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Twin Falls water usage mirrors national trend

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

The city of Twin Falls' water usage has decreased in recent years, mirroring a national trend that shows water usage by cities and industries has declined in the last few decades.

Americans are using less water per person now than they have since the mid-1950s, according to a report released last week by the U.S. Geological Survey. The nation's water usage is down from a peak in 1980.

Experts said it was particularly welcome news in the burgeoning West, where cities built in dry regions are grappling with intense disputes and ecosystem collapse tied to dwindling supplies.

"Even during a time of population growth and economic growth, we are all using less water," said Susan Hutson, a USGS hydrologist in Memphis, and an author of the report. "It's exciting to see we have responded to these crises by really seeking solutions."

Twin Falls hit a peak for daily water usage in the summer of 2001, when the city used 33 million gallons in one day. Since then, usage has dropped, which city officials credit to water

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Armando Aspeytia, with the Twin Falls Water Department, works with colleagues Monday to replace an old fire hydrant. Water usage in Twin Falls has declined over the past decade in a trend that mirrors what's happening nationally in water conservation.

Hearing begins on Burley aquifer injections

By Nate Poppino
Times-News writer

POCATELLO — A former feedlot employee described to a federal judge watching contaminated water being pumped into the ground near Burley on the first of a two-day hearing focused on Double C Farms co-owner Cory King.

A jury in April found King guilty of four counts of injecting fluids into an underground aquifer without a permit, as well as one count of making a false statement to investigators.

Now, as part of preparation for his sentencing, lawyers on both sides are meeting before U.S. District Judge B. Lynn Winnmill to debate just what those fluids were.

King's federal indictment originally alleged the fluids were contaminated wastewater, but the issue was later kept out of the April trial.

On Monday, prosecutors finally made their case for the waste, capping a string of witnesses with Shawn Carson, a former Double C employee who alerted state inspectors to the injection wells and has since become caught up in state-level lawsuits with the feedlot owners.

Carson said he'd been aware of injections at at least one well since he started full-time at Double C around 1993. Used as a way to prevent possible flooding in nearby Willow Creek, one well in particular also allegedly sucked up wastewater from other facilities during the wet spring of 2005, he said. He described

watching polluted water flow through a ditch to a junction area near the siphoning well.

"I knew that that well was taking that water and those contaminants at that time," Carson said.

Prosecutors may have to work to swing the judge their way. Outside of Carson and similar testimony from a former Idaho Department of Water Resources employee, they focused much of their time on the process used to test a sample of Willow Creek water nearly one month after King stopped injecting water in June 2005.

The water at that time showed some presence of E. coli bacteria and exceeded drinking-water standards for total coliform, according to a statement filed by Stephanie Harris, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's lead regional microbiologist and a witness on Monday. But prosecutors could not show the state of the water during the injections, and only Carson confirmed for them that irrigation diversions from the creek had allegedly once been used before as drinking water.

King's lawyers attacked the competence and credibility of the scientists who gathered and tested the water, and presumably will continue to attempt to portray Carson as an upset and irresponsible ex-employee when cross-examination resumes today.

They will also present their own witnesses sometime during the hearing, which starts at 9 a.m.

Filer residents to vote on liquor proposal

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

Filer residents will decide in the election today if the city's establishments should be allowed to sell liquor by the drink.

Currently, the city only allows establishments with liquor licenses to sell patrons drinks of wine and beer. The proposal, if approved by a simple majority of voters, would allow the sale of other alcoholic beverages such as vodka, bourbon or mixed drinks.

The proposal is on the ballot following a petition submitted by Deborah Corbett, co-owner of the Moon Bar in Filer.

The petition has 185 signatures, and meets the requirements under Idaho code, said Shari Hart, Filer city clerk.

Under state law, a petition to sell liquor by the drink qualifies for placement on the ballot if it's by signed by 20 percent of

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Convicted killer's call for relief flops

By Andrea Jackson
Times-News writer

Nicole Baker's attempt to get out of a prison sentence for murder flopped on Monday when a Twin Falls judge dismissed most of her claims.

Baker, 25, is lodged at the Pocatello Women's Correctional Center and did not appear for her

hearing on Monday.

She is serving a prison sentence of 12 years to life for first-degree murder and criminal conspiracy, after pleading guilty in the 2006 killing of 19-year-old Jesse Coates.

Coates, 19, was found shot dead in the South Hills in December 2006. Baker



Baker

and three men were locked up for the killing, which followed a robbery spree.

But now Baker says she took responsibility for something she didn't do.

In an application for post-conviction relief, Baker says she was kidnapped and tortured by men who

were convicted in Coates' murder. Baker also says she had an ineffective public defender.

"A plea was made involuntarily under distress and fear of life indeterminate, the usual scare tactics used by malicious prosecution and under paid (sic) public defenders," Baker states in court

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Campaign contributions sparse for T.F. Council race

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

If counting ballots takes as long as counting campaign contributions, Twin Falls City Council candidates will have a short wait tonight for election results after the polls close.

The most recent campaign finance disclosure reports, which were due last week, show that the highest level of financial support for any one council candidate came in slightly above the \$2,000 mark.



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VIEW campaign contribution records.
SEE election results posted tonight.

Councilman Greg Lanting, who is running for re-election to seat 5, reported \$850 in contributions for Oct. 1-20, with a total of \$2,150 in donations for the year through that date. Lanting has three challengers: Chris Talkington, Steve Garner and Jim Schouten.

Lanting's supporters include

Gregg Middlekauff, who gave \$250; Bill Kyle, who gave \$200, and Gerald Martens and Doug Vollmer, who each gave \$100. Mark Huston of Des Moines, Iowa, — whom Lanting said is his best friend — gave \$150.

Lanting said he's surprised to have the highest level of financial support, adding that he didn't

feel he raised that much.

Talkington reported \$725 in contributions from Oct. 10-27, with \$775 for the year through Oct. 27. His supporters include Ernie Bengoechea, Marge Slotten and Charles Tuma, who each gave \$100; and Eugene Conner, who gave \$200.

Talkington said supporters have been generous, adding that he has never seen a relationship between the amount of contributions and the number of votes.

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Pat's Picks

Three things to do today

Pat Marcantonio



● Go vote at city elections. Do you civic duty. City election turnout is traditionally low, so help turn that around.

● The Paul Congregational Church Harvest Dinner, which is served family style, runs from 5 to 8 p.m., at the church, 121 N. Second W. St. Cost is a freewill offering. There will also be home-made noodles for sale.

● Spend an evening with

jazz. The College of Southern Idaho Jazz Faculty Combo, with percussionist Russ Caldwell, performs a jam session, 6 to 8 p.m. at Pandora's restaurant, 516 Hansen St., Twin Falls. No cover.

Have your own pick to share? Something unique to the area and that may surprise people? E-mail me at patm@magicvalley.com.

Killer

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records. "Instead of believing I was a victim, I was persecuted without investigation."

According to Baker, she was the victim and a missing-person report that was filed on her behalf, but never investigated.

Twin Falls County authorities disagree.

"The missing-persons report is a fiction," said Twin Falls County Prosecutor Grant Loebs during Monday's hearing. "Nicole Baker was never missing."

Instead, Baker had actually gone to "lay the groundwork" in the Coates' kidnapping, he said.

Loebs asked Judge G. Richard Bevan to dismiss Baker's request for post-conviction relief, saying none of her claims "rise to the level that the court should grant any relief at all."

Bevan agreed Monday that Baker's allegation about being missing was "unsupported" and dismissed her petition for relief on most claims except for one related

to her sentencing hearing.

Baker received two years more than the minimum sentence for murder, while two men also convicted of first-degree murder in Coates' homicide got more time. James Roy John Jr. and Fredy Heredia Juarez will spend more than 60 years in prison combined. A third man, Michael Lee John, was convicted of second-degree murder and got 15 years to life.

Coates' family opposed Baker's petition in letters filed with the court.

"I would like to ask, when do we Jesse's family (or Jesse) get to file for any kind of 'relief' as Nicole Lea Baker is now doing?" asked Coates' aunt, Shelly Coates, in a letter to Bevan filed Sept. 29.

Baker is eligible for parole on Dec. 27, 2018, according to the Idaho Department of Correction.

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Race

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"The candidate who works the hardest — generally that pays off," Talkington said.

Schouten reported \$300 in contributions from Oct. 5-18, with \$660.12 total through Oct. 18, records show. William and Gretchen Manker donated \$100, records show. The other \$200 was from contributions of \$50 or less, which do not require itemization.

"I didn't know what to expect," Schouten said.

Garner reported no con-

tributions for October in his campaign financial disclosure report. He had previously reported \$350 in contributions in the last period. He said he had about as much support as he expected.

After the election, candidates are required to file additional disclosures showing all contributions.

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Liquor

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registered voters who participated in the last election. In Filer's case, the petition needed at least 183 signatures, Hart said.

"I finally got it perfected and got it on the ballot," Corbett said.

She said the change would generate more revenue for the city and make it safer because residents would be less inclined to drive to Twin Falls or Buhl for drinks. By

avoiding longer trips, she said, it helps avoid the possibility of an accident or citation for driving under the influence.

If approved, the measure would apply to all establishments that serve liquor in Filer, not just the Moon Bar.

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TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Master class on Latin percussion styles and techniques presented by percussionist Russ Caldwell, workshop includes introduction and demonstration of Latin percussion instruments with brief history of Afro-Cuban and Brazilian rhythms, 3 p.m., Room 121, College of Southern Idaho Fine Arts Center, Twin Falls, no cost, open to public, 732-6767 or ghalsell@csi.edu.

College of Southern Idaho Jazz Faculty Combo jazz jam session, with percussionist Russ Caldwell; musicians of all ages and abilities welcome to participate, 6 to 8 p.m., Pandora's restaurant, 516 Hansen St., Twin Falls, no cover charge, 420-7066.

BUSINESS/EDUCATION

LTC Partnership Long-term Care Refresher Course for NAIFA Southern Idaho, four hours of Idaho Continuing Education available, 9:45 a.m. registration 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. includes buffet lunch, Loong Hing Restaurant, 1719 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, \$45 for NAIFA members and \$55 for non-members, steffanym@cableone.net or 208-734-4325 to register.

CHURCH EVENTS

Paul Congregational Church annual Harvest Dinner, served family style; homemade noodles for sale, 5 to 8 p.m., at the church, 121 N. Second W. St., Paul, free-will offering, 438-5657.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Magic Valley New Neighbors luncheon and monthly meeting, speaker Twin Falls Area Chamber of Commerce President Shawn Barigar, 11:30 a.m., Vicki's Catering, 803 Main Ave. W., Twin Falls, \$12, 735-2422.

Burley Rotary Club, noon, Best Western Burley Inn, 878-8382.

Rupert Kiwanis Club, noon, Rupert Elks Lodge, 850 S. 200 W, 436-8124.

Mary Time Club meeting, 2 p.m., home of Connie Smith, Filer, 735-5213.

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

EXHIBITS

Robert McNealy's "Skulduggery", 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., Jean B. King Gallery, Herrett Center for the Arts and Science, College of Southern Idaho campus, 315 Falls Ave., no cost, 732-6655 or csi.edu/Herrett.

Buhl residents Leo and Jennie Lortz' First Art Show, noon to 5 p.m., The Eighth Street Center, 200 N. Eighth St., Buhl, no cost, 543-5417.

Work by Twin Falls artist Rose Fisher, noon to 5 p.m., Magic Valley Arts Council's La Galeria Pequena, 132 Main Ave. S., Main

Street Plaza, Twin Falls, free admission, 734-2787 or magicvalleyartscouncil.org.

GOVERNMENT

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

Blaine County commissioners, 9 a.m., courthouse, 206 First Ave. S., Hailey, 788-5500.

Jerome County commissioners, 9 a.m., courthouse, 300 N. Lincoln St., 644-2700.

Jerome City Council, 5:30 p.m., council chambers, 100 E. Ave. A, 324-8189.

Albion City Council, 7 p.m., civic center, 124 S. Main St., 673-5352.

Burley City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 1401 Overland Ave., 878-2224.

Kimberly Zoning Commission, 7 p.m., community center, 120 Madison St. W., 423-4151.

Rupert City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 624 F St., 436-9600.

Shoshone City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall, 207 S. Rail St. W., 886-2030.

Filer City Council, 7:30 p.m., City Hall, 300 Main St., 326-5000.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

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

College of Southern Idaho's Over 60 and Getting Fit programs, 9 to 10 a.m., Hagerman High School gym; and 11:10 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Declo High School gym, no cost, 732-6475.

TOPS Weight Support Group Chapter ID No. 374, 10 a.m., 410 E. Third St., Rupert, 436-6037.

Fit and Fall Proof Exercise Class, 10 to 11 a.m., Zion Lutheran Church, Burley, 737-5988.

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

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

SilverSneakers Fitness Program, innovative exercise program designed specifically for Medicare beneficiaries' unique health and physical needs, 10:30 a.m., Twin Falls YMCA, 1751 Elizabeth Blvd., no cost for Humana-insured or YMCA members and \$5 per class for uninsured, 733-4384.

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

Bereavement Education groups, hosted by Hospice of Intermountain Healthcare and Cassia Regional Medical Center, 5 to 6:30 p.m., in the Oakley Room (rear entrance of old hospital ER), Parke View Care Center, 2303 Parke Ave., Burley, 678-8844.

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

Divorce Care, a place to find help and healing for the hurt of separation and divorce, 6 p.m., Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, 960 Eastland Drive, Twin Falls, 737-4667.

Mini-Cassia Domestic Violence Support group for women meeting, 6 to 7 p.m., 123 S. C St., Rupert, 208-436-0987.

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Line dance workshop, hosted by the Let's Dance Club, smoke- and alcohol-free dances open to all ages, 6 to 8 p.m., Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center, 530 Shoshone St. W., \$3 admission, 734-5084.

LIBRARIES

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

Teen Flicks, movies and snacks for grades six through 12, 4 p.m., in Yscapes, Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E., no cost, 733-2964.

MUSEUMS AND PARKS

"Mingle in the Jungle" free reptile review, 6 p.m., Herrett Center Rain Forest, no cost; **Family night telescope viewing**, 6:30 to 9 p.m., Centennial Observatory, College of Southern Idaho's Herrett Center for the Arts and Science, \$1.50, or no cost with planetarium show admission and for children age 6 and younger; and **Faulkner Planetarium "Two Small Pieces of Glass/Live Sky Tour,"** 7 p.m., Herrett Center for the Arts and Science, north end of the College of Southern Idaho campus, Twin Falls, \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for senior citizens, \$2.50 for students, no cost for children under age 2 and a special price package for families with five children or less, 732-6655.

To have an event listed, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Suzanne Browne by e-mail at sbrowne@magicvalley.com; by fax, 734-5538; or by mail, Times-News, P.O. Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Deadline is noon, four days in advance of the event.

Cassia County asks BLM to drop transmission route

By Laurie Welch
Times-News writer

BURLEY — Despite opposition to the proposed cross-county Stateline Route utility corridor, Cassia County commissioners wrote to the Bureau of Land Management Monday, asking the agency to remove an alternative route from its draft Environmental Impact Statement.

The county is one of five — including Twin Falls, Power, Oneida and Bannock counties — in southern Idaho developing interlock-

ing utility corridors to help control where public utility transmission lines can be erected.

The counties banded together after Idaho Power and Rocky Mountain Power announced they would establish 1,150 miles of 230- and 500-kilovolt transmission lines from a substation near Glenrock, Wyo., to another existing station near Melba.

Under the proposed route, 70 miles of lines would cross Cassia County, with 60 miles occupying private property.

The letter was prompted

by an e-mail sent to Cassia County Administrator Kerry McMurray from BLM Project Manager Walt George, informing the commission that both the Stateline Route — which crosses the southern part of the county and dips into Utah and Nevada — as well the an alternative route which crosses the state farther north near Elba and Oakley, would be considered in the draft EIS.

The commissioners' letter asks that the northern route be removed from the draft EIS and only the Stateline

Route be considered.

"Expenditure of precious resources, not the least of which is time, would be wasted in pursuing analysis of a route that is too narrow for meaningful consideration of siting transmission lines, is in the very midst of archaeological opulence and runs alongside an historic byway for miles," the letter states.

The letter states that commissioners are working to develop a corridor overlay that will match the Stateline Route to bring electrical transmission lines across the county.

Veterans office close to opening in new location

By Laurie Welch
Times-News writer

BURLEY — The Mini-Cassia Veterans Service Office could open its doors at its new location as soon as Monday.

Commissioners from Minidoka and Cassia counties collaborated to find a new home for the veterans office after the Burley City Council turned the gas heat off at its current office at 1059 Airport Road in September.

"We have a county service in a county home now," said Cassia County Administrator Kerry McMurray during the commission's meeting Monday. "We appreciate all the city of Burley did for all these years. Now it's time to move on."

"We've been looking for something like this for years."

— Mini-Cassia Veterans Chaplain Darryl McCall

Minidoka County commissioners offered the office the use of a county-owned building at 625 Fremont Ave., in Rupert.

"It is a beautiful facility," said Mini-Cassia Veterans Chaplain Darryl McCall.

McCall said the office will have its current phone number transferred to the new building today.

"We've been looking for something like this for years," he said.

McCall said the building has both office space and a meeting room that several different area veterans organizations can use for meetings. The room may

also be put to use as a veterans center.

McCall said the office may have enough participants to staff the veterans center most weekdays.

"I hate that the problem took place like it did," McCall said. "But the end result is we will all benefit from it."

Representatives from the

Civil Air Patrol in Idaho, which currently shares the city-owned building with the veterans service office, will meet with the Burley City Council during its Wednesday meeting to discuss what will happen regarding the CAP office.

The Mini-Cassia Veterans Service Office can be reached at 678-3599.

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Playing with the pros

Jerome High's symphonic band prepares to perform with the Dallas Brass.

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Victims identified in deadly Blaine Co. crash

By Ariel Hansen
Times-News writer

HAILEY — Three Peruvian natives have been identified as the fatalities in a Friday afternoon Blaine County crash that also injured five others.

Those killed, according to a Blaine County Sheriff's Office press release, were Dionicio Crispin Yauri, 38; Mariela Bernardino Melchon, 21; and Eliana Bobadilla, 37, all living with relatives in the Ketchum area.

The crash occurred at about 12:40 p.m., south of Timmerman Hill on Idaho Highway 75. According to police, 32-year-old Keith Lott, of Twin Falls, was driving northbound in a white 2004 Dodge Sprinter

flatbed truck, with his passenger, 31-year-old Donald Lott, also of Twin Falls.

A black 1997 Buick Regal containing the Peruvians began to pass the truck in a no-passing zone.

Meanwhile, a silver 2008 GMC Denali driven by Twin Falls resident and Jerome High School assistant football coach Bob Roberts, 45, was headed southbound. Passengers in the Denali were Wes Broad-bent, 27, of Alpine, Utah, and Pascal Meyer, 37, of Sandy, Utah.

When the Denali rounded a curve and came over a slight hill, the Buick swerved back into the northbound lane, colliding with the Dodge truck. The truck traveled onto the shoulder and then back onto the road, where it hit

the Buick, causing the Buick to cross the center line and collide with the Denali. The Buick spun 270 degrees as a result of that collision.

"The inertia of that spin launched everybody out the windows," said Blaine County sheriff's spokesman Jay Davis of the Buick. He said none of the three people killed are believed to have been wearing seat belts. It is also unclear who was driving. Their ejection caused massive head and chest injuries, and all three were pronounced dead at the scene, said Blaine County Coroner Russ Mikel.

"The main message to get out there is that seat belts save lives, and please wear them," Davis said, offering sympathy to the families of

the dead. "It's really important for people to know how dangerous it is to pass when your vision is obstructed, any place where there's double yellow lines. They're there because there are reasons that visibility is limited."

Mikel said the families of the three have been holding services and prayer gatherings the past few evenings, but no public service has been planned. "The hope was we'd be able to send them back to Peru, their homeland," he said.

Roberts was flown by air ambulance directly from the scene of the accident to St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center. Broadbent, Pascal and the two Lott men were taken by ambulance to St. Luke's

Wood River Hospital. Broadbent and Pascal were later transported by air to the University of Utah Hospital in Salt Lake City to be closer to home.

Keith Lott was treated and released on Friday, and as of Monday afternoon, Donald Lott was in stable condition at St. Luke's Wood River. Broadbent was listed in fair condition on Monday, while Meyer had been released from the Utah hospital. Roberts was released from St. Luke's Magic Valley on Sunday.

According to Bart Lassman, Wood River Fire and Rescue chief, the Denali's airbags and large size may have prevented worse injuries to its passengers.

"It was pretty traumatic

even though they were in a big SUV. I was surprised it wasn't worse," he said. Lassman said that in 22 years with the department, the crash was one of the worst he's seen. "It was pretty horrific."

An investigation into the accident, which closed Highway 75 for about two and a half hours, continues. Agencies that responded to the scene were the Blaine County Sheriff's Office, Wood River Fire and Rescue, Hailey Fire, the Carey Quick Response Unit, the Idaho State Police, and the Idaho Transportation Department.

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Water

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efficiency efforts such as the 2004 ordinance that restricts the times and days for watering in the city.

That ordinance limits watering to three days a week before 10 a.m. and after 5 p.m., which avoids the hottest part of summer days, said Gretchen Scott, a management assistant for the city.

Additionally, the city in 1999 adopted an ordinance requiring new subdivisions to use alternative water sources for landscaping needs, such as a canal or pond system.

"Before, all that water was potable water," said Mike Schroeder, water superintendent for Twin Falls.

Another factor is weather patterns, which also lead to a reduced demand on the city's water system, he said.

In the last several years, the closest that Twin Falls has come to the 2001 peak was 2005, when the city went through 29.9 million gallons in one day in July. This year, the city's daily peak for summer usage came on July 23, when the city used 25.4 million gallons.

Monthly totals are also down. This October, the city



A sprinkler system in a Twin Falls residential neighborhood is blown out Monday by a crew from Kimberly Nurseries.

went through 285.5 million gallons of water. In October 2008, the city's usage was 353 million gallons.

California, in the third year of a withering drought, was the most water-hungry state in 2005, the most recent year that figures are available.

California used about 9 percent of all water extracted from lakes, rivers and underground aquifers, followed by Texas, Idaho and Illinois. Those four states

combined drew more than a quarter of the country's total freshwater supplies in 2005.

Nationwide, about 80 percent of the 410 billion gallons used each day went to produce electricity at thermoelectric power plants and to irrigate farm fields.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

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PEAK WATER
USE IN T.F.

Twin Falls peak one-day summer usage
2009: 25.4 million gallons
2008: 28.5 million gallons
2007: 29.1 million gallons
2006: 27.1 million gallons
2005: 29.9 million gallons
In 2001, city hit a record with 33 million gallons.
Source: City of Twin Falls

Photos show birthing center at sect's Texas ranch

By Michelle Roberts
Associated Press writer

ELDORADO, Texas — A birthing center on the bottom floor of a log cabin-style building at a polygamist group's West Texas ranch was set up like a medical office with one distinct difference: A portrait of jailed polygamist sect leader Warren Jeffs hung over the delivery bed.

Jurors in the first criminal trial since Texas authorities raided the Yearning For Zion Ranch were shown 19 photos of the birthing center Monday as Texas Ranger Bart Bivens identified the items in the images.

Most of the photos were typical of a medical office where babies are delivered. The birthing center had a baby scale, diapers and bottles. It also had a bed that could be equipped with metal stirrups for examinations and deliveries.

A portrait of Jeffs, who is revered by the sect as a prophet but was also convicted as an accomplice to rape in Utah, could be seen on the wall over the bed.

The photos were introduced into evidence by prosecutors in the case against 38-year-old Raymond Jessop, who faces up to 20 years in prison if convicted of sexual assault of a child. The charge stems from his alleged marriage to an underage girl who gave birth in August 2005.

Defense attorney Mark Stevens said there was no credible evidence that the girl, now 21, was assaulted or gave birth at the ranch, which is run by the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Bivens conceded under cross-examination that he did not know whether the birthing center was built before the alleged victim gave birth.

FLDS spokesman Willie Jessop said in an interview later that the building was not constructed until sometime after 2005, though he did not know the exact date. Willie Jessop is a distant relative of the defendant, and their last name is common in the FLDS community.

"There's a lot more than one clinic out there," said Willie Jessop, who argued the photos were misleading. "They just throw everything and the kitchen sink in there."

Monday marked the second day jurors in this tiny community heard evidence in the case. Much of the day was spent with witnesses testifying about chain of custody on various pieces of evidence, but jurors did hear from a forensic analyst.

Analyst Amy Smuts testified her analysis found a 99.999998 percent probability that Raymond Jessop

was the father of the alleged victim's daughter, now 4.

Assistant Attorney General Eric Nichols said during a hearing, with the jury waiting in a separate room, that the alleged victim was moved to the ranch and placed in a so-called "celestial marriage" with Raymond Jessop in November 2003, when she was 15. In previous court filings, prosecutors have said Jessop had nine wives.

He has been indicted on bigamy, but that charge involves a different woman and will be tried later.

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FOOD



FINDINGS

Community School students get hands-on introduction to food science

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

SUN VALLEY — Sixteen chickens have taken their place among the books and test tubes at The Community School.

Thirty eighth-grade students are raising them to learn about where food comes from. In this case, chicken is what's for dinner.

The students will soon serve their locally-raised chickens for dinner in hopes of convincing the community to become more conscious eaters.

Science teacher Scott Runkel and English teacher Naomi Goldberg challenged their students to make a change in the way the community eats.

As they've delved into the subject of food, the students have decided they want to encourage people to eat healthier and push for more humane treatment of animals. And they want to influence people to consume more food grown in the region to reduce pollution that results from trucking food long distances.

"We want to make people aware what's in their food — a lot don't know," said student Regina Kelly.

To bone up on the subject, the students saw the movie "Food Inc." They read "Food Matters" and "Chew on This," the children's version of "Fast Food Nation."

They picked potatoes at Mike Heath's organic M&M farm near Buhl. They visited a dairy farm near Twin Falls. They toured a pig farm. And then six

of the students built a 9-by-13-foot greenhouse next to the school, calculating for such things as the area's heavy snow load.

In the process, students learned some things that gave them indigestion.

They learned, for instance, that cows fed corn rather than grass are prone to developing kidney and liver problems because they can't digest the corn.

"When cows poop, they create methane, which contributes to global warming," said student Katie Feldman. "But if they're fed grass they don't get as gassy"

To educate the community, the students are writing a cookbook that will feature healthy recipes organized by the seasons in which the foods are most plentiful locally. They're also filming a documentary on the project and hosting a dinner for teachers they hope will pass on the message of their findings.

Some of the students report that they've already made changes in the way they eat. For instance, they're checking ingredient labels on foods and avoiding those with more than five ingredients or those that contain ingredients that are unpronounceable or unfamiliar.

Student Hayley Murach said she used to eat steak every night but has cut back.

"It's hard to avoid processed foods 100 percent," said Feldman. "But everything in moderation."



TOP: Bobby Corker waters the 16 chickens The Community School students are raising over a 45-day period at the Sun Valley school.

ABOVE: Hayley Murach, Katie Feldman, Reyna Kelly and Erin Hennessy show off a couple of the chickens The Community School eighth-graders are raising as part of a study on food at the Sun Valley school.

WILD RIDES

Pump parks open in Wood River Valley

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

KETCHUM — Look, Ma, no pedals!

That's the idea behind two new bicycle pump parks that have opened this month in Ketchum and Hailey.

Bikers are supposed to use their bodies to navigate the dirt-covered rollercoaster bumps, berms and banked turns, rather than pedal around them as they would on a BMX course.

"The idea is to use your body to pull up and press down. You work your body and bike together," said Eric Rector, trails coordinator for the Blaine County Recreation District. "It's an amazing workout. You can do two or three laps and be fully winded."

The Blaine County Recreation District opened an 11,800-square-foot course on what was formerly an empty lot next to the Blaine County Aquatic Center at 1020 Fox Acres Road.

And on Monday the city of Ketchum celebrated the ribbon cutting of its new quarter-acre park at Seventh Street and Second Avenue, across from Hemingway Elementary School.

Bicycle pump parks are the latest to-do among bicyclists who are looking for new ways to challenge themselves. They're so new that there are only a handful of them across the nation, said Randy Spangler, a designer with Alpine Bike Parks.

Alpine Bike Parks, which has offices in Boulder, Colo., and Whistler, British Columbia, designed both the Ketchum and Hailey parks.

Their work on the two parks attracted the attention of "Mountain Living" magazine. And it will be the subject of conversation at the upcoming National Parks and Recreation convention.

The smaller Hailey park features more technical, tighter lines. The larger Ketchum park is more aired out, permitting more speed.

Scott USA offered to pay for the design work for the Ketchum park and the city provided the labor, equipment and materials. Blaine County School District offered the use of the lot, which had been covered by rocks and knapweed, until the time it decides to build affordable housing for teachers on the site.

And a \$15,000 grant from the Idaho Department of Lands covered irrigation and landscaping.

"These parks don't take a big footprint. You can build them in your backyard if you want," said Jen King, Ketchum Parks and Natural



Photos by KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News

Danny Graves takes a spin through the bumps at the Blaine County Recreation District's new pump park in Hailey.

