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Traveling turbine

Wind turbine
arrives at CSI,
will be used
by new class

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

For those searching for a career,
the answer may be blowing in the
wind.

Trucks with four sections of a
wind turbine tower — 100 feet in all
— and equipment with the internal
workings of a wind turbine for the
College of Southern Idaho arrived in
Twin Falls on Tuesday. The round
sections of tower are a reminder
that CSI will begin a new wind-
turbine technical program this fall
for students.

The turbine came from the first
commercial wind farm in Idaho,
which featured three turbines built
by the late Bob Lewandowski, who
died in 2005.

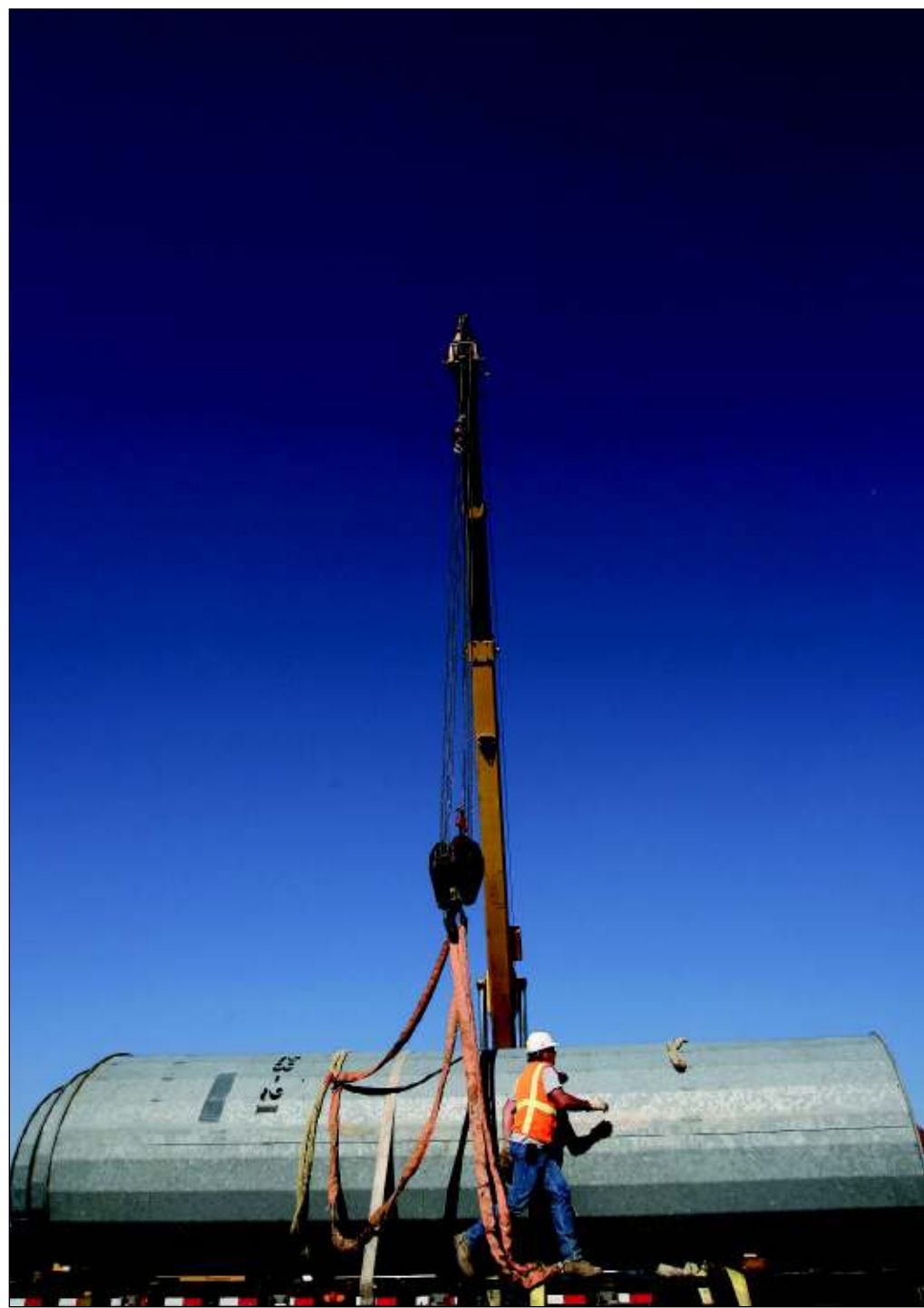
After purchasing the towers, a
company named G3, LLC shut them
down in 2007 because of the cost
to maintain them. The company
later decided to donate the tur-
bines to wind programs at CSI and
Idaho State University.

Plans for how all the equipment
will fit into the program's curricu-
lum are still preliminary, particu-
larly for the tower sections. In-
structional Dean Todd Schwarz
said the college is looking into what

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WATCH a video about
the turbine and it's trip
to Twin Falls.



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Tom Morgan, an employee with a private contracting service, works Tuesday afternoon to secure a crane as he and others deliver a wind turbine to the College of Southern Idaho from a wind farm near Mountain Home. CSI will begin a new wind-turbine technical program this fall, and students will use the donated turbine to learn about its inner-workings.

State water czar to resign

Tuthill to retire from
public service June 30

By Nate Poppino
Times-News writer

Idaho Department of Water Resources
Director Dave Tuthill will step down from
his position next month, two and a half
years after he first took the job.

Tuthill, 57, announced Tuesday that he
will retire from public service on June 30
and become a water con-
sultant in the private sector,
staying in the Boise area.
Eligible for retirement since
last year, he didn't want to
leave until a number of
issues were more in order,
he said.



Tuthill

The past couple of
months provided the right
combination. The state should have a rela-
tively normal water year, several major
water issues have now largely moved on to
the courts and IDWR officials have devel-
oped a plan to deal with the next fiscal
year's budget cuts. Though a final order on
a water call made by A&B Irrigation District
is still pending, a plan to provide water
owed to Clear Springs Foods in another call
was put on hold earlier this month.

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Police: Accused thief laundered money in oil, art

By Andrea Jackson
Times-News writer

A bookkeeper accused of laundering
money stolen from Hamilton
Manufacturing Inc. allegedly told police he
was "suckered" in oil and art investments
while trying to pay back his former boss,
according to court records.

Twin Falls resident Robie
Probasco, 47, is also
accused of two counts of
grand theft, six counts of
forgery, and a count of
computer crime.

Authorities assert he
stole \$314,520 by forging 89
company checks and alter-
ing business account records and bank
statements, according to court records.

Probasco allegedly told police he took
\$80,000 to \$90,000 from the company —
less than it claims — because of family
problems including school debt, medical
issues and a monthly house payment of



Probasco

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See **PROBASCO**, Main 2

Registered sex offender charged with abuse of vulnerable adult

By Andrea Jackson
Times-News writer

A registered sex offender
convicted a decade ago of lewd
conduct with a 7-year-old rela-
tive is back in jail, charged
now with sexually abusing a
vulnerable adult.

David Aaron Knutsen, 28, is
accused of four counts of
exploiting the vulnerable per-

son who is identified only by
her initials in court records.

Knutsen was indicted by a
Twin Falls County grand jury
on March 25, but details about
the allegations against him
remain slim in the Twin Falls
5th District Court record.

Authorities on Tuesday
declined to provide more
information about the case.

Twin Falls County

Prosecutor Grant Loeb said he
could not say where the crime
occurred, how old the victim
is, or what the relationship
may be between the victim
and Knutsen.

"I'm not at liberty to say,"
Loeb said, declining to say
how authorities learned about
the alleged crimes and why he
took the newer case against
Knutsen to a grand jury.

Loeb said he could not
comment on those questions
because they are part of confi-
dential grand jury informa-
tion. He said he does not want
police to comment either
about the case, and Twin Falls
Police Capt. Matt Hicks
referred questions from the
Times-News to Loeb.

Historic nomination

Sotomayor would be first Latina Supreme Justice

By Ben Feller
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Reaching for history,
President Obama on Tuesday chose federal
appeals judge Sonia Sotomayor to be the first
Latino justice on the Supreme Court, cham-
pioning her as a compassionate, seasoned
jurist whose against-the-odds life journey
affirms the American dream.

Republicans who will decide whether to
make a fight of her confirmation said they
want thorough hearings. However, defeating
Sotomayor would be difficult in the heavily
Democratic Senate, and even a major effort
to block her confirmation could be risky for a
party still reeling from last year's elections.
Latinos are the fastest-growing part of the

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Judge Sonia
Sotomayor was
introduced by
President Barack
Obama as his nomi-
nee for the Supreme
Court on Tuesday.
Sotomayor, a feder-
al appeals judge, is
a daughter of
Puerto Rican par-
ents raised in a
Bronx public hous-
ing project.

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MORNING BRIEFING

Pat's Picks

Three things to do today

Pat Marcantonio



• The art talents of Filer High School students will be on display from 3 to 7 tonight through Saturday at Lion's Gate Gallery, 219 Main St. The opening reception is at 6 p.m. Mediums range from drawing to printmaking. It's free.

• Enjoy a children's program on Abraham Lincoln with stories, games, craft and treat for kids at the Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave. Age 8 and under need an adult with them. It

doesn't even cost one Lincoln penny.

• How about a round of 3-on-3 basketball? The College of Southern Idaho Golden Eagle Challenge tournament is Saturday at the CSI parking lot in Twin Falls. Games begin at 9 a.m. It's a fundraiser for CSI athletic scholarships and open to boys and girls, men and women ages 8 and up. The fee is \$50 per team if you register before noon on Friday. Information: Ginger, 732-6486.

T.F. plans for census committee

By Nichole Carnell
Times-News writer

The Twin Falls City Council began plans to initiate a "Full Count Committee" to support next year's U.S. census.

In an effort to obtain accurate figures, the city is planning to create a county-wide subcommittee to educate the community on the importance of census data. Mayor Lance Clow stressed the importance of accuracy for funding purposes.

The census will be held in April and the city is hoping to spread information through the subcommittee concerning the use of census data. Some important information discussed included that census information

cannot be used against undocumented persons, and additional funding entitlements becoming available when the city population reaches 50,000 population.

Additionally, the council voted to purchase a tractor on Tuesday evening. In a unanimous decision, a four-wheel-drive, heavy duty tractor will be purchased from Western States Caterpillar for \$58,921, the lowest bid.

This year's tight city budget had an impact on the purchase. The city had originally planned to buy two tractors, but instead decided to buy only one after the budget was reassessed.

The tractor is to be used for landscaping on public property.

Turbine

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wind energy from the turbine's nacelle, which holds the components that play a role in creating electricity from wind. Normally at the top of a turbine tower, the nacelle's equipment will educate students in the fundamentals of wind energy.

Students will be able to examine and work on the equipment, which includes bearings, a gearbox that increases the rotations that come off the turbine blades, and generators. By itself, the nacelle is small enough to be placed indoors.

The college also plans to set up three small wind turbines that will teach students data collection skills. Besides the wind program, the college is also beginning a new environmental technology program that studies areas like wind energy, solar power and water resource management.

Regardless of whether any tower sections go up in Twin Falls, the goal is for education instead of feeding electricity into the power grid, Schwarz.

"There was never an intent to put this into production," Schwarz said.

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TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Vocal and piano music recital, Twin Falls High School senior Denim Ann Kerr in performance, 7 p.m., College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Recital Hall, Twin Falls, no cost, 733-9554.

Xavier Charter School Spring Showcase Concert, students perform songs, dance and recitation pieces, 7 p.m., College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Center auditorium, Twin Falls, \$2 per person, 733-9554.

BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

Relay for Life captains meetings, 7 p.m., Burley Junior High School, 700 W. 16th St., Burley, 434-8667 or www.relayforlife.org/rupert_burleyid.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Burley Kiwanis Club, noon, Morey's Steakhouse, 219 E. Third St. N., 436-0720.

Burley Soroptimist International, noon, Sringa Plaza, 626 Elba Ave., 438-8666.

Magic Valley Toastmasters meeting and no-host lunch, focus: assisting members in developing speaking, communication and leadership skills, noon, Idaho Pizza, 1859 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, visitors welcome, 736-1025.

Rupert Lions Club, noon, The Wayside cafe, Heyburn, 678-3230.

Twin Falls Lions Club meeting and no-host lunch, noon, Norm's Catering Room, 827 Main Ave. W., Twin Falls, visitors welcome, 737-0240.

Twin Falls Rotary Club meeting and lunch, features variety of speakers from around the communities, noon to 1 p.m., Turf Club, 734 Falls Ave., Twin Falls, kbradshaw@twinfallsrotary.org or 208-212-0265.

Burley Rupert Shrine Club, dinner meeting, 6:30 p.m., Rupert Elks Lodge, Burley, 678-2811.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

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

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

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

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

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

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) ID No. 3 Chapter of Twin Falls, weigh ins from 4:50 to 5:20 p.m. and meeting from 5:30 to 6 p.m., BridgeView Great Room (north entrance, third floor), BridgeView Estates, 1828 Bridgeview Blvd., 404-4793 or 736-9282.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) ID No. 388 Chapter of Malta, a weight-loss support group, 5:30 p.m., Raft River Electric Board room, 155 N. Main St., 208-645-2438.

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Woodcarving days, public welcome to come and

carve wood, 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m., 310 Filer Ave. W., Twin Falls, classes available, 736-0061.

LIBRARY

Buhl Public Library Storytime, 10 a.m., Buhl Public Library, 215 Broadway, Buhl, no cost, 543-6500.

Children's program on Abraham Lincoln, stories, games, craft and treat; children under age eight need adult with them, 11a.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no cost, 878-7708.

Sign up for "Fit, Food and Fun in the Park" summer reading program, sponsored by Burley Public Library, Cassia Regional Medical Center and the Cassia County School District, (to be held Thursdays, June 4 to July 9, 10:30 a.m. at Storybook Park), Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no cost, 878-7708.

VETERANS

Milt Smith, state service officer from Boise will be at the Burley Veterans Office at the Burley airport. Information: Dick Dalton, 678-3599 or 878-2565.

SCHOOL SPORTS

Minidoka County Schools sports pre-screening, with girls screening from 5 to 6 p.m. and boys screening from 6 to 7 p.m., Mini-Cassia Occupational Health, 1218 Ninth St., Suite 13, Rupert, \$10 fee (or appropriate signature on Community Service coupon), bring completed form, 436-0481, ext. 194.

TODAY'S DEADLINE

Registration deadline for May 30 pinocle and bridge tournament, with refreshments, prizes and door prizes hosted by Jerome Senior Center, 12:30 p.m., at the center, 212 First Ave. E., \$5, 324-5001 or 324-3255 to pre-register.

Tuthill

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"I'm handing the baton of leadership at a time when it's conducive to a new director coming on board," Tuthill said.

As director, Tuthill has overseen one of the more legally complex state agencies — issuing rulings on several high-profile water calls, pushing for studies of more water-storage opportunities throughout the state and helping an advisory committee complete a comprehensive management plan for the Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer.

He became interim IDWR director on Jan. 1, 2007, taking over for long-time director Karl J. Dreher. Gov. C.L. "Butch"

Otter officially appointed Tuthill to the post on April 17, 2007. He will have spent 33 years with IDWR when he retires, serving in a variety of roles including manager of the agency's western regional office, adjudication bureau chief and water-management division administrator.

Otter spokesman Jon Hanian said the governor thinks Tuthill "has done a remarkable job," and that it's too early to say who might replace him. Otter will search for candidates everywhere, from inside IDWR to outside the state, Hanian said.

Tuthill did attract a fair share of criticism while in office — his announcement came the same day

that a 5th District judge heard oral arguments challenging the policies and procedures used to handle one of the water calls. But those involved in Idaho's water issues and reached by the Times-News complimented the director's work.

Brian Olmstead, general manager of the Twin Falls Canal Co., said that his company and Tuthill had different philosophies when it came to water management but that Tuthill faced something of an impossible situation.

"I really think he's put a great deal of effort into it and tried his best," Olmstead said.

Former state Sen. Laird Noh, who still keeps an eye

on water issues, noted Tuthill managed to move the various water calls closer to resolution.

Lynn Tominaga, executive director of the Idaho Ground Water Appropriators, said Tuthill was fair even if Tominaga's group didn't always like his decisions.

"And that's all you ever look for in any director," Tominaga said.

Tuthill said he plans to be very careful to avoid any conflicts of interest in his new career. He said he hopes to be remembered for fair decisions and for encouraging a collaborative approach to problem-solving within IDWR.

"I couldn't have asked for a better job," he said.

Abuse

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Knutsen was convicted of lewd conduct with a child after pleading guilty to the 1999 crime against a young family member, according to court records.

He was placed on probation for 10 years, a reduction from his original sentence of 15 years to life in prison, according to a 2007 opinion from the Idaho Court of Appeals, where he had appealed his sentence and conviction.

"Knutsen filed an application for post-conviction relief asserting that his sentence constituted cruel and unusual punishment, that a neuropsychological evaluation demonstrated his sentence should be vacated, and that his counsel provided ineffective assistance," according to the 2007 appellate court decision.

But on Feb. 12, Loeb's office filed a motion to revoke Knutsen's probation and arrest him.

Loeb told the Times-News on Tuesday, though, that move was not prompted by the new charges against Knutsen.

The motion was made, he said, because Knutsen allegedly was in contact with a minor in violation of terms of his probation.

"There is no provisions on the probation that require he stay away from adults," Loeb said. "He can be with adults in many different settings and not violate probation."

Knutsen allegedly performed each of the four new sex crimes on the same day, Jan. 30., according to the indictment.

He lives at 3873 N. 2430 E. in Filer, according to the online Idaho State Police Sex Offender Registry. There was no answer to a phone number listed for that address on Tuesday afternoon.

He is lodged in the Twin Falls County Jail on \$500,000 bond and faces up to 25 years in prison on each count of sexual abuse of a vulnerable adult, authorities said Tuesday.

Knutsen has an August evidentiary hearing set in Twin Falls 5th District Court for his 1999 case and he is scheduled today to enter a plea for the newer charges.

Probasco

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\$2,100, according to court records. "He went on to admit that he intended to repay the money he took from HMI by making several different investments from HMI in the hope of getting quick returns."

Probasco told police in court records that he invested in Picasso lithographs and oil. "We tried to do some investments that supposedly would turn around right away and got suckered in mainly."

Police probed Probasco for motive, asking why the company paid him more than his salary, according to court records.

"Um I don't know," Probasco said in court records. "There's probably no, no real excuse, um, financial difficulties a person goes through."

Hamilton Manufacturing, the recycling company where Probasco worked for almost five years until October, is also suing Probasco for \$306,030 with 12 percent interest. No upcoming court dates are set in the lawsuit that was filed before Probasco was charged criminally.

According to the lawsuit, Probasco allegedly used money stolen from the company to benefit his "marital community" and Probasco's wife, Kelly Probasco, is also being sued. She has not been charged with a crime, though, and authorities say in court records from Probasco's criminal case that there are no co-defendants.

The Idaho Attorney General's Office is handling the criminal case rather than

the Twin Falls County Prosecutor's Office because of a potential conflict of interest, according to court records.

Probasco filed for bankruptcy in 2002, and recently claimed money problems again. He told the court in February in his civil case that he couldn't afford an attorney but would cooperate with the lawsuit and then asked to negotiate a lower settlement because of house debt.

"We owe more than the home is worth," according to his letter to the court. "Can a settlement be discussed or negotiated below the total amount?"

He also disclosed to the court that he has a time-share investment in Las Vegas, records show.

Probasco has bachelor's degrees in accounting and computer science from Idaho State University and a master's degree from Northwest Nazarene University, according to court records.

He allegedly told police he wanted to deposit returns from the investments back into the company's checking account, according to court records. "Some of the investments Probasco described included his purchase of art for resale and investments in an oil company all with funds he took from HMI."

He pleaded not guilty to the criminal allegations and is out of jail on \$10,000 bond with an arraignment set for today in Twin Falls.

A message left on a phone number listed to Probasco Tuesday was not immediately returned.

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CORRECTIONS

Caption information incorrect

Due to incorrect information given to the Times-News, the photo caption for the image of a note in Sunday's "A dropout's story" was incorrect. The note was written in 2007.

Column errors

The age of the late Harold "Moe" Sagers of Burley was incorrect in a 132 Fairfield St. West column on May 10. He was 86. Additionally, the name of the battleship Yamato was incorrectly spelled. The Times-News regrets the errors.

Survey: Two in five Minico High School sophomores say they drink

By Laurie Welch
Times-News writer

RUPERT — A state survey of drug and alcohol use by Minidoka County teens shows 40 percent of Minico High School sophomores say they sometimes drink alcoholic beverages.

The survey shows that the number of eighth graders who say they use alcohol rises 12 percent by the time they reach the 10th grade. Also, the 16 percent of students who admit to some type of drug in eighth grade climbs to 28 percent by the time they are in the 10th grade.

The school district was randomly selected to participate in the Idaho State Department of Education survey, said questionnaire administrator Sanie Baker, vice principal at Rupert Elementary School.

Baker said the survey is voluntary, anonymous and given on one day only, so

students not present did not take it at a later date.

Baker said 44 percent of 10th graders thought there was a drug or alcohol problem among students at their school and 43 percent said there is drug or alcohol use during the school day. Twenty-nine percent of 10th graders said there is alcohol use at most of the parties they attend.

In the 10th grade, 38 percent of students said they sometimes drink beer, 40 percent said they sometimes drink wine coolers and 30 percent said they sometimes drink hard liquor.

Twenty-two percent of 10th graders report they have tried marijuana, 12 percent have inhaled other substances and 10 percent have tried over-the-counter medicines to get high.

Among 10th graders, 30 percent said they get alcohol from their friends and 8 percent of those who drink

said they were 10 years old or younger when they first tried alcohol, while 19 percent said they were age 13 to 14.

Most students said it was difficult to obtain drugs other than marijuana.

Questions were also posed to students about safety and gang violence at school, Baker said.

The survey revealed 78 percent of 10th graders feel safe at school, 33 percent said gangs caused trouble at school and 71 percent said they felt like teachers were respectful of students.

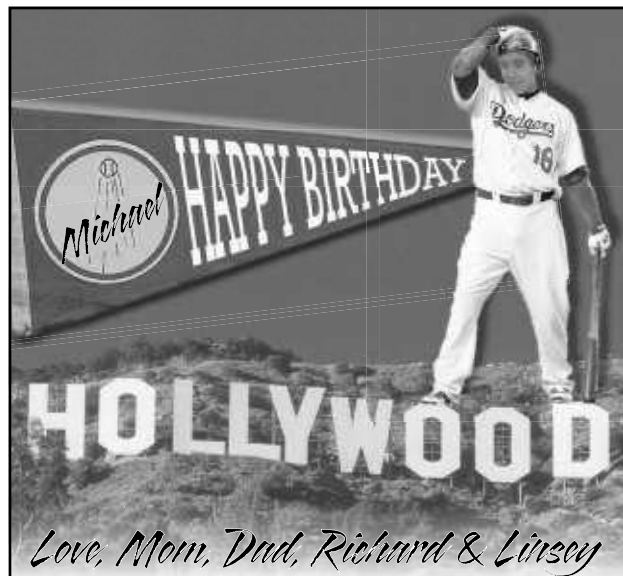
"I'm really concerned that only 71 percent of students feel like their teachers are respectful to them," said Tammy Stevenson, Minidoka County School District Board member.

Eighteen percent of students said they carried a weapon for self protection and 29 percent of students said it was OK to physically hurt someone if the person

had been disrespectful to them. Half of the students felt like all racial groups got along with each other.

