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## Lawmakers seek to codify water settlement

By Jared S. Hopkins  
Times-News writer

BOISE — Lawmakers agreed Friday to introduce legislation to codify into law the settlement announced Thursday regarding the Swan Falls agreement between the state and Idaho Power Co.

Central to the settlement — which reaffirms most items in the 1984 Swan Falls agreement — is that Idaho

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Power Co. has given up its objections to the way the state manages Snake River water rights held in trust for its Swan Falls Dam.

An ongoing court case has focused on whether excess trust water can be used to

recharge the Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer, among other issues. But the settlement negotiated over the past couple of months will wrap up that debate and pave the way for talks to resolve the issues that remain.

Before the bills were presented by Deputy Attorney General Clive Strong — who helped craft the bill with attorneys for the utility and Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter — lawmakers applauded the

work done and said citizens should breathe a sigh of relief with the establishment of a benchmark in water policy.

"This is something we can hopefully put behind us," Senate Pro Tem Bob Geddes, R-Soda Springs, said.

The bills require the Idaho Water Resource Board to approve any managed recharge project beyond 10,000 annual acre-feet of water, the same procedures

for surface storage reservoirs; authorize the state's water chief to issue permits and licenses for groundwater recharge; clarifies that the Swan Falls agreement doesn't preclude use of water for researching; and consolidates existing state policy with respect to aquifer recharge.

In the initial agreement Idaho Power surrendered water rights for guarantees it would receive average daily

water flows of 3,900 cubic feet per second from April 1 to Oct. 31, and 5,600 cfs in the fall and winter at Swan Falls gauge near Murphy. Any water it owned above those amounts was held in trust by the state.

The settlement provides for the two parties to discuss a number of issues, including ways to better measure spring and surface flows

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## State cuts school funds

Public schools to get less in 2010, for first time in Idaho history

By Jared S. Hopkins  
Times-News writer

BOISE — For the first time in state history, Idaho's public schools will see less state money than they received the previous year.

The decision to trim 3.4 percent of the public schools budget after an influx of federal stimulus funds — passed along party lines over Democratic protests — was hardly a surprise after the double-digit cuts already doled out to agencies by the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee in the floundering economy.

It's supported by Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna, who said reserves and extra stimulus money must be saved, despite some cuts going deeper than he proposed.

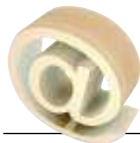
"Everyone agrees education can't sit this one out," Luna told reporters.

On Friday, budget writers initially cut \$109 million, or 7.7 percent, from the general fund. But after using stimulus money, the amount dips to 3.4 percent, a \$49 million net loss to public schools.



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Jamie Buntain, 17, ties balloons to a desk to keep them from floating away during decoration of the cafeteria at Kimberly High School for the annual prom, which takes place tonight. With state budget cuts next school year, raising funds for activities like the prom will take on even more importance as school districts look for ways to cut expenses.



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**WATCH** a video of reaction from lawmakers, teachers and public schools chief Tom Luna.

An additional \$20 million freezing teacher salaries. trimmed will come from policy "It certainly would be our changes through legislation, like opportunity, should the econo-

my rebound and we have revenue, to reassess this," said JFAC co-chairman Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert. "Nobody in this room put us into this situation. It was brought to us by the economy."

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## Educators react to budget decision

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

For educators, the historic decision of trimming public education's budget that came from the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee on Friday brought a sense of finality to months of wondering how deep the cuts to Idaho schools will run.

The work is far from done, though.

The Legislature and Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter still need to sign off on the budget. Education officials still need to determine the dollar amount for individual districts and schools in the days ahead. In many cases, principals and superintendents will need to look at budgets and decide where the final cuts will be trimmed from in the upcoming school year.

Even so, Magic Valley educators echoed a sense of relief on two fronts: the budget cuts could have slashed much more than the \$69 million reduction, and final budget planning on the local school district level soon will move forward with firmer numbers in hand.

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## BLM, developers look at effects of China Mountain wind project

By Nate Poppino  
Times-News writer

Developers of a proposed 185-turbine wind farm and the Bureau of Land Management are continuing to gather information on the effects the farm would have on the sagebrush-filled desert southwest of Rogerson.

The 425-megawatt China Mountain Wind Energy Project would be scattered across a 30,700-acre area. Though a draft environmental impact statement on the project is still a year away from release, the BLM this week launched a 30-day comment period on whether three meteorological towers should be placed in the area of the future farm. Several other towers already sit in the area.

The temporary towers, only up for three years, would help project developers measure wind speeds over that time, according to

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Comments on the assessment of the meteorological towers can be mailed to the Project Manager, China Mountain Wind Power Project, BLM Jarbidge Field Office, 2536 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, ID 83301. Comments can also be sent by e-mail to: id.jarbidge\_fo@blm.gov.

For more information on the proposed wind farm, visit: [http://www.blm.gov/id/st/en/prog/planning/china\\_mountain\\_wind.html](http://www.blm.gov/id/st/en/prog/planning/china_mountain_wind.html).

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an environmental assessment studying those structures' effects on the area. The document concludes that the towers may have some effect on various visual and other characteristics of the region, as well as grouse, bats and a species of cactus. But any issues are expected to be minor and temporary, it concludes.

Ester McCullough, the BLM's project manager for

the wind farm, said the agency will seek public comment on the assessment through April 22. If approved, the towers could go up early this summer, she said.

McCullough and the project developers — Renewable Energy Systems America Developments of Portland and Nevada utility NV Energy — are working together to perform more wildlife studies and collect other information before the draft EIS is released next spring. She said the ongoing research and public input

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## Dirty dishes send Spokane residents to Idaho in search of the good stuff

By Nicholas K. Geranios  
Associated Press writer

SPOKANE, Wash. — The quest for squeaky-clean dishes has turned some law-abiding people in Spokane into dishwasher-detergent smugglers.

They are bringing Cascade or Electrasol in from out of state because the eco-friendly varieties required under Washington state law don't work as well.

Spokane County became the launch pad last July for the nation's strictest ban on dishwasher detergent made with phosphates, a measure aimed at reducing water pollution. The ban will be expanded statewide in July 2010, the same time similar laws take effect in several other states.

But it's not easy to get sparkling dishes when you go green.

Many people were shocked to find that products like Seventh Generation, Ecover and



AP photo

Shannon Brattebo puts a phosphate-free detergent tablet into a dishwasher Wednesday in Spokane. Dishwasher detergents containing phosphates have been banned in Spokane County since July 2008.

Trader Joe's left their dishes encrusted with food, smeared with grease and too gross to use without rewashing them by hand. The culprit was hard water, which is mineral-rich and resistant to soap.

As a result, there has been a quiet rush of Spokane-area shoppers heading east on Interstate 90 into Idaho in

search of old-school suds. Real estate agent Patti Marcotte of Spokane stocks up on detergent at a Costco in Coeur d'Alene and doesn't care who knows it.

"Yes, I am a smuggler," she said. "I'm taking my chances because dirty dishes I cannot live with."

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# MORNING BRIEFING

## Pat's Picks

Three things to do today

Pat Marcantonio



• The Snake River Flats Barbershop Chapter of the Barbershop Harmony Society indeed harmonizes at 2 and 7:30 p.m. at the King Fine Arts Center, 2100 Park Ave., Burley. Tickets are \$6 for general admission, \$5 for seniors and \$3 for students.

• Watch dancing at its best as the Southern Utah University Ballroom Dance Co. performs at 7:30 p.m. at the College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Center auditorium, 315 Falls Ave. W., Twin Falls. Tickets \$10.

• The St. Catherine Catholic Church Basque dinner and auction goes from 5 to 8 p.m. at the American Legion Hall at

State Street and Lake Street in Hagerman. Cost is \$15 for adults and \$10 for kids 10 and under. Work up an appetite for Basque roast leg of lamb.

• And fighters from all over the state put up their dukes at the USA Amateur Boxing event at the Best Western Burley Inn. Doors open at 6 p.m. Admission is \$10, or \$5 for children 7 and under. It's sponsored by the Idaho Snake River Association.

*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@gmagicvalley.com.*

## TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

### ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

"Love Makes the World Go Round," presented by Snake River Flats in Barbershop harmony; headliners: Hangtime from Salt Lake City, 2 p.m. matinee and 7:30 p.m. show, King Fine Arts Center, Burley, \$6 general admission, \$5 for senior citizens and \$3 for children, 436-6047.

Lionel Bart's "Oliver," presented by Oakley Valley Arts Council, 7:30 p.m., Howells Opera House, 160 N. Blaine Ave., Oakley, \$8 reserved tickets, 677-2787 or oakleyvalleyarts.org.

Southern Utah University Ballroom Dance Co. performance of "Simply Ballroom," features variety of ballroom dances including Latin Samba of Brazil; Slow Waltz of Austria; Cha Cha from Cuba; American Foxtrot; and Spanish Paso Doble, 7:30 p.m. at College of Southern Idaho's Fine Arts Center auditorium, 315 Falls Ave. W., Twin Falls, \$8 general admission and \$6 for senior citizens and children under 12; no cost for CSI students, 732-6288 or 733-5332.

### BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

Semi-Pro Football fundraiser, Snake River Sabercats vs. Mt. Ogden Marauders, 2 p.m., Skaggs Sports Complex (behind Burley High School), \$3 for adults and \$2 for students and senior citizens, 878-6606.

Hagerman St. Catherine's Catholic Church annual Basque Dinner, with auction, door prizes and raffle for CZ "Mallard" over/under 12-gauge shotgun w/28" barrel; menu features Basque roast leg of lamb; wine served, 5 to 8 p.m., American Legion Hall, corner of State and Lake streets, Hagerman, \$15 for adults \$5 for children age 10 and under and \$40 for a family, fundraiser for Hagerman American Legion, Hagerman Senior Center and charity projects of Saint Catherine's

Parish, 208-837-4887.

Family Night Out with nationally acclaimed motivational speaker and comedian, Michael Pritchard, presented by The Southern Idaho Learning Center for families with children ages 8 and up (session with Michael for the whole family and kids-only session); smorgasbord served; and live auction hosted by Danny Marona (trip to Disneyland, flat screen TV, bicycles and other family-oriented items), 6 p.m., Canyon Crest Event Center, Twin Falls, \$20 for adults and \$15 for children ages 8 and up, 734-3914.

Gooding County Hospital Foundation annual "Spring Fling," featured speaker Jan Mittleider of Twin Falls on "Secrets of Aging Well," door prizes, 6:30 p.m. no-host bar and 7 p.m. dinner served by Gooding High School students, Gooding Country Club, tickets: \$50, limited seating, 208-934-5391 with any questions.

The 5th annual National Wild Turkey Federation "South Hills Strutters" chapter Couples Banquet, with live and silent auctions, raffles, games, prizes and sponsor table, 5 p.m. doors open with no-host cocktails and 6:30 p.m. dinner (Chef Kirt Martin of The Snake River Grill), Radio Rondevo, 241 Main Ave. W., Twin Falls, variety of tickets, limited seating, 734-9116, 420-4881 or 737-9900.

Hideaway; DJ Gil Aguilar from Boise, 10 p.m. to 2 a.m., 511 Building (Fifth and Leadville streets), \$5 with SolFest badge; and spring break party with DJ Swerve, 10 p.m. to closing, Roosevelt Grille; free all-access badges at Sun Valley/Ketchum Chamber Visitor Center or Clarion Inn, visitsunvalley.com.

### SCHOLARSHIP

Miss Magic Valley Scholarship Program Orientation, for girls ages 17-24; scholarship prizes given to participants in local pageant to further education, 11 a.m., Starley-Leavitt Conference Room, 715 Shoshone St. N., Twin Falls, 420-2052 or 423-4851.

### CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Christian Men's Fellowship and (optional) no-host breakfast, 7 to 8:30 a.m., Depot Grill, Twin Falls, no cost, 733-5501.

Salad Bar Card Party, lots of door prizes, noon, 100 F Hall No. 96, 120 W. Ave., Wendell, \$8, public invited, 324-3604.

Buttons and Bows Square Dancing Club "Mystery Dance," meet in parking lot of old Swensen's Store south of Singing Bridge; follow guide, 7 p.m., parking lot, Twin Falls, 536-2243. bbopprice@yahoo.com.

### EXHIBITS

New work by Twin Falls sculptor Yvonne Jacques, 11 a.m. to 3 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.

David Drake's Sculpture show, 1 to 9 p.m., Jean B. King Gallery, Herrett Center for the Arts and Science, College of Southern Idaho campus, 315 Falls Ave., Twin Falls, no cost, 732-6655.

## Water

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along the stretch of the Snake near Murphy and resolve state objections to Idaho Power water claims for its American Falls facility. Its execution also relies on several conditions, including actions to resolve the pending court case.

The legislation will undergo a joint hearing Wednesday with the House and Senate Resource committees "Frankly, I think it's a good deal," Rep. Bert Stevenson, R-Rupert, chairman of the House committee, said. "This takes the fight out of the recharge issue."

Sen. Chuck Coiner, R-Twin Falls, said he supported the agreement but noted that similar, unresolved issues remain regarding recharge above Milner Dam and rights for that dam owned by the North Side and

Twin Falls canal companies.

"This should allow the state and Idaho Power to continue to work together and not in court, which is a good thing," said Coiner, who sits on the Twin Falls Canal Company board of directors.

Norm Semanko, executive director of the Idaho Water Users Association, said his group meets Tuesday to decide whether to support the three bills.

In related news, the House passed Friday a bill to have the Comprehensive Aquifer Management Plan as a component of the state water plan. The plan was ordered by the Legislature two years ago because of a declining aquifer and rising number of water lawsuits.

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## Wind

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from earlier in the process haven't turned up anything surprising so far.

"Most of it was what we anticipated hearing," she said, including concern about fish and wildlife, sensitive species such as sage grouse and the cumulative effects of the towers and

other developments and management decisions in the area. The federal government is expected to issue a decision in the next few months on whether to add the grouse to the endangered species list.

Scott Kringen, the project manager with RES America, said the wind

farm is still right on track. His company made its partnership with NV Energy official a few months ago, and the two each own 50 percent of the project's assets now. At least half of the power produced by the farm is likely headed for Nevada.

Still to be developed are

possible alternatives to the wind-tower sites proposed by RES America. McCullough said alternate options will be developed as more effects of the towers become clear.

"Basically, it's ways to try and reduce the effects or impacts that would occur from the project," she said.

## Schools

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Among the hardest hit are teachers and administrators. State money sent to local districts to pay administrators will be cut 5 percent. Money for teachers will be slashed 2.6 percent. They'll also see their pay frozen for a year, and the early retirement incentive cut in half before it's entirely eliminated after next year.

The cuts to public schools — which makes up nearly half of the state's overall budget — were opposed by Democrats, who have pushed to use more reserves and stimulus money, including the nearly \$45 million in general-use funding available at Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's discretion.

Democratic budget proposals on Friday were just \$6 million less than the 2009 budget and didn't include striking early retirement or freezing the pay grid, among other differences.

Sen. Nicole LeFavour, D-Boise, said schools have already been operating with cramped classrooms and the cuts will lead to more problems.

"I believe we have made our schools live so close to the bone that when we got here today and we are making these cuts, we are in essence breaking our public school system."

Rep. Wendy Jaquet, D-Ketchum, said it was unfair to vary personnel funding

for teachers, administrators and other school employees.

"We've had quite a few discussions about what's fair," she said. "To me, the teacher is critical for the success of the classroom and the administrator is critical for the success of the school."

Luna pointed out programs that will remain intact include math and reading initiatives. He said he doesn't expect local school districts to hold bond votes to recover funding losses because they have enough flexibility.

"This should not result in any teachers being laid off and therefore driving up classroom sizes," Luna said. "There's a lot of options that districts have."

Luna, who previously said anything more than a 1.5 percent cut in teacher personnel costs jeopardized students' learning, on Friday said the 2.6 percent cut for teachers would still be sustainable by using furlough days and reducing salaries.

"I'm convinced that the adults can sit around the table and come to a solution that will not negatively affect the children," Luna said. "It's just important the adults act like adults and have the students in their best interest."

Rep. Jim Patrick, R-Twin Falls, said he sympathizes with teachers — his wife is

one — but pointed out state employees and private workers are seeing pay cuts, too.

"Everyone's suffering on this," he said. "We are all in the same boat. We're just trying to get through it."

While the initial \$109 million general cut reflects recommendations from Otter, JFAC's decision to inject \$60 million of stimulus into public schools does not.

Otter is reviewing the decision, said spokesman Jon Hanian.

"I would remind you that the governor hasn't made any decisions about any of the appropriations yet and that's certainly the case with this budget," Hanian said. "The key point is that what the governor proposed ... was with the long-term goal that we don't have to enact more draconian cuts down the road."

The cuts will hurt education, said Sherri Wood, president of the Idaho Education Association, the teachers union that offered lawmakers alternatives.

"It's a very sad day for public education and kids and for the teachers who work so hard every day in our public schools to do the best that they can for our kids," she said.

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## Educators

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"It could have been worse," said Wiley Dobbs, superintendent of Twin Falls School District. "That's one thing I think we all have an agreement on."

For Twin Falls School District, the approach to budget cuts includes changing the block schedule for secondary schools to 50-minute classes, trimming an administrative position, and cutting back on textbooks and travel. The district also plans to reduce teaching positions through attrition.

"It wasn't the worst-case scenario, but it's going to be difficult," said Scott Rogers, superintendent of Minidoka County School District.

Rogers said the district has more budget planning that includes public meetings and getting feedback from people throughout the district. He anticipates staff reductions, salary reductions, or a combination of the two, but also stresses that the overriding goal is preserving the quality of education.

"The bottom line is: come June, I've got to present a balanced budget," Rogers said.

Kimberly High School Principal Luke Schroeder said he still needs the budget numbers for his school before he'll have final recommendations for what to cut. Already this year,

though, the school has saved money by spending \$2,000 less on textbooks.

"We've tightened our belt this year in anticipation of cuts," Schroeder said.

Jim Cobble, superintendent of Jerome School District, said the decision to cut the education budget isn't one that legislators wanted to make.

"The bottom line obviously is, we know the economy has deteriorated," he said. "The revenue's not there and had to be cut. No one's pleased with it, including JFAC."

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## Dishes

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Actually, the ban applies to the sale of phosphate detergent — not its use or possession — so Marcotte is not in any legal trouble.

Marcotte said she tried every green brand in her dishwasher and found none would remove grease and pieces of food. Everybody she knows buys dishwasher detergent in Idaho, she said.

Supporters of the ban acknowledge it is not very popular.

"I'm not hearing a lot of positive feedback," conceded Shannon Brattebo of the Washington Lake Protection Association, a

prime mover of the ban.

"I think people are driving to Idaho," she said.

Steve Marcy, manager of the Costco in Coeur d'Alene, about 10 miles east of the Washington state line, estimated that sales of dishwasher detergent in his store have increased 10 percent. He knows where the customers are coming from.

"I'll joke with them and ask if they are from Spokane," Marcy said. "They say, 'Oh yeah.'"

Shoppers can still buy phosphate detergents in Washington state by venturing outside Spokane County, but Idaho is more

convenient to many Spokane residents.

Phosphates — the main cleaning agent in many detergents and household cleaners — break down grease and remove stains. However, the chemicals are difficult to remove in wastewater treatment plants and often wind up in rivers and lakes, where they promote the growth of algae. And algae gobble up oxygen in the water that fish need to survive.

While traditional detergents are up to 9 percent phosphate, those sold in Spokane County can contain no more than 0.5 percent.

### CORRECTIONS

#### Last line of story was missing

A story in Friday's paper about water curtailment didn't end. The final quote should have read:

"I wouldn't want to be the person to shut down 41,000 acres," said De Wolfe, who stood to lose 80 of the 300 acres he farms. "There's all kinds of fallout."

#### Results listed wrong winner of high jump

Due to inaccurate information provided to the Times-News, Friday's sports section listed the wrong winner of the boys high jump at the Filer Track Invitational. Austin Basterrecha of Gooding won the event with a jump of 5 feet, 10 inches.

#### Story gave wrong age for injured child

A story published Friday about regulations for day care providers gave the wrong age for Brandi Whaley's daughter when she suffered injuries at a day care. Whaley's daughter was 5 months old.

The Times-News regrets the errors.

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## AROUND THE VALLEY

### Frank sentencing is May 7 in Boise

An Ada County Court has reset a sentencing hearing for a Minico High School teacher and coach convicted of misdemeanor charges of battery and unlawful entry.

Ben Frank is scheduled to be sentenced at 9:30 a.m. May 7, in Ada County 4th District Magistrate Court.

Frank was found guilty of the misdemeanor charges March 5, after standing trial on a charge of felony attempted strangulation stemming from an incident at Jacobi Patterson's home in Boise on Feb. 22, 2008. He was found not guilty of the felony charge.

Minidoka County School District Superintendent Scott Rogers said during an earlier interview the school board would review the case after the court completed sentencing.

Frank was initially placed on administrative leave but he was reinstated by the board after being advised by the district's legal counsel, Rogers said. Frank faces imprisonment in the county jail for no more than six months, a fine of up to \$1,000 or both, according to Idaho law.

### Petersen hearing will be continued

A Cassia County 5th District court continued a preliminary hearing scheduled Friday for a Burley man charged with felony vehicular manslaughter.

Jamie Petersen, 30, was charged following a one-vehicle crash on Oct. 15, 2008, that killed Maria F. Romo, 27, of Heyburn, who was a passenger in the vehicle.

Petersen was also charged with aggravated driving under the influence.

Another date for the preliminary hearing had not been set by the magistrate court Friday afternoon, according to the court clerk.

Petersen was charged after allegedly losing control of the pickup he was driving northbound near the Elba-Almo road intersection. The pickup careened down a 60-foot embankment, ejecting Romo 20 feet from the embankment. She later died from her injuries in a Utah hospital, according to court records.

State lab tests revealed Petersen had a blood-alcohol content of .12 and Petersen and Romo both had clothing out of place, according to court documents.

If convicted, Petersen could face up to 15 years in prison, a \$15,000 fine and driver's license suspension for a period determined by the judge for the vehicular manslaughter charge. On the aggravated driving under the influence charge Petersen could face up to 10 years in prison, up to a \$5,000 fine and driver's license suspension for one to five years.

### Lopez to plead guilty in farm equipment crash

A Rupert man charged with misdemeanor vehicular manslaughter last October in a crash involving a farm implement has been scheduled in Minidoka 5th District Magistrate Court to change his plea to guilty. He could be sentenced in May.

Jose Luis Lopez is scheduled to appear at 9:30 a.m. May 13, in front of Minidoka Magistrate Judge Rick Bollar.

The charges stem from a crash Oct. 6, involving Lopez, who was driving a 2002 Ford pickup pulling a farm implement on Idaho Highway 24 at 1200 North in Minidoka County, according to the Minidoka County Sheriff's report on the incident.

The crash killed Jesus Valero, 46, who was driving a 1994 Dodge pickup that side-swiped the left side of the farm implement that Lopez was pulling. The report said the implement, which is used to sort dirt clods from potatoes in fields, was overhanging about five feet into Valero's lane of traffic.

After Valero's truck struck the implement it went off the road and collided a parked 10-wheeler truck sitting in the parking lot of a potato warehouse, the report said.

The report said Lopez told officers he saw Valero's vehicle in the oncoming lane of traffic and he tried to warn the driver by flashing his headlights. The farm implement had a slow-moving vehicle sign on it but there were no lights on the machine and no lights directed at the machine to illuminate it. The accident occurred at 8:24 p.m., the report said.

Misdemeanor vehicular manslaughter carries a penalty of up to a year in jail, a fine of up to \$2,000 and a suspended driver's license for a term to be determined by the judge.

- Laurie Welch

# Schroeder: Curtailment not necessary in A&B call

By Nate Poppino  
Times-News writer

A&B Irrigation District should do more to improve a portion of its wells before seeking recompense from nearby groundwater pumpers, the hearing officer in the district's water call has decided.

The Idaho Department of Water Resources released the recommendation from former Idaho Chief Justice Gerald Schroeder, who now acts as hearing officer in a number of water cases, late Friday afternoon.

Rupert-based A&B, which irrigates 62,600 acres, made a water delivery call on the pumpers in March 2007, alleging in part that the state had failed to follow through on a 1994 promise to manage the aquifer that both the district and pumpers get their water from.

IDWR Director Dave Tuthill denied the call in January 2008, writing that the district had failed to show actual material injury

caused by the other pumpers. A&B officials then requested a review of his decision.

In his recommendation to Tuthill, Schroeder wrote that the difficulty A&B has had with water levels in one part of its territory doesn't by itself justify mitigation measures from the other groundwater pumpers. He also advised IDWR to develop standards for reasonable pumping levels, which would draw a clearer line showing when districts could make water calls.

It seems possible, Schroeder wrote, for the irrigation district to take further steps to improve its wells before seeking to recover its water from the pumpers. His decision seemed influenced in part by uncertainties surrounding several issues: He wrote a few times that more information is needed to clarify various aspects of the case.

Among other details, Schroeder noted that more water enters the aquifer A&B draws from than is

removed by pumpers.

And he gave advice on another procedural question, writing that the state model of the Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer should be consulted once injury is determined, but not used specifically to determine injury.

Neither of the main parties in the case could be reached for comment immediately Friday evening. Tuthill said that the department will carefully consider

Schroeder's recommendation on the reasonable pumping levels.

The parties in the case now have 14 days to petition Schroeder to reconsider his opinion.

After any reconsideration is ruled on, any hearings are held and all the parties who wish to have filed briefs on the recommendation, Tuthill will have 56 days to issue his final opinion on the matter.

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# Hailey woman strikes it rich in Idaho lottery

By Ariel Hansen  
Times-News writer

BELLEVUE — Just about everyone who comes into Guffy's in Bellevue these days has one request: "Sell me a lottery ticket."

The convenience store has been lucky in the past, and last week, it proved very lucky for one Guffy's employee. Angela Burt, 28, of Hailey, won \$200,000 in the lottery's 20th anniversary scratch-off game on March 19.

"My friend and I were both working together, and she decided not to buy it because it was the last one on there," Burt said. Burt,

who plays scratch tickets every day, had no reluctance to pick the last ticket on a roll, and her confidence was well-placed. Standing behind the counter, she scratched, and she won. "I had a double look, then I called (my fiancé); he had to come down (to the store)."

"I didn't believe her," said David Orr, with a big smile for Burt. "I was just about to put the girls to bed, and she called and asked, 'How much do you love me?'"

Since she won, Burt said everyone is recognizing her and giving her financial advice. But she has a plan all set. She's already bought

a car — a 2004 Volkswagen Jetta with child locks on the back doors to keep her two young daughters safe — and she plans to invest most of the rest in college funds for the girls.

"She's such a sweet person," said Martin Chandler, owner of Guffy's. "When you see that, it gives you hope, for those of us who work really hard."

All three of the big winners at Guffy's — including Fred Anderson, who won \$100,000 in 2005, and Sherrie Taylor, who won \$10,000 in 2006 — have been hardworking locals, Chandler said, and he has pictures of them up on the

convenience store walls. He's glad the winnings have stayed in the community.

"Keep it right here in Bellevue, so I survive too," he said. The store that sells the winning ticket gets a bonus, and the increased business because of Guffy's lucky reputation hasn't hurt, either, especially in an economic climate that was threatening the store's income. "We're in a good mood, the employees are in a good mood, and that spills over to the customers."

And if Guffy's — and Bellevue — can stay lucky, perhaps that good mood that will carry on.



ARIEL HANSEN/Times-News

From behind the counter at Guffy's in Bellevue, where she works, Angela Burt points to the spot where she chose her winning lottery ticket — the last one in the roll. The Hailey woman won \$200,000 in the state lottery's 20th anniversary game last week.

## Twin Falls Mayor Lance Clow touts memorial plaza at town hall meeting

By Blair Koch  
Times-News correspondent

Location and funding logistics aside, Twin Falls Mayor Lance Clow explained his plan for a memorial plaza in Historic Downtown to a handful of veterans and interested residents during a small town hall meeting Thursday night.

The idea for a veterans service center and tourist draw is part of the Mayor's Initiative 2010, introduced more than a year ago to stimulate conversation and action to revitalize downtown Twin Falls by the end of next year.

Clow said the possible open-air plaza and vet-

erans service center could serve area Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion and other veterans groups, and "create traffic" and "be something veterans can be proud of."

During the meeting Clow referred to his "vision" as a place where diversity would be key.

The plaza wouldn't just be a place for veterans but perhaps where Native Americans, blacks and other special interests could set up memorials or kiosks.

As a draw to get people into Twin Falls, the plaza sounded like a good idea to Magic Valley Arts Council

Executive Director Stacy Madsen, and could help break down stereotypes.

The plaza could be similar to the Anne Frank Memorial in Boise, she said.

"People go (to Boise) to see it," Madsen said.

Funding for the project, which does not yet have an architectural rendering, is also a concern but one that could be overcome, Clow said, perhaps with a congressional earmark and a major fundraising effort by each group represented at the plaza.

"Maybe my vision is too big," Clow said. "But if I don't try ... nothing will happen."

While the veterans in attendance indicated they were interested in the service center, an agreement between the different organizations needs to be completed.

How funding will be pooled and then dispersed is also a hurdle but VFW District Commander Bob Jackson, of Twin Falls, said the center was worth pressing forward on.

"What I am concerned with, and what this is needed for are future generations of veterans," Jackson said.

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## Gateway West report due this summer

By Nate Poppino  
Times-News writer

Plans by two electric utilities to build 1,150 miles of new high-voltage transmission lines across southern Idaho and Wyoming are on schedule, with a draft environmental impact statement on the work expected late this summer.

The nearly \$2 billion Gateway West Transmission Line Project will connect a planned Rocky Mountain Power substation in eastern Wyoming with Idaho Power's Hemingway substation near Murphy. With parts operational by 2014, it's intended to expand the transmission capabilities of the two states at a time when power crunches are common.

Just this month, Idaho Power began work on a series of environmental studies that will provide crucial information for the draft document, Doug Dockter, the utility's engineering lead for large transmission-line projects, said Wednesday during a visit to the *Times-News*. The draft is being compiled by the U.S. Bureau of Land Management, serving as the lead federal agency examining the project.

At the same time, the utilities are continuing outreach efforts to the local landowners who sit along the proposed path of the line, Dockter said. Those efforts included a "cordial, very productive meeting" earlier this month hosted by Twin Falls County landowners, he said, as well as one last month in American Falls that resulted in some changes to the project's route.

The utilities hope to gather as much public feedback as they can this spring so any route adjustments or alternate proposals can be evaluated in the BLM report.

### LEARN MORE

Visit <http://www.gatewaywestproject.com/> to learn more about the project and see detailed maps of its proposed route. The public will be able to comment on the BLM draft environmental impact statement after its release this summer. To weigh in on the project: [gatewaywest@idahopower.com](mailto:gatewaywest@idahopower.com)

The general route of the transmission lines runs through all six counties of the Magic Valley, but the two-mile-wide study area will eventually shrink to only 300-foot-wide rights-of-way that can be shifted to avoid homes, businesses and wildlife.

"We don't have a center line that's set in stone," Dockter said.

The environmental studies should help the project avoid winter ranges for elk and visually sensitive areas like the Oregon Trail. The lines will also stay more than three-fifths of a mile away from sage-grouse breeding areas.

The federal government is expected to decide in the next few months whether to add the grouse to the endangered species list.

"If they do get listed, I think we're adequately covered," Dockter said.

Some Magic Valley residents have shared their concerns about what high-voltage lines can do to human and animal health. But Dockter argued that any effects are negligible at best — including from electromagnetic fields that are harmful at high levels. It's not clear what effects, if any, low-level exposure has on the human body, according to federal and global health organizations.

"A lot of people use that as a scare tactic," Dockter said, noting the research.

## New book features historical photos of Cassia County

By Laurie Welch  
Times-News writer

A county-wide effort to gather old photographs for a book has paid off for the Cassia County Historical Society, which received the first copy this week.

Cassia County Museum Curator Valerie Bowen said people in communities throughout the county participated in gathering the photos and the stories behind them for the book, "Images of America, Cassia County."

The 128-page book, published by Arcadia Publishing, will be used as a fundraiser for the historical society.

"I am so excited that it's final-

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ly tangible," said Bowen, who began work on the project last year. The book contains 200 images of early Cassia County and its people along with the stories that go with them.

"It was really hard to choose what to put in and how much of the story we could tell," Bowen said.

The museum wants to gather

an order of at least 200 books before the end of March to get the best deal on the cost, which will net more money for the historical society, Bowen said.

"The stories that go behind the pictures are almost as good as the pictures themselves," Bowen said. "This is about the heritage, the people and the struggles. There was a lot of pride back then."

Anyone who wants to purchase a copy after the first order is placed can stop by the museum on the corner of East Main Street and Hiland Avenue after April 13.

"I hope when people see it they say 'Let's do another one,'" Bowen said. "We could easily do another book from the 1930s on."