Resources specialist. "And they're relatively inexpensive to build. This cost \$30,000 all told, whereas our skate park cost \$180,000, the difference being dirt versus cement."

Pump parks offer racers a different way to cross-train, and offer beginning riders a chance to learn skills before going on tough single-track courses.

"The berms teach you to make your turns aggressively. You drop your shoulder and turn," said Spangler, a pro downhill and free rider.

Mountain bikes and BMX bikes can get the job done done. But Backwoods Mountain Sports and other Ketchum sports shops have stocked pump park-specific bikes. And Scott USA, which is headquartered in Ketchum, manufactures a pump park-specific bike.

The bikes, which cost between

\$800 and \$1,200, are single-speed, since peddling is not an issue. And the frame is heavier because they're designed for jumping.

"It's a really fun deal, very aerobic. Everything flows so you feel like you're floating, like you're in a dream state. If it's abrupt, you're lacking the skills," said Ketchum bicyclist Brian Williams.

The parks are attracting both youngsters and adults who thread through the bumps, lifting their bodies up as they go uphill and compressing down as they go down the backside of a bump. They follow no set course, often picking a different path through the bumps each time.

"It's amazing," said Ian Sundby, catching his breath after taking a spin around the Hailey track. "It's another great attraction to the community."

"It's an awesome addition to the community," said Kevin Kruse, who took a spin in the Ketchum park last week during his lunch hour. "They're something the whole family can enjoy — from ages 8 to 60."

King said she expects the valley's two pump parks to attract riders from throughout the country as the word gets out, just as the valley's two skate parks attract skaters from all over.

"Recreational resources like this are crucial to our community's well-being," she said. "Everybody thinks that the fact that we're surrounded by beauty of the mountains takes care of our recreational needs. But in-city parks are just as crucial for recreating, for re-creating our being, our human spirit."



Jason Conners, of Hailey, banks a turn at the Ketchum Pump Park.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Gooding High School pumpkin carving results

Gooding High School's Reading Club announced winners from its annual pumpkin carving contest.

The pumpkins were on display Oct. 27 and 28 when district students and some parents viewed them and voted for their favorite. Winners received a book appropriate to their winning category, along with a carving kit with tools and patterns.

Winners are:
Cutest: Elvia Carranza
Scariest: Shailey Twamley
Most character: Danielle Baker
Most traditional: Emily James
People's Choice Award: Selena Garcia.

Gooding Methodist turkey dinner nears

The United Methodist Church of Gooding, 805 Main St., will host its annual turkey dinner from 5 to

7:30 p.m. Nov. 19.

Cost is \$8 for adults and \$4 for children under 12.

Take-out meals will be available starting a 5:30 p.m. for those residing in Gooding. For a take-out order, call 934-4633 and leave your name, address and number of meals required.

Everyone is welcome to join in this time of fellowship with friends and neighbors to enjoy good food.

— Staff reports

Couple seeks answers about cholesterol and vision

DEAR DR. GOTT: I read your column every day and have found it informative. For example, several years ago, my wife was having stomach problems, and you told a woman with similar problems that she might be lactose intolerant. My wife showed her doctor the article, and he said he thought he had checked her for that. It turned out that he

ASK
DR. GOTT
Dr. Peter Gott

hadn't and agreed to test her. The results were positive. Now, we both have problems that we hope you can help us with.

First, my doctor wanted



me to take a statin to lower my cholesterol, but I declined because of the side effects. I tried using your recommendation of niacin instead. I am an 84-year-old male in fairly good health, and, after three months of therapy, my figures are as follows: triglycerides went from 115 to 63, HDL went from 70 to 95, LDL went from 137 to 126,

and my total went from 230 to 234 (I believe mainly due to the large increase in my HDL). I would appreciate your opinion on how effective the niacin has been.

Second, my 82-year-old wife had a mild stroke four years ago and now sees several small spots in both eyes. The stroke did not seem to do her any other damage, so her doctor con-

cluded that they were on her brain rather than in her eyes. Lately, she has become tired all the time and has no energy. She gets almost eight hours of sleep at night, naps for an hour or two in the afternoon and again in the evening. Her blood work is normal, and she doesn't have a thyroid problem. Any ideas?

DEAR READER: Thank

you for the compliment. I am glad that a column was beneficial to your wife and allowed her to get the proper diagnosis.

I'll start with your situation first. At age 84 and with a total cholesterol of 230, I would not worry. In my opinion, you did not need a statin drug, and

See DR. GOTT, Main 6

Dr. Gott

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were correct in refusing it. Your numbers were all within normal limits, given that you had a high HDL level (good cholesterol) to begin with. On the niacin, your total went up because of the astounding increase to your HDL. You can stick with the niacin, but I don't believe it is necessary.

The only reason this would not hold true is if you have a cardiac condition, such as a prior heart attack or stroke, in which case you should be under the care of a cardiologist, who would still likely be impressed by your numbers.

Now, to your wife. I am confused by her physician's conclusion that she is seeing spots that are on her brain. To the best of my knowledge, this is not possible. Perhaps you misunderstood?

Stroke can cause several different types of visual problems, such as blurred or double vision. Seeing several spots is not typical. This sounds like floaters, which are the shadows of undissolved particles of the gel-like vitreous fluid that fills the eyeball.

I urge your wife to be seen by an ophthalmologist for testing and diagnosis. If

these spots have not affected her vision and have remained fairly constant for the past four years, chances are they are harmless. However, sometimes spots and floaters may signify vitreous detachment that may in some cases lead to retinal detachment, which can cause blindness. If your wife ever complains of flashes of light, she needs to be seen by an eye specialist immediately, as this is a warning sign that the optic nerve and retina are being stretched or pulled.

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

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BLAINE COUNTY DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE SENTENCINGS

Keren M. McMurtrey, 47, driving under the influence, \$2,000 fine, \$1,200 suspended, \$170.50 court costs, driver's license suspended 365 days, 365 days jail, 360 suspended, 80 hours community service.

MISDEMEANOR SENTENCINGS

Benjamin R. Cardozo, 21, possession of drug paraphernalia, \$500 fine, \$300 suspended, \$502.50 court costs, 180 days jail, 148 suspended.
Justin R. Solaas, 20, petit theft, \$500 fine, \$200 suspended, \$110.50 court costs; probation violation, \$200 fine, \$202 court costs, 309 days jail, credit for

56 served.

Edmund F. Coyne, 55, failure to purchase driver's license, \$68.50 fine, \$75.50 court costs.

Nathan R. Artes, 19, driving without privileges, \$300 fine, \$200 suspended, \$170.50 court costs, driver's license suspended 180 days, 180 days jail, 178 suspended; possession of a controlled substance, \$755 fine, \$650 suspended, \$85.50 court costs.

Christian E. Pop, 26, disturbing the peace, \$200 fine, \$87.50 court costs.

Jerald M. Vegwert, 52, passing on the right when not permitted to do so, \$33.50 fine, \$41.50 court costs.

Robert A. Reynolds, 30, driving

without privileges, \$500 fine, \$300 suspended, \$142.50 court costs, driver's license suspended 180 days, 12 months probation, 60 days jail, 58 suspended, eight hours community service in lieu of one day jail.
Maria Garcia, 33, battery, \$300 fine, \$200 suspended, \$122.50 court costs, 12 months probation, 180 days jail, 176 suspended; malicious injury to property, \$300 fine, \$200 suspended, \$87.50 court costs.

Ryan M. Huff, 20, possession of alcohol by a minor, \$170 fine, \$120.50 court costs, 18 months probation, 30 days jail, 26 suspended; resisting officer, \$100

fine, \$87.50 court costs, \$187.50 suspended.

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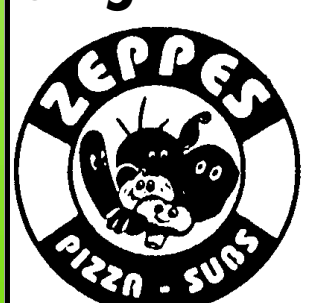
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Linwood Davis Faunce

BUHL — Linwood Davis Faunce, 86, of Buhl, passed away Sunday, Nov. 1, 2009, at Desert View Care Center in Buhl.

Linwood was born Feb. 4, 1923, in Dartmouth, Mass., to Davis and Jenny Mae Faunce. He attended school and graduated in Dartmouth. Shortly after high school, Linwood joined the Army Air Corps and served during World War II. He was the radio gunman on a B-17 bomber and flew 25 dangerous combat missions during his service. For his valor, he received the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with 3 Oak Leaf clusters, Air Force Commendation with citations, Presidential Unit Citation and many letters of commendation and appreciation. Linwood stayed in the Air Force for 20 years and six months, retiring in 1960.

In 1944, he married Marva Penny and together, they had five children; they were later divorced. In 1987, he married Margaret "Peggy"

Reed. They moved from Utah to Buhl, Idaho, and have resided in Buhl since. Linwood was a lifetime member of the Buhl VFW Post 3604.

Linwood was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Marian Penny and Gladys Salter; brothers, Carlton Thomas Faunce, Adelbert Faunce and Oliver Faunce. He is survived by his wife, Margaret "Peggy" Faunce; daughters, Kay Gardner of Kanosh, Utah, May Ure of Park City, Utah, and Carol Pearson of Westminster, Colo.; sons, Davis Collins Faunce and Terrance L. Faunce of San Diego, Calif.; 13 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and eight nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 5, at Farmer Funeral Chapel, 130 N. Ninth Ave. in Buhl. A viewing will be from 10 to 11 a.m. before the service at the funeral chapel. A graveside service with military honors will follow the service at the West End Cemetery in Buhl.

James 'Jim' Allen Richardson

RICHFIELD — On Oct. 28, 2009, James "Jim" Allen Richardson, 78, of Richfield, Idaho, began his final adventure of a lifetime filled with great adventures.

Jim was born in Sierraville, Calif., on Sept. 19, 1931, to William and Zelda Richardson. Jim attended and graduated from high school in Oroville, Calif., in 1950. He entered the Navy in December 1950, served four years on a Navy destroyer during the Korean War, and was honorably discharged in 1954. He loved traveling the world in the Navy and had many great stories to tell.

Jim, who was a Golden Gloves Boxing Champion in high school, tried out for the Chico State University Boxing Team, where he was accepted and attended college on a boxing scholarship. Jim graduated from Chico State University in 1959, with a bachelor's degree in mathematics. After college, Jim worked at the United States Naval Air Weapons Station in China Lake, Calif., as an electronics engineer. While there, he was published and won several awards.

He met and married Billie Jean Tillotson of Oroville, Calif., in 1962 and from China Lake they moved to the Black Gem Ranch in Oregon, where they raised Angus cattle, crops and kids. Jim also taught advanced mathematics and calculus at Chemeketa College in Salem, Ore. Jim and family later moved to Carson City, Nev., where he worked for the state as a disaster training and radiation specialist.

Jim was an avid and successful hunter, fisherman and gold miner and traveled the West on many a great



adventure. He was a lifetime member of the Angus Cattle Association, the NRA and the Gold Miners of America. After retirement, Jim returned to ranching and raised Angus cattle and AQHA Horses in both Nevada and Idaho with his daughter Rebecca and family. Jim took great joy in his grandchildren and spent countless hours attending football, volleyball and basketball games watching his grandchildren play.

Jim is survived by his sister, Diane Murphy of Galesburg, Ohio; his four children, Yvonne Saunders and Jeanette Wood of Carson City, Nev., Mark Richardson of Eugene, Ore., and Rebecca Wood of Richfield. Jim is also survived by his 22 grandkids; 27 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and seven nieces and nephews.

The family invites all who may wish to attend to join us in a memory of Jim's life at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 7, in the gymnasium of the LDS Church in Richfield, Idaho.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in Jim's name to the Richfield High School Athletic Department for an athletic scholarship (Richfield High School, 555 Tiger Drive, Richfield, ID 83349). Arrangements are under the care of Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome.

Donald Ritter

JACKPOT, Nev. — Donald Ritter, 74, of Jackpot, Nev., passed away Thursday, Oct. 29, 2009, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls.



Don was born June 4, 1935, in Middletown, Ohio. He grew up in Middletown and graduated from high school there. On Aug. 8, 1964, in Dayton, Ohio, he married Judy Stickrath. Don and Judy moved to Twin Falls in 1990 and then settled in Jackpot, Nev., in 1991. Don worked at Cactus Petes Casino in Jackpot for more than 18 years. He started there as main cage cashier and later transferred to security officer. Don enjoyed gun col-

lecting, collecting older war models and loved anything western, especially John Wayne.

Don is survived by his wife, Judy of Jackpot, Nev.; a son, Mark Ritter of Aurora, Colo.; a daughter, Misty Ritter of Billings, Mont.; and a son, Derek "Matt" Ritter of Hyde Park, Utah. He also had five grandchildren, Leandra, Samantha, Brendan, Tana and Anthony.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 4, at the Jackpot Recreation Center in Jackpot, Nev. Arrangements are under the direction of White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park" in Twin Falls.

Fred Jones



CASTLEFORD — Fred W. Jones, 79, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2009, surrounded by his family after a short battle with cancer.

Fred was born Oct. 17, 1930, at the Sinking Canyon Farm northwest of Buhl. He was the son of R.C. and Eleanor Hays-Jones. He attended school in Castleford and was valedictorian of his graduating class in 1948. Fred was very active in extracurricular activities.

He attended Colorado A and M College in Fort Collins after graduating from high school. Fred returned home to farm and ranch with his mom and brother, Bob. Fred was part of the Idaho National Guard. In 1955, the family bought China Creek Ranch, southwest of Rogerson and the North Fork range of Nevada. Fred and

his mom moved to the ranch. They raised cattle, sheep and farmed. Fred and his brother, Bob, received the Twin Falls County Grassman Award in 1963. Fred enjoyed being the leader for Sage Chicks 4-H, which he did for many years.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Pauline Kruse; and brother, Bob Jones. He is survived by three children, Eleanor Jones, Marta (Lincoln) Peterson and Weston Jones; grandchildren, Kallie Jones and Ashley and Eleanor Peterson; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be at 2 p.m. Friday, Nov. 6, at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl. Memorials may be made to the Castleford Quick Response, P.O. Box 682, Castleford, ID 83321.

Myrtle E. Cammack

SPOKANE, Wash. — Myrtle E. Cammack, 94, daughter of Guy L. and Grace F. Cowan, passed away Friday, Oct. 30, 2009, at the family home in Spokane Valley, Wash.

She was born Jan. 1, 1915, in Hansen, Idaho.

Myrtle was preceded in death by her loving husband, Wilbur Cammack, of 36 years in 1977. She is survived by her children, Tom Smith of Mesa, Ariz., Guy Cammack of Kapolei, Hawaii, Pat Perkins of Garfield, Wash., Daniel Cammack of La Paz, Mexico, and Anna Cammack of Spokane Valley, Wash.; her

sister, Dorothy McCaffery of Hesperia, Calif.; 18 grandchildren; and 36 great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 5, at St. Edward's Catholic Church, 217 Seventh Ave E. in Twin Falls, followed by Mass of Christian Burial at 1 p.m. and interment at Twin Falls Cemetery, 2551 Kimberly Road.

Memorial contributions are suggested for Anna Cammack to a charity of your choice. Arrangements have been entrusted to Hennessey Valley Funeral Home in Spokane Valley, Wash.

Zoe Lynette Squires McGarry

Zoe Lynette Squires McGarry passed away Thursday, Oct. 29, 2009, after a brief illness.

She was definitely one-of-a-kind and brought joy, love and exasperation to her friends and family throughout her 70 years of life. Zoe Lynette had wanderlust from her early years and her yearning for travel inspired her career as a Spanish and French teacher. Zoe Lynette taught for many years in Spokane at Lewis and Clark, North Central and Shadle Park High schools. She also taught in Liberia, Africa and Singapore. Her love of travel took her to every continent except Antarctica and that was next on her list. Strangers were friends she hadn't met yet. Zoe Lynette had travel experiences that amazed all who knew her.

She inadvertently had lunch with the Red Chinese Army on the side of a Himalayan mountain, broke her leg in an airplane on the way to Paris and got lost in Red Square in the former Soviet Union. She zip-lined through the jungle in Costa Rica on her 70th birthday.



She will be greatly missed by her family and many loving friends and the thousands of students whose lives she enriched.

She is survived by her sister, Diane Squires Emmingham; brother-in-law, Robin Emmingham; nephews, Brent Emmingham and Terry Emmingham; nieces-in-law, Donna Emmingham and Robin Emmingham; and cousins, Craig Storti, Mike Ripley and Joyce Philip.

Lynette was active in numerous civic, cultural and social activities and all will miss her cheerful presence. Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to the Museum of Arts and Culture or the charity of your choice.

A celebration of Lynette's life will be held at 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 6, at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Spokane, 4340 W. Fort George Wright Drive in Spokane, Wash.

Hazen and Jaeger Funeral Home, 1306 N. Monroe in Spokane, Wash., is in charge of services.

SERVICES

Sarah Jane Martin of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Caswell Street LDS Church in Twin Falls; visitation one hour before the service today at the church (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Hugh B. Smith of Heyburn, funeral at 2 p.m. today at the Burley United Methodist Church, 450 E. 27th St.; visitation from 1 to 1:45 p.m. today at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

Yolonda Marie West of Nampa, funeral at 2 p.m. today at Zeyer Funeral Chapel, 83 N. Midland Blvd. in Nampa; visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. today at the chapel.

Coulson "Coly" Parley Parrish of Twin Falls, funeral

at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Twin Falls LDS 7th Ward Chapel, 847 Eastland Drive N. (visitation from 7 to 8:30 p.m. today at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls, and 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. Wednesday at the church).

Ronald "Ronnie" William Kershaw of Twin Falls, Mass at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Edwards Catholic Church in Twin Falls (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Newell W. Johnson of Buhl, funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Buhl LDS 1st Ward Church, 501 S. Main St.; visitation from 10 to 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

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Floyd Wilson Schwarz

HAZELTON — Floyd Wilson Schwarz, 68, of Hazelton, went to rest with his Lord on Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2009, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center due



to surgical complications. He resided in Hazelton with his wife of 49 years.

Floyd was born Nov. 11, 1940, in Boise, Idaho, to Albert and Esther (Hagermann) Schwarz. He married Lee House on Jan. 3, 1960, in Eden at the Trinity Lutheran Church. Together, they raised two children, Rita and Rex.

Floyd was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Lee of 49¾ years; daughter, Rita (Marco) Dodge of Hazelton; son, Rex (Lorrie) Schwarz of Hazelton; five

grandchildren, Danielle, Deana, Byron, Heather and Kari; three brothers, Otto (Susan) Schwarz and Mark (Kathy) Schwarz, both of Hazelton, and John (Lorinda) Schwarz of Pendleton, Ore.

He is also survived by four great-grandchildren, Ethan, Tori, Kira and Jasmine; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 4, at the Trinity Lutheran Church, 1602 E. 1100 S. in Eden. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements are under the direction of White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park" in Twin Falls.

Everett Wayne Waddell

Everett Wayne Waddell saddled up for his last ride to meet with his Heavenly Father on Friday, Oct. 30, 2009, with his loving family by his side, finally losing his courageous and valiant 19-month battle with cancer.

Everett was born July 7, 1935, in Twin Falls, Idaho, to Harrison Garfield Waddell and Carmen Louise Cozad Waddell, the youngest of five children. Everett was a member of the Filer 2nd Ward of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Everett graduated from Twin Falls High School in 1953, the last class to graduate from the old high school on Shoshone Street. After high school, Everett joined the U.S. Air Force and served as a military policeman in Korea shortly after the war ended.

Everett married Martha Ann Miller in 1959. To this union were born four daughters, Cheryl (Hank) Campbell of Nampa, Idaho, Karen (Jim) Butler of Gooding, Vicki (Chuck) Fuller of Twin Falls and Bethany (Keith) Harrington of Fairfield. Everett and Martha were later divorced. A blind date was arranged for Everett with Judy Olsen in February 1977. They were married that year on Everett's birthday, 7/7/77. To this union came four step-daughters, Stacie (Chris) Gardner of Elko, Nev., Penny (Brad) Bell-Carlson of Boise, Marnie (Joe) Packard of Boise and Andrea (Charlie) Budden of Twin Falls. Having eight daughters was a challenge and a joy to Everett. He loved his family so. He was also blessed with 27 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Everett earned a degree in bookkeeping from Twin Falls Business College and worked a short time as a bookkeeper. He then joined the Idaho State Police and retired in 1990 after 28 years of service. The real passion of Everett's life was horses. He was a member of the Twin Falls County Mounted Sheriff's Posse,

the Magic Valley Arabian Horse Association, the National Cutting Horse Association and the Idaho Cutting Horse Association, where in 1998 he won the NCHA Area 3 Championship in the 200 Limited Rider Class and was awarded the Kelly Graham trophy. He was an active member of grass roots cutters at the time of his diagnosis. Everett loved to go trail riding and spent all the time he could riding in the mountains with his wife. Everett loved the time spent with family during family dinners and outings, hunting, fishing and camping trips and 3D bow shoots.

Everett is survived by his wife, Judy; their eight daughters and sons-in-law; 27 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and his sister, Lois Hazen of Twin Falls. He is preceded in death by his parents; and his three brothers, Pete, Gordon and Jack.

Everett and Judy were appreciative of all the help given to Everett by family and friends during his illness. Papa, we all love you so much. The void left in our hearts and lives will never be filled.

The funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 5, at the Filer LDS Stake Center, 841 W. Midway in Filer, Idaho, with interment to follow at the Filer Cemetery. A visitation for family and friends will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 4, at White Mortuary "Chapel by the Park" and one hour prior to the service Thursday, at the church.

Please join the family in celebrating Everett's life by visiting his everlasting memorial at www.MeM.com. Memorial contributions may be made in Everett's name to the American Cancer Society.

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Sherman H. Stump

GLENNS FERRY — Sherman H. Stump, 79, of Glenns Ferry, died Sunday, Nov. 1, 2009, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Rost Funeral Home, McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home.

Roland E. Huggins

BOISE — Roland Eugene (Gene) Huggins, 79, of Boise and formerly of Twin Falls, died Monday, Nov. 2, 2009, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Cloverdale Funeral Home in Boise.

OPINION

QUOTABLE

"This election was a failure. It was not independent. It was not transparent."

— Abdullah Abdullah in a speech to announce his decision to quit six days before the runoff election in Afghanistan

EDITORIAL

An eye-opening look at Magic Valley's dairy workers

It's an extraordinarily frank report paid for by a lightning-rod industry about a subject on which it's constantly criticized.

Four University of Idaho researchers last week released a dairy-industry-commissioned study on the community impacts of dairying in the Magic Valley and elsewhere. Among its findings:

- There are many "working poor" in Idaho's dairy counties — and a disproportionate amount of child poverty — although that doesn't necessarily have much to do with the dairy industry.
- Foreign-born workers in the dairy industry have a major impact on the criminal justice system, but not in ways you might expect.
- Finding resources to educate the children of foreign-born workers is taxing some Magic Valley school districts' resources to the maximum.

We can't think of a document in recent history quite like "Community Level Impacts of Idaho's Changing Dairy Industry." It not only identifies problems to which the dairy industry contributes, but proposes solutions that are often innovative.

It's most important suggestion is for an informed, community-wide conversation about the place of foreign-born workers and their families, including an industry-supported study to learn who dairy workers are, where they live and what their needs are. Specifically, it recommends a survey in "safe" environments such as churches. The information could be used to help school administrators, health care providers and employers meet the needs of workers better.

The report also proposes public forums on community-level impact of dairy workers and hiring a Spanish-speaking community liaison — in conjunction with the U of I — to build relationships with the industry and government agencies that deal with foreign-born workers.

The study's authors also suggest a simple step that would quickly improve the economic well-being of dairy workers: Spread the word about the federal Earned Income Tax Credit, which offsets taxes for low-income working families with the highest benefits going to those with incomes below the poverty level.

In 2008, the federal EITC returned \$3.3 million to taxpayers in Jerome County alone, but between 15 percent and 25 percent of those who qualify for the credit don't claim it.

And after the economy improves, the Legislature could establish an EITC on state returns.

While there are significant negative impacts by foreign-born workers, most are in proportion to their numbers, the study found. The authors didn't find enough data to reach a conclusion about whether migrant workers are driving up indigent care costs — a common complaint but they don't go to emergency rooms any more frequently than does the population as a whole.

And while Latino felony rates are higher than for non-Latinos, they're falling in south-central Idaho.

But public schools are hurting from the influx on non-English-speakers. Although Latino families are supportive of education, financially strapped small school districts struggle to afford English-as-second-language teachers. And in an education system now absolutely dependent on standardized testing, non-English-speakers struggle to compete.

Still, the report offers a different picture of dairy workers — and their industry — than most Magic Valley residents have come to expect, including the fact that single men now dominate the dairy workforce. Its chief value may be in telling us how much we have yet to learn.

DID YOU KNOW?

Latinos who use hospital emergency rooms often do so afraid of consequences related to perception of their legal status, and for that reason many stay away.

Although most Magic Valley dairies don't offer employer-paid health insurance and Latinos lack health insurance coverage at higher rates than non-Latinos, the rate is decreasing for Latinos.

Magic Valley law enforcement officials say Latinos are not responsible for a disproportionate amount of crime, and most violations by Latinos are traffic related.

TIMES-NEWS

Brad Hurd . . . publisher Steve Crump . . . Opinion editor

The members of the editorial board and writers of editorials are Brad Hurd, James G. Wright, Steve Crump, Bill Bitzenburg and Mary Lou Panatopoulos.

EPA wants to put a time bomb in America's gas tanks

The federal Environmental Protection Agency is considering requiring use of a blend of ethanol and gasoline known as "E15." This is a risky measure that threatens to damage our car engines and saddle car companies with soaring warranty costs.



Andrew P. Morriss

Corn-based ethanol, the type currently used in the United States, is a terrible transportation fuel whose production has serious environmental consequences and raises food prices for the world's poor while delivering few net environmental benefits. Requiring higher blends of it to be put into engines not designed to handle those levels of the corrosive, water-attracting fuel without adequate testing is a gamble on a grand scale.

E15 is not a blend of 15 percent ethanol and 85 percent gasoline. Rather, according to Underwriters Laboratories, it is a blend of roughly 15 percent ethanol, with everything from 12-17 percent ethanol or more, depending on storage conditions. That percentage of ethanol matters because cars in existence today — except for the few certified as "flex-fuel" — were not designed to handle blends above 15 percent.

Upgrading a car to handle higher levels of ethanol generally requires modifying a wide range of components, including fuel tanks, fuel tank electrical wiring, fuel pumps, fuel filters, fuel lines, fuel level sensors, fuel injection



tors, seals, fuel pressure regulators and inlet valves.

It is not just our cars that are not designed for higher levels of ethanol, of course. Neither are existing filling station pumps and tanks — not to mention recreational boat engines, lawnmowers, leaf blowers, four-wheelers, snowmobiles, or anything else with a gasoline engine. Increasing the amount of ethanol required to be blended into our fuel supply is rolling the dice for every existing gasoline engine.

The problem is that not only can ethanol corrode metal, rubber and plastic surfaces with which the fuel comes into contact, but that ethanol also attracts water as it passes through the refining and fuel distribution network — an additional source of potential damage. Moreover, some contaminants that settle out in storage tanks over time are soluble in ethanol and can be carried into engines.

There is much we don't know about higher ethanol

blends' impact. For example, a German study by scientists at auto parts maker Robert Bosch found that gasoline-ethanol blends bought from gas stations had much greater corrosive effects than predicted.

Meanwhile, anecdotal evidence is piling up that higher ethanol blends in existing vehicles are problematic. In a May 2009 column, award-winning *Business Week* journalist Ed Wallace described cars with \$1,000 or more damage to fuel pumps and Lexus' 2009 recall of some 2006-2008 models because of pinpoint leaks in the fuel system caused by ethanol blends.

Just who will pay for the damage E15 could cause is unsettled as well, although we can be sure it won't be Congress or the EPA. It would be unfair to ask consumers to pay the cost of ethanol-related repairs, but car manufacturers reeling under recession-related losses are no better equipped to bear the costs of a federal

regulatory mistake.

There is no need for EPA to rush into what the Union of Concerned Scientists termed "a premature, unnecessarily piecemeal approach." The pressure to do so comes from the politically powerful ethanol lobby and farm state senators, who successfully inserted an ever-increasing ethanol mandate into 2007 energy legislation.

Instead of conducting an unprecedented experiment on billions of dollars of Americans' cars, lawnmowers, boats, snowmobiles, small engine tools and transportation fuel infrastructure, this politically determined mandate should be put on hold until proper testing can be done.

Andrew Morriss is the H. Ross & Helen Workman professor of law and business professor at the University of Illinois. He wrote this commentary for McClatchy-Tribune News Service.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Local businesses not responsive to buyer

I hear and read that we should shop in our own hometown. Support the local businesses.

I live in Burley and have my whole life. This past year in early March, I called a local glass company to replace some large windows. A person came out, took measurements and said he'd call in two to three days with estimate — never heard back from them. So in June, I called a glass company in Rupert. It took them a month to come out, did the measurements, plus I was going to give them the job of adding a bay window because the weather was good. I was promised an estimate in two to three days. I still haven't heard from them.

