.110001-FE1

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Probate Case No.: CV-09-694  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
In the Matter of the Estate of **MICHELLE A. MENCKE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the following address, and filed with the Clerk of the Court:  
Paul L. Arrington  
Barker, Rosholt & Simpson, LLP  
PO Box 485  
Twin Falls, ID 83303  
DATED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009.  
s/Melissa McAlister  
4316 Thomson Ave.  
Everett, Washington 98203

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS MAGISTRATE DIVISION**

Case No. CV-2009-0000915  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
I.C. §15-3-801  
In the Matter of the Estate of **VIRGINIA KATHRYN SOUTHWICK,**  
Deceased.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Phillip E. Southwick and William F. Southwick have been appointed co-personal representatives of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four (4) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated and filed with the Clerk of the Court.  
**STEPHEN, KVANVIG, STONE & TRAINOR**  
By Russell G. Kvanvig  
Attorneys for Personal Representative  
PO Box 83  
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0083  
Telephone: 208-733-2721

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**100 Lost and Found**

FOUND Dog on Filer Ave. by the High School. Free to a good home if not claimed. 734-2123.

**101 Lost and Found**

FOUND Male dog near H.S. in Burley on 3/2. Possibly a Shih Tzu. Call to claim. 208-260-1446

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**Bankruptcy & Debt Counseling**  
Free 1/2 hr consultation  
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**113 Child Care Services**

**Babysitter Needed** in Jerome for 2 small children, PT, must be available 3:30-9:30pm Call for info 316-0183.

**Licensed Child Care** Days and eves. Meals and snacks. ICCP accepted. All ages welcome. 735-4193.

**NEW DAYCARE** Mon-Fri 7am-6pm Kids, infants & up. Close to Harrison, Morningside & IB Perrine 732-5278

**200 Work Wanted**

**PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE** Federal Employment information is free. Remember, no one can promise you a federal job. For free information about federal jobs. Call Career America Connection. 478-757-3000

**206 Drivers**

**DRIVER** Courier/Delivery driver, Twin Falls area. Class A CDL. Mon-Fri. Must be available for occasional evenings and weekends. Clean driving record, 21+ yrs old. Local knowledge a must. \$12.00/hour start. Fax application www.actioncouriers.com and current driving record to 208-378-7503. Drug & smoke-free workplace.

**207 Education**

**EDUCATION** One on one working with special needs children. Must have degree in Social Services or education. Pay DOE. fax 208-928-7120

**208 Farm**

**FARM** Seeking Farmer/Irrigator for Raft River Farm. Must have pivot experience. Call Mark at 208-731-5414

**209 General**

**CAREGIVER** Caregiver needed for Residential Care facility in Twin Falls. Flexible, full-time, willing to work all shifts any day. Apply in person at Rosetta Assisted Living: 1177 Eastridge Court for more info. Call 734-9422

**209 General**

**DISPATCHER** SIRCOMM in Jerome is hiring for an Emergency Services Dispatcher. Pay is \$13.47/hour w/benefits after after 3 months. The applicant must be at least 19, have a HS Diploma or GED and a valid Idaho DL, type 4000 KPH, and be able to pass a background check. For a job description and application visit www.sircomm.com Call Elara at 208-324-1344

**210 General**

**GENERAL** 2-Shift Supervisors needed. Warehouse experience necessary Twin Falls 733-7300 Jerome 324-9400 Burley 678-4040 www.personnelinc.com

**211 Medical**

**MEDICAL** Fast paced medical office seeking Part-time Medical Assistant. Some exp. needed. Call for appointment. 208-420-9310

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**TRADES** Spears Manufacturing is accepting applications for a Journeyman Electrician. Must have 3-5 yrs in an industrial setting and have current Idaho License. Benefits: company paid employee health, dental, life insurance, vacation, paid holidays, and a 401k plan. Applications are available at Spears Manufacturing Plant Security Office, 2572 S Lincoln, Jerome 324-8101 Spears is an equal opportunity employer