## United Way looks at its fundraising history

By Ben Botkin  
Times-News writer

United Way of South Central Idaho has raised more than \$1.7 million in the past decade for area non-profit organizations.

Though the economy is down, people are still generous in their giving, Executive Director Patricia Hansen said, adding that individual donations have increased. In 2008, the local United Way raised \$247,000 to help its partner agencies.

"We were all fearful that donor dollars would be down and have been pleasantly surprised," Hansen said. "This community helps their friends and neighbors when times are tough. People realize their friends and neighbors need help, so they're giving."

Historically, United Way has raised \$300,000 to \$400,000 annually in the Magic Valley, and Hansen attributes lower figures in the past several years to prior turnover in the organization's executive directors. United Way assists part-

ner agencies that include Crisis Center of the Magic Valley, Girl Scouts, Valley House and area senior centers. Its goals are to help with youth development and education, family financial and emergency assistance and health improvement.

Much of the fundraising for United Way comes through optional payroll deductions that local companies offer their employees.

The local United Way branch serves an eight-county region in south central Idaho and Jackpot, Nev.

United Way is also seeking volunteers to serve as board members.

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# Idaho lawmakers take aim at metal thieves

BOISE (AP) — Idaho lawmakers hope to thwart metal thieves with a bill that would make it tougher for people to sell some metal items if they can't prove they own them.

House Bill 163 has already passed the House and is expected to be voted on soon by the Senate.

In Idaho, copper wire from utility trucks, power poles and substations has been stolen. Farmers have lost irrigation wheels, pipes and sprinkler heads.

"The ag community was losing quite a bit," said Rep. Steve A. Kren, R-Nampa, a co-sponsor of the bill with Rep. Wendy Jaquet, D-Ketchum. "If it wasn't bolted down, it was gone."

Michael Kane, a spokesman for the Idaho Sheriffs Association, said streetlight poles and fixtures, manhole covers and funeral urns "are not the kind of things people would

just normally have around the house."

If passed, the measure would repeal the state's laws from the 1970s on buying and selling scrap metal. It would require metal sellers to sign a declaration affirming the metal they're selling is not stolen property.

Officials said the requirement will deter some metal thieves and create a paper trail making metal thieves who persist easier to catch.

"I believe in the bill," Michael Cataldo, regional manager for Pacific Recycling, told the Idaho Statesman. "I think it's good for the business owner, scrap seller and the general public."

He said the proposed law wouldn't be too onerous for scrap metal dealers, and bring Idaho up to date with Washington, Oregon and California.

"It is nothing out of the ordinary," he said. "It has been coming down the line for quite some time."

Authorities in southwest Idaho said metal thefts have dropped compared with last summer, when metal prices were higher and many thefts were the result of people looking to convert stolen metal into cash for drugs. Copper and aluminum are most often targeted.

"The price of metal is down a lot, so there's no market for it," said Caldwell police Chief Chris Allgood.

The price of copper has dropped to about \$2 a pound, about half of what it was selling for at its peak last summer when metal theft proliferated.

"During the summertime, it was very tough," said Cataldo. "There were people stealing stuff left and right. It was crazy."

## ACLU asks judge to fix problems at Idaho jail

By Rebecca Boone  
Associated Press writer

BOISE — The American Civil Liberties Union has asked a federal judge to order Canyon County officials to immediately fix problems at the Canyon County Jail, contending that inmates are being sickened by the conditions and that their safety is at risk.

The injunction request was filed Friday in U.S. District Court for the District of Idaho. It's the first major motion in the lawsuit over jail conditions filed by the ACLU and six inmates earlier this month.

"Given that all five constitutional violations occurring here — overcrowding, inadequate ventilation, inadequate sanitation, inadequate plumbing, and inadequate recreation — are the product of systemic failures in policies or practices, plaintiffs are entitled to systemic relief," the ACLU wrote in its motion.

The ventilation is so bad that it leaves the cells dank and dripping with humidity, colds and other communicable diseases are easily spread through the stagnant air and inmates have become dizzy and physically ill from mold and lack of fresh air, the ACLU contends in its motion.

When the inmates complained, staffers didn't deny the claims of inadequate sanitation, and often blamed the prisoners, suggesting that they should request cleaning supplies to fix the problem, even when the inmates were complaining about clogged drains, leaking pipes and persistent mold, the ACLU contends.

"In short, prisoners often get the run-around, and in any event, unsanitary conditions persist," the ACLU wrote in the motion.

The squalor of the jail amounts to cruel and unusual punishment, the ACLU contends, and the county should be ordered to have the jail inspected by experts and then submit a plan to correct the problems to the court.

"Entire systems will likely need to be refurbished," the ACLU wrote. "Moreover, the population of the jail must be capped at a tolerable level, adequate space must be set aside for indoor recreation with exercise equipment, and all prisoners (including those in segregation) must be afforded an opportunity for reasonable outdoor exercise."

In a prepared statement, ACLU attorney Stephen Pevar said it was shameful that county officials have allowed the jail to become so foul.

## SPREADING THEIR WINGS



JEROME A. POLLOA/Coeur d'Alene Press  
A flock of swans fly over Wolf Lodge Bay March 18 on the east side of Lake Coeur d'Alene.

## AROUND THE WEST

### Minnick picks 2 for federal ag posts

BOISE — Rep. Walt Minnick has sent President Obama two names to fill key federal farm and rural development positions.

Minnick is recommending Dick Rush be named director of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency, and Wally Hedrick, a former director of the Idaho Lottery who owns a hay and cattle ranch in the Magic Valley, as director of the USDA Rural Development Agency.

The recommendations await the approval of Obama. Minnick gets to fill those positions and others because he's Idaho's lone congressional Democrat.

Minnick is also responsible for nominating the high profile job of U.S. Attorney for Idaho and U.S. Marshal.

Rush, who lives in Boise, served as director of the Idaho Department of Agriculture under two governors and is the former CEO and the American Red Cross of Greater Idaho.

### Judge punishes men for wildfire

BOISE — A federal judge has sentenced two Idaho Falls men responsible for igniting a wildfire in eastern Idaho in the summer of 2003.

Brad Sims, 34, and Jonathan Barrow, 28, pleaded guilty in November to using fireworks that set off a wildfire that burned more than 2,700 acres and a five-mile stretch of utility poles along U.S. Highway 20.

The fire started on July 19, 2003 north of Idaho Falls and caused thousands of dollars in damage.

Federal judge B. Lynn Winmill sentenced Sims to 14 months in federal prison on one felony count of setting a wildfire.

The judge sentenced Barrow, who was convicted of a lesser charge, to three years probation, including three months of home detention.

Both men must also pay \$167,820 in restitution for damages to utilities and fire fighting costs.

### Spared from slaughter, bison will move to Wyo.

BILLINGS, Mont. — A small herd of bison from Yellowstone National Park will be moved to Wyoming's Wind River Reservation next month, part of a fledgeling effort to spare some of the animals from a government-sponsored slaughter program.

The 41 bison are now in a quarantine facility in Corwin Springs, Mont., just north of the park. They are what's left of a group of 100 bison spared in 2005 and 2006 from a slaughter program meant to guard against transmissions of the disease brucellosis to domestic livestock.

Carried by many of the park's bison, brucellosis causes pregnant animals to abort their young. To prevent its spread, 1,600 bison attempting to migrate outside the park were killed in 2008. But there have been no recorded bison-to-cattle transmissions in the wild.

A second herd of bison held in Corwin Springs could be moved onto different reservations over the next two years. Representatives of the Fort Belknap and Fort Peck tribes have submitted proposals to take the animals.

### Ex-pastor convicted in teen sex case

ASHTON — A former pastor at a church in eastern Idaho has pleaded guilty to one count of lewd conduct with a 15-year-old boy.

Ruben Floyd, 48, a Baptist pastor at the now defunct Ashton Bible Church, pleaded guilty to the felony this week and faces up to life in prison. Sentencing is scheduled for May 26 in 7th District Court.

Floyd, also a former substitute teacher at North Fremont Junior-Senior High School, was initially charged with four counts of lewd conduct.

Prosecutors say the encounters with the boy occurred in late 2008.

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## QUOTABLE

"We do not want to give up yet. We want to go down swinging if we go down."  
 — Fargo, N.D., Mayor Dennis Walaker after forecasters increased the projected crest of the Red River

# More showdowns inevitable if aquifer isn't fixed

**CHEERS:** We dodged a bullet again.

Idaho Department of Water Resources Director Dave Tuthill on Thursday accepted a plan from groundwater pumpers to provide water owed to Clear Springs Foods near Buhl. Tuthill ruled last year that pumping had helped diminish the springs that feed the trout company's Snake River Farm.

The ruling means that 865 wells covering two groundwater districts and 41,000 acres of farmland won't be shut off this spring, which would have been a hard blow to a weak Magic Valley economy.

But curtailment, as it's called, could still happen this year if groundwater pumpers don't comply with their commitment to dry up farmland along the Snake River Canyon Rim and pump water from those wells over the rim to the fish farm.

Tuthill plans to keep the groundwater users on a short

leash. Pumpers will have to supply the state with a bond for the total construction cost before work begins and they'll be fined \$10,000 a day if the system isn't started up before June 1.

Of course, another curtailment showdown is inevitable if the Legislature doesn't implement the Comprehensive Aquifer Management Plan agreed to by all the stakeholders that aims to "save" 600,000 acre-feet a year by 2030 in the Eastern Snake River Plain Aquifer.

**JEERS:** To the Idaho House Health and Welfare Committee, for taking a powder on legislation to tighten regulation on small day care centers.

The 16-member panel voted Thursday to wait several days because Republican lawmakers said they wanted to think about the bill and offer some amendments.



What's there to think about? The same committee has considered and killed similar day care regulation proposals the past three years.

More likely, social conservatives on the committee are hoping they can stall long enough that the Legislature will adjourn before they can take action on the measure, which would require day care centers to do background checks on employees, set inspection guidelines and minimum standards for first-aid certification, and have a telephone.

If lawmakers don't understand there's overwhelming public support for tougher day care regulation in Idaho,

they're living in a bubble. The time to act on this legislation is now.

**CHEERS:** To the Idaho Department of Correction, for bringing home 318 inmates from a troubled private prison in Oklahoma.

Department of Correction Director Brent Reinke said this week that with Idaho prison overcrowding issues resolved, the state can return prisoners now housed at the North Fork Correctional Facility in Sayre, Okla.

Inmate David Drashner of Boise was beaten to death by another prisoner in Drashner's cell at Northfork last June 25. The prison is run by Corrections Corporation of America.

Idaho began shipping inmates out of state after a federal judge ruled that overcrowded conditions here were dehumanizing. Since then, the state has built 628 beds at the

Idaho Correctional Center in Boise. By next spring, more than 1,000 new beds will be available in lockups across Idaho.

Over the past eight months, Idaho has transferred 380 inmates back to the state. Last fall it stopped doing business with GEO Group Inc. and pulled 300 Idaho prisoners out of GEO's Bill Clayton Detention Center in Littlefield, Texas, citing security concerns. Inmate Randall McCullough of Twin Falls committed suicide there in 2007, leaving a note in which is complained about conditions at the prison.

New Idaho prison space notwithstanding, IDOC is able to bring so many prisoners back to Idaho because of the success of state-funded drug, alcohol and mental health courts and offender counseling. The Legislature should remember that when it comes time to set the budget.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Thoughts about people who bash alternate lifestyles

Lately, you have published several letters that debase gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people and their advocates, written by some incompetent duffers, some spectacularly unpleasant human beings, and some very good haters, all of whom seem to dwell in a world of their own making.

A world where religious darkness and the prejudices of the vulgar, coupled with willful blindness, occasion mindless enthusiasm for all the wrong things, and where some of the dwellers live on the fringes of self-control like distracted imbeciles.

I have learnt a lot from my many conversations with people who view homosexuality as a conscious choice (so what if it were). Many people seemed to me to view life as too complicated and far too intellectually demanding for them. Some of them were not cocksure about their own sexuality, but because of horrid religious beliefs fought against their erotic urges by flaying GLBT people and their advocates.

Others gave me the distinct impression that they were unable to relish the exquisite outcome of erotic tension because they naturally imagine how ridiculous they look to themselves and to their partners, while simultaneously struggling with thoughts that they should be erotically corkscrewed with somebody else, often a person of their own sex.

Still others, obviously wound tighter than 10-day

clocks, seemed pathologically terrified of their erotic urges when alone.

They were so convinced that giving in to erotic self-reliance would damn them for eternity, they were unable to discuss it, except to furiously condemn it and the people who used it.

Because none of them seemed to have been bottle-fed on the milk of human kindness, nor reared with an understanding of human erotic propensity, there will be no heaven for them, only a plunge into the abyss.

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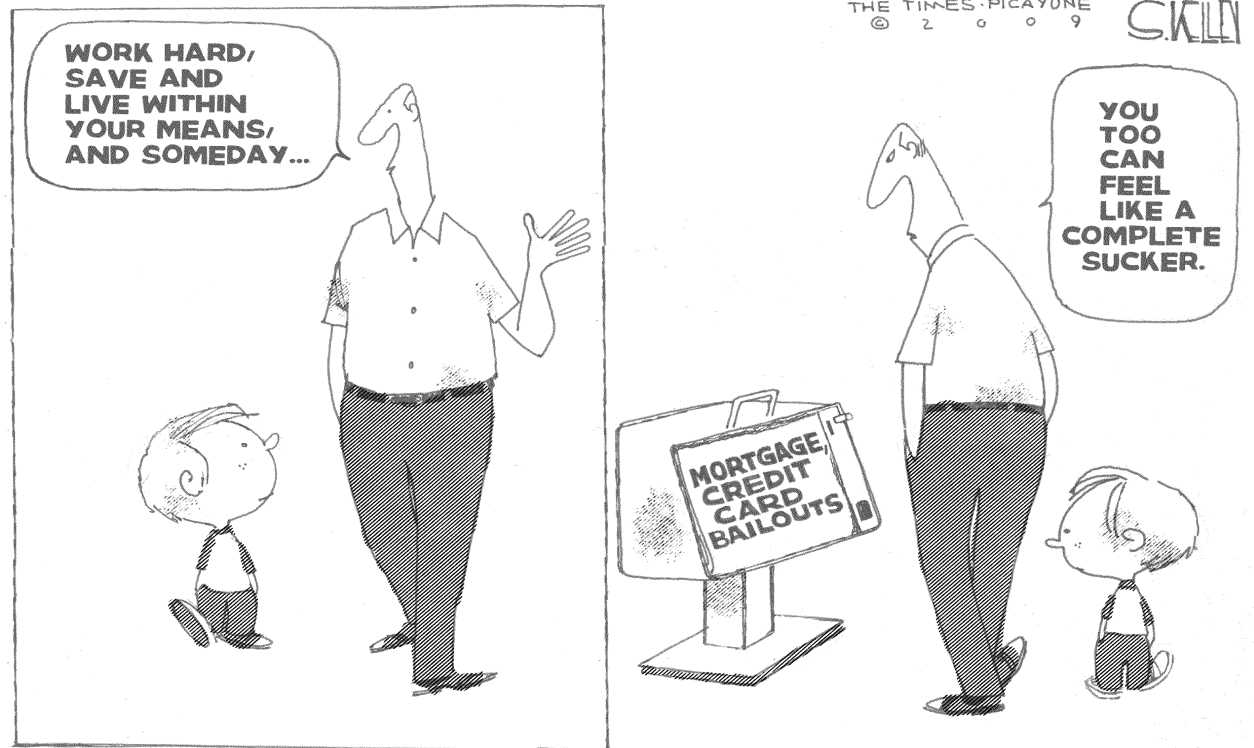
### It's about time for another 'tea party'

For anyone that is unhappy with the way that the president and Congress are handling the current situation, we are having a "tea party" to protest. On April 1, just send a tea bag to 1600 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D.C. 20500. If enough tea bags are received, maybe they will get the picture!

Congress is all upset about AIG executives getting bonuses when they didn't do a good job; well, what about Congress giving itself a raise. Have they earned it, I think not. If Congress passes a tax law that taxes the bonuses, who will be next to get a special tax? Maybe the people like me who speak out against the way they are doing things.

We need to speak out now and let them know we are watching and that we are unhappy. Send a tea bag!

**G. RAY WIMAN  
Twin Falls**



# Living in a world turned upside down

**M**aybe you've come to grips with it. Not me. Not yet. Months into this crisis, I still don't fully comprehend how things could have changed so profoundly in such a short time, and how much more change has yet to come. The economy has changed, the culture has changed, the future has changed for all of us.

You knew that already. I know it, too. But every time I think I get it, something surprises me; something reminds me that I still don't fully grasp it.

Sometimes it's a little thing. Last week it was news that thousands of tickets were still available to the Atlantic Coast Conference basketball tournament in Atlanta, the first time in 46 years the tourney hadn't sold out beforehand. A weekend earlier, the NASCAR race in Atlanta also had thousands of empty seats. So even the sports industry, long a symbol of societal excess, is undergoing a painful "right-sizing," to use the term.

But that was nothing compared to the sight of mothers with small children begging for handouts on a downtown Atlanta street, a new sight and something I had never seen outside the



**JAY  
BOOKMAN**

Third World.

Of course, some Americans have faced change a lot more directly. People who have lost homes, jobs, careers or retirement savings confront it on a daily basis. Every morning they wake up to an altered reality, and I doubt that even now most of them know what to make of it, or where it will end. All they know is that the world they knew has ended, and with it their place in that world.

Even the TV commercials are jarringly different. Financial institutions that a few months ago extolled the merits of greed and wealth now laud the virtues of security and the simple things in life; car companies brag about gas mileage, not horsepower. The conspicuous consumption that our culture treated as a sign of success seems as outdated as a Nehru collar from the '60s or leisure suits from the '70s.

Nationally, most of our leadership acknowledge the severity of the crisis. But

you get the sense that many still believe that once we work through this, things can return to normal again.

Normal is gone. A new normal will eventually assert itself, but it's a long way off. Between here and there lies a lot of chaos, fear and anger.

And naturally, that fear and anger are looking for targets to vent themselves upon. Bernie Madoff, the \$65 billion man who pleaded guilty last week, may be the most despised man in the country, displacing even Osama bin Laden. AIG is a convenient target as well. And last week Jon Stewart used CNBC's investing guru Jim Cramer as the victim in a ritual sacrifice, drawing and quartering Cramer on national TV to the cheers of millions who had been suckered by Wall Street.

Cramer deserved some of that; Madoff deserved all of it and more. But some of the Wall Street types feel they've been a bit ill-used.

"When I hear the constant vilification of corporate America, I personally don't understand it," says Jamie Dimon, chief executive officer of JPMorgan Chase & Co. "I would ask a lot of our folks in government to stop doing it because I think it's hurting our country."

On one hand, Dimon has a point. The abuse at Wall Street may indeed be more than they deserve. Then again, they didn't deserve \$100 million bonuses either. But they took them, saying the money was deserved because they were the ones who were responsible. Nobody said life was fair.

So if they're now taking more abuse than they deserve, well, they were the ones responsible, and life isn't fair.

We also haven't come to grips with how this has changed our position in the world. Chinese Premier Wen Jinbao, for example, has publicly questioned his country's \$1 trillion investment in U.S. bonds. "Of course we are concerned about the safety of our assets," Wen said. "To be honest, I am a little bit worried."

If Wen's unhappiness leads him to stop investing here, our economic mess worsens considerably. We have so indebted ourselves to China and others that they now have influence over our national policies.

Again, that's a hard thing to wrap your head around.

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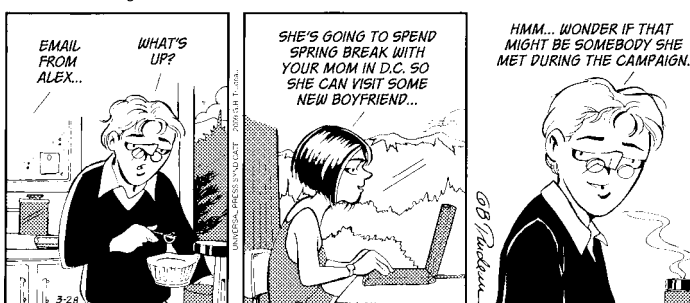
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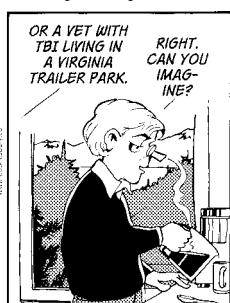
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## THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS

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# The culture warriors get laid off

Someday we'll learn the whole story of why George W. Bush brushed off that intelligence briefing of Aug. 6, 2001, "Bin Laden Determined to Strike in U.S." But surely a big distraction was the major speech he was readying for delivery on Aug. 9, his first prime-time address to the nation. The subject — which Bush hyped as "one of the most profound of our time" — was stem cells. For a presidency in thrall to a thriving religious right (and a presidency incapable of multi-tasking), nothing, not even terrorism, could be more urgent.

When Barack Obama ended the Bush stem-cell policy this month, there were no such overheated theatrics. No oversold prime-time address. No hysteria from politicians, the news media or the public. The family-values dinosaurs that once stalked the earth — Falwell, Robertson, Dobson and Reed — are now either dead, retired or disgraced. Their less-famous successors pumped out their pro forma e-mail blasts, but to



FRANK RICH

little avail. The Republican National Committee said nothing whatsoever about Obama's reversal of Bush stem-cell policy. That's quite a contrast to 2006, when the party's wild and crazy new chairman, Michael Steele, likened embryonic stem-cell research to Nazi medical experiments during his failed Senate campaign.

What has happened between 2001 and 2009 to so radically change the cultural climate? Here, at last, is one piece of good news in our global economic meltdown: Americans have less and less patience for the intrusive and divisive moral scolds who thrived in the bubbles of the Clinton and Bush years. Culture wars are a luxury the country can no longer afford.

Not only was Obama's stem-cell decree an anticlimactic blip in the news, but so was his earlier reversal of

Bush restrictions on the use of federal money by organizations offering abortions overseas. When the administration tardily ends "don't ask, don't tell," you can bet that this action, too, will be greeted by more yawns than howls.

Once again, both the president and the country are following New Deal-era precedent. In the 1920s boom, the reigning moral crusade was Prohibition, and it packed so much political muscle that FDR didn't oppose it. The Anti-Saloon League was the Moral Majority of its day, the vanguard of a powerful fundamentalist movement that pushed anti-evolution legislation as vehemently as it did its war on booze. But the political standing of this crowd crashed along with the stock market. Roosevelt shrewdly came down on the side of "the wets" in his presidential campaign, leaving Hoover to drown with "the dries."

Much as Obama repealed the Bush restrictions on abortion and stem-cell research shortly after pushing through his stimulus package, so FDR jump-

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started the repeal of Prohibition by asking Congress to legalize beer and wine just days after his March 1933 inauguration and declaration of a bank holiday. As Michael A. Lerner writes in his fascinating 2007 book "Dry Manhattan," Roosevelt's stance reassured many Americans that they would have a president "who not only cared about their economic well-being" but who also understood their desire to be liberated from "the intrusion of the state into their private lives." Having lost plenty in the Depression, the public did not want to surrender any more freedoms to the noisy minority that had shut down the nation's saloons.

This is a replay of the Great Depression. "One might have expected that in such a crisis great numbers of these people would have turned to the consolations of and inspirations of reli-

gion," wrote Frederick Lewis Allen in "Since Yesterday," his history of the 1930s published in 1940. But that did not happen: "The long slow retreat of the churches into less and less significance in the life of the country, and even in the lives of the majority of their members, continued almost unabated."

The new American faith, Allen wrote, was the "secular religion of social consciousness." It took the form of campaigns for economic and social justice — as exemplified by the New Deal and those movements that challenged it from both the left and the right. It's too early in our crisis and too early in the new

administration to know whether this decade will so closely replicate the 1930s, but so far Obama has far more moral authority than any religious leader in America with the possible exception of his sometime ally, the Rev. Rick Warren.

History is cyclical, and it would be foolhardy to assume that the culture wars will never return. But after the humiliations of the Scopes trial and the repeal of Prohibition, it did take a good four decades for the religious right to begin its comeback in the 1970s. In our tough times, when any happy news can be counted as a miracle, a 40-year exodus for these ayatollahs can pass for an answer to America's prayers.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### A personal story about inequity of justice system

Maybe the citizens of Twin Falls can explain or enlighten something to me when you are shown no justice. The police lie on the stand, the attorneys refuse to defend you and the judge is even biased toward you. When you are proven guilty of everything you can prove you're innocent of, who do you contact? The attorney tells you it's not their job to uphold the law. You ask the governor and attorney general why this has happened and they also say it's not their job. If these people aren't responsible, who is? Since my partner has been sentenced for three to 15 years, child molesters, and even one who had served time for murder, received six months.

My partner was sentenced for possession. A friend of

his was sentenced for paraphernalia and he received four years. Why is the sentencing so different?

The prison is overfull and the jails are being paid by the taxpayers' money for the ones that are headed to prison. Drug use is a disease not a felony. They are even advertising material to get off drugs. Instead of locking these people up, why don't they get them some help?

My partner had been clean for two years; the drugs found were not his. He had a public defender that was worthless and would do nothing but insist he plea bargain and then gave everyone the idea he was only going to get six months. The judge he had did not like him so gave him the three to 16 instead. We have appealed the decision and can only hope for the best. Before this he had been in prison twice, with 30 years in between. The justice system needs to look at how they are sen-

tencing drug problems and find a better way to punish these people — maybe getting them help instead of filling up the jails and prisons.  
CAROL McDADE Rogerson

### Remembering a good man

RJ Holler was a man that was confused, stressed and, like all of us, imperfect. Does that mean we all deserve to lie helplessly handcuffed and bleeding while cats crawl onto and around our dying bodies? RJ was not the man that this paper made him and should not be remembered as so.

RJ is an inspiring friend, beloved son, caring fiancée and astounding father. This man had a personality that could light up the darkest day. RJ is a better man than any of those officers will ever be and should be remembered as so.

Rest in peace, RJ Holler! We love you and you will be remembered for who you really are!

ALICIA DUMAS Twin Falls

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"If they're not willing to make the changes and the restructurings that are necessary, then I'm not willing to have taxpayer money chase after bad money."

— President Obama to the U.S. auto industry. Obama is promising additional aid only if carmakers change their ways and receive concessions from stakeholders

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## USDA releasing surplus dry milk to aid dairies

### Announcement not enough to boost dairy prices

By Joshua Palmer  
Times-News writer

The Agriculture Department said Thursday it was releasing 200 million pounds of nonfat dry milk in storage to feeding programs for low-income families, a move also designed to help dairy farmers.

Dairymen in south-central Idaho praised the decision, which could create

more of a market for their products if the government decides to refill its milk inventories, thus helping maintain higher prices for dairy products.

"You're not going to see an immediate increase in prices, but we feel that it is a good step in the right direction," said Rick Naerebout, an industry representative with Independent Milk Producers.

In announcing the decision, Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack said the goal was to increase support for low-income families and help dairy farmers dealing with high feed costs and low dairy prices.

The nonfat dry milk was acquired under a government price support program.

The dry milk held in storage acts as a stabilizer for

milk prices, often preventing sudden, substantial increases in milk prices.

Jerry Kozak, president of the National Milk Producers Federation, said Vilsack's announcement was an important action to use USDA resources to help address the economic crisis facing dairy farmers.

In February, dairy prices fell to more than \$7 below the break-even point needed

for dairymen to pay operating costs. Officials with the Idaho Dairymen's Association, said dairymen in south-central Idaho were losing about \$100,000 each month for every 1,000 cows.

"The release of the dry milk will not bring prices up," Naerebout said. "It's going to take some sort of good report on inventories or cold storage to help us out of the pricing problem."

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Kimberly S. Johanson  
Associated Press writer

DETROIT — She wants a new car, but Pamela Davies is still driving the very first one she purchased.

Even with 81,000 miles on her 2001 Toyota RAV4, the stay-at-home mother of two young children isn't ready to give it up. Her husband's 1999 Corolla, with 136,000 miles on it, is fine for now, too.

"We had originally planned to replace the RAV4 with a minivan when we had a second kid, but then I realized I could fit two car seats in it and put it off," said the North

See **CARS**, Business 2

# Consumer spending up for second straight month



AP photo

A customer looks over large screen televisions at a Costco store in Shoreline, Wash., a suburb of Seattle. Consumers increased spending for a second straight month in February even though their incomes slipped due to continuing massive layoffs.

## Incomes continue to decline as layoffs rise in February

Martin Crutsinger  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — The government says consumers increased spending for a second straight month in February even though their incomes slipped due to continuing massive layoffs.

The Commerce Department reported Friday that consumer spending edged up 0.2 percent in February, in line with expectations. That follows a huge 1 percent jump in January that was even better than the 0.6 percent rise originally reported.

But the report says incomes fell by 0.2 percent in February, the fourth drop in the past five months, declines that reflected the sizable number of job layoffs that have been occurring because of the recession.

After-tax incomes also fell in February, edging down by 0.1 percent.

With incomes down while spending rose, the personal savings rate dipped slightly to 4.2 percent in February, compared to 4.4 percent in January. Still, the latest two-month performance marked the first time that the savings rate has been above 4 percent for two consecutive months in more than a decade.

Economists believe that the deep recession, already the longest in a quarter-century, will continue prompting consumers to do more to trim spending and boost their savings. However, that development could make it more difficult for the country to pull out of the recession since consumer spending accounts for about 70 percent of economic activity.

The back-to-back increases in consumer spending in January and February had followed six straight declines in spending that occurred

from July through December. Consumer spending in the fourth quarter fell at an annual rate of 4.3 percent, the biggest decline in 28 years, and was the major factor pushing overall economic activity down by 6.3 percent during that period.

Many economists believe that the gross domestic product will drop by around that amount in the current January-March period and will continue falling in the spring although at a slower pace. Many analysts are not looking for the current recession, which began in December 2007, to end until the second half of this year.

A price gauge tied to consumer spending rose by 0.3 percent in February and was up 0.2 percent excluding food and energy, indicating that the recession has contributed to a significant moderate in inflation pressures.

## Idaho Power seeks to reduce commercial demand

### Customers would be asked to voluntarily cut power during peak usage hours

Times-News staff

The Idaho Power Company is seeking approval from the Idaho Public Utilities Commission on a new voluntary load control program for its commercial and industrial customers.

Idaho Power is asking the commission to approve a five-year agreement between it and Boston-based EnerNOC to reduce demand

from commercial and industrial customers by at least 2 megawatts this year and by at least 50 megawatts in 2012 and 2013, according to the Idaho Public Utilities Commission.

EnerNOC, selected in a bid process, would implement and operate the program.

According to Idaho Power, the total five-year cost for the program is \$12.2 million, varying from about

\$315,000 this year to about \$3.5 million in the fifth year.

Commercial and industrial customers who volunteer to participate would be asked to reduce their energy loads for two to four hours during summer days when demand on Idaho Power's generation system is at its peak.

Participants would receive compensation in exchange for reduced loads. Idaho Power is proposing that costs associated with the program be recovered from the Energy Efficiency Rider funds.

Customers currently pay 2.5 percent of their monthly energy bills to fund energy efficiency programs.

Idaho Power has a separate application before the commission to increase that rider to 4.75 percent. An alternative method to fund the program, Idaho Power said, is to apply its costs to the Power Cost Adjustment (PCA), a surcharge or credit applied to customer bills every June 1 to account for the varying costs of power supply.

The commission is taking comments on Idaho Power's application through April 15.

Comments are accepted via e-mail by accessing the commission's homepage at [www.puc.idaho.gov](http://www.puc.idaho.gov) and clicking on "Comments & Questions."

#### STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	16.95	▼ .04	Dell Inc.	9.95	▼ .40	Idacorp	23.67	▼ .60	Int. Bancorp	4.25	—
Lithia Mo.	2.50	▼ .49	McDonalds	55.01	▼ 1.05	Micron	4.17	▼ .05	Supervalu	14.72	▼ .65

#### COMMODITIES

Live cattle	84.32	▲ .05	May Oil	52.38	▼ 1.96
March Gold	923	▼ 16.6	March Silver	13.25	▼ .35

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# MARKET SUMMARY

NYSE			AMEX			NASDAQ		
MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)			MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)			MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE)		
Name	Vol(00)	Last Chg	Name	Vol(00)	Last Chg	Name	Vol(00)	Last Chg
Citigrp	4189026	2.62 -19	PSCrudeDL	193079	3.02 -17	PwShs	Q001475609	30.82 -59
BkofAm	3747828	7.34 -24	Taseko	25946	1.27 -17	DryShips	557959	5.86 +75
SPDR	2975405	81.61 -1.50	EldorGld g	24064	9.15 +05	Microsoft	465841	18.13 -70
DirxFinBull	2492525	6.34 -52	GranStrg	23352	1.59 +09	Intel	442608	15.42 -40
AmIntlGp	2157358	1.02 -08	BarcGS0il	22634	20.07 -79	Cisco	371793	16.95 -36

GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
CitiJFD9	9.46	+3.05	+47.6	Servotr	8.20	+1.75	+27.1	MediciNova	2.70	+94	+53.4
Symnec	20.14	+3.96	+24.5	NovaBayP	2.20	+30	+15.8	Conolog rs	2.75	+94	+51.9
Barclay	9.89	+1.74	+21.3	MXam	5.95	+80	+15.5	LibMCapB	7.70	+233	+43.4
CapITr pf	4.24	+6.1	+16.8	PSCrudeDS	148.25	+16.57	+12.6	NewBrdgeB	2.40	+65	+37.1
BarcBk pr	10.98	+1.51	+15.9	EverGly n	2.35	+24	+11.4	QC Hldgs	6.17	+1.67	+37.1

LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
ChrisBnk	3.97	-1.50	-27.4	Velocity rs	2.90	-50	-14.7	ParkOh	3.12	-1.06	-25.4
KHDHumb	6.94	-1.94	-21.8	BPZ Res	3.92	-55	-12.3	FstBkshVA	2.25	-75	-25.0
VofInSci	7.31	-1.86	-20.3	CnsTom	29.87	-4.06	-12.0	ShoreBcsh	16.26	-4.91	-23.2
LithiaMot	2.50	-49	-16.4	GranTra gn	2.65	-32	-10.8	WaccaBk	3.08	-90	-22.6
Spherion	2.66	-50	-15.8	Westmrd	8.35	-1.00	-10.7	LCA Vis	2.50	-70	-21.9

DIARY			DIARY			DIARY		
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg
Advanced	738		Advanced	237		Advanced	686	
Declined	2,343		Declined	344		Declined	2,072	
Unchanged	62		Unchanged	73		Unchanged	129	
Total issues	3,143		Total issues	654		Total issues	2,887	
New Highs	5		New Highs	1		New Highs	15	
New Lows	5		New Lows	6		New Lows	11	
Volume	5,480,780,820		Volume	88,440,713		Volume	2,072,273,923	

INDEXES					
13,136.69	6,469.95	Dow Jones Industrials	7,776.18	-148.38	-1.87
5,536.57	2,134.21	Dow Jones Transportation	2,777.95	-88.40	-3.08
530.57	288.66	Dow Jones Utilities	331.27	-6.10	-1.81
9,687.24	4,181.75	NYSE Composite	5,096.64	-133.89	-2.56
2,433.31	1,130.47	Amex Index	1,349.55	-30.52	-2.21
2,551.47	1,265.52	Nasdaq Composite	1,545.20	-41.80	-2.63
1,440.24	666.79	S&P 500	815.94	-16.92	-2.03
764.38	342.59	Russell 2000	429.00	-16.30	-3.66
14,564.81	6,772.29	Wilshire 5000	8,286.83	-190.18	-2.24

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST					
AlliantEgy	1.50f	9	24.52	-34	-16.0
AlliantTch	...	9	65.03	-19	-24.2
AmCasino	...	...	12.56	-50	+45.4
Aon Corp	.60	8	40.00	-27	-12.4
BallardPw	...	...	1.68	+29	+48.7
BkofAm	.04m	13	7.34	-24	-47.9
ConAgra	.76	8	16.95	-04	+2.7
Costco	.64	17	47.40	-1.06	-9.7
Debold	1.04f	17	22.66	-50	-19.3
DukeEngy	.92	13	14.29	-17	-4.8
DukeRly	1.00m	14	5.61	-46	-8.8
Hewlett	.70f	17	32.80	-62	-5.9
Heinz	1.66	11	33.70	-91	-10.4
HewlettP	.32	10	33.33	+13	-8.2
HomeDp	.90	18	23.63	-51	+2.6
Idacorp	1.20	11	23.67	-60	-19.6
Kaman	.56	9	12.84	-31	-29.2
Keycorp	.25	...	8.32	-39	-2.3
LeeEnt h	...	...	.32	-02	-22.0
MicronT	...	...	4.17	-05	+58.0
OfficeMax	...	...	3.52	-31	-53.9
RockTen	.40	11	27.09	-1.04	-20.7
Sensient	.76	13	23.67	-1.20	-9.9
SkyWest	.16	7	13.25	-26	-28.8
Terady n	...	...	18	4.75	-19
Tuppwr	.88	7	16.72	-17	-26.3
US Bancrp	.20m	10	15.64	-97	-37.5
Valhi	.40	...	9.20	-62	-14.0
WalMart	1.09f	16	52.57	-19	-6.2
WashFed	.20m	24	13.29	-27	-11.2
WellsFargo	1.36	21	15.59	-36	-47.1
ZionBcp	.16m	...	10.46	-42	-57.3

## HOW TO READ THE REPORT

**Name:** Stocks are listed alphabetically by the company's full name (not its abbreviation). Company names made up of initials appear at the beginning of each letter's list. **Div:** Current annual dividend rate paid on stock, based on latest quarterly or semiannual declaration, unless otherwise footnoted. **Last:** Price stock was trading at when exchange closed for the day. **Chg:** Loss or gain for the day. No change indicated by ... mark.

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

**Stock Footnotes:** cc - PE greater than 99. dd - Loss in last 12 mos. d - New 52-wk low during trading day. g - Dividend in Canadian \$. Stock price in U.S.\$.. n - New issue in past 52 wks. q - Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s - Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u - New 52-wk high during trading day. v - Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf - Preferred. pp - Holder owns installment(s) of purchase price. rt - Rights. un - Units. wd - When distributed. wi - When issued. wt - Warrants. ww - With warrants. xw - Without warrants. **Dividend Footnotes:** a - Also extra or extras. b - Annual rate plus stock dividend. c - Liquidating dividend. e - Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f - Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i - Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j - Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k - Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m - Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p - Init div, annual rate unknown. r - Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos plus stock dividend. t - Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x - Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y - Ex-dividend and sales in full. z - Sales in full. vj - In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies. **\* Most active stocks above must be worth \$1 and gainers/losers \$2.**

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

*Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.*

## COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES					
Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Dec	Live cattle	84.75	84.25	84.33	+ .05
Jan	Live cattle	82.30	81.55	81.58	-.28
Feb	Feeder cattle	93.80	92.85	93.13	-.30
Mar	Feeder cattle	95.10	94.03	94.30	-.55
Apr	Feeder cattle	97.85	96.70	96.90	-.65
Dec	Lean hogs	60.75	60.20	60.48	-.05
Feb	Lean hogs	71.58	70.80	71.20	-.38
Feb	Pork belly	85.35	82.61	81.90	+ .90
Mar	Pork belly	83.20	81.55	81.50	-.20
Dec	Wheat	510.00	503.00	507.25	-7.25
Mar	Wheat	522.50	517.00	520.00	-7.00
Dec	KC Wheat	554.00	547.25	550.00	-10.00
Mar	KC Wheat	662.00	557.50	560.50	-10.25
Dec	MPS Wheat	613.00	600.00	607.75	-5.00
Mar	MPS Wheat	608.75	595.50	601.75	-5.75
Dec	Corn	388.00	385.50	387.00	-3.75
Mar	Corn	395.50	388.75	397.50	-3.75
Jan	Soybeans	930.00	916.50	917.00	-27.00
Mar	Soybeans	927.00	914.50	915.25	-25.25
Dec	BFP Milk	xxx	xxx	10.46	+ .01
Jan	BFP Milk	11.70	11.70	11.72	+ .48
Feb	BFP Milk	12.84	12.50	12.74	+ .47
Mar	BFP Milk	13.80	13.30	13.77	+ .59
Apr	BFP Milk	14.40	xxx	14.85	+ .61
Mar	Sugar	12.83	12.62	12.62	-.13
May	Sugar	13.59	13.20	13.32	-.10
Dec	B-Pound	1.4497	1.4270	1.4322	-.0117
Mar	B-Pound	1.4482	1.4291	1.4326	-.0123
Dec	J-Yen	1.0314	1.0128	1.0232	+0.0099
Mar	J-Yen	1.0330	1.0158	1.0237	+0.0051
Dec	Euro-currency	1.3593	1.3257	1.3293	-.0221
Mar	Euro-currency	1.3591	1.3266	1.3308	-.0212
Dec	Canada dollar	.8162	.8042	.8072	-.0014
Mar	Canada dollar	.8158	.8059	.8099	-.0050
Dec	U.S. dollar	85.86	84.17	85.62	+ 1.01
Dec	Cornex gold	936.7	919.0	923.9	-16.1
Feb	Cornex gold	938.8	921.0	926.7	-15.5
Dec	Cornex silver	13.50	13.17	13.32	-.29
Mar	Cornex silver	13.58	13.08	13.29	-.34
Dec	Treasury bond	129.13	127.31	128.21	+2.00
Mar	Treasury bond	128.02	126.21	127.20	+11.50
Dec	Coffee	117.65	114.55	115.85	-1.50
Mar	Coffee	119.65	116.50	117.80	-1.50
Dec	Cocoa	1942	1887	1941	+ 39
Mar	Cocoa	1908	1858	1906	+ 33
Dec	Cotton	44.24	43.21	43.34	-.62
Mar	Cotton	45.13	44.18	44.31	-.58
Jan	Crude oil	54.28	51.64	52.09	-2.25
Dec	Unleaded gas	1.5200	1.4630	1.4825	-.0486
Dec	Heating oil	1.4780	1.4256	1.4285	-.0528
Dec	Natural gas	3.942	3.600	3.570	-.277

*Quotations from Sinclair & Co. 733-6013 or (800) 635-0821.*

## BEANS

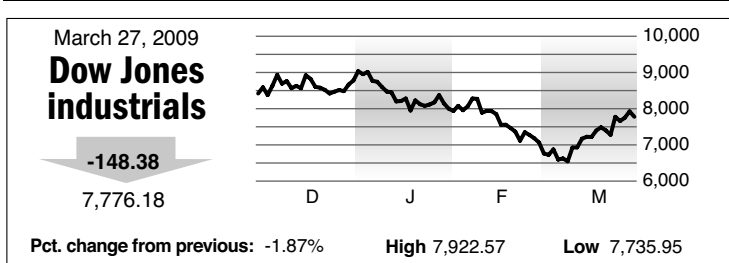
**Valley Beans**  
Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers.  
Pintos, no quote, new crop great northern, no quote; pinks, no quote, new crop small reds, no quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhi. Prices current March 25.  
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture. Pintos, not established; great northern, not established; small whites, not established; pinks, not established; small reds, Ltd. \$38-\$40. Quotes current March 25.

## GRAINS

**Valley Grains**  
Prices for wheat per bushel: mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice. Soft white wheat, ask; barley, ask; oats, ask; corn, ask (15 percent moisture). Prices are given daily by Rangens in Buhi. Prices current March 25.  
Barley, \$7.00 (48-lb. minimum) spot delivery in Twin Falls and Gooding; corn, no quote (Twin Falls only). Prices quoted by Land O'Lakes Inc. in Twin Falls. Prices current March 25.

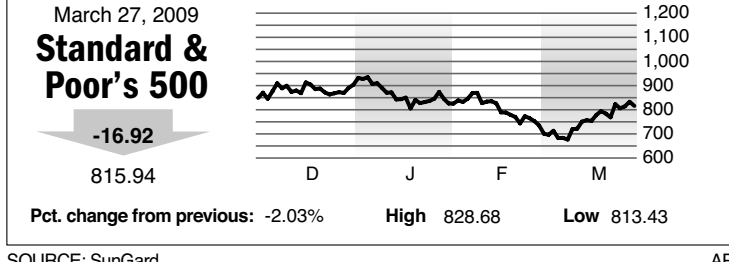
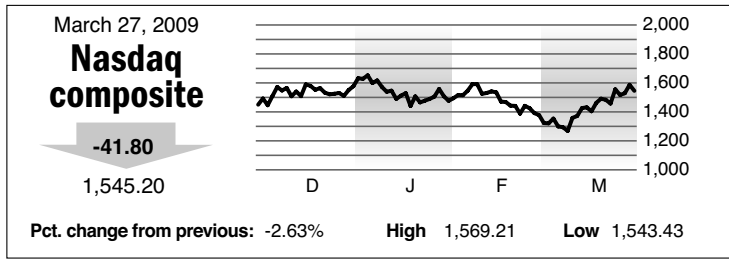
**POCATELLO (AP) - Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain Report on Friday.**  
POCATELLO - White wheat 4.40 (steady); 11.5 percent winter 4.50 (down 1); 14 percent spring 6.42 (down 5); barley 5.58 (steady)  
BURLEY - White wheat 4.25 (down 2); 11.5 percent winter 4.61 (down 7); 14 percent spring 6.01 (down 5); barley 6.00 (steady)  
ODGEN - White wheat 4.25 (down 5); 11.5 percent winter 4.83

# TODAY ON WALL STREET



The Dow fell 148.38, or 1.9 percent, to 7,776.18. The Standard & Poor's 500 index fell 16.92, or 2 percent, to 815.94 and the Nasdaq composite index dropped 41.80, or 2.6 percent, to 1,545.20. Despite the decline, the indexes are still looking much better than they did a month ago:

- The Dow is up 17.3 percent in the last three weeks, its best gain since September 1982 and its longest string of advances since May last year. It's also still up 10 percent for the month; the last time the Dow gained at least 10 percent in a month was in October 2002.
- The S&P 500 has soared 20.6 percent over the past 14 trading days, its best run over that length of time since 1938. For the week, the Dow is up more than 6.8 percent. The S&P 500 is up 6.2 percent and the Nasdaq is up 6 percent. The Dow Jones Wilshire 5000 index, which reflects nearly all stocks traded in America, ended the week up 6.2 percent. That's a paper gain of about \$600 billion.



SOURCE: SunGard AP

# \$200M payment from MGM Mirage buoys mega-project

**By Ryan Nakashima**  
Associated Press writer



Vegas Strip. CityCenter, in which MGM Mirage and Dubai are equal partners, is to start opening in stages later this year. But its funding remains uncertain. The partners must contribute \$800 million more in equity to access a \$1.8 billion credit facility that will complete funding for the project, MGM Mirage said. "We will continue to make every effort to see that CityCenter is completed," Chief Executive Jim Murren said in a statement. "We continue to review with our partners all possible options to keep CityCenter fully funded and on a path to completion." Fitch Ratings analyst Michael Paladino said MGM Mirage's move keeps the project afloat for now.

LOS ANGELES - MGM Mirage Inc. threw its \$8.7 billion CityCenter casino project in Las Vegas a lifeline Friday, agreeing to make a \$200 million equity payment that includes the portion owed by its partner, Dubai World. The casino giant, which is majority-owned by billionaire Kirk Kerkorian, was allowed to cover Dubai World's obligation under a waiver granted Friday by the project's senior lenders. The payment buys MGM Mirage time to work through a funding crisis amid a slowdown in gambling revenue in Las Vegas and let the company narrowly avert a bankruptcy filing. Some workers were told Friday

to pack their tools by the end of the day, but MGM Mirage said the move should allow construction to continue on the 67-acre (27-hectare) hotel, retail, residential and casino complex on the Las Vegas Strip.

# Seven states see jobless rate top 10 percent

By Jeannine Aversa  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Double-digit unemployment rates hit more states in February, with North Carolina and Rhode Island seeing their rates hit record highs.

The U.S. Labor Department's report, released Friday, showed the terrible toll the recession, now in its second year, is having on workers and companies alike.

Seven states have unemployment rates that topped 10 percent last month. That's up from four states in January.

"It's spreading like wildfire," said Richard Yamarone, economist at Argus Research.

The U.S. unemployment

## Jobless rates peak in February

Seven states had unemployment rates above 10 percent in February, up from four states in January. North Carolina and Rhode Island hit their record highs.



rate, released earlier this month, rose to 8.1 percent in February, the highest in more than 25 years. Economists predict the national jobless

rate will have climbed to 8.5 percent in March when the government releases that report next week. It will probably hit 10 percent by

year end even if the recession were to end later this year, they said.

Michigan's jobless rate climbed to 12 percent, the highest in the country. South Carolina registered the second-highest at 11 percent and Oregon came in third at 10.8 percent.

North Carolina came in fourth with an unemployment rate of 10.7 percent, the highest there on records dating back to 1976. California and Rhode Island tied for fifth place at 10.5 percent each. That was an all-time high for Rhode Island. The seventh state with a jobless rate above 10 percent was Nevada at 10.1 percent.

Georgia's unemployment rate rose sharply to 9.3 percent, also a record high. Earlier this week Shaw Industries Group Inc., the

world's largest carpet maker, said it would close two plants in the state and lay off about 600 workers.

Layoffs in manufacturing, construction and retail — sectors hard hit by the housing collapse — are common threads running through the higher unemployment. Another thread: difficulties faced by states, such as South Carolina, Michigan and Rhode Island, to lure new types of companies to help cushion the loss of manufacturing jobs and retrain laid-off factory workers for other kinds of employment.

Joblessness continued to be the worst in the West — home to California and other states badly battered by the housing bust — and the Midwest, where the troubles of U.S. automakers has been

solely felt.

Currently 5.56 million people are drawing state unemployment insurance, the highest on records dating back to 1967 the federal government reported Thursday. The crush has exhausted unemployment funds in California, New York and elsewhere, forcing them to tap the federal government for money to keep paying benefits.

Rising unemployment means lost revenue for already squeezed states.

"It's a vicious cycle," said Michael Williams, dean of Touro College's Graduate School of Business. States are forced to cut back services at a time when people need them the most. "What about health care? What about education?" he wonders.

# Obama widens war on al-Qaida

President warns attacks on U.S. are being planned

By Ben Feller  
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Widening war in "the most dangerous place in the world," President Barack Obama launched a fresh effort Friday to defeat al-Qaida terrorists in both Pakistan and Afghanistan, defending his strategy with shades of the dire language of George W. Bush.

Stirring echoes of Sept. 11 and making the war his own, Obama warned that al-Qaida is actively planning attacks on the United States from secret havens in Pakistan. He said he was setting new benchmarks and sending in 4,000 more troops, hundreds of civilians and increased aid for a six-year war that has seemed to be easing in Iraq but still has no end in sight.

"I want the American people to understand that we have a clear and focused goal: to disrupt, dismantle and defeat al-Qaida in Pakistan and Afghanistan, and to prevent their return to either country in the future," Obama said. "That's the goal that must be achieved. That is a cause that could not be more just."

The president, who declared last weekend an "exit strategy" was needed for Afghanistan, never used those words in announcing his plans on Friday. His strategy is built on an ambitious goal of boosting the Afghan army from 80,000 to 134,000 troops by 2011 — and greatly increasing train-



With Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton at his side, President Barack Obama announces a new comprehensive new strategy for Afghanistan and Pakistan, Friday, in Washington.

AP photo

ing by U.S. troops accompanying them — so the Afghan military can defeat Taliban insurgents and take control of the war.

That, he said, is "how we will ultimately be able to bring our troops home."

There is no timetable for withdrawal, and the White House said it had no estimate yet on how many billions of dollars its plan will cost.

The essence of Obama's strategy is to set clear goals for a war gone awry, to get the American people behind them, to provide more resources and to make a better case for international support. He is heading next week to a NATO meeting in France and Germany, where he expects allies to pledge more help of their own.

Much like Iraq, the war effort in Afghanistan has been longer and costlier than American leaders expected.

U.S.-led forces toppled the militant Taliban government there after the terrorist attacks on America in 2001, but many militants fled and

regrouped in neighboring Pakistan. Obama said that Afghanistan will now get the resources it should have received years ago, "denied because of the war in Iraq."

Since becoming president, Obama has ordered 21,000 troops into Afghanistan, counting 17,000 combat forces who will try to quell surging violence. The Pentagon says that will put the U.S. total there at more than 60,000, the most to date. As the Iraq conflict winds down, the Afghanistan war is growing.

Taking firm control of the war that dominated Bush's presidency, Obama broke with his predecessor in significant ways but also used phrases that sounded strikingly familiar.

He described the ruthlessness of the enemy, the need to take on terrorists, the genesis of the fight. Bush often reminded the nation that terrorists were plotting to kill Americans, even as the public fear dissipated with each passing year after the 9/11 attacks.

"I remind everybody, the

United States of America did not choose to fight a war in Afghanistan," Obama said. "Nearly 3,000 of our people were killed on Sept. 11, 2001, for doing nothing more than going about their daily lives."

He tied Afghanistan and Pakistan together as one conflict, pledging regular three-way diplomacy with both countries and intensive outreach to the world for help in the region. He pledged to send in 4,000 forces to train the Afghan army and police force. He is sending in hundreds of U.S. civilians — agricultural specialists, educators and engineers — to help a poor, broken country try to build itself up from the provincial level.

The president promised that the U.S. will hold itself and others accountable by using benchmarks, although those measures are just starting to be shaped.

And showing the frustration of many in American government, Obama spoke bluntly about the leadership of the government it is trying to help.

# FAA wants to keep bird strike records confidential

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Aviation Administration is proposing to keep secret from travelers its vast records on where and how often commercial planes are damaged by hitting flying birds.

The government agency argued that some carriers and airports would stop reporting incidents for fear the public would misinterpret the data and hold it against them. The reporting is voluntary because the FAA rejected a National Transportation Safety Board recommendation 10 years ago to make it mandatory.

The agency's formal secrecy proposal came just after FAA officials said they were going to release the huge database to The Associated Press in response to a Freedom of Information Act request. The FAA's move to expand secrecy also comes as

President Barack Obama is promising a more open government.

"To have the government actually chill public access to safety information is a step backward," said James Hall, former chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board. "Public awareness is an essential part of any strong safety program."

Sen. Chuck Schumer and fellow New York Democrat, Rep. John Hall, vice chairman of the House aviation subcommittee, wrote administration officials urging them to abandon the proposal.

"There's no reason to make ... the causes of other accidents public and not this," Schumer said Friday.

After a multiple bird strike forced a US Airways jet to ditch in the Hudson River on Jan. 15, the AP requested access to the bird strike database.

## Wendell Community Auction

**Monday, March 30, 2009**  
Located: Wendell, Idaho

From exit 157 off I-84 in Wendell, go straight south of exit to field on right side of road, approx. ¼ mile from exit.

<b>Sale Time 11:00AM</b>	<b>Lunch by Al</b>
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**Vehicles - Snowmobiles - Travel Trailer**

1989 Mustang GT, 5 speed, 5.0 engine, runs good. - 1982 Chevy pickup, 3/4 ton, 3 speed automatic, 4x4, 6.2 diesel engine, engine is bad - 1976 Taurus travel trailer, 24 ft., self contained, good shape - 1973 Chevy Silverado 1/2 ton pickup, automatic - 1975 Chevy truck, 2 ton, 18 ft Wasco dump bed with Harsh hoist, 5 and 2, 366 engine, runs - Polaris XLT RMK 600 snowmobile - Polaris XLT electric start snowmobile - Two Faser long track snowmobiles - Boat motor and trailer - Pickup box utility trailer

**Tractors**

John Deere 4430 tractor, quad range, double hydraulic outlets, 16.9 x 38 rubber, runs good - Massey Ferguson 20 loader tractor, 5 1/2 ft. bucket, 3pt hitch, hydraulic outlets, brand new rear 14.9 x 24 rubber, new power steering seals, runs good, everything works. - International 350 utility diesel tractor with TA, 38" rubber - Farmall "H" tractor, single front

**Farm Equipment & Items**

Triple K cultivator, 6 row, 30 inch spacings - Parma lifter/loader beet digger, 6 row, like new chain, good shape - Milton beet planter, 12 units, set to space plant, 24 ft foldup Diamond bar, late model - John Deere 8200 grain drill, hydraulic lift, seat attachment, good shape - 3pt. hitch tire scraper - 300 gallon fuel tank on stand - 3pt. 100 gallon sprayer with booms - John Deere "355" 15 ft. offset disk, cutaway fronts, hydraulic lift - John Deere 15 ft. disk, cutaway fronts - New Holland 1118 swather, diesel engine, has 14 ft. header, with hay conditioner and air conditioned cab, - 150 gallon weed burner with wand, on trailer - 900 x 20 truck tires on 6 hole bud wheels - 750 x 20 truck tires on Dayton wheels - New Holland #216 double rakes

**Miscellaneous**

Long aluminum pickup toolbox - Set of USA 3/4" drive socket set - Saddles - tack - tools - 12ft x 20ft carport - Corrugated tin - Fifteen 21 ft. corral poles - Pallet jack - Two air conditioners - Large parrot cage with stand - Large round smoker - Nice 3 wheel bicycle

**NOTE:** We will be receiving consignments 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday, March 27, through Sunday, March 29. Loader available. We ask that all items be on the grounds prior to sale day to avoid mass confusion. Please no old windows, used appliances, unusable tires, or trash. We may run two rings, so come prepared. Loader will be on site also on sale day, Monday the 30th, and Tuesday until noon to load sold items. Lots of miscellaneous and more items of all types coming as this is an open consignment sale.

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## AROUND THE WORLD

### Suicide attack kills 48 at mosque

PESHAWAR, Pakistan — A suicide bomber blew up a packed mosque near the Afghan border at the climax of a Friday prayer service, killing 48 people and wounding scores more in the worst attack to hit Pakistan this year.

Islamic militants were suspected in the blast in the Khyber pass, apparently to avenge recent military operations in the area aimed at protecting the major supply route for NATO and U.S. troops in Afghanistan, authorities said. The route passes in front of the mosque.

Several security officers were killed in the attack, which came hours before President Barack Obama unveiled a revised strategy to "disrupt, defeat and dismantle" the al-Qaida terrorist organization and the Taliban militants operating in Afghanistan and in north-west Pakistan.

The bomber sneaked into the mosque and detonated his explosives during the hour-long service, which observant Muslims around the world attend around

noon on Fridays, witnesses said.

### 1 dead, 8 hurt as 2 vehicles hit buildings

NEW YORK — A woman was killed and a second woman was seriously injured when a commercial van jumped the curb of a midtown Manhattan sidewalk at rush hour and crashed into a building wall. An hour earlier on the Upper West Side, seven people were injured when a taxi hurtled into a pizzeria, shattering its windows.

Police say the fatal accident occurred at 5 p.m. Friday on East 37th Street, between Fifth and Madison Avenues, a few blocks from the Empire State Building. A 29-year-old woman was pronounced dead at the scene; a 37-year-old woman was in serious condition at Bellevue Hospital. Their names were not immediately released.

Police arrested the 27-year-old van driver, who was uninjured. Charges are pending.

The earlier crash uptown left one person in critical condition, and two others in stable condition, city fire

officials said. There were no arrests in the taxi crash.

Frances Rivera was at the pizzeria counter with her daughters at around 4 p.m. when the plate glass windows exploded. "My kids flew from the impact," she said.

### U.S. judge orders Iran to pay \$25 million for Hamas killing

WASHINGTON — A federal judge on Friday ordered Iran to pay \$25 million plus interest to the family of Israeli soldier Nachshon Wachsmann, who was kidnapped and executed by Hamas in 1994.

Wachsmann was a 19-year-old U.S. citizen and Israeli army corporal when he was taken by four members of Hamas, designated a terrorist organization by the United States. His abduction damaged Israeli-Palestinian peace negotiations at the time, as he pleaded on videotape for his life.

Wachsmann's mother and six brothers filed the lawsuit in 2006 against Iran and its ministry of information and security, saying Tehran was responsible for the death because it provided training

and support to Hamas. Iran has refused to respond to the lawsuit, resulting in a default judgment in favor of Wachsmann's family.

U.S. District Judge Ricardo Urbina awarded \$5 million to Wachsmann's mother and \$2.5 million to each brother for their emotional distress, and \$5 million to Wachsmann's estate for his potential lost earnings and the pain and suffering he endured for six days while he was held hostage before being executed. The court also ruled that Iran should pay 6 percent annual interest from the date of Wachsmann's murder nearly 15 years ago.

### China: 37 die in two bus accidents

BEIJING — A minibus collided with two trucks and a bus tumbled into a mountain gorge in two unrelated crashes Friday, killing a total of 37 people, police and a state news agency reported.

Twenty people were killed and 11 were injured when a bus broke through a highway barrier and crashed head on with the trucks on the Hukun expressway.

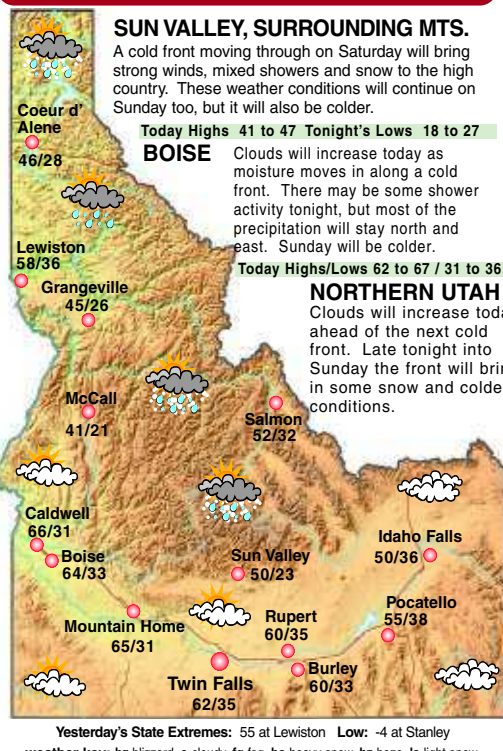
**TWIN FALLS FORECAST**

**Today:** Partly to turning mostly cloudy. Highs, lower 60s.  
**Tonight:** Developing showers are expected to roll through. Lows, 30s.  
**Tomorrow:** Much cooler with strong winds at times, but likely dry. Highs, 30s.

**BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST**

**Today:** Mostly cloudy skies. Highs near 60.  
**Tonight:** A few showers may mix with some light snow at times. Lows, upper 20s to lower 30s.  
**Tomorrow:** Maybe a light dusting of snow in the morning, otherwise sharply cooler and partly cloudy. Highs, 30s.

