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PRIMARY ELECTIONS 2010

Contested county, legislative races of note in south-central Idaho. Results as of 11:30 p.m., not all votes were final at press time.
(I) – Denotes incumbent

U.S. SENATE

Precincts reporting: 536 of 936

Democrats

William Bryk 3,265
P. Tom Sullivan 8,803

Republicans

Mike Crapo (I) 71,650
Claude Davis III 18,921

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

U.S. House District 1 - GOP
Precincts reporting: 536 of 936

Harley Brown 1,353
Michael Chadwick 2,278
Raul Labrador 14,281
Allan Salzberg 1,044
Vaughn Ward 13,778

U.S. House District 2 - GOP
Precincts reporting: 536 of 936

Katherine Burton 4,322
M.C. Chick Heilesen 14,917
Russell Mathews 5,573
Mike Simpson (I) 32,237

STATE OFFICERS

Precincts reporting: 536 of 936

Governor - GOP

C.L. "Butch" Otter (I) 50,263
Ron "Pete" Peterson 5,221
Rex Rammell 23,517
Sharon Ullman 7,213
Tamara Wells 2,786

Governor - Dem.

Keith Allred 10,885
Lee Chaney Sr. 2,555

Lt. governor - GOP

Joshua Blessinger 15,516
Brad Little (I) 53,096
Steven Pankey 11,051

State controller - GOP

Todd Hatfield 35,051
Donna Jones (I) 45,944

Supreme Court Justice

John Bradbury 38,172
Roger Burdick 57,042

STATE LEGISLATURE

District 24 House – GOP

Mark Goodman 997
Rusty Satterwhite 1,311
Leon Smith (I) 2,169

District 24 Senate – GOP

Chuck Coiner (I) 1,965
Lee Heider 2,630

District 25 Senate – Dem.

Robert John Blakeley 56
David Maestas 144
Michelle Stennett (I) 1,001

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Governor hopefuls Otter, Allred win their primaries

BOISE, (AP) — Republican Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter won Tuesday's primary election, advancing to face Democrat Keith Allred in November. With 18 percent of precincts counted, Otter was leading five rivals with 56 percent of the vote.

Allred, a former Harvard University professor and government-reform activist, led Lee Chaney Sr. with 84 percent support. Of Otter's GOP challengers, the two best known were Ada County

Commissioner Sharon Ullman and former elk rancher Rex Rammell from Rexburg. Both made Otter's 2009 push to raise Idaho's gas tax a focus of their long-shot bids to unseat him.

Rammell secured 25 percent, with Ullman tallying less than 9 percent. The Republican primary for lieutenant governor was won by Brad Little, a 2009 Otter appointee. Little was leading two rivals with about 70 percent of the vote.

TUESDAY A NAIL-BITING DAY OF WAITING FOR CANDIDATES

By Ben Botkin and Laurie Welch
Times-News writers

When it comes right down to it, there's only so much a candidate can do before voters head to the polls.

Politicians can give speeches, pass out literature, participate in forums and knock on doors until their knuckles are raw.

Then come the primaries, which in a heavily Republican state like Idaho are often a deciding factor in legislative races. For candidates, the primaries are a day when they try to keep their thoughts off of what the outcome may be.

There is no campaigning. And they are left with only the hope that they've shaken enough hands and met enough voters to win.

Lee Heider, who ran against Sen. Chuck Coiner, R-Twin Falls, for the District 24 GOP nod, spent his day voting, walking along the Snake River Canyon trail and had plans for his children and grandchildren to visit him in the evening.

He also renewed his hunting and fishing license, noting that he'll have more time for outdoor activities with the campaign done.



ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Sen. Chuck Coiner R-Twin Falls, right, picks up campaign signs Tuesday afternoon with Kip Wooten in Twin Falls. Coiner said he put up 50 large signs in Twin Falls, Murtaugh and Kimberly in preparation for this year's primary elections.

"I'm kind of looking forward to a few days of rest and relaxation," Heider said. "We'll be excited to have this over, win, lose or draw?"

On Tuesday afternoon, Coiner and a friend, Kip Wooten of Filer, drove about picking up campaign signs.

"There's nothing we can do now

except relax and get our signs picked up," he said.

Rep. Leon Smith, R-Twin Falls — who had two challengers, Rusty Satterwhite and Mark Goodman — spent his day working in his office and

See **WAITING**, Main 2

Voters keep Roger Burdick on Idaho Supreme Court bench

BOISE (AP) — Idaho Supreme Court Justice Roger Burdick will retain his seat on the Idaho Supreme Court, beating challenger 2nd District Judge John Bradbury on Tuesday.

Burdick, who touted his extensive courtroom experience during the campaign, won with about 59 percent of the vote in early returns.

"I've been humbled by the support



Burdick

He has served on the high court since he was appointed by former Gov. Dirk

that's come my way over the last five months because people from all walks of life and all parts of the state have echoed a common theme throughout our travels," Burdick said, choking up briefly. "They want judges they can trust and judges they can work with ... I can be that judge."

Kempthorne in 2003, and was re-elected to the post in 2004.

"I've been questioned many times during this campaign, should we elect judges or appoint them," Burdick said. "I believe the Idaho constitution and the people of Idaho have come up with a pretty good mix of both — we have appointed judges but we also hold elections from time to time to make sure we keep our citizens involved in the process."

See **DEBATE**, Main 2

Heider unseats Coiner

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

Lee Heider unseated three-term incumbent Sen. Chuck Coiner in the Republican primaries on Tuesday, gaining the GOP nomination for the District 24 seat with 57.21 percent of the vote.

Coiner garnered 42.79 percent. Heider had 2,624 votes, while Coiner had 1,963 votes, according to unofficial Twin Falls County results with all precincts reporting. With no Democrats running for election in November, the victory means Heider, a Twin Falls city councilman, will become the district's next senator.

"I don't know what to say other than that I'm thrilled," Heider said. "I'm really excited to represent our district in the Senate. ... I'm extremely humbled. I think people will find that they have a true conservative voice in the Senate."

Coiner said he was proud of his campaign and the people that supported him.

"We obviously didn't get our word out enough," he said. "We didn't have the support he did, but the people have spoken."

Also in District 24, six-term incumbent Rep. Leon Smith, R-Twin Falls, held onto his seat with 48.41 percent of the vote, or 1,646 votes. His opponents, Rusty Satterwhite and Mark Goodman, pulled in 29.31 percent, 890 votes, and 22.28 percent, 673 votes, respectively. No Democrats are running for that seat.

Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert, appeared to hold onto his District 26 seat, based on partial tallies available Tuesday. He had 2,552 votes, while his challenger, retired Rupert farmer Harold Mohlman, had 804 votes according to totals from the Idaho secretary of state.

Michelle Stennett also was well in the lead for the Democratic nomination to the District 25 Senate seat, with 83.3 percent of the vote based on partial results available Tuesday. The victory is on the heels of filling in for husband, Clint, in the

See **HEIDER**, Main 2

TFHS administrators claim victory in lunchtime debate

High schoolers largely oppose cut to lunch period

By Nick Coltrain
Times-News writer

The two debate students had tubs of folders and documents, an

American flag and a combined four years of formal debate experience. The Twin Falls High School principal and vice principal had their wits — and numbers the students didn't.

It was enough for the two administrators to pull out a victory at the school's debate-team fundraiser, which featured a back-and-forth over a mandatory advisory class that halved the students' lunch period. The contest's three

judges — a teacher, a debate-team student member and the team's assistant coach — unanimously picked the administrators based largely on two numbers. The administrators attributed both a .04 increase in grade-point average and a more than two-thirds decrease in dropouts in the school district to the new class.

The class is designed to build



MEAGAN THOMPSON/Times-News

Principal Ben Allen listens to Twin Falls High School junior and debate team member Mark Edlund, 17, during the Tuesday crossfire session of the debate over the school's shortened lunch period and added advisory period. The debate, held between Allen and Vice Principal Shaun Walker, and students Edlund and Ricky Rigdon, was a fundraiser for the Twin Falls High School debate team.



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MORNING BRIEFING

Pat's Picks

Three things to do today

Pat Marcantonio



● “Alice in Wonderland” by Lewis Carroll is presented by the Filer High School Drama Club at 7 p.m. at the Filer Middle School auditorium. Tickets are \$3 for adults, \$2 for students and \$1 for seniors.

● Sign your kids up for the Jerome Public Library Summer Reading program through June 9. Children ages 1 to 13 are invited for a summer of fun, activities and — of course — reading. It’s free.

● If you want to fit into

that bathing suit this summer, think about a new online weight management course through the College of Southern Idaho. The course focuses on nutrition and exercise and starts June 7 at a cost of \$105. Register online at www.csi.edu or see an advisor in the Taylor building Matrix.

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

TODAY’S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

“Alice in Wonderland” by Lewis Carroll, presented by Filer High School Drama Club, 7 p.m., Filer Middle School auditorium, 299 U.S. Highway 30, \$3 adults, \$2 students and \$1 senior citizens, 326-5944.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Magic Valley Singles group dancing, 7 p.m. workshop and 8 p.m. PLUS, American Legion Hall, 107 Seventh Ave. E., Jerome, bring finger food to share, \$3, 536-2243.

LIBRARY

Preschool Story Hour, with stories, activities and crafts, 10 a.m., Buhl Public Library, 216 Broadway N., no cost, open to

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the public, 543-6500.

Teen Advisory Group (TAG), for teens ages 13 to 18 to plan teen events, 3 to 5 p.m., Buhl Public Library, 216 Broadway N., no cost, open to the public, 543-6500.

Kidz Game Night, kids K-6 invited to play Wii, board games and many others, 4 p.m., Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E., open to the public, no cost, 733-2964 ext. 110.

To have an event listed, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Mirela Sulejmanovic by e-mail at mirelas@magicvalley.com; by phone, 735-3278; 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 event.

Planted a garden on Mother’s Day, didn’t you, sucker?

Those of us who have dwelt long in this green and pleasant land take great satisfaction in watching latecomers like yourself think they’ve figured out Idaho weather.

As evidence, I would point out those stringy black things lying into your garden.

You were *warned* by us old-timers about the folly of planting a garden so soon. We told you *stories*. We may even have shown you photographs of tomato-sidles, taken on an August morning in someplace like Soda Springs.

But it took the small hours of Sunday, May 23, and its 26-degree temperatures (and that was in relatively balmy Twin Falls) for you to get an education.

See, the secret to gardening in Idaho — other than building a greenhouse — is to recognize when you’re being faked out by Mother Nature.

She’s subtle. Nature doesn’t run the thermometer up to 95 degrees and then pull the plug. She lets you notice her little signs and wonders.

Maybe you see more robins and songbirds than usual. Maybe your lilacs are blooming. Maybe, like the danger fool that you are, you washed your truck a week ago Sunday when it was 80 degrees outside.

YOU DON’T SAY

Steve Crump



That day was what men call “the hook” — the phenomenon that convinces the victim utterly and completely it’s not too good to be true.

But the fact of the matter is, May had you at hello. Even though it was 41 degrees on May 1.