West Minico Middle School Principal Sandra Miller said at her school the results of the survey are analyzed, and sometimes drug and alcohol pamphlets are ordered. Miller said programs like Rachel's Challenge have also been implemented to help students battle peer pressure engaging in risky behavior.

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Love, Mom, Dad, Richard & Linsey

Medicare: Idaho can post inspection reports

By Nate Poppino
Times-News writer

Roughly a month after warning the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare that it was breaking the law, federal officials have changed their minds about whether the state can post facility inspection reports online.

Stephanie Magill, regional spokeswoman for the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, said last week that her agency told Health and Welfare to stop posting the reports — created when state officials visit nursing homes, hospitals and other entities on behalf of the federal agency.

But on Tuesday, Magill said the head of survey and certification for CMS' nursing home division had checked with the agency's general counsel and determined that Idaho and any other state can post the reports 14 days after they're generated.

"It's perfectly legal and desirable to post these," Magill said, adding that the earlier information "sounds like it was a misinterpretation."

Idaho has posted the inspections in PDF form since 2006, and state officials had appealed the decision, seeking clarification from CMS. Health and Welfare spokeswoman Emily Simmitt said she hadn't heard about the reversal on Tuesday afternoon, but added that her department would resume posting the documents once official word came down.

"That's good news," Simmitt said.

Previously posted reports are still available on Health

and Welfare's Web site. To view them, visit <http://www.healthandwelfare.idaho.gov> and click on "Medical," then "Licensing & Certification," then

"Survey Results" on the left-hand menu. The location of the reports may change after Health and Welfare puts a redesigned site up this weekend.

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Jason Todd Eggers, 32, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance; recognition release; public defender appointed; June 5 preliminary hearing

Gustavo Guzman, 55, Boise; violation of no-contact order; \$5,000 bond; public defender appointed; not guilty plea; June 16 pretrial

Michael Vera, 48, Twin Falls; possession of controlled substance with intent to deliver; public defender appointed; \$20,000 bond; June 5 preliminary hearing

Michael Vera, 48, Twin Falls; driving without privileges, fail to appear; June 16 pretrial; public defender appointed; not guilty plea; \$1,000 bond

Jose Larumbe-Navarette, 29, Twin Falls; provide false information to police, fail to purchase driver's license; \$500 bond; public defender appointed; not guilty plea; June 16 pretrial

Reynaldo Gonzalez-Gonzalez, 27, Twin Falls; open container, fail to purchase driver's license; \$100 bond; public defender appointed; not guilty plea; June 16 pretrial

Brian Lee Fletcher, 26, Idaho Falls; petit theft, possession of paraphernalia; \$1,500 bond; not guilty plea; public defender appointed; June 16 pretrial

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THREE-CAR ACCIDENT IN TWIN FALLS



Police investigate the scene of an accident Tuesday afternoon involving three vehicles at the intersection of Eighth Avenue and Fairfield Street in Twin Falls. Two people were taken to St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center with injuries. Officers on the scene said the crash was related to one driver's failure to yield at a stop sign.

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Law & Disorder...

... in Cassia County

From May 18 police reports:

Battery:

Police were dispatched in Burley about a possible fight near 14th Street and Oakley Avenue. When Deputy Mark Merrill arrived, he found a woman, according to the report, who "had a bag of frozen spinach held up to her nose ... The entire left side of her nose was swollen to nearly twice the size of the right."

The woman, 37, said she was punched in the face by another woman. Allegedly, the victim's daughter, 17, was also attacked and reported to police that the assailant told her, "I just punched your (expletive) (expletive) mother in the face," then pushed her face into the gravel and called her similar names.

A witness, who refused to be identified as anything but "Anonymouse" (not a misspelling, the actual name the witness insisted on), confirmed the girl's story — but, according to Anonymouse, a fist-fight ensued. The alleged assailant — name redacted by the sheriff's office — was found by Merrill and, according to the report, yelled several times, "Just take me to jail!" He said he wasn't planning to take her to jail and just wanted to talk to her. "She then said that she had heart problems and collapsed backwards against the building," the report reads. She was transported to Cassia Regional Medical

Center and told Merrill that she was "beat up by a bunch of little girls."

When asked why she punched the woman with the frozen spinach on her nose, the suspect allegedly said, "Because she's (expletive) my husband" and then, according to the report, "asked me what I would do if my husband was (expletive) someone else."

The hospital staff found nothing physically wrong with her but kicked her out for belligerent yelling and swearing. Merrill's report describes her as "extremely worked-up and intoxicated." He cited her with battery and reminded her that she had to leave the hospital property. She did — but not before threatening him, according to the report, and saying he'll be sorry someday.

— Damon Hunzeker

AROUND THE VALLEY

T.F. county, hospital finalize agreement on downtown clinic

Officials from St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center and Twin Falls County have finalized an agreement resolving all outstanding issues between both parties, and will attach the last signatures to the document at a 10 a.m. county commission meeting this morning, they announced Tuesday.

The agreement addresses issues resulting from the 2006 sale of the hospital to St. Luke's and was formed over three days of mediation. Discussions centered on remodeling the clinic at 660 Shoshone St. E., which is owned by the county and is being gradually turned into county office space.

Under the terms of the 2006 sale, St. Luke's is required to contribute \$3 million in in-kind services to remodel the clinic building for use as county office space. The deal allows a maximum of \$45 per square-foot remodeled. A dispute over what those fig-

ures say flared last year, eventually leading to the mediation.

The Twin Falls Health Initiatives Trust, funded through the sale of the hospital, was also set to review the agreement at a special meeting Monday evening.

Jerome school bond numbers reported

Jerome School District voters fell short last week of the 66.6 percent supermajority that was needed for the proposed \$15.8 million bond for high school improvements.

There were 807 votes in favor of the project — 54.53 percent of the vote.

Another 673 voters were

against the proposed bond.

The bond would have provided the money for remodeling and renovation projects including eight new classrooms, an auditorium upgrade, a larger cafeteria and another gymnasium.

BLM prepares for '09 wildfire season

First-year firefighters with the U.S. Bureau of Land Management's Twin Falls District reported to the district's main stations on Tuesday, starting three weeks of training that includes an all-employee orientation today at the College of Southern Idaho.

Fire personnel will take the physical "pack test"

tomorrow at the college campus, officials announced last week, the first time that all firefighters will take the test together and that the college's campus will be used for the challenge. After additional training at various locations, firefighters will report later this month to one of nine different stations across south-central Idaho.

The BLM has 112 fire personnel this year, staffing 18 wildland fire engines.

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You Don't Say
Steve Crump



Kindly keep a civil tongue in your mouth

When I was in third grade, I licked a frozen flagpole one January morning to impress Mary Ann Cerna. That was the last time.

Because I learned two valuable lessons that day. The first was that God doesn't indemnify stupidity. The second was that it takes a really long time for your taste buds to grow back.

Curious, isn't it, that the tongue is so often the royal road to bitter experience?

A friend of mine works at Henry Cowell Redwoods Park outside of Santa Cruz, Calif. Coastal California — including the park — is the home of the banana slug, a hot dog-sized critter with brilliant yellow skin. Banana slugs are much beloved around Santa Cruz — the local university's athletic teams are named in their honor — and the shy animals attract lots of visitors.

Including one, recently, from the Midwest. A park ranger who's a co-worker of my friend encountered the tourist sitting on a trail, foaming at the mouth.

"Sir, are you OK?" he asked.

"Do u hafth un anthadope forth banananana thugs?" the man replied.

"What?" the ranger said.

Turned out that the day-tripper, upon encountering a banana slug creeping across the ground, was seized by an irresistible urge to lick it. Banana slugs excrete a thick coat of mucus to keep their fragile bodies from drying out, and a compound in that mucus temporarily paralyzes the mouth, gums and throats of would-be predators.

After 15 minutes or so, the frantic, wild-eyed vacationer finally fished a piece of paper out of his pocket and wrote, "Do you have an antidote for banana slugs?"

The ranger read the note, folded it up and stuffed it into his shirt pocket.

"No, sir," he explained.

"At some point, we have to rely on the common sense of visitors."

Just so. There's a famous story about a college fraternity rush during which prospective members were required to turn light switches on and off with their tongues. But houses on Greek Row tend to be old, and occasionally have faulty wiring. So one pledge who tried to turn on a lightswitch quickly found himself on his back with his tongue smoking.

The freshman didn't get into the fraternity, though, and it wasn't because he failed his challenge. It just weirded out the brothers too much to live with a guy with a black tongue.

Mary Ann Cerna, meanwhile, married a farmer and had 14 kids. In retrospect, avoiding that was certainly worth a scarred tongue.

But never having kissed her, I'm not sure I would have kissed a banana slug instead.

Steve Crump can be reached at 735-3223. Hear him live on KLLX-1310 AM at 8:30 a.m. Fridays or on the Web at www.magicvalley.com/opinion.

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No cause yet in death of Bellevue teen

By Ariel Hansen
Times-News writer

HAILEY — An autopsy on the Bellevue 18-year-old who was found dead at his family's Sixth Street home on Thursday morning has been completed, but no cause of death has yet been determined for William Glahn, said Blaine County Coroner Russ Mikel.

"The autopsy didn't give a definite answer; we now have to wait for toxicology," Mikel said, noting that it could be several weeks before results of those lab tests are available. "When there isn't any obvious mechanism of death, then we look for things that maybe were in the person's system or were influencing his system."

In this case, that would

likely be drugs, alcohol or carbon monoxide poisoning, Mikel said.

Law enforcement evacuated the home and had it tested for carbon monoxide, which more commonly causes poisonings in the winter months than in the spring.

Bellevue Marshal Ron Taylor said his inquiry into the death is on hold until the lab results come back,

unless any additional information comes forward.

"I don't rule anything out," Taylor said. "We're still investigating."

Several hours later on Thursday morning, paramedics returned to the Glahn home to respond to a friend of Glahn's, who was reportedly having a seizure. The friend, Riley Andradi, of Gannett, also 18, was

treated at St. Luke's Wood River Medical Center and released, Taylor said. It is still unknown whether the cause of Glahn's death and the cause of Andradi's illness were connected, and paramedics said Andradi had appeared fine when they responded earlier.

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Dorothy Margaret Day Showers

MISSOULA, Mont. — Dorothy Margaret Day Showers, of Missoula, Mont., and formerly of Twin Falls, passed away Wednesday, May 20, 2009, in Missoula from pneumonia.

Dorothy was born March 25, 1927, and grew up in the Murtaugh area, one of Walter Vann Day and Margaret Owens Day's nine children. She was schooled in Boise at St. Theresa's school for girls, graduated from Twin Falls High School in 1945 and attended Idaho State University. She taught briefly at the Idaho School for the Deaf and Blind in Gooding before marrying C.E. "Clancy" Showers on June 13, 1948, at St. Edward's Catholic Church in Twin Falls. They lived in McCall before Clancy re-joined the Air Force for the Korean Conflict in 1950. They spent the next 20 years in the Air Force, raising a family and living wherever they were called to serve before he retired and they returned to the Magic Valley.

Dorothy was active with their six children and various

community programs, notably the American Legion Auxiliary, Girls State, St. Edward's Women's League and their youth religious education program as well as volunteering at Magic Valley Regional Medical Center. Dorothy also dabbled in real estate, antiques and 4-H. In late 1987 she was diagnosed with chronic idiopathic demyelinating polyneuritis, rendering her unable to move her legs and causing severe pain. She and Clancy lived in Filer until 1999, when they moved into assisted living. Clancy died in 2001; she moved to Missoula in 2003.

Mom taught us not to judge others with the words, "Were you there? Have you walked in their shoes? Then you don't know." She and dad allowed us to become our own people, to be not just their children but also adults with our own ideas and opinions. She was accepted for who she was — smart, quick, fascinated by people, opinionated, tolerant, critical, independ-



ent and much more. Mama was a "weather witch," always praying for us as we traveled, keeping the weather good and us safe. She shared with us her cooking abilities, good conversations, her farming instincts, and her enjoyment and pleasure of reading. Her only desire for us was "be nice people with good senses of humor," not the most ambitious of plans but the kind that definitely shaped and guided us throughout our lives. Mama thought we were funny (usually) and nice (mostly), so she got her wish. She couldn't carry a tune for anything but loved music, making all of us have at least one year of piano lessons (and named one child for music's patron saint). She had her regrets and flaws but she also had her belief in the sanctity of life, her love for God and her children. With those, she patiently endured what had so unexpectedly been taken — her mobility and comfort, husband and son.

Dorothy was preceded in

death by her husband, most of her birth family, and her eldest son, Christopher. She is survived by one brother, Tom (Nadine) Day of Washington; and her children, Sandra Hofland of Montana, Scott (Debbie) Showers of Texas, Charles (Kathy) Showers of Montana, Cecilia (Scott) Jerome of Twin Falls and Jim (Laura) Showers of South Carolina. Dorothy has nine grandchildren, Elizabeth Hofland, Jessica and Hilary Showers, Max, Katie and Hanna Showers, Christopher (Ashley), Ian and Abby Jerome; three great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild about to arrive.

By her request, there will not be a funeral service. However a rosary will be prayed at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 28, at Our Lady of Guadalupe chapel in Twin Falls. If you knew her, please call to mind a good memory, just as you would want to be remembered. Thank you.

Arrangements are under the direction of Sunset Memorial Funeral Home in Missoula, Mont.

Reed Goold



Reed Goold 92, longtime Twin Falls resident and businessman, peacefully passed away Friday evening, May 22, 2009, at the Twin Falls Care Center.

He attended schools in Burley and graduated from Burley High School. Reed was born in Monroe, Utah, on Sept. 18, 1916, the oldest child of eight born to George Alfred Goold and Mary Geneva Hicks. He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. In 1919, he moved with his parents and younger brother, Ralph, to a farm south of Burley, referred to as the View area.

He spent many summers hunting and fishing with his brothers and childhood friend, John (Fat) Jones; telling stories of their adventures to his grandchildren always brought a smile to his face. The encounters included practical jokes played on some of their neighbors.

His mother, Mary, passed away during the winter of 1929 due to complications in child birth, leaving their father with five young children to care for. Reed married Myrtle J. Beck in Pocatello on Sept. 11, 1937. They remained in the Burley area, operating Goold Motor Tuning Co. until 1946, when they moved to Twin Falls with their three children. After relocating in Twin Falls, they started their business known as United Automotive Service and, some years later, started their second store known as United Electronics. In the mid-70s, they sold their business interest, then known as United Auto-

motive Inc., which had grown from and Auto Service Shop to include warehousing and retail business of auto parts. They semi-retired to the operation of their

small farm south of town which they called home. His wife, Myrtle of 52 years passed away in 1989. Reed remained on the family farm until his health began to fail him and he chose to move into an assisted living retirement home in August of 2006.

Reed is survived by his three children, Gene (Cathy) Goold, Calvin (Shirley) Goold and Janet, all of Twin Falls; nine grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren. Reed is also survived by one brother, Murray Goold of Rupert and Luella Burgess of Twin Falls. Reed was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, three brothers, two sisters, two granddaughters and one grandson.

The family would like to give a special thank you to the St. Luke's Hospice and Twin Falls Care Center for their kindness, comfort and care extended to Reed.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, May 29, at the LDS 16th Ward chapel located on Maurice Street in Twin Falls, with interment to follow at 3 p.m. at the Paul Cemetery in Paul. A visitation for family and friends will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday, May 28, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the park" and also one hour before the service Friday at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made in Reed's name to the LDS 16th Ward Boy Scout Troop.

California upholds gay marriage ban

By Lisa Leff
Associated Press writer

SAN FRANCISCO — California's Supreme Court upheld the state's gay-marriage ban Tuesday but said the estimated 18,000 same-sex weddings that took place before the prohibition passed are still valid — a ruling decried by gay-rights activists as a hollow victory.

Demonstrators outside the court booed, wept and yelled, "Shame on you!" Activists said they would go back to the voters as early as next year in a bid to repeal the ban, and a federal lawsuit seeking to overturn it was filed late last week.

In a 6-1 decision written by Chief Justice Ron George, the court rejected arguments that the ban approved by the voters last fall was such a fundamental change in the California Constitution that it first needed the Legislature's approval.

"We are extremely pleased that the Supreme Court has acknowledged the right of voters to define marriage in the California Constitution," said Andrew P. Pugno, a lawyer for ProtectMarriage.com, the



Robert Franco, facing camera, and his boyfriend Shawn Higgins embrace in an intersection during a protest Tuesday in San Francisco against the state's gay marriage ban.

AP photo

leading group behind the initiative. "The voters have decided this issue and their views should be respected."

As for the thousands of couples who tied the knot last year in the five months that gay marriage was legal in California, the court said it is well-established principle that an amendment is not retroactive unless it is clear that the voters intended it to be, and that was not the case with Proposition 8.

Moreover, the court said it would be too disruptive to apply Proposition 8 retroactively and dissolve all gay marriages.

Doing that would have

the effect of "throwing property rights into disarray, destroying the legal interests and expectations of thousands of couples and their families, and potentially undermining the ability of citizens to plan their lives according to the law as it has been determined by this state's highest court," the ruling said.

While gay rights advocates accused the court of failing to protect a minority group from the will of the majority, the justices said that the state's governing framework gives voters almost unfettered ability to change the California Constitution.

The decision set off an outcry among a sea of demonstrators who had gathered in front of the San Francisco courthouse, holding signs and waving rainbow flags. Many people also held hands in a chain around an intersection in an act of protest. More than 150 protesters were arrested, with citations for failure to obey a police officer and jaywalking.

About 80 protesters rallied outside the Los Angeles County clerk's office, where marriage licenses are issued. They waved rainbow flags and carried signs that read "Repeal Prop 8 in 2010."

AROUND THE NATION

ILLINOIS Burris pleads for Senate seat in call

CHICAGO — Sen. Roland Burris promised to "personally do something" for Rod Blagojevich's campaign fund while pressing for the then-Illinois governor to appoint him to President Barack Obama's former Senate seat, according to a wiretap transcript released Tuesday.

"Tell Rod to keep me in mind for that seat, would ya?" Burris tells Robert Blagojevich, who headed his brother's campaign fund, in a Nov. 13 phone conversation secretly taped by the FBI.

The remark came after Robert Blagojevich urged Burris to "keep me in mind and you know if you guys can just write checks that'd be fine, if we can't find a way for you to tie in."

"Okay, okay, well we, we, I, I will personally do something, okay," Burris says.

Earlier in the conversation, Burris and Robert Blagojevich explored the possibility that Burris might raise campaign money on a larger scale. "I know I could give him a check," Burris said. "Myself."

The transcript was released after U.S. District Chief Judge James F. Holderman approved making it available to the U.S. Senate ethics committee for its preliminary investigation of Burris's appointment.

WASHINGTON Army: U.S. ready to be in Iraq 10 years

The Pentagon is prepared to leave fighting forces in Iraq for as long as a decade despite an agreement between the United States and Iraq that would bring all American troops home by 2012, the top U.S. Army officer said Tuesday.

Gen. George Casey, the Army chief of staff, said the world remains dangerous and unpredictable, and the Pentagon must plan for extended U.S. combat and stability operations in two wars. "Global trends are pushing in the wrong direction," Casey said. "They fundamentally will change how the Army works."

He spoke at an invitation-only briefing to a dozen journalists and policy analysts from Washington-based think-tanks. He said

his planning envisions combat troops in Iraq and Afghanistan for a decade as part of a sustained U.S. commitment to fighting extremism and terrorism in the Middle East.

Casey's calculations about force levels are related to his attempt to ease the brutal deployment calendar that he said would "bring the Army to its knees."

MINNESOTA Parents of teen agree to chemo

NEW ULM — The parents of a Minnesota boy who refused chemotherapy for his cancer told a judge Tuesday they now agree to the medical treatment, and the judge ruled their son can stay with them.

Daniel Hauser, 13, has Hodgkin's lymphoma. He and his mother missed a

court appearance last week and left the state to avoid chemotherapy and seek alternative treatments. Colleen and Anthony Hauser told a Brown County District judge they now understand their son needs chemotherapy.

When Judge John Rodenberg asked an emotional Colleen Hauser if she now believes chemotherapy is necessary to save her son's life, she replied, "Yes I do."

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Doyle Edwin Cahoon

FILER — Doyle Edwin Cahoon, age 68, passed away Sunday, May 24, 2009, at his home in Filer.

He was born March 2, 1941, in Burley, to Wilvin and Velma B. Durfee Cahoon. He grew up in Cassia County, graduating from Raft River High School in May 1959. He married DeeAnn Doman on May 7, 1964, in Idaho Falls. They have two children, Cadance Cahoon (Sean) Rowland of Long Island, N.Y., and Derek Doyle Cahoon of Carson City, Nev.

After brief employment with McCaslin Lumber, Doyle enlisted in the U.S. Navy in October of 1959. Upon his first honorable discharge in October 1963, he returned to the Burley area and worked for the city of Burley, then for J.R. Simplot in Heyburn. In March of 1965, Doyle reenlisted in the U.S. Navy. After serving on several ships and a few land bases, he was honorably discharged and retired on March 1, 1981. Thereafter, he worked for Wilder Construction Company, helping build the garbage-fired steam plant in Heyburn and managing it for two years before being assigned to go many places around the world to set up, cure and get other facilities up and running.

Doyle worked with the Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts for many years. He loved the soil, spending much time gardening, especially growing dahlias. He loved doing genealogy and served The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints as a missionary for the Church



Family and History Department, Worldwide Support Services Division. He received the call to continue with this program in April 2009. He has served as a youth leader, stake missionary, servicemen's group leader, elder's quorum president, a high counselor, in bishoprics, as a bishop, and as a farm management missionary with his spouse.

Doyle is survived by his wife; daughter; son; and two grandsons, Quentyn and Mhasyn Rowland. He was preceded in death by his parents; grandparents; and stepfather, James Marlin Mabey.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 30, at the Almo LDS Church in Almo, with Bishop Robert Kohntopp of the Filer 1st Ward presiding. Doyle will be buried in the Sunny Cedar Rest Cemetery. Friends may call from 10 until 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Humanitarian Services, 50 E. North Temple St., Floor 7, Salt Lake City, UT 84150.

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

Matthew 'Matt' James Bowers

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. — Matthew "Matt" James Bowers of Colorado Springs, Colo., and formerly of Burley, died Sunday, May 17, 2009.



and Lynette Bowers of Rupert; brother, Cory L. (Kristi) Priest of Anchorage, Alaska; grandparents, L.P. Elmer of Burley, Mae Mabey of Rupert and RaMai "Maizie" Bowers of

Burley. Matthew was a dedicated husband and father with an endless amount of love for his family and friends. Matt's selflessness motivated him to become a living organ donor, donating one of his kidneys to Linda Chalson, a schoolteacher in Long Island, N.Y., in September 2007. He will remain in our hearts forever and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Friday, May 29, at the United Methodist Church, 605 H St. in Rupert. Burial will follow in the View Cemetery. Family and friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, May 28, at Hansen Mortuary, 710 Sixth St. in Rupert, and one hour prior to the service Friday at the church. Arrangements are under the direction of Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel.

SERVICES

Loye Phifer of Elko, Nev., and formerly of Kimberly, funeral at 10 a.m. today at the VFW Hall in Elko, Nev. (Burns Funeral Home in Elko, Nev.)

Edith L. "Toni" Wagoner of Metaline Falls, Wash., celebration of life at 11 a.m. today at Reynolds Funeral chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

Roy Norman Sorenson of Twin Falls, funeral at 2 p.m. today at White Mortuary, 136 Fourth Ave. E. in Twin Falls; visitation from noon until time of the service today at the mortuary.