**IDAHO'S FORECAST**



**TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST**

Today	Tonight	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Mostly cloudy	Passing showers expected	Cooler and breezy, but mainly dry	Mostly cloudy	Breezy and mostly cloudy	Scattered clouds
High 62	Low 35	37 / 29	55 / 32	50 / 31	52 / 31

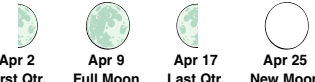
**Yesterday's Weather**

City	Hi	Lo	Precip
Boise	52	27	0.00"
Burley	49	23	0.00"
Challis	48	17	0.00"
Coeur d'Alene	48	30	0.00"
Idaho Falls	43	20	0.00"
Jerome	47	25	0.00"
Lewiston	55	31	0.00"
Lowell	53	29	0.00"
Malad	not available	not available	not available
Pocatello	45	19	0.00"
Rexburg	41	14	0.00"
Salmon	45	18	0.00"
Stanley	39	-4	0.00"

**ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS**

Temperature	Precipitation	Humidity	Barometric Pressure	Sunrise and Sunset
Yesterday's High 50 Yesterday's Low 27 Normal High/Low 53 / 29 Record High 73 in 2007 Record Low 12 in 1975	Yesterday 0.00" Month to Date 0.83" Normal Month to Date 1.02" Year to Date 5.16" Normal Year to Date 6.36"	Yesterday's Maximum 68% Yesterday's Minimum 23% Today's Maximum 74% Today's Minimum 38% A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30	6 pm barometer Yesterday 30.10 in.	Today Sunrise: 7:27 AM Sunset: 8:00 PM Sunday Sunrise: 7:25 AM Sunset: 8:01 PM Monday Sunrise: 7:23 AM Sunset: 8:02 PM Tuesday Sunrise: 7:21 AM Sunset: 8:03 PM Wednesday Sunrise: 7:20 AM Sunset: 8:04 PM

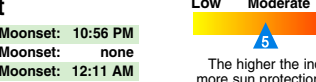
**Moon Phases**



**Moonrise and Moonset**

Day	Moonrise	Moonset
Today	8:02 AM	10:56 PM
Sunday	8:35 AM	none
Monday	9:16 AM	12:11 AM

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**REGIONAL FORECAST**

City	Today	Tomorrow	Monday
Boise	64 33 mc 43 27 pc	57 33 mc	57 33 mc
Bonniers Ferry	45 26 mx 38 24 mx	41 28 mc	41 28 mc
Burley	60 33 mc 35 26 pc	46 27 mc	46 27 mc
Challis	50 31 sh 34 22 sn	50 27 mc	50 27 mc
Coeur d'Alene	46 29 mx 39 25 mx	42 30 mc	42 30 mc
Elko, NV	55 26 sh 34 16 ls	50 24 mx	50 24 mx
Eugene, OR	54 37 sh 54 37 sh	56 38 r	56 38 r
Gooding	64 36 mc 39 30 mc	57 33 mc	57 33 mc
Grace	52 33 c 32 23 ls	43 23 mc	43 23 mc
Hagerman	65 34 mc 40 28 mc	58 31 mc	58 31 mc
Hailey	49 31 sh 33 21 ls	44 22 c	44 22 c
Idaho Falls	50 36 c 37 25 ls	38 20 mc	38 20 mc
Kalispell, MT	44 27 mx 37 23 ls	43 25 mc	43 25 mc
Jackpot	58 35 pc 44 26 mc	46 28 pc	46 28 pc
Jerome	52 32 sh 36 22 ls	47 23 c	47 23 c
Lewiston	58 36 sh 53 35 sh	53 37 mc	53 37 mc
Malad City	56 34 c 36 24 ls	47 24 mc	47 24 mc
Malta	57 30 mc 32 23 pc	43 24 mc	43 24 mc
McCall	41 21 mx 28 11 sn	38 20 c	38 20 c
Missoula, MT	49 30 mc 39 24 mx	45 28 mc	45 28 mc
Pocatello	55 38 c 35 28 ls	46 28 mc	46 28 mc
Portland, OR	52 40 sh 52 42 sh	52 41 r	52 41 r
Rupert	60 35 mc 35 28 pc	46 29 mc	46 29 mc
Rexburg	48 34 c 35 22 ls	35 18 mc	35 18 mc
Richland, WA	55 35 sh 54 35 pc	52 35 sh	52 35 sh
Rogerson	62 36 mc 37 30 mc	55 33 mc	55 33 mc
Salmon	52 32 sh 36 23 sn	52 28 mc	52 28 mc
Salt Lake City, UT	55 40 pc 44 30 ls	47 32 ls	47 32 ls
Spokane, WA	44 31 ls 47 27 sh	46 31 pc	46 31 pc
Stanley	46 21 mx 31 11 sn	37 12 mc	37 12 mc
Sun Valley	50 23 mx 35 13 sn	41 14 mc	41 14 mc
Yellowstone, MT	36 21 ls 32 14 sn	30 10 mc	30 10 mc

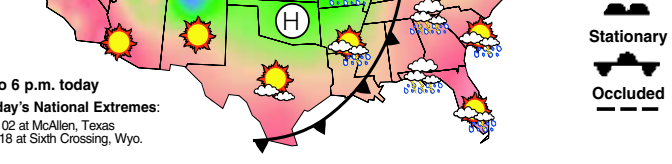
**NATIONAL FORECAST**

City	Today	Tomorrow	
Atlanta	68 47 th 60 39 pc	Orlando	89 67 sh 78 58 th
Atlantic City	51 45 r 51 45 r	Philadelphia	54 44 r 64 40 th
Baltimore	52 49 sh 62 41 sh	Phoenix	80 54 su 84 56 pc
Billings	55 33 pc 39 23 ls	Portland, ME	48 35 pc 42 38 r
Birmingham	70 44 th 57 38 su	Raleigh	65 61 th 70 40 sh
Boston	53 41 sh 50 43 sh	Rapid City	40 25 mc 48 21 mx
Charleston, SC	72 62 th 70 49 sh	Reno	71 35 pc 54 31 pc
Charleston, WV	67 47 th 51 33 sh	Sacramento	72 47 su 69 44 pc
Chicago	40 32 mx 40 31 ls	St. Louis	45 33 th 47 37 pc
Cleveland	51 41 sh 47 29 mx	St. Paul	38 23 pc 44 26 pc
Denver	40 18 pc 51 25 mc	San Antonio	71 41 su 76 52 su
Des Moines	40 27 sn 47 29 pc	San Diego	75 52 su 67 53 pc
Detroit	47 37 sh 46 30 mx	San Francisco	64 47 su 65 48 su
El Paso	67 39 su 78 45 pc	Seattle	48 35 sh 51 38 sh
Fairbanks	26 3 mc 31 11 pc	Tucson	78 46 su 82 49 pc
Fargo	33 18 pc 36 23 pc	Washington, DC	54 51 sh 65 40 sh
Honolulu	81 68 sh 81 68 sh		
Houston	61 39 pc 69 51 su		
Indianapolis	55 38 th 44 30 mx		
Jacksonville	84 63 th 74 49 th		
Kansas City	34 24 hs 43 35 pc		
Las Vegas	76 53 su 81 48 pc		
Little Rock	54 36 r 64 41 su		
Los Angeles	75 55 su 66 53 su		
Memphis	59 39 sh 58 45 pc		
Miami	84 74 pc 84 67 th		
Milwaukee	36 28 ls 41 28 ls		
Nashville	68 43 th 58 39 pc		
New Orleans	66 43 th 66 52 su		
New York	49 44 r 56 41 th		
Oklahoma City	38 25 sn 51 41 pc		
Omaha	42 23 pc 57 36 pc		

**WORLD FORECAST**

City	Today	Tomorrow
Acapulco	83 70 pc	83 70 pc
Athens	63 51 su	63 56 mc
Auckland	68 49 pc	68 52 pc
Bangkok	97 79 pc	98 80 th
Beijing	69 51 pc	43 27 ls
Berlin	51 39 sh	48 34 sh
Buenos Aires	86 67 pc	89 66 pc
Cairo	70 43 pc	73 40 pc
Dhahran	80 67 sh	77 68 th
Geneva	42 32 ls	40 31 pc
Hong Kong	76 66 th	75 65 sh
Jerusalem	62 47 sh	64 43 pc
Johannesburg	80 66 pc	75 53 pc
Kuwait City	79 62 pc	78 59 th
London	44 27 r	45 28 pc
Mexico City	72 43 pc	72 43 pc
Moscow	32 23 pc	33 33 mx
Nairobi	80 55 sh	78 57 sh
Oslo	33 24 ls	32 18 pc
Paris	47 38 sh	49 30 sh
Prague	51 38 r	47 33 pc
Rio de Janeiro	73 70 r	78 70 r
Rome	61 57 r	59 54 sh
Santiago	61 51 pc	79 54 pc
Seoul	48 28 pc	52 35 pc
Sydney	74 58 pc	77 56 pc
Taipei	62 58 pc	60 59 pc
Tokyo	47 34 pc	49 36 pc
Vienna	59 41 pc	51 37 r
Warsaw	49 44 r	49 38 r
Winnipeg	32 27 pc	33 27 pc
Zurich	35 26 sn	33 27 ls

**TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP**



Valid to 6 p.m. today  
 Yesterday's National Extremes:  
 High: 102 at McAllen, Texas  
 Low: -18 at Sixth Crossing, Wyo.

**CANADIAN FORECAST**

City	Today	Tomorrow
Calgary	33 23 ls	35 20 pc
Cranbrook	30 20 ls	27 13 ls
Edmonton	40 30 ls	32 17 ls
Kelowna	32 14 ls	28 11 pc
Lethbridge	40 30 ls	32 17 pc
Regina	34 23 pc	35 24 pc
Saskatoon	39 26 ls	38 25 pc
Toronto	49 38 pc	47 29 ls
Vancouver	39 30 ls	44 32 pc
Victoria	42 36 r	48 38 pc
Winnipeg	32 27 pc	33 27 pc

**GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY**  
 "Act as if everything you think, say and do determines your entire life - because in reality, it does!"  
 Laurelle Adrian, Author

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 Get up-to-date highway information at the Idaho Transportation Department's Web site at [511.idaho.gov](http://511.idaho.gov) or call 888-432-7623.

# Fargo braces for flood

Thousands flee N. Dakota city

By Patrick Condon and Dan Sewell  
 Associated Press writers

FARGO, N.D. — Thousands of shivering, tired residents got out while they could and others prayed that miles of sandbagged levees would hold Friday as the surging Red River threatened to unleash the biggest flood North Dakota's largest city has ever seen.

The agonizing decision to stay or go came as the final hours ticked down before an expected crest this evening, when the ice-laden river could climb as high as 43 feet, nearly 3 feet higher than the record set 112 years ago.

"It's to the point now where I think we've done everything we can," said resident Dave Davis, whose neighborhood was filled with backhoes and tractors building an earthen levee. "The only thing now is divine intervention."

Even after the floodwaters crest, the water may not begin receding before Wednesday, creating a lingering risk of a catastrophic failure in levees put together mostly by volunteers.

National Guard troops fanned out in the bitter cold to inspect floodwalls for leaks and weak spots, and residents piled sandbags on top of 12 miles of snow-covered dikes. The freezing weather froze the bags solid, turning them into what townspeople hoped would be a watertight barrier. Hundreds more Guard



Snow flurries fall as scores of volunteers build up a dike to hold back the rising Red River Friday in Fargo, N.D.

troops poured in from around the state and neighboring South Dakota, along with scores of American Red Cross workers from as far away as Modesto, Calif.

Homeowners, students and small armies of other volunteers filled sandbags in temperatures that barely rose into the double digits. The river swelled Friday to 40.67 feet — more than 22 feet above flood stage and beyond the previous high-water mark of 40.1 feet in 1897. In one flooded neighborhood, a man paddled a canoe through ice floes and swirling currents.

Fargo Mayor Dennis Walaker cautiously expressed hope that the river would stay below 43 feet — the limit of the reinforced dikes. Walaker said there was not enough time to build the levees any higher. Fargo escaped devastation

from flooding in 1997, when Grand Forks was ravaged by a historic flood 70 miles to the north. This year, the river has been swollen by heavier-than-average winter snows, combined with an early freeze last fall that locked a lot of moisture into the soil. The threat has been made worse by spring rains.

"I think the river is mad that she lost the last time," said engineer Mike Buerkley, managing a smile through his dark stubble as he tossed sandbags onto his pickup truck after working 29 straight hours.

Some 1,700 National Guard troops helped rein-

force the dikes and conduct patrols for leaks. Police restricted traffic to allow trucks laden with sandbags, backhoes and other heavy equipment to get through.

Guard member Shawna Cale, 25, worked through the night on a dike, handing up sandbags that were 30 to 40 pounds and frozen-solid. "It's like throwing a frozen turkey," said sister-in-law Tawny Cale, who came with her husband to help with the sandbags and then to help Shawna move her valuables as she evacuated.

"When it hurts when you lift your arms, you have to stop," Shawna Cale said.

# Judge rules Texas pledge may reference God

DALLAS (AP) — A federal judge has dismissed the claims of a parent who wanted to remove the words "under God" from the Texas pledge of allegiance recited each morning by public schoolchildren.

U.S. District Judge Ed Kinkeade ruled Thursday the state pledge may continue to reference God because the national pledge and four other states reference God or divine grace in their pledge.

"A voluntary recitation of the Texas Pledge of Allegiance simply does not coerce students in the same way a school-spon-

sored prayer might," Kinkeade wrote in his opinion.

David Croft had argued that inserting the words were unconstitutional and amounted to a violation of separation of church and state. He and his wife, Shannon, sued on behalf of their three children who are enrolled at the Carrollton-Farmers Branch Independent School District.

Previously, the Crofts unsuccessfully sued after an elementary teacher told one of their children to keep quiet because a minute for silence after the pledge was a "time for prayer."

# California man charged in identity theft ring

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — A man has been accused of using stolen Social Security numbers to buy a new home, vehicles and electronics, and then selling the information to others in a multimillion-dollar identity theft ring.

Jerry Van Le, 30, did not enter a plea to charges of bank, wire and computer fraud during an initial appearance Friday in federal court in Sacramento. He was freed until an April 16 preliminary hearing.

An affidavit filed Wednesday accused Le of stealing Social Security numbers from about 25 children, immigrants and others who had not yet established credit, through his work as a mortgage broker.

Using the stolen numbers, Le obtained loans to buy five vehicles, a nearly \$500,000 home in a bedroom community about 30 miles northeast of Sacramento, and electronic and luxury items.

# VA: Sixteen patients of problem clinics infected

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP) — Viral infections, including hepatitis, have been found in 16 patients exposed to contaminated equipment at Veterans Affairs medical facilities, a department spokeswoman said Friday.

So far, 10 colonoscopy patients from the VA medical center in Murfreesboro, Tenn., have tested positive for hepatitis, VA spokeswoman Katie Roberts said. In a later e-mail, she reported six patients at the VA's ear, nose and throat clinic in Augusta, Ga., tested positive

for unspecified viral infections.

Roberts stressed that the source of the infections isn't known, but said the VA will make sure those who tested positive "get the best possible treatment."

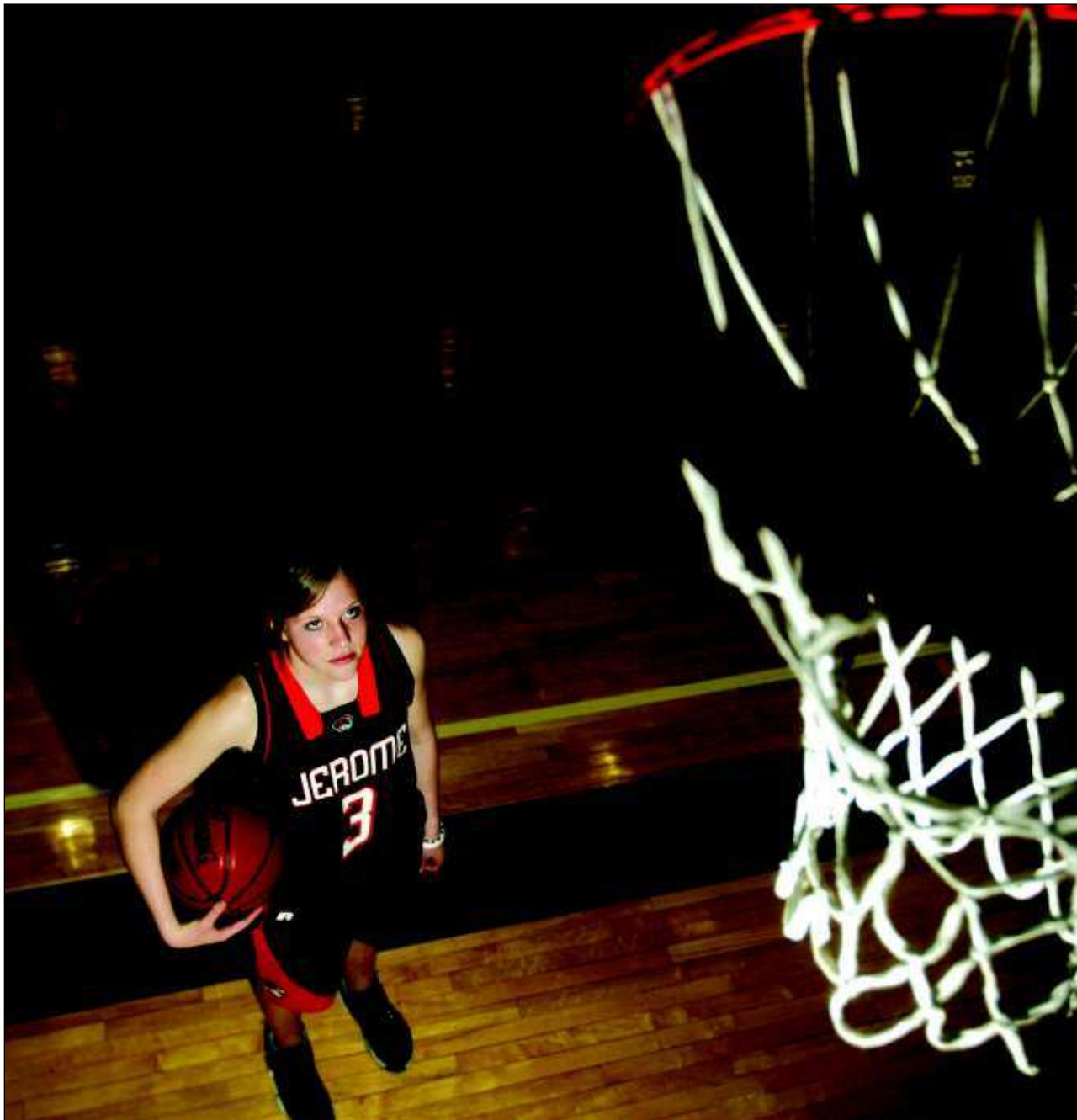
"There's no way to scientifically, conclusively prove they contracted this due to treatment at our facility," Roberts said. The number of reported infections could rise.

More than 10,000 veterans were warned to get blood tests because they could have been exposed to contamination at those two facilities.

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# CALLLEN'S EVOLUTION IS ONLY BEGINNING



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Jerome junior guard Aubree Callen is the 2008-09 *Times-News* girls basketball player of the year.

By David Bashore • Times-News writer

Aubree Callen had her coming-out party as a sophomore in 2007-08, particularly when she went off against Twin Falls near the end of the season.

Everyone pretty much knew Callen was a potential star in the making at that point, but the 2008-09 *Times-News* girls basketball player of the year cemented her status as the premier player in the area by evolving her game from strictly a run-and-gun playmaker to an all-around force.

"We had some good seniors last year, and with them gone I kind of felt I needed to become more of a vocal leader and a leader by example," Callen said. "I think the big thing for me this year has been my

passing, and improving my scoring (efficiency)."

With that leadership role came more responsibility, particularly to find the balance between taking games over when she had to and keeping her teammates involved.

Nowhere was that more evident than in a regular-season home game against Minico, during which Callen scored just a handful of points but pulled in seven rebounds and dished out eight assists.

"I think this year she and (backcourt teammate Carrie Thibault) just took it upon themselves to be leaders," said Jerome

See **CALLLEN**, Sports 2

## The best around

The *Times-News* continues its all-area honors with boys basketball on Sunday and wrestling on Monday

## Times-News All-Area girls basketball selections

**MVP:** Aubree Callen, Jerome.  
**Coach of the year:** Delon Huse, Wendell.  
**First team:** Kassi Kerbs, Burley; Sally Hansen, Raft River; Jesse Dill, Dietrich; Teenie Kent, Richfield; Katie Hall, Valley.  
**Second team:** Michelle Kent, Richfield; Alex Pfefferle, Kimberly; Kristen Brandsma, Wendell; Megan Crist, Kimberly; Jaci Lancaster, Wendell.  
**Honorable mention:** Carrie Thibault, Jerome; Camelle Sizemore, Valley; Jessica Parke, Carey; Lea Piper, Richfield; Jori Fleming, Wendell.



AP photo

Louisville's Terrence Williams celebrates after Louisville defeated Arizona 103-64 in the NCAA Tournament's Midwest Regional semifinal game Friday in Indianapolis.

## Louisville keeps Big East rolling

By Jim O'Connell  
 Associated Press writer

Four out of eight isn't bad. The Big East's hopes of breaking its own record and becoming the first conference with all the teams in a Final Four ended with Syracuse's 84-71 loss to Oklahoma in the South Regional semifinals on Friday night.

The Big East followed up its record three No. 1 seeds in this tournament by setting another mark with five teams in the round of 16. All but Syracuse moved on to this weekend's regional finals.

The four teams in a round of eight is also a record.

Pittsburgh and Villanova will meet in the East Regional final today, a game that guarantees the Big East at least one team in Detroit for the Final Four. Connecticut will play Missouri in the West today, while Louisville, which beat Arizona 103-64 on Friday night, will play Michigan State on Sunday. The Spartans ended their game against Kansas with a 12-2 run to take a 67-62 win.

Louisville coach Rick Pitino said facing all the different styles in the Big East has the teams prepared for the tournament.

"Arizona is a great slap down team, great steal team. But when you play against Marquette and Villanova, they are the quickest cats around. And it prepared us to play Arizona," Pitino said. "When you go against great zones, you go

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## NCAA TOURNAMENT

**Friday's scores**  
**South Region**  
 Oklahoma 84, Syracuse 71  
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 Michigan State 67, Kansas 62

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Jerome's Mackenzie Chojnacky finishes first in the girls 800-meter run Friday afternoon in Twin Falls.

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## T.F. track meet hints at district competition in '10

By Bradley Guire  
 Times-News writer

Friday's track and field meet at Twin Falls High School gave an interesting glimpse of Spring 2010 as the Bruins hosted teams from Jerome, Burley, Minico and Wood River, which along with Canyon Ridge, will soon make up Class 4A's District IV.

On this day, while Twin Falls is still 5A and CRHS isn't a factor, the Bruin boys and girls won the team standings, and both Jerome teams placed second.

Two underclassmen who will see this play out next year are distance runners Mackenzie Chojnacky of

Jerome and Amanda Ward of Twin Falls.

"We're more competitive when we race against the 5A students," said Chojnacky, who won the girls 800-meter race and was runner-up to Ward in the 1,600. "It helps improve our times and helps us get better."

Ward also won the girls 3,200-meter race in 12:28.84, edging Jerome's Mikesell Clegg by eight hundredths of a second.

"I tried to stay behind her early, and I knew I had to take it in the last lap," Ward said. In 14 months, these two could be in a footrace for the district title.

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Twin Falls High School's Kaitly Pearl completes a long jump during a track meet Friday afternoon in Twin Falls.

# Jerome softball grabs two wins

Times-News

The Jerome softball team overcame 13 errors to score a pair of wins at the ISG Softball Tournament Friday at Bishop Kelly High School in Boise.

The Tigers knocked off Nampa 4-3 in their first game of the day before drubbing Sandpoint 8-1 in the second.

Jerome coach Adam Reynolds said he was pleased with his team, which upped its record to 5-1 on the year, but stressed that improvements still needed to be made.

“We still have lots of work to do. Obviously 13 errors isn’t going to get it done later in the year,” Reynolds said. “But we’ve got some young players still learning.”

Jerome plays three more games at the tournament today, against Bishop Kelly, Columbia and Idaho Falls.

## Jerome 4, Nampa 3

Jerome 010 111 0 - 4 6 7  
Nampa 001 100 1 - 3 5 7  
Ashley Morrell and Whitney Jones; Dale, Downs (5) and Givens.  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Jerome; Jenna Semones; Nampa, Eason. 3B: Jerome, Colby Argyle.

## Jerome 8, Sandpoint 1

Sandpoint 000 001 1 - 1 5 8  
Jerome 124 010 x - 8 6 6  
Givens, Devault (3) and Rodriguez; Colby Argyle and Whitney Jones.  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Sandpoint, Givens, Hammack, Semones; Jerome, Tyler Ostler.

## TWIN FALLS SPLITS AT ISG

After getting 11 hits and pounding Centennial into submission 12-6, the Twin Falls softball team let a sweep slip through its fingers with one bad inning in a 6-2 loss to Coeur d’Alene.

Brianna Bishop homered, doubled and tossed all six innings in the Centennial win. Katelyn Fjeld gave a good effort in the circle in the second game, but a five-run sixth inning proved to be the difference as the Vikings took the win.

“They’re a good team, they may be the best team in the state,” Twin Falls coach Ken Johnson said of Coeur d’Alene. “We played really well, and had some

great plays. The girls really jumped forward. We’d been kind of struggling, and we got really after it.

“I’m happier with the Coeur d’Alene game than the Centennial game because this was competing against a great team with their ace throwing.”

Twin Falls (5-4) closes the ISG tournament today with games against Caldwell and Meridian.

## Twin Falls 12, Centennial 6

Twin Falls 030 900 - 12 11 3  
Centennial 031 200 - 6 9 2  
Brianna Bishop and Kalli McBride; Halli and Spear.  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Twin Falls, Bishop, Kylee Kuest, Kelsie Bryant; Centennial, Spear, Sydney. HR: Twin Falls, Bishop.

## Coeur d’Alene 6, Twin Falls 2

Coeur d’Alene 010 005 0 - 6 6 0  
Twin Falls 000 100 1 - 2 5 5  
Coburn and Pettit; Katelyn Fjeld and Kalli McBride. W: Coburn. L: Fjeld.  
Extra-base - 2B: Coeur d’Alene, Coburn; Twin Falls, Sunshine Martinez.

## BURLEY SWEEPS RIGBY

Behind the pitching of Molly Mills and some solid hitting, Burley swept Rigby 8-2 and 7-5 on Friday in Rigby.

Mills struck out 11 and walked one in the opener, while also going 4-for-4 at the plate. Shari Hoskins hit 3-for-4 with two RBIs, while Courtney Scheer was also 3-for-4.

“In Game 1, the girls grouped together a lot of hits,” said Burley coach Tim Campbell. “Every girl had a chance and hit the ball. We led through the whole game. Good defense and good hitting were our successes there.”

Burley struggled in Game 2, with errors leading to unearned Rigby runs. Mills fanned eight batters, but surrendered nine hits.

“We have some defensive issues to work on,” said Campbell.

The 5-1 Bobcats host Preston today, beginning at 11 a.m.

## Game 1

Burley 031 121 0 - 8 16 2  
Rigby 020 000 0 - 2 3 3  
Molly Mills, MaCee Miller.  
Burley Leading hitters: Mills (4-4), Hoskins (3-4, 2 RBIs), Scheer (3-4).  
Rigby Leading hitters: Chayla Jones (1-2), Kyly Abbott (1-3), Diana Higginbotham (1-2). Pitchers: MaCee Miller (L) 7 IP, 3K, 0BB.

## Game 2

Burley 7, Rigby 5  
Burley 203 001 1 - 7 12 1  
Rigby 030 011 0 - 5 9 2  
Molly Mills, MaCee Miller.  
Burley Leading hitters: Hoskins (2-4), Jorgensen (2-4), Doman (3-4).  
Rigby Leading hitters: Diana Higginbotham (3-4, HR, RBI), Jamie Berggren (2-3, RBI).

## Baseball

### TWIN FALLS TAKES TWO

The Twin Falls baseball team got a strong outing from Zeb Sneed in the first of two games in the Buck’s Bags Spring Classic in Boise on Friday, then broke out the bats to clean up Game 2.

Sneed threw a complete game, allowing just two runs and striking out 11 in a 7-2 win over Mountain Home. The Bruins then cranked out 13 runs on 10 hits in a 13-3, five-inning shellacking of Hermiston (Ore.).

Twin Falls chased Hermiston starter Kyle Slupsky by scoring eight runs in the first inning, then knocked out lefty Jordan Beckley an inning later. Michael Williams took the win for the Bruins.

“Our guys kept their intensity level up and out-competed the two teams we played,” said Twin Falls coach Tim Stadelmeir. “We’re kind of rolling right now.”

Twin Falls (9-2-1) closes the tournament with a game against Mountain View today.

### Twin Falls 7, Mountain Home 2

Mountain Home 002 000 0 - 2 6 5  
Twin Falls 000 106 x - 7 6 0  
Zeb Sneed and Heath Stewart; Christensen and Baker. W: Sneed. L: Baker.  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Mountain Home, Maholick; Twin Falls, Zak Slotten, Sneed. 3B: Mountain Home, Woodruff.

### Twin Falls 13, Hermiston (Ore.) 3, five innings

Hermiston 000 21 - 3 5 1  
Twin Falls 821 2x - 13 10 1  
Kyle Slupsky, Jordan Beckley (1), Tim Rude (2) and Jose Rosales; Michael Williams, Cassidy Gaines (5) and Zak Slotten, Cody Burgoyne (5).  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Twin Falls, Zeb Sneed, Slotten.

### MINICO SWEPT AT BUCK’S DAY 2

The Minico Spartans fell to 0-3 at the Buck’s Bags Spring Classic in Boise Friday, losing 2-0 to Bonneville and 11-8 to Bishop Kelly. The Spartans fell 17-14 to Meridian in

extra innings Thursday.

Although they were shut out of the first game, the Spartans were able to have a couple of big innings against the Knights in an attempt to close the gap. Landon Barnes went 1-for-4 with a pair of RBIs, and Nick Salvi drove in a pair of RBIs as well.

“We were happy to have hung around with them. They’re the defending state champions,” Minico assistant coach Mike Hoey said. “We’re young and still trying to figure things out. But we’re headed in the right direction.”

The Spartans will face Valluve at 1 p.m., today at Bishop Kelly High School.

### Bonneville 2, Minico 0

Bonneville 000 110 0 - 2 6 1  
Minico 000 000 0 - 0 2 1  
Clayton and McGuire; Alex Moon and Roy Benevisez. W: Clayton. L: Moon.  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Bonneville, Dellesilva, Kowitz.

### Bishop Kelly 11, Minico 8

Minico 000 440 0 - 8 5 6  
Bishop Kelly 211 430 x - 11 11 1  
Casey Christiansen, Barak Frank (6) and Alex Moon. Marsical, Graves (5), Nelson (6) and Cliss. W: Marsical. L: Christiansen.  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Minico, Landon Barnes; Bishop Kelly, Wylie 3, Hyder.

### BURLEY 3, BORAH 2

Burley edged Borah 3-2 at the Buck’s Bags Spring Classic Friday at Borah High School.

The Bobcats (5-6) got a complete game from pitcher Christian Winmill, who struck out four and walked two. Burley coach Devin Kunz said Winmill succeeded in getting ahead in the count and letting the defense go to work behind him.

Burley’s margin of victory should have been larger, according to Kunz, but the Bobcats stranded five runners on third base.

“Six of the seven innings we had guys on base, but then we couldn’t get timely hitting,” Kunz said. “In the long run, it’s going to haunt us not being able to score those runs.”

### Burley 3, Borah 2

Burley 021 000 0 - 3 8 0  
Borah 000 110 0 - 2 6 2  
Christian Winmill and Cody Moon, Dalton and Crow. W: Winmill. L: Crow.  
Extra-base hits - 2B: Burley, Jake Mills.

# CSI baseball blasts E. Utah

Times-News

Turns out when the wind blows out at Eastern Utah, it really blows out.

With a stiff wind aiding the batters for both teams, the College of Southern Idaho managed to crank out 38 hits in Friday’s double-header, including six home runs — three of which were grand slams — in a twin bill sweep in Price, Utah.

CSI won the first game 18-7 and took the second 22-10 in six innings.

Tyler Chism hit a grand slam in each game and Cameron Cushing hit a third for CSI (17-15, 10-8 Scenic West Athletic Conference), which recorded its eighth consecutive victory in the night-cap. Lionel Morrill, Garrett Wolff and Nate Carlson also homered for CSI.

“It wasn’t a day to be a pitcher,” CSI coach Boomer Walker said with a chuckle. “The wind was blowing straight out, but Chism’s two would have been out in any ballpark. The others

were probably balls in the gaps or outs, to be honest.

“It doesn’t do much for the confidence of your pitchers, but it helps out some guys’ batting averages.”

Sam Armstrong picked up the Game 1 win despite conceding five runs through the first three innings. He managed to make it through six and Logan Clewes came in to mop up in the seventh.

Tyler Curtis was cruising along in Game 2, not conceding a hit until the bottom of the fourth, at which point CSI was up 14-0. But the wheels came off in a hurry as Eastern Utah ripped off nine runs, and CSI had to call in Chris Gokey to stop the bleeding. Casey Lish polished off the last two innings.

“We just kind of kept plugging away,” Walker said.

Box scores from Friday’s games were unavailable.

The two teams will be back at it today with a noon doubleheader.

# CSI softball swept in Salt Lake City

Times-News

An all-around slump cost the Golden Eagles a chance to lead the Scenic West Athletic Conference softball standings as they dropped a doubleheader to the Bruins Friday in Salt Lake City, losing 3-2

and 6-2.

No. 7 Salt Lake Community College further cemented itself as SWAC leaders at 27-3 (30-5 overall), while the No. 10 College of Southern Idaho falls to 28-12-2 and 21-7 in league.

“It’s a heartbreaker this time of year,” CSI head coach Nick Baumert said. “We didn’t swing it very well. We didn’t pitch it very well. We didn’t play very well all around all day.”

The Golden Eagles were down 3-2 in Game 1 but had a chance to rally in the top of the seventh. They were unable to finish the job. With Madison Allen and Cassi Merrill at second and first with one out, Megan Zimmerman struck out and Ashley Chappel grounded to second to end the game, stranding the tying and winning runs.

“That’s right where you want to be: runners on with one out and Megan’s up,” Baumert said. “She’s got all of two strikeouts on the year and ends up striking out. It’s unexpected, and it’s kind of the way the day went I felt like.”

Trailing 3-0 in the top of the fourth, a pair of walks put Ashley Chappel and Brittany Gonzales on base, and they advanced to scoring position on a McKensy Hillstead sacrifice.

Erin Olander drilled a doubled to a gap in center field to score both and close

in on the Bruins 3-2. Dani Grant was hit by a pitch to reach base, Michon Vanderpoel advanced runners on a sacrifice bunt for the second out, and the Golden Eagles were back in the same situation with runners at second and

third. The Bruins were able to retire the side as Jaelle Judkins flew out to left to strand Olander and Grant.

Game 2 was put out of reach during the bottom of the fourth as the Bruins scored three runs to make it 5-1. The Eagles continued to struggle at the plate, mustering just one run for the rest of the game.

Olander was the only Eagle batter to collect more than one hit. She went 2-for-7 on the day. Team leaders like Ashley Chappel (1-for-6), Cassi Merrill (1-for-8) and Megan Zimmerman (0-for-7) were shut down.

The top 10 teams will meet again at noon today for another doubleheader.