Still, go easy on yourself. Every true Idahoan has to go through a freezeout. If you’re lucky, it doesn’t happen on the Fourth of July.

So let those frozen plants molder for a few days before you trudge to the garden center for replacements. Don’t let yourself be decoyed into haste. And remember: A garden that’s planted on June 1 is a whole lot better than a garden that’s replanted on June 1.

“May,” wrote poet James Russell Lowell, “is a pious fraud of the almanac.”

But then again, Lowell was a gardener. In chilly Massachusetts.

Which, of course, means that Lowell was also a fool.

Steve Crump may be reached at 735-3223. Hear him on KLIX-1310 at 8:30 a.m. on Friday.

AROUND THE STATE

1 of 2 children involved in rollover dies

AMERICAN FALLS — One of two children who was involved in a single-vehicle rollover accident on Interstate 86 in eastern Idaho has died.

Kate Crawford, a spokeswoman for Primary Children’s Medical Center in Salt Lake City, says Johnathan Geeraerts died Monday. She declined to released any other information, including the victim’s age. The other child involved in the wreck, Alexis Geeraerts, was in serious condi-

tion Tuesday night but is expected to survive.

Idaho State Police say 33-year-old Angee K. Geeraerts, of Great Falls, Mont., was killed in Saturday morning’s wreck. Authorities say she was traveling west on Interstate 86 when she drove into the median on a curve and overcorrected, causing the vehicle to roll. All three occupants were ejected.

Fort Hall inmates moved to new jail

FORT HALL — Inmates from the condemned Fort Hall jail have been transferred to the new

Justice Center, after the Bureau of Indian Affairs loosened its requirements for jailer training.

Chief of Corrections Paul Guisande says 42 inmates were transferred to the new facility last Friday.

Two escapes from the old jail within a the period of a month highlighted the need to move inmates. At the time, tribal officials said the BIA would not allow the jail to be opened until guards had completed a training course.

The Idaho State Journal reports the BIA is allowing the facility to be operated with a ratio of one certified officer to one non-certified staff member.

Crapo on panel to reconcile Wall Street reforms

BOISE — U.S. Sen. Mike Crapo voted against a Wall Street banking industry reform bill in Congress, but he’s now been named to a committee set to hash out differences between the Senate and House versions.

Crapo, an Idaho Falls Republican, says he’s hopeful the committee can find common ground and agree on a bill that boosts consumer protections.

—Wire reports

Heider

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Legislature this session while he recovers from cancer. Her husband didn’t seek reelection.

Her opponents, David Maestas of Hagerman and Robert Blakeley of Hailey, garnered 12 percent and 4.7 percent, respectively.

In the November election, Stennett will face Republican Jim Donoval and Constitution Party candidate Randall Patterson, mayor of Carey.

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Debate

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relationships between faculty and students and to give students time to do homework or participate in school events, such as dances, Vice Principal Shaun Walker said. But the students at the event, the majority of the 200 attendees, were overwhelmingly against the class, a sentiment Walker said is school-wide.

“Advisory is not class time, it is wasted time,” debate captain Ricky Rigdon said, drawing supportive knocks — the event’s version of clapping — from the students.

Rigdon and his teammate,

junior Mark Edlund, pounced on the issue as cutting into lunchtime for the students. Citing studies and professors, they argued that leads to less focus from the students and teachers, and worsened social and unhealthier eating habits overall due to rushed meals. The latter is particularly dangerous, Edlund joked, because an unhealthy population leads to an unfit military which could lead to nuclear war, he said.

He drew more applause later on with a patriotic play for longer lunches.

Waving an American flag while he walked up to the

podium, Edlund raised his voice and said, “If you were to feed this flag, how long would you feed it? Half an hour or a full hour? Because I love this flag and I would feed it for a full hour!”

The audience was clearly stacked against the class. The loudest knocks came from the anti-advisory comments, and hands shot up during an open Q&A with students eager to blast the new class. Rigdon said high interest is what made the class the topic for the team’s fundraiser.

Michelle Charron went to the debate to hear more of the administrators’ reason-

ing for the new class but came away unimpressed. She said the class forces her to scarf her lunch in 10 minutes to go to a class that doesn’t help her very much. She hoped the debate would spur the administrators to at least reconsider the class’s implementation.

Walker said the debate was fun but reiterated throughout that it won’t lead to any changes. The school does constantly reflect on its practices though, he said.

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LAURIE WELCH/Times-News

Idaho Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert, right, watches at Rupert Elementary School Tuesday as election official Wanda Knopp checks the driver’s license of Cameron’s son, 18-year-old Nathan Cameron. The younger Cameron registered to vote for the first time.

Human Resources, and Resources and Environment committees.

Cameron said that on the day of an election, he generally performs last-minute campaigning such as putting a few more signs out or making public appearances. Often, he goes to the courthouse in the evening to watch as precinct numbers are tallied.

This year Cameron had a family com-

mitment, so he relied on friends and the media for his election in-formation.

“It’s a little more stressful than a normal day, so I try to keep myself busy,” Cameron said.

But, Cameron said, he never goes to bed before the winners are declared.

“The citizens basically hired me to do this job and it’s like getting rehired every two years,” Cameron said.



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District 26 Senate – GOP	
Dean Cameron (I)	2,552
Harold Mohlman	804
5th District Judge	
Robert Elgee (I)	9,689
Doug Werth	7,749
CAMAS COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	2 of 2
District 2 commissioner – GOP	
Ron Chapman (I)	179
Janet Croner	223
Clerk – GOP	
Korri Blodgett	289
Tenia Gunder	71
Walter Pierce	44
CASSIA COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	25 of 25
District 2 commissioner – GOP	
Clay Handy (I)	1,994
Robert J. Kunau	2,064
District 3 commissioner – GOP	
Dennis Crane (I)	2,345
James D. Kelley	1,682
Treasurer – GOP	
Jon R. Anderson	619
William F. Jensen	820
Patty Justesen	2,563
Assessor – GOP	
Dan Blauer	414
William Brady	494
Paul Christensen	1,155
Dwight Davis	1,669
Mike Masoner	309
Clerk – GOP	
Fred L. Darrington	1,472
Joseph W. Larsen	1,783
Dee Yeaman	817
ELMORE COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	18 of 18
District 2 commissioner – GOP	
Larry E. Rose (I)	894
Wesley R. Wootan	1,849
Clerk – GOP	
Marsa Plummer (I)	1,185
Barbara Steele	1,446
Assessor – GOP	
Ronald F. Fisher	1,633
Mark Russell	986
GOODING COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	7 of 7
County assessor – GOP	
Patty Bauscher (I)	1,207
Mary Norman	297
CITY OF HAILEY	
\$3.5 million Hailey Rodeo Grounds bond (66.7 percent voter approval required to pass)	
For	1,115
Against	449
JEROME COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	5 of 11
District 3 commissioner – GOP	
Roger Morley	340
Doug Suter	294
Gerlyn “Sam” Walker	118
Jerome County Criminal Justice Center lease-purchase funding measure (66.7 percent voter approval required to pass)	
For	520
Against	345
LINCOLN COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	6 of 6
District 3 commissioner – GOP	
Carol Boudreau	154
Jerry Nance (I)	467
Gary Russell	115
Assessor – GOP	
Brian Cheney	366
Linda Jones (I)	372
County clerk – GOP	
Liz Kime (I)	333
Suzanne McConnell	404
MINIDOKA COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	11 of 11
District 2 commission seat – GOP	
Kent McClellan	1,351
Daniel Stapelman (I)	1,156
District 3 commissioner – GOP	
Lynn Hunsaker (I)	1,260
Sheryl Koyle	1,287
County Clerk – GOP	
Donna Hayden-Bush	479
Rob Neiwert	609
Patty Temple	1,459
TWIN FALLS COUNTY	
Precincts reporting:	45 of 45
District 2 commissioner – Dem.	
Gary Eller	376
Bill Shropshire	334
District 2 commissioner – GOP	
Tom Mikesell (I)	1,622
Leon Mills	2,333
Jim Schouten	1,203
Roger L. Ursenbach Sr.	1,896
District 3 commissioner – GOP	
Brandon J. Jones	2,952
L. George Urie (I)	4,073
Assessor – GOP	
Gerald Bowden (I)	4,775
George E. Haney III	2,539

Six injured in Gooding County crash

Times-News

A Twin Falls woman and five children were injured Tuesday when the woman’s vehicle collided with a semitrailer on Bob Barton Road in Gooding County, according to an Idaho State Police press release.

Tina Tarchione, 42, of Twin Falls, was westbound on Bob

Barton, turning left into a private driveway near 200 East Road, when her vehicle entered the path of an eastbound semitrailer, according to ISP.

The semitrailer’s driver, Wayne Campbell, 61, of Boise, attempted to avoid Tarchione’s vehicle by moving into the westbound lane, but struck the driver’s side of Tarchione’s vehicle.

Tarchione and five children between the ages of 6 and 11 were injured and transported to area hospitals, according to ISP. A 6-year-old boy was taken by air ambulance to Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise with the most serious injuries. Tarchione and the other children, according to ISP, were transported by ambulance to St Luke’s Magic

Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls with non-life-threatening injuries. Campbell was not injured, the ISP release stated.

The crash remains under investigation by ISP Trooper Troy DeBie. ISP was assisted by deputies and medical personnel from Twin Falls, Jerome and Gooding Counties, along with the Wendell Police Department.

Jerome County: jail lacks votes, Morley leads

Five of 11 Jerome precincts counted as of publication time

By Nick Coltrain
Times-News writer

JEROME — Early results from the Jerome County elections have Roger M. Morley leading in the race for the Republican nod for county commissioner and the lease-purchase agreement for a new county jail failing again.

As of 11:30 p.m., only five of the 11 precincts had been counted. The

measure for the new jail, under which the county would lease a new jail from third party and for no more than 30 years and \$30 million, needed a supermajority of 66 percent for votes.

Early results had it receiving about 60 percent voter approval. The new 165-bed jail and sheriff’s office would cost about \$13.5 million and replace the 35-year-old jail in use now.

The current jail has fallen out of compliance with several federal and state regulations, leading Jerome County Sheriff Doug McFall to say its closure is a when question, not an if.

“If this jail closes, we don’t have

a jail to replace it. That’s going to cost the taxpayers of Jerome more money than if we had this jail to replace it,” McFall said before the vote. “There are alternatives that the commissioners have to proceed with, but they might not be as smooth as getting it passed this way.”

Voters also denied the lease-purchase agreement in the November elections, where it failed by only 1.4 percent of the vote.

In the commissioner’s primary, Roger M. Morley was ahead with 340 of the votes. His opponents, Douglas M. Suter and Gerlyn “Sam” Walker had 294 and 118 votes respectively. The seat has no

challengers from the Democrats.

Morley, a 58-year-old former state Senate lobbyist and Qwest Communications retiree, said a main goal of his is to make the county more proactive in recruiting new businesses to the area.

Without a diverse economy, he said, the county will continue to suffer from brain drain. He also said he supports the building of a new jail.

Commissioners earn an annual salary of \$27,600 with county benefits.