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**GENERAL** Local Idaho business. We made \$9,000 last month, you can too! Come have dinner on us and see how! Space limited to first 40 people. Just mention this ad. **Gerties Pizza** Twin Falls 602 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. Thursday 03/05/2009 @6:30 pm (208)243-1178 Se Habla Espanol

**219 PhoneBase**

**PhoneBase Research, Inc.** PhoneBase Research currently has immediate openings in our interviewing department. This position involves conducting public opinion polls over the telephone. PhoneBase Research offers:  
•Flexible evening, day and weekend hours.  
•Up to \$12 an hour  
•Casual working environment  
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To apply stop by our office at 840 Meadows Dr. Ste #2 in Twin Falls or call us at 208-736-2851

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**JUMBLE**

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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**PHACT**  
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**YARLIF**  
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**KLEECH**  
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Ans: THEY

Yesterday's Jumbles: **STOIC HUMID OCCULT NICETY**  
Answer: What the crafts class said when they learned to make a belt – IT'S A "CINCH"

**THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME**

by Mike Argiron and Jeff Kurek



COMPUTERS AND RACE CARS HAVE THIS IN COMMON.

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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# Early screening for disease can prevent kidney failure

DEAR ABBY: I was a healthy 12-year-old girl in junior high, sociable and energetic with no cares in the world, until one day my mother noticed I wasn't my usual self. I was tired and had no interest in any activities. Frustrated, she encouraged me to try out for my school's volleyball team.



DEAR ABBY  
Jeanne Phillips

What was supposed to be a routine physical for the team turned into a life-changing experience. I did not end up making the team. Instead I was diagnosed with chronic kidney disease. My test results showed that I had too much protein in my urine. After more tests, I was told I was in kidney failure.

I was only 12, and I didn't understand why this was happening to me. Nobody was expecting the news we got that day. The doctors told my parents that I would need to go on dialysis or have a kidney transplant and we should start looking for a donor.

A urine test was never part of any of my annual checkups. But protein in the urine is one of the earliest signs of kidney disease. That simple test might have prevented me from losing both kidneys.

Nearly 100,000 men, women and children are now on the waiting list for a lifesaving organ transplant. One hundred people are added to the list — and 17 die — every day. With early detection

kidney disease can be prevented. So please urge your readers to get screened now and screened often.

— KLARISSA RAMIREZ MINNEAPOLIS

DEAR KLARISSA: Thank you for your letter. I was, frankly, shocked to learn from it that kidney disease could strike a person at such a tender age. I'm pleased to pass along your important message.

**READERS: March is National Kidney Month — and March 12 is World Kidney Day.** The National Kidney Foundation (NKF) has a screening program called KEEP, which stands for Kidney Early Evaluation Program. On World Kidney Day, KEEP will offer FREE screenings in cities across the country for people at risk for kidney disease.

If you or a family member has diabetes or high blood pressure, or if there is a history of kidney disease in your family, visit kidney.org to learn more and locate a screening near you, or call the National Kidney Foundation at 1-800-622-9010.

DEAR ABBY: My daughters feel my husband and I favor their younger brother. Our son has some social and developmental issues. We have explained to the girls that their circumstances are different and have even had his psychologist explain the reasons to them.

My middle daughter says it is just an "excuse," and she feels slighted. What can I do to help them see that we love them all and want the best for them, as well as to treat them fairly?

— CHALLENGED MOM IN NEW JERSEY

**DEAR CHALLENGED MOM:** One conversation with the psychologist obviously wasn't enough for at least one of your daughters, and my first suggestion is that you and your husband consider some ongoing family therapy for a while.

If your younger daughter is old enough, involve her while you are taking care of her brother. This will help her see for herself how time-consuming it really is, and what your responsibilities are as the mother of a child with special needs.