## Game 1

No. 7 SLCC 3, No. 10 CSI 2  
CSI 000 200 0 - 2 3 1  
SLCC 102 000 x - 3 8 0  
Sarah Clark, Reliese O’Brien and Kim Weese.  
Generra Nielson and Megan Zimmerman.  
Pitching - CSI: Nielson (L, 12-3) 6.0 IP, 9 H, 3 R, 0 ER, 2 BB, 4 SO. SLCC: Clark (W, 14-2) 5.0 IP, 1 H, 2 R, 2 ER, 3 BB, 4 SO, 2 HB, O’Brien (S) 2.0 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 3 SO.  
E - CSI: Michon Vanderpoel. LOB - CSI 7. SLCC 8. 2B - CSI: Erin Olander. SLCC: Hayley Attyeh. RBI - CSI: Olander. 2. SLCC: Attyeh. 2. Lisa Riches. HBP - CSI: Grant. 2. SH - CSI: McKensy Hillstead, Vanderpoel. SB - SLCC: Erika James.

## Game 2

SLCC 6, CSI 2  
CSI 000 00 0 - 2 3 1  
SLCC 102 301 x - 6 8 1  
Kyla Bryant, Brie Dimond (4) and Megan Zimmerman. Jordyn McDonald, Reliese O’Brien (5) and Kim Weese.  
Pitching - CSI: Bryant (L, 7-4) 3.1 IP, 5 H, 5 R, 5 ER, 1 BB, 1 SO. Dimond 2.2 IP, 3 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 0 BB, 1 SO. SLCC: McDonald (W, 10-1) 4.2 IP, 3 H, 2 R, 1 ER, 4 BB, 4 SO, 1 HB, O’Brien (S) 2.1 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 4 SO.  
E - CSI: Zimmerman. SLCC: Shaynie Phillips. LOB - CSI 7. SLCC 4. 2B - CSI: Ashley Chappel. SLCC: Phillips. HR - SLCC: Amy Broadbent, Kim Weese, Meranda Wood. RBI - CSI: Chappel, Brittany Gonzales. SLCC: Broadbent, 2. Weese 2. Phillips. Wood. HBP - CSI: Jaelle Judkins. SB - CSI: Dani Grant. SH - SLCC: Hayley Attyeh. SF - SLCC: Weese.

# Track

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In the boys distance runs, Burley’s Taylor Bean won both the 1,600 and 3,200.

Minico’s Justin Martinez wasn’t too worried about what next year will be like as he’s set to graduate this spring. He was just excited to help his team to a comeback win in the 4x100-meter relay. The Jerome team started strong and led most of the race, but Martinez, the last leg for the Spartans, picked up the pace for the 45.43-second victory.

“Jerome was way ahead,” he said, “Their third-leg guy was coming up and saw that they were equal. I heard his footsteps, and it pushed me to go faster.”

The Spartans also won the 4x200, but the Bruins won the 4x400 and 4x800 relays. In the girls relays, the Bruins won all but the 4x100, which was claimed by Minico.

## Twin Falls Track Meet results

Friday at Twin Falls High School

Team scores: 1. Twin Falls 160, 2. Jerome 99, 3. Minico 53, 4. Burley 30, 5. Wood River 17.  
Individual results  
100 meters: 1. Jackson, Jerome, 11.01 seconds; 2. Brown, Minico, 11.02; 3. Myers, Twin Falls, 11.3; 4. Gilbert, Twin Falls, 11.47; 5. Jones, Twin Falls, 11.5.  
200 meters: 1. Jackson, Jerome, 22.7 seconds; 2. Myers, Twin Falls, 23.1; 3. Leavitt, Jerome, 23.5; 4. Richardson, Twin Falls, 23.67; 5. Aturra, Minico, 23.7.



JUSTIN JACKSON/Times-News

Twin Falls High School’s Jordyn Jones pole vaults the bar at 9 feet during a track meet held Friday afternoon in Twin Falls.

400 meters: 1. Gomez, Twin Falls, 52.25 seconds; 2. Bach, Jerome, 54.39; 3. Richardson, Twin Falls, 54.79; 4. Navarette, Minico, 55.3; 5. Dudley, Jerome, 56.32.  
800 meters: 1. Harris, Twin Falls, 2 minutes, 5.54 seconds; 2. Fillmore, Burley, 2:05.94; 3. Schenk, Twin Fall, 2:07; 4. Tolman, Jerome, 2:13.8; 5. Escabedo, Jerome, 2:14.44.  
1,600 meters: 1. Bean, Burley, 4 minutes, 44 seconds; 2. Javo, Twin Falls, 4:52.8; 3. Lundgren, Twin Falls, 4:54.6; 4. Schenk, Twin Falls, 4:59.4; 5. Harris, Twin Falls, 5:00.  
3,200 meters: 1. Bean, Burley, 10 minutes, 6.49 seconds; 2. Javo, Twin Falls, 10:20.9; 3. Caulkins, Wood River, 10:27; 4. Jacobs, Twin Falls, 10:34.3; 5. Werth, Twin Falls, 10:41.  
110 hurdles: 1. Lynch, Twin Falls, 14.7 seconds; 2. Hansen, Minico, 16.59; 3. Sutter, Jerome, 17.50; 4. Lott, Jerome, 17.55; 5. Kramer, Burley, 18.33.  
300 hurdles: 1. Owen, Minico, 41.42 seconds; 2.

Gilbert, Twin Falls, 42.41; 3. Lynch, Twin Falls, 42.5; 4. Hansen, Minico, 44.25; 5. Smith, Twin Falls, 44.6.  
400 relay: 1. Minico, 45.43 seconds; 2. Twin Falls, 45.8; 3. Jerome, 45.9.  
4x200 relay: 1. Minico, 1 minute, 35.5 seconds; 2. Twin Falls, 1:35.51; 3. Jerome, 1:36; 4. Wood River, 1:43.1.  
4x400 relay: 1. Twin Falls, 3 minutes, 37.9 seconds; 2. Minico, 3:47.6; 3. Jerome, 3:51.9.  
4x800 relay: 1. Twin Falls, 9 minutes, 0.2 seconds; 2. Wood River, 9:07.8; 3. Jerome, 9:39.  
Pole vault: 1. Casperon, Twin Falls, 14 feet, 1 inch; 2. Bryant, Twin Falls, 12-0; 3. Jones, Twin Falls, 11-6; 4. Zepeda, Jerome, 11-6; 5. McLaughlin, Wood River, 11-6.  
High jump: 1. May, Minico, 5 feet, 6 inches; 2. Cook, Jerome, 5-6; 3. Bryant, Twin Falls, 5-4; 4. (tie) Cornwell, Jerome and Griffin, Minico, 5-0.  
Long jump: 1. Crane, Twin Falls, 19 feet, 9 inches; 2. Cook, Jerome, 19-5; 3. Paris, Wood River, 19-4; 4. Brown, Minico, 19-0.75; 5. McNew, Twin Falls, 18-7.

Triple jump: 1. Crane, Twin Falls, 40 feet, 4.5 inches; 2. Cook, Jerome, 39-4; 3. Brown, Minico, 38-4.75; 4. McNew, Twin Falls, 37-8; 5. Dudley, Jerome, 35-4.75.  
Shot put: 1. Elmer, Twin Falls, 41 feet, 4 inches; 2. Wickham, Jerome, 39-2.5; 3. Novis, Jerome, 39-4; 4. Wickham, Jerome, 38-2.5; 5. Larson, Burley, 38-1.5.  
Discus: 1. Wickham, Jerome, 133 feet, 7 inches; 2. Larson, Burley, 126-8; 3. Elmer, Twin Falls, 119-5; 4. Cook, Jerome, 118-3; 5. Hoskins, Jerome, 105-0.

## Girls

Team scores: 1. Twin Falls 132, 2. Jerome 123, 3. Minico 60, 4. Wood River 25, 5. Burley 24.  
Individual results  
100 meters: 1. Chandler, Minico, 12.57 seconds; 2. Bowcut, Twin Falls, 12.58; 3. Reinstra, Jerome, 12.67; 4. Yagla, Jerome, 12.81; 5. French, Jerome, 13.04.  
200 meters: 1. Hamilton, Minico, 25.58 seconds; 2. Chandler, Minico, 26.28; 3. Worst, Twin Falls, 26.52; 4. Reinstra, Jerome, 27.0; 5. Yagla, Jerome, 27.1.  
400 meters: 1. Bowcut, Twin Falls, 1 minute, 2.11 seconds; 2. Layne, Jerome, 1:05; 3. Sutter, Jerome, 1:06.54; 4. Bates, Wood River, 1:09.25; 5. Lodonsky, Jerome, 1:09.26.  
800 meters: 1. Chojnacky, Jerome, 2 minutes, 32.97 seconds; 2. Beidenbach, Twin Falls, 2:36.66; 3. Van Zastrow, Twin Falls, 2:42; 4. Mendoza, Jerome, 2:47.5; 5. Hegstrom, Twin Falls, 2:46.  
1,600 meters: 1. Ward, Twin Falls, 5 minutes, 44.67 seconds; 2. Chojnacky, Jerome, 5:46; 3. Kenney, Jerome, 5:49.42; 4. Beidenbach, Twin Falls, 6:16; 5. Denney, Twin Falls, 6:22.  
3,200 meters: 1. Ward, Twin Falls, 12 minutes, 28.84 seconds; 2. Kleg, Jerome, 12:28.92; 3. Bowers, Wood River, 13:40; 4. Filas, Twin Falls, 14:30; 5. Miller, Twin Falls, 14:30.  
100 hurdles: 1. Worst, Twin Falls, 16.4 seconds; 2. Larsen, Jerome, 18.1; 3. John, Twin Falls, 20:58; 4. Mabey, Burley, 21:20; 5. Preston, Burley, 21:36.  
300 hurdles: 1. Fox, Wood River, 48.0 seconds; 2. Worthington, Minico, 48.3; 3. Worst, Twin Falls, 49:36; 4. Larsen, Jerome, 52:20; 5. Mabey, Burley, 63:0.  
4x100 relay: 1. Minico 51.54 seconds; 2. Jerome 52.2; 3. Twin Falls 52.38.  
4x200 relay: 1. Twin Falls 1 minute, 47.9 seconds; 2. Minico 1:50.7; 3. Jerome 1:57.  
4x400 relay: 1. Twin Falls 4 minutes, 16.8 seconds; 2. Minico 4:27.52; 3. Wood River 4:45; 4. Jerome 4:49.9.  
4x800 relay: 1. Twin Falls 11 minutes, 12 seconds; 2. Wood River 12:21; 3. Jerome 13:08.  
Pole vault: 1. Garner, Jerome, 8 feet, 6 inches; 2. Long, Jerome, 7-6; 3. Thibault, Jerome, 7-6; 4. Birbank, Jerome, 7-6.  
High jump: 1. Williams, Twin Falls, 5 feet; 2. Branch, Jerome, 4-10; 3. Bowcut, Twin Falls, 4-10; 4. Hepworth, Minico, 4-10; 5. Burnham, Jerome, 4-8.  
Long jump: 1. Reinstra, Jerome, 15 feet, 11.25 inches; 2. Branch, Jerome, 15-3.5; 3. Birch, Burley, 15-2; 4. Hillier, Jerome, 15-1.25; 5. Fox, Wood River, 14-7.5.  
Triple jump: 1. Birch, Burley, 32 feet, 6.75 inches; 2. Martinez, Wood River, 30-7.5; 3. Callen, Jerome, 29-9; 4. Williams, Twin Falls, 29-1.25; 5. Carey, Jerome, 28-10.  
Shot put: 1. Hollifield, Jerome, 30 feet, 2 inches; 2. Chapple, Twin Falls, 29-9.5; 3. Weatherford, Twin Falls, 29-7; 4. Hiebert, Jerome, 25-8.5; 5. Bair, Minico, 25-5.  
Discus: 1. Chapple, Twin Falls, 88 feet, 10 inches; 2. Bair, Minico, 82-8; 3. Weatherford, Twin Falls, 80-7; 4. Osterhout, Minico, 75-11; 5. Hollifield, Jerome, 73-6.

# Callen

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coach Brent Clark. “Of all the things Aubree did for us this year, I think the biggest strength as a player was seeing the floor, not worrying about being the scorer.

“One of the big things for her is she’s just a difficult matchup. She can go inside and outside defensively, and if we needed to she could probably go down and defend a post. The same way offensively, she can go inside or outside. When we were at state we had to put her inside a couple of times to force the mismatches. It’s pretty tough to defend for

the other team as well.”

Callen averaged around 15 points per game, shooting in the neighborhood of 50 percent from the field, including 32 percent from 3-point range and a steady 84 from the foul line. But her four assists, four steals and six boards per game may have been even more impactful.

“All the way around, she’s just solid. The big thing with her is just her defense,” said Jerome assistant coach (and designated defensive guru) Scott Burton.

“Anyone can score, but some people just stop there and focus on their scoring,

while she’s worked really hard on her defense. She’s probably helped us on the defensive end of the floor as much as anywhere else.”

Callen credits her ability and competitive streak in no small part to a lifetime of playing against the boys. Playing AAU, 3-on-3 and rec league with the boys “is a more physical game,” she said.

“It made me learn to get my shot off pretty quickly because I was always afraid I’d get stuffed,” Callen added.

Now she plays for the Idaho Flash Liberty, an elite high-school-age girls basketball travel team that won last year’s Midnight

## Summer Madness

Tournament in Seattle.

Playing 1-on-1 against twin brother Gus, an underrated cog as a starter on Jerome’s third-place boys team, hasn’t hurt either. Depending on who’s on and who’s not, Callen said she and Gus give as much as they get on the court at their home.

“But I beat him in H-O-R-S-E,” she was quick to point out.

## SCOREBOARD

## AUTO RACING

## NASCAR Sprint Cup Goody's Fast

Pain Relief 500 Lineup  
After Friday Qualifying Race Sunday  
At Martinsville Speedway

Length: 0.526 Miles  
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- (33) Clint Bowyer, Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.
- (19) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 2009 Owner Points.
- (99) Carl Edwards, Ford, 2009 Owner Points.
- (9) Casey Kahne, Dodge, 2009 Owner Points.
- (14) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.
- (11) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 2009 Owner Points.
- (48) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.
- (17) Matt Kenseth, Ford, 2009 Owner Points.
- (60) David Reutimann, Toyota, 2009 Owner Points.
- (29) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.
- (31) Jeff Burton, Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.
- (83) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 2009 Owner Points.
- (42) Juan Pablo Montoya, Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.
- (4) A.J. Allmendinger, Dodge, 2009 Owner Points.
- (10) Elliott Sauter, Dodge, 2009 Owner Points.
- (16) Greg Biffle, Ford, 2009 Owner Points.
- (88) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.
- (1) Martin Truex Jr., Chevrolet, 2009 Owner Points.

## BASEBALL

MLB Spring Training  
All Times EDT  
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Los Angeles	21	5	.808
New York	17	10	.630
Kansas City	15	10	.600
Boston	15	11	.577
Texas	15	11	.577
Minnesota	14	11	.560
Seattle	14	13	.518
Tampa Bay	12	12	.500
San Francisco	11	12	.478
Oakland	12	15	.444
Chicago	12	16	.429
Detroit	10	14	.417
Baltimore	10	16	.385
Cleveland	9	16	.360

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Atlanta	17	8	.680
St. Louis	15	9	.619
Milwaukee	14	9	.609
Chicago	17	13	.567
Pittsburgh	14	11	.560
San Francisco	17	14	.548
New York	12	13	.480
Los Angeles	13	15	.464
Washington	5	17	.288
Cincinnati	12	15	.444
Colorado	11	15	.423
Florida	10	14	.417
Philadelphia	10	14	.417
Arizona	10	16	.385
Houston	8	16	.333
San Diego	5	17	.227

NOTE: Split-squad games count in the standings; games against non-major league teams do not.

## Friday's Games

- Atlanta 3, Detroit 2  
Baltimore 9, Florida 7  
Minnesota 16, Tampa Bay 2  
Boston 11, St. Louis 8, 10 innings  
Houston 6, Philadelphia 5  
Colorado 8, Seattle 3  
Arizona 9, L.A. Angels 3  
Kansas City 4, L.A. Dodgers 1  
Chicago Cubs 9, Chicago White Sox 3  
San Francisco 10, Cleveland 3  
Toronto 4, Pittsburgh 1  
N.Y. Mets 4, Washington 1  
N.Y. Yankees 4, Cincinnati 1  
Milwaukee vs. Texas at Surprise, Ariz., late  
San Diego vs. Oakland at Phoenix, late

## Saturday's Games

- Detroit vs. Toronto at Duncun, Fla., 11:05 a.m.  
Minnesota vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 11:05 a.m.  
N.Y. Yankees vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee, Fla., 11:05 a.m.  
Houston vs. Washington at Viera, Fla., 11:05 a.m.  
Boston vs. St. Louis at Jupiter, Fla., 11:05 a.m.  
Cincinnati vs. Tampa Bay at Port Charlotte, Fla., 11:05 a.m.  
Philadelphia vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., 11:05 a.m.  
Florida vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 11:10 a.m.  
Oakland vs. Milwaukee at Phoenix, 2:05 p.m.  
Seattle vs. L.A. Angels at Tempe, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.  
Texas vs. Kansas City at Surprise, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.  
Cleveland vs. Arizona at Tucson, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.  
San Francisco vs. San Diego at Peoria, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.  
L.A. Dodgers vs. Chicago White Sox at Phoenix, 2:05 p.m.  
Chicago Cubs vs. Colorado at Tucson, Ariz., 2:10 p.m.

## BASKETBALL

NBA  
All Times EDT  
EASTERN

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-Boston	55	19	.743	-
Philadelphia	37	34	.521	16½
New Jersey	30	42	.417	24
New York	29	43	.403	25
Toronto	27	45	.375	27

## SOUTHWEST

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-Orlando	54	18	.750	-
Atlanta	42	31	.575	12½
Miami	38	34	.528	16
Charlotte	32	40	.444	22
Washington	17	56	.233	37½

## CENTRAL

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-Cleveland	59	13	.819	-
Chicago	35	38	.479	24½
Detroit	34	37	.479	24½
Milwaukee	31	42	.425	28½
Indiana	30	42	.417	29

## WESTERN

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	48	24	.667	-
Houston	47	26	.644	1½
New Orleans	44	27	.620	3½
Dallas	43	29	.597	5
Memphis	17	53	.243	30

## SOUTHWEST

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	48	24	.667	-
Houston	47	26	.644	1½
New Orleans	44	27	.620	3½
Dallas	43	29	.597	5
Memphis	17	53	.243	30

## NORTHWEST

	W	L	Pct	GB
Denver	47	26	.644	-
Portland	45	27	.625	1½
Utah	44	27	.620	2
Oklahoma City	20	27	.267	26½
Minnesota	20	53	.274	27

## PACIFIC

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-L.A. Lakers	58	14	.806	-
Phoenix	40	32	.556	18
Golden State	28	37	.431	33
L.A. Clippers	18	55	.247	40½
Sacramento	15	55	.214	42

## Thursday's Games

- L.A. Lakers 92, Detroit 77  
Chicago 106, Miami 87  
Portland 128, Phoenix 99  
Friday's Games  
Orlando 110, Milwaukee 94  
Toronto 112, Oklahoma City 96  
Charlotte 100, Philadelphia 95  
Cleveland 107, Minnesota 85  
L.A. Lakers 103, New Jersey 95  
New York 103, New Orleans 93  
Boston 99, Atlanta 93  
Denver 103, Dallas 101  
San Antonio 111, L.A. Clippers 98  
Memphis at Sacramento, late  
Saturday's Games

## Indiana at Chicago, Noon

Detroit at Washington, 5 p.m.  
New York at Charlotte, 5 p.m.  
Milwaukee at Miami, 5:30 p.m.  
L.A. Clippers at Houston, 6:30 p.m.  
Phoenix at Utah, 7 p.m.  
Golden State at Denver, 7 p.m.  
Memphis at Portland, 8 p.m.

## Sunday's Games

Dallas at Cleveland, 11 a.m.  
Chicago at Toronto, 1:30 p.m.  
L.A. Lakers at Atlanta, 1:30 p.m.  
New Jersey at Minnesota, 1:30 p.m.  
Philadelphia at Detroit, 4 p.m.  
Washington at Indiana, 5 p.m.  
Oklahoma City at Boston, 5 p.m.  
San Antonio at New Orleans, 6 p.m.  
Phoenix at Sacramento, 7 p.m.

## NBA Boxes

## Celtics 99, Hawks 93

**BOSTON (99)**  
Pierce 6-15 8-10 21, Davis 8-18 3-19, Perkins 1-2 1-2 3, R.Allen 8-17 3-3 22, Romo 4-7 1-9, House 5-9 0-0 12, L.A. Clippers at Houston, 1-4 0-0 2, Marbury 4-5 0-0 11, Phoenix at Utah, 7 p.m.  
Golden State at Denver, 7 p.m.  
Memphis at Portland, 8 p.m.

**ATLANTA (93)**  
Smith 8-17 6-22, Horford 3-12 0-0 6, Pachulia 3-3 1-2 7, Johnson 8-15 2-2 22, Bibby 7-15 3-4 19, Evans 2-8 2-2 6, Murray 4-13 2-3 11, Jones 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 35-83 16-22 93.

**Boston** 28 24 23 - 99  
**Atlanta** 17 18 33 - 93  
3-Point Goals—Boston 9-20 (Marbury 3-4, R.Allen 3-8, House 2-4, Pierce 1-4), Atlanta 7-21 (Johnson 4-6, Bibby 2-6, Murray 1-3, Smith 0-1, Evans 0-5), Fouled Out—Perkins, Rebounds—Boston 50 (Davis 12), Atlanta 50 (Horford 14), Assists—Boston 22 (Rondo, Pierce 5), Atlanta 14 (Smith, Johnson 4), Total Fouls—Boston 25, Atlanta 17. Technical—Atlanta defensive three second, A-20,504 (18,729).

## Charlotte (00)

Wallace 6-9 2-4 14, Diaw 6-16 6-7 24, Okafor 4-4 0-0 8, Bell 4-4 2-2 13, Felton 8-14 3-6 20, Howard 2-7 0-0 4, Diop 0-2 0-0 4, Augustin 4-5 3-13, Radmanovic 0-1 2-1, Martin 0-1 0-0 4, Mohammed 0-0 3-4 3, Totals 37-72 20-29 100.

## Philadelphia (95)

Iguodala 8-18 7-9 25, Young 10-14 0-0 21, Dalembert 2-3 0-2 4, Green 2-6 3-3 7, Miller 2-11 3-7, Williams 3-7 8-14 14, Evans 3-4 4-0 15, Ivey 2-3 0-0 5, Speights 0-2 2-2, Marshall 0-1 0-0 0, Ruffin 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 32-69 27-33 95.

## Charlotte (00)

3-Point Goals—Charlotte 6-18 (Diaw 2-3, Augustin 2-3, Bell 1-4, Felton 1-5, Martin 0-1, Wallace 0-2), Philadelphia 4-13 (Iguodala 2-6, Young 1-1, Ivey 1-2, Marshall 0-1, Williams 0-1, Green 0-2), Fouled Out—None, Rebounds—Charlotte 55 (Wallace 11), Philadelphia 32 (Young 7), Assists—Charlotte 21 (Diaw 6), Philadelphia 14 (Young 4), Total Fouls—Charlotte 25, Philadelphia 24, Technical—Charlotte defensive three second, A-19,098 (20,318).

## Magic 110, Bucks 94

**MILWAUKEE (94)**  
Jefferson 5-24 2-13, Villanueva 3-9 4-4 11, Gadzuric 3-4 0-0 4, Bell 8-11 1-19, Sessions 8-16 3-3 19, Elson 1-4 0-0 2, Mbah a Moute 3-10 1-4 7, Bogans 1-4 0-3 1, Richour 1-3 1-2 4, Alexander 2-4 4-8, Jones 0-1 0-0 0, Allen 1-2 0-0 2, Totals 36-92 16-24 94.

## Orlando (10)

Turkoglu 7-12 3-3 18, Lewis 8-15 0-10 19, Howard 4-8 10-14 18, Lee 6-10 1-4 16, Alston 4-10 2-3 11, Johnson 1-2 0-0 2, Pietrus 2-5 2-6, Battie 0-2 0-0 0, Gortall 5-8 0-3 10, Redick 3-6 1-3 8, Lue 0-1 0-0 0, Richardson 1-0 0-0 2, Totals 41-90 19-32 110.

## Milwaukee (04)

3-Point Goals—Milwaukee 6-15 (Bell 2-3, Rdnour 1-1, Villanueva 1-2, Jefferson 1-4, Bogans 1-4, Jones 0-1), Orlando 9-21 (Lee 3-5, Lewis 3-6, Redick 1-3, Alston 1-3, Turkoglu 1-3, Pietrus 0-1), Fouled Out—None, Rebounds—Milwaukee 38 (Jefferson 8), Orlando 38 (Gortall 11), Assists—Milwaukee 15 (Sessions 4), Orlando 21 (Alston, Howard 5), Total Fouls—Milwaukee 23, Orlando 22, Technical—Milwaukee Coach Skiles, A-17,461 (17,461).

## Lakers 103, Nets 95

**L.A. LAKERS (103)**  
Ariza 4-9 2-2 11, Odom 5-9 2-4 12, Gasol 14-19 8-10 36, Bryant 6-19 11-14, Fisher 8-12 0-18, Farmer 17-12 23, Vujacic 1-5 0-3, Walton 2-3 0-0 4, Powell 0-1 0-0 0, Mihalic 1-9 0-3, Brown 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 41-87 14-19 103.

## New Jersey (95)

Hassell 2-5 0-4, Anderson 2-7 0-0 4, Lopez 8-11 0-2 16, Carter 8-15 3-20, Harris 4-13 4-6 13, Boone 4-8 0-2 8, Hayes 7-14 1-19, Simmons 1-4 0-2, Dooling 3-6 0-0 9, Douglas-Roberts 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 39-83 8-17 95.

## L.A. Lakers

3-Point Goals—L.A. Lakers 7-21 (Bryant 3-6, Fisher 2-5, Vujacic 1-4, Ariza 1-4, Farmer 0-1, Odom 0-1), New Jersey 9-27 (Hayes 4-8, Dooling 3-4, Carter 1-3, Harris 1-7, Anderson 0-2, Simmons 0-3), Fouled Out—None, Rebounds—L.A. Lakers 50 (Gasol, Odom 11), New Jersey 54 (Lopez 10), Assists—L.A. Lakers 29 (Bryant 9), New Jersey 23 (Harris 14), Total Fouls—L.A. Lakers 17, New Jersey 20, Technicals—Fisher, Powell, Harris, A-19,990 (19,990).

## Knicks 103, Hornets 93

**NEW ORLEANS (93)**  
Armstrong 3-5 0-0 6, West 11-19 7-29, Wright 5-14 1-2 11, Butler 2-11 0-5, Paul 3-6 3-6 22, Marks 1-3 0-2 0, Posey 3-8 0-0 7, Peterson 3-6 0-0 9, Daniels 1-2 0-0 2, Totals 37-83 13-15 93.

## New York (103)

W.Chandler 6-13 2-15, Harrington 7-15 4-4 23, Lee 9-15 0-18, Hughes 4-12 2-2 11, Duhon 4-7 3-3 15, Jeffries 2-2 0-0 4, Richardson 2-4 2-7, Robinson 4-8 0-0 8, Wilcox 0-2 2-2 2, Totals 38-78 16-10 103.

## New Orleans

3-Point Goals—New Orleans 6-20 (Peterson 3-4, Paul 1-3, Posey 1-4, Butler 1-6, West 0-1, Wright 0-2), New York 12-32 (Harrington 5-11, Duhon 4-7, Richardson 1-2, W.Chandler 1-4, Hughes 1-6, Wilcox 0-1, Robinson 0-1), Fouled Out—None, Rebounds—New Orleans 45 (Wright 14), New York 47 (Lee 11), Assists—New Orleans 15 (Paul 10), New York 23 (Duhon 7), Total Fouls—New Orleans 15, New York 13, Technicals—Paul, Posey, Harrington, Robinson, Ejected—Posey, A-19,763 (19,763).

## Raptors 112, Thunder 96

**OKLAHOMA CITY (96)**  
Durant 4-13 9-11 18, Green 3-9 5-7 11, Krstic 5-13 1-1 11, Selofoshia 1-7 2-2 4, Westbrook 0-1 0-1 0, Collison 9-12 3-3 21, Atkins 1-7 0-0 2, Weaver 3-4 0-0 7, Rose 0-3 2-2 2, Swift 1-1 0-0 2, Wilkins 3-4 1-2 8, Totals 35-84 23-29 96.

## Toronto (112)

Martin 10-14 0-0 20, Bosh 10-18 1-1 21, Bargnani 6-13 0-0 14, Parker 4-9 2-12, Calderon 3-7 0-0 7, Mensah-Bonsu 0-0 0-0 0, Utkic 4-9 0-1 8, Kapono 5-11 2-2 15, Graham 4-6 1-1 9, O'Byrne 2-6 0-0 4, Douby 0-1 2-2 2, Voskuhl 0-1 0-0 0, Totals 48-95 8-9 112.

## Oklahoma City

3-Point Goals—Oklahoma City 2-13 (Wilkins 1-1, Weaver 1-2, Durant 1-3, Westbrook 0-1, Selofoshia 0-2, Green 0-4), Toronto 8-18 (Kapono 3-4, Bargnani 2-3, Parker 2-5, Calderon 1-3, O'Byrne 0-1, Utkic 0-2), Fouled Out—None, Rebounds—Oklahoma City 44 (Selofoshia, Collison 7), Toronto 59 (Bosh 13), Assists—Oklahoma City 21 (Westbrook 5), Toronto 36 (Utkic 10), Total Fouls—Oklahoma City 14, Toronto 19, Technical—Toronto defensive three second, A-17,127 (19,800).

## Cavaliers 107, Timberwolves 85

**MINNESOTA (85)**  
Games 2-7 3-4 7, Love 7-13 4-4 18, Collins 2-3 0-2 4, Carney 2-8 0-5, Ollie 0-5 2-3 2, Foye 6-16 1-2 18, Miller 1-2 0-0 2, Bellair 3-10 1-2 8, C.Smith 5-8 0-3 10, Cardinal 3-4 1-1 9, Towner 1-2 0-0 2, Totals 32-78 12-21 85.

## Cleveland (107)

Games 8-14 7-10 25, Varejao 5-10 0-10 0, Ilgavskas 3-8 4-4

## GAME PLAN

## LOCAL

## COLLEGE BASEBALL

CSI at Eastern Utah, noon, DH

## COLLEGE SOFTBALL

CSI at Salt Lake, noon, DH

## HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL

Glenns Ferry at Melba, 11 a.m., DH

Jerome at Century, 11 a.m., DH

Payette at Buhl, 11 a.m., DH

## Buck's Bags Spring Classic

Burley vs. Hood River Valley (Ore.), Boise, 10:30 a.m.

Burley vs. Highland, 1 p.m.

Twin Falls vs. Mountain View, Rodeo Park, Nampa, 1 p.m.

Minico vs. Vallivue, Boise, 1 p.m.

## HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL

Preston at Burley, 11 a.m., DH

## ISG Tournament

Jerome vs. Bishop Kelly, Boise, 10 a.m.

Twin Falls vs. Caldwell, Boise, noon

Jerome vs. Columbia, Boise, 2 p.m.

Twin Falls vs. Meridian, Boise, 2 p.m.

Jerome vs. Idaho Falls, Boise, 4 p.m.

## HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS

Twin Falls at Madison, noon

## HORSE RACING

ESP-N — NTRA, Florida Derby

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

2 p.m.

WGN — Preseason, Chicago White Sox vs. L.A. Dodgers

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

11 a.m.

CBS — NCAA Division II tournament, championship game, Cal Poly Pomona vs. Findlay

2:30 p.m.

CBS — NCAA Division I tournament, regional finals, doubleheader, Pittsburg vs. Villanova at Boston and Connecticut vs. Missouri

MEN'S COLLEGE HOCKEY

Noon

ESPN2 — NCAA Division I tournament, Northeast Regional semifinal, New Hampshire vs. North Dakota

3:30 p.m.

ESPN2 — NCAA Division I tournament, Northeast Regional semifinal, Ohio St. vs. Boston U.

# Gillispie out as Kentucky opts for coaching change

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) — Impatient for a winner and a coach who embraced all the things that come with running college basketball's all-time winningest program, Kentucky fired coach Billy Gillispie on Friday.

Saying the Wildcats deserve a leader who understands "this is not just another coaching job," athletic director Mitch Barnhart and president Lee Todd made the unusual decision to dismiss Gillispie less than two years after he was hired to replace Tubby Smith.

"He's a good basketball coach," Barnhart said. "Sometimes it's just not the

right fit and that's my responsibility."

It's a move Barnhart felt was necessary following a couple of turbulent seasons in which the Wildcats struggled to improve under their hard-working but sometimes aloof head coach.

Hired to rejuvenate a program after Smith bolted for Minnesota, Gillispie struggled to find any consistency on the court or off it.

Gillispie went 40-27 in two seasons with the Wildcats, including a 22-14 mark this year that tied for the second-most losses in the program's 106-year history.

A stumble down the stretch left the Wildcats out of the NCAA tournament for the first time since 1991.