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AP photo

Go west! Dems did, now fight to retain their gains

By Kristen Wyatt
Associated Press writer

LONGMONT, Colo. — Westward, uh-oh.

For Democrats, the newly minted crossover voters who helped elect Barack Obama president in 2008 are displaying a rugged individualist streak and echoing tea party-type distrust of all things Washington. This is haunting the party as it struggles to keep control of Congress.

Consider the perspective of Kevin Ladd.

Hundreds of Democrats crowded the stage recently in this northern Colorado town to see Vice President Joe Biden promote a factory expansion. But not Ladd, who sat on the back bumper of an electric vehicle outside the auditorium.

Ladd invested in the company that helped make the car and came to celebrate the expansion, financed in part by a federal stimulus grant. But the 47-year-old homebuilder says his business is down, and after abandoning his

lifelong Republican affiliation to vote for Obama two years ago, Ladd isn’t sure about Democrats this year.

“I think a lot of swing voters are questioning their decision,” Ladd said. “President Obama promised change. I wish we saw more change.”

Democrats in the West are struggling to keep these new voters who helped the party turn Colorado, Nevada and New Mexico from Republican to Democratic in the presidential election just months after the party’s national convention in Denver. Westerners who also helped elect a raft of Democrats to the House and Senate now appear to be wavering.

They’re worried about federal spending. They’re anxious about a new health care law in a region where a doctor can be several hours’ drive away. They’re afraid that Democrats’ climate-change proposals will kill jobs in oil and gas fields. Illegal immigration dominates the debate, and opponents of Arizona’s new immigra-

tion law don’t see a salient alternative coming from Democrats.

Vulnerable Democrats can be found in every Western state:

—Senate leader Harry Reid of Nevada is trailing in polls in his bid for a fifth term. The state’s home foreclosure rate is the highest, and the unemployment rate of 13.7 percent in April is above the national average — scary numbers for any incumbent.

• Democrats hold both of Colorado’s Senate seats for the first time since the 1970s. Sen. Michael Bennet, who was appointed to office to replace Interior Secretary Ken Salazar, was outpolled by challenger Andrew Romanoff at a state Democratic assembly last weekend, a result that party officials said they anticipated. The two will meet in a primary Aug. 10. The winner will probably face former Lt. Gov. Jane Norton.

• Colorado Rep. Betsy Markey, who joined Biden on the factory visit, ousted a three-term Republican in 2008, but the GOP still holds a registration advan-

tage in her sprawling district. Markey’s votes in favor of the health care overhaul and a cap-and-trade climate plan could cost her in November.

• In southern New Mexico, Rep. Harry Teague voted against the health care overhaul but has been dogged by criticism over health insurance. As Congress was debating the plan, Teague dropped employer-based health coverage for 250 of his employees at Cavaloz Energy. Now Teague faces Republican former Rep. Steve Pearce, who gave up the seat that spans southern New Mexico to run for the Senate in 2008.

• Republicans think they can regain an Idaho district they narrowly lost in 2008. Democratic Rep. Walt Minnick has won an endorsement from the right-leaning Tea Party Express, the lone Democrat getting the group’s backing. But Minnick is the first Democrat Idahoans have sent to Congress since 1992. The GOP chooses a challenger Tuesday.

Labrador takes early, narrow lead over Ward

BOISE (AP) — State Rep. Raul Labrador held an early lead in his primary race against Iraq veteran Vaughn Ward in their battle for the Republican nomination in Idaho’s 1st Congressional District.

With 173 of 462 precincts reporting, Labrador had 45.3 percent of the votes compared to 40.7 percent for Ward.

Labrador held advantages in Ada and Canyon counties, while Ward had an edge in several northern Idaho counties. But the lead traded hands several times since the polls closed.

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GRADUATE PROFILE

Wendell's Thompson prepared for whatever lies ahead

By Blair Koch
Times-News correspondent

WENDELL — Cameron Thompson doesn't know what life has in store for him, but that doesn't scare the Wendell High School graduate-to-be.

"I've learned one big life lesson, in English this year, and that is, 'You'll never know everything but you won't know anything unless you try something,'" Thompson said. "I'm going to try and live that out, even though I don't really know what lies ahead or what things I may pursue."

The 18-year-old plans to study physics this fall at the College of Southern Idaho, but that may change.

"I'd really rather study music," Thompson said. "I'll just have to see if I can get that to happen, plus something else may interest me down the road. I just have a personal interest in learning but it's wide open on what I'll actually do."

If there's anything he's learned at WHS, Thompson said, it's that trying counts as much as succeeding. Kim Wiberg, student council adviser and English teacher, said that's what she'll miss about having Thompson around.

"Cameron has been the best student leader I've seen," Wiberg said. "Number one, he knows how to take initiative to get things going; number two, he understands that it's OK to try things even if they don't work out; and number three, he takes responsibility and knows how to delegate.



BLAIR KOCH/For the Times-News

Cameron Thompson poses for a photo in the Wendell High School ceramics studio, where the graduating senior spent quite a bit of time over the last few years learning how to make ceramic goods by hand and with a pottery wheel. His high-quality ceramic works and 'ninja level' skill were honored during the senior class awards ceremony earlier this week.

Cameron Thompson

Age: 18
School: Wendell High School
After high school: Thompson plans to study physics at the College of Southern Idaho but is open to changing his studies to match new interests.
Graduation: Thompson and about 63 of his classmates will graduate at 7 tonight at the Wendell High School gymnasium.

Plus, he can get students excited and involved."

Wiberg was impressed with the way Thompson spiced up Homecoming Week with new student games and activities, and stepped up to hold pep rallies or dances when school pride seemed to wane.

Thompson shrugged off his teacher's compliments,

saying, "You have to have a purpose."

Principal Jon Goss shares Wiberg's opinion of Thompson's ability as a leader and his ease in addressing large crowds.

"He can speak in front of 500, a thousand people with no problems. He's not nervous," Goss said. "Another thing about Cameron is that

he is an all-around student."

In addition to heading the student council, Thompson is an athlete — most recently a starting varsity baseball player — and is artistic as well.

"His ceramics are impressive," Goss said.

Thompson said his skills are "ninja level."

"It's high level," he said. "I've always enjoyed making stuff and working with my hands. I wasn't surprised that I enjoyed learning ceramics but (was) surprised in how quickly it came together."

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Idaho getting less grant money from Homeland Security

LEWISTON (AP) — The reason Idaho is receiving less federal grant money to fend off potential terrorist threats is because the state is relatively safe and the overall amount of money to be distributed has declined, officials with the Idaho Bureau of Homeland Security said.

The state received about \$26 million in 2003, but that has been reduced to about \$6.5 million annually, said Deborah L. Ruppe, the north-central area field officer for the Idaho Bureau.

"I really firmly believe that it is based on incident and population," Ruppe told Latah County commissioners on Monday. "I firmly believe that. We're very safe in Idaho. We just are. And we don't have a very large population."

The U.S. Census Bureau

"We just are. And we don't have a very large population."

— Idaho Bureau of Homeland Security field officer Deborah L. Ruppe

estimates Idaho has about 1.5 million residents.

Robert Feeley, public affairs officer for the Idaho Bureau, said "our funding reflects the national decline in homeland security funding to all states. That total pot of money that's available just isn't what it used to be."

Commissioner Tom Stroschein questioned the reduction to Idaho, suggesting that possible friction between the state and federal government might be part of the reason.

"You don't think that maybe we don't get what we think we're entitled to

because we sue the federal government every chance we get?" Stroschein asked Ruppe.

Ruppe said most of the money is being used to prepare for natural disasters and hazardous material incidents, rather than potential terrorist attacks. She said much of the money has been spent by counties on equipment to improve emergency response communication between agencies.

In northern Idaho, Ruppe said, Latah County has received about \$150,425 annually since 2007 in Homeland Security funds.

She said the 2009 allocation is about \$100,000, and that the money will be available soon.

"Unfortunately, these Homeland Security grant funds are a bit late," Ruppe said. "The grant period is for several years, even though the funds are late in coming."

She said Nez Perce County will receive about \$106,500, Clearwater County about \$41,600, Lewis County about \$31,900, and Idaho County about \$57,000.

Stroschein said about 60 percent of Idaho is in federal ownership.

"I don't have any problem with the federal government paying their share of what it takes to operate Idaho," he said. "I think we're entitled to the funding we get. I'd like to see more."

INL eyes new road to move radioactive material

IDAHO FALLS (AP) — The U.S. Department of Energy wants to build a new road at the Idaho National Laboratory so it can move radioactive material from one building to another without having to close U.S. Highway 20.

Officials say the Multipurpose Haul Road would be closed to the public and built within the 890-square-mile federal nuclear research area in eastern Idaho, connecting three facilities separated by about 20 miles.

Jeff Perry of the DOE told the Post Register that U.S. Highway 20, which cuts through the research area, has to be closed each time vehicles use it to move material.

"All of these shipments are radioactive shipments," said Perry. "Just from a public safety perspective, it makes sense to close the road."

The materials would be moved among the Advanced Test Reactor, Idaho Nuclear Technology and Engineering Center, and the Materials

and Fuel Complex.

Perry said the material includes low-level waste from an ongoing cleanup of the INL from work over the

last five decades and spent fuel from the Advanced Test Reactor that must be prepared for storage before being shipped off the site.

Shoshone teen dies in rollover

Times-News

A Shoshone teen was killed early Tuesday in a single-vehicle rollover in northern Lincoln County, according to an Idaho State Police press release.

Ana Gomez-Vega, 18, was pronounced dead at the crash scene near the county line between Blaine and Lincoln counties, after she was partially ejected from her 1996 Honda Passport at approximately 5:26 a.m.

Gomez-Vega was driving

on Idaho Highway 75 near milepost 92 when the accident occurred. According to ISP, Gomez-Vega's vehicle left the roadway several times before it rolled multiple times, coming to rest on its roof.

Gomez-Vega was wearing her seat belt at the time of the crash, according to ISP.

The crash remains under investigation by ISP Trooper Chris Pohanka, with assistance from the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office.

H&W Jerome office closes, one of last two hit by budget cuts

By Nate Poppino
Times-News writer

At 5 p.m. Tuesday, the doors closed for the last time at the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare's office in Jerome.

And, after one month, nine vacant buildings and 126 layoffs, Health and Welfare was ready to face its 2010-11 budget.

The fiscal year, which starts in July, includes a \$7 million cut to the state agency's personnel and operations. Officials decided to meet those cuts by closing nine of their 29 offices statewide and firing 126 workers from across the state, including 32 from Health and Welfare's administrative offices in Boise.

Offices in Jerome and Orofino, both closed Tuesday, were the last on

the list, said agency spokeswoman Emily Simnitt. Of 25 people employed at the Jerome office, 22 were transferred elsewhere within Health and Welfare, while three were laid off last week.

Two offices in south-central Idaho were shut down earlier this month in Bellevue and Rupert, leaving just the Twin Falls and Burley offices in the region.

Sinnitt said her agency should be prepared now to operate within the budget legislators set for it, at least for this next year.

"Certainly, we don't know what the future will hold," she said.