In early February, I talked to a local auto repair shop with which I have been a loyal customer for my everyday car service about changing out a rear end in a collector's car I own. We waited for two months about this; I called and was told, "Oh, I forgot" or "I'm busy, when I get time." That was February; this is late October.

Last fall '08, I gave cardboard templates to a local

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welding shop to have covers made for the window wells in my sun room that I'm remodeling. I need these before I can carpet. I am still waiting.

Three years ago we called a local metal siding company to put window moldings around the windows of our new barn. Still waiting.

We talked to a local heating and air conditioning business about putting in a heat and cooling system in the sun room (this was last summer '08) and also to put a propane heating system, conversion in our fireplace for emergencies. We're still waiting.

I hire my lawn mowed every week at \$55 each mowing. I tried to find a yard helper because I was having some health issues. I just wanted a teenager or young adult.

I'm not rich, but I was willing to support the local businesses and pay their

prices. I was willing to try to create just one job for someone who needed it.

So I ask you, where do we shop when we can't get the locals to respond?

LINDA FITZGERALD
Burley

Barley series didn't tell the whole story

The rest of the story:

I read with interest "Follow the Barley" and all the jobs involved and how wonderful it is to our economy.

The newspaper article failed to mention that drinking alcoholic beverages and doing drugs is part of Satan's plan and often results in the following: immorality, adultery, incest and homosexual behavior; arrest; automobile wrecks; burglary; death; depression; divorce; embezzlement; fornication; gambling; homicide; jail, prison;

judges; loss of affections, family, friends, your job, potential and your business; manslaughter; medical problems; murder; repossessions of home, car, etc.; robbery; ungodly affections; and violence.

The newspaper story also failed to mention other jobs that benefit from what all goes into a can of beer.

Other jobs and professions that benefit from alcoholic beverages include, but certainly are not limited to, the following: attorneys for divorce and other litigation; bail bondsmen; body shops; counselors; doctors; deputies; hospitals; EMTs; finance companies; jailers; morticians; jails and prisons; nurses; psychiatrists; policemen; salvage yards; taxis; towing companies and drivers; and vehicle dealers for police cars, tow trucks and ambulances.

We probably should not list morticians because the mortician gets them sooner or later anyway.

So bottoms up, we certainly don't want to upset the economy by eliminating the great financial benefit from barley, hops, rye, drugs, etc. Besides you cannot protect a person from himself or herself.

CARTER KILLINGER
Twin Falls

THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS

Doonesbury



By Garry Trudeau

Mallard Fillmore

By Bruce Tinsley



Plurality voting rule is the real election spoiler

The latest polls show Chris Daggett securing between 14 percent and 18 percent of the vote in his independent bid for governor of New Jersey. Daggett seeks to offer a new voice that does not echo the predictable ideologies of the two major parties, just as I did when challenging Jimmy Carter and Ronald Reagan for the presidency in 1980. But as with most independent candidates, Daggett faces accusations of “spoiling” the election.

The true spoiler in this race — and any other election with one winner and more than two candidates — is a plurality voting rule in which candidates can win without a majority of votes. In plurality voting, third-party and independent candidates too often are vilified for daring to offer a new choice, and their would-be



John B. Anderson

supporters are pressured to select the lesser of two evils instead of the greatest of their hopes.

A straightforward solution has gained impressive steam across America: instant runoff voting.

By allowing voters to rank their choices and then simulating a traditional majority runoff, IRV both frees voters to consider darkhorse candidates and assures election of the candidate with the most support.

Recent American history is littered with elections marred by plurality voting, hurting Democrats and Republicans alike. In 1992,

Ross Perot took 19 percent, drawing from George H.W. Bush as he lost by 6 percent to Bill Clinton. In 2000, Al Gore lost Florida and the presidency to George W. Bush by just 537 votes even as Ralph Nader won 97,488 votes. Minnesota’s recent U.S. Senate seat recount overlooked the 16 percent of votes cast for non-major party candidates.

Voters of course are plurality voting’s real victim. It forces too many of us to settle for a lesser choice when fearing the majority will split its vote. But without independent voices, American elections often revert to tired slogans and negative attacks rather than debates about innovative ideas that the major parties won’t touch. With so much dissatisfaction with the major parties, it is more important than ever that

independent voices be welcomed rather than demonized.

With IRV in place in New Jersey, voters would be able to rank their preferences first, second and third. Daggett supporters, for example, could rank him first, and then indicate their back-up runoff choices in case he lost by finishing last. Through the automatic runoff mechanism of IRV, a candidate with true majority support in the final choice between the top two candidates would win. There would be no spoilers and no one would have to compromise their vote.

There’s nothing complicated about IRV: If you and your friends have ever reached a consensus about where to go for dinner, you already understand the dynamic behind IRV — sometimes you settle for a

second choice. And as for the logistics, a one-time upgrade of voting equipment and good, straightforward ballot instructions for voters do the trick.

IRV keeps growing in popularity. Backed by such leaders as President Obama and Sen. John McCain, IRV will be used for coming elections in San Francisco, Oakland and Memphis. The British prime minister has pledged to hold a national referendum to adopt IRV in the United Kingdom. Even the Oscar for Best Picture this winter will go to a film selected by IRV.

Rather than rest on an entrenched dunopoly that limits choice and accountability, major parties should defend their positions at the polls, on their merits, against all competing ideas and philosophies. This is why third party and inde-

pendent candidates are a vibrant and essential part of our political system. If the two major parties fail to address the needs of our nation, they should face electoral consequences.

The ultimate winner of New Jersey’s gubernatorial race is unlikely to receive a majority this year, and the true consensus choice may never be known. But it doesn’t have to be that way forever. Implementing instant runoff voting would improve our politics and strengthen our democracy.

Former Rep. John Anderson of Illinois was an independent candidate for president in 1980 and serves on the board of FairVote, a nonpartisan electoral reform organization. He wrote this commentary for McClatchy-Tribune News Service.

What stalled hope and change?

On the night before the 2008 election, Barack Obama sounded a familiar mantra signaling the impending success of his once unlikely presidential bid. “We are one day away from changing America,” he told a cheering Virginia crowd.

The next day, by a solid majority of 8.5 million votes, Americans elected the 47-year-old Illinois senator, and he set out to implement the “big change” for which he contended the times were right. Tonight, HBO will premiere a film capturing the promise and optimism of Obama’s campaign. But a year later, the premise that the new approach of a new president could ensure such sweeping change no longer seems so simple.

A variety of factors — some predictable, others unforeseen — have changed the landscape and made it likely that any ultimate changes will be more incremental and less dramatic than Obama promised.

Here are the main ones:

● **The economy and deficit proved far worse than they seemed last November.**

That increased the focus on federal spending and meant less support for the expanded governmental programs Obama promised. Though President George W. Bush passed the Medicare drug benefit and launched a costly war in Iraq without paying for either, Republicans have harped on the cost of Obama’s health plan. This has made conservative Democrats more reluctant to support some initiatives, lest they suffer politically in 2010.

● **Washington’s nasty partisan tone persisted, despite Obama’s vow to conduct a less acrimonious, post-partisan presidency.**

Both sides deserve blame. Republicans say Obama’s reliance on congressional Democrats shows he wasn’t interested in their help, but many Republicans want to stop Obama just as they defeated Bill Clinton and the Democrats 16 years ago. In his new book, “The Clinton Tapes,” author Taylor Branch says former Senate GOP leader Bob Dole once told President Clinton that the opposition’s job is not making deals but “making the president fail, so he could be replaced as quickly as possible.”

● **The health care fight dominating the debate has been more complex and time-consuming than Obama’s people imagined.**

The fact that only a minority of Americans



Carl Leubsdorf

would benefit short-term has helped critics stir concerns among those who feared they’d mainly pay for the changes.

● **Obama’s claim that a new approach to Washington would break the partisan gridlock sounded good but was never realistic.**

The main reason for governmental gridlock is not how problems are approached but rather hinges on profound policy disagreements and the emphasis on scoring political points.

● **Institutional barriers remain.**

Though Democrats have the biggest Senate majority in 30 years and a solid House margin, the lack of Republican support and institutionalization of the need to repeatedly muster 60 of the 100 senators has complicated getting things done.

● **Afghanistan clouds the landscape.**

The Iraq withdrawal has been relatively smooth, in part because the public seems less interested. But Obama’s vow to follow through on promises to bolster the U.S. effort in Afghanistan added potential new costs and stirred heightened debate over the right course.

● **Obama’s foreign policy initiatives have not yet produced concrete results.**

They raised U.S. standing overseas and won him the Nobel Peace Prize, but progress takes time. Ultimately, Obama needs successes to mitigate the mentality that he talks a better game than he can produce.

Nevertheless, polls indicate Obama remains well-liked. Despite concerns about some policies, his job approval level has stabilized at about 50 percent or slightly higher.

More important, the only current public agenda remains the one Obama outlined in the campaign, thanks to GOP failure to articulate a positive alternative. His success or failure will ultimately determine the fate of his presidency.

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Fido, a.k.a. the Climate Criminal

The government cannot have my dog.

Don’t tell that to the authors of the new book “Time to Eat the Dog?: The Real Guide to Sustainable Living.” They calculate that dog owning is much worse than SUV driving for the planet. So when you see a car heading to the dog park with some happy labs drooling out the window, you should think “climate criminals.”

Meanwhile, in less surprising news, cats (long known as the handmaidens of Satan) have roughly the ecological paw print of a Volkswagen Golf.

Authors Robert and Brenda Vale don’t actually suggest you eat your dog. But they do say we’d be better off if we weaned ourselves from pets that treat Gaia like a fire hydrant. Better to play fetch with our pet chickens and then eat them.

The book has gotten lots of press because dogs and cats sell newspapers. What interests me is how environmental activists live in a fantasyland.

The push in Congress for a huge new carbon tax is a dangerous farce. Yes, CO2 levels and global temperatures have risen since the Industrial Revolution, and that’s something to take seriously. But the political reality is that truly meaningful global restrictions on CO2 emissions in the near future simply will not happen, and pretending



Jonah Goldberg

otherwise is a waste of time, money and political capital.

Last week, the Pew Research Center released a poll showing that belief in, and concern for, climate change is evaporating. Belief in global warming has dropped from 71 percent in April to 57 percent; only 36 percent believe man is mostly responsible for climate change. Only 35 percent of respondents said it’s a “very serious problem,” down from 41 percent.

This is after more than a decade of near-relentless fearmongering — er, sorry, “education” — from Al Gore, academia and Hollywood. They can’t persuade the American people to spend trillions for less than a degree Celsius of cooling a century from now.

No doubt the fact that neither climate models nor doomsday predictions have panned out (there has been no increase in global temperatures since 1998) is a big part of the story.

But my hunch is that the bigger reason for the shift is that Democrats are threatening to really do something about it, and the costs no longer seem hypothetical. Throw in a bad economy, and

Americans simply balk. And that’s Americans — the notion that China, India and Brazil are going to don carbon handcuffs is just silly. Those countries want to get rich, and they’ll gladly sell their carbon to do it.

But the anti-global-warming industry seems to be on autopilot, churning out books that only half-jokingly propose eating your pets. Others insist that Americans will have to restrict themselves to only one child, just like in authoritarian China. If those are the costs, free people will not pay them.

In response to popular reluctance, the Jeremiahs are not only getting more shrill, they’re starting to resent democracy itself, sounding more and more like they want to make an end-run around the people.

New York Times columnist Thomas Friedman, for example, has made no secret of his envy for China’s ability to Get Things Done. In 2005, he wrote: “I cannot help but feel a tinge of jealousy at China’s ability to be serious about its problems and actually do things that are tough and require taking things away from people.” Last month, he lamented that the GOP’s refusal to bend to Democratic cap-and-trade proposals demonstrated that our system of “one-party democracy” is worse than China’s “one-party autocracy.”

Meanwhile, an interna-

tional bureaucracy pushes “global governance” to combat climate change, heedless of popular sentiment. America’s founders revolted to protest too much taxation and too little representation. The notion that America will sacrifice its sovereignty and treasure — and dogs! — to reduce warming by a fraction a century from now is absurd.

If you cannot afford — politically, morally or economically — the solution to a perceived problem, then it’s not a solution. We cannot afford to end the use of carbon-based energy, so a better strategy is to develop remedies for the bad side effects of carbon use.

That’s the case Steven Levitt and Stephen Dubner make in their book “SuperFreakonomics,” which is already being torn apart by environmentalists horrified at the notion they might lose their license to Get Things Done as they see fit.

Is the atmosphere getting too hot? Cool it down by reflecting away more sunlight. The ocean’s getting too acidic? Give it some antacid.

The technology’s not ready. But pursuing it for a couple of decades will cost pennies compared with carbon rationing. Moreover, you just might get to keep your dog.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Shame on city leaders who turned veterans out into the cold

Veterans and citizens of Burley:

The Veterans Service Office provides help to veterans with handicaps and disease and prisoners of war. They help in government paperwork, provide assistance for transportation to the Veterans Hospital in Boise, all done by volunteers.

We in Burley have a governing group of leaders as mayor and city council that would spend our money on a truck and employee to water purchased flowers to scatter around town even on the island at the Y east of town by the airport. They turn away and turn our veterans in cold. These veterans are individuals that took time out of their lives to be part of U.S. government military. They

helped to preserve our freedom to own homes and businesses and be free from devastation as other countries are experiencing.

Are these individuals the kind to govern our city? On Nov. 11 when the nation is honoring our veterans, the mayor and council members should hide in shame.

**KENNETH WELLS
Burley**

Paying to help warm Mini-Cassia veterans

Could you please forward this \$10 check to the Burley City Councilman Jay Lenkersdorfer?

It cost about \$8.50 a day to heat the Mini-Cassia Veterans Office. He and the City Council can use the extra \$1.50 to buy a stamp and envelope for future shut-off notifications at the Veterans Office.

Would each of the Burley City Council persons tell

the community which branch of the military you have served?

Thank you for your sacrifice in public service regarding the Magic Valley community.

Someone shut off the heat, too, for the 2nd Infantry Division — DMZ, Korea. Then they shut off the air conditioner in Vietnam. Dang, forgot to

pay the bill!
**REV. J. PAT BRANCH
Kimberly**
(Editor’s note: The Times-News sent the \$10 check from the Rev. J. Pat Branch on to Jay Lenkersdorfer. Branch is retired from the Army, having served on the 48th Assault Helicopter (Joker 743) in Korea and Vietnam.)

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QUOTABLE

“I’m concerned about the teaching of illogical thinking to medical students and lending credence to biologically implausible theories like distance healing and energy fields.”

— **Dr. Stephen Barrett, a retired physician who runs Quackwatch, a Web site on medical scams in a statement as future doctors and nurses are learning about acupuncture and herbs along with anatomy and physiology at a growing number of medical schools**

AROUND THE WORLD

WASHINGTON Obama sternly tells Karzai it's time for better governing

President Obama greeted Hamid Karzai's election victory with as much admonishment as praise on Monday, pointedly advising America's partner in war he must make more serious efforts to end corruption in Afghanistan's government and prepare his nation to ultimately defend itself.

"I emphasized that this has to be a point in time in which we begin to write a new chapter," Obama said in describing his phone call to the Afghan president. When Karzai offered back assurances, Obama said he told him that "the proof is not going to be in words. It's going to be in deeds."

Obama's message of stern solidarity came as he considers sending tens of thousands more U.S. troops into the war zone in Karzai's country.

Karzai won a second term Monday when competitor Abdullah Abdullah pulled out of the Nov. 7 runoff, suggesting it would be doomed by fraud just as the first voting in August was.

MOROCCO Clinton moderates her praise of Israeli policy

MARRAKECH — In the face of Arab criticism of the administration's recalibrated Mideast peace tack, U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton moderated her praise Monday for Israel's offer to restrain building settlements in Palestinian areas.

While Israel was moving in the right direction in its offer to restrict but not stop the settlements, Clinton said, its offer "falls far short" of U.S. expectations.

Clinton said her earlier praise of Israel's offer, during a stop in Jerusalem, had been intended as "positive reinforcement." But they drew widespread criticism from Persian Gulf ministers who interpreted it as a softening of the U.S. position on settlements, which stand in the way of a resumption of Israeli-Palestinian peace talks.

In a sign of U.S. eagerness to calm Arab concerns about the U.S. position on settlements, Clinton is extending her trip by one day to fly to Cairo to meet with President Hosni Mubarak on Wednesday, her staff announced. She had been scheduled to return to Washington on Tuesday.

PAKISTAN Suicide bomber kills 35 near capital

RAWALPINDI — A suicide bomb killed 35 people near Pakistan's military headquarters Monday while a second blast wounded several police, continuing a wave of terrorism that prompted the United Nations to suspend long-term development work near the Afghan border.

The rash of attacks by Islamist militants has killed at least 300 people across Pakistan over the past month — including 11 U.N. workers — and threatened to destabilize the nuclear-armed nation.

The violence has grown bloodier since the government launched an anti-Taliban offensive in mid-October, pushing into the impoverished and underdeveloped tribal region of South Waziristan. The U.N. decision to suspend non-emergency aid could weaken efforts to counter the appeal of extremism by improving ordinary people's daily lives.

The first suicide bomber Monday killed 35 people outside a bank near Pakistan's military headquarters in Rawalpindi, just a few miles from Islamabad.

N. CAROLINA Police: Man arrested, charged in fatal shooting of four

MOUNT AIRY — A soured

love affair may have led an ex-convict to gun down four men in the town that inspired the idyllic community of Mayberry on the 1960s TV series "The Andy Griffith Show," police said Monday.

Marcos Chavez Gonzalez, 29, was charged with four counts of murder in the slayings late Sunday outside a television store in Mount Airy, about 100 miles north of Charlotte.

The four were shot with a high-powered assault rifle outside Wood's TV, in the shadow of a water tower that says "Welcome to Mount Airy" and has a picture of Griffith and Opie, his son on the show.

Police do not believe the shootings were random. Mount Airy Police Chief Dale Watson said officers are investigating several leads, including whether it was a contract killing or repercussions from a love affair gone bad.

NEW HAMPSHIRE Agencies: Glitch with foreign SS numbers is fixed

CONCORD — Two federal agencies that put Americans at risk for identity-theft-like problems have fixed a glitch that linked U.S. Social Security numbers to those issued by three foreign countries, officials said.

The problem, which mostly affects Maine and New Hampshire, involves three Pacific Island nations that receive disaster loans, grants and other aid from the United States in exchange for military privileges in the region.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture, one of the agencies that issues the aid, has replaced all the Social Security numbers of affected borrowers in its loan processing system with new characters that don't match any U.S. numbers, an agency spokesman told The Associated Press, which first reported the problem in August.

The Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands and the Republic of Palau all have their own Social Security systems, but the USDA and several other agencies have treated numbers issued by the three nations as if they were U.S. numbers, regardless of whether they were already in use.

SOUTH KOREA N. Korea threatens to expand nuke arsenal

SEOUL — North Korea issued a veiled threat Monday to increase its nuclear arsenal if U.S. officials do not quickly agree to the one-on-one talks that the communist regime is demanding.

The regime's impatience came days after No. 2 nuclear negotiator Ri Gun came away from meetings with Washington envoy Sung Kim without an agreement to hold bilateral talks.

"If the U.S. is not ready to sit at a negotiating table with the (North), it will go its own way," the North's Foreign Ministry said in a statement carried by Pyongyang's official Korean Central News Agency.

The statement did not elaborate, but it was widely seen as a warning that the North will bolster its nuclear stockpile — a brinkmanship tactic that the communist nation has often employed.

— The Associated Press

Study: Half of U.S. kids will get food stamps

By Lindsey Tanner
Associated Press writer

CHICAGO — Nearly half of all U.S. children and 90 percent of black youngsters will be on food stamps at some point during childhood, and fallout from the current recession could push those numbers even higher, researchers say.

The estimate comes from an analysis of 30 years of national data, and it bolsters other recent evidence on the pervasiveness of youngsters at economic risk. It suggests that almost everyone knows a family who has received food stamps, or will in the future, said lead author Mark Rank, a sociologist at Washington University in St. Louis.

"Your neighbor may be using some of these programs but it's not the kind of thing people want to talk about," Rank said.

The analysis was released Monday in the November issue of Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine. The authors say it's a medical issue pediatricians need to be aware of because children on food stamps are at risk for malnutrition and other ills linked with poverty.

BY THE NUMBERS

28.4 MILLION: Number of Americans receiving food stamps in an average month in 2008.

50 PERCENT: Of those getting food stamps, almost half were under 18.

\$222: Average monthly benefit per household

49 PERCENT: Number of children on food stamps by the age of 20 from 1968-97. Ninety percent of the children were black, 37 percent white.

"This is a real danger sign that we as a society need to do a lot more to protect children," Rank said.

Food stamps are a Department of Agriculture program for low-income individuals and families, covering most foods although not prepared hot foods or alcohol. For a family of four to be eligible, their annual take-home pay can't exceed about \$22,000.

According to a USDA report released last month, 28.4 million Americans received food stamps in an average month in 2008, and about half were younger than age 18. The average monthly benefit per household totaled \$222.

Rank and Cornell University sociologist Thomas Hirschl studied data from a nationally representative

survey of 4,800 American households interviewed annually from 1968 through 1997 by the University of Michigan. About 18,000 adults and children were involved.

Overall, about 49 percent of all children were on food stamps at some point by the age of 20, the analysis found. That includes 90 percent of black children and 37 percent of whites. The analysis didn't include other ethnic groups.

The time span included typical economic ups and downs, including the early 1980s recession. That means similar portions of children now and in the future will live in families receiving food stamps, although ongoing economic turmoil may increase the numbers, Rank said.

An editorial in the medical

journal agreed.

"The current recession is likely to generate for children in the United States the greatest level of material deprivation that we will see in our professional lifetimes," Stanford pediatrician Dr. Paul Wise wrote.

Wise said the Archives study estimate is believable.

"I find it terribly sad, but not surprising," Wise said.

James Weill, president of Food Research and Action Center, a Washington-based advocacy group, said the analysis underscores that "there are just very large numbers of people who rely on this program for a month, six months, a year."

"What I hope comes out of this study is an understanding that food stamp beneficiaries aren't them — they're us," Weill said.

The analysis is in line with other recent research suggesting that more than 40 percent of U.S. children will live in poverty or near-poverty by age 17; and that half will live at some point in a single-parent family. Also, other researchers have estimated that slightly more than half of adults will use food stamps at some point by age 65.

Maine to vote on same-sex marriage today

By Karl Vick
The Washington Post

Maine residents will decide today whether to let stand a law permitting same-sex marriage, an effort that has failed in every state where it has been put before voters.

Public opinion surveys in Maine show a dead heat on Question 1, which would cancel the marriage statute that passed the legislature in May and was signed by Gov. John Baldacci, a Democrat.

In the five other states where gay men and lesbians are allowed to marry, the laws were put in place by court rulings or legislatures. None has survived a referendum, but Baldacci expressed guarded optimism Sunday about the effort in Maine.

"I believe it's something in the water or the air in this state that recognizes individual rights and anti-discrimination attitudes," the governor said by phone from Augusta, the capital. "It's more of a libertarian-type state than it is Republican or Democrat. We have two Republican senators, two Democratic representatives and there have been two independent governors."

The campaign against same-sex marriage in Maine draws heavily from the effort that a year ago overturned a California Supreme Court ruling allowing same-sex marriage. TV commercials produced by Schubert

"Allowing same-sex marriage does not require teaching of gay marriage in the schools any more than allowing divorce requires teaching of divorce in the schools, or allowing adoption requires teaching of adoption in schools."

— Maine Attorney General Janet Mills

Flint Public Affairs, a Sacramento consulting firm, feature parents lamenting that their young children are being taught in school that marriage between two women or two men is normal.

Nearly identical ads were highly effective in California.

"I refer to it as sustainable advertising, where you have

the same themes," said Scott Fish, communications director for Stand for Marriage Maine. "It's the same issue, and many of the concerns were the same."

Advocates of same-sex marriage responded to the ads with an opinion from state Attorney General Janet Mills stating that the law would have no effect on what is taught in schools.

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Wins for GOP today won't solve group's fundamental problems.

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"Allowing same-sex marriage does not require teaching of gay marriage in the schools any more than allowing divorce requires teaching of divorce in the schools, or allowing adoption requires teaching of adoption in schools," Mills said.

Fish called the opinion irrelevant, because curriculum is largely decided by local school boards.

"Neither does it say it won't be taught," he said.

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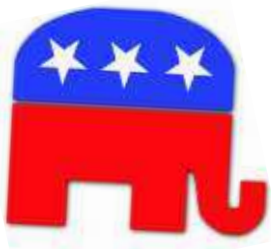
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Spuds and cold storage



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Sanjay Gupta, a post-harvest potato physiologist for the University of Idaho, and Tina Brandt, a research support scientist, stand in one of the nine cold storage bins at the research facility located north of Kimberly. ‘Each bin hosts a great deal of research,’ says Brandt. She and Gupta hope their research will help prevent damage to potatoes stored in cold temperatures.

Scientists use genetic markers to develop better potatoes

+By Joshua Palmer
Times-News writer

Sanjay Gupta started tracking the genetics of a potato in 1998.

His research, which is the first of its kind, began hundreds of miles away in a lab at the University of Minnesota. But the first fruits of his labor will be realized in south-central Idaho.

The University of Idaho potato physiologist is on the verge of solving one of the industries most costly obstacles — storing potatoes in cold climates.

In Idaho and across the nation, harvested potatoes are in the early days of a storage season that could continue through next August.

When held at temperatures below 45 degrees Fahrenheit, they develop cold-induced “sweetening” — a process in which sugars within spuds produce dark

fries that are unacceptable to consumers. They’re also more likely to sprout, lose moisture and develop diseases.

But Gupta said growers could continue cold-stored potatoes and enjoy eating them, too.

He teamed with Richard Novy, Aberdeen-based USDA Agricultural Research Service potato breeder, and two Midwestern scientists to select breeding lines that would resist cold-induced sweetening.

Potatoes that could be stored at or below 42 degrees Fahrenheit and still fry up light wouldn’t need as many sprout inhibition treatments, Gupta said. As living seed, they would respire less at colder temperatures, thereby retaining moisture and weight, and would be less prone to plant diseases.

“That would be a very significant improvement,” he said. “Cold sweetening

has been a problem for the potato industry for a very long time.”

While at the University of Minnesota, Gupta began developing two biochemical markers that reveal a potato’s ability to tolerate cold storage.

One of the biochemical markers is a protein called UDP-Glucose pyrophosphorylase that controls the formation of sucrose from the potatoes’ starches; the other, acid invertase, controls the formation of the reducing sugars glucose and fructose from sucrose. Together, they indicate not only how well a variety can be stored at lower temperatures but for how long.

Gupta refined the markers at the University of Idaho’s Kimberly Research and Extension Center.

Along with Martin Glynn of the USDA-ARS in East Grand Forks and Joe Sowokinos of the University of Minnesota, he then used

the markers to screen about 300 experimental clones and commercial varieties from a dozen North American breeding programs. The markers predicted with about 90 percent accuracy a potato’s response to storage temperatures.

“Understanding the underlying mechanism of cold-sweetening is a big benefit to breeders,” said Novy.

He said that crossing different varieties of cold-resistant potatoes can create offspring that are more resistant than current varieties.

By choosing the right parents, breeders could significantly accelerate the development of potatoes with the level of cold-sweetening resistance the market seeks, Gupta said.

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Farm insurance programs expanded

By Cindy Snyder
Times-News correspondent

Livestock and minor crop producers who have been left out of disaster programs in the past may find some relief in new permanent disaster programs. But they’ll have to act fast to make sure they’re included.

The Farm Service Agency has long provided a safety blanket to crop producers through its Noninsured crop disaster assistance or NAP. NAP covers crops that are not covered by private crop insurance providers such as alfalfa, grains for forage, alfalfa seed, grass hay or fruit trees.

But now producers who want to participate in the permanent crop disaster program known as SURE (Supplemental Revenue Assistance Program) will be required to purchase private insurance and NAP where needed to provide at least catastrophic — 50 percent — coverage for all their crop acres.

For example, a producer growing wheat, sugar beets, beans and alfalfa in a rotation will be required to purchase private insurance for the wheat, beets and beans plus NAP for the alfalfa, explained Lance Phillips, FSA county executive director for Twin Falls County.

“If the alfalfa is not insured, the producer will not be eligible for SURE,” Phillips said.

Because SURE and the risk management purchase requirement were new to the 2008 Farm Bill, farmers were able to buy NAP coverage during the 2009 growing season. That won’t be the case going forward, Phillips said.

“Producers are going to need to be thinking ahead,” he added.

Not only will they have to buy NAP coverage for all the crops for which private insurance isn’t available and purchase

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Idaho dairymen back away from efforts to promote price supports

By Joshua Palmer
Times-News writer

Idaho dairymen will decide Thursday if they will break away from a collective effort by major dairy producing states to seek milk price supports.

If approved, it would move Idaho — the third largest dairy producing state in the nation — away from California and Wisconsin, which are lobbying congress for more government action to increase milk prices.

“We have a different philosophy,” said Bob Naerebout, director of the Idaho Dairymen’s Association. “We are following the recommendations of the National Milk

Producers Federation.”

According to the federation’s website, the organization seeks to increase sales by more aggressively marketing dairy products.