Yet Gillispie's problem went beyond wins and losses.

Barnhart said rebuilding years are expected when a new coach is hired. The trouble were "philosophical differences" between the university and Gillispie on the role the school's coach plays in the fabric of a fan base that refers to itself as Big Blue Nation.

"There is a clear difference in how the rules and responsibilities of overseeing the program are viewed," Barnhart said. "It is a gap

that I do not believe can be solved just by winning games. It is a philosophical disparity that I do not think can be repaired when the chemistry is just not right."

Barnhart said the university did not plan to pay Gillispie a \$6 million buyout that was to be part of his seven-year deal that was never signed.

"Suffice it to say it will be less than that," Barnhart said.

Gillispie agreed to a memorandum of understanding on the day he was hired in April, 2007.

A deal appeared to be a formality, but neither side could come to terms. In the

end, the absence of a formal contract may have cost Gillispie a substantial buyout.

Barnhart said the school would abide by the memorandum of understanding, but he considers it to be a year-to-year contract. Gillispie made \$2.3 million annually.

Beyond the money, however, was Gillispie's seeming inability to ingratiate himself to the fans. He could be gruff with the media and stubbornly refused to change his coaching strategy even as the program suffered embarrassing losses to schools like Gardner-Webb and VMI.



AP photo  
Former Kentucky men's basketball coach Billy Gillispie looks on during the Wildcats' 77-67 loss to Notre Dame in the quarterfinals of the NIT on Wednesday in South Bend, Ind.

# Spartans down Kansas

INDIANAPOLIS — Goran Suton had 20 points and nine rebounds and Michigan State was steady from the foul line, rallying to defeat defending NCAA champion Kansas 67-62 Friday night in the Midwest Regional semifinals.

Kalin Lucas added 18 points for the second-seeded Spartans (29-6). He shot just 5-for-15 from the field, but made all five of his free throws in the final minute. Overall, Michigan State went 16 of 17 from the line.

Michigan State overcame a 13-point deficit in the first half and advanced to play Louisville on Sunday for a trip to the Final Four. The top-seeded Cardinals defeated Arizona 103-64 earlier in the night.

"Kansas is a very, very good team. I'm very proud of how our guys fought back," Michigan State coach Tom Izzo said.

Sherron Collins scored 20 points and Cole Aldrich had 17 points and 14 rebounds for Kansas (27-7).

Kansas led 60-57 when Michigan State's Durrell Summers was fouled. He made the first of two free throws, and the Spartans came up with the offensive rebound when he missed the second.

Raymar Morgan, who hadn't made a basket the entire game, dunked to tie it at 60 with 1:46 to play.

On Michigan State's next possession, Lucas spun, pump-faked in the lane, drew contact from Collins, then dropped in a shot. He made the free throw to put the Spartans ahead 63-60 with 48 seconds left.

Kansas' Tyshawn Taylor made two free throws with 32 seconds left, then Lucas came back with two at the other end to make it 65-62.

Collins was fouled with 20 seconds to play. He missed the front end of a one-and-one, and Michigan State came up with the ball. Lucas made two more free throws with 14.4 seconds left to seal the game.

**LOUISVILLE 103, ARIZONA 64**  
INDIANAPOLIS — Louisville proved it was the best in the Big East. Now, the Cardinals are showing just



AP photo  
Michigan State's Durrell Summers, left, and Raymar Morgan celebrate after the NCAA Tournament Midwest Regional semifinal game against Kansas Friday in Indianapolis. Michigan State won 67-62 and will play Louisville in Sunday's regional final.

how mighty they might be.

Earl Clark had 19 points and nine rebounds and the top-seeded team in the NCAA Tournament delivered one of the most crushing blowouts in regional round history — a 103-64 romp over Arizona on Friday night.

Coach Rick Pitino and the Cardinals (31-5) topped 100 points for the first time this season, hit 14 3-pointers and nearly 57 percent from the field, moving into the Midwest final in impressive fashion. They will play Michigan State on Sunday.

The Big East regular season and tourney champs became the fourth team from the league to reach a regional final this season with a victory that just missed cracking the top five for most lopsided routs in regional round history. UCLA set the record with a 49-point victory over Wyoming in 1967, and all the top five were recorded before 1972.

The 12th-seeded Wildcats (21-4) got 22 points from Chase Budinger.

It was by far the Cardinals' biggest rout in their long NCAA tournament, and easily was Arizona's most-lopsided loss.

## South Regional

**NORTH CAROLINA 98, GONZAGA 77**  
MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Flawless at the start and composed throughout, Ty Lawson and North Carolina breezed to another regional final.

Lawson scored 17 of his 19 points in the first half, and the top-seeded Tar Heels routed Gonzaga 98-77 in the South Regional on Friday night. They'll play second-seeded Oklahoma on Sunday for a berth in the Final Four.

Tyler Hansbrough added 24 points and 10 rebounds for North Carolina, which won its 99th NCAA tournament game, breaking a tie with Kentucky for the most by any school.

Wayne Ellington scored 19 points and Danny Green added 13 for the Tar Heels (31-4), who reached the regional finals for the third straight year.

Jeremy's Pargo's 16 points led four Bulldogs in double figures. Austin Daye added a 10-point, 11-rebound double-double, while Josh Heytvelt scored 14.

**OKLAHOMA 84, SYRACUSE 71**  
MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Blake Griffin bulled his way to 30

Men's NCAA Tournament	
All Times EDT	
EAST REGION	
At TD Banknorth Garden	
Boston	
Regional Semifinals	
Thursday, March 26	
Pittsburgh 60, Xavier 55	
Villanova 77, Duke 54	
Regional Championship	
Saturday, March 28	
Pittsburgh (31-4) vs. Villanova (29-7), 5:05 p.m.	
SOUTH REGIONAL	
At FedEx Forum	
Memphis, Tenn.	
Regional Semifinals	
Friday, March 27	
Oklahoma 84, Syracuse 71	
North Carolina 98, Gonzaga 77	
Regional Championship	
Sunday, March 29	
Oklahoma (30-5) vs. North Carolina (31-4), 3:05 p.m.	
MIDWEST REGIONAL	
At Lucas Oil Stadium	
Indianapolis	
Regional Semifinals	
Friday, March 27	
Louisville 103, Arizona 64	
Michigan State 67, Kansas 62	
Regional Championship	
Sunday, March 29	
Louisville (31-5) vs. Michigan State (29-6), 12:20 p.m.	
WEST REGIONAL	
At University of Phoenix Stadium	
Glendale, Ariz.	
Regional Semifinals	
Thursday, March 26	
Connecticut 72, Purdue 60	
Missouri 102, Memphis 91	
Regional Championship	
Saturday, March 28	
Connecticut (30-4) vs. Missouri (31-6), 2:40 p.m.	
FINAL FOUR	
At Ford Field	
Detroit	
National Semifinals	
Saturday, April 4	
East champion vs. South champion	
Midwest champion vs. West champion	
National Championship	
Monday, April 6	
Semifinal winners	

points and 14 rebounds, and Tony Crocker added a career-high 28 points as second-seeded Oklahoma beat Syracuse to reach its first regional final since 2003.

Oklahoma (30-5) will play either top-seeded North Carolina or Gonzaga in the South Regional final Sunday. The last time the Sooners made it this far, Syracuse beat them en route to their own national championship.

And all that talk of an All-Big East Final Four? That's over with now. Syracuse was the league's lone representative left in the South Region. The Orange (28-10) finally ran out of the magic that helped them pull off such wins as their six-overtime marathon over Connecticut in the Big East tournament.

The Sooners began pulling away midway through the first half. Griffin mowed over Syracuse's gutsy guard Jonny Flynn going to the basket and also banged his noggin against the bottom of the backboard while going for a rim-rocking dunk.

Flynn led Syracuse with 22 points despite playing the second half with a bruised back after that crunching collision with Griffin.

— The Associated Press

# LeBron, Cavs roll to win

CLEVELAND — LeBron James scored 25 points and Mo Williams added 22, leading the Cleveland Cavaliers to their 11th straight win, a 107-85 victory over the Minnesota Timberwolves on Friday night.

Cleveland's victory ties the franchise record for consecutive wins in a season. The Cavaliers (59-13) also won 11 straight from Nov. 22-Dec. 12 this season, and have accomplished the feat four other times.

Cleveland leads Boston and Orlando by five games for the best record in the Eastern Conference.

James finished 8-of-14 from the field, grabbed 12 rebounds and had seven assists in 34 minutes.

## LAKERS 103, NETS 95

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Pau Gasol had a season-high 36 points and 11 rebounds and the Los Angeles Lakers clinched the top playoff seed in the Western Conference with a victory over the New Jersey Nets.

Shaking off some uncharacteristic poor shooting early and a sprained right ankle before halftime, Kobe Bryant scored 12 of his 14 points in the second half and added nine assists as the Lakers (58-14) won their fifth straight.

## SPURS 111, CLIPPERS 98

SAN ANTONIO — Tony Parker scored 18 points and the San Antonio Spurs celebrated having their big three together for the first time in six weeks by drubbing the weary Los Angeles Clippers.

Manu Ginobili had 14 points and Tim Duncan had 13 before San Antonio's championship nucleus kicked back for most of the fourth quarter. Ginobili returned from a lengthy ankle injury on Wednesday, but Duncan had sat out to rest his knees.

## NUGGETS 103, MAVERICKS 101

DALLAS — Carmelo Anthony made three free throws and a tough layup in traffic in the final 43 seconds, capping a 43-point performance that lifted Denver past the Jason Kidd-less Dallas Mavericks.

Kidd hurt his lower back Wednesday night and missed his first game for Dallas after playing 100 straight since being acquired last year.

## KNICKS 103, HORNETS 93

NEW YORK — Al Harrington scored 23

points, David Lee added 18 points and 11 rebounds, and the New York Knicks snapped a six-game losing streak.

Chris Duhon ended a long slump with 15 points and Wilson Chandler also scored 15 for the Knicks, who are still mathematically alive for a playoff spot but realistically blew their chances for a spot by matching their longest skid of the season.

## CELTICS 99, HAWKS 93

ATLANTA — Boston rested Kevin Garnett, but showed off its depth as Glen Davis filled in with 19 points and 12 rebounds to lead the Celtics past the Atlanta Hawks.

Davis matched his career high in rebounds, and Ray Allen led Boston with 22 points.

Boston coach Doc Rivers held out Garnett, who's still experiencing soreness after missing 13 games with a right knee strain. Garnett played a limited role in four games after returning from the injury but now could miss more time as Rivers attempts to have the high-scoring forward healthy for the playoffs.

## MAGIC 110, BUCKS 94

ORLANDO, Fla. — Rashard Lewis scored 19 points, Hedo Turkoglu added 18 and the surging Orlando Magic beat the Milwaukee Bucks.

Dwight Howard added 18 points and eight rebounds in another strong defensive effort for Orlando, which held Milwaukee to 39.1 percent shooting.

## BOBCATS 100, 76ERS 95

PHILADELPHIA — Boris Diaw scored 24 points to help the Charlotte Bobcats keep their slim playoff hopes alive with a win over the Philadelphia 76ers.

Ray Felton added 20 points for the Bobcats, who won for the first time in five road games. Andre Iguodala scored 25 points and Thaddeus Young added 20 points for Philadelphia.

## RAPTORS 112, THUNDER 96

TORONTO — Chris Bosh had 21 points and 13 rebounds, and Shawn Marion added 20 points and 11 rebounds as the Toronto Raptors beat the Oklahoma City Thunder.

Jason Kapono scored 15 points and Andrea Bargnani had 14 points and nine rebounds for the Raptors, who led by as many as 25 and matched a season high with their third straight win.

— The Associated Press

# NCAA

## Continued from Sports 1

against Syracuse's zone with their length. The Big East has prepared us for every time on defense."

The Big East had three

teams in the 1985 Final Four when champion Villanova was joined by Georgetown and St. John's.

The Big 12 has two teams in the regional finals —

Oklahoma and Missouri. Kansas looked like it would make it a Big 12 trio, but blew a 13-point lead. Friday's one-sided wins by the Sooners and North Carolina,

which routed Gonzaga, sets up a Sunday showdown between two of the nation's best big men in Oklahoma's Blake Griffin and UNC's Tyler Hansbrough.

# Tejada back against Astros after sentencing; Lackey hurting

## The Associated Press

With the stress of waiting to be sentenced for misleading Congress alleviated, Miguel Tejada flashed the skills that made him an AL MVP.

There is uncertainty surrounding Angels ace John Lackey, who has tightness in his right forearm and might not be ready to start the season.

After spending a day in a Washington court, where he was sentenced to one year of

probation, given 100 hours of community service and fined \$5,000 for denying Congress information about an ex-teammates use of performance-enhancing drugs, Tejada homered and drove in two runs Friday in the Houston Astros' 6-5 win over the Philadelphia Phillies.

"It's a lot easier with the stuff behind me," said Tejada, who had been awaiting sentencing since pleading guilty Feb. 12. "I don't have to worry about that

anymore. The only thing I have to worry about now is to just play baseball."

Tejada went 3-for-3 with an RBI double and a single to back Roy Oswalt, who was making his first start since returning from the World Baseball Classic.

"Every time I take the field, it doesn't matter what happens off the field. I'm going to play the best I can," said Tejada, who was hitting just .251 this spring coming into the game.

Oswalt allowed 10 hits and

three runs in six innings.

"Early on I couldn't get the ball down," Oswalt said. "As the game went on I was able to get some command and start getting people out."

Oswalt will have one more start before opening day and two bullpen sessions before that as he tries to get into regular-season form. Oswalt struggled in the WBC, posting a 5.56 ERA in three starts and got the loss to Japan in the semifinals.

At Tuscon, Ariz., the

Angeles said Lackey's opening-day start might be in jeopardy, and a trip to the disabled list is possible.

"Right now, it is on hold," Los Angeles manager Mike Scioscia said about Lackey's scheduled start for the regular season. "We will make a determination this week. He is getting over stiffness."

Lackey will have an MRI exam this weekend to determine the extent of the injury. The tightness surfaced March 22 while throwing 90 pitches against Kansas City.

Lackey, who was 12-5 with a 3.75 ERA last year, is entering the final year of his contract.

"I think we are relieved that everything seems structurally where his elbow needs to be. There is just inflammation in there," Scioscia said. "We will evaluate it every day and see where he is. He has already thrown 90 pitches (in a game) so it shouldn't take him too far along to get where he needs to be" once he starts throwing again.



# Stewart earns parking spot with the stars

MARTINSVILLE, Va. (AP) — NASCAR is no different than the corporate world. Prime parking is a sure sign of success.

Tony Stewart has won two races on NASCAR's shortest, trickiest oval, but when the first-year team owner pulled into Martinsville Speedway on Friday, the place where he saw his team's hauler parked meant more to him than it probably ever had.

It was, he said, "a proud moment," and one earned on the track by his seventh-place position in the points standings with a new team that needed to start with some success.

"We haven't got that first win and we haven't got that first top-five, but we've had consistent runs and we're in the top-10 in points, so I think that in itself is an accomplishment," the two-time series champion said Friday at the rainy, 0.526-mile oval.

And the infield parking grid, in a way, heralds that success.

In the Sprint Cup Series, team haulers serve as rolling billboards for teams while in transit, and as the inner sanctum at the racetrack. They hold spare parts and important electronic and analytical systems, and a plush meeting room for strategy sessions.

In stock car racing's premier series, haulers are positioned inside the track according to the point standings, and Stewart's was parked near the front in the Martinsville infield.

For many fledgling teams, getting into that top 35 is a season-long struggle, but Stewart got a great start with eighth-place runs in the season-opening Daytona 500 and the second race at Auto Club Speedway in Fontana, Calif., and it's been smooth sailing ever since.

"I'm not sure I've had a big sense of anxiety yet," he said after practice at the track, where a steady drizzle washed out qualifying for Sunday's race. He'll start seventh.

"We've always had the attitude that we were going to take it a week at a time and we knew that there were going to be good weeks and we knew there were going to



Tony Stewart, right, jokes with Kevin Harvick, left, after practice for Sunday's Goody's 500 NASCAR Sprint Cup race at the Martinsville Speedway in Martinsville, Va., Friday.

AP photo

## RAIN PUTS GORDON ON POLE FOR CUP RACE AT MARTINSVILLE

MARTINSVILLE, Va. (AP) — Jeff Gordon will start from the pole position in the NASCAR Sprint Cup race at Martinsville Speedway after steady rain washed out qualifying.

Gordon, who also earned the prime pit stall on Friday because he is the points leader, will be seeking his third victory from the top starting spot on Martinsville's tricky 0.526-mile oval on Sunday. Gordon has won seven times at Martinsville overall, tops among active drivers, and will be starting first for the eighth time in his career at the track. The four-time series championship will also be trying to end a 46-race winless streak dating to 2007. Kurt Busch will start second, followed by Clint Bowyer, Kyle Busch and Carl Edwards.

be bad weeks, but so far during the weekends, it has been really smooth where we haven't had that anxiety.

"It's just run the way it's supposed to run. That makes it a lot more calming."

Stewart went into his new dual role adamant that he would focus solely on his duties as a driver on weekends, but unsure how he would be able to manage sticking to that approach.

"If anything, it's played the opposite of what I thought it was going to be," he said. "I thought I'd be a

lot more nervous as a car owner and I've been really relaxed instead."

The 10 years he spent working for Joe Gibbs have helped, Stewart said, because he learned from the Hall of Fame coach to surround himself with good people and let them do their jobs.

"I feel like I could literally not go to the shop for the whole year almost, and other than signing paperwork, it would run just fine with or without me in the shop," he said.

One of Stewart-Haas Racing's aces has been Darian Grubb, the crew chief for Stewart's Chevrolet. Luck has largely been on the team's side, Grubb said, except for at Las Vegas.

There, he said, a loose wheel relegated a potential winning car to 26th place.

"That was pretty disappointing," Grubb said. "But all of the small problems we've had, we were expecting. We're not putting ourselves out of races, we're not crashing, we're not having major issues in the pits or anything like that, so that's definitely helped."

The anticipation within the team, which also includes driver Ryan Newman, is growing.

"The most rewarding part is just seeing it develop and watching everybody's smiles turn into grins and their grins turn into laughter and laughter turning into victory lane," he said of the two-car effort.

"We're not there yet, but that's the ultimate goal."

Newman is 27th in the points race, also comfortably inside the top 35.

# O'Hair storms to Bay Hill lead

## Woods still in the mix

ORLANDO, Fla. — Bay Hill was so penal Friday that most players figured it would be difficult for anyone to shoot a low number and separate themselves from the pack. Sean O'Hair apparently didn't get the memo.

O'Hair opened with three straight birdies and didn't drop a shot until his final hole, giving him a 5-under 65 for a lead over Jason Gore heading into the weekend at the Arnold Palmer Invitational.

Tiger Woods remained in the mix for a sixth title at Bay Hill, courtesy of a short game that turned a mediocre round into a 69. Woods chipped in for birdie on his opening hole for the second straight day, holed another birdie chip on No. 8, and kept his round together with two head-turning chips to save par. He was in fifth place, five shots behind.

O'Hair was at 8-under 132 and will be in the final group Saturday with Gore, who had four birdies and four bogeys for a 70. Robert Allenby had a bogey-free round of 65 and was at 4-under 136, along with Ryuji Imada (66).

O'Hair's round was set up by his tee shots, and he figured if he was driving it well, he probably would swing the irons the same way. His first three birdies were all within 8 feet, and he had a putt at birdie on all but three holes.

It all sounded simple enough.

"The rough is very penal, but if you're in the fairway all day, you don't have to worry about it," O'Hair said. "The greens are absolutely perfect. You just give yourself some nice opportunities, and all of a sudden you're 8- or 9-under par."

Even so, O'Hair could relate with the grind that it became for Woods, and at times for double major winner Padraig Harrington, who shot a 68 and was at 2-under 138. And he could appreciate what happened to Davis Love III, who had a 74 and missed the cut, seriously damaging his bid to get to the

Masters. "You don't really even need to hit it sideways," O'Hair said. "Just a little bit off here and there, and you're giving yourself some pretty tough par opportunities."

### J GOLF PHOENIX LPGA INTERNATIONAL

PHOENIX — In-Kyung Kim shot her second straight 4-under 68 to take a two-stroke lead halfway through the J Golf Phoenix LPGA International.

The 20-year-old South Korean had six birdies and two bogeys to retain the top spot on the 6,711-yard Papago Golf Course.

Norway's Suzann Pettersen (69) and Australia's Karrie Webb (68) were second at 6 under, and South Korea's Eun-Hee Ji (70) and Song-Hee Kim (69) were 5 under.

Two-time defending champion Lorena Ochoa had a triple bogey en route to her second straight 72 and was eight shots off the pace at even-par 144.

Michelle Wie struggled to a 4-over 76, but made the cut at 5-over 149.

### EGER LEADS CHAMPIONS EVENT IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

CAP CANA, Dominican Republic — David Eger shot a bogey-free 5-under 67 to top the crowded first-round leaderboard in the Champions Tour's Cap Cana Championship.

Eger, a two-time winner on the 50-and-over tour, had a one-stroke lead over Nick Price, Eduardo Romero, Keith Fergus, Tim Simpson and Tom Jenkins.

Greg Norman, making his first start in a regular-season event on the Champions Tour, opened with a 73 on the Punta Espada course.

### SIEM LEADS IN SPAIN

SEVILLE, Spain — Germany's Marcel Siem shot a 5-under 67 to take a one-stroke lead over France's Jean-Francois Lucquin and England's Graeme Storm after the second round of the Andalucia Open.

Siem had a 9-under 135 total at Real Club de Golf de Sevilla. Lucquin had a 69, and Storm shot a 66. Scotland's Colin Montgomerie, playing in his 500th European tour event, was four strokes back after a 72.

— The Associated Press

## Report: Improper anchoring caused boat accident

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — An agency investigating a deadly boating accident involving two NFL players and their friends in the Gulf of Mexico has concluded it was caused when the vessel was improperly anchored and the boat capsized after one of them tried to throttle forward to pry loose the anchor.

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's investigation also cited carelessness and operator inexperience as contributing factors. The combination of errors came at the time a storm front was moving in, making conditions on the water very rough.

Oakland Raiders linebacker Marquis Cooper, free-agent NFL defensive lineman Corey Smith, and former University of South Florida players William Bleakley and Nick Schuyler departed from Clearwater Pass, Fla., early Feb. 28 to go offshore fishing for amberjack.

Schuyler, found clinging to the boat two days later, was the lone survivor. The other three men have not been found.

In an in-depth interview with the agency, Schuyler gave this account of the accident:

Early that morning, the men went more than 50 miles offshore in Cooper's 21-foot vessel. It was loaded with two large coolers filled with ice, drinks, food and

beer. All of the friends were dressed in warm clothes, sweat suits and jackets.

Around 5:30 p.m., they went to pull up the anchor and head back to port, but the anchor was stuck. Bleakley suggested they tie it to the transom and use the boat's motor to pull it loose.

When Cooper tried to thrust the boat forward, the vessel became submerged and capsized, tossing the men overboard. All four tried uprighting the boat by standing on one side of the overturned vessel. When that didn't work, Bleakley swam underneath and was able to retrieve three life vests, a large cooler and a portable, cushion-type flotation device.

Bleakley, who Schuyler has credited with saving his life, used the makeshift flotation device, which has been described previously as a cushion. The other three wore the vests.

The men appear to have tried everything in their power to rescue themselves: Schuyler told the agency they tried retrieving and using flares, but they were wet, agency Investigator Jim Manson said. They got their cell phones, which were in plastic baggies, but there was no signal.

They knew how many hours were passing because Schuyler had a watch with a light on and was able to keep track of the time. He

said that around 5:30 a.m. the next day, Cooper became unresponsive. Schuyler and Bleakley tried to revive him without success.

Cooper's flotation device was removed and Bleakley put it on. The Oakland Raiders linebacker then became separated from the boat.

About an hour later, Smith started to show "possible extreme symptoms of hypothermia." He removed his flotation device and also became separated from the boat.

The two college teammates were the only ones

left. They hung on together for about 24 hours, until Bleakley grew weak and removed his life vest as well.

Schuyler said that his friend appeared to die as he was holding onto him. He let his friend go and Bleakley drifted away.

Manson said moving the anchor line to the stern, or back of the boat, contributed to the vessel's instability and flooding when they tried to free it. He described it as a mistake that probably happens every day, but one that a more experienced boater would be aware of and could handle.



AP photo

Sean O'Hair drives on the No. 18 hole during the second round of the Arnold Palmer Invitational Golf Tournament at the Bay Hill Country Club in Orlando, Fla. on Friday.

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# COMMUNITY

## Mini-Cassia

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## Recent bill speeds up citizenship rulings

Former President George W. Bush signed the Military Personnel Citizenship Processing Act into law, requiring the Department of Homeland Security to process and rule on nationalization applications of noncitizen U.S. service members within six months of receipt.

### VETERANS CORNER George Schwindeman

It also orders an FBI liaison office to be created to speed the processing of background checks on military applicants. Sponsored by Sen. Charles Schumer, D-NY, the new law also applies to spouses of service members, surviving spouses and children of service members who die while on active duty, and those eligible for posthumous citizenship.

It does not mean citizenship will be granted in six months, but it requires that applicants be given an explanation for why the deadline isn't met and a written estimate of how long the process might take. It's a temporary measure, set to expire in five years.

## Sexual dysfunction linked to traumatic injury

A recent first-of-its-kind study shows that about one-third of young men and women who have experienced a traumatic injury suffer sexual dysfunction one year later, and most called it "severe" dysfunction.

"The prevalence of sexual dysfunction in this study was more common than we expected," said Mathew Sorensen, a urology resident at the University of Washington in Seattle, where the study was done.

The research also showed it didn't matter what part of the body suffered traumatic injury. Sorensen called the study a signal to doctors to ask about sexual dysfunction after traumatic injuries.

"For most practitioners, sexual function is not on their radar, and most often they think of erectile dysfunction in men," he said, "but sexual function is a major determinant of quality of life, impacts both men and women, and if physicians don't ask patients, the patients are unlikely to bring it up."

More reason to talk about it: The condition is treatable.

*George Schwindeman is a veteran who lives in Rupert.*

## EASTER BASKET RAFFLE



Courtesy photo

Minidoka Senior Center Director Holly Najera places a giant Easter basket on a table at the center on March 19. The center is raffling off the basket to raise money for the center's Meals on Wheels program. Tickets cost \$1 each or six for \$5 and may be purchased at the center, 702 11th St., Rupert. The drawing will be held at noon on April 10 and the winner does not have to be present to win. The basket contains candy and toys as well as gift certificates from area businesses.

## NEW MINIDOKA COUNTY CORONER

Minidoka County Commission Chairman Dan Stapelman, left, swears in the new Minidoka County Coroner, Lucky Bourn, on March 16.



Courtesy photo

## MUSIC CLUB PRESIDENTS



The Burley Music Club recently held its annual Founders Day Memorial Breakfast at the Best Western Burley Inn. A program was presented by Mixed Nuts from Oakley, which consisted of the woman's trio of Cheri Archibald, Lisa Koziol and Jana Exon, accompanied by Gloria Muhlestein. The procession of past presidents was led by Ella Annest, followed by Lilyce Cox, Jackie Handy, Joy Hurst, Audrey Hobson, Lillian Jensen, Charmaine Ralphs and June Rasmussen. Patriotic songs were sung. Pictured are Hobson, Ralphs, Rasmussen, Hurst, Jensen, Cox, Handy and Annest. Courtesy photo

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Senior center offers breakfast buffet

The Minidoka County Senior Center will host a breakfast buffet from 7 to 11 a.m. April 4 at the Center, 702 11th St., Rupert.

Menu will include pancakes, French toast, biscuits and gravy, scrambled eggs, bacon, ham, sausage, cinnamon rolls, cereal, fruit and beverages.

Cost is \$5.50 per person, \$3 for ages 10 and under.

Information call 436-1907.

### CSI Mini-Cassia holds painting class

The College of Southern Idaho Mini-Cassia Center is offering a watercolor painting class from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesdays, April 8-29.

Stephanie Call will cover the basic techniques and experiment with ways to play with watercolor.

The cost is \$40 and students will need some supplies for the class. Information: 678-1400.

### Seedling Tree Sale nears

Soil and Water Conservation Districts are now taking orders for their annual Seedling Tree Sale. Seedlings are available to homeowners, farmers or ranchers to be used as windbreaks, shelterbelts, habitat projects and landscape plantings.

Trees available are: hybrid poplar, Lombardy poplar, quaking aspen and river birch.

Shrubs available are: chokecherry, Siberian peashrub, common purple lilac, Rocky Mountain juniper, summer lilac-butterfly bush, common flowering quince, dwarf Russian almond and the common privet.

Conifers available are: blue spruce, Austrian pine, elegantissima arborvitae and Nikko fir.

Most seedlings come in bundles of 10 trees per bundle at \$30 per bundle. (Nikko fir, dwarf Russian almond, common flowering quince, and elegantissima arborvitae sold in bundles of 5 for \$20). Some varieties are limited. Payment in full is required at time of order. Trees are scheduled to arrive around April 25.

To place an order, visit the Burley NRCS office, 1361 E. 16th St., Burley or 678-1225, ext. 3.

### New items at the Burley Public Library

New Items at the Burley Public Library include:

**DVDs:** "Transporter 3," "The Musketeer" and "We are Marshall"

**Adult fiction:** "These is my Words" by Nancy E. Turner and "The Sound of Rain" by Anita Stansfield

**Adult audio:** "Corsair" by Clive Cussler

**Young-adult fiction:** "Gilda Joyce Psychic Investigator" by Jennifer Allison and "Leven Thumps and the Wrath of Ezra" by Obert Skye

**Juvenile nonfiction:** "Gizmos & Gadgets" by Jill Frankel Hauser and "Jokelopedia" by Mike Wright

### BJ Bridge Club announces results

The BJ Duplicate Bridge Club in Rupert has announced the results of Tuesday play.

North-South: 1. Dot Creason and Jackie Brown, 2. Shirley Tschannen and Edna Pierson, 3. Marian Snow and Lila Buman.

East-West: 1. Marlene Temple and Shirley Harris, 2. Chuck Hunter and William Goodman, 3. Jane Keicher and Donna Moore.

Games are held at 1 p.m. Tuesdays at the Rupert Elks. For partners and more information: Steve Sams, 878-3997 or Vera Mai, 436-4163.

## DEMARY LIBRARY BOOK NOTES

Here are the most recent book notes from DeMary Memorial Library in Rupert:

### Fiction: "Night and Day" by Robert B. Parker

Things are getting strange in Paradise. The women of Paradise are faced with a threat to their sense of security with the emergence of a tormented voyeur, dubbed "The Night Hawk."

Initially, he's content to peer through windows, but as times goes on, he becomes more reckless. It's up to Police Chief Jesse Stone to catch the Night Hawk

before he escalates his attacks.

### Fiction: "Luke's Story" by Tim F. Lahaye

Follow Luke as he rises from Greek slave to university-educated physician. He meets Saul of Tarsus, a formidable Hebrew debater who becomes both Luke's role model and greatest competitor.

Luke is intrigued but skeptical when he hears tales of a man named Jesus who reportedly performs great miracles of healing. But the dramatic story of the conversion and redemption of Saul, now called Paul, and the

miraculous healing of one of his own patients by prayer, irreversibly changes Luke's spiritual life.

### Fiction: "One Day at a Time" (in regular and large print) by Danielle Steel

Coco fled the legendary Barrington name and family for a quieter life in Southern California. She reluctantly agrees to house-sit for her sister and is surprised to find another house guest.

The attraction between them couldn't be more immediate. Coco is suddenly seeing things

differently: her mother, her sister and herself.

### Fiction: "Lost City of Z" by David Grann

For centuries, Europeans believed the world's largest jungle concealed the glittering kingdom of El Dorado. In 1925, Fawcett and his son ventured into the Amazon to find an ancient civilization, hoping to make one of the most important discoveries in history.

Captivating the imagination of millions around the globe, the pair is determined to prove that this ancient civilization existed. Then the expedition vanished.

# Does virgin olive oil and lemon juice help kidney stones?

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I am a 46-year-old male who recently found out I have kidney stones. While researching the problem on the Internet, I found a site where others with this problem could share advice and tips about ways to relieve the discomfort and get the stones to pass quickly. Of all the remedies, there was one that



ASK DR. GOTT  
Dr. Peter Gott

was repeated time and again all over the site. It recommended drinking 2

ounces of virgin olive oil with 2 ounces of freshly squeezed lemon juice, wait five minutes and follow with 8 ounces of water. It said to drink this twice a day and to keep drinking plenty of water throughout the day.

I would like to know if there is any research to support the use of either olive oil or lemon juice to

help pass kidney stones.

**DEAR READER:** Kidney stones are ordinarily the result of a buildup of uric acid crystals (which are also the cause of gout when they migrate to the joints). As the crystals accumulate, they stick together to create something that looks very much like a stone.