Equally important, if at all possible, arrange for respite care for your son once or twice a month to allow you to have some special one-on-one time with your daughters. Perhaps then they will feel less slighted.

**IF MARCH 5 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY:** You may feel as though you are holding the weight of the world on your shoulders while cosmic negativity colors your part of the zodiac until the second week of June. Take care of problems that crop up and pass every cosmic test by being super-conscious. Get to work and pay bills on time and give no one any reason to disapprove of your actions. Don't start crucial new business ventures or projects until October or November when smooth sailing is guaranteed and the cosmic lights turn green.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Confidence is high when you feel sexy and attractive. Put your faith in reliable business practices and maintain high standards. This isn't the best time to finalize an important agreement or contract.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** The fine print might not be fine with you. Keep one eye on your obligations and the other one on the little slips of paper that come through the mail slot. A crucial notice could easily be overlooked.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** You are faster than a speeding bullet and more powerful than a locomotive. But because you are flying high like the famous caped dude, you might miss something impor-

**HOROSCOPE**  
Jeraldine Saunders

tant. It is necessary to slow down. **CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Read the small print thoroughly. A bill might show up in the mail and require attention; under these stars you don't want to miss a crucial detail. Put extra effort into networking and making new connections.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** Payback always has a hefty price tag. That kindhearted donation, favor or must-have item can throw a monkey wrench in the budget. Use more logic, be a savvy shopper and wait for the next sale.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** The devil is in the details. Since you may be under the gun to perform at your peak, it is possible you will be juggling multiple tasks. Don't think you can fool anyone by giving less than your best.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** It might be time to put your heart on the line as bait. If you are simply looking for a quick fling, you have to be more cautious than usual. You might not be aware of some secrets hidden beneath the surface.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Wear a life jacket if you think you might end up at sea. You may be dumped into a think tank with brilliant people so it is important to keep your head above water. Know your subject thoroughly.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** Those holding the reins of power may request favors. Business needs may require that you grant a few crumbs of kindness, or even dollars, to those who share some type of remote connection.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Don't scatter precious resources. A bit of carelessness can be costly. You don't really need to keep up with the Joneses and a big price tag doesn't assure quality. Wait to sign important contracts.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** You still aren't out of the woods. You could be much too optimistic about a certain relationship or idea. Hold off on making public appearances or important business meetings until the stars improve.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-Mar. 20):** Work hard behind the scenes. You might think you know the answer, but your judgment and assessments of certain factors could be completely out of kilter. Hold off on making commitments.

Today is Thursday, March 5, the 64th day of 2009. There are 301 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:** Fifty years ago, on March 5, 1959, a fire at the Negro Boys Industrial School in Wrightsville, Ark., claimed the lives of 21 teenagers trapped inside a locked dormitory room. (Four dozen other boys managed to escape).

**On this date:** In 1770, the Boston Massacre took place as British soldiers who'd been taunted by a crowd of colonists opened fire, killing five people.

In 1849, Zachary Taylor was inaugurated as the 12th president of the United States. (The swearing-in was delayed by a day because March 4, 1849, fell on a Sunday.)

In 1868, the Senate was organized into a Court of Impeachment to decide charges against President Andrew Johnson, who was later acquitted.

In 1933, in German parliamentary elections, the Nazi Party won 44 percent of the vote; the Nazis

## TODAY IN HISTORY

joined with a conservative nationalist party to gain a slender majority in the Reichstag.

In 1946, Winston Churchill delivered his famous "Iron Curtain" speech at Westminster College in Fulton, Mo.

In 1953, Soviet dictator Josef Stalin died after three decades in power.

In 1963, country music performers Patsy Cline, "Cowboy" Copas and "Hawkshaw" Hawkins died in a plane crash near Camden, Tenn., that also claimed the life of pilot Randy Hughes, Cline's manager.

In 1970, a nuclear non-proliferation treaty went into effect after 43 nations ratified it.