Betty Mae Fries of Twin Falls, funeral Mass at 11 a.m. Thursday at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, 161 Sixth Ave. E. in Twin Falls; rosary at 7 p.m. today at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

Jed Porter Laley of Twin Falls, memorial service at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Valley

Christian Church in Twin Falls (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home).

Melvin Ray Shirley of Twin Falls, memorial service at 3 p.m. Friday at Church of Christ Magic Valley, 2002 Filer Ave. E. in Twin Falls (Farnsworth Mortuary in Jerome).

Sharron Fay Chase Sanada of Rupert, celebration of life and barbecue at 11 a.m. Saturday at Lake Walcott Park (Minidoka Dam); bring a side dish or dessert and chairs (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

Harry E. Reed of Jerome, celebration of life from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday at the Jerome Public Library, 100 First Ave. E. (Farnsworth Mortuary in Jerome).

Darlene Mathews of Filer, celebration of life at 4 p.m. Saturday at the Calvary Chapel, 1004 Burley Ave. in Buhl (Farnsworth Mortuary in Jerome).

Joyce Elaine Douglas

HAZELTON — Joyce Elaine Douglas, 78, of Hazelton, passed away Friday, May 22, 2009, at the Twin Falls Care Center.

Joyce was born April 9, 1931, in Hansen, to Everett and Alice (Mothershead) Dutt. She attended schools in Hansen and then Twin Falls. Joyce was part of the first graduating class in the nursing program at CSI, graduating as an LPN. After graduation, she worked at Magic Valley Regional Medical Center in Twin Falls and then went on to become a surgical tech. In 1946, she married Alan Dalrymple and to this union came three children. Alan and Joyce later divorced and, on April 24, 1971, in Kearns, Utah she married Jay Douglas.

Joyce enjoyed cooking, fishing, camping, reading and loved spending time with her family and friends. She also enjoyed gardening, especially roses where, at one time, there was more than 100 varieties of rose bushes in the yard. She served on the Hazelton City Council for six years.



Joyce is survived by her husband, Jay of 38 years; three children, Ted (Patty) Dalrymple of Mountain Home, Darrell (Mary Ann) Dalrymple of Hazelton and Deanna (John) Magaw of Twin Falls; grandchildren, Jamie (Jeff) Diaz, Cassie (Jon) Pentland, Todd (Stephanie) Dalrymple and Chad (Annie) Dalrymple; and five great-grandchildren, Jordan, JJ, Amanda, Owen and Madison. Joyce is also survived by one brother Russell (Betsy) Dutt of Kearns, Utah; and two sisters, Marietta Presnell of Twin Falls and Barbara (Charles) Spain of Kearns, Utah. Joyce is preceded in death by her parents; and two brothers, Charles Dutt and Everett Dale Dutt.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 28, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park" with a visitation for family and friends from 4 to 8 p.m. (today) Wednesday, May 27, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park."

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to a favorite charity.

Nancy Jane Robinson

BOISE — Nancy Jane Robinson, 67, passed away Wednesday, May 13, 2009, from ovarian cancer. She was at home surrounded by her family.

A memorial service will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 30, at the Cloverdale Funeral Home Chapel in Boise, with reception to follow at the Cloverdale Reception Center.

Nancy was born Sept. 29, 1941, in Grand Rapids, Mich., the first born of Jacob and Eleanor (DeYoung) Harberts. Nancy grew up in Grand Rapids, Mich. Her family moved to Redlands, Calif., in 1959, where she met and married Keith William Robinson on Nov. 11, 1960. Nancy and Keith moved to Hailey in 1971, where they raised their family. After the children had grown, she moved with Keith in 1989 to Twin Falls, where she started college. She taught high school math at Twin Falls High School for nine years before retiring in 2003. In 2007, Nancy and Keith moved to Meridian to be closer to family.

Nancy earned her high school diploma from Union High School in Grand Rapids, Mich., in 1959. She worked at General Telephone in California and Mountain Bell Telephone in Hailey while keeping house and raising three children. Nancy earned a bachelor of science in education from Boise State University in 1994. Reflective of her "it's never too late" attitude, Nancy got braces at 40, earned her college degree at 53, and was pirating music over the Internet in her early



60s while her family worried about possible jail time.

Nancy had many and varied interests over the years always tied together by a love of music, family and friends.

She enjoyed singing in choirs, playing bridge and voracious reading as well chatting with friends the world over via the Internet. Nancy and Keith took retirement as a "go" sign and left for parts unknown in the RV. Together they discovered beautiful lakes and mountains in Canada, the windy plains of Texas and all the choice spots to winter and soak up the sun and fun. In addition, Nancy traveled to Japan several times to visit her daughter. To preserve the memories made with family and friends, she created beautiful scrapbooks, which will be enjoyed by family for generations to come.

Nancy is survived by her husband of 48 years, Keith of Meridian; son, Robby of North Pole, Alaska; son, Phillip (Mondae); and grandchildren, Mykaela and Morgan Robinson of Boise; and daughter, Rebecca (Phil Romans); and grandchildren, Bo and Nicholas Romans of Haymarket, Va.; sister, Carol "Mike" Aalbers; and brothers, Tom, Dick and Harry Harberts. She is preceded in death by her parents, Jacob and Eleanor Harberts.

Please consider donations to the Ovarian Cancer National Alliance or other cancer related research. Condolences for the family can be submitted online at www.cloverdalefuneral-home.com.

Patti Cheslik

SHOSHONE — Patti Cheslik, 56, a resident of Shoshone, died Saturday, May 23, 2009, at her home at the Shoshone Indian Ice Caves.

Patti Lee Smith was born Dec. 7, 1952, in Boise, the daughter of Donald "Moe" Smith and Marjory Jean Smith. She was raised and educated in Carson City, Nev. Patti married Danny Bryant in the 1970s; together they had two sons, Cory and Jeremy Bryant. They were later divorced. She later went on to marry her best friend, Fred Cheslik, and together they had a daughter, Lyndsey Cheslik. To her family and friends that surrounded her, she was much loved and will be forever dearly missed.

Patti is survived by her husband, Fred Cheslik; two sons, Cory Bryant of Buhl



and Jeremy (Jaime) Bryant of Shoshone; her daughter, Lyndsey Cheslik of Shoshone; her mother, Marjory Jean Anderson of Carson City, Nev.; her father, Donald "Moe" Smith of northern Idaho; one brother, Jack Smith of Winnemucca, Nev.; two sisters, Joanne Carlson and Debra Elkins, both of Carson City, Nev.; two grandchildren, Jade and Chase Riley; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A celebration of Patti's life will be held with a potluck gathering from 1 to 5 p.m. Friday, May 29, at the East Park (swimming pool) in Gooding. Cremation arrangements are under the direction of Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel. Memorial contributions may be made to Fred Cheslik, in care of the Shoshone Indian Ice Caves.

Clinton O. Smith

OAKLEY — Clint Smith, age 41, of Oakley, died Monday, May 25, 2009, from injuries received in a motorcycle accident.

Clint was born Aug. 30, 1967, in Burley, son of Philip Richard and Pamela Smith. He attended school in Oakley. He married Mercedes "Missy" Strunk on March 15, 2003, in Burley. Clint was employed by the Oakley Highway District, where he had worked for more than 20 years. He enjoyed drag racing with his son, Myles, motorcycles, all motor sports and anything that went fast. He liked to Dutch oven cook and spend time with his friends. However, the most important part of Clint's life was his family. He deeply loved his wife, Missy; and his son, Myles, was the center of his heart.

He is survived by his wife, Missy of Oakley; two children, Myles of Arizona and Kortney of Arizona; his father, Phil and his wife, Linda of Burley; his siblings, Troy (Sandy) of Chattanooga, Tenn., Blair (Jennifer) of Oakley, Brett (Heather) of Eugene, Ore.,



Tami Mullard of Kimberly and Scott (Tedi) Thompson of Twin Falls; and many aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews who dearly loved him. He was preceded in death by his mother, Pamela; his grandparents; one uncle, Kim; and a brother-in-law, Christian Strunk.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 29, at the Oakley High School Gymnasium, 455 W. Main St., with Gary Lloyd officiating. Friends and family may call from 6 until 8 p.m. Thursday, May 28, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and at the high school gymnasium one hour prior to the service.

Gilbert (Gib) Weldon Craggs

Gilbert (Gib) Weldon Craggs was born Nov. 21, 1913, in Novelty, Mo., to Jess and Goldie Alexander Craggs. He passed away Saturday, May 23, 2009, in Twin Falls.

Gib and his brother, Harold, came to Idaho from Missouri in 1933 looking for work. The following year, the brothers brought their parents to Idaho.

He met Dorothy May Perkins at a dance in Murtaugh in the summer of 1936, and they were married in December of the same year. Gib was drafted in 1944 and served in the Navy aboard the USS Mahopac. After the Japanese surrendered, Gib served with the occupying forces in Yokosuka, Japan, until December 1945, when he was honorably discharged. Returning home, Gib's career involved working in and owning three different service stations, the last being Craggs Chevron located on Shoshone and Third Avenue East. He operated that station for 25 years.

Gib retired in 1978. During his retirement years, he and Dorothy "Dot" enjoyed fishing and boating at West Magic Reservoir. They were particularly delighted with their membership in the "Dam Fools Club." Gib was a longtime member of the Elks Club No. 1183. Also during his "retirement" years, Gib became closely associated with the Conoco bulk plant in Buhl owned by his son-in-law, Clyde.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Dorothy; brother, Harold; and grandson, Daniel. Gib is survived by his son, Larry (Judy) of Portland, Ore.; daughter, Sharon (Clyde) McClain of Buhl; youngest son, Wally (Pat) of Clearfield, Utah; five grand-



children, Josh, David, Doug, Amy and Wendy; six great-grandchildren, Kalen, Alex, Ashley, Brody, Cole and Aspen; and two great-great-grandchildren, Adison

and Aidon. A family graveside service will be held at a later date.

The family would like to express their gratitude to Hospice Visions and its staff for its kind care. The family suggests memorial contributions be given to Hospice Visions, 209 Shoup Ave. W., Twin Falls, ID 83301. Arrangements are under the direction of Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

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 — North Korea, after Obama reiterated U.S. commitment to defend South Korea following the North's nuclear bomb test.

EDITORIAL

Life after Tuthill: IDWR needs a pro

One way or another, the landscape may be about to shift on Idaho water management. Dave Tuthill, the even-handed director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources, turned in his retirement papers this week. June 30 will be his last day.

In his 29 months of the job, Tuthill has repeatedly avoided curtailment of groundwater rights that would have cost the Magic Valley economy millions of dollars.

That didn't always please surface-water users, who wanted Tuthill to be tougher on pumpers. But Tuthill's actions kept irrigated agriculture intact in south-central Idaho.

So what now? As far as the Magic Valley is concerned, Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's most important appointment will be Tuthill's successor. Our preference is a high-profile public figure with a proven record of accomplishment and the trust of all sides: former Sen. Laird Noh of Kimberly, for example; Idaho State Department of Agriculture Director Celia Gould or Deputy Attorney General Clive Strong, the state's master of natural resource law.

Absent that, the governor's best bet may be Hal Anderson, administrator of IDWR's Planning and Technical Services Division. Anderson is capable and steady, and also has the advantage of being a known quantity in a business where trust is everything.

Simply stated, putting the wrong person in Tuthill's place would be disastrous. Livelihoods and millions of dollars are at stake here; Otter must get someone with the wisdom of Solomon and the patience of Job, for the new director will need both.

As for Tuthill, everyone in south-central Idaho owes him a debt.

The 57-year-old Colorado native came to Idaho after college in 1976 to work for the IDWR. In his 33 years in the state, he worked as chief of the water agency's adjudication bureau, earned an advanced degree in civil engineering from the University of Idaho and served 30 years in the U.S. Army Reserve Corps of Engineers. Before becoming director, he was administrator of the department's water management division.

Tough when he needed to be as well as fair, he sought always to keep the management and negotiating processes moving forward.

IDWR director is the least secure job in Idaho state government. Here's hoping the governor finds someone secure enough to do it well.

Our view:

Dave Tuthill, who's retiring as head of the Department of Water Resources, saved the Magic Valley from millions of dollars of losses that would have followed widespread curtailment of water rights.



The jihadi virus in our jails

President Obama's speech on homeland security was 6,072 words long. Curiously, he chose not to spare an "a," "and" or "uh" on the New York City terror bust that dominated headlines the morning of his address last week. Did the teleprompter run out of room?

After a yearlong investigation launched by the Bush administration, the feds cracked down on a ring of murder-minded black Muslim jailhouse converts preparing to bomb two Bronx synagogues and "eager to bring death to Jews." They also planned to attack a New York National Guard air base in Newburgh, N.Y., where the suspects lived and worshiped at a local mosque.

Not one word from the president on the jihadists' intended victims, motives or means.

No comfort for the reported targets in the Big Apple, still raw from the Scare Force One rattling that so vainly and recklessly simulated 9/11.

No condemnation for the accused plotters.

Why? Because doing so would force Obama to abandon his cottony "extremist ideology" euphemisms and confront the concrete truth. To borrow one of our obtuse president's favorite clichés, "let me be perfectly clear" about the reality Obama won't touch: America faces



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an ongoing Islamic jihad at home and abroad. Not merely "man-caused." But Koran-inspired. Yet, Obama refuses to spell out the centuries-old roots of the war that he claims he'll win faster, better and cleaner than any of his predecessors.

Moreover, his push to transfer violent Muslim warmongers into our civilian prisons — where they have proselytized and plotted with impunity — will only make the problem worse. A brief refresher course for the left's amnesia about the festering jihadi virus in our jails and overseas:

In 2005, Bush administration officials busted a terrorist plot to attack infidels at military and Jewish sites in Los Angeles on the fourth anniversary of 9/11 or the Jewish holy days. It was devised by militant Muslim converts of Jam'iyyat Ul-Islam Is-Saheeh (Arabic for "Assembly of Authentic Islam") who had sworn allegiance to violent jihad at California's New Folsom State Prison.

Convicted terror conspirator Jose Padilla con-

verted to Islam during a stint at a Broward County, Fla., jail and reportedly fell in with terrorist recruiters after his release. Convicted "shoe bomber" Richard Reid converted to Islam with the help of an extremist imam in a British prison.

Aqil Collins, a self-confessed jihadist turned FBI informant, converted to Islam while doing time in a California juvenile detention center.

At a terrorist camp in Afghanistan, he went on to train with one of the men accused of kidnapping and beheading *Wall Street Journal* reporter Daniel Pearl.

In East Texas, inmates were recruited with a half-hour videotape featuring the anti-Semitic rants of California-based Imam Muhammad Abdullah, who claims that the 9/11 terrorist attacks were actually carried out by the Israeli and U.S. governments.

Federal corrections officials told congressional investigators during the Bush years "that convicted terrorists from the 1993 World Trade Center bombing were put into their prisons' general population, where they radicalized inmates and told them that terrorism was part of Islam."

Despite the insistence of Obama and the Jihadi Welcome Wagon that our civilian prisons are per-

fectly secure, convicted terrorist aid Lynne Stewart helped jailed 1993 World Trade Center bombing/NY landmark bombing plot mastermind Omar Abdel-Rahman smuggle coded messages of Islamic violence to outside followers in violation of an explicit pledge to abide by her client's court-ordered isolation.

As I've reported previously, U.S. Bureau of Prison reports have warned for years that our civilian detention facilities are major breeding grounds for Islamic terrorists. There are still not enough legitimately trained and screened Muslim religious leaders to counsel an estimated 9,000 U.S. prison inmates who demand Islamic services. Under the Bush administration, the federal prison bureaucracy had no policy in place to screen out extremist, violence-advocating Islamic chaplains; failed to properly screen the many contractors and volunteers who help provide religious services to Islamic inmates; and shied away from religious profiling.

What's Obama's plan to prevent the jihadi virus from spreading? Washing hands and covering mouths won't work for this disease.

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Idaho Legislature didn't improve Open Meeting Law

In its report card on the 2009 Idaho Legislature on May 10, the *Times-News* gave an "A" grade to amendments that were made to the state's open meeting law. I can only think the writer was grading "on the curve."

While some of the changes add clarity to murky parts of the existing law, the most significant changes will only provide more temptation to keep the people's business away from the people.

A close examination of the law shows that the public which the law is supposedly intended to protect is at

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greater risk of being shut out of the public process than ever before.

The worst part of the new law will allow items to be added to a meeting agenda at any time during a meeting. This defeats the very purpose of an agenda, which is to give the public advance notice of proposed discussion items so they may attend if needed.

Proponents of the new bill point to a requirement that

an addition can only be made after a motion is passed stating the "good faith reason" why the item was not on the original agenda. "Good faith" is not defined and can be broadly interpreted, especially by governing bodies who really want to discuss something immediately without the courtesy of advance public notice. This raises the temptation of conducting business "on the fly" without proper consideration and public awareness.

In an attempt not to punish inadvertent violations of the Idaho Open Meeting Law, the new law contains a

convoluted section called a "cure." Here's how it works (I think). If someone believes an open meeting violation has occurred, they write a letter to the government body, say a city council. Then the city council has 14 days to respond and say, "whoops, you caught us," or to deny a violation occurred. If the city council actually admits it made a mistake, then it has to go back within another 14 days and declare the action it took at the time of the violation "null and void."

But if members deny any wrongdoing, a citizen still must file a lawsuit to press

the violation.

All this provision does is send the message to governing bodies that they can be lazy about open meetings. After all, if someone catches on, they'll just admit it, reverse the action and repeat the process with no danger of fines or other sanctions. And there also could be the effect of citizens who have a gripe with the city to use the "cure" language to file frequent, arbitrary claims against the governing body, clogging up the work flow of the city clerk and city attorney and serving no public interest.

The theory goes that passing a law should not be taken lightly and should only be done to solve a legitimate problem in society or to provide a needed public service. In the case of the latest revisions to the Idaho Open Meeting Law, the public is less served and there are bound to be only more problems for the citizens' right of access to their government.

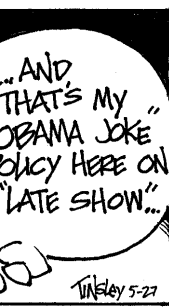
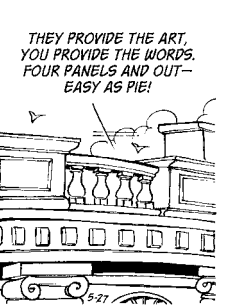
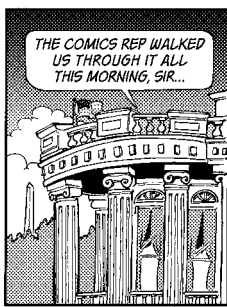
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The holy bonds of mutual fantasy

There is nothing so inspiring as public service, so I've been incredibly moved over the past few weeks to watch squads of corporate executives come to the White House so President Barack Obama could announce that he was giving away their money.

A few weeks ago, we were privileged to see a gathering of health care executives standing behind the president as he announced that they would be donating \$2 trillion in future revenue to the cause of health care reform.

Recently we were uplifted when the president informed Chrysler's secured creditors that they had agreed to donate their ownership stake in the company to the United Auto Workers. Just last week, we were enthralled to see a group of auto executives beaming with pride as the president announced that to reduce gas consumption, they would henceforth be scaling back on all those car lines that consumers actually want to buy.

These events have heralded a new era of partnership between the White House and private companies, one that calls to mind the wonderful partnership Germany formed with France and the Low Countries at the start of World War II. The news conferences and events marking



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this new spirit of cooperation have been the emotional highlights of the administration so far.

These events usually begin when the executives gather in the Oval Office, where they experience certain Enhanced Negotiating Techniques. I'm not sure what the president does to inspire the business leaders' cooperation and sense of public service, though those who remember the disembowelment scene in "Braveheart" will have a general idea.

Then the president leads the executives out onto the White House lawn for the announcement ceremony. Often, the president will still be carrying the riding crop and the pliers used in the private negotiation. He moves to the microphone while the executives take their pre-assigned places behind him, the jingle of their leg shackles blending with the dulcet tones of spring.

"We meet at an exciting moment for our country, a time of unprecedented cooperation between government and private industry," the president intones, lifting his

foot from the trachea of an unconscious pharmaceutical executive. "Many of the business leaders behind me have seized an exciting opportunity to join the non-profit sector without even switching jobs."

At this, the CEO's behind him don frozen smiles, exuding the sort of spontaneous enthusiasm often seen at North Korean pep rallies.

During the news conference with health care executives, I don't even think Obama meant to give away \$2 trillion of their money. He was going to give away just \$750 billion, but he got carried away by the Era of Responsibility. "The stakeholders behind me have promised to cut costs by nearly 2 percent a year," the president ruffed. "They have agreed to support the administration's reform package." "They have agreed to donate their kidneys in my office right after this ceremony."

These executives have been invited to make these donations in the same spirit that the Cossacks invited my ancestors to emigrate to the Lower East Side. And yet there is a moment during each of the ceremonies when the spirit of the Almighty descends upon the congregation. It usually happens while the president is describing the glorious future. He'll be describing

how, in three years, he will slash the deficit by cutting taxes and doubling spending. He will be describing how, in three years, he will create millions of jobs by raising energy costs.

You can see the ecstasy of Washington promise-making spread joy from soul to soul. Infected by these visions, automakers vow that in three years they will have created a resurgence of enthusiasm around the Chevy Aveo. Financiers vow they will build an entirely new banking industry that doesn't rely so much on loan repayment. Health care executives vow that in three years they'll perform CT scans at Kinko's.

Some say these are just meaningless promises that ignore hard choices and that no one has any intention of keeping. But this is ungenerous. At these events, the president has taken former rivals and has joined them in the holy bonds of mutual fantasy. He has taken a divided nation and has given us photo-ops to bind us and remind us of our common humanity. Business lies down with government. Management embraces labor. You call it what you will; I call it beautiful.

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 Bob Chandler and Norma Hopwood were married May 24, 1959, in Buhl, Idaho, at the First Christian Church, with the Rev. Roy Titus officiating.
 They will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on May 30, 2009, at the West End Senior Center, at 1010 Main in Buhl, from 2:00-4:00 pm.
 Please join us in this celebration, hosted by their family: Dean (Barbara) Chandler, Karen (John) McClain, Dennis Chandler, grandchildren and great grandchildren.
 Bob and Norma have lived south of Buhl for the entire 50 years. In fact, Bob was born on this farm. He farmed the home place for many years, retiring in 1989. Norma worked for 27 years as hot lunch supervisor at Castleford School, retiring in 2005.
 After the reception, a barbecue and bonfire are planned at their home at 3455 North 1400 East. Please bring lawn chairs, but the food will be provided by family.

Five reasons Sotomayor could blunt critics

In selecting Sonia Sotomayor for the high court, President Obama has defused some possible lines of attack and made it politically tougher for potential critics in the Senate to mount a fight against her nomination.

Here are five reasons potential opponents could find it tough to take on Sotomayor's nomination:

1. She has an inspiring personal story.

Raised by her widowed mother in a housing project in the south Bronx, Sotomayor went on to be high school valedictorian, attend Princeton University on a scholarship and graduate from Yale law school.

Sen. Charles E. Schumer, D-N.Y., observed that "her life story, which has taken her from a public housing project in the Bronx to the finest schools in the country and a distinguished legal career, is beyond compelling." Schumer added that Sotomayor's humble roots could give her an important perspective and offer the court "some needed understanding of how ordinary Americans live."

2. She has a lengthy judicial resume.

Sotomayor has spent 18 years on the federal bench — a record that dwarfs of other sitting justices when they were confirmed to the high court.

Obama noted Tuesday that if Sotomayor were confirmed, she would replace Justice David Souter as the only justice who had prior service as a trial judge.