There are several reasons

why people create stones. The most common is failure to drink adequate amounts of fluid throughout the day. Others may have abnormalities of their kidneys or even a genetic predisposition.

The best way to prevent stones is to be sure to drink plenty of fluids, especially water. I typically recommend people drink only

when thirsty, but for those with kidney stones or risk factors for developing stones, it is important to drink eight to 10 glasses of water a day.

As for treatment, most stones will pass on their own. Small or moderate-sized stones may cause discomfort and pain. Large

See **DR. GOTT**, Sports 8

# Robinson to celebrate 90th birthday

Bernice E. Gummow next 50 years. Floyd Robinson will celebrate her 90th birthday on March 31.



Robinson

Robinson's parents, Fred and Mamie Gummow, purchased a farm near Burley before her birth in 1919. She and her siblings learned to work hard while helping run the farm. From an early age she helped her father with milking and caring for animals.

On Dec. 4, 1940, she married Floyd H. Robinson in Burley. The couple later purchased the Gummow farm and continued farming for the

next 50 years. Floyd passed away in the spring of 1993. Bernice still lives on the farm. She remains active, growing a garden each summer and mowing her lawn. She enjoys reading and embroidering.

**C H I L D R E N**  
Bernie (Ross) Critchfield, Ray (Jolene) Robinson, Beth (Jack) Fyans, and LeRoy (Karla) Robinson, will honor their mother with a gathering of family and friends today.

She has 17 grandchildren, 48 great-grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

## WEST MINICO JUNIOR HIGH HONOR ROLL

West Minico Junior High School announced its recent honor roll.

### SIXTH GRADE

Maria Acosta Lopez, Jordyn E. Anderson, Joshua Barclay, Justin Borden, Willem Bradford, Christian Caldera, Cailin Carter, Charly Ball, Domenico Chavez, Isaiah Cofer, Kadiesha Craythorn, Shelby Doyle, Josaphina Greco, Tanner Harper, Kayleann Hawkes, Bradley Higgins, Camilla Korth, Tyler Maughan, Bianca Murillo, Cherydan Onishi, Katie Perrigot, Dalton Robbins, Lexington Rogers, Cassandra Sanchez, Clancy Sayer, Hannah Stewart, Lucas Stevenson, Jaylee Stimpson, Garrett Stocking, Jaquoy Twiss, Jacie Wilkins, Jordyn M. Anderson, Kylie Gutierrez, Veronica Estrada, Wade Evenson, Mariah Garcia, Nestor Madrigal, Janeth Martinez, Sergio Orozco, Storm Pawson, Hayley VanTassel, Yaquelin Vasquez, Jonathan Webb.

### SEVENTH GRADE

Carly Bailey, Jaraka Ball,

Kamil Blacker, Kelsey Blincoc, Chloe Bradford, Meg Broadhead, Rebecca Damron, Megan Dibb, Elaine Dougal, Elizabeth Freiburger, Tanisha Lopez, Skylar Luna, Kailee May, Alexandria Pool, Nicole Reynaga, Roman Rivera, Shiriah Sibbett, Kolbee Tibbetts, Dakota Twiss, Brittany VanLeuven, Tiana Wheeler, Linzy Bingham, McKenzie Caldwell, Brandon Duncan, Naomi Koyle, Braxton May, Maranda Nava, Raylee Reeves, Nathan Schneider, Sage Shradley, Fernando Santana.

### EIGHTH GRADE

Isaiah Alvarado, Wytty Bedke, Justin Bourne, Kendall Carter, Teryn Carter, Tylo Colflesh, Andrea Edie, Joshua Evenson, Monica Farfan, Andrew Frank, Trishtan Garcia, Ali Gee, Cheyanna Hawkes, Walker Hunt, Jake Johnson, Kimberly Kunzler, Martin Lopez, Nathan Maughan, Sydney Meier, Lyndie Mittelsteadt, Zhallenna Nay, Jessica Page, Anne Pollard, Nicholas

Redder, Holly Robbins, Taylor Saastad, Kirsten Sanderson, Kelsie Scott, Ryan Scully, Brett Smith, Courtney Stocking, Brett Thompson, Taylor VanTassel, Derek Wilkins, Jessica Wilson, Katherine Alverson, Bailee Nye, Jordan

Browning, Shay Chandler, Dylan Corless, Tamara Garcia, Brittany Grant, Parker Woodland, Leon Ramirez, Zakari Pool, Benjamin Stevenson, Casey Stevenson, Daryn Terry, Bradon VanLeuven, Javier Ruiz, Caleb Worley.

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**Q:** On three different occasions I have met a truck with three trailers on State Highway 46 between Gooding and Wendell loaded above the beds with pea gravel. The loose gravel blew onto my oncoming vehicle, which received rock chips to the window and paint. Is there a law requiring trucks to secure their loads? Am I allowed to make a citizen arrest?

**A:** Idaho currently has no load requirements for securing loads. Gravel is a



**POLICEMAN DAN Bristol**

commodity the Legislature has exempted from federal regulations, so there really is no law that covers it.

If the driver was traveling at a speed or in a manner that caused the gravel to fall upon other vehicles, officers may be able to make a citation for reckless or careless driving, though proving reckless driving under windy conditions could be a tough sell in this case.

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## Dr. Gott

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stones may need to be broken using lithotripsy or medication before being passed. This is to ensure they don't block the flow of urine and cause serious damage.

There are many home remedies for this common but painful condition. I must admit that I have heard of the oil and lemon juice remedy but only from one person, and I thought it was so bizarre that he was the only one who thought it worked. I, therefore, never thought to mention it before now.

The gentleman in question was frequently plagued by kidney stones, often having several a year. He swore to me that since starting the "treatment," stones passed much more quickly and were accompanied by less pain and discomfort. He also told me that drinking a glass of fresh lemonade daily helped to prevent the stones. At the

time of my retirement, he had had only one or two stones in the last three years, which, of course, were treated with olive oil and lemon juice.

I cannot imagine the taste is pleasant but I don't see any harm in at least giving it a try. Readers, let me know your results.

To give you related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Kidney Disorders." Other readers who would like a copy should send a self-addressed, stamped No. 10 envelope and a check or money order for \$2 to Newsletter, PO Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092. Be sure mention the title.

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

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# 'Ebony Ensemble'

## Sculpture combines crucifixion with Christian, other images

Story and photos  
By Karen Bossick  
Times-News correspondent

As the 20th century drew to a close, Ketchum artist and architect Royce T. Milaskey was asked to perform a gruesome task.

He was one of 63 artists asked to make death masks of hundreds of Bosnians who had been decapitated in the ethnic cleansing that took place during the Bosnian War at the hands of Serbs.

"When we finished, they hung a thousand plaster reproductions of the severed heads in a gymnasium and the families of those who were missing came in to see if they could recognize loved ones," Milaskey said.

It was in some ways a disconnect for an artist typically charged with creating things of beauty. But Milaskey says, the process of creating death masks out of heads that had been purposely ripped off their bodies gave him the creative edge he has always looked for.

That creative edge played out a few years later as he created a most unusual and provocative sculpture that combined Christ's crucifixion with images of Abraham and Mary and icons of Christianity, Judaism and Islam.

The sculpture titled "Ebony Ensemble" is on exhibit in the Outer Court Gallery at the Presbyterian Church of the Big Wood through Easter.

At first glance, the piece appears to be a glass table held up by some beams. But in reality it is a communion table that has brought the sculpture of Christ off the wall and down to ground level where viewers can interact with it.

Those who take a few minutes to look — really look — will see that the glass is in the shape of a chalice, evoking the idea of the search for the Holy Grail.

A suffering Christ is underneath the table, his bronze Middle Eastern-inspired face distorted from the beatings he's taken.

A gold leaf marks the gash where he was pierced in his ribs, stirring to mind the idea that blood is more precious than gold.

The nails pounded into Christ's hands and feet were wrought by an Albanian Muslim and resemble decorative jewelry more than utilitarian clasps, reflecting the idea that Pontius Pilate may have asked for special nails to nail this "special guy" up on the cross.



Left: Royce Milaskey was inspired to carve Christ's suffering face by his experience creating death masks of decapitated heads in the Bosnian War. The 'Ebony Ensemble' can be seen at the Presbyterian Church of the Big Wood in Ketchum through Easter. Top: Abraham, considered the patriarch of both Judaism and Islam, is only half-realized in Royce Milaskey's carving out of Madagascar ebony.

"It is true that to take the crucifix from the wall and to place it where people might interact with it on a more personal level can be seen as provocative."

— Artist Royce T. Milaskey

### SEE IT FOR YOURSELF

Royce T. Milaskey's Ebony Ensemble can be seen in the Outer Court Gallery of the Presbyterian Church of the Big Wood, 100 Saddle Rd. in Ketchum. The church is located across from the Wood River Community YMCA at the corner of Warm Springs and Saddle roads. Viewing hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and Sunday mornings from 8 a.m. to noon. The sculpture will be in place through Easter Sunday, April 12.

An ebony carving of Abraham — the father of Judaism, Islam and Christianity — stands like a sentinel at one end, his not-fully-realized face carved in ebony, an extremely hard wood from the Island of Madagascar.

Mary stands at the other end, her anguished face a stark contrast to the angelic woman usually painted in at the foot of the cross. Her face is half-cloaked, symbolic of the mystery of woman who is always left to put society back together after her man has been killed in war.

The Star of David, with elaborate crosses on its back, appears to prop the Christ figure up.

Opposite the Star of David is a Muslim crescent at the base of Mary's feet.

Debra Smith, a friend of

Milaskey's, finds the contrasts compelling.

"The nails, for instance, are decorative and yet they're the object of torture. I find them interesting because man puts so much emphasis on weapons of destruction," she said. "And when you put the crucifix on the wall, you focus on what Christ died for. By putting it down on the floor, as Royce has done here, I think you end up focusing more on what he lived for."

Hailey artist Leslie Anderson says she finds Ebony Ensemble to be a "very powerful piece," especially during the Lenten season when Christians are focusing on Jesus' journey to the cross.

"In most Protestant traditions, this is not done visually — the cross is in place but it is empty. I think the Holy Spirit influences a different part of our hearts and minds when we see Him on the cross," she said. "I also like the accessibility of the piece — we can be close and touch it. I like looking through the glass — perhaps, it's symbolic of seeing a glimpse of eternal realities through the barrier that separates our present world and the spiritual one. And I like the symbolism of Christ being the connecting factor of the world's three monotheistic faiths."

The piece, you might say, has been a lifetime in the making for Milaskey, who received a degree in architecture from the University of Idaho, has designed a number of award-winning buildings in Seattle and created numerous public art installation pieces, bronze friezes, busts and statues.

It had its genesis on a New Mexico Navajo reservation where an 8-year-old Milaskey gazed at a cross towering above the Navajos as they conducted their indigenous dances and wondered why Christ was always placed "so high up there" and why he was always portrayed as a Western European white man.

It was further honed during the 20 years he spent behind the Iron Curtain working as an artist-in-residence at a porcelain factory in the medieval town of Pecs where he and his Hungarian-born ex-wife Carmen went to introduce their children to their Hungarian heritage.

And it took on the creative edge that Milaskey talks about as he witnessed the violence and destruction that has sprung from the missionary zeal of religions and cultures play forth in the Balkan wars.

"It compelled me to consider the ways in which religion can both elevate mankind and mire us in the most gruesome aspects of human nature," said Milaskey, whose artwork typically encompasses themes of religion, mythology and death and dying.

A few years ago, Milaskey returned to Ketchum, which he became fond of during a 16-year sojourn as a mill worker and cabinet maker.



Royce Milaskey carved a grieving Mary because, he said, he could not relate to paintings that pose her calm and angelic even though her son had been killed.

### Remembering Jesus through art

Read about a Filer man who has challenged Magic Valley residents to submit artwork on the crucifixion.

Religion 3

# Holy Trinity Episcopal celebrates 100 years

By the Rev. Marilyn Butler  
For the Times-News

Holy Trinity Episcopal church in Buhl has been holding worship services in its building for more than 100 years. Its first service was held March 15, 1909.

Alward Chamberlaine, associated with the Church of the Ascension in Twin Falls, traveled to Buhl to hold services once or twice a month, which he did for the first year and a half.

Early church records show that no services were held in January and

February of 1910, because there was no coal available to heat the building.

No services were held in April 1910, because public meetings were prohibited due to a scarlet fever epidemic.

During the ensuing decades, a variety of clergy and lay people, mostly from Twin Falls, came to Buhl to hold morning and evening prayer or Holy Eucharist services.

Initially, the church was called Trinity Church, but by the 1950s the name was changed to Holy Trinity,

apparently to alleviate confusion with two other Episcopal churches in southern Idaho.

In 1973 the Rev. Art Latta was called to serve the Buhl and Jerome churches, ending the congregation's dependence on Twin Falls clergy and lay people. He served until 1978. Since then, priests connected with the Buhl church include the Revs. Harry Grace, Jim Watkinson, Roy Ziemann, Thomas Kennedy, Mike Spillane, and Jeff Frost. Ted Rodrigues was a seminarian

assigned to Holy Trinity in the late 1980s; he later transferred to Oregon and was ordained there. The Rev. Marilyn Butler is the priest currently serving Holy Trinity.

A celebration of the church's 100-year anniversary will be held Sunday. The Right Rev. Brian Thom, Bishop of Idaho, will make his annual visitation and preside over the worship service and celebration.

The Rev. Marilyn Butler may be reached at 543-8496 or 543-4995.



Courtesy photo

Holy Trinity Episcopal church in Buhl turns 100 years old. A celebration will be held at the church Sunday.

## CHURCH NEWS

### Rock Creek Church hosts spring concert

The Rock Creek Community Church will hold an Early Spring Fling Celebration in Music concert today at the church, 262 Fifth Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

The event opens with a musical prelude by Doug Wright at 6:15 p.m. The concert begins at 6:30 p.m. and features Marla Garrett and Friends, Cliff Johnson and Debbie Crawford, and Floyd Miller and Ruth Stutzman.

Refreshments will feature fresh homemade cinnamon rolls made by Connie Armstrong, former head cook at the Twin Falls Senior Center.

Everyone is welcome. Information: 734-5268.

### Youth pastor at T.F. church gets slimed

The pastor of First Assembly of God, 189 Locust St. North in Twin Falls, on Sunday will be slimed. The event takes place in the parking lot after church. Anyone is welcome to come out and watch.

The sliming is a reward for the children who raised \$1,200 for their youth services. Slime will be made of water, juice and another gelatinous substance.

For information and time: 733-5349.

### Lutheran service features dialogue sermon on Sunday

Katherine Ortmann and Pastor Stan Hoobing will present a dialogue sermon, "Somebody Up There is Listening," at the 9:30 a.m. service Sunday at Our Savior Lutheran Church, 464 Carriage Lane N. in Twin Falls. Ortmann is a member of the church's youth group.

Hoobing will portray Simon of Cyrene, the man who carried the cross for Jesus, in a dramatic monologue at the mid-week Lenten service at noon and again at 7 p.m. Wednesday. Those attending the noon service should bring a sack lunch. A soup and bread supper will precede the evening service at 6 p.m.

Visitors and friends are welcome. Information: 733-3774.

### United Methodist Church offers healing services

The First United Methodist Church, 360 Shoshone St. E. in Twin Falls will offer an opportunity to

participate in a service of healing after both services Sunday.

Pastor Philip Airhart will pray with and anoint with oil anyone who would like to remain after the service for a quiet and meaningful time with him.

Information: 733-5872 or www.tffumc.com.

### Lighthouse hosts Harvest Frontiers Ministry speaker

Rob Meyer will be the guest speaker at the Sunday evening service at Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, 960 Eastland Dr. in Twin Falls.

Meyer is from the Harvest Frontiers Ministry, an organization that reaches out to children of India.

Everyone is welcome; admission is free and child care is provided. Information: 737-4667.

### Buhl church holds evening of sharing

BUHL — You are invited to an evening of sharing at 6:30 p.m. March 31 at the Calvary Chapel in Buhl, 1004 Burley Ave., with Cheryl Peirson, regional manager of Operation Christmas Child. Cheryl recently returned

from the Dominican Republic with fantastic testimonies of God's work. Take the time to come and be blessed. Information: Sharon Welch at 731-5363.

### Buhl Community Kitchen moves

BUHL — The Community Kitchen has moved.

For the past five years the Buhl Immaculate Conception Catholic Church has hosted a free weekly meal for the community, but starting next Wednesday those meals will take place at a different church in town.

The meals will be given by the congregation of Calvary Chapel.

The time of the meals has not changed. The Community Kitchen will open at 5 p.m. Wednesday at the church, 1004 Burley Ave.

For more information: 543-9959.

### Center of Prayer and Worship finds a new home

The Center of Prayer and Worship will begin meeting in its new location, 259 Main Ave. E, this week.

Grand opening services with Pastor Pedro Contreras will be held at 7 p.m. April 4

and at 6:30 p.m. April 5. Regular services are at 7 p.m. Saturdays and Tuesdays and 6:30 p.m. Sundays.

Information: 735-2249.

### Buhl church hosts marriage conference

BUHL — Calvary Chapel in Buhl will host a Family and Marriage Conference designed for equipping and strengthening families in the 21st century.

The free conference will be held at 7 p.m. April 3, and again at 9 a.m. April 4. Free child care will be provided both days, and a lunch served on Saturday. Please pre-register.

For more information: 543-9959 or www.calvarychapelbuhl.com.

### River Christian Fellowship hosts movie night

The River Christian Fellowship, located on the corner of Falls Avenue East and the road to Shoshone Falls, will hold its monthly Christian Movie Night at 7 p.m. Friday. A pizza and salad supper will be available at 6 p.m. for a donation.

The movie will be "Little Manhattan."

All are invited; admission

is free. Information: 733-3133.

### T.J. Clews performs for Agape luncheon

GOODING — The Agape Interfaith Ministry luncheon will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. April 7 at the Basque Center on University Avenue in Gooding.

T.J. Clews of Jerome will present the program, "Because He Lives." In celebration of the upcoming Easter season, she will perform many original songs as well as holiday favorites.

Clews has been singing professionally for 15 years. In her music ministry, "Music of Grace," she shares her love of music and Christ. She has recorded a number of songs that are available on CDs.

Please make reservations for lunch by calling Carolyn Herzinger at 934-5700 by April 5. Cost for lunch is \$8. The program begins at noon; admission to the program is free. Everyone is welcome.

The Times-News welcomes news of church events. Send information to Ellen Thomason at ellen@magicvalley.com. Deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication on the Saturday religion page.

## Harris earns womanhood recognition

Kaitlin Harris has earned her Young Womanhood Recognition Award through the Young Women's program of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Harris is the daughter of Randy and Denise Harris of Burley, is in the Star 2nd Ward



Harris

and has completed her third year in the Burley West Stake Seminary program. To earn the award, young women, ages 12-18, set goals in eight value areas — faith, divine nature, individual worth, knowledge, choice and accountability, good works, integrity and virtue — and strive to achieve them through 10-hour service or self-improvement projects in each area. Her hobbies and projects include cooking, sewing, 4-H modeling, crafts, sports and exercise, family history, humanitarian service, gardening, handwork, scrapbooking, scripture marking and the Twin Falls Temple Youth Cultural Celebration.

The Times-News welcomes news of Young Women Recognition awards. Send information to Ellen Thomason at ellen@magicvalley.com. Deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication on the Saturday religion page.

# Mormon church prepares for move into new history library

By Jennifer Dobner  
Associated Press writer

SALT LAKE CITY — A book by Mormon church president Thomas S. Monson was the final item added on Wednesday to a time capsule that will be sealed inside a wall of a new church history library.

The steel time capsule — 2 feet high, 18 inches long and six inches wide — was sealed during a ceremony at the still-empty 230,000 square-foot library. Monson's book, "Faith Rewarded," chronicles the expansion of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints into Communist East Germany.

"You can't read history and not have a greater appreciation of the past and the awareness that every day we are writing it for others," said Monson, the 16th president of the 13 million-member church.

After nearly 15 years of planning and more than four



AP photo

Thomas S. Monson, president of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, speaks about his book entitled 'Faith Rewarded: A Personal Account of Prophetic Promises to the East German Saints' before it is placed into a time capsule at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints History Library in Salt Lake City, on Wednesday.

years of construction the library will open for public use after a June 20 dedication ceremony. The time capsule will be enclosed behind a panel of dry wall in the southwest corner of the library's reading room.

The box will provide a

"snapshot" of church history for those who open it in the future, said Elder Marlin K. Jensen, the church historian. Also in the time capsule are a 2009 church almanac, photographs of church leaders, maps of church areas around the world, a copy of the Book

of Mormon and other texts and a two-volume DVD set with digital copies of items from the library's collection.

The new library will hold more than 3.5 million manuscripts, 210,000 publications, 100,000 photographs, some 50,000 audiovisual records and other items spanning the 179 years since the church's founding by Joseph Smith in western New York.

Mormons believe religious scripture commands them to keep a carefully documented record of church activities and events. Since its inception in 1830, the church has always employed the services of at least one full-time historian.

Items in the priceless library collection include the original journals and writings of Smith and 14 other church presidents along with records from individual church congregations and members. Some items have been purchased by the church, while

others were donated.

"Things that we own are worth millions because of the market," Jensen said. "Take a page of the original book of Mormon manuscript, probably be worth a million dollars, just one little page."

Storing the collection uses about 51,000 square feet of space, assistant church historian Richard Turley said. Properly preserving it takes another 40,000 square feet of heating and cooling equipment to control the six-story building's temperature and humidity.

## MISSIONARY

### Jesse Smith called



Elder Jesse Smith of Wendell has been called to serve as a missionary for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the India Bangalore Mission.

Smith is an Eagle Scout and a graduate of the LDS Church Seminary and home school in 2008. He is the son of Steven and Kathleen Smith of Wendell.

Smith enters the Missionary Training Center on April 8th.

## UK's Brown backs ending ban on royal Catholics

By Robert Barr  
Associated Press writer

LONDON — British monarchs should be allowed to marry Roman Catholics, the government said Friday — endorsing the idea of lifting a ban on Catholic royals but at the same time refusing to back legislation to do just that.

The proposed bill would also end the custom of putting males ahead of females in the line of royal succession. Queen Elizabeth II succeeded

her father, King George VI, because he had no sons.

But Prime Minister Gordon Brown's government said changing the law is complex, and more time was needed to consult with nations in the British Commonwealth — some of which recognize the British monarch as their head of state.

"I don't want to bring forward a precise timescale," Justice Secretary Jack Straw told lawmakers. "But this is an issue we are going to pur-

sue, including with Commonwealth governments."

The bill was introduced in the House of Commons by Liberal Democrat lawmaker Evan Harris, who said he believed "the fundamental basis on which our constitution should be run is one that doesn't include unjustified discrimination."

The bill was effectively dead on arrival, however, as the government would not make time in the parliamentary calendar for it to com-

plete the steps to passage. Straw said he thought the matter was unlikely to be resolved before the next general elections, to be held before mid-2010.

Buckingham Palace declined to comment, saying the issue was a matter for the government.

Brown told reporters traveling with him in Brazil that the issue needed to be solved.

"I think in the 21st century people do expect discrimination to be removed," Brown said.

# Remembering Jesus through art

By John E. Swayze  
Times-News correspondent

Don Wright holds strong convictions that sharing the Christian faith should be kept simple and honest.

"We always seem to want to complicate things by pointing out our theological differences, or try and whitewash the truth about Christ being nailed on the cross," he said. "It all really boils down to the gift of grace and Jesus as your Savior."

Wright is quick to joke that his own artistic skills aren't "good enough to even draw a bucket of water." Even so, he has set up a Lenten contest challenging Magic Valley area paint or sketch artists to produce a biblically accurate rendering of Christ's crucifixion.

"Nowhere in the Bible is there a physical description of Jesus, but it does tell us he

## WANT TO PARTICIPATE?

Contest submissions can be delivered to the Castleford United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, 303 Elm St., from 1-4 p.m. April 18. For more information: 537-6787 between 8 a.m.-5 p.m., or 420-4472.

was mocked, spit on, stripped naked and beaten until unrecognizable," Wright said. "This is not the figure with a clean, white loincloth and very little blood that we see today."

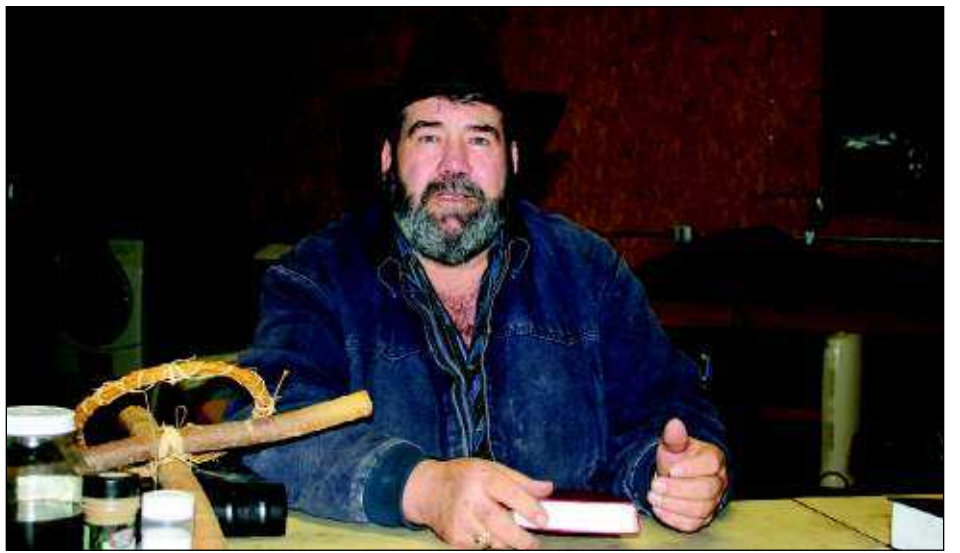
The observance of Lent has been part of the Christian church calendar since about the third century. Traditionally, the 40-day observance, Feb. 25-April 11, leading up to the celebration of Easter is a reverent time giving believers the opportunity to examine their relationship with God.

Now residing in the Filer area, Wright grew up in the community of Castleford,

where he attended church services as a child. He even has a minister or two in the family tree, but his faith has grown up on a life road littered with divorce, alcohol and thoughts of suicide.

"I got divorced in the '70s and had two little kids to raise," he said. "One time, I remember I was deer hunting in the South Hills and seriously thought about throwing myself off a cliff at Cedar Creek. But something told me it's not all about you, it's about those kids."

Weighted down by the past, and feeling that he wasn't worth God's time or concern, he tried to lose



JOHN E. SWAYZE/For the Times-News

Filer resident Don Wright has set up a contest challenging Magic Valley paint and sketch artists to produce biblically accurate depictions of Jesus' crucifixion.

himself in the party scene. About this point, his employers, Chad and Jana Blick of Blick Trucking, stepped in to offer help.

"I think it's that way when a lot of people come to God, but we treat all our employees like family and hearing something like that really bothers me," Jana Blick said. "Jesus died for us by shedding his blood, and to say you're not worthy is like slapping him in the face."

A little more than a year later, Wright's not sure what God has in store for him but

knows he's being prepared for something new.

"I was baptized out at Balanced Rock and have been visiting churches like the Methodist Baptist, where they sometimes ask me to speak," he said. "I'm also planning on being part of a Methodist mission to the African Congo on Oct. 4, where I think we're supposed to paint a school house."

Contingent on the number of entries and willingness of the artist, it is possible that some pieces could

be auctioned off to help finance the trip. Wright is also thinking about keeping the winning canvas as a reminder to love Jesus, the giver of salvation.

"I don't really know anything about the different styles of art, whether it's abstract or whatever," Wright said. "I'll award \$500 to the artist whose work reaches out and grabs me."

John E. Swayze may be reached at 208 326-7212 or swayzef@aol.com.

## RELIGION BRIEFS

### Music church can hold limited number of concerts under deal with county

PITTSBURGH — A non-denominational church formed for people who love "jam band" music can hold a limited number of concerts annually under a deal that ends a religious freedom lawsuit.

Officials in Fayette County had said that William Pritts incorporated the Church of Universal Love and Music to circumvent zoning restrictions on his land. Pritts sued in federal court in 2006, accusing the county of denying him a religious-use zoning exemption.

According to the agreement filed last Friday, Pritts can hold concerts throughout six weekends each year and on six additional Saturdays.

The dispute began in 2001, when Pritts sought a zoning exemption to hold concerts on 147 acres of land he owns in Bullskin Township, about 35 miles southeast of Pittsburgh.

Neighbors raised concerns about traffic, noise and safety after Pritts told

the county that each concert could attract up to 4,000 people. Many concertgoers would also camp at the site.

Pritts incorporated the church in 2002, but his attorneys said it dates back to 1985.

### Pope and Cypriot leader discuss plight of churches

VATICAN CITY — The Vatican says Pope Benedict XVI has been briefed on the plight of churches on Cyprus in a meeting with the nation's president.

The Holy See said that in their talks Friday morning at the Vatican, the pope and President Demetris Christofias discussed the future of Cyprus.

The Mediterranean island has been partitioned into Greek Cypriot and northern Turkish Cypriot sectors since 1974.

The Vatican said the president briefed Benedict about the condition of many churches and Christian buildings in the north. The buildings were destroyed during Turkish occupation.

Greek and Turkish Cypriots last year agreed to

repair places of worship and cultural monuments, but there has been no substantial progress.

Turkish Cypriots claim some Ottoman buildings were destroyed in the south.

### Greece returns stolen medieval art to Italian authorities

ATHENS, Greece — Greece has returned to Italy two pieces of medieval frescoes stolen from an Italian church more than 25 years ago.

The 13th century religious paintings were handed over to Italian authorities in Athens on Monday, the Culture Ministry said.

The two fragments of wall paintings were stolen in 1982 from a chapel at Grotta delle Fornelle, in Italy's southern Caserta region.

The works were retrieved in 2006, during a raid by Greek police on a villa on the Aegean Sea islet of Schoinoussa in which dozens of illegal antiquities were seized, officials said.

Greek and Italian authorities are closely cooperating to fight the theft and illegal trade in antiquities and works of art.

— wire reports

## Sculpture

Continued from Religion 1

He brought Ebony Ensemble with him.

Americans — bred to be politically correct — are generally non-committal about the piece, Milaskey said.

Europeans were much more vocal about it in public discussions moderated by priests, rabbis and clerics. The piece was even vandalized during a symposium to discuss the boundaries of controversial art that had been convened by then-Cardinal Ratzinger, now Pope Benedict XVI.

Ebony Ensemble asks viewers to consider the symbols of religious expression that the varied cultures of Western Civilization hold in common and to consider the way in which these symbols both unite and divide us in our quest to understand such questions as, Who are we? Why are we here? How should we behave towards each other? Milaskey said.

"It is true that to take the crucifix from the wall and to place it where people might interact with it on a more personal level can be seen as provocative," he said. "The sculpture poses other questions, as well. For instance, does the piece achieve unity by placing the crescent moon, so often symbolizing Islam, opposite the Star of David? Or does the combination of the moon and the



KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News

Danielle Doerflein of Sun Valley is among those who have taken the time to visit the Ebony Ensemble at the Presbyterian Church of the Big Wood in Ketchum.

organic shapes at the base of Mary's sculpture conflict with the rigid geometry at the foot of Abraham? Does the crucifix separate, unify, or transcend the elements?

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Karen Bossick may be reached at 208-578-2111 or kbossick@cox-internet.com.

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In this photo provided by the Vatican newspaper L'Osservatore Romano, Pope Benedict XVI holds the pastoral as he blesses faithful during a mass at the Sao Paulo Church in Luanda, Angola, March 21. Pope Benedict XVI appealed to the Catholics of Angola to reach out to and convert believers in witchcraft who feel threatened by 'spirits' and 'evil powers' of sorcery.

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## Judith Marie Lueders

Judith Marie Lueders, age 58, passed away on March 23, 2009, from a short illness.

Judy was born on April 21, 1950, in Twin Falls, Idaho, to Esther Anna (Meyer) Lueders Barnes and Martin W. Lueders.

Judy was the youngest of six children. She had one brother, Glen (Sue) Lueders of Wenatchee, Wash. She had four sisters, Anna Peterson of Palestine, Texas; Janice Seegrist of Port Orchard, Wash.; Karen (Wulf) Lebrecht of Blackfoot, Idaho; Linda (Terry) Mullinix of Burley, Idaho.



Judy was preceded in death by her father, Martin W. Lueders; her stepfather, E. T. (Ted) Barnes; two nephews, Travis Seegrist and Vincent Smith.

Judy had a happy personality and loved everyone. Her favorite things were word find puzzles, T.V. Guide, Fonzy, mashed potatoes and meatloaf.

Judy will be sorely missed by her family and friends.

A memorial service will be held in Twin Falls, Idaho, at approximately 1 p.m. on April 21, 2009, at Sunset Memorial Park.