However, with dairy prices off nearly 40 percent from last year’s peak, farmers, industry advocates and milk processors from other dairy producing states filled a Senate Agriculture Committee hearing room last week to discuss lasting solutions to their crisis.

Consumer demand, particularly for cheese, slipped amid the worldwide economic downturn. But production continued to grow. In September, the price dairy farmers received for

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AGRIBUSINESS BRIEFS

Jerome USDA Service Center to host open house

The Jerome U.S. Department of Agriculture Service Center will host an open house from 1 to 4 p.m. Thursday at 310 W. Nez Perce Ave. in Jerome.

Farm Service Agency staff will answer questions on farm loan programs with emphasis on beginning farmers and ranchers. Farm Program Staff will also answer questions on farm programs such as DCP/ACRE, MILC.

USDA announces interest rates

The U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Commodity Credit Corporation announced Monday the interest rates for November 2009.

The CCC borrowing rate-based charge for November 2009 is 0.375 percent, unchanged from October 2009. For 1996 and subsequent crop year commodity and marketing assistance loans, the interest rate for loans disbursed during November 2009 is 1.375 percent, unchanged from October 2009.

By Matthew Wilde
Waterloo-Cedar Falls Courier writer

DIKE — Time and money — two things that always seem to be in short supply.

That’s especially true this fall in the midwest. Farmers are combining big crops, but this harvest is shaping up to be one of the slowest and most costly in recent memory.

The latest weekly U.S. Department of Agriculture Crops and Weather Report said 53 percent of soybeans and 88 percent of corn are still in fields. Normally, crop experts said, all soybeans

and at least half the corn would be off to market or safely in bins.

With harvest already three weeks behind schedule because of late maturing plants and recent rainfall, farmers are at the point of doing whatever it takes to get soybeans and corn out. Many are working in saturated fields risking soil compaction, renting or buying extra equipment to increase productivity and combining wet crops that will cost a lot of money to dry.

Farmers know their

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DENNIS MAGEE/Waterloo-Cedar Falls Courier

Bob Stewart of Dike unloads wet corn Monday at his rural Hudson farm. Stewart believes corn dryers will use twice as much gas to dry the crop than normal.

Dates and deadlines

- Nov. 6 - County Office Committee Election Ballots mailed to eligible voters.

- Dec. 1 - NAP sales closing date for honey and all 2010 perennials including alfalfa and grass.

MARKET SUMMARY

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Citigrp	6694688	3.99	-10	Taseko	53132	3.03	+31	PwShs	QQQ1400109	41.13	+17
BkofAm	2974715	14.63	+05	Oilsands g	43958	1.19	-01	ETrade	1103607	1.39	-07
SPDR	2401290	104.32	+76	GoldStr g	42633	3.27	+20	Intel	630408	19.01	-10
FordM	1752250	7.58	+58	GrtBasG g	37587	1.52	+05	YRC Wwde	546418	1.32	-233
SPDR Fncl	1606145	14.17	+12	NovaGld g	31928	4.39	+09	Cisco	545987	23.00	+19
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QiaoXMob	3.84	+79	+25.9	Taseko	3.03	+31	+11.5	Fst M&F	2.50	+47	+23.2
SauerDanf	8.86	+1.66	+23.1	Protalix	10.43	+95	+10.0	GenFin un	2.03	+38	+23.0
EncoreAcq	44.67	+7.60	+20.5	AlphaPro	6.52	+53	+8.8	PeopEduc	2.14	+38	+21.6
Revlon	10.07	+1.64	+19.5	SparkNet	2.88	+18	+6.7	Exceed un	15.00	+2.62	+21.2
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PMI Grp	2.04	-38	-15.7	BioTime wrt	3.60	-35	-8.9	WaterstnF	2.71	-70	-20.5
LIN TV h	3.37	-55	-14.0	AmApparel	2.80	-27	-8.8	RadaElec	2.30	-44	-15.9
IndepHld	4.83	-72	-13.0	Engex	4.64	-44	-8.7	SoundBite	2.53	-47	-15.7
Stepan pf	63.46	-8.98	-12.4	TravelCtrs	5.20	-45	-8.0	CarverBcp	6.17	-1.13	-15.5
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7,241.39	4,181.75	NYSE Composite	6,784.94	+45.49	+68	+17.85	+12.06
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AmCasino	.42	...	14.68	-04	+69.9	LeeEnt	3.01	-04	+634.1
Aon Corp	.60	18	38.78	+27	-15.1	MicronT	6.58	-21	+149.2
BallardPw	...	...	2.09	-09	+85.0	OfficeMax	...	...	11.50	+07	+50.5
BkofAm	.04	...	14.63	+05	+3.9	RockTen	.60f	9	43.74	-06	+28.0
ConAgra	.80f	13	20.89	-11	+26.6	Sensient	.76	13	25.54	+25	+7.0
Costco	.72	23	57.75	+90	+10.0	SkyWest	.16	10	13.99	+02	-24.8
Diebold	1.04	25	29.95	-29	+6.6	Teradyn	...	...	8.42	+05	+99.5
DukeEngy	.96	13	15.78	-04	+5.1	Tuppre	1.00f	18	45.05	+03	+98.5
DukeRtly	.68	...	11.36	+12	+3.6	US Bancrp	.20	29	23.84	+62	-4.7
Fastenal	.74f	26	35.26	+76	+1.2	Valhi	.40	...	9.01	-38	-15.8
Heinz	1.68	14	40.32	+08	+7.2	WalMart	1.09	15	50.28	+60	-10.3
HewlettP	.32	15	48.16	+70	+32.7	WashFed	.20	36	17.15	...	+14.6
HomeDp	.90	18	25.06	-03	+8.9	WellsFargo	.20	32	27.61	+09	-6.3
Idacorp	1.20	12	28.38	+29	-3.6	ZionBcp	.04	...	14.05	-11	-42.7

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Stock Footnotes: cc — PE greater than 99. dd — Loss in last 12 mos. d — New 52-wk low during trading day. g — Dividend in Canadian \$. Stock price in U.S.\$. n — New issue in past 52 wks. q — Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s — Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u — New 52-wk high during trading day. v — Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf — Preferred. pp — Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt — Rights. un — Units. wd — When distributed. wi — When issued. wt — Warrants. ww — With warrants. xw — Without warrants. Dividend Footnotes: a — Also extra or extras. b — Annual rate plus stock dividend. c — Liquidating dividend. e — Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f — Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i — Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j — Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k — Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m — Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p — Init div, annual rate unknown. r — Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos plus stock dividend. t — Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x — Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y — Ex-dividend and sales in full. z — Sales in full. vj — In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies. • Most active stocks above must be worth \$1 and gainers/losers \$2. Mutual Fund Footnotes: e — Ex-capital gains distribution. f — Previous day's quote. n — No-load fund. p — Fund assets used to pay distribution costs. r — Redemption fee or contingent deferred sales load may apply. s — Stock dividend or split. t — Both p and r. x — Ex-cash dividend.											
Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.											

COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES

Some commodities that regularly appear in the Times-News were not available for today's paper.

BEANS

Valley Beans
Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers.
Pintos, no quote, new crop great northrens, no quote
pinks, no quote, new crop small reds, no quote, new crop.
Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Oct. 28.
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture Pintos, Ltd. \$30-\$32
great northrens, not established small whites, not established
pinks, Ltd. \$30-\$32 small reds, Ltd. \$30-\$32.
Quotes current Oct. 28.

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, \$3.77 barley, \$6.20 oats, \$6.50
corn, \$6.90 (15 percent moisture) prices are given daily by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Oct. 28.
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 Oct. 28.

POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain Report on Monday.
POCATELLO — White wheat 4.25 (steady) 11.5 percent winter 4.12 (up 21) 14 percent spring 5.50 (up 16)
Barley 5.63 (up 1)
BURLY — White wheat 4.14 (up 5) 11.5 percent winter 4.10 (up 15) 14 percent spring 5.36 (up 23) Barley 5.50 (steady)
OGDEN — White wheat 4.40 (up 5) 11.5 percent winter 4.28 (up 16) 14 percent spring 5.64 (up 13) Barley 5.35 (up 1)
PORTLAND — White wheat 4.80 (up 4) 11 percent winter 5.24-5.43 (up 21) 14 percent spring 6.66 (up 5)
NAMPAA — White wheat cwt 6.35 (steady); bushel 3.81 (steady)

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Barrels: \$1.4850, +.0025; Blocks: \$1.5075, +.0025

LIVESTOCK

POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Livestock Report on Monday.
LIVESTOCK AUCTION — Producers Livestock Market in Vale, Oregon on Wednesday: Utility and commercial crows 39.00-53.50
canner and cutter n/a thin
shelly crows 23.00-36.00 heavy feeder steers 78.00-

88.85 light feeder steers 86.00-108.00 stocker steers 99.00-112.00 heavy holstein feeder steers 49.00-57.00
light holstein feeder steers 48.00-59.00 heavy feeder heifers n/a light feeder heifers 80.00-93.00 stocker heifers 86.00-97.00 bulls 39.00-53.50
stock cows 480-650/hd (B.M.) Remarks: Fair test on the calves. Steady to moderate demand.

POTATOES

CHICAGO (AP) — USDA — Major potato markets FOB shipping points Friday.
Russet Norkotahs Washington 50-lb cartons 70 count 6.00; 100 count 6.00-7.00.
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 4.00-4.50.
Wisconsin Norkotahs 50-lb cartons 70 count 6.50-7.00; 100 count 6.50-7.00.
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 5.00-5.50.
Round Reds 50-lb cartons Size A Minnesota N. Dakota 8.50-8.75.
Round Reds 50-lb sacks Size A Wisconsin. 7.00.

METALS/MONEY

By The Associated Press
Selected world gold prices, Monday.
London morning fixing: 1052.00 up \$12.00.
London afternoon fixing: \$1062.00 up \$22.00.
NY Handy & Harman: \$1062.00 up \$22.00.
NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$1146.96 up \$24.76.
NY Englehard: \$1054.46 up \$20.54.
NY Englehard fabricated: \$1144.29 up \$22.08.
NY Merc. gold Nov. \$1053.40 up \$13.70.
NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Mon. \$1054.00 up \$14.00.

NEW YORK (AP) — Handy & Harman silver Monday \$16.700 up \$0.440.
H&H fabricated \$19.040 up \$0.528.
The morning bullion price for silver in London \$16.580 up \$0.010.
Engelhard fabricated \$20.004 up \$0.264.
NY Merc silver spot month Monday \$16.431 up \$0.185

NEW YORK (AP) — Spot nonferrous metal prices Monday.
Aluminum — \$.8627 per lb., London Metal Exch.
Copper — \$.29799 Cathode full plate, LME.
Copper — \$.29370 N.Y. Merc spot Mon.
Lead — \$.2321.00 metric ton, London Metal Exch.
Zinc — \$.09953 per lb., London Metal Exch.
Gold — \$1053.40 Handy & Harman (only daily quote).
Gold — \$1053.40 troy oz., N.Y. Merc spot Mon.
Silver — \$16.700 Handy & Harman (only daily quote).
Silver — \$16.431 troy oz., N.Y. Merc spot Mon.
Platinum — \$1335.00 troy oz., N.Y. (contract).
Platinum — \$1338.10 troy oz., N.Y. Merc spot Mon.
n.q.—not quoted, n.a.—not available r—revised

NEW YORK (AP) — Key currency exchange rates Monday, compared with late Friday in New York.
Dollar vs: Exch. Rate Pys Day
Yen 90.35 89.98
Euro \$1.4753 \$1.4730
Pound \$1.6383 \$1.6447
Swiss franc 1.0236 1.0252
Canadian dollar 1.0791 1.0797
Mexican peso 13.1010 13.1740

TODAY ON WALL STREET

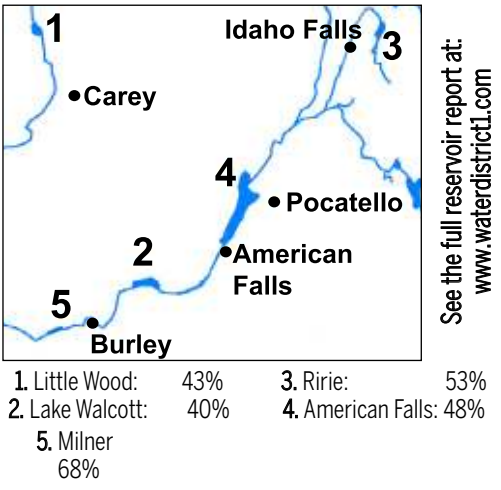
NEW YORK (AP) — After months on hiatus, volatility is back on Wall Street.

Stocks ended higher Monday after another day of big swings. Stronger reports on manufacturing and housing gave the market an early boost but a rise in the dollar and worries about the soundness of an eight-month rally chipped away at the gains. A late surge left the Dow Jones industrial average with a gain of 77 points but still down by about half from its best levels of the day. After nearly unbreakable gains since midsummer, trading has become much rockier in recent weeks as investors worry that the

pace of the economic recovery they have been counting on will be hard to maintain.

Jittery traders have pushed the market around in ways more reminiscent of the huge swings of a year ago than the smoother advance stocks have seen since the early spring. The Dow has gained or lost more than 100 points in six out of the last seven days. The last time the Dow had as long a streak of triple-digit moves was in late March, shortly after major stock indexes bounced off 12-year lows. Good news can still lift the market, but those gains are now less likely to hold than they were earlier in the year.

RESERVOIR LEVELS



COMMODITY PRICES

Dairy		
Block	Close	Change
Average price	\$1.503	+.054
Barrel		
Average price	\$1.492	+.046
Butter		
Average Price	\$1.364	+.058
Whey protein concentrate		
Average price	\$.78	+.02
Class III milk		
Average price	\$13.80	+.96
Class IV milk		
Average price	\$13.36	+.73

Feed

Corn (Per 100 pounds)

Dairy Feed Supply	NQ	NQ
Land O'Lakes	NQ	NQ
Rangen	NQ	NQ

Barley (Per 100 pounds)

Rangen	ASK	NQ
Ogden	\$5.34	+.06
Pocatello	\$5.62	+.02
Burley	\$5.50	—
Twin Falls	\$5.50	—

Hay (Mid/Ton)

Alfalfa(Supreme)	Low \$140	High \$140
Alfalfa(Good)	Low \$130	High \$130
Alfalfa(Fair)	Low \$120	High \$125

Small grain

Soft white wheat

Rangen	Ask	N/A
Ogden	\$4.30	+.01
Pocatello	\$4.25	+.05
Burley	\$4.00	—
Twin Falls	\$3.90	—

Livestock

Lambs and hogs

Lambs	Low \$83	High \$93
Ewes	Low \$23	High \$45
Fat hogs	Low \$46	High \$48
Feeder hogs	Low \$62.50/head	High \$75/head

Price quotes as of Monday afternoon. Prices subject to change at any time.
To be included in this table, call Joshua Palmer at 208-735-3231.

Dairy

Continued from Agribusiness 1

100 pounds of milk was \$11.90, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, down from a high of \$19.50 in June 2008.

The surplus is not easy to eliminate, because dairy cows must be milked — or sent to slaughter. With the average price of producing milk around \$18 per 100 pounds, depending on the state, farmers lose money every day.

The hearing was led by Sen. Kirsten Gillibrand, D-N.Y., and Sen. Robert Casey, D-Pa.

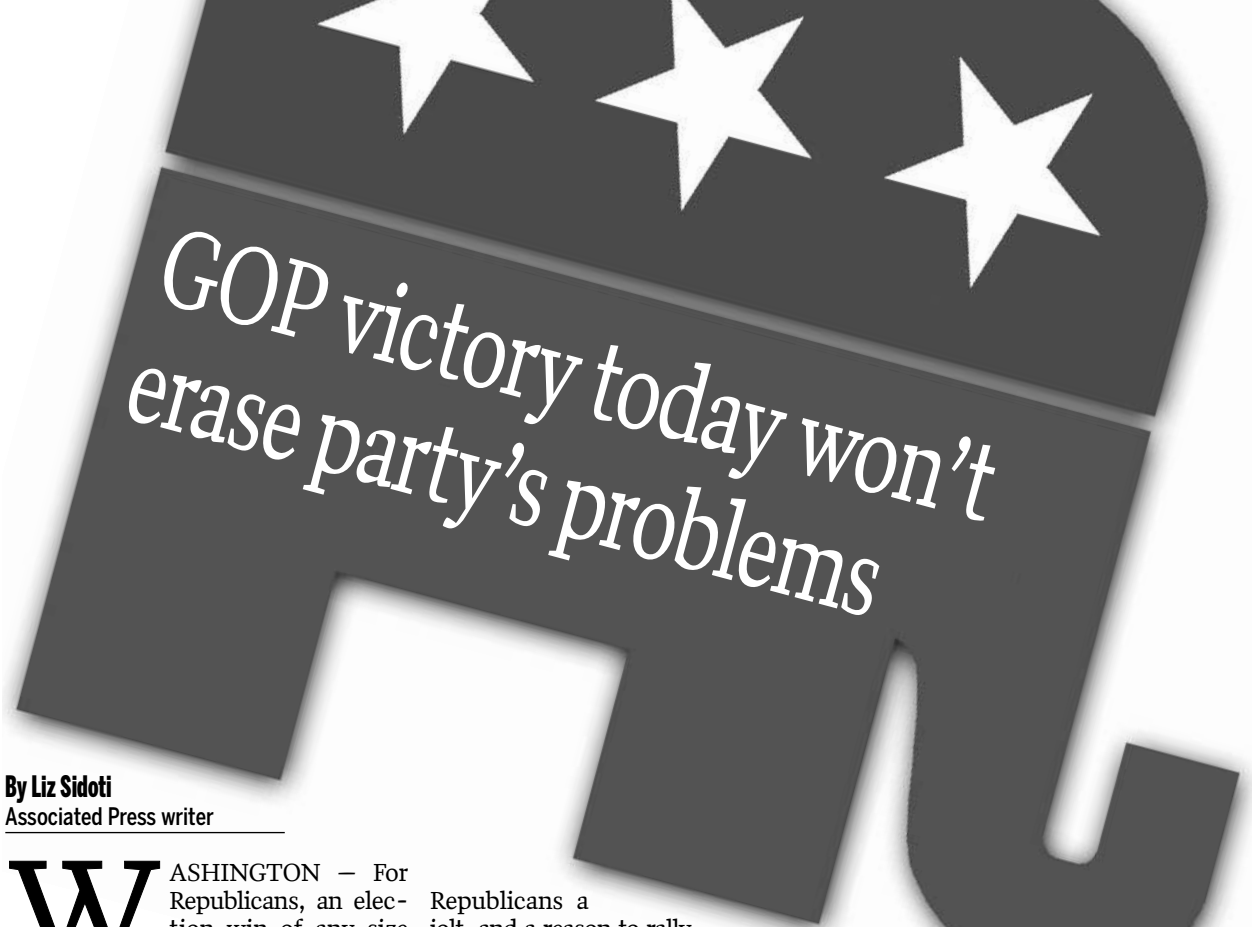
“There are not many businesses where people do backbreaking labor seven days a week and come out financially worse for their trouble,” Gillibrand said.

Much of the talk about solutions centered on exporting dairy products to developing countries.

“If (the Chinese) drink milk, we’ll find a way to get it there,” said Eric Ooms, a New York dairy farmer with 400 cows.

The Obama administration recently signed into law \$350 million in emergency aid for the industry. Most of that, \$290 million, will go directly to

THE WAR WITHIN



By Liz Sidoti
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — For Republicans, an election win of any size today would be a blessing. But victories in Virginia, New Jersey or elsewhere won't erase enormous obstacles the party faces heading into a 2010 midterm election year when control of Congress and statehouses from coast to coast will be up for grabs.

It's been a tough few years for the GOP. The party lost control of Congress in 2006 and then lost the White House in 2008 with three traditional Republican states — Indiana, North Carolina and Virginia — abandoning the party.

So even if political winds start blowing harder behind them and even if they can capitalize on Democratic missteps, Republicans still will have a long way to go over the next year because of their party's own fundamental problems — divisions over the path forward, the lack of a national leader and a shrinking base in a changing nation.

The GOP would overcome none of those hurdles should Republican Bob McDonnell win the Virginia governor's race, Chris Christie emerge victorious in the New Jersey governor's contest, or conservative Doug Hoffman triumph in a hotly contested special congressional election in upstate New York.

In fact, 2009 seems to have underscored what may be the biggest impediment for Republicans — the war within their base.

Not that the GOP would casually brush off even a small stack of victories on Tuesday.

One or more wins would give the

Republicans a jolt, and a reason to rally in the coming months. Victories certainly would help with grass-roots fundraising and candidate recruiting. And they might just be enough to reinvigorate a party that controlled the White House and Congress through much of this decade, only to lose power in back-to-back national elections.

Viewed from the other side, a GOP sweep would be a setback for Democrats. It could be seen as a negative measure of President Barack Obama's standing and could signal trouble ahead as he seeks to get moderate Democratic lawmakers behind his legislative agenda and protect Democratic majorities in Congress next fall.

Still, with Democrats in control, the onus is on the GOP to get its act together. George W. Bush, the president many Republicans came to see as an election-day albatross, is gone, but the party troubles born under him linger.

Republican leaders in Washington certainly are mindful of the challenges.

"It's going to be a difficult road to walk, to work with relatively new entrants into the political system and to work with them to show them that, by and large, we are the party who represents their interests," House Republican leader John Boehner told CNN on Sunday, arguing that there's "a political rebellion" taking place in the country.

Others are more blunt.

"Right now there's no central Republican leader to turn to, and there's

no central Republican message," conservative talk show host Rush Limbaugh told Fox News on Sunday. "The Republican message is sort of muddled. What do they stand for? Right now it's opposition to Obama."

A debate is waged over whether that's enough — or whether the party has to be for something, anything really, to be able to claw its way back to the top. Similar hand-wringing happened in the GOP ahead of the 1994 midterms. Just weeks before those elections, Republicans came up with the Contract with America — and ended up taking control of Congress.

Heading into the 2010 elections, the GOP also faces a very real split between conservatives who want to focus on social issues — which tend to work best during peaceful, prosperous times — and the rest of the party, which generally wants a broader vision, particularly given recession.

Proof of a divide is in the special election in New York's 23rd Congressional District. Potential 2012 presidential hopefuls trying to solidify their conservative credentials, Sarah Palin and Tim Pawlenty, endorsed Hoffman, a conservative third-party upstart, over the GOP-chosen candidate, moderate Dierdre Scozzafava. Badly trailing in polls, she ended up dropping out and — in a slap at the GOP — endorsing Democrat Bill Owens.

Streetcars desired

Trolleys on the ballot across the U.S.

By John Miller
Associated Press writer

BOISE — A streetcar revival in American cities isn't just kicking up sparks from the tracks, they're flying down at city hall, too.

In Idaho's capital, a proposed \$60 million trolley plan has become a major theme of local elections today. Likewise, mayoral races in Charlotte, N.C., and Cincinnati hinge at least partially on whether they should build lines of their own.

What links Boise, Cincinnati and Charlotte — and Salt Lake City, Dallas, Atlanta and Kansas City, where streetcar tracks abandoned in 1953 still poke through the city's weathered asphalt — is they're among dozens of local governments hoping their modern street projects will benefit from federal grants, including \$1.5 billion in stimulus funding due to be awarded by mid-February 2010.

In all, some 80 U.S. cities have streetcar proposals, the American Public Transportation Association says, a trend bolstered by President Obama's signal he's more inclined to pump

federal dollars into streetcars than was President Bush.

U.S. Transportation Secretary Ray LaHood has been revising policies that had favored applications for projects that moved people further and faster, like rapid-transit buses, but downplayed attributes like economic development.

"The bottom line is, this administration wants more transit options for more people and that includes streetcars," LaHood told The Associated Press last week.

In late October, his agency chipped in \$75 million to help expand Portland, Ore.'s 7-year-old streetcar system, marking the first time the Small Starts grant program for small-scale urban transit projects has been used for streetcars.

Still, the availability of federal cash hasn't quelled local debate.

Proponents see streetcars as economic development engines that will reduce congestion and air-pollution by turning back the clock: Streetcars largely disappeared from U.S. cities by the 1950s, as automobiles bullied them to the margins.

AROUND IDAHO

BOISE E. Idaho wolf zone closed as hunters reach limit

Hunters reached the five-wolf limit in eastern Idaho's Upper Snake Wolf Zone, prompting state wildlife managers to close the season there.

Two other zones were also approaching their limits Monday.

In the McCall-Weiser Zone, with a limit of 15 wolves, 14 wolves have been taken.

And in the Palouse-Hells Canyon Zone, with a limit of five, two have been taken, leaving three.

Across Idaho, wildlife managers are allowing hunters to shoot a total of 220 wolves, but in 12 different hunting zones.

So far, 86 wolves have been killed statewide.

bottom of an abandoned well in the South Hills near Twin Falls, nearly killing the dog.

The Idaho Department of Water Resources is poised to help property owners decommission unused wells.

Wells, especially irrigation wells, that are out of service can be up to 24 inches in diameter. The can also be a direct pathway for chemicals, bacteria, pesticides, manure, fertilizer or other wastes to contaminate underground aquifers.

COEUR D'ALENE N. Idaho voters get another say on jail

Voters in northern Idaho's Kootenai County will get another say on a proposed jail expansion in two ballot measures presented today.

One of the measures for the \$57 million expansion proposal is a general obligation bond; the other is for a half-cent local sales tax option to repay the bond.

The Coeur d'Alene Press reports that Commissioner Todd Tondee says that without the expansion, the county will have to raise property taxes to continue shipping inmates to out-of-county facilities.

Voters have twice turned down jail expansion measures in recent years, including a \$145 million proposal last year and a \$50 million expansion in 2005.

— The Associated Press

Curious? Psychology professor says that's the key to joy

By Susan Kinzie
The Washington Post

You're out at a bar, and you see that girl in the Pixies T-shirt, hyping your favorite band. You're dying to talk to her, but you hesitate, worried that she'll think you're a jerk when you walk over there.

Clinical psychologists study that kind of crippling social anxiety all the time, says psychologist Todd Kashdan. But, as Kashdan sees it, they hadn't paid much attention to the flip side, the magnet pull in the other direction, the thing that makes the other guy plunge right ahead to strike up a conversation: curiosity.

Kashdan, a professor at George Mason University in Fairfax, Va., has written a book arguing that it's one of the keys to a happy, fulfilling life. "Curious?" the cover blares, thick black letters on a bright yellow field, as though daring the reader to reach out and grab it. The book, written in a breezy self-help style, is backed by some of Kashdan's and others' research, making a case for curiosity and suggesting techniques for overcoming the anxiety that holds people back.

The 35-year-old professor could be a walking advertisement for his latest work. He boogie-boards, climbs rocks, obsesses over his favorite bands' live shows. He also has thrust himself into the pool of positive psychology, the study of the emotions, values, social factors and other concepts that help people flourish, rather than merely exist — a field that is dismissed by some

researchers as fluff, with insufficient rigor to its research.

"There's a good portion of clinical psychologists that don't see much merit in positive psychology. I would say most people are skeptical of it," said Patrick McKnight, one of Kashdan's colleagues at Mason. "And a small minority just think it's the greatest thing since sliced bread."

Kashdan says he's not so much positive psychologist as provocateur.

"He's always questioning the norm in the field," said Jeffrey Froh, an assistant professor of psychology at Hofstra University. "I don't know where he gets his ideas. He's hands-down one of the most creative people I've ever met in my life."

It's never too late in life to

foster curiosity and even in the midst of the most mundane tasks, Kashdan says. Even the painful, the repetitive, the most mind-numbing tasks can keep people engaged.

If people train themselves to be more attentive to the details, rather than drifting along on autopilot, they'll find that "there's beauty and intrigue around us everywhere — as long as we're open to what's around us," Kashdan says, sitting in an almost-dark office at George Mason with a single bright desk light, casting his face in shadow.

Kashdan says he thinks people can spark their curiosity to stay engaged in family life by learning from the way a small child can be transfixed by a sponge, say, or play happily with a stick

for an hour. A child's sense of wonder and delight over the ordinary is instructive, he says.

McKnight, Kashdan's colleague, points out that there are downsides to curiosity, too: Some of their colleagues treat patients who are unable to finish projects because they're so easily distracted. Kashdan touches on some of that in the book, nothing the pathology of excessive curiosity: stalkers and flashers and people with morbid interests that dominate their thoughts.

But Kashdan says that what he likes about the curiosity theory is how simple it is: In the end, people need to have a sense of purpose in their life, he says, and curiosity helps them define what that is and keep it fresh.

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BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Periods of sun. Highs upper 50s.

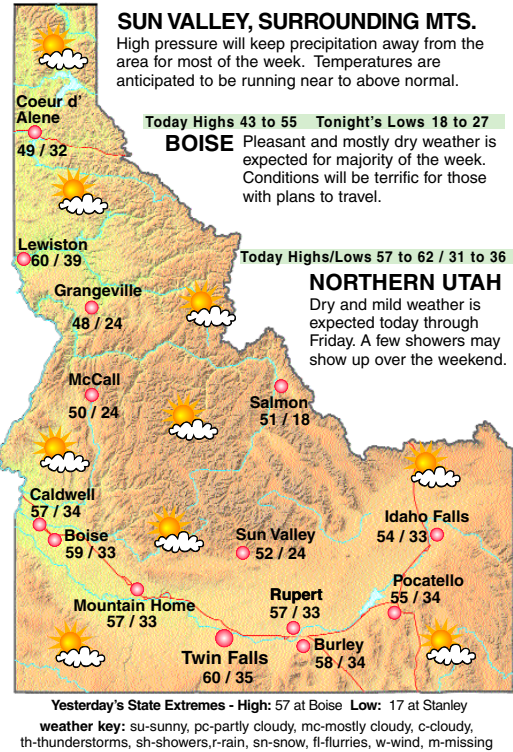
Tonight: Mostly clear night skies. Lows low to middle 30s.