The agency's Jerome clients are advised to now visit its Twin Falls office, at 601 Pole Line Road. Information: www.health-andwelfare.idaho.gov or call the Idaho CareLine, 211.

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Troops to the Mexican border: Obama to send 1,200

By Jacques Billeaud
Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON — Under pressure to take action, President Barack Obama on Tuesday ordered 1,200 National Guard troops to boost security along the U.S.-Mexico border, pre-empting Republican efforts to force a congressional vote to send the troops. Obama will also request \$500

million for border protection and law enforcement activities, according to lawmakers and administration officials. The president's action comes as chances for comprehensive immigration reform, Obama's long-stated goal, look increasingly dim in this election year. Obama has been all but compelled to do something since Arizona's passage of a tough illegal-immigration law thrust the

border problem into the public spotlight. Indeed, Arizona Gov. Jan Brewer credited her signing of the controversial new law for compelling Obama to act. Signing the law, Brewer said in a statement, "clearly ignited the talk of action in Washington for the people of Arizona and other border states." The National Guard troops will work on intelligence, surveillance

and reconnaissance support, analysis and training, and support efforts to block drug trafficking. They will temporarily supplement Border Patrol agents until Customs and Border Protection can recruit and train additional officers and agents to serve on the border, according to a letter Tuesday from top administration security officials to Senate Armed Services Committee Chairman Carl Levin, D-Mich.

In 2006, President George W. Bush sent thousands of troops to the border to perform support duties that tie up immigration agents. But that program has since ended, and politicians in border states have called for troops to be sent to curb human and drug smuggling and to deal with Mexico's drug violence that has been spilling over into the United States.

BP engineers draw up plans for 'top kill'

By Greg Bluestein
Associated Press writer

COVINGTON, La. — BP is going in for the kill. The trick is to do the job quickly and cleanly. As early as dawn Wednesday, the oil company will try to choke to death the gusher at the bottom of the sea by force-feeding it heavy drilling mud and cement — a tactic called a "top kill" that is routinely used above ground but has never been tried 5,000 feet underwater.

If it's not done just right, it could make the leak worse. The stakes for BP are high, with politicians and others losing patience with the company over its inability to stop the oil leak that sprang more than a month ago after an offshore drilling rig exploded. Eleven workers were killed, and by the most conservative estimate, 7 million gallons of crude have spilled into the Gulf of Mexico, fouling Louisiana's marshes and coating birds and other wildlife.

"We want what everybody wants — to stop the flow at the source as quickly as possible," said BP spokesman John Curry. "We understand the frustration and we just want to bring this to closure." Engineers were doing at least 12 hours of diagnostic tests Tuesday. They planned to check five spots on the well's crippled five-story blowout preventer to make sure it could withstand the heavy force of the mud. A weak spot in the device could blow under the pressure, causing a brand new leak.

BP has been drafting plans for the top kill for weeks but had to delay it several times as crews scrambled to assemble the equipment at the site 50 miles off the coast. A flotilla of rigs, barges and other heavy machinery stood ready there Tuesday. A top kill has worked on aboveground oil wells in Kuwait and Iraq. BP CEO Tony Hayward pegged its chances of success in this case at 60 to 70 percent. Kent Wells, a BP senior vice president, cautioned that engineers are speeding through a planning process that would normally take months. He warned that the top kill could be delayed or scuttled if Tuesday's pressure readings are bad.

Once the test results are in, scientists with the federal Minerals Management Service will examine them and BP will consult with government officials before deciding whether to press on, Curry said. If all goes as planned, engineers will pump fluid twice as dense as water from two barges into two 3-inch-wide lines that will feed it into the blowout preventer. Crews plan to pump it in at a rate of 1,680 to 2,100 gallons per minute in hopes of counteracting the upward pressure of the oil gushing to the surface. They stockpiled some 50,000 barrels of the heavy mud, a manufactured substance that resembles clay. Wells said it could take anywhere from a few hours to two days to determine whether the top kill is working. If it succeeds, BP plans to

Somber memorial held for oil rig explosion victims

By Holbrook Mohr
Associated Press writer

JACKSON, Miss. — Eleven men who died in the offshore rig explosion that triggered the Gulf oil spill are being honored at a somber memorial service with tributes from country music stars and drilling company executives.

Transocean, owner of the Deepwater Horizon oil rig, organized the event, held under tight security at the Jackson Convention Complex. Police patrolled outside. Transocean CEO Steven Newman said those attending were a community bound by the tragic accident that happened April 20.

Country music group Diamond Rio performed and singer Trace Adkins spoke to the crowd by video. It was impossible to judge the reactions of those attending. Reporters weren't allowed inside but were ushered to a room where the service was broadcast on closed-circuit television.



AP photo
Evelyn Fulton, an aunt of Dale Burkeen, one of eleven men who died in the offshore rig explosion that triggered the Gulf oil spill, laughs as she remembers her nephew, Tuesday, after leaving a ceremony honoring the men in Jackson.

follow through by injecting a stream of cement to permanently seal up the well. They may also install a new blowout preventer on top as a fail-safe. Live video of the leak has been available online for the past few days, but Rep. Edward J. Markey, D-Mass., said he learned Tuesday that the feed would be shut off while BP attempts the top kill.

A BP spokesman said the company has not yet decided. "This BP blackout will obscure a vital moment in this disaster," Markey said. "After more than a month of spewing oil into the Gulf of Mexico, BP is essentially saying to the American people the solution will not be televised!"

BP internal probe focuses on other companies' work

By Greg Bluestein and Matthew Daly
Associated Press writers

COVINGTON, La. — Oil giant BP said its internal investigation of the unchecked Gulf oil spill is largely focused on work done by other companies as a new government report Tuesday showed workers at the federal agency that oversees offshore drilling accepted sports tickets, lunches and other gifts from oil and gas companies. BP PLC said in a release that an initial investigation found multiple control mechanisms should have prevented the accident that started with an oil rig explosion April 20 off the coast of Louisiana that killed 11 workers.

BP, the largest oil and gas producer in the Gulf, listed seven areas of focus as it hunts for a cause. Four involve the blowout preventer, a massive piece of machinery that sits atop the wellhead and should have acted as a safety device of last resort but did not. That was manufactured by Cameron International Corp. and owned by Transocean LTD, which also owned the Deepwater Horizon oil rig. The other three areas of focus for the investigation involve the cementing and casing of the wellhead, which was Halliburton Inc.'s responsibility.

In BP's release, Chief Executive Tony Hayward stopped short of assigning responsibility. President Obama has blasted executives from the companies for blaming each other during Congressional hearings this month. "A number of companies are involved, including BP, and it is simply too early — and not up to us — to say who is at fault," Hayward said. Gene Beck, a petroleum engineer at Texas A&M at College Station who worked in the drilling industry for two decades, said the list of problems BP is investigating appears exhaustive. But he said the company also needs to look at decisions made by people on the rig. "That needs to be investigated: Why did they do what they did?" Beck said. "They need to ask themselves that very, very serious question: 'Why did we make these choices?'" Guy Cantwell, spokesman for TransOcean, said TransOcean is doing its own investigation and noted the company was having a memorial service Tuesday for the workers killed in the explosion. "We'll comment at the appropriate time," he said. Halliburton released a statement saying it stands firm in its belief that services if provided were exactly as requested and directed by the well owner.

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What do Idaho seniors want? You might be surprised

Just when you think you have Idaho’s over-50 crowd pegged — conservative, anti-government tax hawks — along comes the Idaho chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons with another survey. This time, 85 percent of AARP members say they had little or no confidence in Idaho state lawmakers to tackle issues they care about. Those issues, in rank order, were:

1. Resolving Idaho’s state budget problems; 72 percent said this should be a top-priority issue
2. Ensuring health care workers honor living wills and advance directives by repealing Idaho’s new “conscience” law which takes aim at end of life care: 61 percent.
3. Taking large campaign contributions from special interest groups out of Idaho politics: 55 percent.
4. Tackling Idaho’s worsening shortage of physicians: 33 percent

That matters because 56 percent of Idaho votes are cast by those 50 and older.

“Some of the issues that matter most to our members aren’t the ones being talked about on the campaign trail,” Jim Wordelman, AARP’s state director. “The low public confidence in state lawmakers is very alarming — it’s not good for anyone in Idaho, businesses, retirees and especially those elected to serve in office.”

The conscience law, championed by Idaho conservatives and right-to-life groups in the past legislative session, says health care workers and pharmacists can refuse to deliver treatments that violate their conscience. Gov. C.L. “Butch” Otter let the bill become law without his signature, and AARP and others are calling for its repeal since it may complicate end-of-life issues for patients and their families.

Other issues AARP members said they want the candidates to talk about are education funding (46 percent), opposing the state lawsuit against the new federal health insurance law (14 percent), restoring budget cuts to critical programs and services for the elderly and families (11 percent), supporting term limits (9 percent), environmental issues (8 percent), reducing tax exemptions (7 percent), and bringing more jobs to Idaho (6 percent).

Mind you, this wasn’t a comprehensive, scientific poll. It was a survey taken by e-mail, and received 431 responses.

But it’s one more reminder that politicians underestimate voters over 50 at their peril.



Our view: Here’s a thought: What if Idaho politicians really don’t know what’s important to voters over 50? **What do you think?** We welcome viewpoints from our readers on this and other issues.

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Immigration reform: Less might be more

During the health care reform debate, some observers argued that the White House should focus on passing smaller and more manageable pieces of legislation rather than pushing “comprehensive” reform. We may never know if this more modest approach, dubbed “Skinny Care” by its detractors, might have proved more effective and popular than “Obamacare.” But President Obama now faces a similar crossroads on immigration. This time he should take the “Skinny” option.



Stewart J. Lawrence

The current White House approach is already DOA. That’s because it includes a sweeping legalization program that is anathema to the GOP.

House Republicans say they aren’t budging on immigration reform until stronger border and workplace enforcement measures are in place. And especially after Arizona’s new immigration law, neither are many Democrats.

There are smaller and more digestible pieces of immigration legislation that might serve as the basis for bipartisan agreement now, before the midterm elections. Time is short, but if the two parties can reach a first-stage agreement on these less contentious items, it could make their post-November debate less susceptible to gridlock.

The logic of a stripped-down immigration agreement is similar to what’s been debated with comprehensive reform, only the scale is smaller. The basic trade-off is the same: a legalization of the undocumented — some, but not all — in exchange for enhanced enforcement.



But the deal would steer clear of the most controversial elements — a general “amnesty” for illegal immigrants, an economy-wide guest-worker program and a national ID card — until after the midterm elections.

Conservatives should agree to some of the narrow legalization proposals that Democrats have put forth in the past, such as the DREAM Act, which legalizes the children who were brought here by their illegal immigrant parents and who, through no fault of their own, are now living here illegally. The bill affects only about 1.5 million people, and to qualify for a green card, applicants must either attend college or join the U.S. military.

It makes no sense to try to send these kids back to countries of origin that they do not know, and to lose the value of the accrued investment in their education acquired here. Skillfully presented, DREAM might do for immigration what the Children’s Health Insurance Program has done for child welfare — build a badly needed bridge.