## Jean 'Nan' (Georgia) G. Nordmeyer

Jean "Nan" (Georgia) G. Nordmeyer went home to be with Jesus on Friday, March 20, 2009, in her home in Post Falls, Idaho, after a year long battle with cancer. Her loving husband, Don, was by her side caring for her, as he had for the past year.

Jean was born April 15, 1931, in Nealy Ridge, Va., to Clarence and Cynthia Rasnick. She is preceded in death by her parents and, five siblings, Clifford, Rhea, Sydney, Bertha, and Belle. She is survived by her husband of 45 years, Donald Nordmeyer; two sisters, Nellie and Gerri; her children, Carl and Cynthia Rasnick of Rupert, Idaho; Michael and Linda Nordmeyer of Post Falls, Idaho; and Paula Foster of Jacksonville, N.C.; her grandchildren, Chris and



Brenda Kloer, Jaclyn Rasnick, Jacob Nordmeyer, Sarah and Tyler Emery, and Zachariah Nordmeyer; and two great-grandchildren, Calvin and Cameran Kloer.

Jean lived a long and full life surrounded by her loving family. Nan was an amazing cook and always prepared a family Sunday dinner-no one ever left her house hungry. Her home was the epitome of Southern hospitality. She enjoyed countless hours of family games of pinochle and Yahtzee. One of her favorite pastimes was attending her grandchildren's athletic events. Nan will be missed by her family and friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that contributions be made to the Hospice of North Idaho at [www.honi.org](http://www.honi.org).

## SERVICES

**James Delfin Ordaz** of Bellevue, memorial service at 11 a.m. today at St. Charles Catholic Church in Hailey; visitation from one hour before the funeral today at the church.

**Sumiko (Sue) Sueoka Fujiki** of Orem, Utah, and formerly of Rupert, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Timpanogos LDS Church, 1505 N. 130 E. in Orem, Utah (Olpin Family Mortuary in Pleasant Grove, Utah).

**George Donald Jesser** of Sun City, Calif., memorial service from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the American Legion Hall, 447 Seastrom St. in Twin Falls.

**Shirley Ann Nelson** of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. Monday at White Mortuary; visitation from 4 to 8 p.m.

Sunday at White Mortuary.

**Virginia Adell Scott** of Filer, graveside service at 1 p.m. Monday at the East Lawn Palms Cemetery, 5801 E. Grant Road in Tucson, Ariz.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

**Alberta (Sally) Turner** of Twin Falls, memorial service at 11 a.m. April 4 at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

**Justin Ray Mallory** of Twin Falls, a celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 4, at the Roper Auditorium at the Twin Falls High School, 1615 Filer Ave. E. in Twin Falls (Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

## DEATH NOTICES

### Clyde C. Wardle

BURLEY — Clyde Clinton Wardle, Jr., age 87, of Burley, died Thursday, March 26, 2009. The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 31, at the Springdale LDS Church, 475 E. 200 S. of Burley; visitation from 6 until 8 p.m. Monday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St., Burley, and from 10 until 10:45 a.m. Tuesday at the church.

### Howard D. Christensen

BURLEY — Howard Don Christensen, age 79, of Burley, died Wednesday, March 25, 2009, at the Parke View Care & Rehabilitation Center in Burley. The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 1, at the Burley LDS Stake Center, 2050 Normal Ave.; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St., Burley, and from 10 until 10:45 a.m. Wednesday at the church.

### Owen Colter

GOODING — Owen Colter, 87, of Gooding, died Friday, March 27, 2009, at St. Lukes Magic Valley Regional Medical Center in Twin Falls. Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

### Leah L. Craner

MURTAUGH — Leah Lorraine Craner, 84, of Murtaugh, died Thursday, March 26, 2009, at her home. Arrangements will be announced by Hansen Payne Mortuary.

### Angela Foltz

EDEN — Angela Foltz, 41, of Eden, died Sunday, March 22, 2009, at her home in Eden. A celebration of life will be held at 6 p.m. Tuesday, March 31, 2009, at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E., Twin Falls; visitation will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, Twin Falls.

### Arlyne B. Kisling

Arlyne B. Kisling, 90, formerly of Dietrich, died Tuesday March 24, 2009, in Tigard, Ore. The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 4, 2009, at the First Baptist Church in Shoshone. Arrangements are under the direction of Demaray Funeral Service, Shoshone Chapel.

### Diane L. Burton

Diane Larue Burton, 68, formerly of Gooding, died Tuesday, March 24, 2009, in Pocatello. Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

# Emotional tributes honor Oakland officers

By Juliana Barbassa and Terry Collins  
Associated Press writers

OAKLAND, Calif. — The city virtually halted Friday for the funeral of four slain police officers, with a populace still in shock jamming a large sports arena, spilling into an overflow stadium and filling the streets to pay their last respects.

The funerals for Mark Dunakin, John Hege, Ervin Romans and Daniel Sakai, who authorities say were gunned down March 21 by a parolee, shut down major freeways into and out of Oakland for much of the day as their long processions made their way to and from the Oracle Arena.

The shootings were the deadliest incident for U.S. law enforcement since Sept. 11, 2001, and the deadliest in California in nearly four decades. A somber pageant of uniformed officers from law enforcement agencies across the country — police departments, sheriffs' offices, highway patrols — overwhelmed the arena.

The entire 815-member Oakland Police Department, wearing dress white caps and gloves and black mourning bands on their badges, filled the front rows, saluting their fallen brethren as their flag-draped caskets were carried inside.

Loved ones, community members and dignitaries, including Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger, state Attorney General Jerry Brown and Sens. Dianne Feinstein and Barbara Boxer, made up the rest of the mourners in the arena, with a large overflow crowd filing into the adjacent Oakland Coliseum to watch the service on jumbo screens — more than 20,000 attendees in all.

"These four men were and are heroes, but they weren't made of steel. They always knew the day may come," Feinstein told the crowd. "When the time came to make the ultimate sacrifice, their final hour was one of their finest!"



AP photo

Members of the Oakland Police Honor Guard and United States Marines prepare the flag on the caskets for the folding ceremony for Oakland Police Officers Sgt. Mark Dunakin, 40; John Hege, 41; Sgt. Ervin Romans, 43; and Sgt. Daniel Sakai, 35, during the memorial service at Oracle Arena on Friday, in Oakland, Calif. Thousands of officers and firefighters from around the nation and overseas along with mourners turned out for Friday's funeral for the four veterans.

Oakland Mayor Ron Dellums also attended the service, but was asked not to speak by at least one family of the victims, his spokesman said. Paul Rose said he did not know which family made the request or the reason.

President Barack Obama and first lady Michelle Obama sent condolences in a letter, read by Oakland police chaplain Jayson Landeza, saying, "their commitment to their fellow man will never be forgotten."

Police say parolee Lovelle Mixon shot Sgt. Dunakin and Officer Hege at a rou-

tine traffic stop, then killed Sgts. Romans and Sakai in an apartment where Mixon also was killed.

One of the most affecting tributes came from Oakland police Capt. Edward Tracey, commander of the SWAT team that cornered Mixon. "These were my men," he said. "They died doing what they loved: riding in motorcycles, kicking in doors, serving in SWAT."

Tracey thanked the citizens who called police after the traffic stop and singled out a man who performed CPR on Dunakin at the scene. He also addressed the members of the SWAT

team present when Romans and Sakai were killed.

"Console yourself knowing that they spent their last moments in your company," he said. He also told the officers not to let the deaths "hold you back."

The officers' coffins lined the front of the arena. The tall black motorcycle boots that Dunakin and Hege wore were placed by their caskets and their beloved motorcycles sat nearby.

Individual eulogies from friends, colleagues and relatives of the officers sketched portraits of dedicated, hard-working family men.

## Lawyers say bill aims to stiff small Idaho businesses

By John Miller  
Associated Press writer

BOISE — Lawyers who contend the state insurance fund has been stiffing small businesses out of millions in dividends from excess worker's compensation premiums fear a Senate bill introduced Friday is aimed at killing their class-action lawsuit.

A 1917 Idaho law requires dividends be paid to businesses in the proportion they were paid into the Idaho State Insurance Fund, which oversees worker's compensation. Since at least 2003, however, the state has paid dividends only to larger companies whose annual premiums exceed \$2,500, although the threshold was dropped to \$1,500 in 2008.

Insurance fund managers contended it was up to them to dole out dividends as they saw fit. On March 5, however, the Idaho Supreme Court concluded "the statute unambiguously requires the manager to distribute a dividend pro rata to all policyholders."

Sen. John Goedde, R-Coeur d'Alene and a State Insurance Fund board member, introduced the bill to repeal the law retroactively to 1998. That year's Legislature reformed Idaho worker's compensation law, and Goedde says lawmakers never intended that holders of small policies that cost more money to administer than they

brought in would share in the dividend booty.

Bruce Bistline, a lawyer who represents small businesses including law firms that sued the fund in 2006, estimates that as many as 50,000 small businesses that paid worker's compensation premiums since 2003 missed out on payments.

"I don't think there's any way that can be anything other than an unconstitutional impairment of contract," Bistline told The Associated Press, of Goedde's bill. "A state cannot go back and change existing established rights pursuant to an established contract."

Randolph Farber, a lawyer in Nampa and one of the plaintiffs, referred questions to Bistline.

Just how much money is at stake for business owners like him is unclear. While individual dividend claims are probably very small, the total could be between \$3 million and \$12 million, not including interest, Bistline estimates.

In January, for instance, the Idaho State Insurance Fund issued more than 14,000 dividend checks to policy holders, for a total of \$14 million for 2008. That leaves about 24,000 policy holders who paid less than \$1,500 in annual premiums that didn't get a payment.

And in 2007, \$21.1 million was returned to some 14,000 policy holders whose premiums topped \$2,500, according to the fund.

## Gay-rights advocates plan service weekend in Utah

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Gay-rights advocates say they plan to do community service during the Mormon church's upcoming general conference, instead of holding protests or rallies.

Members and supporters of Utah's lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community plan to participate in a "General Service Weekend" during the first Saturday and Sunday in April as The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

holds its conference.

Following the November passage of a measure to ban gay marriage in California, thousands turned out for a downtown Salt Lake City protest over the church's involvement in the campaign.

But organizer Jacob Whipple says gay-rights advocates want to be productive next month. They plan to participate in park cleanups, community gardening and visits to refugee families.

## Virgin River segment close to getting designation

CEDAR CITY, Utah (AP) — More than 165 miles of the Virgin River and its tributaries in southern Utah have nearly won a federal designation as a Wild and Scenic River.

The river's status is now almost guaranteed after the U.S. House of Representatives this week passed the Washington County Growth and Conservation Act. President Barack Obama is expected to sign the bill soon.

The designation, which prohibits development or dams, would be a first for a Utah waterway.

"We see it as a great symbol and hope it opens the door to get other rivers (in Utah) designated," said Ted Wilson, director of the Utah Rivers Council.

The council wants federal protection for 85 Utah rivers.

The Virgin River already is safeguarded as part of Zion National Park but the designation offers a new

layer of protection for the river, said Jeff Feldman, president of the board of Citizens for Dixie's Future.

Ron Terry, a spokesman for Zion National Park, said Thursday park officials learned of the likely designation on Wednesday. He said he does not anticipate changes in how the park manages the river.

The designation will help rare and threatened species in the waterway and along its banks, said Nature Conservancy state director David Livermore.

"We refer to it as the Virgin River aquatic ecosystem," Livermore said. "The whole watershed is remarkable."

The National Wild and Scenic Rivers System was created by Congress in 1968 to preserve certain rivers with outstanding natural, cultural and recreational values. There are three designations — wild river areas, scenic river areas and recreational river areas.





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# THE ACES ON BRIDGE®

Bobby Wolff

"In every parting there is an image of death."

— George Eliot

Today's deal includes a point of declarer-play technique at no-trump that comes up more often than you might think.

Let's see what might happen at a typical table in three no-trump on the lead of the spade three. Declarer must play low from dummy to ensure he can collect at least one spade trick. (If he wastes dummy's king, he is down at once.) East inserts the spade nine, so declarer wins the jack and tries to set up a diamond winner. Alas, the defenders get in and cash four spade tricks for down one.

At the end of trick one, South has eight tricks, but cannot afford to lose a trick in a red suit, or the defenders will take their four spade winners. Of course, spades may be 4-4, but then declarer can set up a diamond trick later.

At trick two, South should play back a spade, hoping that if the defenders take their spades, a squeeze will develop. (It is almost guaranteed that neither defender started with more than five spades.)

Now watch what happens: East takes his spade ace and is likely to play back a spade. (Shifting to the heart queen is better, but declarer would win and play a third spade himself.) Now if West cashes the rest of his spades, East is squeezed to a pulp. If West does not cash his fourth and fifth spades, declarer can get his ninth trick by conceding a diamond trick to East (the safe hand).

**NORTH** 03-28-A  
 ♠ K 7  
 ♥ 5 3 2  
 ♦ K 9 7 3  
 ♣ K Q 7 3

**WEST**  
 ♠ Q 10 8 3 2  
 ♥ 8 7 4  
 ♦ J 5  
 ♣ 6 5 4

**EAST**  
 ♠ A 9 4  
 ♥ Q J 10  
 ♦ Q 10 2  
 ♣ J 10 9 8

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ J 6 5  
 ♥ A K 9 6  
 ♦ A 8 6 4  
 ♣ A 2

Vulnerable: North-South  
 Dealer: North

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: Spade three

### BID WITH THE ACES

03-28-B  
 South holds:  
 ♠ K 7  
 ♥ 5 3 2  
 ♦ K 9 7 3  
 ♣ K Q 7 3

South	West	North	East
2♥ ?	Pass	1♣ 2♠	1♥ Pass

**ANSWER:** In the modern style, your two-heart bid showed a limit-raise or better in clubs. A jump to three clubs would have been pre-emptive, not limit. Your partner's call suggests spades and clubs, but not necessarily any extras. Since you have no more than you promised for your first call, simply bid three clubs and await developments — if any.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolf," contact kay19072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com.  
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# Material teen begrudges her friends' new clothes

**DEAR ABBY:** I am a 14-year-old girl in high school. My family does not have a lot of money, but a lot of my friends' families do. (We have some money, but it's only enough to get by.) When my friends come to school with new clothes or concert tickets, I feel resentful because I can't afford them. I constantly compare myself to other girls and feel jealous of everyone around me. Is there anything I can do to combat this?

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**DEAR JEALOUS:** I can think of few things so self-defeating as constantly comparing oneself to other people. No matter what income bracket a person is in, there will always be individuals who have more. Your worth as a person has nothing to do with what's in your closet, what's on your back or whether you can afford concert tickets.

One way to start feeling better about yourself would be to make a list of the qualities that make you special. You are obviously intelligent. Are you also a loyal friend? Are you sensitive to the feelings of other people? These important qualities



**DEAR ABBY**  
 Jeane Phillips

will outlast any fashion fad — and the popularity of most music groups, too. The more time you spend dwelling on the important qualities you have, the less time you'll waste being preoccupied with the material things you don't.

**DEAR ABBY:** I have been living with a terrible secret for the past five years. I don't love my older son. He is very difficult and has been since infancy. Don't get me wrong — I'd jump in front of a bus to save him — but I don't like him.

I have a degree in psychology and have taught child development. I have taken parenting classes and read every book that's available on hard-to-manage children. But I have yet to find something that can help me, and I feel terribly alone. My husband tries, but he doesn't understand what it's like because he is mostly at work. I am involved in parenting groups, playgroups, etc., but

the other mothers all seem to be doing everything "better" than I am, and I have never heard any other mom admit to having negative feelings toward her kid.

What makes it worse is I adore my younger son and feel a special bond with him. I know this must be awful for the older boy because I'm sure he senses it, no matter how hard I try to hide it. But I don't know how to change what I feel. Abby, how can I change things? I desperately want to be the kind of mother my son deserves.

— ASHAMED  
 IN CALIFORNIA

**DEAR ASHAMED:** Nowhere in your letter did you mention that you have taken your older son to a child psychiatrist for any sort of an evaluation. Children who are "very difficult" can sometimes have a physical or psychological disorder. There may even be a support group for you comprised of other parents who are experiencing the same feelings that you have.

It is important that you seek professional help for both of you. Your son may have a disorder, but until you find out the cause of the behavior that makes him "unlovable," there will be no help for either of you.

### IF MARCH 28 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY:

You may be swept along in the pursuit of unique ideas and a desire to become better known this year. Maybe you will create your own blog in order to share your ideas, or join a group of friends who are studying a new age subject. Hold off on making major decisions or changes in August and September. That is when you could be in too much of a hurry to get ahead and realize ambitions and when extra responsibilities could slow you down. By taking your time you will bypass certain pitfalls and errors. You will find much more fertile ground during December and January for planting the seeds of your business ideas, setting plans into motion, or gaining the ear of influential people.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Hide hesitation and let down your guard. It is a good time to share your deepest feelings and goals. You and a special someone can enjoy intimate moments under a seductive cosmic arrangement.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Cooperation is the key to success. You need the good will of others to make your mark or the guidance of someone who has expertise in the subject to provide you with a trustworthy sense of direction.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** Do your best to develop

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**Jeraldine Saunders**  
 a balanced outlook. Play hard, but remember to work just as diligently. A significant other can provide you with a priceless sense of purpose and steer you in the right direction.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Become part of the community or local scene. Your home or neighborhood could be the center for social functions or activity. Lend a helping hand to a new acquaintance or network close to home base.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** Bring it on. When hooked up with the right person, you can handle any situation or opportunity like a pro. Your significant other has your best interests at heart so you should listen closely to advice.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Thank your extremely lucky stars. There is extra vitality and enthusiasm on tap, so use it well. Take a day trip, ask for a favor, or participate in a sport. Buy something that will demonstrate good taste.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** You will understand more if you walk a mile in someone else's trendy shoes. You may be right on track where relationships and commitments are con-

cerned. A special someone may be especially attentive.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Things are looking up and stress within a relationship can be healed. You may feel more contented with what you have and who you know. Key decisions about your future can be made with impunity.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** You can get by with a little help from your friends. A knack for making and sustaining friendships could be your best asset this weekend. If teamwork is called for, you'll be a friend indeed.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Enjoy a taste for the fruits of your labors. You deserve to have some rewards for your dedication and wisdom. Spend quality time with a devoted companion who is willing to forgive and forget.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** You could have a shot at the big time. Strike while the iron is hot and don't ignore an offer or opportunity. Broad goals and wide-ranging objectives can be used to knit together numerous ambitions.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Reach for the stars. Your boundless imagination can help you develop a more positive plan for the future. Don't take people or pleasures for granted but strive to make every encounter memorable.

Today is Saturday, March 28, the 87th day of 2009. There are 278 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight in History:

On March 28, 1979, America's worst commercial nuclear accident occurred inside the Unit 2 reactor at the Three Mile Island plant near Middletown, Pa.

**On this date:**  
 In 1834, the U.S. Senate voted to censure President Andrew Jackson for the removal of federal deposits from the Bank of the United States.

In 1854, during the Crimean War, Britain and France declared war on Russia.  
 In 1896, the opera "Andrea Chenier," by Umberto Giordano, premiered in Milan.  
 In 1898, the Supreme Court, in United States v. Wong Kim Ark, ruled that a child born in the United States to Chinese immigrants was a U.S. citizen.

### TODAY IN HISTORY

In 1930, the names of the Turkish cities of Constantinople and Angora were changed to Istanbul and Ankara.

In 1939, the Spanish Civil War effectively ended as Madrid fell to the forces of Francisco Franco.  
 In 1941, novelist and critic Virginia Woolf died in Lewes, England.  
 In 1942, during World War II, British naval forces raided the Nazi-occupied French port of St. Nazaire in Operation Chariot.  
 In 1969, the 34th president of the United States, Dwight D. Eisenhower, died in Washington at age 78.  
 In 1994, absurdist playwright Eugene Ionesco died in Paris at age 84.

**Ten years ago:** NATO broadened its attacks on Yugoslavia to target Serbian military forces in Kosovo in the fifth straight night of airstrikes; thousands of refugees flooded into Albania and Macedonia from Kosovo. The Baltimore Orioles beat a Cuban all-star team 3-2 in Havana. Venus Williams beat younger sister Serena 6-1, 4-6, 6-4 to win the Lipton Championships in the first all-sister women's final in 115 years.

**Five years ago:** French President Jacques Chirac's government suffered stinging defeats in regional elections seen as a vote of censure against painful economic reforms. Actor and writer Sir Peter Ustinov died in Genolier, Switzerland, at age 82. Game show host Art James died in Palm Springs, Calif., at age 74.  
**One year ago:** President Bush declared that Iraq was standing at a defining moment as it struggled to put down heavily armed Shiite militias in new flare-ups of violence. Cuba made it legal for its citizens to own cell phones in their own names.

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**Great Family Home** 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 3 car garage. Home is like brand new. Many upgrades. Call for an appointment!  
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**Great Home Great Location Great Price** Pride of ownership shines throughout this beautiful 3bd/2ba home. Crown moulding, french doors, RV parking, separate garage, corner lot & many other features separate this home from the rest.  
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**Use your \$8,000 credit to buy this house!** Bigger than it looks with approx. 1,285 sq ft, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, there is even room to grow in the partially finished basement, mature yard, gas heat. Please call now for an appointment.  
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**793 Quincy, Twin Falls**  
Location! Location! Great 3 Bedroom, 2 bath split floorplan. Formal living room, open kitchen, dining, family room, large backyard. New Carpet throughout. Close to Schools & Shopping too.  
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Special Spring Sale!! Incredible home is competitively priced & is ready to move! Large spacious split 3 bedroom floor plan with office/den area, vaulted ceilings, decorative shelving, corner lot, RV parking & more!  
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Wonderful 4-H Property just waiting for animals or just enjoy the elbow room. 4 bed/2 bath newly remodeled with tile, cabinets, windows, & restored hardwood floors. This home is "move in condition".  
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**\$114,900 1-3 PM**

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QUIET LOCATION! 1872 sq ft, 3 bedroom, 2 bath onto brick home, across from Harrison Park. BUY THIS HOME TODAY AND RECEIVE \$500 TOWARD'S CLOSING COSTS!  
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Great Location! One of a kind property in Jerome sits on nearly an acre. This is a 3 bed 2 bath home with lots of upgrades. New floor coverings are being installed. 2 Baths, over 2,500 SqFt.  
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**102 Country Club Dr, Jerome**  
Live In Your Vacation Home it's not just a home, it's a lifestyle. Frontage on the 11th fairway of the Jerome Country Club. Good views! 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, over 2,500 SqFt.  
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**819 E 15th Ave, Jerome**  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**

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 1996 Saturn VIN# 1G8ZG5284T2136712  
 1993 Olds Cutlass VIN# 1G3AG54N4P6321372  
 1994 Ford Explorer VIN# 1FMDU34X4RUE74436  
 1993 Subaru Legacy VIN# 4S3BC8335P7654681  
 1995 Saturn VIN# 1G8ZG5385S2369378  
 1993 VW Van VIN# WV2MCO705PH010938  
 1994 Ford Explorer VIN# 1FMDU34X0RUA04033  
 1997 Ford Taurus VIN# 1FALP57U4VG139521  
 1997 Ford F250 VIN# X25SK026401  
 1992 Ford F350 VIN# 1FDKE30M1NHA28263  
 1994 Geo Metro VIN# 2C1MR2460R6757385  
 1992 Mazda VIN# JM2UF6144N0267496  
 1995 F350 Box Truck VIN# 1FDKE37G5SHA62069  
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 1989 Chevy PU VIN# 2GCEK14Z8K1176509  
 1993 Jeep Cherokee VIN# 1J4FJ28S6PL636319  
 This sale will be located at 104 S 450 E, Burley, Idaho at 10:00 AM on March 28, 2009.

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**REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS**

The City of Bliss is seeking the assistance of an engineering firm to provide planning, design, and construction management services for the development of a new municipal wastewater collection and treatment system. The City is applying for federal assistance to fund the project.

A Request for Qualifications & Scope of Work may be obtained from Region IV Development Association by calling (208) 732-5727. Six hard copies of each response are due to the City by April 6, 2009 12:00 Noon. Responses should be submitted to:

Design Professional Services  
 City of Bliss  
 P.O. Box 102  
 Bliss, ID 83314  
 Laura Pulse, Mayor

PUBLISH: March 21, 2009 and March 28, 2009

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MINIDOKA**

Case No. CV-2009-189  
**SUMMONS**  
**LINA J. GONZALEZ,**  
 Plaintiff,

vs  
**MACARIO GONZALEZ,**  
 Defendant

**NOTICE: You have been sued. The court may enter judgment against you without further notice unless you respond. read the information below.**

If you want to defend this lawsuit, you must file a written response (Answer or appropriate Rule 12 I.R.C.P. Motion) to the Complaint at the Court Clerk's office for the above-listed District Court within 20 days from the service of this Summons.

If you do not file a written response the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice. A letter to the judge is not an appropriate written response.

The written response must comply with rule 10(a)(1) and other Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and include: your name, mailing address and telephone number, or your attorney's name, mailing address and telephone number, and the title and number of this case.

If your written response is an Answer, it must state the things you agree with and those you disagree with that are in the Complaint. You must also state any defenses you have. You must mail or deliver a copy of your response to the Plaintiff or Plaintiff's attorney (at the address listed above), and prove that you did.

To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the District Court.

If you are considering talking to an attorney, you should do so quickly to protect your legal rights.

DATED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2009  
 Clerk of the District Court

By: Deputy

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**100 Announcements**

**101 Lost and Found**

**FOUND** Black cat, has a white patch on chest. No collar, will be taking to shelter. Call 208-316-6995

**FOUND** Car Keys at Buhl soccer field. Call to identify 208-543-8668.

**FOUND** cat, small calico young, female, found on Hillcrest Road East South Blue Lakes. 735-0347.

**FOUND** Chihuahua, young brown female wearing red collar, by East Minico. Call 208-431-3017.

**FOUND** Dog near Belair Trailer Park in Burley. Small, white, female. Call 431-3799 at Animal Rescue.

**FOUND** Pug, adult male, found in Rupert. 208-431-3799

**FOUND** Puppy, brown and white female on 3/19 near 300 S. 400 W., Jerome. 208-308-6503.

**FREE** Staffordshire Bull Terrier/Mastiff cross, 2 yr. Old male, great w/kids/pets, great family dog, house broke. 438-8172

**LOST** Black Lab cross, female, ready to have puppies. Last seen 3/15/09 1 mile east on Hwy 26, Shoshone, Reward. 208-886-2777



**LOST** Boxer, brindle, male, near Minico High School/Paul. Black and red electronic collars. Reward. Call 208-436-9156.

**REMEMBER**

That birthday or anniversary picture you ran in the paper. Now is the time to come in and pick up your pictures.

**101 Lost and Found**

**LOST** Cat in the area of 7th Ave E. Petite tabby cat, female. Call 208-735-5161.

**LOST** German Shepherd, white, female, leather collar, lost on 3/18 near Candy Cane park, approx. 2 years old. Call 208-948-5821

**LOST** Golden Retriever, male. Last seen 3/24 on South Locust. Reward. Call 208-316-0797.

**LOST** Ring, size 7, silver heart with pink and red stones, at the Jerome Walmart 3/22/09. "REWARD" Call Emily 208-420-4932.

**LOST** tackle box and water cooler between Twin Falls and Roseworth on 3/20. 208-734-6754

**LOST** Wrist Watch in the Twin Falls area, has Indian band with 2 stones. \$50 reward. 208-735-1611

**STOLEN** 6 ft. round porcelain, double sided, gas station sign, orange with blue letters VEX-TEX, taken from 775 Falls Ave. W. Reward for information and recovery. Please call Bob Howard 208-733-7687

**106 Special Notices**

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Burley Meetings N/S**  
 1321 Oakley Ave. #9  
 Saturday, 7pm Spanish Speaking  
 Monday-Thursday, 8pm 219-3403 / 438-5448 / 312-5051 / 679-9414  
**Rupert Meetings N/S-6" & 1 Street**  
 Monday, 8pm & Friday, 8pm  
 2220 E. Ellis, Paul Weds. 12 noon  
 436-9449 / 436-5842 / 432-6718 / 678-9518 / 679-9414

**BIRTHDAY PHOTOS**

Have you forgotten to pickup your birthday photos? We have some photos we are sure you don't want us to toss. These can be picked up at The Times-News Classified Dept.

**106 Special Notices**

**AL-ANON**  
 Tuesdays-7:00pm, 1836 Elba, Burley 208-678-9518

**CHOICES FOR RECOVERY**  
 Monday, 4-5:30pm  
 Minidoka Memorial Hospital, 1218 8<sup>th</sup> St., Rupert. 431-3741

**CRYSTAL METH ANONYMOUS**  
 Tuesday & Thursday, 6:30pm.  
 109 E. Main, Burley,  
 878-CLUB or 312-6590

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**  
 Sunday 11am-12:30pm  
 Sunday 7pm  
 Monday-Ladies only, 6-7:30pm  
 Monday 8pm  
 Tuesday 7pm  
 Wednesday 7-8:30pm  
 Thursday 7pm  
 Friday 7pm  
 Saturday 8pm  
 220 East Ellis, Paul  
 Saturday 9pm  
 1230 J St., Heyburn  
**MCANA Meeting info**  
 208-438-4935

**OVERCOMERS OUTREACH**  
 Wed., 6:30-7:30pm. First Baptist Church, 2262 Hilland Ave., Burley, 208-678-3678

**ROAD 2 RECOVERY**  
 Tues, 7:00-8:30pm. 1044 E. Main, Burley 208-670-2578

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE RECOVERY SERVICES** Friday, 7pm.  
 LDS Burley W. Stake  
 2420 Park Ave., Burley  
 208-678-3933

**TOPS CLUB**  
 ID# 374 Rupert Thursday, 8:30am. 410 East 3<sup>rd</sup>, Rupert. 436-6037 or 679-3518  
 ID# 256 Burley Thurs., 5-15-7pm. 725 Minidoka Ave, Burley 678-5959 or 678-2622  
 ID# 388 Malta Wednesday, 5:30pm. 140 W. Center St., Malta 208-645-2436

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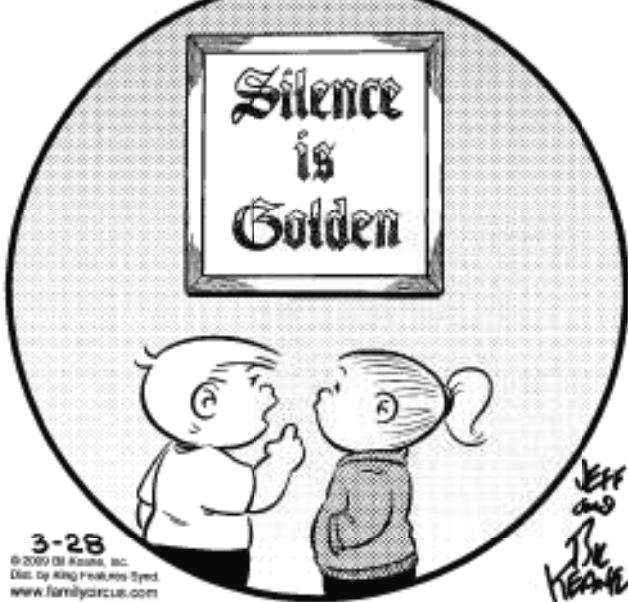
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By Dave Green

		8	3	4				
		2						5
9				1				
9			3		6		7	
		6		9				
7	5		1					9
			5					2
8					4			
	3	1		2				

### Answer to previous puzzle

1	4	3	7	2	5	6	9	8
2	8	6	9	3	4	7	5	1
7	9	5	1	8	6	4	2	3
6	5	9	8	4	3	1	7	2
8	7	2	5	6	1	3	4	9
3	1	4	2	7	9	5	8	6
5	6	8	4	1	2	9	3	7
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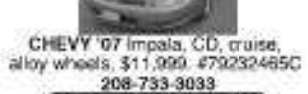
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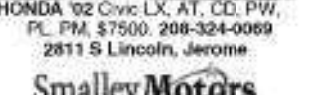
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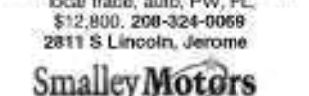
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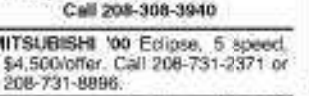
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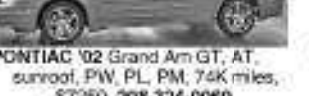
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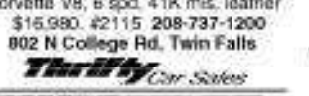
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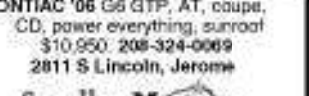
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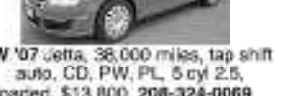
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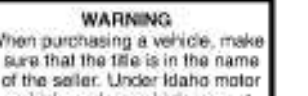
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