Tomorrow: Sunny. Highs near 60.

ALMANAC - BURLEY

Temperature		Precipitation	
Yesterday's High	54	Yesterday's	0.00"
Yesterday's Low	26	Month to Date	0.00"
Normal High / Low	53 / 28	Avg. Month to Date	0.05"
Record High	75 in 1962	Water Year to Date	1.00"
Record Low	5 in 1991	Avg. Water Year to Date	0.69"

IDAHO'S FORECAST



GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY

Worry only about the things under your control, the things that can be influenced and changed by your actions, not about the things that are beyond your capacity to direct or alter.

—Charles E. Hummel

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Periods of sun	Mostly clear	Sunny	Sunny	Increasing clouds	Chance of showers
High 60	Low 35	62 / 35	61 / 37	61 / 36	57 / 33

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature		Precipitation		Humidity	
Yesterday's High	56	Yesterday's	0.00"	Yesterday High	56%
Yesterday's Low	35	Month to Date	0.00"	Yesterday Low	35%
Normal High / Low	53 / 28	Avg. Month to Date	0.06"	Today's Forecast High	48%
Record High	72 in 2005	Water Year to Date	1.19"	Today's Forecast Low	30%
Record Low	11 in 1995	Avg. Water Year to Date	0.80"	A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30	

Moon Phases



REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Thursday
Boise	59 33 pc	62 37 su	60 39 su
Bonniers Ferry	47 30 pc	51 33 su	53 36 su
Burley	58 34 pc	60 36 su	60 30 su
Challis	55 28 pc	55 32 su	59 25 su
Coeur d'Alene	49 32 pc	53 37 su	55 39 su
Elko, NV	62 26 pc	63 32 su	61 32 pc
Eugene, OR	55 41 pc	59 45 su	59 44 r
Gooding	54 32 pc	57 35 su	55 38 su
Gracie	55 32 pc	58 33 su	57 31 su
Hagerman	61 33 pc	64 35 su	62 37 su
Hailey	57 31 pc	58 32 su	58 31 su
Idaho Falls	54 33 pc	56 33 su	56 27 su
Kalispell, MT	46 24 pc	49 31 pc	50 33 pc
Lewiston	60 39 pc	64 45 su	65 46 su
Malad City	59 32 pc	58 33 su	61 30 su
Malta	59 32 pc	61 35 su	60 32 su
McCall	50 24 pc	52 29 su	49 32 su
Missoula, MT	48 25 pc	53 33 su	55 34 pc
Pocatello	55 34 pc	58 34 su	61 30 su
Portland, OR	55 42 pc	58 47 pc	58 46 r
Rupert	57 33 pc	60 36 su	61 32 su
Rexburg	52 31 pc	54 30 su	53 25 su
Richland, WA	49 31 pc	54 37 su	58 38 su
Rogerson	57 35 pc	60 36 su	57 36 su
Salmon	51 18 pc	54 28 su	57 30 su
Salt Lake City, UT	63 41 su	69 41 su	64 41 pc
Spokane, WA	56 35 su	56 39 su	58 38 su
Stanley	48 21 pc	52 29 su	51 22 su
Sun Valley	52 24 pc	54 29 su	52 24 su
Yellowstone, MT	40 22 pc	47 24 pc	48 23 pc

NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Atlanta	69 43 pc	67 44 pc
Atlantic City	61 36 pc	61 36 pc
Baltimore	62 35 pc	62 36 pc
Birmingham	56 33 pc	63 37 su
Boston	65 44 su	68 42 su
Charleston, SC	73 52 su	70 51 pc
Charleston, WV	53 31 pc	53 37 pc
Chicago	48 36 pc	49 38 sh
Cleveland	46 38 sh	46 39 mx
Denver	58 32 pc	60 32 su
Des Moines	51 37 sh	54 35 pc
Detroit	46 34 mx	47 38 sh
El Paso	76 48 su	78 46 su
Fairbanks	7 - 5 pc	13 2 pc
Fargo	43 30 mx	45 28 pc
Honolulu	85 68 th	82 69 sh
Houston	76 49 su	75 51 su
Indianapolis	52 34 pc	52 36 sh
Jacksonville	74 54 pc	75 55 pc
Kansas City	58 42 pc	59 38 su
Las Vegas	82 55 su	82 52 su
Little Rock	63 43 pc	70 43 pc
Los Angeles	78 57 su	72 52 su
Memphis	61 42 su	67 43 pc
Miami	85 74 sh	84 74 sh
Milwaukee	45 36 pc	46 35 sh
Nashville	60 34 pc	64 40 pc
New Orleans	79 58 su	74 57 su
New York	57 38 sh	49 38 pc
Oklahoma City	68 49 su	69 49 su
Omaha	55 38 sh	58 37 su

CANADIAN FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Calgary	42 24 pc	42 35 pc
Edmonton	43 27 pc	41 31 pc
Kelowna	41 27 pc	44 32 pc
Lethbridge	46 27 pc	47 37 pc
Regina	40 31 pc	43 33 pc
City	Today	Tomorrow
Saskatoon	35 27 pc	40 30 pc
Toronto	42 34 ls	42 32 pc
Vancouver	47 41 pc	51 47 pc
Victoria	49 43 pc	56 50 pc
Winnipeg	42 28 pc	41 27 pc

Yesterday's Weather

City	Hi	Lo	Prcp
Boise	57	31	0.00"
Challis	46	20	0.00"
Coeur d'Alene	46	25	0.00"
Idaho Falls	51	21	0.00"
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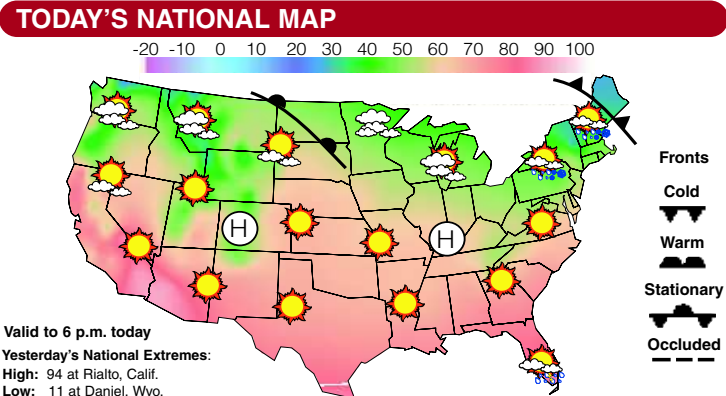
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Red, blight and hue: The secrets of fall color

By David Brown
The Washington Post

There aren't many things that look their best right before they die, but the leaf of the sugar maple is one of them.

Briefly at the end of each growing season, maple leaves seem to want to imitate the sun, whose energy they've been dutifully collecting all summer. As their green-pigmented chlorophyll breaks down, they glow red and orange in a display more suitable to the exhibitionist tropics than the sober temperate zone. It doesn't last long. In a few weeks they're brown, dry and on the ground.

Until about a decade ago, the autumnal turning of the leaves was viewed by biologists as a pointless if appealing feature in the life history of many deciduous trees. The standard teaching was that the bright colors were lurking in the leaves all along. Only when the chlorophyll disappeared did they become visible, the colorful undergarments in a deathbed striptease. It turns out, though, that's only half true.

Yellow and to some extent orange are the result of "unmasking" pigments already present in the leaves. But the red and magenta hues come from chemical compounds the tree makes just as it's preparing to go dormant for the winter.

Research going back 30 years suggested that compounds called anthocyanins are produced in a few red-turning trees late in the season. It's now clear that this isn't some rare exception. About 10 percent of tree species in temperate regions (and about 70 percent in New England mixed forests) turn red in the fall by making anthocyanins for a few weeks. The question is: Why? "Plants don't tend to be cute; they aren't like pandas and koala bears. But one of the things they have is autumn foliage," said David W. Lee, a botanist at Florida International University. "Every-one can see it. It inspires poetry. Now we're trying to figure out the science of it."

Natural selection dictates that if a species – and in this case, many species – invests resources in some trait or activity, there's probably a good reason for it. Leaves don't turn red to entertain human leaf-peepers; it's got to help the trees some way.

What the survival advantage of red-turning leaves might be is now a topic of lively debate in certain scientific journals. In the past few years, data and experimental results have been added to what had mostly been a battle of theories. There are two contending ideas.

One is that the red pigments are somehow involved in a process whereby the tree salvages useful chemical compounds from the dying leaf and transports them back into the wood for future use.

The alternative idea is that redness is a signal to leaf-sucking (and tree-damaging) insects called aphids, which are on the move in the fall and looking for places to lay their overwintering eggs. Aphids don't like the color red, and the message is: Don't lay them here; it's not a good place to raise young aphids.

The first idea, called the photoprotection hypothesis, is based on the (counterintuitive) perception that although days are growing shorter, leaves may be getting a dangerous amount of light as autumn progresses.

When intense sunlight strikes a leaf, it can damage oxygen-containing compounds and turn them into substances called free radicals. The free radicals, in turn, can damage cell structures and mutate genes. (This can be as harmful to leaves as it is to pale human skin.) During the summer, chlorophyll efficiently processes that light. It absorbs it and channels its energy into a constructive pathway – namely, the assimilation of carbon dioxide into sugars and woody compounds.

However, when the chlorophyll starts to break down in the autumn, more light hits the leaf than it can usefully process. This is especially a problem when the temperature falls and the chemical reactions that comprise photosynthesis slow down. Some of that unharnessed energy bounces around inside the leaf, creating free radicals.

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going green,

Today, people are realizing that it's possible to have beautiful lawns using organic methods that their grandparents may have used.



Jeanne and Bill Cassell began employing techniques this summer that make their Ketchum lawn 'trout friendly.'

KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News

Lawn practices gain popularity

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

KETCHUM — The “Trout Friendly Lawn” sign outside Bill and Jeanne Cassell’s Ketchum home has spawned a host of questions.

“Where are the trout?” youngsters want to know.

The Cassells had to meet criteria to get the sign. They replaced some of their lawn with bark, reducing the amount of water they use. They water only between 10 p.m. and 6 a.m. — and only every other day.

They use native and drought-tolerant plants to reduce watering. They leave grass clippings on their lawn to fertilize the soil. And they’ve reduced their use of synthetic fertilizers and herbicides — all in an effort to protect the health of the Big Wood River and the fish within it.

These practices are growing — and not just to protect streams and fish. Increasingly, people are worrying about the effect of pesticides and herbicides on humans and pets.

“I have an infant, and pretty soon everything she picks up will go in her mouth. No way am I going to put herbicides on my lawn,” visiting speaker Paul Tukey said.

Tukey has more reason than many to be wary of herbicides.

THE NATURAL LAWN

1. **Get** a soil test to determine what kind of fertilizer or soil amendment you need. Decent lawns require at least six inches of good topsoil.
2. **Consider** fescues that require far less maintenance than Kentucky bluegrass.
3. **Water** deeply and infrequently so grass roots grow down into the soil to get the water they need. And water early so the surface of the lawn dries off during the day.
4. **Use** organic fertilizer made of natural materials.
5. **Keep** mower blades sharp and set the blade as high as possible, as tall grass plants conserve soil moisture, crowd out weeds and shade weed seeds. Recycle grass clippings by leaving them on the lawn, thus providing half your lawn’s fertilizer needs for the season.
6. **Avoid** synthetic fertilizers, which can burn grass.
7. **Add** compost, which contains beneficial microorganisms that add life to the soil. Liquid compost, also known as compost tea, should be used in combination with dry compost.
8. **Understand** that weeds indicate something’s wrong with the soil.
9. **Insects**, likewise, are attracted to a rush of new grass growth caused by synthetic fertilizers. They shouldn’t be a problem in a healthy lawn.
10. **Overseed** regularly to fill in bare areas, growing grass to compete against weeds. Lawns that are mowed regularly do not allow grass to reproduce.

Source: www.SafeLawns.org

He owned a million-dollar landscaping business in Maine when a doctor told him that 2, 4-D weed killer was causing his recurrent headaches, nosebleeds and blurred vision.

“He told me I had acute

chemical sensitivity and that if I continued to use the chemicals I was going to wind up dead,” Tukey said. As he researched the issue, Tukey began learning that 2, 4-D was also being linked to Parkinson’s disease, prostate

and other cancers, rashes, attention deficit disorder and immune suppression.

“It’s very toxic to dogs,” he said. “Dandelions or cancer: You decide.”

Tukey began experimenting with organic lawn care, eventually taking over the care of the National Mall in Washington, D.C. And he wrote “The Organic Lawn Care Manual” and started a show by the same name on HGTV.

In October, the Sawtooth Botanical Garden brought Tukey to Ketchum where he screened the new film “A Chemical Reaction.” The documentary tells how the Canadian town of Hudson, Ontario, banned pesticides in 1991 after a doctor began noticing a connection between her patients’ health and the use of lawn chemicals. Today, the sale of pesticides is banned in Canada, Denmark and Norway, according to Tukey. And Connecticut has made it illegal to use weed killer in schoolyards.

But chemical companies got laws passed in most states, including Idaho, that make it impossible for local municipalities to ban pesticides across the board, as Hudson did.

America’s obsession with

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ZAP! POW!

Home decor gets a pop art punch

By Kim Cook
For The Associated Press

Texan collector and decorator Andrea Reed grew up in a home filled with Pop Art, but it was the film “Tommy” that really made a lasting impression.

In particular, a scene where Tommy’s mother (played by Ann-Margret) sings “in an all-white room with a white ball chair. I was forever hooked,” says Reed.

She and her husband have painted their own living room six times, plucking from the Pantone candy box of orange, blue and pinky-purple. Other parts of the house also have received the Pop Art treatment, including the kitchen, which has a rainbow on the pantry. With a white fiberglass sofa, ball chair a la “Men in Black,” and zingy graphics throughout the house, Reed’s on top of a trend that swings in and out like a “Solid Gold” dancer.

With our continued interest in mid-century decor, it’s no surprise to see Pop Art back for a visit.

Pop Art was a major mover in late ’60s and ’70s decor. The space race inspired futuristic furnishings, and designers were influenced by a generation experimenting with free-spirited ideas. Think of Roy Lichtenstein’s blown-up comic book art; “2001: A Space Odyssey”; Andy Warhol’s Campbell’s soup can. The style is characterized by emphatic colors, strong graphics and bold furniture.

There are many ways to add a bit of “pop” to your rooms with furniture, accent pieces and color. Don’t worry about kitsch; this is all about being fun and fresh.

CB2 has the Sol pendant lamp, a sleek white globe with a sunny yellow interior. Add Inmod’s curvy Aarnio-style ball chair, Sputnik light fixture

See **ART**, H&G 3



French Bull’s melamine platter in op art-inspired Ring pattern, \$18.



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David Sill’s \$160,000 garage in Reisterstown, Md., was built with solar panels, straw-bale walls and an Incinolet toilet, an electric toilet that incinerates waste.

Sun spot

Eco-friendly garage attracts visitors

By Eileen Ambrose
The Baltimore Sun

Visitors have traveled for miles to see David and Laura Sill’s new garage in Reisterstown, Md. What makes this three-car garage worth the trip is that it was made out of about 200 bales of straw and features a toilet that heats waste into environmentally friendly ash. Building a green garage was a

natural for the Sill family. The family’s Victorian home has solar panels, which supply about 40 percent of the family’s electricity. So when David Sill, a physician, wanted a heated garage so he could work on cars year-round, he looked to the sun again.

“The power is raining down on us as we stand here, yet we don’t use it,” Sill said. One of the first things a visitor

will notice about the new garage is that it doesn’t have a paved driveway that causes runoff. Instead, the driveway is a “permeable pavement,” like a thin metal grid that’s barely covered by dirt but allows vegetation to poke through and rain to be absorbed.

The garage relies on three solar panels for heating. The panels heat

See **GARAGE**, H&G 3

Map out your garden's present, dream a little about its future



SANDRA LEAVITT LERNER/Washington Post

Everything in your garden — right down to planters and containers and tables and chairs — should be part of your site plan. A site map doesn't have to be elaborate or artistic; it just has to be of use to you.

Now's a good time to draw your site plan

By Joel M. Lerner
Special to The Washington Post

WASHINGTON — Every gardener needs a site plan — a drawing with as much information as can be collected on the property, from the potholes in the driveway to the direction of the prevailing winds, correctly noted for each season.

A good time to draw your site plan is fall to early winter, when deciduous greenery has faded, making it easier to see the outlines of the landscape. Then, over the winter, while your garden is asleep, you can make your assessments and prepare plans for spring.

You can hire someone to draw a plan for you, of course. But to save some money, try doing it yourself. A site map doesn't have to be elaborate or artistic; it just has to be of use to you.

The first step is measuring. You should have been given a site, or plat, plan when you bought your home. This document is a good starting point. It should have the property measurements and the dimensions of the house and other large structures. However, you'll need many more measurements. It helps to have two people for this task — one at each end of a measuring tape. Or, if you use a measuring wheel or laser measuring device, you can accomplish this on your own.

Copy the plat, or a version of it, onto erasable paper to form a rough outline of the property's dimensions. From there, you can start adding more elements, including driveways and walks, patios and decks, and trees and planting beds.

Some of these components are obvious, but others will require some research — wind direction and drainage, for example. The wind across your property may change seasonally, so this is something you may have to monitor over time.

If your home sits on an incline, you may be fortunate enough to have a gentle slope that will accommodate a path. Steep areas may require retaining walls to control erosion, as well as steps to get from the top to the bottom. Without a contour map by a surveyor, illustrate slopes with an arrow and labeling.

If you've been gardening in one location for a few seasons, you probably already know the soil characteristics — where the good loam is, and the areas of clay deposits. If not, buy soil sampling kits at a garden center or check with your local Cooperative Extension Service.

Once you have a rough sketch with all the details of your property, you're ready to prepare a finished copy. I recommend using graph paper with a quarter-inch grid. Set the scale at one

WHAT EVERY GOOD SITE PLAN NEEDS

- Here are some things you might want or need to have on the site map of your property:
- Buildings, including garages and sheds
 - Utility poles, power lines and lighting elements (such as walkway lights)
 - Gas and water lines
 - Driveways and walks
 - Porches, patios and decks
 - Walls, fences and gates
 - Doors and windows
 - Trees
 - Planting beds and planters or containers
 - Play equipment
 - Water features, including streams, ponds and swimming pools
 - Direction of prevailing winds
 - Directions of drainage
 - Topographical information (slopes)
 - Soil types

foot to one quarter-inch, but adjust the scale if your property is very large or very small. If you enjoy working with computers, there are software programs that help you with landscape design.

Use simple shapes, labeling everything as you draw. Make a key so you will understand your lines and symbols, using dotted or dashed lines, for example, to indicate different types of utilities. If you're creating a new landscape, you might want to put in all the information except the plantings. Then make several copies of that basic plan so you can trace different design ideas on the copies.

When locating trees, draw a small circle for the trunk, then a larger one to indicate the canopy. If the trees are young, remember to draw them with a mature canopy. This will help you to visualize how much area will be shaded when they grow.

Have fun with your draw-

ing by trying some techniques used by professional designers. For instance, drifts of flowers are indicated by freeform, amoeba-like shapes. Formal or clipped hedges are squared off, and informal hedges are created with interlocking circles. Fences can be lines with tiny circles or squares that indicate posts. Underground features are noted with dotted lines.

Use colored pencils to identify soil types. Fill in the colors of existing or new plants. Color lightly so you don't obscure other features.

Even if your drawing is a little rough, the object is for you to have fun with it. Add a fountain or hot tub. Remove a really big tree that's creating too much shade, and design a sunny perennial garden. Paper and pencils are cheap, and paper plans are continuously changeable. While your garden dozes over the winter, it's your chance to dream about its future.

There's always (some) smoke with fire

DEAR JIM: I just installed a new efficient fireplace in the living room. In the past, I have had problems getting a wood fire started and burning without much smoke. Do you have some tips for building a smoke-free fire?

— Karen W.

DEAR KAREN: I burn fires in my fireplace at least five days per week during winter, and I use various methods to start the fire. As for building a smoke-free fire, I don't think any method can guarantee this.

Even the best laid fire will smoke a little until the wood gets burning well and the chimney gets hot enough to create a strong upward draft.

Once a fire is burning well, the amount of smoke depends primarily upon the quality of the firewood. Using well seasoned firewood is the best way to minimize smoke. The type of wood also impacts the amount of smoke to a lesser extent. Burning smaller pieces of wood tends to produce less smoke because the inside gets hot faster than in a large piece.

This next piece of advice applies to everyone, but especially to you since you have had a problem with smoke: Have your chimney professionally inspected and cleaned if you have not for several years.

Chimney fires cause many house fires and deaths every year. When a fire is smoky, it tends to produce more creosote, which is the primary cause of chimney fires.

It seems as though everyone has his preferred method to build a fire.

Almost all methods use a combination of old newspapers, kindling, softwoods and mostly hardwoods. Generally, there are two accepted effective methods, teepee and English, to lay the wood to start a fire in a fireplace.

I like the teepee method in my fireplace on the base of the firebox without a grate. Others prefer a grate. Crumple up the newspapers, not too tightly, and place them on the bottom or under the grate. These are used to create a rapid hot fire to get the kindling or firestarters burning well.

I also put more crumpled newspapers on top of the logs after the fire is laid. I start these newspapers first

SENSIBLE HOME

James Duley



to warm the chimney quickly to create just enough initial draft to draw more of the smoke up the chimney.

The newspapers, both under and above the wood, burn out quickly. The kindling and firestarters burn longer to heat up the actual logs to their ignition point. Soft woods, with more natural resins than hardwood, tend to start faster. Softwood sometimes pops and spits out embers, so be cautious when it starts.

The teepee method of stacking the wood creates a cone (teepee). When the fire starts, the hot gases are channeled up between the logs. The temperature on the inside surfaces gets hot quickly to get the entire log started. This also creates a strong draft up the center of the fire and should minimize smoke.

When using andirons or a grate, the English method works well. Place a couple of logs close together across the andirons. Lay pieces of kindling perpendicular across these logs and place a third log on top.

Also use some crumpled newspaper under and above the logs.

DEAR JIM: My house had a leak at the roof flashing which I have since had repaired. The wall had been wet inside for a long while. When they removed the drywall, some studs were rotten. How can this be fixed?

— Marie K.
DEAR MARIE: You can either add new studs next to the rotten ones and leave them there, or remove the old ones. It can be a job to get the old ones out. If they are dry now and you find no evidence of mold, you may leave them in.

The insulation in the wall should probably be replaced. Fiberglass insulation may dry out satisfactorily, but it may be matted somewhat and less effective. Cellulose insulation should definitely be replaced.

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Make newspaper logs by wrapping newspaper around a broom handle, wetting it and allowing it to dry.

Lawn

Continued from H&G 1

treating lawns chemically began in 1967 when the Masters Golf Tournament was televised in color, Tukey said. Today, however, people are realizing that it's possible to have beautiful lawns using organic methods that their grandparents may have used.

One of the keys is to compost with decayed matter that used to be alive. The compost should have a sweet, earthy smell to it, he said. And you should rake a half-inch layer across your lawn so you don't suffocate the grass.

Vermicompost, or worm poop, is the greatest fertilizer you can use on your garden, he added.

"A lot of people think going organic means you will be overwhelmed by dandelions and insects. But weeds simply indicate that your soil is not healthy and needs nourishment. And insects appear as response to fast growth spurts caused by synthetic fertilizer," he said.

Organic lawns don't need to be mowed as often. And they need 70 percent less to water to stay green.

"Your goal is to water

once a week, if that," Tukey said.

Some lawn companies, such as TruGreen in Twin Falls, offer customers a choice of organic products, as well as more conventional treatment. Company spokeswoman Amy Simpson said the company is also utilizing new technologies that allow landscapers to spot-treat weeds rather than blanket a lawn with chemicals.

"Absolutely, you can have a nice lawn without using chemicals," she said.

Bill Pereira, a third-generation farmer, said he started Big Chief Organics, a fertilizer business, after nearly 40 years of farming and landscape work in Hagerman.

"There's tons of information about the downside of synthetic fertilizers — cancer rates going through the roof, dogs getting sickened, the problems of nitrates ending up in our water," he said. "But, unfortunately, so many people are more interested in what's cheap and quick, rather than what's safe."

One customer that has pursued "safe" is the city of Hailey, which has been

using Pereira's Big Chief Organics fertilizer on its parks for the past two years. The fertilizer is derived from such products as bird and bat guano and fish emulsions.

"I believe that certified organic fertilizers is the only way to go when it comes to taking care of your home turf, parks, school grounds, even alfalfa fields," Pereira said. "Not only is it safer for the children and dogs who run on the lawn, but it can be less expensive than many of the chemical lawn services. And it can reduce the amount of water your lawn requires, as well."

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Designer Barbara Barry can dress up even your lettuce drawer

By Jura Koncius
The Washington Post

WASHINGTON — Barbara Barry is a Los Angeles interior designer known for her exquisite taste and her stable of home furnishings created for firms such as Henredon, Wedgewood, Kallista bath products and Tufenkian Carpets. She's also a life coach of sorts.

When Barry, who has been on Architectural Digest's list of 100 top designers, visits clients, she sometimes rolls up the sleeves of her silk blouse and organizes parts of their home. She removes the labels stuck on fresh fruit ("I prefer it natural, like from the farmers market"). Or she rearranges the fridge, lining the drawers with white linen dish towels ("The lettuce looks gorgeous on them"). She might fill jelly jars with fresh mint, tarragon and cilantro, and line those up on the shelves as well. Berries, she says, look better in beautiful bowls. "Small things mean a lot," says Barry, who has taught many a client her well-ordered ways.

Barry, who opened her design company in 1985, has made a career of believing that luxury is using beautiful things every day. Her furniture has velvet-lined drawers. Her teacups have a shape she researched to be the most comfortable for holding in your hand. She prefers colors in a restrained palette, which means lots of pale greens and soothing blues. Recently she was at the Henredon showroom at the Washington Design Center to talk with designers and customers about her new furniture and accessories. Q: These are tough times. What can we do to give a lift to ourselves and our rooms? A: It makes a difference if you have nice sheets or drink tea from a beautiful cup. You can understand that as hard as life can be, it can be balanced with simple pleasures. Q: What important details do people overlook in their homes?

A: I have built luxurious homes from the ground up, but if the cabinet knob falls off, it's a failure. Clean out a closet. Take everything off your furniture and polish it. Throw out what you are around your kitchen sink: the grungy sponge, the soap pump with the label on it, the dead plant, scrub brush. Replace them. You can tell so much about people when



Courtesy of DAVID MEREDITH
This living room displays the Bowmont sofa for Barbara Barry Realized by Henredon, the Coupe silver table lamp from Barry's collection for Visual Comfort, and curtains in her endive-colored Flawless fabric for Kravat.

you look at their sink.

Q: Can you share some favorite places to install wallpaper?

A: I like wallpaper in closets. The coat closet, your bedroom closet and even in the pantry. It can make a rather boring space feel very special. It can be a personal luxury, like having a beautiful lining in a jacket.

Q: What are some of your favorite paint colors?

A: For walls I like pale green (Moon Shadow by Benjamin Moore) or pale taupe (Coastal Fog by

Benjamin Moore). For trim I do off-white (White Down by Benjamin Moore). My own living room is Donald Kaufman's DKC-8. It's sort of a gray-celadon. I call it the color of water in the bathtub.

Q: What is the best finish for bath fixtures?

A: Plumbing is not something we update all the time, like a pillow. It should be timeless. I go for nickel, which always keeps its freshness. Nickel is the classic finish on boats. It adds sparkle, and it's like a bit of jewelry in the bathroom. I

don't want to see bronze or brass.

Q: You have designed a lot of sheets. What is your theory for bedrooms?

A: Your bed should look like you've moved into the best hotel in town. Buy the highest-quality bed linens you can afford. I prefer to use lightweight duvets with covers. No top sheet: enjoy the sensuous feeling of down all around you.

Q: What about towels?

A: I use only white or ivory towels. In the guest room, I use a blush color. I don't like monograms.

Q: Why?

A: Because you already know who lives there.



Courtesy of ANN SACKS, WEDGEWOOD, KALLISTA
Barbara Barry designs high-end products for more than a dozen licensees. Shown are groove tiles for Ann Sacks, Radiance china for Wedgewood, and Tuxedo Classic nickel faucet and handles for Kallista.



Garage

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a tank of antifreeze-like fluid, and when the garage needs heat, the fluid will be circulated in a grid under the floor. The garage can be heated up to 80 degrees, Sill said. "These walls are tremendously insulated because they are so thick," Sill said.

Looking at the garage, there's no evidence of the bales that make up the 21-inch walls other than a square of plaster purposely

cut out to reveal the golden straw. The bales are covered with plaster. The exterior features cement-product paneling, said Polly Bart, owner of Greenbuilders in Butler, Md., which constructed the garage.