In 1979, NASA's Voyager 1 space probe flew past Jupiter, sending back photographs of the planet and its moons.

In 1982, comedian John Belushi was found dead of a drug overdose in a rented bungalow in

Hollywood, Calif. He was 33.

**Ten years ago:** Italian Prime Minister Massimo D'Alema met at the White House with President Bill Clinton, a day after a military jury in North Carolina acquitted a Marine pilot in the Italian cable car accident that killed 20 people; D'Alema demanded justice, while Clinton expressed profound regret. Actor Richard Kiley died in Warwick, N.Y., at age 76.

**Five years ago:** Martha Stewart was convicted in New York of obstructing justice and lying to the government about why she'd unloaded her Imclone stock just before the price plummeted; her ex-stockbroker, Peter Bacanovic, also was found guilty in the stock scandal. (Each later received a five-month prison sentence.)

**One year ago:** John McCain, having sewn up the Republican presidential nomination, got a White House embrace from President George W. Bush, who praised the Arizona senator's "incredible courage and strength of character and perseverance."

**REAL ESTATE**  
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Homes For Sale  
**BUHL**  
BRING YOUR COLTS to a country acreage boasting a charming 3 bdrm, 2 bath home with warm pellet stove and gas heat. Deck in the fenced backyard invites entertaining. Located on a quiet cul-de-sac. \$225,000. Call Corinne BARKER REALTORS Call 543-4371

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For Sale by Owner. 2 bdrm, 2 bath on 10 acres, comes with 10 acre shares of water, some upgrades, fenced and cross fenced. Shoestring Rd. \$194,000 208-948-0581

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New 3264 sq. ft. home in the country on .21 dry acres. 4 bdrm, 3 bath, beautiful throughout. Will consider smaller home or farm property on trade. \$260,000 208-934-5370

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New home. Lease option to buy in Hagerman Valley, 1/2 mile from boat dock. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, plus bonus room, all electric kitchen, granite, tile, wood flooring, carpeted throughout, RV parking space & landscaped. Call 208-543-2902 or 539-4774

**HAGERMAN**  
New home. Reduced \$40,000. Approx 1/2 acre. RV parking & shop. 4 bdrm, 3 bath, 2200 sq. ft., 3 car garage (885 sq. ft.), formal dining rm, 9' ceilings, central vac. Vaulted & tray ceilings in living room, master bdrm, formal dining rm. Covered rear & front porches, city water & sewer, open floor plan. \$310,000. 208-639-7060 or 837-6494

**HEYBURN**  
1994 Broadmore Manufactured home 14x66. 3 bdrm, 1 bath. Stove, W/D, Refrigerator. In park. Can be moved \$13,000/offer Call 208-219-9686

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RUPERT For Sale by Owner. Approx. 20 acres north of Rupert. Brick home with finished basement, large deck with hot tub, extra large 2 car garage, mature yard. Excellent roping arena, corrals, fenced pasture, calf sheds. Can be feedlot for 70-100 calves, old dairy barn. \$250,000 firm. 208-632-4433 or 208-431-9101

**TWIN FALLS**  
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**TWIN FALLS**  
For sale by builder. Newer 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 1578 sq. ft., close to new hospital, large fenced yard, 2 car garage, appliances included, 1432 Anny Dr. off of W. Cheney. Realtors paid 3%. Priced below market value, \$165,000. Call Lori for details 208-404-4345.