Another candidate for GOP support is the AgJOBS bill, which combines a guest-worker program for agricul-

ture with provisions to allow these workers to transition to legal residency. It’s not an amnesty because many of the workers “imported” under the program aren’t yet living here. The numbers involved are relatively small — perhaps 2 million workers. Agribusiness desperately wants and needs the program, simply to survive. And there is little evidence that the foreign-born workers involved are competing with native-born Americans for the same jobs. Wages are low, and the work is simply too demanding and dirty, except for those long accustomed to it.

What would the GOP get in return for these concessions? A dramatic expansion of the E-Verify workplace enforcement system.

Currently, E-Verify focuses on companies that are federal contractors, a tiny proportion of the firms operating in our economy. The program’s also largely voluntary. Let’s make E-Verify mandatory and extend it to low-skill industries in which illegal immigrants typically congregate.

And let’s continue to augment border enforcement, which, in recent years, has shown measurable progress

in reducing illegal flows.

The two political parties might also agree to clean up the deplorable state of immigrant detention facilities and to reduce the long delays in visa processing for legal immigrants. The backlog is so extreme that it’s serving as a spur to illegal immigration. Even a staunch conservative such as Sarah Palin has championed this issue.

A deal of this sort will not resolve the current debate. It’s not meant to. It merely establishes a solid foundation that both parties can agree to before tackling the big-ticket items. But only a narrow legislative window remains this year to address immigration reform at all. So, rather than grandstanding and pointing fingers, the two parties should swallow their pride and strike a more modest deal.

With more Arizonas looming, we need to get to “yes” now.

Stewart J. Lawrence has worked as an immigration policy analyst with the U.S. Catholic Conference, the Inter-American Institute on Migration and Labor and the American Immigration Law Foundation. He wrote this for the Los Angeles Times.

How do we keep the regulators awake?



Caroline Baum

The Comptroller of the Currency, which oversees national banks, had 50 to 60 regulators camped out at the big banks at all times. Apparently no one looked under the hood of the car to see what was going on.

The Federal Reserve, which regulates bank holding companies, had “hordes of observers” at the New York banks and at Bank of America, according to Fed historian Allan Meltzer, professor of political economy at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh. It knew banks were circumventing the Basel Accord’s capital-adequacy requirements by moving risky assets off the balance sheet.

“The Fed didn’t need explicit legal authority,” Meltzer says. “Just say, ‘stop doing that.’ Banks don’t want to have bad relations with their regulators.”

Isn’t it time we stopped trying to fix a non-problem (creating new ones in the

process) and fix a real one?

Let’s start by getting “regular” out of the word regulator and put some panache in the job description.

No more tedious nine-to-five days at the office surfing the Internet for porn. Regulators need a nice expense account to wine and dine bankers. Hire some foxes if you want the big boys to squeal. Nothing like a pretty woman across the table and a few martinis to make a Wall Street trader boast about his latest killing in the market.

Even more important, create the proper incentives for regulators to do their jobs. Institute an eat-what-you-kill compensation structure, just like that of Wall Street brokers, or “wealth managers,” as they call themselves nowadays.

We need hungry regulators. Give them a financial incentive, and they’ll have all the motivation they need to ferret out fraud, expose the perpetrators and make the Street safe for our children.

Make it clear regulators stand to benefit personally from any monies recovered from the fraud they detect. Forget Chris Dodd’s financial reform bill. The various reg-

ulatory agencies will be competing with one another to see who can be first to nail the next Allen Stanford.

“An energized regulator can find many opportunities to intervene,” says Vincent Reinhart, a resident scholar at the American Enterprise Institute in Washington.

Yes, he can. The Fed found the energy and opportunity last year when it summoned top bankers to review compensation practices. “The Fed said it had the scope to look into compensation because it affects risk management,” Reinhart says.

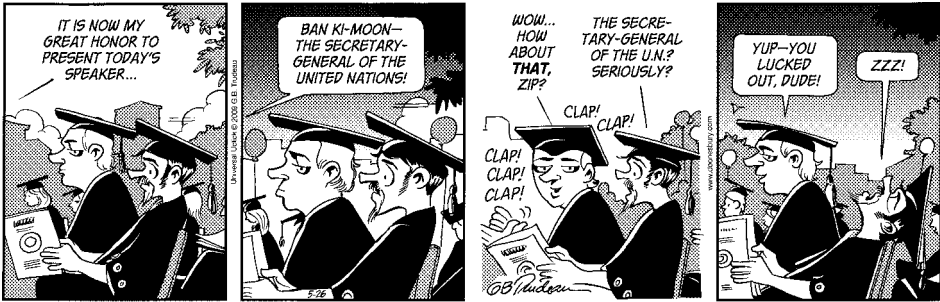
Regulators always manage to find their inner cop after the fact. The rules didn’t change; the regulators did.

In good times, rules are interpreted loosely. Regulators tend to identify with the industries and firms they oversee, a phenomenon known as regulatory capture, and look the other way. Sometimes it’s a matter of aspiring to that higher-paying private-sector job. In other cases, a former industry executive at the top of an agency can make all the difference.

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By Bruce Tinsley

Vietnam’s last shot grazes perfect candidate

In America’s entire quiver of politicians, Connecticut Attorney General Richard Blumenthal is the straightest of arrows. Exaggerating his service in the Marine Corps to include a stint in Vietnam is so out of character, it’s like Barack Obama doing a cartwheel, Sarah Palin quoting Madison from memory or Joe Biden clamping up.

The bomb last week in front-page story in *The New York Times* is that Blumenthal, 64, now running for Chris Dodd’s seat in the Senate, had been going around claiming to be a Vietnam vet when he was no more than a Parris Island reservist whose most dangerous mission was a Toys for Tots campaign. As quoted in the *Times*, his assertion was unequivocal: “We have learned something important since the days that I served in Vietnam.” There aren’t a lot of ways to parse that sentence.

The report was so at odds with Blumenthal’s reputa-



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tion that you had to wonder: Was he really, secretly, a pathological liar all these years, or was this a case of a slip of the tongue being made into a federal case? The inquiry may not have been the sole work of the *Times*. Blumenthal’s opponent, wrestling impresario Linda McMahon, star of World Wrestling Entertainment’s vulgar program “RAW,” took credit for tipping off the newspaper.

It must have been like looking for a needle in a haystack, one frame amid a million. Publishers don’t have that kind of time and money required to comb through 30 years of a public life and the thousands of speeches given to get the money shot.

As the day wore on, Blumenthal inevitably found himself being compared to Eliot Spitzer and Bill Clinton. Both are a stretch.

Spitzer participated in something illegal, prostitution. Clinton lied under oath about his extramarital activities. The underlying act in both cases was adultery, to which lying is a lesser included offense.

Blumenthal’s deception violated no law but could prove just as troublesome. It was gratuitous and unnecessary and raises questions that aren’t legal but ethical and psychological.

In a press conference on Tuesday, Blumenthal tried various gambits at damage control.

He castigated those who impugned his service, but that was a straw man, since what they were really attacking was his lack of service. He told what sounded like a whopper concerning how much, at the height of the Vietnam

War and after multiple deferments, he really, really wanted to serve. If that were true, Uncle Sam certainly wanted him.

He did regret uttering misplaced words on a “few occasions” for which he takes “full responsibility.” He blamed it all on faulty use of prepositions. What he meant to say was not “in” Vietnam, but “during” Vietnam.

An error of grammar? In another setting this wouldn’t have worked. Too many Nixonian weasel words without using the one word likely to work: sorry. But Blumenthal was speaking to a packed room not only of reporters but supporters, including many Vietnam-era veterans who looked genuinely connected to Blumenthal, not like extras from “Apocalypse Now.”

And he had a powerful case to make that had been left out of the *Times* story: All of his campaign and biographical materials had stated his service correctly.

He had tons of personal testimony from those who had heard him tell the true story over and over on the stump, with audio and video for backup. He hadn’t made up heroic tales of derring-do, of buddies shot or bodies maimed. The *Times* story and McMahon’s presumably massive search did in fact boil down to one occasion. It was an awfully small spark to set off such a big explosion.

There was a curious dis-senter: former Republican congressman Chris Shays. He told the *Times* that in recent years he noticed Blumenthal had begun to embellish his military service. Shays, who lost his seat in 2008, was the recipient of donations from McMahon.

There’s no good reason for Blumenthal to make more of his military service than it was. As a requirement for public office, going to war has faded — just ask Dick Cheney, George W. Bush or Clinton,

who didn’t even do that but wrote long letters to a colonel agonizing over it. Because our political class is drawn from an elite class, experience in uniform will become even less important as time goes on. Will anyone ask where a candidate was while blood was being shed in Fallujah?

Blumenthal is emotionally distant and singularly focused. There’s no ladder he didn’t climb. After pleasing every teacher he encountered, he went out into the world and became the young foggy that eminent older men love to mentor.

What Blumenthal did, if intentional, comes not from the pathology of the liar but from that of the perfectionist who wanted to, at one moment on one day amid hundreds of other days, erase the blemish only he could see.

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It’s lonely being line-crossing Lindsey Graham

Isn’t easy being a caucus of one.

Sometimes you don’t even agree with yourself.

Just last month, South Carolina Republican Sen. Lindsey Graham — the Senate Democrats’ indispensable man on immigration reform — was insisting that President Obama “step it up” on immigration if he hoped to see results.

Just last weekend, Graham — the Senate Democrats’ indispensable man on climate change — pulled the plug on an about-to-be unveiled bipartisan energy bill because, he said, there was too much focus on immigration. Graham denounced the “hurried, panicked” shift to immigration as “a cynical political play.” By Monday night, he was demanding assurances from Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid that immigration be tabled for the year.

Perhaps not coincidentally, Reid is in a tough reelection race in a state with a large, and so far



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largely unmotivated, Hispanic population.

You could understand why Reid would be vowing to move on immigration reform, even if no package is close to ready — and even if he can’t count 50 votes for reform, much less 60. You could also understand why, having barely gotten health reform through, he might not be anxious to bring up an energy bill certain to be assailed as another governmental intrusion into the economy.

Perhaps not coincidentally, Graham’s closest friend in the Senate, John McCain of Arizona, is in a tough reelection race in a state with a large number of illegal immigrants, a noxious new immigration law — and a primary opponent flaying McCain for his previous squishiness on the topic.

You could understand why Graham might want to spare recovering maverick McCain from an immigration debate. And you could understand why Graham, censured by three chapters of the South Carolina Republican Party for fraternizing with Democrats, might want to ease some of the heat he’s been taking for pushing “Grahamnesty.”

Until recently, at least, Graham has reveled in his role as the Republican Man to See: breaking ranks to be the only Republican on the Senate Judiciary Committee to back Supreme Court nominee Sonia Sotomayor; negotiating with John Kerry and Joe Lieberman on climate change; dicker-ing with Chuck Schumer on immigration; horse-trading with Rahm Emanuel on closing Guantanamo and trying terrorist detainees.