The straw came from a farmer about five miles away

from the Sill home, Bart said.

The garage also includes a small bathroom with an electric toilet.

On the roof are two small gardens that will keep the garage cool in the summer and extend the life of the roof, Bart said.

The 1,400-square-foot

garage with screened porch cost \$160,000. The Sills will get some of that investment back in federal and state tax breaks for the solar panels and energy-efficient doors.

Information on tax breaks for fuel efficient homes and businesses is at www.dsireusa.org.

Declutter your closet in only 10 minutes

By Megan K. Scott
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — Is your closet an overflowing disaster? Clothes packed tight, shoes in a hodgepodge on the floor, purses, scarves and sweaters piled high on the shelves?

Some tips for organizing your closet in 10-minute chunks:

1. Plan. Decide what sizes you are going to keep, what is going to be stored in the closet, where you are going to take things that you no longer want, said Standolyn Robertson, certified professional organizer in Waltham, Mass.

2. Take the dry cleaning bags off, said Lisa Zaslow of Gotham Organizers in New York. A bag "takes up space, makes it harder to see your clothes and is actually bad for fabric," she said in an e-mail. Remove empty hangers.

3. Organize clothing by type — blouses, pants, skirts, jackets, suits, etc., said Zaslow. Then spend another 10 minutes arranging by color. As you go, get rid of anything that is worn or stained, that doesn't fit, that isn't flattering or that you just don't like. Store the things you wear most often in the most accessible parts of your closet.

4. If you have a lot of short-hanging items, use a closet doubler that hangs from the top rod to increase your hanging space, said Zaslow. Put your slacks, blouses, jackets and skirts on the bottom rung.

5. Hang all of your fall clothes backward, said Ecker. As you wear them, put the hanger back on the rod the traditional way. At



AP photo
Mesh stacking shelves in a closet in Beth J. Harpaz's home in New York.

the end of winter, if an item is still hanging backward, it's probably something you should get rid of.

6. Tackle the shelves. Use dividers to create cubicles, said professional organizer Erica Ecker of The Spacialist in New York. "They slide right in a shelf and make perpendicular barriers so your piles of sweaters, shirts and jeans don't avalanche into each other."

7. Put like with like in terms of shoes, said Robertson, immediate past president of the National Association of Professional Organizers. Stick all the tennis shoes together, the sandals together and so forth. Put a magazine in the boots to get them to stand up. Remove shoes that are too small or need to be repaired.

8. Take advantage of unused space. The dead air between the floor and the bottom of a skirt or dress can hold clear plastic bins on wheels for shoes, belts and other accessories. The back of the door can have hooks or over-the-door pocket-type organizers.



Surface View's reproduction of classic panel art from Marvel Comics, about \$122-\$325.

Art

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and a bigger-than-life wall graphic and you're well on your way to putting the word "mod" back in your vocabulary.

Design Toscano has a flirty, lip-shaped chair in red, and Innermost's Kapow pendant light is a groovy tangle of white spirals.

Dezignwithaz.com has wall decals in squares or circles that evoke '70s style.

Or consider comic book art: It complements this decor well with intense hues and lively imagery. British decoupage artist Amelia Coward covers home accessories and chairs in comic book pages, and will do custom projects through her Bombus studio. Surfaceview, also in the United Kingdom, will ship a ready-to-frame or ready-framed repro art panel from a vintage comic; Silver Surfer, The Hulk and romance comics are striking. Add a playful element to adult spaces with Roommates' giant Iron

Man decal, or a mural composed of dozens of Marvel comic book covers.

Two's Company launched a fun collection of Pop Art accessories this summer. They include comic-book alliterative words like "Pow!" and "Wham!" printed on trinket boxes and frames.

Design studio French Bull, known for melamine dishware and coordinating linens in contemporary patterns, has several with a touch of Pop, including Ring, Mosaic and Pink Paisley. They've also got a new line of porcelain mugs printed with kicky Pop-Arty astrological motifs.

With shag rugs, hip modern furniture, shots of black and white to punch up the bright hues, and an array of audacious graphics, the groove is right on.

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PUBLIC HEARING

Public Hearing on November 13th in Lincoln County to amend the LC Zoning ordinance has been cancelled watch for new scheduled hearing.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0133244 Title Order No. 090632507IDGNO Parcel No. RP09S25E209449A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the conference room of Land Title & Escrow located at 710G St., Rupert, ID 83350, on 02/16/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 07/06/1998 as Instrument Number 256509, and executed by **DONALD JEROME KAMP & MARY B KAMP, HUSBAND & WIFE**, as Grantor(s), in favor of MOUNTAIN STATES, as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Minidoka County, state of Idaho: TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO, SECTION 20: PART OF THE SE 1/4 SE 1/4, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT WHICH IS 397 FEET EAST OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SE 1/4 SE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION; THENCE EAST 260 FEET; THENCE NORTH 200 FEET; THENCE WEST 260 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 200 FEET OF THE POINT OF BEGINNING. EXCEPT THAT PORTION DEEDED TO THE STATE OF IDAHO FOR HIGHWAY PURPOSES. FORE REFERENCE PURPOSES: TAX PARCEL #RP09S25E209449A The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, **1232 EAST 600 NORTH FKA 582 East Baseline, Rupert, Idaho 83350, Jackson, ID 83359** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 05/01/2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 7.250% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$21,546.37, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 10/03/2009 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Sabrina Stephens, Team Member ASAP# 3290411

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Title No. 4070910378TM
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On **Thursday, February 11, 2010** at the hour of **10:30 o'clock A.M.**, of said day, on the steps of the Jerome County Courthouse located at 300 N. Lincoln, Jerome, ID 83338, Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashiers check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of the sale), money order, State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Jerome, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:

Lot 6 in Block 1 of Country Villa Estates, Jerome County, Idaho, as the same is Platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the office of the recorder of said County.

THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: **420 Valley View Circle, Jerome, ID 83338**, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.

If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **Jimmie L. Riddle and Cecilia A. Riddle**, Husband and Wife, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Chase Home Finance LLC as Successor Beneficiary, recorded April 17, 2008 as Instrument No. 2082054, Mortgage records of Jerome County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to:

Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$127,281.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 6.75% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated April 10, 2008. Payments are in default for the months of January 2009 thru & including August 2009 in the amount of \$1,021.85 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance as of September 1, 2009 is \$126,497.59 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 6.75% per annum. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.

The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$126,497.59, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

Dated: October 13, 2009

Alliance Title & Escrow Corp.

By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer

Phone: 208-947-1553

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 09-0139164 Title Order No. 090656368IDGNO Parcel No. RFG1000153015AA The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, in the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, Inc. located at 706 Main St., Gooding, ID 83330., on 02/16/2010 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 02/25/2005 as Instrument Number 210080, and executed by **PAUL M LEGUINECHE, A SINGLE MAN**, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Gooding County, state of Idaho: LOTS 15, 16 AND 17 IN BLOCK 153 OF WOODWORTH ADDITION, TO THE CITY OF GOODING, GOODING COUNTY, IDAHO, AS THE SAME IS PLATTED IN THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, **1213 MONTANA STREET, GOODING, ID 83330** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 06/01/2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 5.875% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$53,915.66, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and/or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 10/03/2009 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Sabrina Stephens, Team Member ASAP# 3290417

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No. ID-09-313180-PJ On 2/2/2010, at 11:00:00 AM (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of TWIN FALLS, State of Idaho: in the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Filmore Street, Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee by Quality Loan Services, as Attorney in Fact, as Trustee on behalf of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of TWIN FALLS State of Idaho, and described as follows: TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO SECTION 22: A PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN THE NW1/4 NW1/4 BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST SECTION CORNER OF SAID SECTION 22; THENCE NORTH 89°54'11" EAST 425.00 FEET ALONG THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY OF SAID SECTION 22 TO THE REAL POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE SOUTH 1°05'38" WEST 538.39 FEET; THENCE NORTH 58°10'42" EAST 129.53 FEET; THENCE NORTH 40°48'52" EAST 134.87 FEET; THENCE NORTH 78°09'03" EAST 81.94 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 74°10'03" EAST 104.98 FEET; THENCE NORTH 82°07'44" EAST 158.64 FEET; THENCE NORTH 2°30'12" EAST 358.89 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY OF SAID SECTION 22; THENCE SOUTH 89°54'11" WEST 544.85 FEET ALONG THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY OF SAID SECTION 22 TO THE REAL POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **1213 EAST 4400 NORTH, 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 **JOSE C GONZALEZ AND SILVIA GONZALEZ, HUSBAND AND WIFE** as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR M&T MORTGAGE CORPORATION, is named as Beneficiary and FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, INC. as Trustee and recorded 7/14/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-017135 in book __, page - of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of TWIN FALLS County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4) (A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 7/10/2006. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,259.70, due per month for the months of 5/1/2009 through 9/16/2009, 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 \$144,208.90 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 7.6250 per cent (%) per annum from 4/1/2009. 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 mat 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 Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney. Date: 10/1/2009 By: Pioneer Lender Trustee Services, LLC an Idaho limited liability company, as Trustee by Quality Loan Services, as Attorney in Fact, as Trustee Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Agent 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 Tara Donzella, Assistant Vice President *** For Sale Information Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityesap.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# 3289093

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

30210614 Loan No. 0060752607 T.S. No. 057-009665 On 2/16/2010, at 11:00 A.M. (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho: Lobby of TitleFact 163 4th Avenue North Twin Falls, ID 83301 . TRANSNATION TITLE & ESCROW, INC., A DELAWARE CORPORATION, as Trustee on behalf of LandAmerica OneStop, Inc. will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 14 IN BLOCK 4 OF VILLA VISTA SUBDIVISION NO. 2, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN BOOK 11 OF PLATS, PAGE 9, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **147 CORDOVA AVENUE, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301** is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **KYLE MARTIN GAUSE, AN UNMARRIED MAN** as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., is named as Beneficiary and TWIN FALLS TITLE AND ESCROW, INC. as Trustee and recorded 5/15/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-011667 in book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Twin Falls County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 5/15/2007. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,172.62, due per month for the months of 5/1/2009 through 10/2/2009, 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 \$128,982.13 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 6.75000 per cent (%) per annum from 4/1/2009. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 10/2/09 TRANSNATION TITLE & ESCROW, INC., A DELAWARE CORPORATION By: Lynn Darling, AVP THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. ASAP# 3295377

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

30210608 Loan No. 0060585809 T.S. No. 057-009662 On 2/16/2010, at 11:00 a.m. (recognized local time), at the following location in the County of Gooding, State of Idaho: Lobby of Land Title & Escrow 706 Main Street Gooding, ID 83330 . TRANSNATION TITLE & ESCROW, INC., A DELAWARE CORPORATION, as Trustee on behalf of LandAmerica OneStop, Inc. will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of Gooding State of Idaho, and described as follows: That part of Block 72, Wendell Township, Gooding County, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the office of the County Recorder of said County, and that part of the SW1/4NW1/4 of Section 33, Township 7 South, Range 15, East of the Boise Meridian, being a portion of the M. & N.S.R.R. right-of-way abandoned, described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of said Block 72; Thence East 125 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; Thence North 259.15 feet; Thence North 88°15' East, 13.42 feet; Thence North 35°23' East, 92.55 feet; Thence North 89°24' East, 58.0 feet; Thence South 335.64 feet to a point of intersection with the extended North line of Main Street; Thence West along the North line of Main Street, 125 feet to THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **530 W. MAIN STREET, WENDELL, ID 83355** is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **MICHAEL A. KAVAJECZ, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY**, as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., is named as Beneficiary and FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY as Trustee and recorded 4/4/2007 as Instrument No. 221011 in book __, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Gooding 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 3/30/2007. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$1,419.65, due per month for the months of 5/1/2009 through 10/1/2009, 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 \$168,563.74 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 7.25000 per cent (%) per annum from 4/1/2009. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 10/2/09 TRANSNATION TITLE & ESCROW, INC., A DELAWARE CORPORATION By: Lynn Darling, AVP THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. ASAP# 3294689

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NOTICES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Tuesday, the 9th day of March, 2010, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 10 in Block 7 of North Pointe Ranch Subdivision No. 6, according to the official plat thereof, filed in Book 18 of Plats at Page(s) 5, official Records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

Sometimes known as: **749 North Pointe Drive, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301**

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **JANE T. MCLEAN**, an unmarried woman, grantor to TITLEFACT, INC., as trustee for the benefit and security of FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK OF TWIN FALLS, recorded December 19, 2007, as Instrument No. 2007-030319, mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to pay: Monthly payments, collection charges and late charges through October 13, 2009, all in the amount of \$5,068.78; and the unpaid principal balance owing as of October 13, 2009, on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$137,684.38, plus interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

DATED: October 19, 2009.

TITLEFACT, INC., Trustee
By R. TODD BLASS, Vice-President
COLEMAN, RITCHIE & ROBERTSON
Attorneys for Trustee
Residing at Twin Falls, Idaho

PUBLISH: October 27, November 3, 10 and 17, 2009

NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Pursuant to Section 58-104(g) and 58-1301, et seq., Idaho Code (The Lake Protection Act) and rules of the State Board of Land Commissioners, notice is hereby given that **Gary Harper of Declo** has submitted an application to install rock rip rap over a gravel filter layer along approximately 100 linear feet of shoreline to prevent sediment in the reservoir and stabilize the bank. Clean angular rock rip rap material ranging in size from 12" to 24" is proposed to be placed about 2 feet in depth. The existing vertical bank will be pulled back to a slope that will allow placement of a gravel layer and rock rip rap. Bank material that is removed will be placed in the uplands. Rip rap construction will occur while reservoir is at low water levels. Bank shaping equipment will operate on the upland property reaching over the bank to work. Rip rap material will be placed by hand or using equipment working from the upland property. Estimated permanent fill material below the ordinary high water mark for the project is approximately 25 cubic yards. Located on Milner Reservoir, adjacent to part of Government Lot 1, Cassia County Tax # 5678A, Sec. 15, T10S, R24E, B.M.

Written objections to or requests for hearing in this matter must be on file with the Idaho Department of Lands, 324 South, 417 East, Ste. 2, Jerome, ID 83338 within thirty (30) days after the first appearance of this notice. Specific information regarding this application may be obtained from Meribeth Lomkin, Sr. Resource Specialist at the above address or by calling (208) 324-2561.

/S/Timothy C. Duffner, Area Supervisor
Idaho Department of Lands

PUBLISH: November 3 and 10, 2009

NOTICES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Tuesday, the 23rd day of February, 2010, at the hour of 10:30 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Jerome County Courthouse, 300 North Lincoln, Jerome, County of Jerome, State of Idaho, LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, INC., an Idaho corporation, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Jerome, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 2 through 7 in Block 1, Lots 1 through 3 and Lot 6 in Block 2, Lots 1 through 6 in Block 3, Lots 1, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 9 in Block 4, and Lots 1, 2, 4 and 5 in Block 5 of the SUMMIT RIDGE SUBDIVISION located in part of the SW ¼NW¼ of Section 23, Township 8 South, Range 16 East Boise Meridian, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, recorded November 21, 2006 as Instrument No. 2067069, records of Jerome County, Idaho.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM the following Lots:
Lot 4 and 5 in Block 3; Lot 2 in Block 5 of **SUMMIT RIDGE SUBDIVISION** located in part of the SW ¼NW¼ of Section 23, Township 8 South, Range 16 East Boise Meridian, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, recorded November 21, 2006 as Instrument No. 2067069, records of Jerome County, Idaho.

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 **PAUL LLOYD BUILDERS & DEVELOPERS, INC.**, an Idaho Corporation, grantor to LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, INC., an Idaho corporation, as trustee for the benefit and security of FARMERS NATIONAL BANK, recorded December 8, 2006, as Instrument No. 2067426, records of Jerome County, Idaho. Said Deed of Trust has been modified by the following documents:
DEED OF PARTIAL RECONVEYANCE, dated August 30, 2007, and recorded September 4, 2007, as Instrument No. 2075357, records of Jerome County, Idaho. (Lot 5 in Block 3)
DEED OF PARTIAL RECONVEYANCE, dated August 30, 2007, and recorded September 4, 2007, as Instrument No. 2075359, records of Jerome County, Idaho. (Lot 4 in Block 3)
MODIFICATION AND EXTENSION OF DEED OF TRUST recorded June 4, 2008, as Instrument No. 2082994, records of Jerome County, Idaho.
MODIFICATION AND EXTENSION OF DEED OF TRUST recorded December 23, 2008, as Instrument No. 2086744, records of Jerome County, Idaho.
MODIFICATION AND EXTENSION OF DEED OF TRUST recorded March 24, 2009, as Instrument No. 2091364, records of Jerome County, Idaho.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to pay: The entire principal balance, interest, collection charges and late charges through September 9, 2009, all in the amount of \$760,441.65; and the unpaid principal balance owing as of September 9, 2009, on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$760,441.65, plus interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

DATED: October 2, 2009.
LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, INC., Trustee
By DOUG MYERS, Vice-President

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NOTICES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: September 10, 2009 File No.: 7023.00422 Sale date and time (local time): January 13, 2010 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 260 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, ID 83301 Property address: **1251 Kimberly Meadows Kimberly, ID 83341** 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: **Michael V. Buss and Marty R. Buss**, husband and wife Original trustee: Pioneer Title Company Original beneficiary: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Recording date: June 23, 2008 Recorder's instrument number: 2008-014282 County: Twin Falls Sum owing on the obligation: as of September 10, 2009: \$246,679.40 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot 1 in Block 8 of Kimberly Meadows Subdivision No. 1 Twin Falls County, Idaho, recorded in Book 20 of Plats, Page 11. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7023.00422) 1002.115621-FEI

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Title No. 1422

CMS No. 7000015767 / Loughmiller

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On **Thursday, February 25, 2010** at the hour of **10:00 o'clock A.M.**, of said day, in the office of Land Title and Escrow, Inc. located at 1411 Fillmore Street, Suite 600, Twin Falls, ID 83301, Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashiers check, certified check or tellers check, (from a bank which has a branch in the community at the site of the sale), money order, State of Idaho check or local government check, or cash equivalent in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the same time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:

The East 15 feet of Lot 1 and the West 45 feet of Lot 2 in Block 7 of Monte Vista No. 2 Subdivision, Twin Falls County, Idaho, recorded in Book 7 of Plats, Page 13.

THE TRUSTEE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY, BUT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPLIANCE WITH IDAHO CODE, SECTION 60-113, THE TRUSTEE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE STREET ADDRESS OF: **1818 Falls Avenue E, Twin Falls, ID 83301**, MAY SOMETIMES BE ASSOCIATED WITH SAID REAL PROPERTY.

If the successful bidder cannot provide the bid price by means of one of the above means of payment, the sale will be postponed for 10 minutes only to allow the high bidder to obtain payment in a form prescribed herein above. If the high bidder is unsuccessful in obtaining payment as directed within 10 minutes, the sale will be re-held immediately and any bid by the high bidder from the previous sale, will be rejected, all in accordance with Idaho Code 45-1502 et. Sec.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by **Alfred D. Loughmiller and Carla S. Loughmiller**, Husband and Wife, as Grantor to Alliance Title & Escrow Corp., as Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as Trustee for Carrington Mortgage Loan Trust, Series 2006 FRE1 Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates as Successor Beneficiary, recorded April 14, 2006 as Instrument No. 2006-008958. Mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to: Make principal and interest payments as set forth on said Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. The original loan amount was \$90,560.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 7.9% per annum, as evidenced in Promissory Note dated April 11, 2006. Payments are in default for the months of December 2007 through and including October in the amount of \$655.30 per month and continuing each and every month thereafter until date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance as of October 7, 2009 is \$90,051.49 together with accrued and accruing interest thereon at the rate of 7.9% per annum. The per diem is \$21.90. In addition to the above, there is also due any late charges, advances, escrow collection fees, attorney fees, fees or costs associated with this foreclosure.

The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$90,051.49, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

Dated: October 27, 2009
Alliance Title & Escrow Corp.
By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer
Phone: 208-947-1553

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The balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$90,051.49, excluding interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder or in this sale, as trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust.

Dated: October 27, 2009
Alliance Title & Escrow Corp.
By: Bobbi Oldfield, Trust Officer
Phone: 208-947-1553

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IF NOVEMBER 3 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You may need to sharpen your ability to separate an all-business attitude from your private life during the next several weeks. You could be in a situation that is all work and no play. Your ability to enjoy the finer things in life, as well as your judgment and wisdom, grows by leaps and bounds during December, so you should put off making major business decisions until then. The end of February or beginning of March could be an ideal time to put important plans into motion or to test the waters with a budding relationship. Anyone, or anything, worth having will draw closer under those favorable celestial conditions.

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): Look forward to making a new friend who can offer a fresh perspective. Above all, avoid the urge to give into temptations.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Take on tasks and responsibilities only if you are prepared to see them through. It is time to be a doer rather than a thinker.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Stay out of the limelight and observe what is going on around you. Quietly gathering data on a subject will put you at an advantage.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Put extra energy to good use in constructive ways. If you find yourself without much to do, make your own project to fill the time.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Dare to be different. Break the routine and don't be shy about trying new things. Do not mistake a kind gesture for a romantic prospect.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Don't chase the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow; your gamble may not pay off. On the other hand comparison shopping may help.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You can't gloss over the truth. There's no point in trying to hide your flaws or weak points; they will become evident soon enough.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): There is a time and place for everything. Now is not the time to try and plant the seeds of your future financial security.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A wise poker player knows when to up the stakes and when to check. Keep valuable information to yourself for the time being.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): The best things in life are free and include improving your mind and furthering your education. Broaden your horizons.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be objective rather than idealistic. Don't delude yourself into believing what you know in your heart isn't true.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

101 Lost and Found

FOUND Black Lab on Rock Creek Rd, 2 miles South of Hansen on 10/29. Call 208-539-2691 days, or 423-5781 nights and weekends.

FOUND Golden Retriever on the 400 S Road in Jerome. Call 208-324-3845.

FOUND large mixed breed dog, rust and white, on 13th St. in Buhl 10-27. Male, wearing collar no tags. Will hold until 11-2.

Found Pointer Cross, black and white female, on Broadway in Buhl 10-9. Avail for adoption 10-14.

Found Rottweiler Cross, brown and black female pup on 7th St. in Buhl 10-7. Avail for adoption 10-13.

Found Lab Cross pup, black and white on Poplar St. in Buhl 10-11. Avail for adoption 10-15.

Found Lab Cross, brown and white female in Buhl 10-10. She still has sutures from a recent spay. Avail for adoption 10-15. 208-543-2600

FOUND Rottweiler in Jerome. 324-5129 or 736-6062

FOUND Small black and tan dog with docked tail in Shoshone on 620 N. Rd. Call to identify. 208-320-1370

FOUND Yellow Lab, female, no special markings, no collar, very sweet, well trained. 208-736-2299

FOUND: Kitten, White with gray spots, 200 block 4th Ave. East. Call 208-733-0629

LOST Chocolate Lab, male. Filer area on Nov. 1st. Answers to MOOSE. 3-4 years old, extremely gun shy, wearing a blue & green plaid collar. Very Sad Kids! **REWARD!** Call 208-326-5809.

LOST Dog older white with black splashes, mid size, has blue collar Call 734-9779.


LOST Reward if found black and white Shih Tzu named Ono in the Rupert area. 208-312-4844

LOST Silver bracelet at funeral on Oct. 21st in Wendell. 208-737-0706 lv msg. or 316-6893

LOST YORKIE puppy with red collar and name tag. Last seen Oct. 30th on Quail Street. Please call 320-0262 or 410-7858 if found.

106 Special Notices

BIRTHDAY PHOTOS
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DEAR ABBY: Thank you for your response to "Alarmed in Apple Valley" (Aug. 28), who was concerned because her teenage nephew shows so much affection toward his mother. I raised a very affectionate son who, to this day at age 30, hugs and kisses me no matter where we meet. I raised him with the principle that because he is male does not mean he has to hide his feelings as generations before him did. My daughter-in-law tells me often that she could not ask for a better husband and father to her children.

Americans coddle girls when they hurt, but a boy is supposed to "take it like a man" and not express his feelings. I am pleased to know other mothers out there are also raising their sons to be well-rounded, emotionally healthy men.

— PROUD MOM
OF A NAVY SON



DEAR ABBY
Jeanne Phillips

DEAR PROUD MOM: I advised the "Alarmed" aunt that she was off base in her concerns, and the majority of readers who wrote to comment agreed. **Read on:**

DEAR ABBY: Have we become so cynical in this day and age that genuine affection is looked upon as dirty and unsavory? How sad!

My 22-year-old daughter hangs on me and smooches me (and her father and grandparents) in public. It's a great feeling for parents to know their kid loves them and isn't embarrassed to be seen with them. (Too many of them are.) The aunt who complained about her nephew kissing his mother on the cheek and putting his arm around her may have intimacy problems that she's projecting onto her sister.

— LESLIE IN
SELMA, CALIF.

DEAR ABBY: I hope "Alarmed in Apple Valley" doesn't end up doing what my sister did when she saw the display of affection between my 11-year-old daughter and me, her dad. My sister's "concern" prompted her to coerce her adult son into visiting my clergyman about it. A short investigation found me innocent of wrongdoing but left me with my innocence violated. Relationships were drastically altered — especially between my sister and me. Eventually, I came to realize why she was so suspicious of abuse. She herself was willing to abuse — the church, her son, her brother and her niece.

— WISER NOW
IN SALT LAKE CITY

DEAR ABBY: I was never prouder of my son than when a friend of his said to him, "You hug your mom in public?" (It was after a game.) I was the one to hold back in public because I didn't want to embarrass my son who was a "big guy on campus." My boy's simple reply to his friend was, "Don't you?" It was never questioned again.

No child should ever feel it's wrong to show affection to his or her parents. For me, having a 15-year-old who wasn't embarrassed to be seen with his mother was huge. I agree with you, Abby. Some people read evil into everything and that's a shame.

— KARIN IN
CHELMSFORD, MASS.

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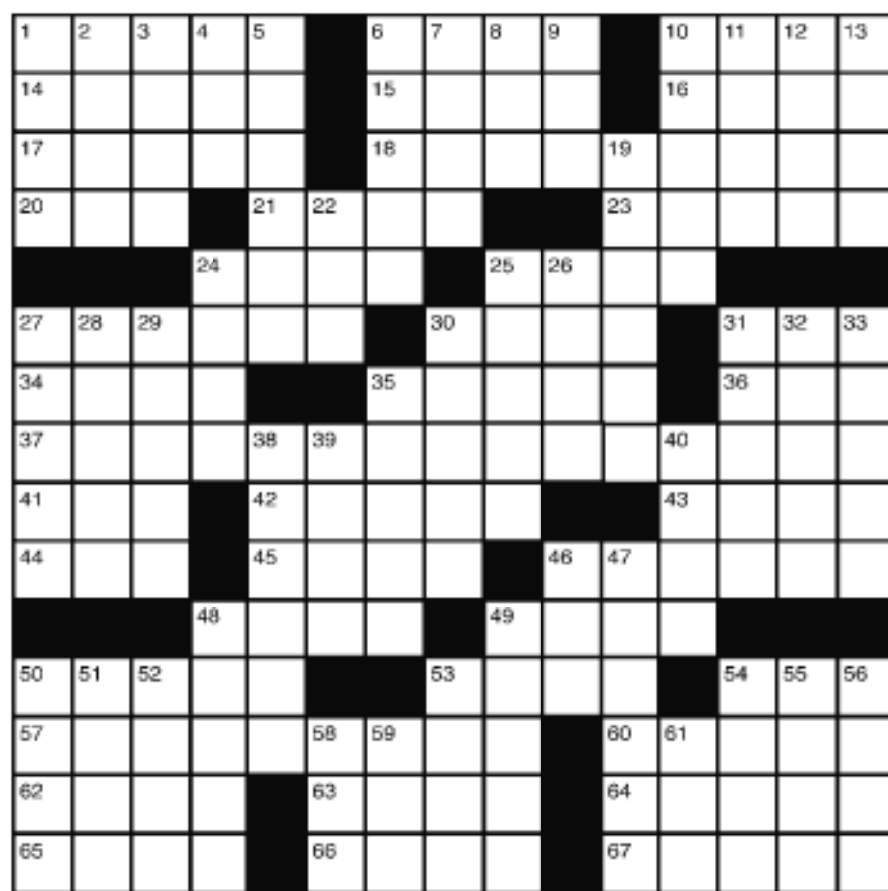
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DOWN

1 Egg on
2 Standard
3 "Beware the ___ of March!"
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6 Taken ___; surprised



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Monday's Puzzle Solved



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51 Memo

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ENCOAB

Answer:

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 Answer: The paper hangers worked late because they — WERE ON A "ROLL"

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
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Today's Highlight:

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TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:

In 1839, the first Opium War between China and Britain broke out.

In 1852, Japan's Emperor Meiji was born in Kyoto.

In 1909, American journalist James Reston was born in Clydebank, Scotland.

In 1936, President Franklin D. Roosevelt won a landslide election victory over Republican challenger Alfred M. "Alf" Landon.