"Over a distinguished career that spans three decades, Judge Sotomayor has worked at almost every level of our judicial system, providing her with a depth of experience and a breadth of



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perspective that will be invaluable as a Supreme Court justice," Obama said.

Sotomayor became a U.S. District Court judge for the Southern District of New York in 1991. She served seven years there before being confirmed to the 2nd Circuit Court of Appeals in New York, N.Y., where she has been ever since.

Supporters claim that Sotomayor would bring more federal judicial experience to the Supreme Court than any justice confirmed in the last 100 years and would offer more overall judicial experience than anyone confirmed in the past 70 years.

3. She would be the first Latino woman on the high court, having been born in New York to Puerto Rican parents.

This puts Republicans — the most likely critics of the nomination — in a tough spot politically because opposition to her nomination risks alienating some Hispanics, who make up the fastest growing portion of the nation's electorate.

On the other hand, Sotomayor's Hispanic heritage is not a guaranteed protection from Senate opposition.

Republicans found that out in 2003, when one of former President George W. Bush's federal appeals court nominees, Miguel Estrada, withdrew his candidacy after Senate Democrats filibustered the nomination. Estrada would have been the

first Hispanic judge on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit.

Conservatives on Tuesday were cautioning senators not to be swayed by Sotomayor's ethnicity: "The fact that Sonia Sotomayor is a Latina should not give Republican senators any pause," said Manuel Miranda, chairman of the Third Branch Conference, a group of conservative activists. "This nomination offers a great opportunity to explain to Hispanic Americans why the Constitution must be defended against a judge who would rewrite it according to personal biases and politics."

4. She would become the nation's third female justice.

Women's advocacy groups had urged Obama to nominate a highly qualified female candidate, saying a woman would bring important insight and perspective to a court currently stacked with men.

If confirmed, Sotomayor and Associate Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg would be the only females on the nine-member panel. The first female justice, Sandra Day O'Connor, retired in 2006.

5. She's been the nominee of both a Republican and a Democratic president.

Sotomayor's nomination carries bipartisan heft by virtue of her unusual role as

a judge tapped by presidents of both political parties. Former President George H.W. Bush picked her to serve on the U.S. District Court, while former President Bill Clinton promoted her in 1998 to the 2nd Circuit Court of Appeals.

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OREGON Obama officials visit Northwest to hear about salmon issues

GRANTS PASS — Two top members of President Obama's environmental team are in the Northwest this week, listening but pointedly not speaking about the tense conflict between salmon and hydroelectric dams in the Columbia Basin.

NOAA chief Jane Lubchenco and White House Council on Environmental Quality chairwoman Nancy Sutley attended closed-doors sessions in Portland on Tuesday with scientists, government officials and Indian tribes, and were scheduled today to tour one of the lower Snake River dams in Eastern Washington that conservationists and some Indian tribes want removed to restore endangered salmon.

"The purpose of this trip here is to listen and learn," Lubchenco spokesman Justin Kenney said from North Carolina.

Afterward, Sutley issued a written statement saying the session helped them

better understand the science behind the Bush administration's 2008 plan for balancing salmon against dams, known as a biological opinion, which a federal judge is considering accepting or rejecting under the Endangered Species Act.

"We share the court's concern for a final outcome that respects the law, the science and the salmon," the statement read. "It's only by recovering these protected salmon that once again fishermen, tribal and non-tribal alike, and all of us concerned about the environment will be able to properly enjoy the Northwest's bounty."

Sport and commercial fishermen were shut out of the meetings, and some paraded their boats on trailers around the Portland hotel where the meetings were held.

Steve Fick, a commercial fisherman and fish processor from Astoria, said he has been frustrated by 30 years of public policy where the link between dams and declining salmon runs was treated like the link between cigarettes and lung cancer.

"I think we need to have biological solutions instead of political denial," he said from Portland.

WASHINGTON Seattle-area drug ring leader gets 20 years

SEATTLE — The leader of a major drug ring based in Seattle and Rexburg, Idaho, has been sentenced to 20 years in prison.

U.S. District Judge James L. Robert said Tuesday in Seattle the size of the operation and 21-year-old Jose Barraza-Vidal's role justified the long term. Federal investigators say he was in the country illegally, and after his release he faces deportation to Mexico. Barraza-Vidal pleaded guilty earlier to trafficking and conspiracy to distribute cocaine and methamphetamine.

He was among more than two dozen people who were arrested in Idaho and Washington in September. Authorities also seized 110 pounds of cocaine, 16 pounds of meth, about \$940,000 in cash and numerous cars and boats.

CALIFORNIA Ed McMahon settles suit over broken neck

LOS ANGELES — Ed McMahon has ended his

civil case against those he blamed for his broken neck.

Attorneys for the former "Tonight" show sidekick have in recent weeks settled lawsuits against the hospital and doctors that McMahon claimed had failed to spot his broken neck and then failed to properly repair it.


On Thursday, attorneys for the 86-year-old TV personality filed for dismissal of his lawsuit against billionaire Robert Day and his wife. McMahon blamed conditions at the Days' home for his fall in March 2008.

Terms of the settlements haven't been disclosed in court records.

After the fall, McMahon suffered a series of financial setbacks. He was hospitalized earlier this year for treatment of pneumonia and other ailments.

— The Associated Press

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Ralph and Gaye Young are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary at the Golden Heritage Senior Center, 2421 Overland Avenue, on Sunday, May 31. They welcome friends and family from 2:00-4:00pm. Ralph Young and Gaye Rose were married on May 27, 1949, in Murtaugh. They have lived all their married life in the Murtaugh-Burley area. The Youngs had two children: David, who passed away in 1971, and Richard (Kim) and their son who live in Richmond, Virginia. They have two grandchildren, three great grandchildren, and two great great grandchildren. They request no gifts, please.



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Ag still largest employer in Idaho

Wages tied to industry remain lower than other sectors, total wages decline

By Joshua Palmer
Times-News writer

The agriculture industry continued to be the largest employer in Idaho during 2008, according to a study released Tuesday by the Idaho Department of Labor.

The Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages report showed that the agriculture sector provided more than 20 percent of all jobs in the state.

However, the same report indicated that jobs tied to agriculture are also some of the lowest paying in Idaho — accounting for less than 13 percent of total state wages.

The U.S. Agriculture Department identifies 197 specific industries in the economy's agriculture sector. They range from direct crop and stock production, processing, supplying producers and processors with goods and services and wholesaling and retailing the end products.

Officials with the department of labor said that in 2008, as the national recession impacted the economy overall, agriculture offered some stability to the state even though the wage rates were significantly below the rest of the economy.

Total wages statewide dropped

from 2007, and total average employment declined by more than 7,000 jobs. But agriculture posted fractional increases in both employment and wages statewide.

Agriculture accounted for 129,000 of 653,400 jobs, providing paychecks totaling \$2.8 billion of the \$22.1 billion paid in wages last year.

Crop and animal production on farms and ranches accounted for only a fraction of the agriculture jobs — 16,500 statewide. That's up slightly from 2007, when they generated sales of nearly \$1 billion, according to estimates from Economic Modeling Specialists Inc.

Agricultural services like custom combining and veterinary care, processors, marketers and input providers like fertilizer and

machinery makers provided only a slightly larger number of jobs — 29,400 statewide. That was an increase of 5 percent to 6 percent in both areas with sales estimated at \$2.7 billion in 2007.

The majority of the agriculture sector employment was in the peripheral and indirectly related businesses like retailing and wholesaling, the mining of the raw materials for farm inputs and the production of containers for food products at various stages in the commercial chain. Those jobs accounted for 64 percent of total agricultural jobs.

Sales were estimated at \$2.1 billion in 2007.

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Make-or-break week for GM as deadline nears

General Motors Corp. plans to give United Auto Workers 17.5% of its common stock

By Emily Fredrix
Associated Press writer

MILWAUKEE — The clock is ticking on a June 1 deadline for General Motors Corp. to restructure, and this make-or-break week is expected to bring more plant closures, employee concessions and other last-minute efforts.

Without changes, the federal government has said, the Detroit-based automaker will have to file for bankruptcy protection by next Monday.

The company has been trying to overhaul its business so it can keep receiving federal money to stay afloat as it deals with soaring costs and slumping sales. On Friday, GM borrowed \$4 billion more from the federal government on top of the \$15.4 billion it has already received.

In exchange, the Obama administration has demanded moves that include reducing debt, cutting labor costs and shedding dealer-ships, brands and excess factories.

This week, GM's efforts to cut labor costs continued with the Canadian Auto Workers union announcing its members approved wage reductions and other concessions on Monday.

The company's U.S. workers were expected to vote on their own concessions later this week on a deal reached among the United Auto Workers, GM and the federal government last week.

Details of that agreement, which most likely includes changes to paying for retiree health care, have not been released yet. Plant-level union officials were expected to be briefed on the agreement this morning in Detroit.

GM was also expected to announce the closing of 14 more plants as part of its previously announced effort to close 16 factories to trim production and cut costs. The moves will lay off 21,000 workers. So far the company has announced two plants it plans to close: an engine plant in Massena, N.Y., and a parts stamping plant near Grand Rapids, Mich.

The company's unsecured bondholders have resisted an offer to take a 10 percent stake in the company to wipe out \$27 billion in debt. If that's approved, it may keep the company out of bankruptcy. But

Today, GM is expected to announce the closing of 14 more plants as part of its previously announced effort to close 16 factories to trim production and cut costs.

NO DRAMATIC DROP

1Q local home prices see slight decline, appraisers say values to be steady in '09

By Joshua Palmer
Times-News writer

National home prices are at levels not seen since the 2002 Winter Olympics, but a closer look at a housing index released Tuesday shows that the rate of decline depends on the location of the market.

The Intermountain Multiple Listing Service, which provides data on home sales in Idaho, reported that the median home price in Twin Falls County declined 6.4 percent to \$138,000 compared to the first quarter of 2008.

Jerome County reported that the median home price decline just seven-tenths of a percentage point compared to the first quarter last year to \$135,000, while Cassia County saw about a 5 percent decline in home prices during the same time period to \$113,000.

Jill Stone, an associate broker with Canyonside Irwin Realty, said home prices have been stable in south-central Idaho because of low unemployment and more conservative lending practices.

"We are not seeing the high unemployment that is affecting other parts of the nation," Stone said. "That means we don't have many short-sellers pushing those prices down."

She added that real estate appraisers informed sales agents earlier this year that home values in 2009 are expected to remain unchanged.

Meanwhile, across the rest of



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Signs advertising home construction and sales are shown in this photo of a subdivision in east Twin Falls. Despite home prices across the rest of the nation declining nearly 20 percent, south-central Idaho home prices have declined less than 10 percent. Real estate agents say low unemployment and conservative lending has kept prices stable.

BY THE NUMBERS: Quarter to quarter home prices

TWIN FALLS COUNTY
▼ 6.4%

CASSIA COUNTY
▼ 5%

JEROME COUNTY
▼ .74%

Source: Intermountain Multiple Listing Service

the nation, the Standard & Poor's/Case-Shiller National Home Price index reported national home prices tumbled more than 19 percent in the first quarter, the most in its 21-year history.

In cities across the country home prices varied dramatically, depending on affordability, foreclosure activity and the local economy. The bottom may be in

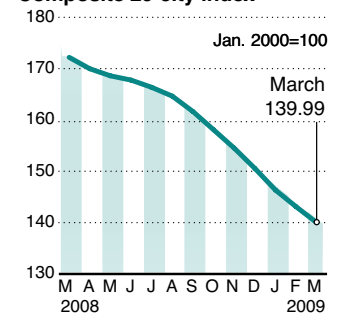
sight in some markets, but nationally home values are expected to decline — though at a slower pace — for the rest of the year.

In Phoenix and Las Vegas, where prices have plunged by half since their peaks, home values have receded to levels not seen since the beginning of the real estate boom. Phoenix prices are at early 2001 levels and Las Vegas

Home prices fall

The S&P/Case-Shiller home 20-city housing index dropped by 18.7 percent from March 2008.

Composite 20-city index



SOURCE: Standard & Poor's AP

values hover at mid-2002 prices. Home values in Portland,

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Consumer confidence soars, but don't expect spending to follow suit

Retail recovery expected to begin at end of 2009

By Anne D'Innocenzio
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — Even with unemployment still rising and home prices still slumping, Americans are getting their confidence back in the economy.

A widely watched barometer of confidence unexpectedly rose to the highest level since September, buoyed by

an unexpected surge in the stock market, hopes that the job market might turn around and the belief that the worst of the recession is behind us.

But don't expect shoppers to buy expensive jeans and fancy furniture anytime soon.

"Consumers are not likely to spend just because they think things will get better," said Mark Vitner, senior economist at Wachovia. "They will actually have to see them get better."

As a testament to the economy's challenges, a closely monitored housing index also released Tuesday showed

home prices fell at the sharpest rate ever in the first quarter, though the drop-off was worse at the beginning of the quarter.

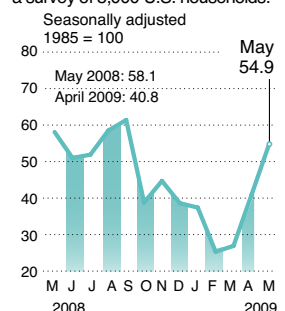
Meanwhile, Americans are grappling with an unemployment rate that's expected to climb to 9.2 percent in May, up from 8.9 percent, as companies lay off more workers.

That has helped push shoppers to keep shopping at discount stores and cutting back on nonessentials.

Still, the Conference Board's Consumer Confidence Index's 14.1-point surge to 54.9, following another big gain in April, is

Confidence lifts

The consumer confidence index from a survey of 5,000 U.S. households:



SOURCE: The Conference Board AP

encouraging. Economists surveyed by Thomson Reuters were expecting 42.3. In February, confidence levels

had hit a new historic low of 25.3.

May's confidence level is the highest since eight months ago, when it was 61.4. The levels are also closer to last May's 58.1, though the widely watched barometer is still far from healthy. A reading above 90 means the economy is on solid footing. Above 100 signals strong growth.

The consumer confidence is determined by a mail survey of a representative sample of 5,000 U.S. households from May 1 to May 19.

Much of the improvement in confidence came from the

Expectations Index, which measures shoppers' outlook over the next six months. That barometer climbed to 72.3 from 51.0 in April. Consumers' assessment in the present situation, however, was still weak, rising to 28.9 from 25.5 last month.

It also showed that shoppers were less pessimistic about the job market, even though it remains grim.

Consumer confidence sank to 38.8 in October after the financial meltdown and stock market plunge, at that time lowest level since The Conference Board started tracking the data.

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	18.70	▲ .26	Dell Inc.	11.14	▲ .29	Idacorp	23.14	▲ .65	Int. Bancorp	3.40	—
Lithia Mo.	6.37	▲ .83	McDonalds	58.84	▲ 1.76	Micron	4.65	▲ .14	Supervalu	15.90	▲ .12

COMMODITIES

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Live cattle	82.83	▲ .30	June Oil	62.38	▲ .71
June Gold	953.3	▼ 5.6	May Silver	14.60	▼ .08

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
BkofAm	4754838	10.98 -0.09	PSCrudeDL	n234672	3.79 +0.07	PwShs QQQ1297349	34.79 +1.25	
GnMotr	2859706	1.44 +0.01	HemispHrx	176654	1.59 +0.30	Intel	634608	15.48 +0.43
DirxFinBear2783038	4.96 -0.20	BarcGS01I	39989	22.37 +2.0	Cisco	451961	18.49 +0.59	
SPDR	2196536	91.30 +2.28	NthgtM g	36016	2.19 +0.12	Microsoft	442758	20.34 +5.9
DirxFinBull2124267	9.71 +0.93	EldorGld g	27026	9.23 -0.17	DryShips	362260	6.88 +2.5	

GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
TorchEn If	4.15	+2.13	+105.3	CoffeeH	4.19	+5.59	+61.2	MAP Phm	9.00	+5.85	+185.7
LIN TV	2.54	+5.8	+29.6	ACntPPT	8.04	+1.79	+28.6	PeopEduc	2.40	+1.35	+128.6
VirginM h	4.80	+1.00	+26.3	AvalonHld	2.70	+5.0	+22.6	OrchardEn	2.71	+6.5	+31.6
AlbrynIn	12.83	+2.43	+23.4	Metalico	2.52	+4.3	+20.6	AppIReyc	2.04	+4.2	+25.9
Tween h	5.23	+0.94	+21.9	Westmrid	8.98	+1.22	+15.7	Cytokinet	2.61	+5.3	+25.5

LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
IFC VI pf	3.10	-1.20	-27.9	Aerosonic	2.36	-6.4	-21.3	OncoGenx n	17.20	-4.22	-19.7
DirxSOBear	25.24	-4.09	-13.9	Gulfstream	2.37	-5.3	-18.3	Habersh	3.75	-8.0	-17.5
Clay US1	34.01	-4.50	-11.7	Accelr6	2.18	-2.7	-11.0	SevernBc	3.00	-6.0	-16.7
Rostelectm	41.35	-5.40	-11.6	ExeterR g	3.23	-2.2	-6.4	CrescentBk	2.02	-3.7	-15.5
TataCom	22.24	-2.88	-11.5	Lannett	5.73	-3.4	-5.6	MayflwBcp	7.10	-1.06	-13.0

DIARY			DIARY			DIARY		
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg
Advanced	2,536		Advanced	316		Advanced	2,116	
Declined	532		Declined	226		Declined	73	
Unchanged	78		Unchanged	73		Unchanged	629	
Total issues	3,146		Total issues	615		Total issues	117	
New Highs	12		New Highs	7		New Highs	7	
New Lows	3		New Lows	1		New Lows	1	
Volume	5,536,234,856		Volume	140,907,574		Volume	2,041,069,142	

INDEXES						
13,136.69	6,469.95	Dow Jones Industrials	8,473.49	+196.17	+2.37	-3.45 -32.47
5,536.57	2,134.21	Dow Jones Transportation	3,127.81	+122.02	+4.06	-11.57 -40.53
530.57	288.66	Dow Jones Utilities	338.27	+8.99	+2.73	-8.76 -34.64
9,687.24	4,811.75	NYSE Composite	5,936.58	+146.96	+2.54	+3.12 -36.26
2,433.31	1,130.47	Amex Index	1,580.73	+45.62	+2.97	+13.11 -32.73
2,551.47	1,265.52	Nasdaq Composite	1,750.43	+58.42	+3.45	+11.00 -29.45
1,440.24	666.79	S&P 500	910.33	+23.33	+2.63	+7.8 -34.29
14,564.81	6,772.29	Wilshire 5000	9,323.29	+254.69	+2.81	+2.60 -33.68
764.38	342.59	Russell 2000	500.31	+22.69	+4.75	+1.7 -31.87

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST											
AlliantEgy	1.50	10	23.98	+4.7	-17.8	Kaman	.56	12	15.64	+1.06	-13.7
AlliantTch	...	20	87.32	+1.77	+1.8	Keycorp	.04m	...	5.20	-0.6	-39.0
AmCasino	.42	...	20.00	+1.50	+131.5	LeeEnt	...	...	1.15	-0.1	+180.5
Aon Corp	.60	8	36.36	+7.2	-20.4	MicronT	...	...	4.65	+1.4	+6.1
BallardPw	...	...	1.87	...	+65.5	OfficeMax	...	...	8.14	+9.3	+76.5
BkofAm	.04	14	10.98	-0.9	-22.0	RockTen	.40	13	39.59	+2.36	+5.8
ConAgr	.76	9	18.70	+2.6	+13.3	Sensient	.76	12	23.31	+3.4	+2.4
Costco	.72f	18	49.14	+8.4	-6.4	SkyWest	.16	7	10.91	+3.3	-41.3
Diebold	1.04	22	25.60	+8.5	-8.9	Teradyn	...	...	6.54	+1.4	+55.0
DukeEngy	.92	14	14.03	+3.4	-6.5	Tuppwr	.88	10	24.95	+1.59	+9.9
DukeRlty	.68m	18	9.26	+6.5	-15.5	US Bancrp	.20m	15	19.04	+1.1	-2.9
Fasteel	.70f	20	34.17	+1.90	-2.0	Valhi	.40	...	10.68	+9.9	-23.2
Heinz	1.66	12	36.27	+3.0	-3.5	WalMart	1.09f	15	50.00	+7.5	-10.8
HewlettP	.32	11	34.47	+3.3	-5.0	WashFed	.20	47	12.18	+8.5	-18.6
HomeDp	.90	17	23.80	+9.4	+3.4	WellsFargo	.20m	36	25.65	+1.34	-13.0
Idacorp	1.20	11	23.14	+6.5	-21.4	ZionBcp	.16	...	14.49	+1.78	-40.9

COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES			
Mon	Commodity	High	Low
Jun	Live cattle	82.98	82.83
Aug	Live cattle	83.85	83.25
May	Feeder cattle	102.80	102.58
Aug	Feeder cattle	102.90	102.85
Sep	Feeder cattle	103.10	103.05
Jun	Lean hogs	65.95	65.55
Jul	Lean hogs	67.53	67.18
May	Pork belly	xx.xx	xx.xx
Jul	Pork belly	73.10	72.43
Jul	Wheat	616.50	612.00
Sep	Wheat	640.25	632.00
Jul	KC Wheat	667.00	662.25
Sep	KC Wheat	677.00	673.00
Jul	MPS Wheat	757.75	738.50
Sep	MPS Wheat	754.00	736.75
Jul	Corn	432.50	421.75
Sep	Corn	442.50	432.75
Jul	Soybeans	1186.50	1156.50
Aug	Soybeans	1150.50	1126.00
May	BFP Milk	xx.xx	xx.xx
Jun	BFP Milk	xx.xx	xx.xx
Jul	BFP Milk	xx.xx	xx.xx
Aug	BFP Milk	xx.xx	xx.xx
Sep	BFP Milk	13.62	13.62
Jul	Sugar	16.05	15.48
Oct	Sugar	16.87	16.41
Jun	B-Pound	1.5969	1.5776
Sep	B-Pound	1.5960	1.5772
Jun	J-Yen	1.0592	1.0505
Sep	J-Yen	1.0601	1.0525
Jun Euro-currency	1.4034	1.3857	
Sep Euro-currency	1.4021	1.3846	
Jun Canada dollar	.8959	.8806	
Sep Canada dollar	.8967	.8818	
Jun U.S. dollar	80.81	80.10	
Jun Comex gold	960.1	936.6	
Aug Comex gold	961.8	938.2	
May Comex silver	14.71	14.41	
Jun Comex silver	14.78	14.31	
Jun Treasury bond	119.28	118.15	
Sep Treasury bond	118.16	117.03	
Jul Coffee	137.15	131.60	
Sep Coffee	138.95	133.50	
Jul Cocoa	1611	1591	
Sep Cocoa	1615	1595	
Jul Cotton	57.25	54.51	
Oct Cotton	59.02	59.97	
Jul Crude oil	62.50	59.53	
Jun Unleaded gas	1.8690	1.7800	
Jun Heating oil	1.5460	1.4770	
Jun Natural gas	3.543	3.388	

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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 northens, no quote; pinkis, no quote; new crop; small reds, no quote; new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current May 20.		
Other Idaho bean prices	are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Pintos, not established; great northens, not established; small whites, not established; pinkis, no quote (Twin Falls only). Prices quoted by Land O'Lakes Inc. in Twin Falls. Prices current May 20.		