Graham has managed to carve out political space for this admirable unorthodox, sacrificing some support among his state’s Republican base but making

it up by attracting independent and Democratic voters.

The disturbing question is whether this remains a safe path in a Tea Party era when political line-crossers such as Florida Gov. Charlie Crist are endangered and even stalwart conservatives such as Utah Sen. Robert Bennett have to worry about primary challenges from the right.

In South Carolina, the attacks on Graham have gotten increasingly ugly. Graham “has shown incredible courage,” a senior administration official told me before the recent eruption. “He has willingly taken on party orthodoxy at his own political peril. Thank God he’s not up until 2014.”

Given the risks he has taken and the time he has put in on climate change, Graham’s frustration is understandable. His political analysis — that the new focus on immigration reform has more to do with electoral politics than any

realistic hope of getting legislation passed — is spot-on.

Immigration reform is hard even with extensive groundwork; this is why the president — at Graham’s behest — has been phoning around in an effort to find a second Republican to join the cause. Forcing senators to take a preelection stunt vote risks hardening positions for the future. Climate change is hardly easier, but the moment, at least, is riper, with an unlikely array of backers from business to the Christian Coalition to environmental groups.

Nonetheless, there was something outsized about Graham’s dramatic public pullout. Immigration wasn’t about to leapfrog ahead of climate change on the Senate floor; there’s no bill

ready to move.

Was Graham shielding McCain? Was he looking for an excuse — in the wake of accusations that the measure would include a “gas tax” — to get out of the climate debate? Was it just getting too uncomfortable being “a caucus unto himself,” as an administration official described Graham?

I hope the weekend’s flare-up is a minor rift, quickly mended. Because the Senate badly needs more people with Graham’s combination of energy, pragmatism and courage. A Senate without a Graham in the fray would be even more dysfunctional. Which is saying something.

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Labor to blame for your higher tax bill

Wondering why you paid so much in taxes on April 15? The answer lies in Oregon.

In January, labor unions in that state campaigned for two ballot initiatives hiking income and business taxes. They argued that businesses needed to pay their “fair share.” Businesses fought the measures, but unions outspent them 3-to-2, and the measures passed easily.

This seems odd. Like most Americans, union members don’t especially like paying taxes. Indeed, the labor movement went to bat to exempt its members from the tax increases in President Obama’s health plan. So why would unions press for higher taxes in Oregon? Because unions representing government workers funded the campaign. The more the government taxes, the more it can pay its unionized workers.

State employees in Oregon don’t contribute toward the cost of their health plans — and they want it to stay that way. So public sector unions in Oregon went all out for higher taxes to forestall spending cuts.

Unfortunately this is the new face of organized labor across the United States. The market competition that has bankrupted unionized companies such as General Motors doesn’t exist for government. No matter how much unions raise costs, the government (almost always) stays in business. So even as private-sector unions have shed members, public-sec-



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tor unions have added them.

Last year those paths crossed: a majority of union members nationwide now work for the government. Three times as many union members work for the post office as in the auto industry. The union movement’s priorities have shifted with their membership.

Unions once put their energy into improving private-sector working conditions, such as banning child labor and workplace safety laws. Now unions focus on making government employment even more comfortable. Have they ever. The average state and local employee earns \$40 an hour in compensation, well above the \$27 an hour made by the private-sector workers whose taxes fund their pay.

Much of this generous compensation comes not in cash wages but in benefits. The average government employee earns triple the retirement contributions of the average private-sector worker and can retire far earlier. Government employees get generous health benefits too. Almost one out of every four local government employees pay nothing out of pocket for health care. How many private-sector workers get that?

Government workers

have also been insulated from the pain of the recession. The government has been hiring even as the private sector lost 8 million jobs over the last two years. No wonder government employees are more likely than anyone else to tell pollsters that their personal finances are doing well.

Understandably, government employee unions like these arrangements. But the money that makes it all possible comes from your taxes — and that explains why the union movement has become an aggressive lobby for higher taxes all across America.

The labor movement’s love for taxes is not unique to Oregon. In Arizona, government unions successfully lobbied for a \$250 million property tax

increase. In Minnesota, unions narrowly failed in passing a \$1 billion tax hike. In Illinois they are trying to hike the state income tax by 66 percent. The list of union backed tax-increase campaigns goes on and on.

Instead of voters telling the government how to spend their money, government unions now tell voters the taxes they want them to pay. They always have a one-word answer: more.

As taxpayers in Oregon recently discovered, the new labor movement wants you to pay your “fair share” — to them.

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From CHUCK COINER

Thanks to everyone who voted on Tuesday.

A special thanks to my campaign committee for all of your hard work.

Thanks to all who contributed to my campaign, put up signs, wrote letters to the editor supporting my campaign and for doing it in such a positive manner.



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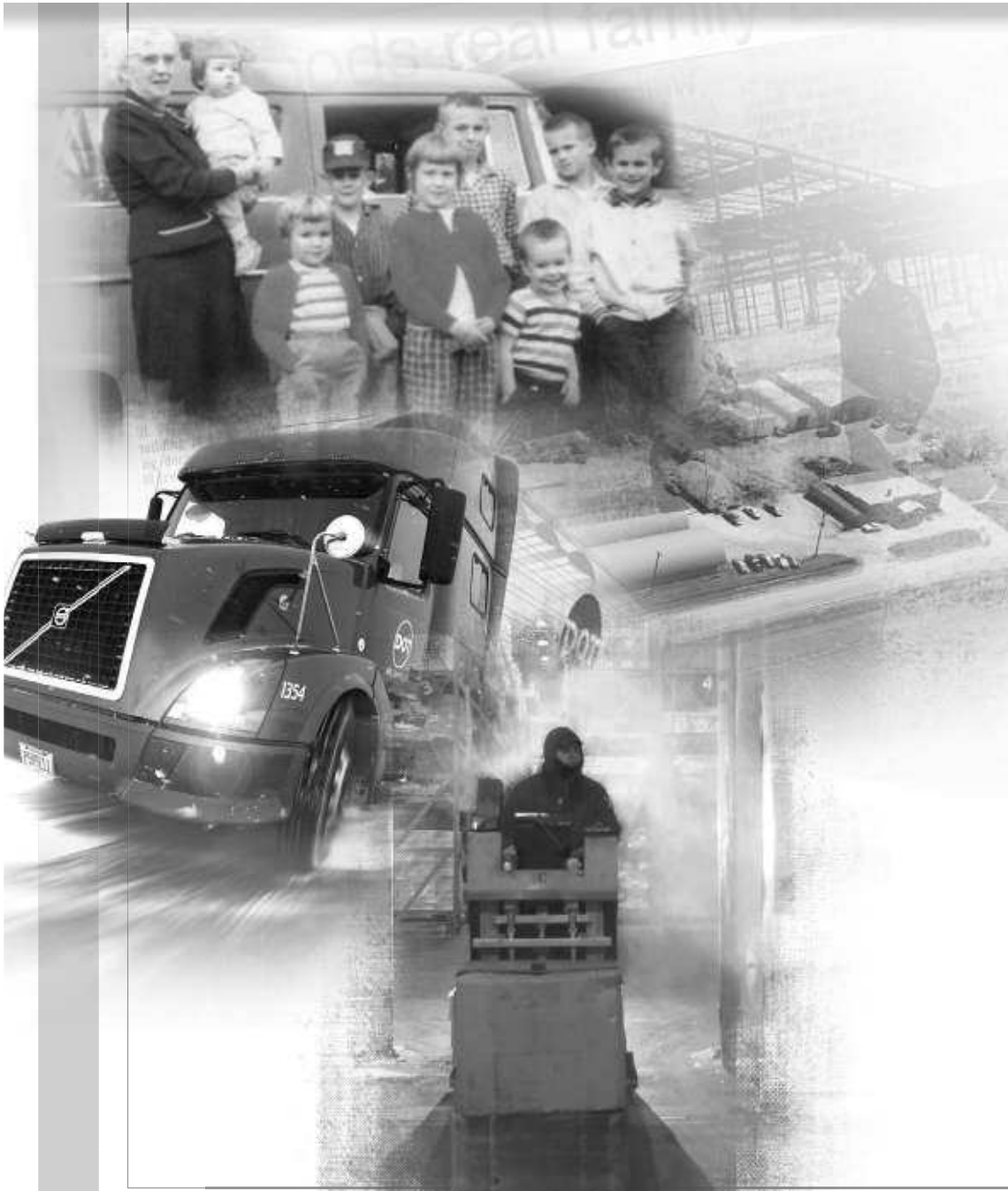
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Their plan? To create a company with a sense of family, honesty, teamwork and accountability, and to always put the customer first.

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Idaho steps up campaign to lure businesses

Otter letter riles Oregon, Washington

By Joshua Palmer
Times-News writer

Washington and Oregon are firing back after Gov. C.L. “Butch” Otter and Idaho Department of Commerce announced plans to lure their businesses to Idaho. The increasingly heated rhetoric revolves around websites, advertisements and direct mailings created by Otter and state commerce officials, which target

businesses outside of the Gem State.

Rogers Weed, director of Washington State Department of Commerce, responded to Idaho’s latest economic development campaign in a column published Friday in The Seattle Times. In the column, Weed denied allegations that Washington is less business-friendly than Idaho, and he urged Otter to double-check his facts.

The battle escalated Monday when Idaho’s Commerce Department unveiled a new website which promotes Idaho as a more tax-friendly environment for businesses than Oregon, Washington and California. The website includes Otter’s response to Weed.

Despite the saber rattling, the aggressive tactic is paying off for Idaho — with Commerce officials saying the campaign has caught the attention of 10 companies in Oregon and Washington that are interested in moving to Idaho.

But officials in other states are not amused.

“Idaho Gov. Butch Otter’s ‘love letter’ to neighboring states has generated a lot of debate and hand-wringing recently over which of our two states is better for business,” Weed wrote in his column, then took shots at Idaho. “Washington has more adults with at least 12 years of education than any Western state and ranks sixth among all states. If you’re keeping score, Idaho is below the national average for college degrees.”

Otter said the campaign to

attract out-of-state businesses was created to capitalize on measures passed in Oregon and Washington this year to raise taxes on businesses and their employees. Oregon’s voters approved a \$727 million tax increase on businesses and high-income earners earlier this year, and Washington temporarily added 0.3 percent to its business and occupation tax.

Only days after tax increases were passed in Oregon, Otter sent a letter directly to businesses, urging

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DOE approves loan guarantee for Areva uranium project

Times-News

BOISE — The U.S. Department of Energy on Friday approved a loan guarantee for the construction of the Eagle Rock Uranium Enrichment Plant near Idaho Falls. The French based AREVA company expects the plant to create 400 permanent jobs and as many as 1,000 construction jobs in eastern Idaho.

“DOE’s decision is great news for AREVA and Idaho,” said Gov. C.L. “Butch” Otter in a written statement. “The loan guarantee confirms that Idaho continues to lead the nuclear renaissance in America. The decision also paves the way for new careers and economic recovery across the state.” Gov. Otter sent Secretary of Energy Steven Chu a letter in April urging



approval of the AREVA loan guarantee.