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**TWIN FALLS**  
Must sell! By owner. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 1300 sq. ft. Townhome in awesome neighborhood. Creative offers welcome. Will pay 3% to buyers. Realtor, 1897 Hampton. \$120,000/offer. 707-292-6424

**TWIN FALLS**  
New home. Only \$116,000. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 1103 sq. ft., auto sprinklers, RV parking, quiet street by golf course, finished garage, lg lot. 592 Cobra Ct. 589-967-2030 or 208-734-4814

**TWIN FALLS**  
North Pointe Subdivision, near new High School & hospital. 6 bdrm, 2 1/2 bath, 2 car garage, 2 story home built in '05. 2689 sq. ft., forced air/AC, large fenced back yard with vinyl fence & sprinkler system, \$219,900. 208-734-3233

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**514 Income Property**  
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BURLY Purchase or exchange Commercial Building. Over 5000 sq. ft., currently divided into 3 businesses, owner financing OAC on approved credit. 208-431-3573

**515 Commercial Property**  
SHOSHONE 1 acre commercial lot, over 200' of frontage on Hwy 75, \$69,500. 4 lots to choose from, discounts for 2 or more. 208-639-0338

**518 Mobile Homes**  
BURLY Nashua '00, 16'x80', 3 bdrm, 2 bath, good cond., to be moved, \$35,000/offer. 208-678-2337

**519 Cemetery Lots**  
CEMETERY LOT Sunset Memorial Park Lot 5, in block 33, grave 1. \$500. Call 916-626-6117.

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TWIN FALLS Company looking for long-term leases with option to buy. Minimum 3 bdrm, \$100,000 to \$150,000 price range. Please call 208-735-5242.

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**BUHL** 2 bdrm- \$425 2 bdrm- \$425 Barker Realtors Call 543-4371

**BUHL** New 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, sprinkler system. \$750 + dep. 420-8805

**BUHL** Remodeled, 4 bdrm, acreage in country. 308-2941, SV Prop 720-1670 Real

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FILER Ranch acre, new 1 bdrm cottage, carport, hardwood floors, new cabinets, horse corral avail, water/garbage incl. \$600 1", last, cleaning, one third util. 3825 N. 2200 E. #C. 731-7218

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JEROME 409 W Ave E, 2-3 bedroom, W/D hookups, nicely redone, 2 car, \$895 + deposit. Call Markers 208-733-9503

JEROME Clean and spacious 3 bdrm, 2 bath dbl wide on nice lot, w/carport & storage, \$575 + dep. No pets, refs. 326-5887

JEROME Lg 3 bdrm 2 bath home, study, fenced back yd. Incentives offered \$750. Big Little Ranches-3 bdrm 2 bath. Large yard, garage, \$850

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JEROME New 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage. \$875 + deposit. 208-320-3196 or 320-2929

KIMBERLY 2 bdrm, 1 bath. \$525 + \$350 dep. Includes water sewer and garage. Call after 3pm, 423-5567 or 948-0655

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RUPERT 1 bdrm, 1 bath, \$450 + \$300 dep. No smoking/pets \* 3 bdrm. \$500 + \$300 dep. 208-436-9774

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TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm., 2 bath, mo to mo rent, \$850 + \$1000 dep. All util. paid. No smoking/pet \$59-967-2030.

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TWIN FALLS A retired professional couple non smoking no pets would like to sublet a house or apt for the summer. Will provide local refs. Call 208-880-6794.

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TWIN FALLS Cozy 2 bdrm, 1 bath, carport, garage, sprinkler system, no pets, 1 year lease. \$625 mo + \$600 dep. 733-7818.

TWIN FALLS Family home, 1 year lease. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fenced yard + dog run, sprinklers, patio, W/D hookup. Pets neg. No smoking. \$950 + \$650 deposit. 208-830-6226

TWIN FALLS Large 5 bdrm, 2 bath home. \$995/month. Pet OK. 265 Carney Street. 858-200-7705

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 home, 4 bdrm, 2.5 bath, 2 car garage, 2 living rooms, 6 vinyl fence, auto sprinklers, pets ok, W/D included. \$1125 month + \$700 deposit. Call Dan 208-403-9274.