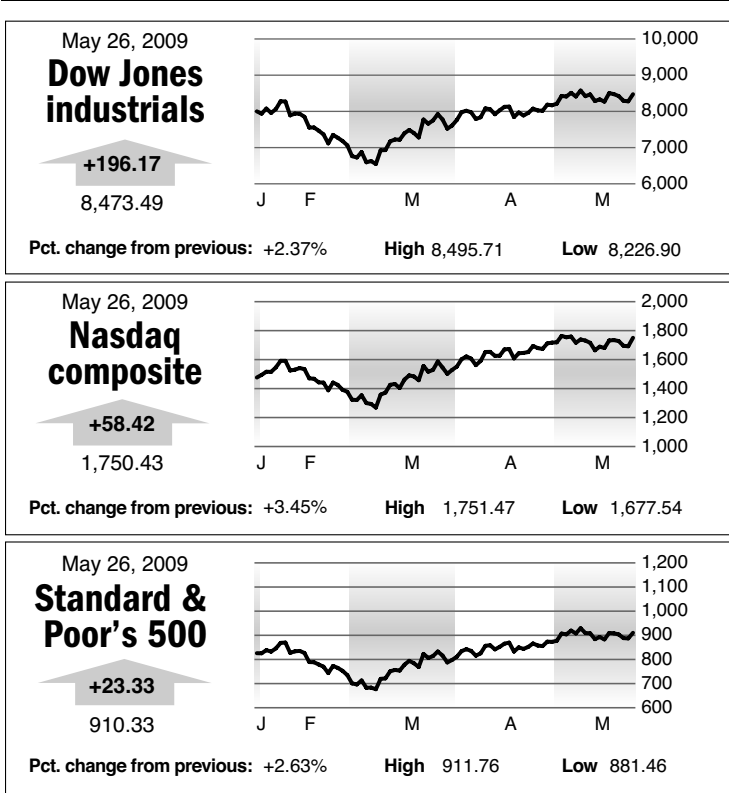
GRAINS			
Valley Grains	Prices for wheat per bushel; mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice.		
Soft white wheat	ask; barley, ask; oats, ask; corn, ask (15 percent moisture). Prices are given daily by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current May 20.		
Barley	\$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 May 20.		
Intermountain Grain	POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain and Livestock Report on Tuesday. POCATELLO — White wheat 4.60 (steady); 11.5 percent winter 5.37 (up 2); 14 percent spring 7.09 (up 9); barley 6.40 (steady); BURLEY — White wheat 4.52 (up 10); 11.5 percent winter 5.49 (up 2); 14 percent spring 7.07 (up 9); barley 6.00 (steady); OGDEN — White wheat 4.89 (up 15); 11.5 percent winter 5.77 (up 7); 14 percent spring 7.40 (up 15); barley 6.64 (steady); PORTLAND — White wheat 5.95 (up 5); 11 percent winter 6.62-6.72 (up 1); 14 percent spring 8.45 (up 5);		

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GM

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analysts say that's unlikely because bondholders have argued the proposal is too small a stake for the amount they are owed. Given the amount of money at stake, it's not likely the bondholders will approve it, said Erich Merkle, an independent auto industry analyst in Grand Rapids, Mich.

"That's a tremendous amount of money, and the bondholders are just going to look at it and say, 'We'll take it into court,' and I think they believe they can probably get more," he said.

General Motors Corp. announced Tuesday that it will give the United Auto Workers union 17.5 percent of its common stock, \$6.5 billion of preferred shares and a \$2.5 billion note to fund a trust that will take over retiree health care costs starting next year.

The funding is part of a tentative agreement that union members will vote on this week as GM tries to pull together the remaining pieces that would allow it to restructure outside of bankruptcy.

BUSINESS BRIEF

Finally Home classes set for June

The "Finally Home" program, which teaches people how to buy their first house, will be held from 6 to 10 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, June 23 and 24 in room 115 of the Shields building at the College of Southern Idaho.

The program, which is funded by federal grants and state and local partnerships, educates first time home buyers about home shopping, realtor selection, insurance, down payment, closing costs and other aspects of getting into their first home.

Those who complete the two-evening course may qualify for reduced mortgage insurance premiums, down payment and closing cost assistance and other special lender programs.

The cost for both classes is \$10 per person. Pre-registration is required. For information or to sign up, contact Penny Johnson at CSI at 208-732-6287 or at pjohnson@csi.edu

Homes

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Ore., and Seattle are steady at 2005 prices, the best showing of all 20 cities in the Case-Shiller report. All three were some of the last to fall into the housing slump.

The Case-Shiller report offered other hopeful signs the worst may be over for some cities. Denver prices posted an increase over February, while Dallas prices were flat.

Also, the rates of annual decline for the 10- and 20-city indexes slowed in March, the second straight month they didn't set record price drops. The 20-city index fell by 18.7 percent from the year before and the 10-city index lost 18.6 percent.

Still, there are no signs home prices nationally have hit bottom.

"We see no evidence that a recovery in home prices has begun," said David M. Blitzer, chairman of the S&P index committee.

Economists will get a look at April housing data Wednesday when the National Association of Realtors releases sales data for previously owned homes, and on Thursday when the Commerce Department puts out numbers for sales of newly built homes.

Economists surveyed by Thomson Reuters expect existing home sales to rise 2 percent from March to April, while new home sales are forecast to rise by 1.1 percent.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

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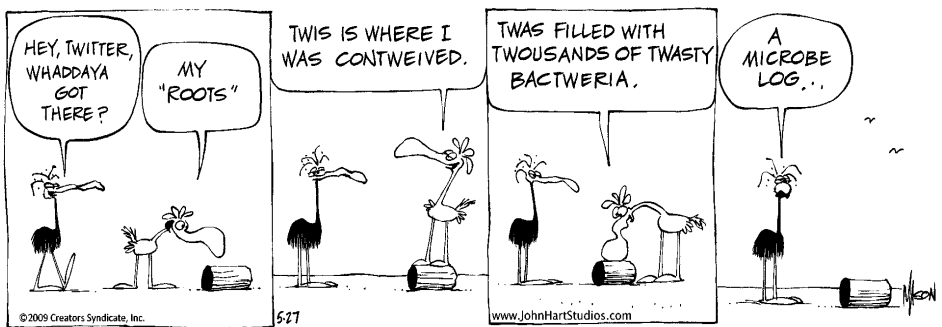
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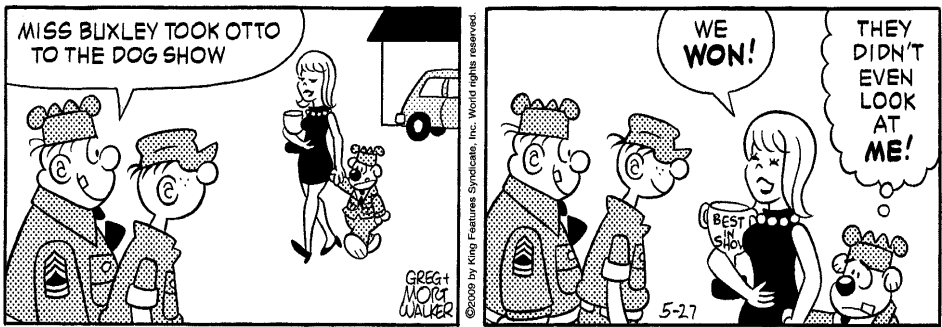
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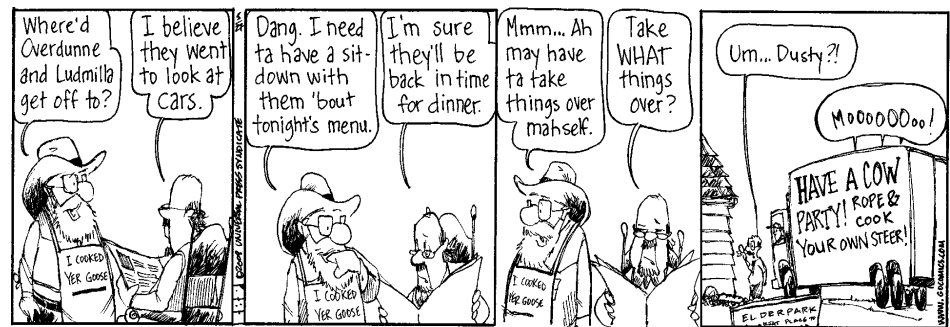
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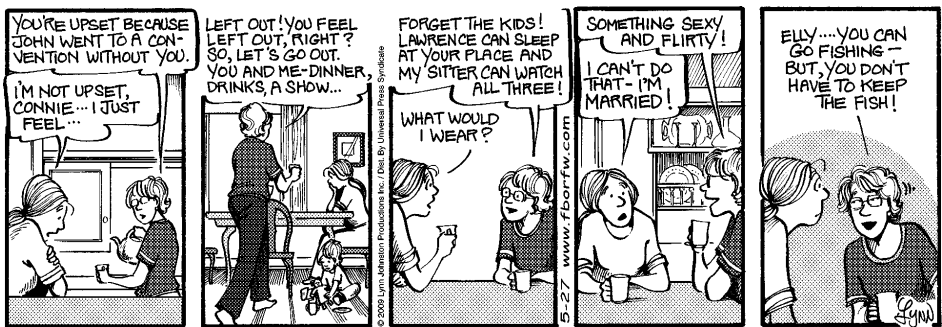
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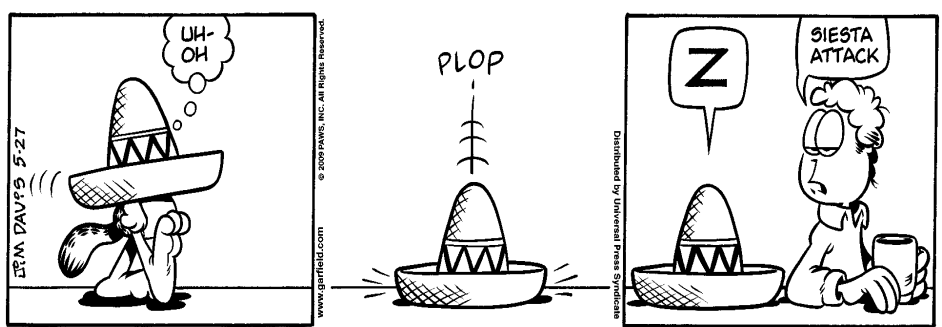
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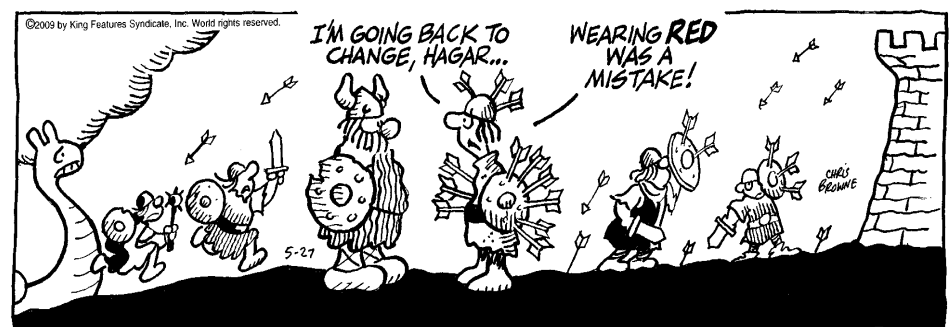
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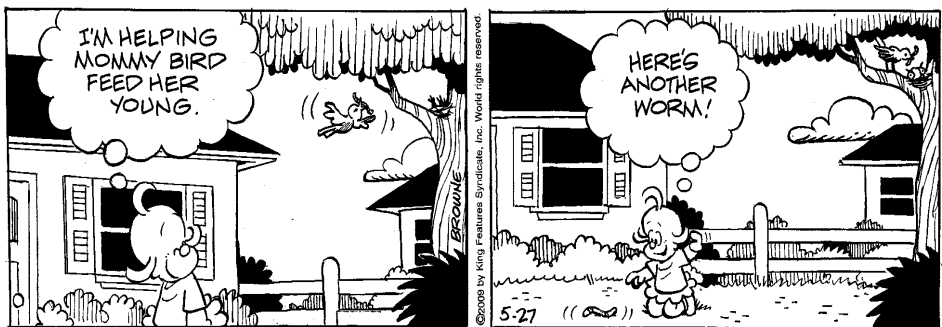
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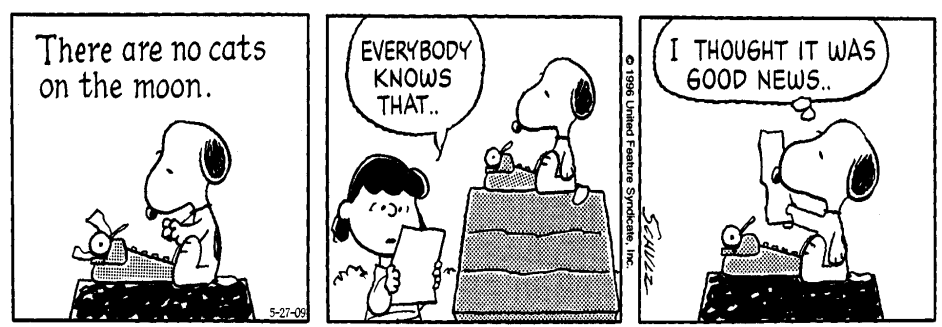
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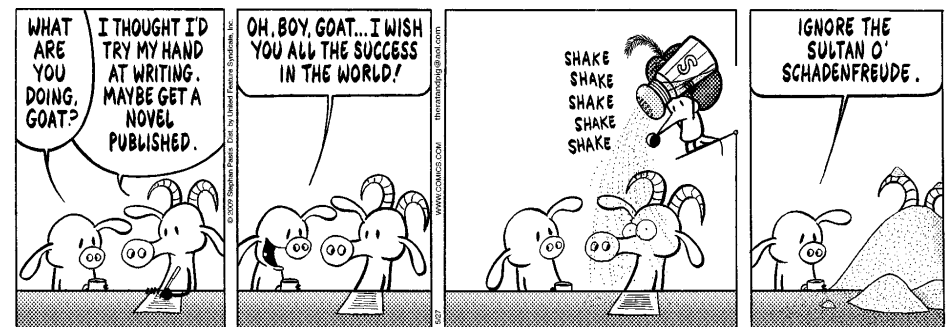
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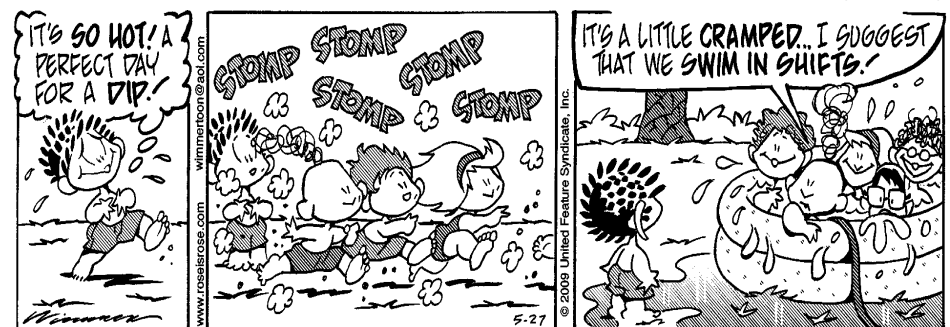
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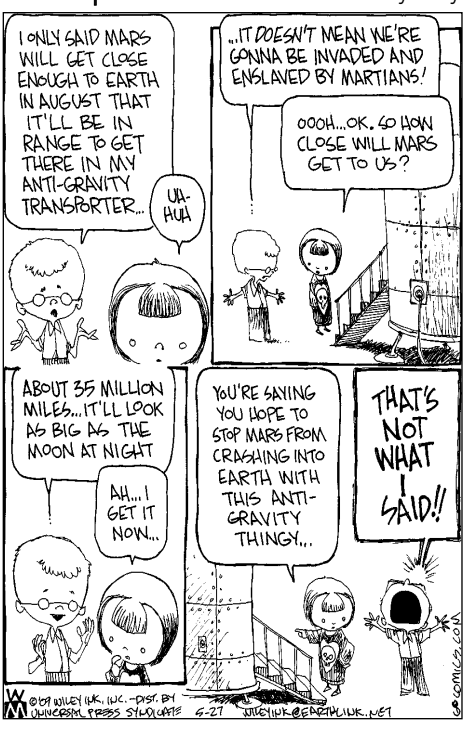
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IDAHO'S FORECAST

Map of Idaho showing weather forecasts for various regions including Sun Valley, Boise, and Northern Utah. Includes a weather key and state extremes.

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Five-day forecast table for Twin Falls with columns for Today, Tonight, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Includes icons for weather conditions and high/low temperatures.

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Table showing weather data for various Idaho cities including Boise, Challis, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho Falls, Jerome, Lewiston, Lowell, Malad City, Malta, Pocatello, Rexburg, Salmon, Stanley, and Sun Valley.

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Weather almanac for Twin Falls including Temperature, Precipitation, Humidity, Barometric Pressure, Sunrise and Sunset, and Pollen Count. Also includes Moon Phases and Moonrise and Moonset information.

REGIONAL FORECAST

Regional forecast table for various Idaho cities including Boise, Bonners Ferry, Burley, Challis, Coeur d'Alene, Elko, Eugene, Gooding, Grace, Hagerman, Hailey, Idaho Falls, Kalispell, Jerome, Lewiston, Malad City, Malta, McCall, Missoula, Pocatello, Portland, Rupert, Rexburg, Richland, Rogerson, Salmon, Salt Lake City, Spokane, Stanley, Sun Valley, and Yellowstone.

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National forecast table for various US cities including Atlanta, Atlantic City, Baltimore, Billings, Birmingham, Boston, Charleston, Chicago, Cleveland, Denver, Des Moines, Detroit, El Paso, Fairbanks, Fargo, Honolulu, Houston, Indianapolis, Jacksonville, Kansas City, Las Vegas, Little Rock, Los Angeles, Memphis, Miami, Milwaukee, Nashville, New Orleans, New York, Oklahoma City, and Omaha.

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World forecast table for various international cities including Acapulco, Athens, Auckland, Bangkok, Beijing, Berlin, Buenos Aires, Cairo, Chennai, Geneva, Hong Kong, Jerusalem, Johannesburg, Kuwait City, London, Mexico City, Moscow, Nairobi, Paris, Prague, Rio de Janeiro, Rome, Santiago, Seoul, Sydney, Taipei, Tokyo, Warsaw, and Zurich.

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP

National weather map showing temperature and weather conditions across the United States. Includes a legend for fronts, cold, warm, stationary, and occluded systems.

CANADIAN FORECAST

Canadian forecast table for various Canadian cities including Calgary, Cranbrook, Edmonton, Kelowna, Lethbridge, Regina, Saskatoon, Toronto, Vancouver, Victoria, and Winnipeg.

Quote of the Day by Gregg Middlekauff: "Logic will get you from A to B. Imagination will take you everywhere." - Albert Einstein.

Reports: N. Korea tests sixth missile, starts nuke plant

North Korea is believed to have enough plutonium for at least half a dozen atomic bombs. The North also has about 8,000 spent fuel rods which, if reprocessed, could allow the country to harvest 13-18 pounds of plutonium — enough to make at least one nuclear bomb, experts said.

Advertisement for Twin Falls Western Days event. Includes text: "Twin Falls Western Days Western Ways & Western Days Continuing the Tradition May 29th - 31st, 2009 - Twin Falls City Park". Lists activities and performers for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

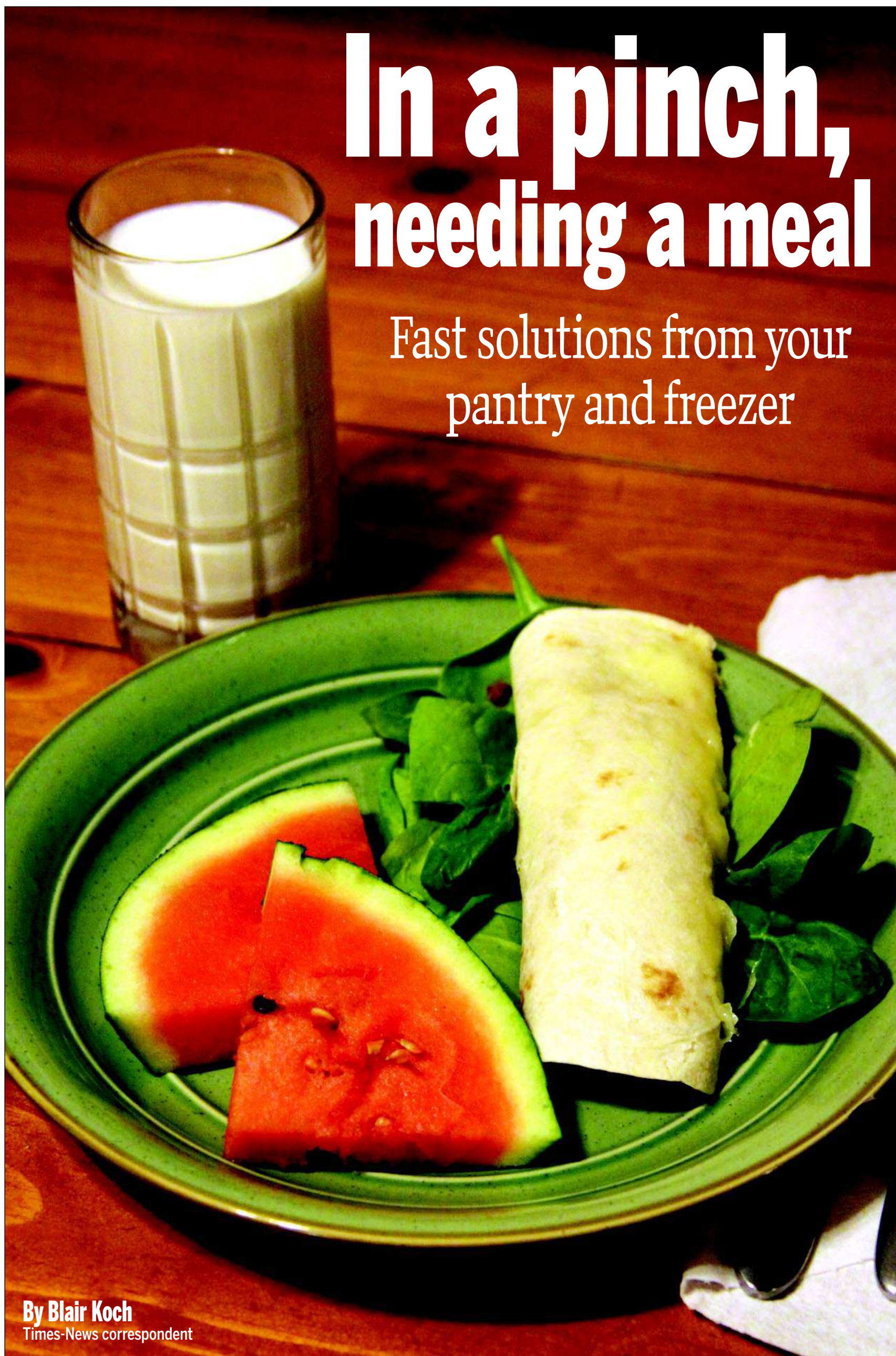
Nebraska cigarette bandit wore beer carton as disguise

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Police in Nebraska are looking a man who stole cigarettes while disguising himself with a beer carton. Lincoln police Capt. Bob Kawamoto says the man walked into a Kwik Shop convenience store before dawn Monday wearing an empty Bud Light box on his head as a mask.

Advertisement for magicvalley.com. Includes text: "Tired of not finding anything! Way beyond a to z!" and the website name in large letters.

In a pinch, needing a meal

Fast solutions from your pantry and freezer



By Blair Koch
Times-News correspondent

Photos by BLAIR KOCH/For the Times-News

If there is a silver lining to the country's recession, it could be that many families are forgoing the drive-through and coming home for dinner.