“Having the loan guarantee for the AREVA enrichment facility authorized quickly is of great interest and concern to me,” the governor wrote. “The potential economic benefit to the people of my state also is substantial.”

He added that Idaho’s Congressional Delegation also played an important role in helping secure this loan guarantee.

Idaho beat four other states under consideration for the AREVA plant including Washington, Ohio, Texas and New Mexico. AREVA selected Idaho Falls in May of 2008.

No bottom in sight



AP photo

A recently sold home is shown Monday in Palo Alto, Calif. Home prices fell in March from the previous month, signaling that temporary tax credits for buyers weren’t enough to buoy the housing market.

Falling home prices stir fears worst may be ahead

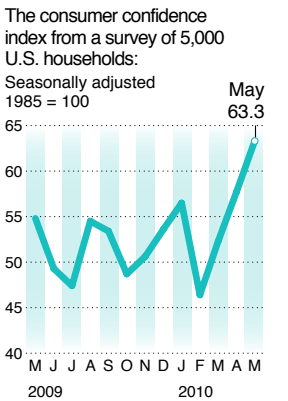
By J.W. Elphinstone
Associated Press writer

The housing slump isn’t over.

Tax credits and historically low mortgage rates have failed to lift home prices so far this year. Prices fell 0.5 percent in March from February, according to the Standard & Poor’s/Case-Shiller 20-city index released Tuesday.

The co-creator of the Case-Shiller index, who predicted in 2005 that the housing bubble would burst, is raising concerns that the worst may be ahead. That fear is shared by other economists who point to weak job growth, tight credit and many more foreclosures ahead.

Confidence rises

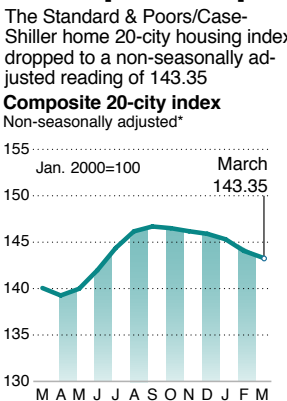


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The month-to-month drop from February to March marked the sixth straight decline.

The average price of a home sold in Twin Falls

Home prices dip



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*Standard & Poor’s is temporarily using non-seasonally adjusted figures because the surge in foreclosures appears to have magnified the seasonal factors in S&P’s computer model, making them less reliable.

County declined nearly 2 percent compare to the previous

month, Jerome and Cassia counties reported that prices fell between 11 percent and 15 percent during the same time period. Prices in the region declined more than 5 percent during the first quarter of 2010 compared to the previous year.

The Associated Press reported that prices declined month-over-month in March and quarterly in all 13 major cities in the United States.

In the first quarter of 2010, U.S. home prices fell 3.2 percent compared with the fourth quarter. The numbers are especially disturbing because they show that improved sales due to

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Offshore drilling here to stay, but changes coming

Higher costs may be passed on to consumer

By Chris Kahn
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — BP’s massive oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico has focused attention on the petroleum industry’s loose regulation and failure to plan for the worst.

That is going to change, experts say.

Regulators are likely to make permitting, inspections and equipment requirements for rigs more stringent. Lawmakers want to extract more money from the industry to help pay for any future cleanups. And insurers are bound to raise rates for underwriting this risky business.

But any increase in the cost of doing business is likely to end up hurting consumers in the form of higher fuel prices.

What won’t change, experts say, is the industry’s expanding pursuit of



AP photo

A drill pipe is shown on the Discoverer Inspiration as Chevron drills an exploration well in the Gulf of Mexico on March 29.

oil and natural gas deposits under the ocean floor. Global offshore oil output has tripled over the past decade — and it is forecast to double in the next five years. The reason is simple: the best prospects lie beneath the ocean floor.

Regulatory and industry responses that change the future of offshore drilling won’t be known for some time. But experts say the following are likely:

- Tougher permitting

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STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	24.10	▼ .34	Dell Inc.	13.33	▼ .11	Idacorp	31.88	▼ .52	Int. Bancorp	2.23	▼ .17
Lithia Mo.	7.89	▲ .35	McDonalds	67.84	▲ .18	Micron	8.80	▲ .01	Supervalu	13.24	▲ .09

COMMODITIES

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Live cattle	90.03	▼ 1.10	July Oil	69.56	▼ .65
June Gold	1200.80	▲ 6.80	May Silver	17.78	▼ .21

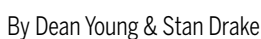
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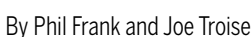
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For Better or For Worse



Frank and Ernest



Garfield



Hagar the Horrible



Hi and Lois



Luann



Classic Peanuts



Pearls Before Swine



Pickles



Rose is Rose



Non Sequitur



Dennis the Menace



The Wizard of Id



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BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Partly cloudy, scattered showers. High 66.

Tonight: Rain becomes more intense. Low 45.

Tomorrow: Showers or thunderstorms. High 66.

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Temperature

Yesterday's High 66°

Yesterday's Low 35°

Normal High / Low 72° / 44°

Record High 89° in 1958

Record Low 28° in 1975

Precipitation

Yesterday's Trace

Month to Date 2.22"

Avg. Month to Date 1.07"

Water Year to Date 7.01"

Avg. Water Year to Date 7.85"

IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.

Showers will develop along a passing cold front on Wednesday. Be ready for a cool day Thursday with more rain.

Today Highs 60's to 70's

Tonight's Lows 40's

BOISE

An incoming cold front will bring showers, thunderstorms and cooler conditions to the region for the next two days.

Today Highs/Lows 60's / 40's

NORTHERN UTAH

Warm May temperatures will be around for the next two days. Spring showers and a few thunderstorms return Thursday.

Idaho Falls 70 / 43

Pocatello 68 / 45

Rupert 67 / 44

Burley 66 / 45

Twin Falls 64 / 45

Mountain Home 63 / 45

Boise 65 / 46

Caldwell 65 / 46

McCall 52 / 36

Salmon 67 / 40

Grangeville 66 / 45

Lewiston 74 / 51

Coeur d'Alene 69 / 45

Yesterday's State Extremes - High: 72 at Lewiston Low: 19 at Stanley

weather key: su-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, mc-mostly cloudy, c-cloudy, th-thunderstorms, sh-showers, r-rain, sn-snow, fl-furries, w-wind, m-missing

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today

Tonight

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Sunday

Scattered showers

More intense rain

Showers or thunderstorms

Showers still around

Partly cloudy

Mostly cloudy

High 66°

Low 45°

63° / 42°

60° / 44°

62° / 43°

65° / 44°

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature

Yesterday's High 68°

Yesterday's Low 34°

Normal High / Low 70° / 44°

Record High 91° in 2001

Record Low 28° in 1975

Precipitation

Yesterday's 0.00"

Month to Date 1.18"

Avg. Month to Date 1.12"

Water Year to Date 6.73"

Avg. Water Year to Date 8.67"

Humidity

Yesterday's High 75%

Yesterday's Low 28%

Today's Forecast Avg. 57%

Barometric Pressure

5 pm Yesterday 29.90 in.

Sunrise and Sunset

Today Sunrise: 6:06 AM Sunset: 9:04 PM

Thursday Sunrise: 6:06 AM Sunset: 9:05 PM

Friday Sunrise: 6:05 AM Sunset: 9:06 PM

Saturday Sunrise: 6:04 AM Sunset: 9:07 PM

Sunday Sunrise: 6:04 AM Sunset: 9:07 PM

REGIONAL FORECAST

City

Today

Tomorrow

Friday

Boise

62 48 th

62 42 th

63 41 th

Bonners Ferry

72 48 th

64 47 th

62 47 sh

Burley

66 45 sh

66 44 th

60 44 th

Challis

65 41 sh

62 37 th

60 37 th

Coeur d'Alene

69 45 th

59 43 th

60 43 sh

Elko, NV

58 35 sh

58 32 th

55 32 th

Eugene, OR

61 45 th

63 45 sh

63 45 sh

Gooding

61 45 sh

63 42 th

62 42 sh

Grace

68 40 sh

66 41 th

61 41 th

Hagerman

67 46 sh

65 43 th

64 43 sh

Hailey

59 39 sh

55 38 th

55 38 th

Idaho Falls

70 43 sh

67 43 th

62 43 th

Kalispell, MT

70 45 th

62 42 th

60 42 sh

Jerome

64 45 sh

62 42 th

60 42 sh

Lewiston

74 51 th

65 50 th

66 50 sh

Malad City

67 42 sh

65 43 th

63 43 th

Malta

67 43 sh

67 43 th

60 43 th

McCall

52 36 sh

50 34 th

53 34 sh

Missoula, MT

72 45 th

68 43 sh

61 43 sh

Pocatello

68 42 sh

67 46 th

64 46 th

Portland, OR

62 47 th

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61 47 sh

Rupert

67 44 sh

67 46 th

60 46 th

Rexburg

68 42 sh

65 45 th

60 45 th

Richland, WA

71 52 th

69 49 sh

70 49 sh

Rogerson

54 37 sh

53 35 th

49 35 th

Salmon

67 40 th

61 40 sh

63 40 sh

Salt Lake City, UT

73 55 mc

79 53 pc

71 53 th

Spokane, WA

69 45 th

62 45 th

63 45 sh

Stanley

52 31 sh

49 26 th

48 26 th

Sun Valley

54 38 sh

51 33 th

52 33 th

Yellowstone, MT

53 31 mc

55 35 sh

56 35 mx

NATIONAL FORECAST

City

Today

Tomorrow

City

Today

Tomorrow

Atlanta

82 63 th

89 66 pc

Orlando

89 69 th

89 71 th

Baltimore

90 69 th

86 64 th

Phoenix

94 68 pc

97 69 su

Billings

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78 53 sh

Portland, ME

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Birmingham

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Raleigh

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Boston

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Rapid City

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Charleston, SC

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Des Moines

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Houston

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San Francisco

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Tomorrow

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N. Korea cuts ties with South, raises war rhetoric

By Hyung-Jin Kim
Associated Press writer

SEOUL, South Korea — Relations on the divided Korean peninsula plunged to their lowest point in a decade Tuesday when the North declared it was cutting all ties to Seoul as punishment for blaming the communists for the sinking of a South Korean warship.

The announcement came a day after South Korea took steps that were seen as among the strongest it could take short of military action. Seoul said it would slash trade with the North and deny permission to its cargo ships to pass through South Korean waters. It also resumed a propaganda offensive — including blaring Western music into the North and dropping leaflets by balloon.

North Korea said it was cutting all ties with the South until President Lee Myung-bak leaves office in early 2013, the official Korean Central News Agency said in a dispatch monitored in Seoul late Tuesday.

The North's Committee for the Peaceful Reunification said it would expel all South Korean government officials working at a joint industrial park in the northern border town of Kaesong, and South Korean ships and airliners would be banned from passing through its territory.

The North's committee

AP photo

South Korean protesters drop money into donations boxes to rebuild the salvaged South Korean naval ship Cheonan during a rally against North Korea in Seoul, South Korea on Tuesday. South Korea resumed propaganda broadcasts into North Korea in response to a deadly torpedo attack that sank a South Korean warship, officials said Tuesday, amid a report that North Korea's leader ordered troops to be ready for combat.

said it would start "all-out counterattacks" against the South's psychological warfare, and called its moves "the first phase" of punitive measures against Seoul, suggesting more action could follow.