In 1957, the Soviet Union launched Sputnik 2, the second manmade satellite, into orbit; on board was a dog named "Laika" who was sacrificed in the experiment.

In 1964, President Lyndon B. Johnson soundly defeated Republican Barry Goldwater to win a White House term in his own right.

In 1970, Salvador Allende was inaugurated as president of Chile.

In 1979, five Communist Workers Party members were killed in a clash with heavily armed Ku Klux Klansmen and neo-Nazis during an anti-Klan protest in Greensboro, N.C.

In 1986, the Iran-Contra affair began to come to light as Ash-Shiraa, a pro-Syrian Lebanese magazine, first broke the story of U.S. arms sales to Iran.

In 1994, Susan Smith of Union, S.C., was arrested for drowning her two young sons, Michael and Alex, nine days after claiming the children had been abducted by a black carjacker.

Ten years ago: Aaron McKinney was convicted of murder in the fatal beating of gay college student Matthew Shepard in Wyoming. (McKinney and Russell Henderson, who pleaded guilty to kidnapping and murder, are serving life prison sentences.)

Five years ago: President George W. Bush claimed a re-election mandate a day after a record 59 million Americans chose him over Democrat John Kerry; Kerry conceded defeat in make-or-break Ohio rather than launch a legal fight reminiscent of the contentious Florida recount of four years earlier. Hamid Karzai was declared the winner of Afghanistan's first-ever presidential election after a three-week probe into vote fraud found no grounds to invalidate his triumph. Sgt. Charles Jenkins, who'd spent nearly 40 years in North Korea, pleaded guilty to deserting the U.S. Army in 1965. (He served 25 days in jail and was discharged.)

One year ago: On the eve of Election Day 2008, Democrat Barack Obama radiated confidence and Republican John McCain displayed the grit of an underdog as the rivals reached for the finish line of a two-year marathon. Ali Hamza al-Bahlul, a video maker for Osama bin Laden, was sentenced at Guantanamo to life in prison for encouraging terrorist attacks.

Authorities announced they had positively identified some of Steve Fossett's remains found a half-mile from where the adventurer's plane had crashed in California's Sierra Nevada. Former White House photographer Cecil Stoughton, who took the iconic image of Lyndon Johnson taking the oath of office after President John F. Kennedy was assassinated, died on Merritt Island, Fla., at age 88.

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"If history repeats itself, and the unexpected always happens, how incapable must Man be of learning from experience!"

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Today's deal was sent in anonymously, thus sparing the feelings of the guilty. It is one of my favorites this year, even though declarer, who was in five clubs, totally missed the point. Try testing yourself to see if you can do better.

Everybody contributed quite actively to the auction except South, who might have been surprised to hold such a good hand on this bidding. Perhaps that explains why she rather tamely won the spade opening lead, drew trumps, led a diamond to the king, and quietly lost three tricks in the red suits.

If you believe the opponents, the chance of the diamond finesse working is slim to zero — and slim has just left the building. Instead you need to make use of your powerful spades, not to win tricks but to endplay West. Win the spade lead in hand and ruff a spade high in dummy, accepting the risk of the 3-0 trump break. Then cash the club ace-king, take the heart ace, cross to the heart king, and lead your third spade, pitching a heart from dummy.

West has to win this trick and can either concede a ruff-sluff, when you will pitch a diamond from hand, or lead ace and a diamond, in which case you have the rest.

Note: you need to ruff the spade before drawing trumps. If you win the spade lead, then cash the club ace-king and play the heart ace-king, you can then ruff a spade, but can't exit from dummy conveniently.

NORTH 11-3-A

♠ 6
♥ A 9 6
♦ 8 7 4 2
♣ A K Q 8 3

EAST

♠ 9
♥ Q J 10 8 7 3
♦ J 10 9 3
♣ J 6

SOUTH

♠ A 4 2
♥ K 5 2
♦ K 6
♣ 10 7 5 4 2

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: West

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
	1 ♠	Dbl.	2 ♥
3 ♣	4 ♠	5 ♣	All pass

Opening lead: Spade king

BID WITH THE ACES

11-3-B

South holds:

♠ A 4 2
♥ K 5 2
♦ K 6
♣ 10 7 5 4 2

South West North East
? 1 ♣ 1 NT

ANSWER: Before you bid, remember that a jump to three clubs here would be shapely and pre-emptive. But in any event you do not want to make a limit raise with this hand. Start by doubling one no-trump, since you will be happy to defend that contract if allowed to. Should the opponents run, you would plan to compete to three clubs.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolf," contact kay19072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com.

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By Dave Green

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	7	3	1		9	
1	2					
	9	3			2	1
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	1		2	8	4	
6			7			
3				4		

Difficulty Level ★★☆☆

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Answer to previous puzzle

3	2	1	9	7	8	5	6	4
8	4	7	6	5	1	3	9	2
6	5	9	3	2	4	7	8	1
5	1	8	2	4	3	6	7	9
4	3	2	7	6	9	1	5	8
7	9	6	1	8	5	2	4	3
1	7	5	4	9	2	8	3	6
2	6	4	8	3	7	9	1	5
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IDAHO HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS

FRIDAY, NOV. 6				SATURDAY, NOV. 7			DATE TBD
Class 4A quarterfinal: Nampa at Twin Falls, 7 p.m.	Class 2A quarterfinal: Declo vs. Malad, Holt Arena, Pocatello, 8:45 p.m.	Class 1A Div. I quarterfinal: Raft River vs. Prairie, Kibbie Dome, Moscow, 8 p.m.	(7 PST) Class 1A Div. II quarterfinal: Dietrich at Mackay, 4 p.m.	Class 2A quarterfinal: Glenns Ferry at North Fremont, Ashton, time TBD	Class 1A Div. I quarterfinal: Castleford at Cascade, 1:30 p.m.	Class 1A Div. II quarterfinal: North Gem at Carey, 1 p.m.	Class 1A Div. I quarterfinal: Notus at Oakley, 1 p.m.

PHILS HOLD ON

Utley, Lee help Phillies stave off Series elimination

By Ronald Blum
Associated Press writer

PHILADELPHIA — Put those parade plans on hold, New York. The Phillies are coming back.

Desperate to hang onto their World Series title and hounded by the Yankees to the very last swing, Philadelphia somehow held on for an 8-6 win Monday night in Game 5.

Chase Utley hit two home runs to raise his Series total to a record-tying five, Cliff Lee won again and Philadelphia cut its deficit to 3-2.

Ahead 8-2, the Phillies watched New York score three times in the eighth inning and put its first two batters on in the ninth. Derek Jeter grounded into a run-scoring double play, but the fans on their feet couldn't exhale until Mark Teixeira struck out as the tying run.

Whew!

Game 6 will be played Wednesday night at Yankee Stadium, with New York's Andy Pettite going on short



Philadelphia batter Chase Utley connects on a three-run homer Monday during the first inning of Game 5 of the 2009 World Series at Citizens Bank Park in Philadelphia. The Phillies won 8-6 to cut the New York Yankees' series lead to 3-2.

rest against Pedro Martinez. The Series hasn't gone this far since 2003.

"We had to do it," Phillies shortstop Jimmy Rollins said. "We didn't have a choice. It was either go home and watch football and college basketball or extend the season."

See **SERIES**, Sports 2

Inept no more, Mushers come home heroes

By David Bashore
Times-News writer

Camas County volleyball coach Ben Stroud could scarcely hide his excitement Sunday evening.

After defeating conference rival Dietrich — one of the first stops in Stroud's coaching career — in the Class 1A Division II championship round in Lewiston on Saturday, the Mushers had gone from zeroes to heroes in two short seasons.

A police escort awaited their bus along U.S. Highway 20 at the Camas County line, he said, ready to usher the champs home in style.



Find a schedule for 2009 District IV All-Star volleyball matches.

See **Sports 2**

"This is cool for the kids, something they'll never forget," Stroud said via phone from Interstate 84, somewhere

between Boise and Mountain Home.

Something they'll never forget in the wake of season after season worth forgetting.

Camas County won just three matches in 2007, the season before Stroud took charge. It wasn't an aberration.

But it didn't take long for green shoots of life to show in a program that more typified the Camas Prairie in the fall — a mixture of brown and yellow, almost entirely dead or dormant.

"When I got here, (the program was) terrible," Stroud said. "But the girls

See **CAMAS**, Sports 2

COLLEGE FOOTBALL
ROUNDUP

BSU, Idaho players earn WAC honors

BOISE — Players from Boise State and Idaho are among this week's top players in the Western Athletic Conference.

Conference officials picked Bronco cornerback Kyle Wilson as the top defensive player and Idaho kick return specialist Justin Veltung as the top special teams player.

Wilson, an all-WAC cornerback who is rarely tested by opposing quarterbacks, picked off his first pass of the season and returned it 27 yards for a touchdown in Boise State's 45-7 rout over San Jose State Saturday. Wilson also had four solo tackles.

Veltung, a true freshman, returned the opening kick 94 yards for a touchdown in a 35-34 Vandal victory over Louisiana Tech Saturday. His only other return was 17 yards, giving him 111 total return yards.

No announcement on Blount yet, Oregon coach says

EUGENE, Ore. — Oregon coach Chip Kelly says there's nothing to report about the possible reinstatement of suspended running back LeGarrette Blount.

Kelly spoke to reporters Monday morning during his weekly teleconference.

Blount was suspended for punching Boise State defensive end Byron Hout in the aftermath of Oregon's season-opening loss to the Broncos. He was suspended for the season by Kelly the next day, but allowed to continue practicing with the team.

Kelly later announced that Blount could be reinstated if he met certain conditions.

There was speculation Blount could return this week because Kelly had previously targeted Saturday's game against Stanford as his first possible appearance.

Florida's Spikes suspended for gouging eyes

GAINESVILLE, Fla. —

Top-ranked Florida will be without star linebacker Brandon Spikes for the first half of Saturday's game against Vanderbilt.

Coach Urban Meyer suspended Spikes on Monday, two days after the defensive captain apparently attempted to gouge the eyes of Georgia running back Washaun Ealey in a 41-17 victory.

Spikes issued a statement apologizing for what he did.

Meyer saw a replay of the incident, which shows Spikes shoving his glove-covered right hand into Ealey's facemask and moving it back and forth.

Meyer then spoke to Spikes and determined he was retaliating after getting his helmet ripped off and eye poked earlier in the game. Meyer also talked to Southeastern Conference commissioner Mike Slive, but Florida officials said it was Meyer's decision to suspend Spikes.

The SEC issued a statement saying it reviewed and accepted the discipline handed down by Florida.

Big 12 hoping for more lenient bowl requirements

INDIANAPOLIS — Big 12 commissioner Dan Beebe wants the NCAA to treat teams with 6-6 records the same as teams with winning records when it comes to bowl games.

Under current rules, teams with .500 records can receive a bowl bid only if the school's conference already has a deal with a bowl and all other teams with winning records have been invited to postseason games.

Beebe's proposal would eliminate those exceptions and permit 6-6 teams to be accepted immediately.

Consideration of the Big 12's proposal could lead to a broader discussion about the bowl system.

The Big 12's proposal is expected to be discussed during the NCAA convention in January.

— The Associated Press

Saints stay perfect with 35-27 win over Falcons

By Brett Martel
Associated Press writer

NEW ORLEANS — The Saints have tied their best start to a season.

Drew Brees had 308 yards passing, Pierre Thomas scored two touchdowns and Jabari Greer returned an interception for a score to help the Saints improve to 7-0 with a 35-27 victory over the Atlanta Falcons on Monday night. Only the 1991 Saints began a season with as many wins.



Greer's touchdown was the Saints' fifth score on an interception this season, tying a single-season franchise mark set in 1998. Tracy Porter also had an interception on the Saints

1-yard line on a pass tipped by Jonathan Vilma in the fourth quarter, preserving a 28-24 lead.

Atlanta quarterback Matt Ryan was intercepted three times, the third

straight game he'd been intercepted at least twice.

Still, the Falcons stayed in it until the end, getting a 40-yard field goal from Jason Elam with 28 seconds left, then recovering an onside kick. Ryan only had time for a desperation heave in the final seconds, and Darren Sharper turned it into his seventh interception of the season.

Sharper's interception also was the Saints' 16th overall this season, surpassing New Orleans' total of 15 from last season. The

Saints have at least one interception in every game this season.

Brees hit Marques Colston for an 18-yard score. Thomas scored on a 22-yard run in the first quarter and a 1-yard catch out of the backfield with 3:03 to go, flipping backward over a tackler and into the end zone. That touchdown made it 35-24 and ignited the entire Superdome into chants of "Who dat say they gonna beat them Saints?"

Reggie Bush added a 1-

yard touchdown late in the first half, giving the Saints a lead they would not relinquish.

Roddy White beat Greer on a 68-yard scoring pass from Ryan early in the third quarter, and the Falcons pulled to 28-24 on Elam's 25-yard field goal with 11:33 to go in the game.

That field goal, however, came only after Saints coach Sean Payton sprinted down the sideline and launched his red flag about

See **NFL**, Sports 2

Wallace leads Bobcats with double-double

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Gerald Wallace had 24 points and 20 rebounds and the Charlotte Bobcats held the New Jersey Nets without a point for more than 10 minutes in rallying for a 79-68 victory on Monday.

The Nets’ ineptitude allowed Charlotte to go on a 24-0 run bridging the third and fourth quarters, wiping out the Bobcats’ horrible offensive start. D.J. Augustin added 21 points in Raja Bell’s return from a wrist injury.

The Nets dropped to 0-4 thanks to a brutal stretch where they lost Yi Jianlian to a sprained right knee and went nearly 11½ minutes without a field goal. The Nets went 0-for-11 from the field with nine turnovers before Chris Douglas-Roberts’ three-point play.

Douglas-Roberts had 20 points and Brook Lopez added 18.

ROCKETS 113, JAZZ 96

SALT LAKE CITY — Rookie Chase Budinger scored a career-high 17 points and was one of eight Houston players to score in double figures as the Rockets beat the Utah Jazz 113-96 on Monday night.

The Rockets pulled away with a 13-0 run early in the fourth quarter and won in Salt Lake City for the first time since spoiling the Jazz’s home opener two years ago.



Charlotte Bobcats center Tyson Chandler (6) is unable to maintain control of the ball at the basket Monday during a game against the New Jersey Nets at Time Warner Cable Arena in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Aaron Brooks had 19 points and nine assists and Luis Scola added 14 points and 15 rebounds for the Rockets, who made eight of their first 12 shots in the fourth quarter to blow open a three-point game.

Deron Williams had 18 points and eight assists and Andrei Kirilenko added 18 points and seven rebounds for the Jazz, who fell to 1-2.

KNICKS 117, HORNETS 111

NEW YORK — David Lee scored a season-high 28 points, Al Harrington had 13 of his 24 in the fourth quarter, and the New York Knicks earned their first victory of the season by beating the New Orleans Hornets 117-111 on Monday night.

Chris Duhon finished with 18 points and nine assists for the Knicks (1-3), who were off to their worst start since dropping their first five games in 2005-06. But they played from ahead this time after facing huge deficits in their previous games, then pulled away midway through the fourth quarter.

Chris Paul had season highs of 32 points and 13 assists for the Hornets, who were coming off a loss in Boston on Sunday night. Emeka Okafor added 24 points, his best game with New Orleans, and grabbed 10 rebounds. David West scored 21 points.

— The Associated Press

Series

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Utley hit a go-ahead, three-run homer in the first inning off A.J. Burnett and added a solo shot in the seventh to join Reggie Jackson as the only players to hit five home runs in a single World Series.

“It’s pretty cool,” Utley said. “It’s pretty surreal. I’m glad we got the win tonight. We’re going back to Yankee Stadium.”

Philadelphia replicated its winning formula from the opener, when Utley hit two solo homers and Lee pitched a six-hitter. Raul Ibanez set off fireworks from the Liberty Bell one last time, adding a second solo shot in the seventh off Phil Coke that made it 8-2.

Lee gave up a run-scoring single to Alex Rodriguez in the first inning but settled in until A-Rod chased him with a two-run double in the eighth. Robinson Cano drove in Rodriguez with a sacrifice fly that cut the deficit to 8-5, and New York gave Philadelphia a scare when Jorge Posada doubled and Hideki Matsui singled at the start of the ninth against Ryan Madson.

Jeter hit into the double play, Johnny Damon singled and

Madson struck out the slumping Teixeira for the save.

“We have a lot of heart on this team,” Utley said.

The Yankees, who have won the Series all eight previous times they took a 3-1 lead, will try to close out title No. 27 on Wednesday night at home.

“If we would have pitched today, we probably would have won,” Yankees manager Joe Girardi said. “That’s the bottom line.”

Pitching on short rest didn’t work well for Burnett, who had been 4-0 previously in his career on three days’ off and kept the Phillies off balance in Game 2. He kept falling behind batters and allowed six runs, four hits and four walks in two-plus innings, his shortest start since his first outing in 2007.

It marked the first time in 14 postseason games this year that a Yankees starter failed to pitch at least six innings.

In a matchup of starters from Arkansas, Lee allowed five runs and seven hits in seven-plus innings. He is 4-0 with a 1.56 ERA in five postseason starts.

Philadelphia ended baseball’s record streak of five straight Series that ended in sweeps or

five games, ensuring at least one more telecast in a matchup between big-market teams that has revived baseball’s ratings. The Phillies still face a tall task: The Yankees lost three in a row just twice after the All-Star break and dropped consecutive home games only once after mid-June.

Just six of 43 teams facing 3-1 Series deficits have gone on to win the title, including five in a row since Kansas City rallied past St. Louis in 1985.

But Pettitte and CC Sabathia, the Yankees’ Game 7 starter, will be pitching on short rest — Pettitte for the first time this year and Sabathia for the third time in the postseason.

If the Phillies come back to become the first NL team to win consecutive Series titles since the 1975-76 Cincinnati Reds, Yankees manager Joe Girardi will be widely second-guessed for his pitching decisions. No Series champion has gone the entire postseason with just three starters since the 1991 Minnesota Twins — when there were just two rounds of playoffs.

New York, trying for its first title since 2000, still has strong

memories from 2001, when the Yankees led Arizona three games to two before losing the final two games on the road. In 2003, the Yankees led Florida two games to one before losing three in a row.

New York will be without center fielder Melky Cabrera for the rest of the Series. Cabrera strained his left hamstring in Game 4 and was replaced on the roster by back-up infielder Ramiro Pena as Brett Gardner took over in center field.

Gardner went 0 for 4, and Teixeira dropped to .105 (2 for 19) in the Series with a 1-for-5 night.

Philadelphia received a scare when center fielder Shane Victorino was hit with a pitch while squaring to bunt in the first inning. X-rays were negative but the finger swelled and he left after seven innings.

While the Phillies have out-homered the Yankees 10-5 in the Series, Ryan Howard is suffering a power outage. He went 0 for 2 with two walks and two strikeouts and is hitting .158 (3 for 19) with 12 strikeouts, tying the Series record set by Kansas City’s Willie Wilson in 1980.

Beckham to return to AC Milan in Jan.

MILAN (AP) — David Beckham will return to AC Milan on loan in January after the Italian club reached an agreement with the Los Angeles Galaxy of Major League Soccer.

The England midfielder played for Milan for six months in the first half of the year. He scored two goals in 18 games and has won back his place on England’s national team.

“I need to give myself the best chance possible to make the World Cup squad and playing for Milan on loan will help me to do that,” Beckham said in a statement. “I genuinely enjoyed my time at Milan and I look forward to meeting the players and staff again.”

AC Milan and the Galaxy came to an agreement Monday after weeks of negotiations.

“We are delighted to see David Beckham back in the red-and-black shirt after his splendid experience last season,” AC Milan vice president Adriano Galliani said on the club’s Web site.

“We are sure that this period in Europe will help him make it to the next World Cup, and after that his career with Los Angeles Galaxy. We must thank them for agreeing to this deal.”

The Galaxy is currently making its first postseason appearance since Beckham joined the team. Following the conclusion of its season, Beckham will join the Galaxy for its postseason tour that ends Dec. 2.

Beckham will join AC Milan on Dec. 28 and remain with the team through the end of its season on May 16. He will rejoin the Galaxy when the summer transfer window opens in July.

“I’m committed to LA Galaxy and MLS in the long term and remain as passionate as ever about growing the game of soccer in America,” Beckham said. “I’m completely focused on ending this season on a high note with my club by winning the MLS Cup.”

The Galaxy and Chivas USA played to a 2-2 tie in their opening playoff game Sunday.

2009 District IV All-Star Volleyball Matches

When: 6 p.m., Wednesday
Where: Baun Gymnasium, Twin Falls High School
Admission: Adults \$5, Students and Senior Citizens \$3; No IHSA cards

Schedule of matches
(One set to 25 points with a cap of 30)
North West vs North East
South West vs South East
North West vs South West
North East vs South East
North West vs South East
North East vs South West

Volunteer officials: Holly Cook, Shawna Getty, Velma Jean Mabey, Debbie Parrish

Rosters North East			
No.	Name	Pos.	HS
00	Hayli Worthington	S	Minico
10	Breonna Phillips	M	Minico
13	Kendra Bailey	OH	Minico
4	Nakia Norman	OH	Dietrich
11	Taylor Astle	S	Shoshone
6	Shelby Bozutto	OH/MB	Shoshone
6	Amy Ellsworth	MB	Carey
2	Jessica Parke	OH/DS	Carey
Coach: Kris Christensen			
Minico			

North West			
No.	Name	Pos.	HS
21	Brittany Wirth	OH/M	Gooding
3	Monica Garceau	S/M	Wood River
5	Grace Lagodich	OH	Wood River
22	Amanda Regneir	MB	Hagerman
20	Kaitlyn Nebeker	MB	Hagerman
4	Sunnie Vouch	OH	Camas County
3	Erica Phantharasen	S	Camas County
6	Kristen Brandsma	M	Wendell
Coach: Ben Stroud			
Camas County			

South East			
No.	Name	Pos.	HS
15	Teresa Wayment	OH	Burley
5	Jamie Halford	LIB	Burley
13	Taylor Rogers	OH	Valley
13	Danielle Schaal	OH	Filer
10	Morgan Olsen	S	Declo
2	Whitney Holtman	M	Raft River
5	Chelzee Nye	M	Raft River
25	Josena VanVliet	M	LCS
Coach: Cami Schumann			
Raft River			

South West			
No.	Name	Pos.	HS
2	Ariel Medina	OH	Twin Falls
14	Sierra Chapple	DS/OH	Twin Falls
9	Courtney Azevedo	OH	Buhl
1	Brittini Duncan	MB	Declo
8	Krista Lewis	MB	Filer
8	Alex Pfefferle	S/OH	Kimberly
5	Teighlor Bair	LIB	Kimberly
1	Marissa Greenwood	DS/S	Raft River

NFL

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20 yards just in time to challenge what had been ruled a game-tying touchdown catch by White in the back of the end zone. Replays showed White allowed the ball to touch the turf as he bobbled the catch.

The loss, Atlanta’s second straight, dropped the Falcons (4-3) three games behind the Saints in the NFC South. It marked the first time the Falcons had lost two straight under second-year coach Mike Smith. It also squandered Michael Turner’s best game of the season. He had 151 yards rushing, including a 13-yard touchdown.

Camas

Continued from Sports 1

bought in, worked hard and paid attention. We thought getting to state was an attainable goal in the first year (last season).”

To anyone outside the Mushers locker room, getting to state would have been a surprise. But the once-moribund program made it to state, as it expected. The team went two-and-out, but it set the stage for an even more unexpected run this season.

“Last year we practiced twice a day every day and kind of got the skill level up where we needed it,” Stroud said. “It took a lot of hard work, and the kids bought in and they wanted to win. They were willing to pay the price, so you’ve got to give them the credit.”

Given the tournament site, a championship maybe shouldn’t have been such a surprise.

Stroud’s father Harold

coached Dietrich to a Class 1A state boys basketball championship at Lewiston High School in 1966. Stroud himself won a basketball title as a Camas County player in that gym in 1974. The Mushers beat Clark Fork that season, the same school Stroud’s current charges beat Saturday to advance to the championship.

“I thought about it before we went up there, maybe it’s an omen. Third time’s the charm type of thing,” Stroud said. “But playing Clark Fork was weird. We played Clark Fork for the title game (in 1974), and here we are to get into the championship. I guess that’s déjà vu. It was really strange.”

Stranger still was that the Mushers had to overcome Dietrich in the title match. Stroud once coached at Dietrich, and his father before him. Standing on the Blue Devils bench opposite Stroud

for the title match was Traci Perron, one of his former players.

“(Coaching against Stroud) probably means more to me than it does to him, but it was cool,” said Perron, who has helped Dietrich to a similar rise in stature to that of Camas County. “I think between the two of us, I’d like to hope that the two schools are starting to lift the level of volleyball in our area.”

Camas County’s part of the turnaround is one that just as easily could never have happened.

Stroud wasn’t even sure he wanted to coach anymore after his acrimonious departure from the College of Southern Idaho volleyball program shortly before the 2006 season. But when his hometown and alma mater came calling, he couldn’t find it in his heart to say no.

Two seasons in, it’s safe to say Stroud doesn’t regret the decision.

It gave him a chance to earn perhaps his most meaningful title — maybe even more precious than any of his eight national titles at CSI.

After all, this one’s for his hometown.

“Every one is different,” Stroud said in assessing his now-nine titles. “This is pretty special, because we have a real small school, and we didn’t have the best talent in the tournament. But we played as a team, and everybody did their job. It’s not an easy thing to do. That’s always going to be a special moment for me.

“They haven’t had a lot of success the last few years, and the whole town is pumped up. (The townspeople) were hungry for some wins, and it’s really a good feeling to get the community together.”

SCOREBOARD

AUTO RACING

NASCAR Sprint Cup Leaders

Through Nov. 1 Points

1. Jimmie Johnson, \$6,248. 2. Mark Martin, 6,064. 3. Jeff Gordon, 6,056. 4. Juan Pablo Montoya, 6,009. 5. Tony Stewart, 5,969. 6. Kurt Busch, 5,936. 7. Greg Biffle, 5,908. 8. Ryan Newman, 5,846. 9. Kasey Kahne, 5,834. 10. Carl Edwards, 5,811.

11. Denny Hamlin, 5,800. 12. Brian Vickers, 5,692. 13. Kyle Busch, 4,043. 14. Matt Kenseth, 3,986. 15. Clint Bowyer, 3,932. 16. David Reutimann, 3,854. 17. Jeff Burton, 3,539. 18. Marcos Ambrose, 3,519. 19. Joey Logano, 3,494. 20. Casey Mears, 3,471.

Money

1. Jimmie Johnson, \$6,725,006. 2. Matt Kenseth, \$6,580,337. 3. Tony Stewart, \$6,470,627. 4. Jeff Gordon, \$6,046,432. 5. Kyle Busch, \$5,755,508. 6. Kevin Harvick, \$5,542,286. 7. Kasey Kahne, \$5,387,267. 8. Carl Edwards, \$5,190,636. 9. Joey Logano, \$4,991,856. 10. Juan Pablo Montoya, \$4,919,026. 11. Mark Martin, \$4,861,153. 12. Jeff Burton, \$4,811,166. 13. Ryan Newman, \$4,656,395. 14. Denny Hamlin, \$4,608,439. 15. David Reutimann, \$4,546,926. 16. Greg Biffle, \$4,475,334. 17. Brian Vickers, \$4,398,251. 18. Martin Truex Jr., \$4,328,437. 19. Reed Sorenson, \$4,295,825. 20. Kurt Busch, \$4,277,309.

BASEBALL

MLB Postseason

All Times MST

(x if necessary)

World Series

NEW YORK 3, PHILADELPHIA 2

Wednesday, Oct. 28

Philadelphia 6, New York 1

Thursday, Oct. 29

New York 3, Philadelphia 6

Saturday, Oct. 31

New York 8, Philadelphia 5

Sunday, Nov. 1

New York 7, Philadelphia 4

Monday, Nov. 2

Philadelphia 8, New York 1

Wednesday, Nov. 4

Philadelphia (Martinez 5-2) at New York (Pettitte 17-8), 4-57 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 5

x-Philadelphia at New York, 4:57 p.m.