In southern Idaho, that means more people are contacting experts like University of Idaho Extension consumer science educator Rhea Lanting for help in the kitchen.

"Yes, we are definitely hearing from people more, and not just those with limited resources that the Extension regularly assists, but from those that are being hit by the recession and from people who are just more aware," Lanting said. "We are helping people who want to know what they can cook that is easy and inexpensive."

The *Times-News* tapped the expertise of Lanting and Jill Skeem, a Twin Falls macrobiotic health counselor, to develop a few quick meals you can prepare the next time your kids are underfoot and chanting the "I'm hungry! What's for dinner?" chorus.

These meals tested in my kitchen were easy enough to get my kids Parker, 9, and Riley, 3, involved.

Instead of throwing on a frozen pizza or chicken nuggets and calling it good, take a good gander at what's lurking in your freezer and cupboards.

You may have a tasty and healthy meal just waiting to be made.

Bean enchiladas served with fresh watermelon and spinach make a quick and easy dinner.

Meal No. 1: Baked salmon, steamed veggies and couscous



Riley Koch, 3, reacts to his first bite of baked salmon. After adjusting to the blend of seasoning, the youngster cleaned every bit of salmon off his plate.

This is a tried-and-true meal in my house. We all love salmon, and it's a great food — full of essential omega-3 oils and a breeze to prepare.

"Salmon is great to eat. We're hearing a lot about getting people to increase the amount of fish in your diet," Lanting said.

My family eats salmon at least once a week. To other kids, Parker said: "Give it try. You'll be surprised at how good salmon really is."

Depending on the contents of your cupboard, salmon can be served simply baked in olive oil or tomato juice. Again, don't be afraid to experiment.

Couscous is a coarsely ground semolina pasta, a dietary staple in North African



Sauteing vegetables in olive oil is a great way to vary preparation and an easy way to consume needed healthy fats, said Jill Skeem, a macrobiotic health counselor in Twin Falls.

Pinch

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countries and widely used in Middle Eastern countries. Prepared much like rice, versatile couscous has become popular in American dishes.

"Couscous isn't a whole grain, like brown rice, but it's still a grain and healthier than white rice," Skeem said.

Rely on package directions for baking the salmon and preparing the steamed vegetables and couscous. Liven up the couscous with seasonings of your choice; fresh ground pepper and a dash of salt is a good place to start.

Meal No. 2: Pasta primavera and grilled chicken breast

This meal hits the spot in a fresh way. If you have a refrigerator drawer full of fresh veggies, chop them up. But frozen varieties work just as well.

Frozen chicken breasts can be quickly thawed by placing the package under cool, running water.

I had whole-wheat egg noodles in the cupboard, and even though pasta primavera is traditionally prepared with angel hair or spaghetti, the result was healthy, edible and far better than throwing on a pizza instead.

The chicken, cooked on the barbecue, was heartily eaten up by the kids. Riley, a far less finicky eater than his older brother, wolfed down the noodles, but they both enjoyed the sauteed vegetables.

"The broccoli tastes better this way than steamed," Parker said. "I think we should make our vegetables like this again."

Skeem said that preparing vegetables in olive oil provides healthy fats and a different taste than boiling or steaming. "Our bodies need good fats ... and this recipe is a good way to get some."

With Dad out of town when we made this dish, there was enough left for lunch the next day. Yum!

Pasta primavera recipe adapted by Skeem.

Ingredients:

- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 1 cup onion, diced
- Sea salt
- 1 teaspoon oregano
- 1 cup carrots, diced
- 2 cups fresh or canned tomatoes, diced
- 1/2 cup peas, fresh or frozen
- Basil, to garnish
- 16 ounces pasta, whole-grain preferred

Sauce preparation:

1. Put olive oil in frying pan and saute the onion. When onions start to sweat, add a pinch of sea salt and the oregano and continue to saute until tender.

2. Add carrots and saute 2 to 3 minutes. Add tomatoes and saute until soft. Add peas right at the end and mix until warm.

Want more veggies? Simply saute your choice vegetables in olive oil until soft and warm before adding to pasta.

Pasta preparation:

1. Follow directions on pasta packaging, cooking to al dente.



BLAIR KOCH/For the Times-News
Parker Koch, 9, waits for water to boil so he can pour in whole-wheat egg noodles for use in pasta primavera.

2. When finished, add pasta to sauce and saute until coated. Serve immediately.

Meal No. 3: Bean enchiladas, spinach and fruit with fat-free milk

My kids love anything with beans and tortillas, and this recipe is a no-brainer. Because 9-year-old Parker grated the Monterey Jack cheese while I mashed the pinto beans, it took almost no time to get the enchiladas in the oven.

In 30 minutes this meal was on the table. While extremely easy and eaten enthusiastically by kiddos, it was a little bland.

"Maybe we could kick it up with a little more spice," Parker said.

This dish will again grace our kitchen table, but next time I'm going to experiment by adding kidney beans to the mix and perhaps serving with sliced bell peppers. To make the meal even healthier I'm going to pick up whole-wheat tortillas.

Experimenting is fine, Lanting said.

"Once you're armed with the knowledge of what to eat, it's easy to mix vegetables, proteins and grains and make a meal," she said.

Recipe from "The Healthy Family Guidebook" by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Food and Nutrition Service.

Ingredients:

- 3 1/2 cups cooked pinto beans (or two 15-ounce cans of low-sodium pinto beans)
- 1 tablespoon chili powder
- 8 6-inch flour tortillas
- 1/2 cup low-fat shredded cheese of your choice
- Salsa, optional

Instructions:

1. Place beans in a large bowl and mash coarsely with a fork or potato masher; stir in chili powder.

2. Wrap tortillas in a damp paper towel. Microwave on high for 45 seconds or until soft and warm.

3. Divide bean mixture among tortillas and spread down center of each. Sprinkle with cheese.

4. Roll tortillas to enclose bean mixture.

5. Spray a 9-by-13-inch baking dish with nonstick cooking spray.

6. Place enchiladas, seam side down, into dish.

7. Cover with foil and bake at 350 degrees for 20 minutes or until heated through.

8. Serve warm with salsa.

Super-Couponers' secret weapon

I've got a secret. If you were to walk through my kitchen, nothing would seem out of the ordinary. My refrigerator is well stocked with food, as are my kitchen cabinets. It looks very much like I'd imagine your own kitchen looks.

But take a look at my basement pantry, and prepare for a shock. The room looks like a small-scale supermarket. Stocked shelves line the walls. More than 30 boxes of brand-name cereal will greet you, along with 20 bottles of apple juice. Towers of paper towels and toilet paper rolls reach toward the ceiling. There are so many packages of baby diapers in here that, stacked, they'd completely conceal the pantry door. And the shelf of household cleaners — everything from furniture polish and dishwasher detergent to glass cleaner and carpet sprays — will leave you wondering why my house isn't spotless. (Hey, I do have three kids



COUPON QUEEN
Jill Cataldo

who make it their daily mission to undermine my housecleaning efforts!)

People's reactions to my pantry never cease to amuse me. They ask, "Are you worried about a food shortage?" "Who will eat all of this?" "Did you buy all of this at one time?"

But once I explain stockpiling, most people begin to get it. Wouldn't you buy a lot of cereal if it were only 6 cents a box? How many bottles of apple juice would you buy at 25 cents a bottle? Both of these products have a long shelf life. And my family of five goes through a lot of cereal and juice, among many other things.

Stockpiling and couponing go hand-in-hand. When you stockpile

groceries, you buy as many units as you can afford to buy, using as many of the coupons that you have collected for the items involved. As consumers, we're just not conditioned to buy large quantities of the same item. And yet, it makes good financial sense to do so.

Grocery stores price all items on a revolving cycle. Everything in the store reaches its lowest price point just once in a three-month period. A Super-Couponer waits until the price of a certain item is at its lowest point, then buys enough to last his or her household for the next three months. The Super-Couponer saves money compared with the shopper who buys only enough of a sale item to get through one week, then returns later to buy more of the same item when it is not on sale.

Twenty bottles of apple juice may seem like a lot to buy at one time, and it is. But at a quarter a bottle, those 20 bottles cost me

just \$5. The juice's regular price? \$2.89. So, for less than the cost of two regular-priced bottles, I bought 20.

If I bought what I thought our family would drink in a week during the apple juice sale, I'd leave the store with just three bottles. Once those bottles were gone, I'd be back at the store paying \$2.89 apiece for the next three. Instead, I stockpile. The quantity I bought will last our family about seven weeks, and we've saved a lot of money, too.

Stockpiling is a simple concept. Once you start, you'll wonder why you didn't shop this way before. Of course, you may also wonder where all your pantry space went. Next week I'll share some of my stockpiling tips with you.

CTW Features. Jill Cataldo is a coupon-workshop instructor, writer and mother of three. Learn more about couponing at her Web site, www.super-couponing.com.

Simple salmon

By Kate Shatzkin
The Baltimore Sun

This may be the easiest salmon you will ever make. It's from Mireille Guiliano's "French Women Don't Get Fat," which is another bonus.

If you can, spring for a piece of wild salmon. Cook it simply on one side with a squeeze of lemon juice. The technique should work for less-expensive farm-raised salmon as well.

You'll love this simple preparation.

SAUMON A L'UNILATERAL (Salmon Cooked on One Side)

- 4 pieces wild salmon, about 4 ounces each
- 1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice
- 1/2 teaspoon coarse salt

Heat a nonstick frying pan. Place the salmon in



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the pan, skin-side down, pour the lemon juice over the salmon, add the salt, and cook for about 6 minutes over medium heat until the skin is crispy. Cut a slice to determine the degree of cooking you desire, such as medium-rare — pink at the center — which preserves most of the natural taste.

Season, if you like, with a dash of extra-virgin olive oil and a sprig of fresh thyme. Serve immediately. Serves 4.

Per serving; 185 calories, 26 grams protein, 8 grams fat, 1 gram saturated fat, 0 grams carbohydrate, 0 grams fiber, 72 milligrams cholesterol, 297 milligrams sodium.

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Don't cook the same old thing all summer. Get outside and experiment with Dutch ovens in the College of Southern Idaho North Side Center class "Cooking with Dutch Ovens."

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meal, including bread. She'll mix in some history while teaching you how to season, cook with, clean and store Dutch ovens.

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NOTICES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FHF-74828 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on September 10, 2009, at the hour of 01:00 PM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE TWIN FALLS COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 425 SHOSHONE STREET NORTH, TWIN FALLS, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of TWIN FALLS, State of Idaho, to-wit: LOT 7 IN BLOCK 2 OF WESTMINSTER HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK 6 OF PLATS AT PAGE(S) 60, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, AND THE NORTHEAST ONE-HALF OF VACATED FIFTH AVENUE ADJACENT TO LOT 7, BLOCK 2, AND LYING BETWEEN BLOCKS 2 AND 3 OF SAID SUBDIVISION. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 500 MAIN STREET, BUHL, ID 83316, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by KENT THOMPSON AND REKHA THOMPSON, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to ALLIANCE TITLE AND ESCROW CORP., as Trustee, for the benefit and security of HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION III, as Beneficiary, dated 8/26/2004, recorded 812 712 0 0 4, under Instrument No. 2004-018829, Mortgage records of TWIN FALLS County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION III. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 8/26/2004, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 12/20/2008 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of Delinquent Payments from December 20, 5 payments (12-20-08 through 05-06-09) Late Charges: Beneficiary Advances: Suspense Credit: TOTAL: May 6, 2009 2008 \$4, 619.89 \$0. 00 \$0. 00 \$0. 00 \$4, 619.89 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$126,719.96, together with interest thereon at 7.580% per annum from 11/20/2008, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 5/6/2009. PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By: Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer C/O REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 6161 at Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: Sale Information: <http://www.rtrustee.com> ASAP# 3107968

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Loan No. 0042276279 T.S. No. ID-09-252726-TD On 9/3/2009, at 10:00:00 AM (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of JEROME, State of Idaho: In the front lobby of Land Title & Escrow located at 237 N. Lincoln, Jerome, ID 83338, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee on behalf of JP Morgan Chase Bank NA will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of JEROME State of Idaho, and described as follows: TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH, RANGE 20 EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, JEROME COUNTY, IDAHO Section 1: Part of the Southwest Quarter, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Section 1, Township 10 South, Range 20 East of the Boise Meridian, said corner marked by a 1/2" rebar; Thence North 89°47'27" East along Section line for 1920.49 feet to a point; Thence North 0°15'10" West for 24.73 feet to a highway right of way marker at Station 394+71.01; Thence North 83°20'46" West along a highway right of way for 420.44 feet to a 1/2" rebar which shall be THE POINT OF BEGINNING; Thence North 83°20'46" West along the highway right of way for a distance of 34.97 feet to a highway right of way marker at Station 390+18.63; Thence North 69°22'48" West along said highway right of way for a distance of 202.59 feet to a 1/2" rebar; Thence North 00°00'00" East for a distance of 804.80 feet to a W rebar on the Westerly right of way of State Highway 25; Thence South 33°06'45" East along said highway right of way for a distance of 410.67 feet to a 1/2" rebar; Thence South 00°00'00" West for a distance of 536.23 feet to THE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 2326 E 990 S, HAZELTON, ID 83335 is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by SEAN D KEELE AND MAYTE M. KEELE, HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor/Trustor, in which LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY, is named as Beneficiary and LAND TITLE & ESCROW, INC. as Trustee and recorded 2/1/2001 as Instrument No. 20104061 in book -, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of JEROME County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code. No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 1/25/2001. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,253.74, due per month for the months of 11/1/2008 through 4/27/2009, and all subsequent installments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$117,445.40 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 7.8650 per cent (%) per annum from 10/1/2008. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee, the Mortgagee's Attorney. Date: 5/4/2009 By: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Agent 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 ***For Sale Information Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityasap.com If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 3097359

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NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ONE-YEAR SUPPLEMENTAL LEVY ELECTION

Three Creek Jt. School District No. 416
Owyhee and Twin Falls Counties, Rogerson, Idaho

Public Notice is hereby given according to law, and the requisite action of the Board of Trustees of the Three Creek Jt. School District No. 416, Rogerson, Idaho, that a special one-year supplemental levy election will be held on June 16, 2009, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said District their vote and determination on a supplemental taxing levy. The poll sites will be open from noon to 8 PM at the following locations:

For Owyhee County voters: Three Creek Elementary School
49909 Three Creek Road
Rogerson, ID 83302

For Twin Falls County voters: House Creek Guest Cabin
364 House Creek Ranch
Rogerson, ID 83302

An elector must be a registered voter who has resided in this state and in this School District at least thirty (30) days preceding the election.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: May 11, 2009 File No.: 7261.26216 Sale date and time (local time): September 10, 2009 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 711 'G' Street Rupert, ID 83350 Property address: 497 North 600 East Rupert, ID 83350 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Harry A. Blackmon and Sharon Blackmon, Husband and Wife Original trustee: Cassia County Abstract Original beneficiary: Argent Mortgage Company LLC Recording date: June 17, 2005 Recorder's instrument number: 478868 County: Minidoka Sum owing on the obligation: as of May 11, 2009: \$87,117.23 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Township 8 South, Range 25 East of the Boise Meridian, Minidoka County, Idaho, Section 32: Part of the NE1/4NE1/4 of said Section 32, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Section 32, said corner marked by a 5/8 inch rebar; Thence South 00 degrees 03' 00" East (basis of bearing) along section line for 150.00 feet which shall be the Point of Beginning; Thence South 0 degrees 03' 00" East (basis of bearing) along section line for 150.00 feet to a P.K. Nail; Thence North 88 degrees 52' 40" West for the 347.44 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; Thence North 0 degrees 03' 00" West for the 150.00 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar; Thence South 88 degrees 52' 40" East along section line for 347.44 feet to the Point of Beginning. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7261.26216) 1002.121183-FEI

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No.: ID-09-258969-TD Loan No.: 6551840 On 9/10/2009 at 10:00:00 AM (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of CASSIA, State of Idaho: In the main lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 211 W. 13th St., Burley, ID 83318, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee, on behalf of HSBC Bank USA, National Association, as Trustee, for the registered holders of Nomura Home Equity Home Loan, Inc. Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-2 will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of CASSIA, State of Idaho, and described as follows: TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO, SECTION 16: PART OF THE NW1/4 NE1/4, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NW1/4 NE1/4 OF SAID SECTION 16, SAID CORNER MARKED BY A U.S. BUREAU OF RECLAMATION PIPE WITH BRASS CAP WHICH SHALL BE THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE SOUTH 0°53'43" EAST ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE NW1/4 NE1/4 FOR 344.03 FEET TO A 1/2 INCH REBAR; THENCE NORTH 88°42'28" WEST FOR 129.48 FEET TO A 1/2 INCH REBAR; THENCE NORTH 0°53'43" WEST FOR 340.03 FEET TO A P.K. NAIL ON SECTION LINE; THENCE NORTH 89°30'30" EAST ALONG SECTION LINE FOR 128.39 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 725 EAST 400 SOUTH, BURLEY, ID 83318 is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by GREGORY DON BURTON, A MARRIED MAN, AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS A NOMINEE FOR LIBERTY AMERICAN MORTGAGE CORP., is named as Beneficiary and LAND TITLE & ESCROW, INC. as Trustee and recorded 8/3/2006, as Instrument No. 310019 in book XXX, page XXX of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of CASSIA County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4) (A), Idaho Code. No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 7/31/2006. The monthly installments of principal interest and impounds (if applicable) of \$621.17, due per month for the months of 12/1/2008 through 5/4/2009, and all subsequent installments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$74,540.22 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 10.0000 per cent (%) per annum from 11/1/2008. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Dated: 5/11/2009 By: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101, Tara Donzella, Assistant Vice President ***For Sale Information Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityasap.com If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. ASAP# 3109578

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NOTICES

COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO INVITATION TO SELL Used Bus- 1996 Blue Bird

The College of Southern has a surplus 1996 Blue Bird 44 passenger bus with a wheel chair lift. Sealed Bids to purchase this vehicle will be accepted until 2:00p.m. Wednesday June 3rd, 2009 in the office of the Vice President of Finance in the Taylor Administration Building, 315 Falls Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho and then publicly opened.

Bids must be sent or delivered to the above address on or before the above listed date and time to be accepted. The outside of the package should clearly indicate "SEALED BID ENCLOSED for 1996 Bus".

Bid sheets may be picked up and bus may be inspected Monday through Friday from 8am to 5pm at 496 Madrona Street, Twin Falls or by contacting Lynn Baird weekdays at 736-2133.

The College reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any formalities and to accept the bid deemed to be in the best interest of the College.

/s/John M Mason

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NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD MEETING AND PROPOSED & AMENDED BUDGET HEARINGS

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 411
TWIN FALLS COUNTY
STATE OF IDAHO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Twin Falls School District #411, Twin Falls County, Idaho, will be held on the 8th day of June, 2009 at 7:00 p.m., at the School Extension Office, 242 Main Avenue North, in said district, at which meeting there shall be a public hearing at 7:15 p.m. on the maintenance and operation budget for the forthcoming school year, 2009-2010, and another hearing at 7:30 p.m. on the amended 2008-2009 budget. These budgets as presently determined by the Board of Trustees are now available in the office of the School District and will remain available until the meeting and hearing, as provided by law.

This school board meeting and budget hearing are called pursuant to Section 33-801 Idaho Code as amended. Dated this 20th Day of May, 2009:

Michelle Lucas, Clerk
Twin Falls School District #411 of
Twin Falls County, State of Idaho

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COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO INVITATION TO BID MACHINING LAB EQUIPMENT

Sealed bids for CSI to purchase Machining Lab Equipment will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 10, 2009, in the office of the Vice President of Administration in the Taylor Administration Building, 315 Falls Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho and then publicly opened.

Items being purchased are: CNC Lathe, CNC Vertical Machining Center, Programmable CIM Cell, Rapid Prototype Machine, Plastic Extrusion Machine, AC/DC Electrical Trainer.

Bids must be sent or delivered to the above address on or before the above listed date and time to be accepted. The outside of the envelope should clearly indicate "SEALED BID ENCLOSED".

For complete bid specifications, procedures, bid forms and additional information contact Darrell Buffalo at the College of Southern Idaho, PO Box 1238, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-1238 or by telephone 208-732-8394.

The College reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any formalities and to accept the bid deemed to be in the best interest of the College.

John M. Mason
Vice President of Administration

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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JUMBLE

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Print answer here: HE " (Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: ADULT IDIOM SNITCH GHETTO
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(Answers tomorrow)

100 Announcements

101 Lost and Found

FOUND 5:15 Black male dog. Short hair, no tail, white chest. Found at 72 W 300 S Jerome. 324-8538

FOUND dog black and white, female, medium sized. Found in Paul. 1 year old. 208-438-5101.

FOUND dog, mall brown and white. Found on the Asequia Highway. Call 208-436-9697.

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FOUND Puppy on 5/23. German Short Hair cross. Call 208-731-9651

LOST 2 DeWalt SAW-ZALL out of back of truck, near Shoshone Falls. Call 208-731-0031.

LOST Diamond earring in Buhl Friday May 22nd. I was at Kings, Buhl Graduation, and El Cazador restaurant on Broadway. 731-8408

LOST Keys between Costco and Sportsman's Warehouse on walking trail. Small pink flashlight attached. Call 208-308-6663.

LOST keys Bitterroot-yard sale. 5/23 Hawaiian key chain attached. 208-733-8883.

LOST Wedding band on 5/19, wide gold band with stones set in it. 50 years sentimental value. Please call if found. 208-423-5969

LOST, REWARD Ladies Diamond Wedding set. Yellow gold with Marquis Diamond. Last seen in the Twin Falls/Jerome area. Please Call Donna 731-5200

106 Special Notices

BIRTHDAY PHOTOS
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
 The City of Gooding is requesting proposals from lawn care professionals to contract with the City of Gooding and perform the following duties:
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 Applicants must be insured or bonded for no less than \$100,000.00. Proposals will be received and reviewed through June 12, 2009. Please send proposals to the City of Gooding, 308 5th Ave West, Gooding ID 83330 on or before 4:30 p.m. June 5, 2009.
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207 Education

EDUCATION
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211 Medical

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210 Management

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211 Medical

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500 Real Estate

501 Open House

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518 Mobile Homes

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Concepts Sudoku By Dave Green

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518 Mobile Homes

TWIN FALLS 1972, 14'x73', in Lazy J Park. Asking \$10,000. \$5,000 down, owner will carry balance. Call 307-382-6364.

519 Cemetery Lots

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600 Rental Properties

601 Furnished Homes

TWIN FALLS A deluxe 1 bedroom townhouse, fully furnished for rent from 6/15-9/15. Call 208-733-2058

0602 Unfurnished Homes

BURLEY 4 bedroom, 1.5 bath, 1810 Overland. \$700/mo + dep. Call 208-678-2929 if no answer Call 314-680-0808.

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TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 2 bath pet ok, \$600 + \$300 dep. 2 Falls Property Mgmt. 208-212-1678

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car garage, refrig, no smoking/pets. \$825 + \$900 dep. 208-420-1746

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2912 DeAun. \$850 month + deposit. Call 208-731-4060.