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TWIN FALLS 1 bdrm, kitchen appl no smoking/pets. \$365-\$395. http://steelmtg.com Call 208-735-0473

TWIN FALLS 1\* MO FREE 2 bdrm \$495 3 bdrm \$525 208-734-1600 Fawnbrook Apts

604 Unfurnished Apts. and Duplex

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BUHL Close to schools/park 2 bdrm. appls water incl \$450. TWIN FALLS Spacious 2 bdrm bsmt, W/D hookup water \$525 Cozy 1 bdrm appls, water/lawncare, \$400 New carpet 3 bdrm 2 bath, garage yd \$850 Quiet neighborhood studio appls util \$400 Central local 3 bdrm, 2 bath appls, garage, fenced yard \$800. The Mgmt. 733-0739

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# THE ACES ON BRIDGE® Bobby Wolff

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In today's deal, two declarers played four hearts. The one who got the toughest lead was allowed to make it, while the one who got the softer defense went down.

At the first table, West led a spade. East won his queen, cashed the ace, then shifted to a diamond. Declarer naturally won the trick, pitched his diamond loser on the spade jack, and now lost just to the club king.

Should East have worked out to shift to a diamond at trick two? I think so. Where else was the fourth trick coming from except diamonds? Since West knew from trick one who had the spade ace, he would not misjudge the later defense.

In the other room, against four hearts, West led the diamond 10 to the jack, king and ace. South drew trumps, then continued with the club queen. This lost to East's king, and East returned a diamond to West's nine. The spade through dummy's king now sank the contract.

After that lucky diamond lead, four hearts should not have failed. South had passed the first hurdle when he put up dummy's diamond jack, preventing East from ducking the 10, but declarer should have allowed East's diamond king to hold trick one. This cuts the defenders' communications, and declarer can cope with any return. Trumps are drawn, then the club finesse is taken into the safe hand. Even though this loses, spades cannot profitably be attacked from East's side of the table.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolf," contact kayt6072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbywolff@mspring.com.

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**NORTH** 03-5-A  
 ♠ K 6  
 ♥ A 8 6 3  
 ♦ J 2  
 ♣ A J 10 9 5

**WEST**  
 ♠ 10 8 5 3 2  
 ♥ 4  
 ♦ Q 10 9 5  
 ♣ 7 3 2

**EAST**  
 ♠ A Q 9  
 ♥ 9 5 2  
 ♦ K 8 7 4 3  
 ♣ K 6

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ J 7 4  
 ♥ K Q J 10 7  
 ♦ A 6  
 ♣ Q 8 4

Vulnerable: Neither  
 Dealer: North

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
		1 ♣	Pass
1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	All pass		

Opening lead: Diamond 10

### BID WITH THE ACES

03-5-B

South holds:

♠ K 6  
 ♥ A 8 6 3  
 ♦ J 2  
 ♣ A J 10 9 5

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♠	2 ♦

**ANSWER:** In this situation you are not compelled to bid, so don't! A call of two hearts should show extras, as well as real club length. You might not have as much as a full reverse (e.g., the diamond king instead of the jack), but you would have a decent hand as opposed to what is essentially a minimum hand with no great shape. Here, just pass and await developments.

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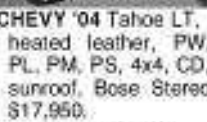
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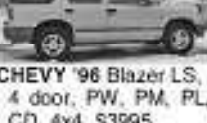
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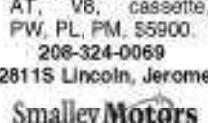
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By Dave Green

	1		5					
		3		9				
8	2		7					
	9			4		8	2	
	5		3		4			
6	2		5			7		
			5		7		4	
			1		2			
	9				3			

Answer to previous puzzle

5	9	1	7	2	6	4	8	3
2	4	8	1	3	9	7	6	5
3	6	7	4	8	5	1	9	2
8	5	6	9	1	4	2	3	7
1	2	9	5	7	3	8	4	6
7	3	4	8	6	2	5	1	9
4	8	5	3	9	7	6	2	1
9	7	2	6	4	1	3	5	8
6	1	3	2	5	8	9	7	4

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