World Series Box

PHILLIES 6, YANKEES 6

New York	Philadelphia
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Jeter ss 5 0 1 0	Rollins ss 4 1 2 0
Damon lf 4 2 3 1	Victorn cf 3 1 0 0
Teixeira lb 1 5 1 0	BFRncs cf 0 0 0 0
ArRdzg 3b 4 2 3 0	Utley 2b 3 3 2 4
Swisher rf 3 0 1 0	Howard lb 2 1 0 0
Canb 2b 3 1 1 0	Werth rf 4 1 1 1
Gardnr cf 4 0 0 0	Ibanez lf 4 1 2 2
JMolin c 1 0 0 0	Pfeliz 3b 4 0 0 0
ABrntt p 1 1 0 0	C Ruiz c 4 0 1 1
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BASKETBALL

NBA

All Times MST

ATLANTIC	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	4	0	1.000	—
Philadelphia	2	1	.667	½
Toronto	1	2	.333	2½
New York	1	1	.250	3
New Jersey	0	4	.000	4
SOUTHEAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	3	0	1.000	—
Orlando	3	0	1.000	—
Atlanta	2	1	.667	1
Washington	2	1	.667	1
Charlotte	2	2	.500	1½
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	2	2	.500	—
Milwaukee	1	1	.500	—
Chicago	1	2	.333	½
Detroit	1	2	.333	½
Indiana	0	2	.000	1

WESTERN

SOUTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	3	1	.750	—
Dallas	2	1	.667	½
San Antonio	2	1	.667	½
Memphis	1	2	.333	1½
New Orleans	1	3	.250	2
NORTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Denver	3	0	1.000	—
OKlahoma City	2	1	.667	1
Portland	2	2	.500	1½
Minnesota	1	2	.333	2
Utah	1	2	.333	2
PACIFIC	W	L	Pct	GB
Phoenix	3	0	1.000	—
L.A. Lakers	2	1	.667	1
Golden State	0	2	.000	2½
Sacramento	0	3	.000	3
L.A. Clippers	0	4	.000	3½

Sunday's Games

Orlando 125, Toronto 116
Miami 95, Chicago 87
Boston 97, New Orleans 87
Portland 83, Oklahoma City 74
Denver 133, Memphis 123
Phoenix 120, Minnesota 112
L.A. Lakers 118, Atlanta 110

Monday's Games

Charlotte 79, New Jersey 68
New York 117, New Orleans 111
Houston 113, Utah 96
Memphis at Sacramento, late
Minnesota at L.A. Clippers, late

Tuesday's Games

Denver at Indiana, 5 p.m.

Boston at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.
Washington at Cleveland, 5 p.m.
Phoenix at Miami, 5:30 p.m.
Orlando at Detroit, 5:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Chicago, 6 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Oklahoma City, 6 p.m.
Utah at Dallas, 6:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Portland, 8 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Phoenix at Orlando, 5 p.m.
Miami at Washington, 5 p.m.
Detroit at Toronto, 5 p.m.
Denver at New Jersey, 5:30 p.m.
Indiana at New York, 5:30 p.m.
Boston at Minnesota, 6 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Houston, 6:30 p.m.
Dallas at New Orleans, 7:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Sacramento, 8 p.m.
Memphis at Golden State, 8:30 p.m.

NBA Boxes

KNICKS 17, HORNETS 111

NEW ORLEANS (111)
West 7-13 4-8 21, Wright 13 0-0 2, Okafor 9-13 6-6 24, Paul 12-18 4-5 32, Peterson 4-10 0-0 9, Stojakovic 4-9 0-0 11, Armstrong 6-2 0-0 6, Brown 2-7 0-0 5, Posey 1-4 0-0 3, Songalia 2-5 0-0 4, D.Brown 2-2 0-0 0.
Totals: 42-86 17-19 111.

NEW YORK (117)

Chandler 4-10 0-0 9, Gallinari 2-9 4-4 9, Lee 13-17 2-2 28, Hudson 4-10 8-9 18, Hughes 8-13 2-2 20, Jeffries 1-4 1-2 3, Harrington 8-21 7-9 24, Millicic 3-6 0-0 6, Douglas 0-3 0-0 0. Totals: 43-93 24-28 117.

New Orleans 24 28 30 — 111
New York 31 27 19 40 — 117

3-Point Goals—New Orleans 10-26 (Paul 4-5, Stojakovic 3-6, B.Brown 1-2, Posey 1-3, Peterson 1-6, Songalia 0-1, West 0-1, D.Brown 0-2, New York 7-23 (Hughes 2-5, Hudson 2-5, Chandler 1-4, Harrington 1-3, Gallinari 1-6, Jeffries 0-1, Douglas 0-2). Fouled Out—None.
Rebounds—New Orleans 45 (Okafor 10), New York 55 (Harrington, Lee 8). Assists—New Orleans 24 (Paul 13), New York 24 (A.Duval). Total Fouls—New Orleans 21, New York 20. A-19,763 (19,763).

BOBCATS 79, NETS 68

NEW JERSEY (68)
Douglas-Roberts 7-17 4-5 20, Yi 1-4 2-3 4, Lopez 8-14 2-2 18, Alston 1-8 0-0 2, Lee 4-10 5-5 13, Simmons 0-5 0-0 0, T.Williams 4-9 2-3 11, S.Williams 0-0 0-0 0, Boone 0-0 0-0 0. Totals: 25-67 15-18 68.

CHARLOTTE (79)

Wallace 7-14 10-13 24, Diaz 4-7 6-6 14, Chandler 2-8 4-8, Felton 4-12 1-2 9, Bell 1-8 0-0 3, Radmanovic 0-7 0-0 0, Graham 0-1 0-0 0, Mohammed 0-3 0-0 0, Augustin 6-14 9-10 21, Henderson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals: 24-74 30-35 79.

New Jersey 14 27 7 20 — 68
Charlotte 10 23 20 26 — 79

3-Point Goals—New Jersey 3-10 (Douglas-Roberts 2-2, T.Williams 1-1, Alston 0-2, Simmons 0-2, Lee 0-3).
Charlotte 1-15 (Bell 1-6, Wallace 0-1, Diaz 0-1, Radmanovic 0-3, Augustin 0-4). Fouled Out—None.
Rebounds—New Jersey 41 (Simmons 7), Charlotte 59 (Wallace 20). Assists—New Jersey 11 (Alston 5), Charlotte 12 (Olaizola, Felton 3). Total Fouls—New Jersey 25, Charlotte 22. A-9,380 (19,077).

ROCKETS 113, JAZZ 96

HOUSTON (113)
Battier 5-10 0-13, Scola 5-10 4-7 14, Hayes 6-8 0-1 12, Brooks 6-11 5-5 19, Anderson 4-5 1-1 15, Landry 2-7 6-6 10, Andersen 1-7 1-2 3, Lowry 4-5 1-2 10, Budinger 7-11 1-2 17, Cook 0-0 0-0 0, Mensah-Bonsu 0-0 0-0 0, Taylor 0-0 0-0 0. Totals: 42-84 16-22 113.

UTAH (96)

Kirilenko 10-18 8-10 18, Boozler 1-6 5-6 7, Oluk 9-13 2-2 21, Williams 6-20 1-5 19, Brewer 7-9 5-4 18, Millsap 6-2 2-2 2, Price 1-3 0-0 3, Matthews 2-5 2-2 6, Maynor 0-2 0-0 0, Fesenko 1-1 0-1 2, Koufos 0-0 0-0 0. Totals: 32-71 29-34 96.

Houston 26 28 25 34 — 113
Utah 28 19 20 — 96

3-Point Goals—Houston 10-19 (Battier 3-5, Ariza 2-4, Budinger 2-4, Brooks 2-5, Lowry 1-1), Utah 3-11 (Okur 1-1, Price 1-2, Williams 1-4, Brewer 0-1, Kirilenko 0-1, Matthews 0-2). Fouled Out—Millsap, Williams.
Rebounds—Houston 50 (Scola 15), Utah 43 (Boozler 11). Assists—Houston 29 (Brooks 9), Utah 18 (Williams 8). Total Fouls—Houston 27, Utah 26. Technicals—Houston defensive three second. A-19,911 (19,911).

AP Preseason All-America Team

The Associated Press' 2009-10 preseason All-America team, with school, height, year and votes from a 65-member national media panel (see 2009-09 statistics in parentheses).

Luke Harangody, Notre Dame, 6-8, senior, 57 votes (23.3 ppg, 11.8 rpg)
Cole Aldrich, Kansas, 6-11, junior, 49 (14.9 ppg, 11.1 rpg)
Sherron Collins, Kansas, 5-11, senior, 39 (18.9 ppg, 5.0 apg)
Patrick Patterson, Kentucky, 6-9, junior, 35 (17.9 ppg, 9.3 rpg)

Kyle Singler, Duke, 6-8, junior, 30 (16.5 ppg, 7.7 rpg)
Others receiving votes (alphabetical): Al-Farouq Aminu, Wake Forest; Craig Brackins, Iowa State; De'Sean Butler, West Virginia; Patrick Christopher, California; Ed Davis, North Carolina; Devan Downey, South Carolina; Devin Eubanks, West Virginia; Derrick Favors, Georgia Tech; Manny Harris, Michigan; Robbie Hummel, Purdue.
Damian James, Texas; Kalin Lucas, Michigan State; Greg Monroe, Georgetown; Scottie Reynolds, Villanova; Tyler Smith, Tennessee; Isaiah Thomas, Washington; Evan Turner, Ohio State; Greivis Vasquez, Maryland; John Wall, Kentucky; Willie Warren, Oklahoma.

FOOTBALL

NFL

All Times MST

EAST	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	5	2	0	.714	198	98
N.Y. Jets	4	4	0	.500	177	134
Miami	3	4	0	.429	176	177
Colts	3	5	0	.375	123	169
SOUTH	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Indianapolis	7	0	0	1.000	197	91
Houston	5	3	0	.625	198	168
Jacksonville	3	4	0	.429	133	177
Tennessee	1	6	0	.143	114	211

NORTH	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Cincinnati	5	2	0	.714	163	128
Pittsburgh	5	2	0	.714	167	129
Baltimore	4	3	0	.571	199	137
Cleveland	1	7	0	.125	78	209

WEST	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Denver	6	1	0	.857	140	96
San Diego	4	3	0	.571	185	159
Oakland	2	6	0	.250	78	201
Kansas City	1	0	1	.143	105	181

EAST	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Philadelphia	5	2	0	.714	203	133
Dallas	5	2	0	.714	197	136
N.Y. Giants	3	0	0	.625	212	183
Washington	2	5	0	.286	96	123

SOUTH	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New Orleans	7	0	0	1.000	273	154
Atlanta	4	3	0	.571	171	149
Carolina	3	4	0	.429	128	166

GAME PLAN

TV SCHEDULE

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

SOCCER

12:30 p.m.

ESPN2 — Bowling Green at Buffalo

NHL HOCKEY

5 p.m.

VERSUS — Boston at Detroit

FSN — UEFA Champions League, AC Milan vs. Real Madrid CF, at Milan, Italy

6 p.m.

FSN — UEFA Champions League, Club Atletico de Madrid vs. Chelsea FC, at Madrid, Spain (same-day tape)

Tampa Bay	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
North	7	1	0	.875	244	174
Minnesota	4	3	0	.571	187	134
Green Bay	4	3	0	.571	159	150
Chicago	1	6	0	.143	113	205
WEST	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Arizona	4	3	0	.571	157	143
San Francisco	3	4	0	.429	147	140
Seattle	2	5	0	.286	135	147
St. Louis	2	7	0	.125	77	212

St. Louis 17, Detroit 10
Miami 30, N.Y. Jets 25
Dallas 38, Seattle 17
Chicago 30, Cleveland 6
Baltimore 30, Denver 7
Houston 31, Buffalo 10
Indianapolis 18, San Francisco 14
Philadelphia 40, N.Y. Giants 17
San Diego 24, Oakland 16
Tennessee 30, Jacksonville 13
Minnesota 38, Green Bay 26
Carolina 34, Arizona 21

Open: New England, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Kansas City, Washington, Tampa Bay

New Orleans 35, Atlanta 27
Arizona at Chicago, 11 a.m.
Washington at Atlanta, 11 a.m.
Miami at New England, 11 a.m.
Houston at Indianapolis, 11 a.m.
Baltimore at Cincinnati, 11 a.m.
Green Bay at Tampa Bay, 11 a.m.
Kansas City at Jacksonville, 11 a.m.
Detroit at Seattle, 2:05 p.m.
Carolina at New Orleans, 2:05 p.m.
San Diego at N.Y. Giants, 2:15 p.m.
Tennessee at San Francisco, 2:15 p.m.
Dallas at Philadelphia, 6:20 p.m.
Open: Buffalo, N.Y. Jets, Oakland, Minnesota, St. Louis, Cleveland

Monday, Nov. 9
Pittsburgh at Denver, 6:30 p.m.

NFL Box
Saints/Falcons box scores unavailable at 11 p.m. Monday night.

College Football Region Schedule

All Times MST
(Subject to change)
Friday, Nov. 6
Boise St. (8-0) at Louisiana Tech (3-5), 6 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 7
Texas A&M (5-3) at Colorado (2-6), 11:30 a.m.
BYU (6-2) at Wyoming (4-4), Noon
Sacramento St. (3-5) at N. Colorado (2-7), 12:05 p.m.
Army (3-5) at Air Force (4-4), 1:30 p.m.
Washington St. (1-7) at Arizona (5-2), 1:30 p.m.
Oregon (7-1) at Stanford (5-3), 1:30 p.m.
Washington (3-5) at UCLA (3-5), 1:30 p.m.
Davidson (2-6) at San Diego (3-5), 2 p.m.
TCU (8-0) at San Diego St. (4-2), 2 p.m.
Utah St. (2-6) at UC Davis (4-2), 2 p.m.
Montana St. (5-3) at Portland St. (2-7), 2:05 p.m.
Montana (8-0) at Idaho St. (0-9), 3:30 p.m.
New Mexico (0-8) at Idaho St. (0-6), 4 p.m.
Oregon St. (5-3) at California (6-2), 5 p.m.
Southern Cal (6-2) at Arizona St. (4-4), 6 p.m.
Colorado St. (3-6) at UNLV (3-6), 8 p.m.
Utah St. (2-6) at UC Davis (4-2), 8 p.m.
Fresno St. (6-3) at Idaho St. (0-9), 8:30 p.m.

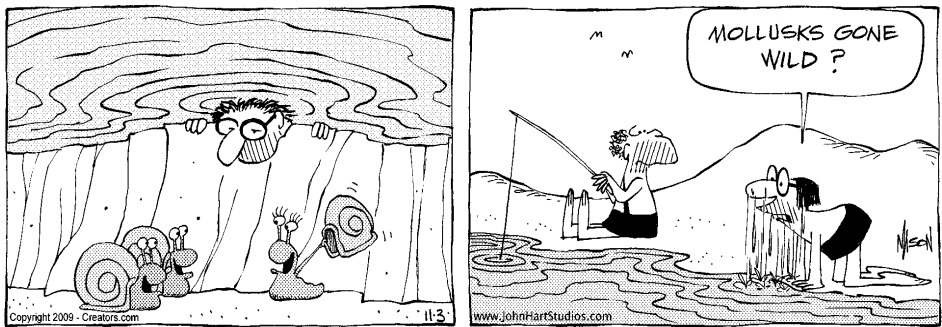
Sunday, Nov. 8
Nevada (5-3) at San Jose St. (0-6), 6:30 p.m.

FCS Coaches Poll
SPARTANBURG, S.C. (AP) — The top 25 teams in the Coaches Football Championship Subdivision poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Nov. 1 and previous ranking:

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Oregon St. (5-3) at California (6-2), 5 p.m.

B.C.

By Johnny Hart



Baby Blues

By Rick Kirkman & Jerry Scott



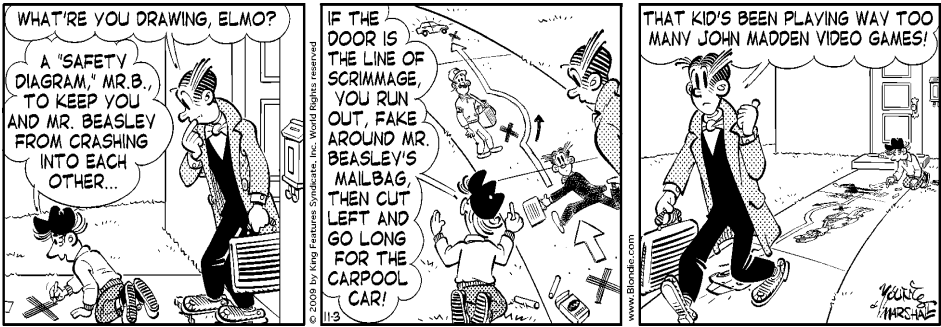
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By Mort Walker




Blondie

By Dean Young & Stan Drake



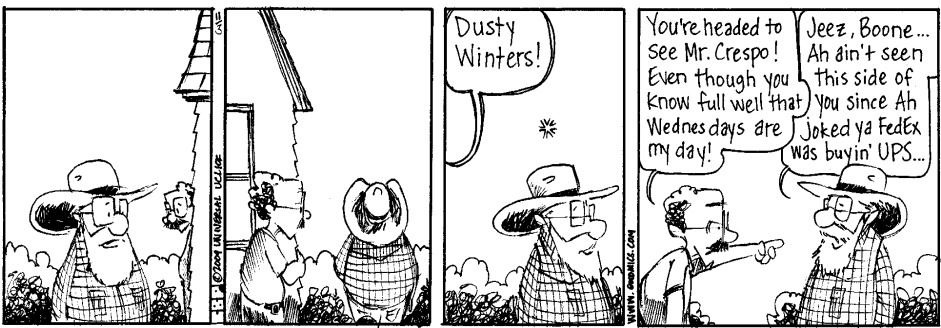
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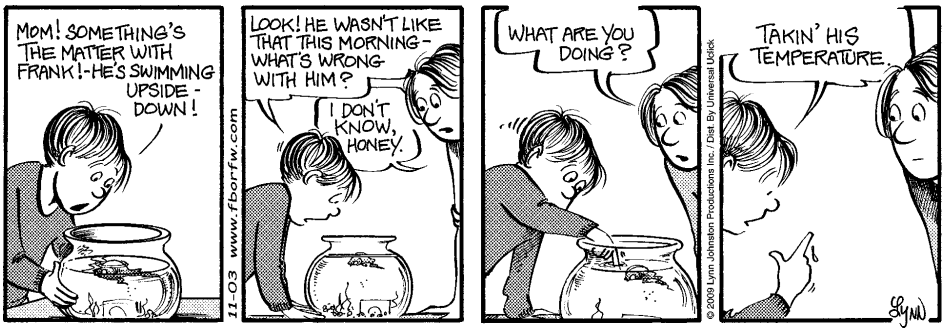
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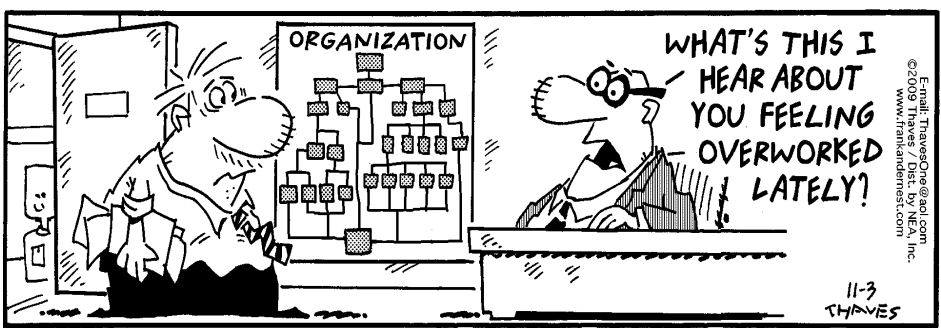
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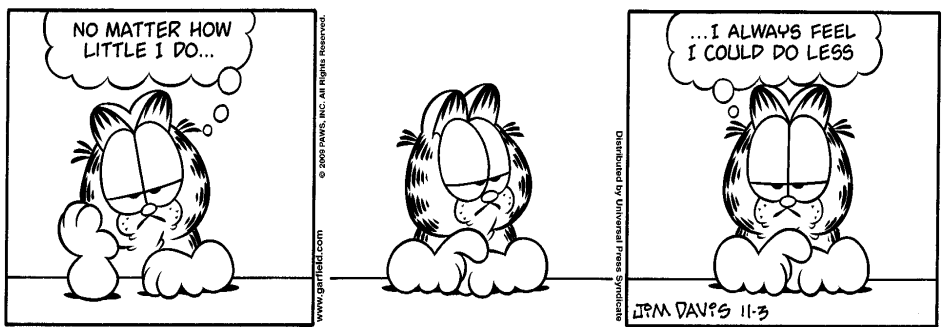
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Garfield

By Jim Davis



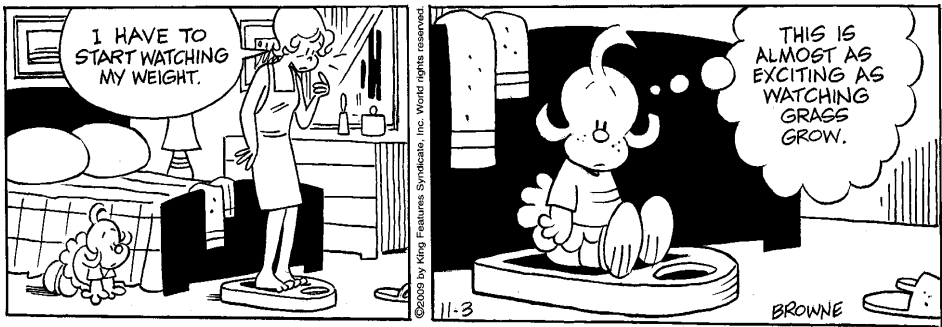
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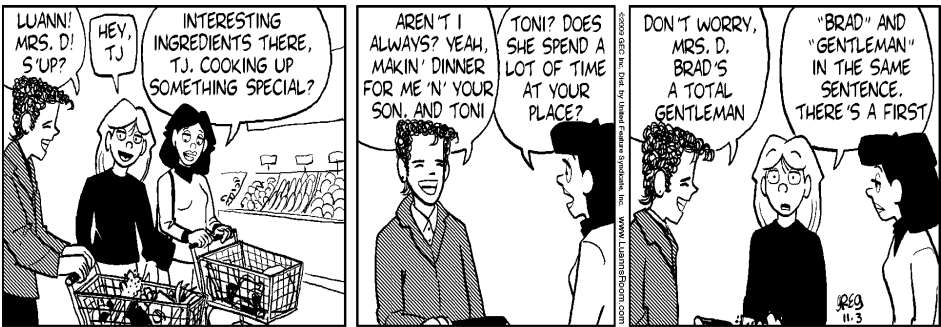
Hi and Lois

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Luann

By Greg Evans



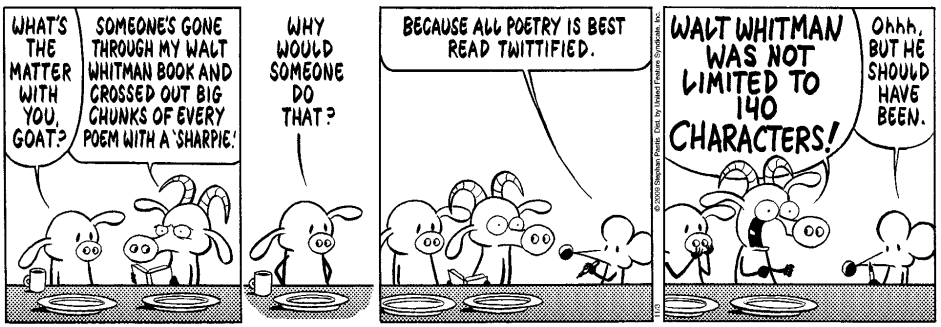
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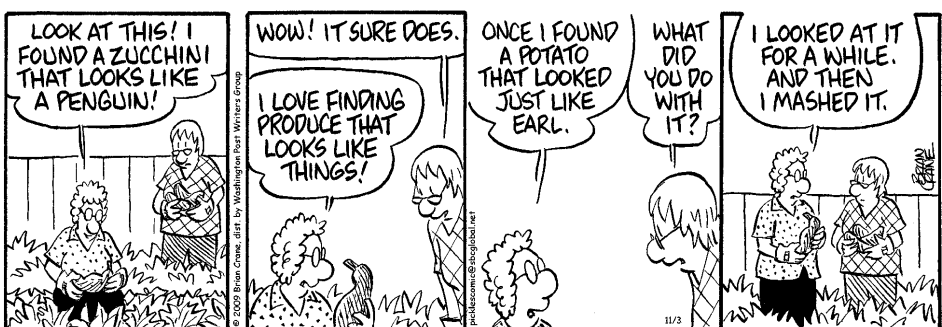
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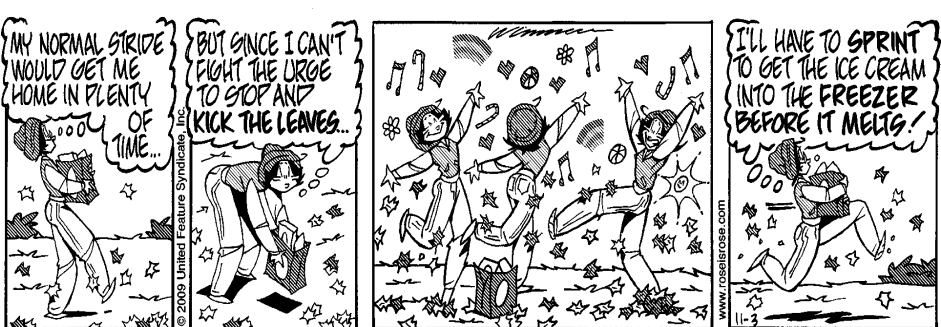
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By Brian Crane



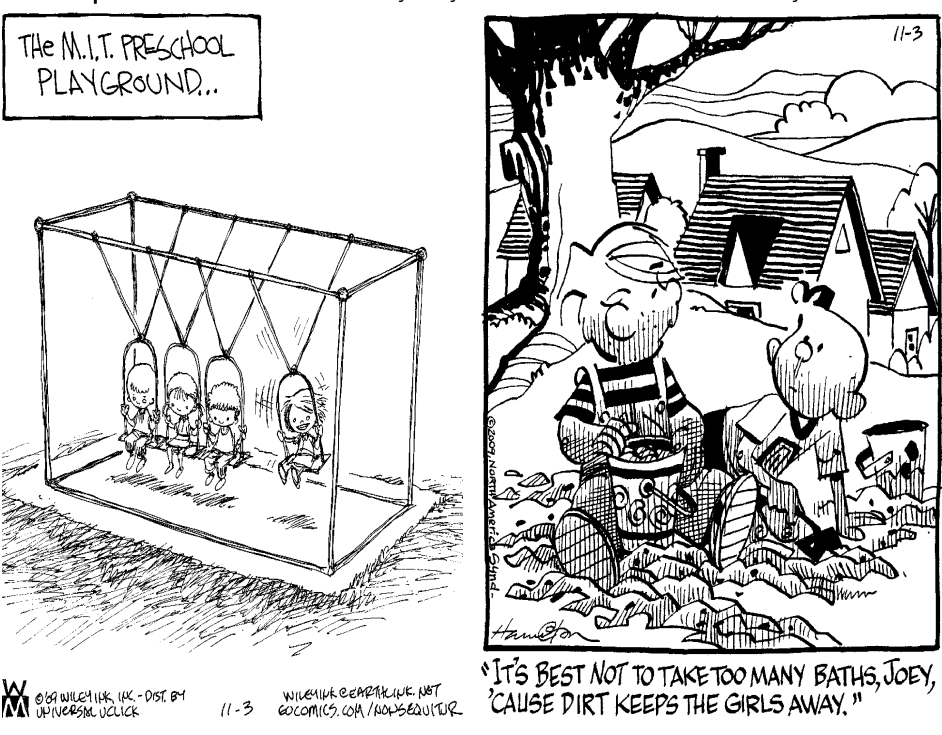
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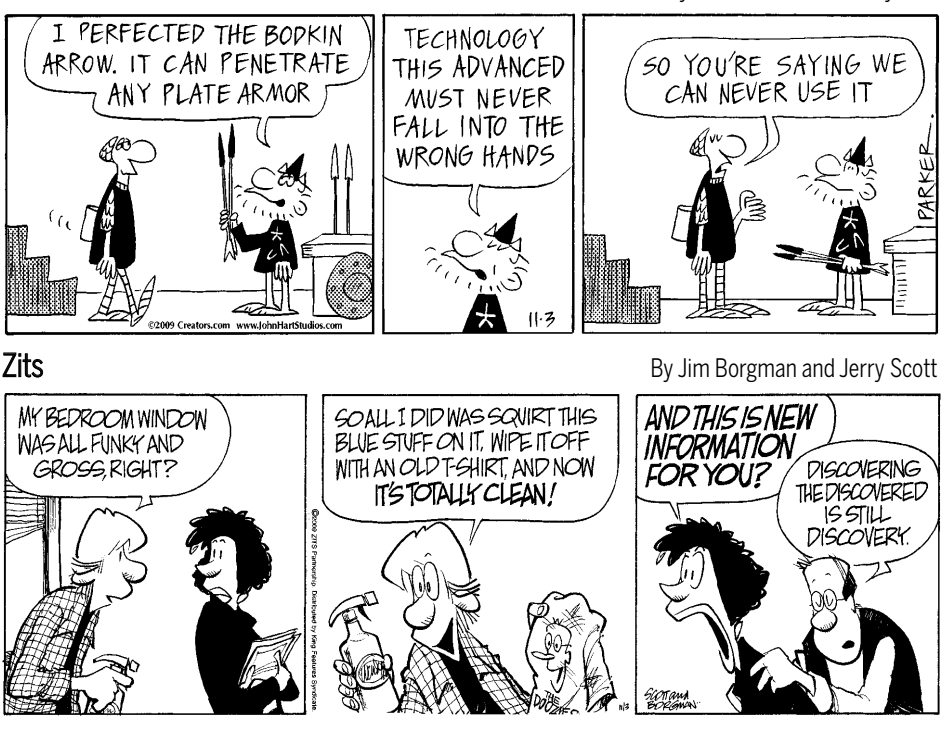
Non Sequitur

By Wiley



Dennis the Menace

By Hank Ketcham





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