TWIN FALLS 3 bdrm, 2+ bath recent remodel, 644 Main Ave N. 2200 sq. ft. living area with add barn storage. \$950 + \$500 dep. pets with add dep. 208-731-3487

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TWIN FALLS 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car some appliances, garage, fenced yard, no smoking/pets. \$910 month. Call 208-735-0473

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TWIN FALLS Charming older home, 3 bdrm, 1.5 bath with 5 acres pasture. \$975 month, some utilities included. 208-326-5653

TWIN FALLS Extra nice 3 bdrm, 2 bath homes, landscaped, fenced, 2 car garage, close to new Walmart. \$1018/mo. + dep. 208-404-4345

TWIN FALLS Lovely 4 bdrm, 2 bath, garage, centrally located. No smoking. Water/sewer/mowing incl \$850 + dep. 339-7673 / 731-9214

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604 Unfurnished Apartments

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GOODING 1 bedroom 1 bath, available June 5th, \$400/mo plus

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane



"Oh boy! We have enough good stuff left to have another garage sale next week!"

604 Unfurnished Apartments

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm. \$320 month + \$200 deposit. 1 bdrm \$360 month + \$250 dep. No pets/smoking. Call 208-749-1336

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ONE CONFUSED GUEST LEWIS CENTER, OHIO DEAR CONFUSED: Sometimes there is a delay between the wedding ceremony and the reception so the wedding party can be photographed. Rather than being confused, use your imagination. These days there could be many reasons for a delay — the limo ran out of gas, someone's zipper stuck, the bride went into labor....

introduce her to Cheryl. What I didn't mention is that Cheryl is transgender. She was not born a biological female. I don't feel it is my place to disclose that to my boss. However, I was shocked when Cheryl said she wouldn't tell, either.

DEAR ABBY: I have received an invitation to a graduation party and a note was enclosed. It read: "If I don't hear from you by the 25th, I will not be able to include you. This invitation is for those addressed, and no one else. Seating is limited. Please do not ask for 'to go' containers, as all the food will be going home with us. This is a very special day for 'Mary' and a lot of planning has gone into it. There may be people you would rather not see or talk to, but please remember it is about 'Mary' that day and no one else. If any of this makes you uncomfortable, please do not feel it necessary to attend." What do you think of this, Abby?

According to Emily Post: "Any delay longer than 30 to 45 minutes becomes excessive, unless (the) invitation included a starting time for the reception. ... If there is likely to be a considerable delay, be sure that guests will be served beverages and hors d'oeuvres while they await your arrival!"

I understand my friend's desire to be recognized as a woman. But I feel that I would be deceiving my boss if neither of us told her. I'm not entirely sure whether my boss, the other teachers and the children's parents would approve of Cheryl. I don't want to be blamed for not being truthful. If Cheryl doesn't reveal that she's transgender, should I?

— STUNNED IN MASSACHUSETTS DEAR STUNNED: It appears this family has many members who are clueless about basic good manners — and that includes the person who sent the invitation. Obviously, these people have been taken advantage of in the past and are trying to prevent it from happening again. Because you have it in writing that if "any of this" makes you uncomfortable you are free not to attend, I think you should take the person at his or her word and stay home.

DEAR ABBY: I teach at a privately owned after-school center. Recently, my boss asked me if I had any friends who could teach an extra class one day a week. I have a friend, "Cheryl," who I know would be great for the job. She's very smart and has past teaching experience. I told my boss I would

— NERVOUS IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA DEAR NERVOUS: Please do not allow yourself to be distracted by your friend's gender status. The question isn't whether Cheryl was born a woman. It's whether she can be a competent teacher. When all is said and done, what's going on between her ears is far more important than what's under her skirt. Jobs working with children require background

IF MAY 27 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You could be so distracted by an elusive amorous partner or a dream of something that is unattainable that you are missing out on the really important matters in your life. Any new person or project that comes to your attention between now and the middle of July is probably not worth your effort. For business and career matters August is the best time to take the initiative. While everyone else is at their wits end you will have a handle on viable solutions. For love, early October is the best time to test the waters of a new relationship or have an exciting vacation. New friends, groups or clubs could become an important factor in November.

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you are likely to take steps that you think are well thought out. In reality you are mimicking someone else and simply hoping things will pan out. CANCER (June 21-July 22): Approach business matters with determination, but be willing to strike a compromise. If things do not go your way, just be patient and wait for better timing. Be indomitable, but don't make waves. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Spell friendship with a capital "F" for familiar. When you know people, or are familiar with their likes and dislikes through a shared association, you are more likely to feel comfortable in their presence. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You may think you are a budding captain of industry, but remember the captain goes down with the ship. Your idea of what constitutes appropriate business practices may clash with those of others. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Wild enthusiasms could be exciting and attractive, but certain people may get carried away. An ache to possess some new doodad could start to throb. Avoid becom-

ing entangled in sudden impulses. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Be open to new ideas, but do not launch important initiatives. A gracious attitude toward others will smooth any troubled areas today. Zero in on financial matters before a busy weekend distracts you. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): There is a buzz in the air and you may be at the center of it. Lots of phone calls and chatter can prevent you from making progress with your work. Neighbors or siblings may occupy your time. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Act as though the whole world is watching. Too much chatter can be annoying and someone may inadvertently let an important cat out of the bag. Don't try to keep secrets under these stars. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Keep your cell phone battery charged. It is possible you will be called upon to jump into action to please someone close. Communications could become complicated as activity levels step up. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Work in tandem with others to make tasks easier. Experiment with novel methods and use advanced techniques if you must hurry something along. Consider picking the brain of a local guru or expert.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your drive and initiative are admirable, but you may wish to stay out of the limelight. You may be at your best working diligently behind the scenes and taking care of small but crucial details. TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Maintaining a formal air with others could be a good thing as tensions could be building under the surface. You might drain your wallet to maintain friendly relationships and appear approachable. GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Cross your fingers and hope for the best. Right now

Today is Wednesday, May 27, the 147th day of 2009. There are 218 days left in the year.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today's Highlight: On May 27, 1937, the newly completed Golden Gate Bridge connecting San Francisco and Marin County, Calif., was opened to pedestrian traffic. (Vehicular traffic began crossing the bridge the next day.) On this date: In 1818, American reformer Amelia Jenks Bloomer, who popularized the garment that bears her name — "bloomers" — was born in Homer, N.Y. In 1896, 255 people were killed when a tornado struck St. Louis and East St. Louis, Ill. In 1929, Charles A. Lindbergh Jr. married Anne Morrow in Englewood, N.J. In 1933, Walt Disney's Academy Award-winning animated short "The Three Little Pigs" was first released. In 1935, the Supreme Court struck down the National Industrial Recovery Act. In 1936, the Cunard liner

RMS Queen Mary left England on its maiden voyage to New York. In 1941, amid rising world tensions, President Franklin D. Roosevelt proclaimed an "unlimited national emergency." The British navy sank the German battleship Bismarck off France, with a loss of more than 2,100 lives. In 1964, independent India's first prime minister, Jawaharlal Nehru, died. In 1985, in Beijing, representatives of Britain and China exchanged instruments of ratification on the pact returning Hong Kong to the Chinese in 1997. In 1993, five people were killed in a bombing at the Uffizi museum of art in Florence, Italy. Ten years ago: A U.N. tribunal indicted Slobodan Milosevic for crimes against humanity, holding the

Yugoslav president personally responsible for the horrors in Kosovo and brutal purge of ethnic Albanians. The space shuttle Discovery blasted off on a mission to carry supplies to the new international space station. In Milan, Italy, the latest restoration of "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci, an effort that took 22 years, went on display during a VIP-only showing. Five years ago: Abu Hamza al-Masri, a Muslim cleric, was arrested in London and accused of trying to build a terrorist training camp in Oregon. (He remains in British custody despite U.S. attempts to extradite him for trial.) One year ago: Myanmar's military government renewed pro-democracy leader Aung San Suu Kyi's detention for one year; the move came as officials said that international aid workers had finally begun entering Myanmar's cyclone-devastated delta area after being blocked for more than three weeks by the junta.

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Wednesday, May 27, 2009

THE ACES ON BRIDGE Bobby Wolff

"By day thy warning ringing bell to sound its notes,
By night thy silent signal lamps to swing."
— Walt Whitman

The Chinese women's team is surely the strongest team never to have won a world championship, but they are closing in, losing the World Championship last fall by just 1 IMP. When their B team won the prestigious China Cup Teams Competition, this deal contributed to their semifinal victory.

Against three no-trump West led the club six, an attitude lead (the lower the card, the more the leader likes the suit). Plan the play as declarer.

When South played low from dummy on the club, East won and switched to the spade jack, covered by the queen and king. West was now able to continue with the ace and nine of spades. When she got in with the diamond ace, she had four more spade tricks to take, and declarer went four down.

If declarer had won the club ace at trick one and played a diamond, West could have put her partner in with the club king, but as East has the spade jack, the defenders can take only two spade tricks, and three no-trump comes home.

Should declarer have known what to do? The high spot-card lead suggests the club finesse will lose. If you play low at trick one and lose to the club king, you will go down after a spade shift on almost every layout. However, if you play dummy's club ace, you will succeed when East has the spade jack, regardless of who has the club king.

NORTH 05-27-A
♠ —
♥ Q 6 3
♦ K Q J 10 9 8 7
♣ A 9 8

WEST
♥ A K 9 8 7 3 2
♠ 10 4
♦ A
♣ 6 4 3

EAST
♠ J
♥ J 9 8 2
♦ 6 5 4 3 2
♣ K 7 5

SOUTH
♠ Q 10 6 5 4
♥ A K 7 5
♦ —
♣ Q J 10 2

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

The bidding:

South 1 ♠
2 ♥
3 NT

West Pass
Pass
All pass

North 2 ♦
3 ♦

East Pass
Pass

Opening lead: Club six

BID WITH THE ACES 05-27-B

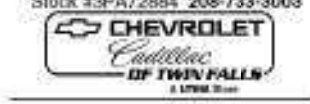
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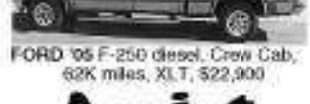
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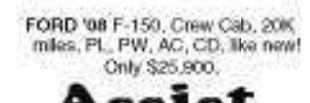
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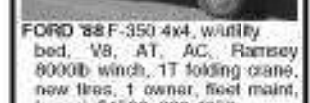
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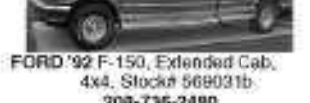
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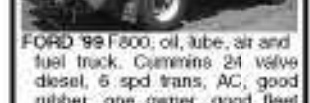
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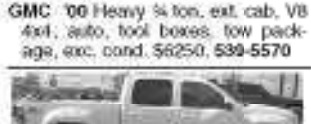
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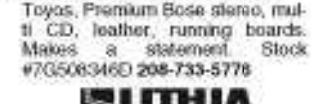
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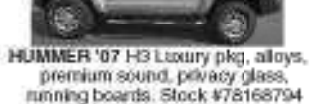
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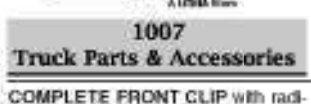
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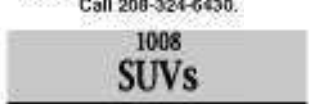
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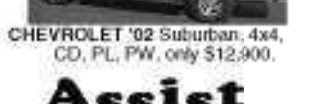
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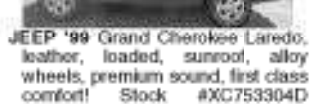
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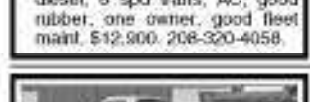
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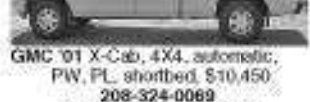
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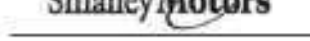
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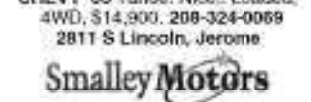


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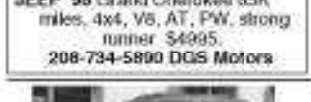
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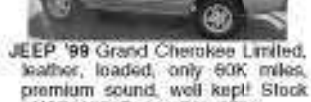
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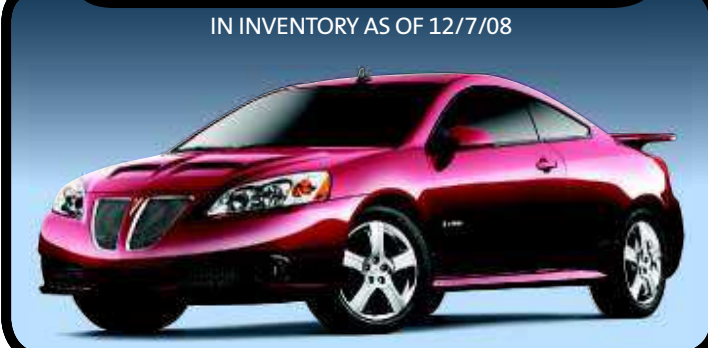
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Fjeld, Dolecheck make college plans official

TFHS softball players recently helped team to fourth place finish at state



Fjeld



Dolecheck

By David Bashore
Times-News writer

Two of the most influential seniors on the Twin Falls softball squad shared a moment again Tuesday when together they confirmed their plans for the next level.

Pitcher Katelyn Fjeld and outfielder Kim Dolecheck signed letters of intent to play college softball, Fjeld at Bethany College (Kan.) and Dolecheck at Treasure Valley Community College.

The duo helped lead Twin Falls to a fourth-place finish at the Class 5A state tournament two weeks ago, to go with the Bruins' runner-up trophy from 2008.

Fjeld signed with

Bethany earlier in the season, but waited until a teammate was signing to make her own official announcement — she said she wanted to share the spotlight rather than have it all to herself.

"These seniors just do everything together," said Twin Falls softball coach Ken Johnson.

Fjeld said she decided on Bethany because her family is from North Dakota, "and (Kansas) just really reminded me of there so I felt right at home. I got along great with the girls, and the coach was really enthusiastic about recruiting me. She said I should have a chance to get a lot of playing time (in the first season)."

See **SIGNINGS**, Sports 2

Magic push Cavs to brink with OT win

By Tom Withers
Associated Press writer

ORLANDO, Fla. — Superman swooped in just in time.

Dwight Howard scored 10 points in overtime and the Orlando Magic, raining down 3-pointers like a Florida thunderstorm, withstood 44 points and a last-second shot by LeBron James for a 116-114 win over the Cleveland Cavaliers on Tuesday night to take a 3-1 lead in the Eastern Conference finals.

Howard finished with 27 points, 14 rebounds and again made his free throws — 7 of 9 — for the resilient Magic, who made a team record 17 3-pointers — 11 after halftime.

Orlando can earn its first trip to the NBA finals since 1995 with a win in Game 5 on Thursday night in Cleveland.

Rafer Alston added 26

points and Rashard Lewis and Mickael Pietrus had 17 each for the Magic.

James was spectacular again, adding 12 rebounds and seven assists, but he had eight turnovers for the Cavs, whose season of seasons is slipping away.

"I had to get myself going. My teammates found me in the right place to score and I kept scoring," Howard said of his overtime effort that included three dunks, a tip-in and two free throws. "I hate losing, especially on my home floor. We kept fighting for the win."

After Lewis made one of two free throws with 3.2 seconds left to give the Magic the 116-114 lead, the Cavs had one final chance.

And every person inside Amway Arena and millions watching on TV knew who was going to get it — James.

See **MAGIC**, Sports 2

Orlando Magic center Dwight Howard blocks a shot from Cleveland Cavaliers' Mo Williams Tuesday during the first quarter of Game 4 of the Eastern Conference finals in Orlando, Fla.



AP photo

2009 TIMES-NEWS GIRLS TRACK ATHLETE OF THE YEAR



Raft River runner Salley Hansen is the 2009 Times-News girls track athlete of the year. RYAN HOWE/Times-News

HANSEN ENDS FRUSTRATIONS WITH CHAMPIONSHIPS

By Ryan Howe
Times-News writer

Sally Hansen kindly thanked the photographer and took off running toward the school.

Her photo shoot for the 2009 Times-News girls track athlete of the year feature was finished, but Hansen's busy day was just beginning.

Besides graduation practice, senior pictures and an honors luncheon, the Raft River senior had to polish up the speech she would deliver at graduation that night as valedictorian.

The same dedication, focus and a competitive drive that earned Hansen a 4.0 GPA and 33 ACT score also propelled her to four gold medals at the Class 1A state track championships this spring.

Hansen won the 100-meter (12.83 seconds), 200-meter (25.68) and 400-meter (57.96) dashes, as well as the

long jump (17 feet, 2 inches). Her 200 time set a state record, and her 400 time was the fastest in the state in any classification this year.

Track has always been a big deal in the Hansen family. Successes by her older brothers and sisters helped fuel Hansen's motivation, but injuries and illness during her freshman, sophomore and junior track seasons kept her from excelling.

"I was so upset all the time," Hansen said of her early frustrations.

"Nothing turned out how I wanted it. I was always shooting for the state championship, that was my goal, and I never got it. This year, I was like, 'This is the year! I went into it with the attitude that I wasn't going to let anything get in my way. I think that attitude really helped me get to where I got!'"

Another source of motivation came from the empty spot in the rafters of Raft River's gymnasium where the

next team state championship banner would be hung. Every day that empty spot mocked her.

"I've always wanted it, through basketball and everything, to have a banner that I contributed to, to have a blue trophy," she said. "For me it was the ultimate goal!"

Finally, Hansen helped the Trojans earn a banner, as the Raft River girls won the team championship this season.

"All the girls went into it with the attitude of we have to do our best or we won't win," she said. "Everyone did their best — even better than their best!"

Hansen is heading to Utah Valley University where she'll join the Wolverines track team. She's hoping to compete in the heptathlon, adding hurdles and throws to her repertoire. After all, like any true competitor, Hansen is always looking for the next challenge.

Canseco strikes out in mixed martial arts debut

The Associated Press

YOKOHAMA, Japan — Jose Canseco came out swinging but didn't last long in his debut in mixed martial arts.

The former Oakland A's slugger was defeated by South Korean super heavy-weight Hong Man Choi by a knockout just 1 minute, 17 seconds into the first round at Yokohama Arena.

The referee stopped the fight when the 7-foot-2, 330-pound Choi knocked Canseco to the mat and started punching his head.

"That's a big man," Canseco said after the fight. "I ran into one of his left jabs and that almost knocked me out. You have no idea how scary it was facing a man that big!"

Canseco did land the first blow with a right to the

upper body of Choi but that was all the damage he could inflict on the Korean giant.

Shortly into the fight, Canseco hurt his right knee and was unable to do much after that.

"I hurt my knee back home real bad but I didn't want to disappoint the fans," Canseco said. "I knew that at some point during the fight my knee was going to give out and once I was

down I knew I wasn't going to get up. He's just too heavy to move."

Canseco came into the arena to "Wild Thing" with a baseball bat on his shoulder. The way things turned out, he probably should have kept the bat.

He took a few swings of the bat after the fight was over and was helped out of

See **CANSECO**, Sports 2



AP photo

Former MLB player Jose Canseco, right, fights against super heavy-weight Hong Man Choi of South Korea Tuesday during his debut mixed martial arts Dream 9 card at Yokohama Arena in Yokohama, Japan.

Williams needs 9 match points to win in Paris

PARIS (AP) — Serena Williams entered Tuesday with a 37-0 record in the first round at Grand Slam tournaments.

She also began the day with a four-match losing streak, the longest of her career.

Williams focused on the second of those statistics, the more discouraging one. And while she never appeared truly in danger of coming out on the wrong end against 100th-ranked Klara Zakopalova, there were times when it did seem Williams simply could not wrap things up.

Twice, Williams served for the match and was broken. Eight times, Williams was a single point from victory and couldn't complete the task. Finally, on match point No. 9, Zakopalova pushed a forehand wide to seal Williams' 6-3, 6-7 (5), 6-4 victory, leaving the 10-time Grand Slam champion screaming and hopping at the baseline in a mix of joy and relief.

"I was just desperate for a win," the second-seeded Williams said, "and I think it pretty much showed in my game."

Whether it was the result of rust

or a lingering knee injury or the swirling wind that carried debris from the stands onto the court, Williams' mistakes kept coming. She finished with the same number of unforced errors as winners, 35, wound up wasting 13 of 20 break points and put only 55 percent of her first serves in play.

All in all, it was a 2½-hour struggle for the 2002 French Open champion. Afterward, she went on court with older sister Venus to play doubles, a match suspended in the third set at about 9:45 p.m. because of darkness.

It was an anticlimactic end to a Day 3 that brought the first rain of the tournament, a two-hour-plus delay that interrupted easy victories for No. 5 Jelena Jankovic and No. 7 Svetlana Kuznetsova.

The only newsworthy upsets might not necessarily count as significant surprises, actually, given that they involved U.S. men losing to Argentines: No. 15 James Blake lost to qualifier Leonardo Mayer 7-6 (6), 7-5, 6-2, and No. 22 Mardy Fish was beaten by Maximo Gonzalez 6-3, 1-6, 6-4, 7-6 (4).



AP photo
Serena Williams returns the ball to Czech Republic's Klara Zakopalova Tuesday during their first round match of the French Open at the Roland Garros stadium in Paris.

Time is running out on golfer John Daly

By Doug Ferguson
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Analysis

John Daly has seen this act before.

At two tournaments during his European tour vacation this month, Daly played the first two rounds with Alvaro Quiros, the big basher from Spain. Quiros hits driver whenever he can, sometimes when he shouldn't.

"We had a blast in Italy," Daly said. "When he got a hold of one, it was a good ways past me. On one hole, we both crushed it, and it was close. I think he was impressed the old man could get it up to him. I mean, I've only got him by what, 20 years?"

Quiros is 26, not that young. Daly is 43, and at times must feel much older.

For years, Daly was the epitome of the long ball. He introduced "Grip It and Rip It" when he won the PGA Championship at Crooked Stick as the ninth alternate. That was 18 years ago, and so much has transpired since.

Daly will return to the PGA Tour next month after a six-month suspension, the second time the tour has suspended him for unbecoming conduct. Two other times, he agreed to sit out to get his life in order. He has been to alcohol rehab twice and is going through his third divorce. He wrote an autobiography that was as much about drinking, sex and gambling as it was about his golf. He also managed to win another major — at St. Andrews, no less — and remains optimistic about his future.

For how much longer? "As long as I can swing and breathe," Daly said.

But he is running out of time. At his age, he won't have many more opportunities. Daly has been around too long, and his act has worn thin with too many people.

Have an NFL coach cad-die for you after a rain delay? Been there. Use a beer can to tee up your ball in a pro-am? Done that.

The train wrecks? He had an 11 on one hole in the 1999 U.S. Open at Pinehurst No. 2, and a 14 on the closing hole at Pebble Beach a year later. His personal high is an 18 on the sixth hole at Bay Hill.

Giving up on rounds? Daly has shot in the 80s more than 50 times on the PGA Tour, but there's more. Since his rookie season in 1991, he has made it through only one season (1996) without a round in the 80s. And it's not like certain courses get the best of him. Daly has shot in the 80s at 25 different tournaments. And that's just the PGA Tour.

Most players don't have a problem with Daly, beyond disappointment to see so little out of so much talent.

"I just walked through the range, and there's 50 people just standing behind, watching what he does," Paul Casey said last week from Wentworth. "I think it's great. It brings something to this golf course, brings something to every golf tournament he plays in."

One reason Daly continues to get exemptions is because few other players move the needle.

The St. Jude Championship offered him a chance June 11 in Memphis, Tenn., near where Daly lives. He also said the Buick Open gave him an exemption at the end of July, and Daly is exempt at the British Open and PGA Championship as a past champion.

"The game is not just about talent, it's about confidence," he said. "And with my golf game, I've got to have confidence to play well. I don't think I wasted my talent. I just don't think I ever had the confidence to be consistent."

Even so, the time away from the PGA Tour might have sounded a few alarms.

When he first lost his PGA Tour card after the 2006 season, Daly had so many sponsor exemptions that he had to turn them down. Now, he goes through the list of tournaments wondering where he can get in. John Deere? Canada? Hartford?

"You get complacent when you think you've got all these years ahead of you," he said. "Now I know that I may not play the tour if something good doesn't happen. It's making me work harder."

The immediate appeal of Daly is that he was banned from the tour for six months. That makes him a novelty. He has lost 50 pounds through a lap-band surgery. He is wearing trousers from Loudmouth Golf that are, well, loud.

For someone with only five PGA Tour victories, Daly has managed to keep his name in the news for nearly two decades — sometimes for his golf, usually for incidents outside the ropes. He says he is working hard and getting his life in order. Even those who want to believe him are not sure how long that will last.

For now, Daly must treat this next chance the way he did his first chance. Before he lets it rip, he needs to get a grip.

Because ultimately, only his golf can save him.

Greinke picks up eighth win for Royals

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Zack Greinke struck out eight while pitching his fifth complete game and Mitch Maier drove in three runs after coming off the bench, leading the Kansas City Royals past the Detroit Tigers 6-1 Tuesday night.

Greinke (8-1), who leads the majors in ERA, complete games and shutouts (two), allowed six hits and one first-inning run. For the rest of the night, his varied assortment of 98 mph fastballs and corner-biting breaking pitches dealt nothing but zeros to a Detroit lineup that scored 13 runs the day before.

Greinke threw a season-high 116 pitches and did not allow a walk while his ERA rose from 0.82 to 0.84. In two starts against the Tigers this year, he has allowed one earned run in two complete-game wins.

ORIOLES 7, BLUE JAYS 2

BALTIMORE — Aubrey Huff, Adam Jones and Nolan Reimold homered, right-hander Jason Berken won his major league debut and the Orioles defeated Toronto to stretch the Blue Jays' losing streak to eight games.

Only 10,130 fans — the smallest crowd in the 18-year history of Camden Yards — showed up on a miserable night. The temperature dipped into the low 50s and a steady mist swirled through the stadium from the outset.

INDIANS 5, RAYS 1

CLEVELAND — Carl Pavano won for the fifth time in six starts and Ryan Garko hit one of four homers for the Indians in a win over the Rays.

Asdrubal Cabrera, Kelly Shoppach and Mark DeRosa also connected for the Indians, who won for the fifth time in seven games and earned their 15th consecutive home win over the Rays since Sept. 29, 2005.

TWINS 5, RED SOX 2

MINNEAPOLIS — Justin Morneau's three-run homer capped a five-run fifth inning for Minnesota against Boston starter Jon Lester.

Nick Blackburn (4-2) struck out a career-high seven in seven innings for



AP photo
Kansas City Royals starting pitcher Zack Greinke delivers Tuesday during the first inning against the Detroit Tigers in Kansas City, Mo.

Minnesota, yielding a double and a walk to new No. 6 hitter David Ortiz, and the suddenly powerful Twins set up Morneau's shot with the small ball they're more familiar with.

NATIONAL LEAGUE REDS 6, ASTROS 4

CINCINNATI — Joey Votto hit a two-run homer in the seventh — an inning after right-hander Roy Oswalt failed to hold a lead against the team he's beaten like no other — and Cincinnati sent the Houston Astros to their sixth straight loss.

Votto's homer off Tim Lincecum (0-1) snapped a 4-all tie and sent the Reds to their third straight win, which matches their season high.

METS 6, NATIONALS 1

NEW YORK — Livan Hernandez shut down Ryan Zimmerman and the Nationals, pitching the New York Mets' first complete game of the season in a win over Washington.

Hernandez (4-1) worked around nine hits in going the distance for the 46th time in his career, most recently in May 2008 with Minnesota.

PHILLIES 5, MARLINS 3

PHILADELPHIA — Joe Blanton had a career-high 11 strikeouts in seven scoreless innings, and the Phillies held on to beat the Marlins.

Blanton (3-3) allowed five hits in his best outing since last August. Brad Lidge pitched out of jam in the ninth to earn his ninth save in 13 chances. Lidge, who was 48-for-48 last year, including the postseason, blew consecutive save opportunities against the New York Yankees last weekend.

CUBS 6, PIRATES 1, 5 INNINGS

CHICAGO — Sean Marshall allowed four hits and singled in a run, Kosuke Fukudome homered and the Cubs beat the Pirates to snap an eight-game losing streak on a rain-shortened night.

Marshall (3-3) tied a season-high with six strikeouts before the game was called with none out in the top of the sixth following a delay of 1 hour, 2 minutes, and the two-time defending NL Central champions ended their longest slide in three years.

CARDINALS 8, BREWERS 1

MILWAUKEE — Adam Wainwright hit one of four Cardinals homers and struck out a career-high nine in seven innings, lifting St. Louis to a win over the Brewers.

Nick Stavinoha, Colby Rasmus and Chris Duncan also homered for the Cardinals to snap a four-game skid against their NL Central rivals.

DODGERS 7, ROCKIES 1

DENVER — Eric Milton allowed one run in five innings for his first win in nearly three years and Casey Blake hit a three-run double in the fifth.

Milton (1-0) struck out three and walked none in helping the Dodgers to their seventh win in eight meetings with the Rockies. He hadn't won since beating St. Louis on Aug. 8, 2006, for the Cincinnati Reds.

— The Associated Press

Magic

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The league MVP, who saved the Cavaliers with a 3-pointer at the final horn in Game 2, was double-teamed on the inbound pass but still managed to get free. He came back and got the ball before dribbling into the frontcourt as Magic fans held their collective breath.

James then rose from 35 feet, and with a clean look at the basket, sent his

shot toward the rim.

It fell short, and Cleveland's dream season may be next.

"He didn't look tired. He just nearly hit a 50-footer from halfcourt," Howard said of James, exaggerating the distance a bit. "I love playing against him."

Cleveland's Mo Williams, who guaranteed the Cavs would win Game 4 and

the series, scored 18 points, none after the third quarter. Delonte West added 17 and Zydrunas Ilgauskas had 12 for the Cavaliers.

Following the game, Magic fans chanted "One more win."

History is on the Magic's side heading into Game 5. Teams with a 3-1 lead are a staggering 182-8 in series dating to 1947.

Signings

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Dolecheck, who is known just as much for crashing through fences as for her hitting, jumped at the opportunity to realize a lifelong dream.

"I've always wanted to play college softball so when Treasure Valley called I got right on that chance. It's a great feeling to know that I'm going to be able to do something I love for at least a couple more years," Dolecheck said.

Canseco

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the ring by his girlfriend, Heidi Northcott.

Canseco, who hit 462 home runs over 17 seasons in the major leagues, has had several fights inside the ring since leaving baseball but has never taken on professional fighters like Choi, who improved to 2-2 in MMA. He boxed Danny Bonaduce, a for-

mer "Partridge Family" child star, to a draw in a celebrity match in January. The 1988 AL MVP, who named alleged steroid abusers like himself in his two books, lost to former Philadelphia Eagle Vai Sihakema in his first foray into celebrity boxing.

By his acknowledgment, the baseball outcast needs the money. It's one

reason why Canseco has accepted a wide variety of offbeat jobs to make ends meet.

He said he will work on getting his knee back in shape before taking on any more fights.

"I have no idea if I'll do this again," Canseco said. "I've gotta get my knee better before I commit to anything like this."

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Through May 25 Points

1. Jeff Gordon, 1,722. 2. Tony Stewart, 1,678. 3. Kurt Busch, 1,607. 4. Jimmie Johnson, 1,594. 5. Denny Hamlin, 1,575. 6. Kyle Busch, 1,540. 7. Ryan Newman, 1,538. 8. Jeff Burton, 1,472. 9. Matt Kenseth, 1,460. 10. Greg Biffle, 1,448.

11. Carl Edwards, 1,431. 12. Mark Martin, 1,428. 13. David Reutimann, 1,422. 14. Juan Pablo Montoya, 1,397. 15. Kasey Kahne, 1,351. 16. Brian Vickers, 1,348. 17. Clint Bowyer, 1,319. 18. Martin Truex Jr., 1,238. 19. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 1,225. 20. Marcos Ambrose, 1,216.

Money

1. Matt Kenseth, \$3,563,874. 2. Tony Stewart, \$3,004,926. 3. Kevin Harvick, \$2,773,438. 4. Jeff Gordon, \$2,696,088. 5. Kyle Busch, \$2,650,552. 6. Jimmie Johnson, \$2,547,637. 7. Carl Edwards, \$2,087,212. 8. Jeff Burton, \$2,071,987. 9. Ryan Newman, \$2,070,938. 10. David Reutimann, \$2,003,145.

11. Joey Logano, \$1,956,477. 12. Kasey Kahne, \$1,901,316. 13. Mark Martin, \$1,888,233. 14. Clint Bowyer, \$1,878,309. 15. Kurt Busch, \$1,846,859. 16. Greg Biffle, \$1,840,934. 17. Juan Pablo Montoya, \$1,791,645. 18. AJ Allmendinger, \$1,782,263. 19. Martin Truex Jr., \$1,773,474. 20. Reed Sorenson, \$1,757,531.

BASEBALL

American League

All Times EDT

EAST	W	L	PCT	GB
Boston	27	19	.587	-
New York	26	19	.578	1/2
Toronto	27	22	.551	1 1/2
Tampa Bay	23	25	.479	5
Baltimore	20	26	.435	7

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT	GB
Detroit	25	19	.568	-
Kansas City	23	23	.500	3
Minnesota	23	24	.489	3 1/2
Chicago	20	24	.455	5
Cleveland	19	28	.404	7 1/2

WEST	W	L	PCT	GB
Texas	26	18	.591	-
Los Angeles	23	21	.523	3
Seattle	21	25	.457	6
Oakland	17	25	.405	8

Monday's Games

N.Y. Yankees 4, Texas 1
Boston 6, Minnesota 5
Detroit 13, Kansas City 1
Oakland 6, Seattle 1
Cleveland 11, Tampa Bay 10
Chicago White Sox 17, L.A. Angels 3

Tuesday's Games

Cleveland 5, Tampa Bay 1
Baltimore 7, Toronto 2
Minnesota 5, Boston 2
Kansas City 6, Detroit 1
N.Y. Yankees at Texas, late, rain
Chicago White Sox at L.A. Angels, late
Seattle at Oakland, late

Wednesday's Games

Toronto (Halladay 5-3) at Baltimore (R Hill 1-0), 11:35 a.m.
Detroit (Porcello 5-3) at Kansas City (Davies 2-3), 12:10 p.m.
Seattle (Bedard 2-2) at Oakland (Cahill 2-4), 1:35 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Sonnastein 3-4) at Cleveland (Zackson 0-0), 5:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (A. Burnett 2-2) at Texas (Holland 1-1), 6:05 p.m.
Boston (Matsuzaka 0-2) at Minnesota (Slowey 6-1), 6:10 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Floyd 3-4) at L.A. Angels (Her Weaver 3-2), 8:05 p.m.

National League

All Times EDT

EAST	W	L	PCT	GB
Philadelphia	25	19	.568	-
New York	25	20	.556	1/2
Atlanta	23	21	.523	2
Florida	21	26	.447	5 1/2
Washington	13	32	.289	12 1/2

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT	GB
Milwaukee	27	19	.587	-
St. Louis	27	19	.587	-
Cincinnati	25	20	.556	1 1/2
Chicago	22	22	.500	4
Pittsburgh	21	25	.457	6
Baltimore	18	26	.409	8

WEST	W	L	PCT	GB
Los Angeles	32	15	.681	-
San Diego	23	22	.511	8
San Francisco	21	23	.477	9 1/2
Arizona	19	26	.422	12
Colorado	18	27	.400	13

Monday's Games

Milwaukee 1, St. Louis 10, 10 innings
L.A. Dodgers 16, Colorado 6
San Diego 9, Arizona 7, 10 innings
San Francisco 8, Atlanta 2
Florida 5, Philadelphia 3
N.Y. Mets 5, Washington 2
Pittsburgh 10, Chicago Cubs 8

Tuesday's Games

Philadelphia 5, Florida 3
Cincinnati 6, Houston 4
Chicago Cubs 6, Pittsburgh 1, 5 innings
St. Louis 8, Milwaukee 1
L.A. Dodgers 7, Colorado 1
San Diego at Arizona, late
Atlanta at San Francisco, late

Wednesday's Games

St. Louis (Wellemyer 4-4) at Milwaukee (M. Parra 3-5), 11:05 a.m.
Pittsburgh (Duke 5-4) at Chicago Cubs (Zambrano 3-2), 12:20 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 2-3) at Colorado (Jimenez 3-5), 1:10 p.m.
Florida (Badenhop 2-2) at Philadelphia (Myers 4-2), 5:05 p.m.
Houston (F. Paulino 1-3) at Cincinnati (Arroyo 6-3), 5:10 p.m.
Washington (Zimmermann 2-1) at N.Y. Mets (J. Santana 6-2), 5:10 p.m.
San Diego (Peavy 4-5) at Arizona (Buckner 1-0), 7:40 p.m.
Atlanta (Kawakami 3-5) at San Francisco (Ra. Johnson 3-4), 8:15 p.m.

AL Boxes

TWINS 5, RED SOX 2

Boston	ab	r	h	bi	Minnesota	ab	r	h	bi
Elsbury cf	5	2	2	0	Span cf	4	0	0	0
Pedroia 2b	4	0	1	0	Mauer c	3	1	0	0
J. Drew rf	3	0	0	0	Morena lf	3	1	2	3
Youkilss 3b	4	0	1	0	Cuddyer rf	4	0	1	0
Bay lf	4	0	0	0	Kubel dh	3	0	0	0
D. Ortiz dh	3	0	1	0	Bjornson 3b	3	1	1	0
Varetek c	4	0	1	0	D. Ortiz lf	4	0	0	0
Bailey lb	3	0	0	0	Gomez cf	0	0	0	0
Lugo ss	4	0	2	0	Tolbert 2b	4	1	1	0
Totals	35	2	9	1	Totals	28	5	7	5

PHILLIES 5, MARLINS 3

Florida	ab	r	h	bi	Philadelphia	ab	r	h	bi
Bonifac 3b	5	0	0	0	Rollins ss	4	2	0	0
Hermid rf	5	0	1	0	Victorn cf	5	1	4	1
Hrmrz ss	2	0	1	0	Utley 2b	4	1	1	0
Helmz 3b	3	0	0	0	Howard 1b	3	0	1	0
Cantu lf	4	0	1	0	Ibanez lf	2	0	1	0
JoBarc c	4	0	0	0	Wertz rf	4	1	1	0
Uggie 2b	3	1	1	0	Feliz 2b	3	1	1	0
C. Ross lf	4	1	3	0	Ruiz c	4	0	0	0
Gibson lf	1	1	0	0	Blanton p	2	0	0	0
Amiller p	2	0	0	0	Madsen p	0	0	0	0
Hayes ph	1	0	0	0	Doobz ph	1	0	0	0
Leroux p	0	0	0	0	Durbin p	0	0	0	0
Gload ph	1	0	0	0	S. Eyre p	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	6	2	Totals	34	5	10	5

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Bonifac 3b	5	0	0	0	Rollins ss	4	2	0	0
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Hrmrz ss	2	0	1	0	Utley 2b	4	1	1	0
Helmz 3b	3	0	0	0	Howard 1b	3	0	1	0
Cantu lf	4	0	1	0	Ibanez lf	2	0	1	0
JoBarc c	4	0	0	0	Wertz rf	4	1	1	0
Uggie 2b	3	1	1	0	Feliz 2b	3	1	1	0
C. Ross lf	4	1	3	0	Ruiz c	4	0	0	0
Gibson lf	1	1	0	0	Blanton p	2	0	0	0
Amiller p	2	0	0	0	Madsen p	0	0	0	0
Hayes ph	1	0	0	0	Doobz ph	1	0	0	0
Leroux p	0	0	0	0	Durbin p	0	0	0	0
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Cantu lf	4	0	1	0	Ibanez lf	2	0	1	0
JoBarc c	4	0	0	0	Wertz rf	4	1	1	0
Uggie 2b	3	1	1	0	Feliz 2b	3	1	1	0
C. Ross lf	4	1	3	0	Ruiz c	4	0	0	0
Gibson lf	1	1	0	0	Blanton p	2	0	0	0
Amiller p	2	0	0	0	Madsen p	0	0	0	0
Hayes ph	1	0	0	0	Doobz ph	1	0	0	0
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C. Ross lf	4	1	3	0	Ruiz c	4	0	0	0
Gibson lf	1	1	0	0	Blanton p	2	0	0	0
Amiller p	2	0	0	0	Madsen p	0	0	0	0
Hayes ph	1	0	0	0	Doobz ph	1	0	0	0
Leroux p	0	0	0	0	Durbin p	0	0	0	0
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Gibson lf	1	1	0	0	Blanton p	2	0	0	0
Amiller p	2	0	0	0	Madsen p	0	0	0	0
Hayes ph	1	0	0	0	Doobz ph	1	0	0	0
Leroux p	0	0	0	0	Durbin p	0	0	0	0
Gload ph	1	0	0	0	S. Eyre p	0	0	0	0
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Cantu lf	4	0	1	0	Ibanez lf	2	0	1	0
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Uggie 2b	3	1	1	0	Feliz 2b	3	1	1	0
C. Ross lf	4	1	3	0	Ruiz c	4	0	0	0
Gibson lf	1	1	0	0	Blanton p	2	0	0	0
Amiller p	2	0	0	0	Madsen p	0	0	0	0
Hayes ph	1	0	0	0	Doobz ph	1	0	0	0
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Helmz 3b	3	0	0	0	Howard 1b	3	0	1	0
Cantu lf									

Big NFL players are prone to high blood pressure

CHICAGO (AP) — Supersized pro football players are prone to high blood pressure but fare better on some other health measures than more average-sized men, new NFL-sponsored research shows.

The mixed results suggest that intense physical conditioning can help reduce but not wipe out ill effects excess weight has on heart disease-related risks.

Compared with other men their age, the National Football League players studied were more than twice as likely to have high blood pressure — 14 percent versus 6 percent for non-players.

Among the biggest players — linemen with a body mass index in the obese range — about 90 percent had either high blood pressure or prehypertension, which is less dangerous but still risky.

The biggest players also had worse levels of “good” cholesterol and blood fats called triglycerides, but fewer signs of pre-diabetes than non-players.

The NFL and study authors downplayed the negative findings from a pool of 504 players of all sizes. Except for high blood pressure, the authors said, players on average faced no greater heart disease risks

than men their same age in the general population.

But heart disease experts not involved in the study said grouping lean quarterbacks with big beefy linemen doesn't make sense.

“It's mixing apples and oranges,” said Cleveland Clinic heart specialist Dr. Steven Nissen. He said the results show “it's unhealthy to have excess body fat whether you're an athlete or not.”

The study appears in Wednesday's Journal of the American Medical Association.

The research didn't look at actual heart disease, but a previous study found that retired NFL linemen faced increased chances of dying from heart problems compared with other players and the general population.

Justin Bannan, a 6-foot-3, 310-pound defensive tackle for the Baltimore Ravens was among the study subjects. By standard criteria, he'd be considered obese with a BMI over 38. Other than that, Bannan said his results were “pretty normal” and he feels “pretty fit for the size I am.”

“The problem is when you're done playing, as a lineman, you're going to have to make some changes” to avoid health risks, he said.

Manning's passing thoughts on Colts' staff

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — All Peyton Manning wants from the Indianapolis Colts is a game plan. It may take the team a little longer to satisfy the three-time MVP.

The front office is trying to determine how retired assistants Tom Moore and Howard Mudd will fit into this season's coaching plans. Manning, who usually toes the company line, would like a better understanding of what to expect.

“Somebody says one thing, then somebody else says another thing,” he said Tuesday after a minicamp workout. “I'm not sure everybody's on the same page in this building. I'm just trying to focus on playing quarterback well.”

The truth is, the Colts don't know a whole lot, either.

Moore and Mudd retired two weeks ago to avoid losing money under the NFL's revised pension plan. Last week, team owner Jim Irsay told The Indianapolis Star both would return as consultants.

Apparently, those details are still being worked out.

NFL Coaches Association executive director Larry Kennan said last week the two assistants would have to wait six months before returning. Moore is the only coordinator Manning has played for in 11 seasons; Mudd is the Colts' longtime offensive line coach.

But the Colts don't know if they'll really have to wait that long, or what responsibilities Moore and Mudd will assume when they return.



AP file photo

In this Jan. 1, 2006 file photo, Indianapolis Colts quarterback Peyton Manning, left, talks with offensive coordinator Tom Moore on the sidelines after Manning left a game against the Arizona Cardinals after only three plays during the first quarter against the Arizona Cardinals in Indianapolis. While the front office tries to determine how retired assistants Howard Mudd and Moore will fit into this season's coaching plans, Manning, who usually totes the company line, would like a better understanding of what to expect.

“It's still in negotiations and it's a situation beyond our control,” new coach Jim Caldwell said. “At the same time, it will filter itself out at some point. I think what we have to do is focus in on what we can get done now.”

Manning is working on his job, but he would also like some answers.

“I can't tell you what's going on. I will say I don't think it's been the most properly communicated scenario around here,” he said. “But

we have learned to deal with change and have to be prepared to adjust.”

The Colts already have announced assistant head coach Clyde Christensen will assume play-calling duties and assistant line coach Pete Metzelaars will have the word “assistant” dropped from his title.

Indy veterans are content with those choices.

Manning said Christensen helped call plays in third-down and red-zone

situations last season, two categories in which the Colts had the league's No. 1 conversion rate in 2008.

Three-time Pro Bowl center Jeff Saturday also said his teammates along the line spoke with both Metzelaars and Mudd during games and practices last season, and because the focus this week is on strengthening and conditioning, Saturday hasn't seen much change yet.

“We've not really done anything anyway,” he said. “We'd normally be meeting with Pete now, so it's not really affected us. What will happen, or what it (the coaching staff) will look like, I don't know. But I'm sure Jim will make it very clear at some point.”

The Colts are in the midst of perhaps their biggest transition since taking Manning with the No. 1 draft pick in 1998.

Besides losing Moore and Mudd, Caldwell has replaced the retired Tony Dungy and has hired new defensive and special teams coordinators. It's the first time since Manning's rookie season the Colts have switched head coaches and both coordinators in the same season.

Manning also lost Marvin Harrison, the franchise's career receiving leader. He was released in a February salary-cap move.

But the most recent moves, losing Moore and Mudd, and the uncertainty about what they'll do this season has one of the league's highest-profile players concerned.

New England Patriot quarterback Tom Brady holds his knee after getting hurt in the first half of a Week 1 game against the Kansas City Chiefs during the 2008 season. AP photo



Brady at first formal practice since knee injury

FOXBOROUGH, Mass. (AP) — Tom Brady practiced with the New England Patriots for the first time Tuesday since suffering a season-ending knee injury in last year's opening game.

Brady and nearly the entire team participated in the first of four days of this

week's organized team activities, Patriots spokesman Stacey James said.

The first three days of OTAs were held last week for young players and others signed as free agents in the offseason who needed more time to get used to the playbook. About 50 players,

roughly half the team, took part in those. The sessions are voluntary.

James said Tuesday that Brady threw passes and did other activities during his first formal practice with the club since he suffered a torn left knee ligament midway through the first quarter of

the Patriots 17-10 win over the Kansas City Chiefs.

The Patriots plan a total of 12 OTA days, two fewer than the maximum allowed by the NFL. Players do not wear full pads.

Brady had surgery Oct. 6 and a subsequent operation for an infection in the knee.

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