Earlier Tuesday, one Seoul-based monitoring agency reported that North Korea's leader ordered its 1.2 million-member military to get ready for combat. South Korean officials could not immediately confirm the report, and its military said it had no indication of unusual activity by North Korea's military. North Korea often issues fiery rhetoric and regularly vows to wage war against South Korea and the U.S.

South Korea wants to

bring North Korea before the U.N. Security Council over the sinking, and has U.S. support. U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton was to visit South Korea on Wednesday.

Clinton was in Beijing on Tuesday, wrapping up two days of intense strategic and economic talks with China, which responded coolly to U.S. appeals that it support international action against North Korea over the warship sinking.

The North and South have technically remained at war since the 1950-53 Korean War ended with an armistice rather than a peace treaty.

Tensions have risen since last week, when a team of international investigators concluded that a torpedo

from a North Korean submarine tore apart the Cheonan warship on March 26, killing 46 South Korean sailors.

The North flatly denies involvement in the sinking of the Cheonan, one of the South's worst military disasters since the Korean War, and has warned that retaliation would mean war.

South Korea's Unification Ministry said it had no immediate comment on the North Korean statement on cutting ties.

However, spokeswoman Lee Jong-joo that although the North was expelling eight South Korean officials from the Kaesong complex, some 800 South Korean company managers and workers will remain. Yonhap news agency said that suggested the North had no intention of completely shutting down the Kaesong park, as South Korea also decided to keep the complex intact.

The U.S. and South Korea are planning two major military exercises off the Korean peninsula in a display of force intended to deter future aggression by North Korea, the White House said. The U.S. has 28,500 troops in South Korea.

In Washington, State Department spokesman P.J. Crowley said it was "odd" that North Korea would sever ties to the South, given the precarious state of the North Korean economy.

"I can't imagine a step

that is less in the long-term interest of the North Korean people than cutting off further ties with South Korea," he said.

U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon said Monday he expects the Security Council to take action against North Korea, but China — North Korea's main ally and a veto-wielding council member — has so far done little but urge calm. North Korea is already subject to various U.N.-backed sanctions following earlier nuclear and missile tests.

Susan Rice, the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, said Tuesday that the U.S. was waiting for Seoul to decide when and how it will bring the issue to the council.

South Korea is not expect-

ed to go to the council until after visits to Seoul by Clinton on Wednesday and Chinese Prime Minister Wen Jiabao on Friday, a U.N. diplomat familiar with the issue said Tuesday, speaking on condition of anonymity because of the sensitivity of the contacts.

In Beijing, Clinton said she had "very productive and very detailed" discussions with Chinese officials but could not say if any progress had been made in convincing the Chinese to back U.N. action.

"We know this is a shared responsibility, and in the days ahead we will work with the international community and our Chinese colleagues to fashion an effective, appropriate response," she told reporters.

In India, battle of clan, caste, culture and cupid

By Rama Lakshmi
The Washington Post

KARODA, India — No one in this village visits Chanderpatti Banwala's home, which stands at the end of a lane full of sleeping buffaloes and overturned wooden carts. The boycott began three years ago when her son eloped with his sweetheart, a neighbor from his clan.

But the marriage was short-lived. Village elders declared the relationship incestuous, a violation of ancient Hindu rules of marriage because the two were descendants of a common ancestor who lived thousands of years ago. As the couple tried to flee town, the young woman's family chased them down and dragged them out of a bus on a busy highway. The groom, Manoj, was strangled, and his bride, Babli, was forced to drink pesticide. Their bodies were dumped in a canal.

"My son did the honorable

thing by marrying the girl he loved. But the village council said the boy and girl belong to the same clan and are siblings. They said the couple had brought dishonor," said Banwala, sitting on her porch kneading dough. "It has been three years, nobody invites us to marriages or funerals, and no shop sells us groceries."

Despite pressure from villagers to remain quiet, Banwala took the case to court here in the northern state of Haryana. In March, five defendants were sentenced to death, the first time in India that capital punishment has been ordered in an honor killing.

The case has sparked ire on both sides of the issue, forcing lawmakers to revisit India's complicated system of marriage restrictions. Some Indians say the strict taboos are outdated in a rapidly urbanizing country, where old identities are fragmenting and young couples are asserting their right to choose whom they marry.

But many others are demanding new laws that ban marriages like Manoj and Babli's. In villages across northern India, the landmark verdict sparked an uproar, with clan councils fiercely defending prohibitions on unions within the same clan, or gotra, a Sanskrit word, which each clan uses to trace its lineage. To these villagers, romantic love breaches codes passed down many generations.

"Manoj and Babli rubbed our village's name in mud," said Gulab Singh, a 60-year-old farmer, inhaling on a gurgling water pipe in a cattle shelter with other men in Banwala's village. "For thousands of years, we have followed strict marriage rules. If my son transgresses these rules, I will kill him without a thought."

At a recent clan council meeting, members raised money to pay for the appeal of those convicted in the killing.

The popular practice of arranged marriages perpetu-

ates these social codes in India. Suitable matches must be from the same caste but not the same clan. The residents of a village and adjoining areas are considered siblings, so no matches can be found in these areas as well. People who do not follow tradition are often shunned and sometimes killed.

"They are using culture to stifle self-choice marriages," said Kirti Singh, a lawyer in New Delhi. "Each gotra consists of millions of people who are in no way related, except in the minds of certain elders. It is not borne out by reality. It is a long battle, but it has to be fought because we are a society in transition."

Singh said that in 1945, Bombay's high court had already ruled that same-gotra marriages valid.

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Cut the fat, but up the flavor

By Jim Romanoff
For The Associated Press

If you grill meat regularly, it's worth considering ways to cut the fat but keep the flavor.

Though the marbling of many meats can't be cut away (and to keep things flavorful, you wouldn't want to), trimming any visible fat from the exterior of the meat is an easy way to reduce your intake.

With poultry, the same effect is achieved by removing the skin, which contains a large percentage of the bird's fat.

Now that you've cut the fat, it's time to add flavor. Brines (salt water with seasonings) not only boost flavor, they also help keep meat moist (a problem with lean cuts) by drawing water into it.

A basic brine can be made by dissolving 1/3 cup kosher salt and 1/3 cup sugar (white or brown) in a quart of water. Additional flavorings, such

as herbs, spices or even juice, can be added.

Always be sure your brine is ice cold (below 37 degrees) before adding the meat, then refrigerate everything during the soak.

This process does make meats and poultry more salty, but not necessarily as much as you think.

Tests done by Cook's Illustrated magazine have shown that meats and poultry brined for up to an hour absorb roughly 250 to 350 milligrams of sodium (around 1/8 teaspoon) per serving.

If you're watching your sodium intake, you can put less salt in the brine. And in all instances the meat should be rinsed (which washes away some salt) and dried before grilling. And, of course, there's no need to season with any additional salt.

These juicy, grilled pork chops with peach-jalapeno glaze get a quick flavor brine in a simple kosher salt and

brown sugar solution. Be sure to brush the chops with the glaze only during the final minutes of grilling. Otherwise, the glaze will burn.

GRILLED PORK CHOPS WITH PEACH-JALAPENO GLAZE

Start to finish: 1 hour (25 minutes active). Servings: 4.

1/4 cup kosher salt
1/4 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
2 cups boiling water
3 cups ice cubes
2 teaspoons chili powder
2 teaspoons ground cumin
1/2 cup peach preserves
2 tablespoons lime juice
1 large or 2 small jalapenos, minced but not seeded
1 pound boneless center cut pork loin chops, trimmed of fat (4 chops)
1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper, or to taste

In a medium bowl, com-

bine the salt and brown sugar. Add the boiling water and stir to dissolve. Add the ice cubes and stir to cool. Add the pork chops, cover and refrigerate for at least 30 minutes or up to an hour.

Meanwhile, make the glaze. In a small saucepan over low, stir the chili powder and cumin until lightly toasted and fragrant, about 2 minutes. Transfer to a small bowl.

Add the peach preserves, lime juice and jalapenos. Stir well, then set aside.

Heat a gas grill to medium or prepare a charcoal fire. Oil the grill grates.

Remove the pork chops from the brine, rinse well and blot dry with paper towels. Season both sides of the pork with ground black pepper.

Grill the pork chops, turning once, until an instant thermometer inserted at the center registers 145 degrees, 2 to 4 minutes per side. Brush both sides of the chops with the reserved



AP photo
A quick and simple brine gives these grilled pork chops a deep flavor, while the glaze, brushed on at the end of grilling, results in a sweet note.

glaze and grill, turning once, for 90 seconds more. Serve with additional peach-jalapeno glaze on the side.

Per serving: 298 calories; 97 calories from fat; 11 g fat (4 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 58 mg cholesterol; 30 g carbohydrate; 21 g protein; 0 g fiber; 927 mg sodium.

Economical dinner in 25 minutes

By Bonnie S. Benwick
The Washington Post

This is probably not a dish you would serve to company, but the taste will please any fans of Buffalo chicken wings in your house, and it's certainly economical.

It's almost like a risotto, once the cheese melts into the rice with its cup of cooking liquid. Eight ounces of chicken stretches far enough here, but feel free to up the amount to 3/4 or 1 pound (additional chicken might require an additional tablespoon of butter and hot sauce).

Serve with carrot and cel-

ery sticks. Adapted from Sara Moulton's "Everyday Family Dinners" (Simon and Schuster, 2010).

BUFFALO RICE

4 servings

6 cups water
Kosher salt
1 cup long-grain white rice
3 tablespoons unsalted butter
8 ounces (uncooked) boneless, skinless chicken breast half
2 tablespoons hot sauce, such as Tabasco
4 ounces blue cheese
1 cup celery leaves, for

garnish (optional)

Bring the water to a boil in a large saucepan over high heat; add a good pinch of salt. Add the rice and cook for 15 to 17 minutes or until it is tender. Drain the rice in a strainer, reserving 1 cup of the cooking water. (If you forget to reserve the cooking water, substitute a cup of low-sodium chicken broth.)

Meanwhile, melt the butter in a large skillet over medium heat. Trim off and discard any fat from the chicken. Cut the chicken into 1/2-inch cubes and add to the skillet. Cook for 3 to 5 minutes, stirring, until just

cooked through. Add the hot sauce and stir to coat evenly. Remove from the heat.

Crumble the blue cheese (about 1 cup).

Transfer the cooked, drained rice to the skillet, along with the blue cheese and the reserved cup of cooking water. Mix well to melt the cheese.

Divide among individual plates. Garnish with the celery leaves, if desired. Serve warm.

Per serving: 410 calories, 23 g protein, 38 g carbohydrates, 18 g fat, 11 g saturated fat, 75 mg cholesterol, 550 mg sodium, 0 g dietary fiber, 0 g sugar.

Feast

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eaten with homemade yogurt or fried fish.

As the mother and daughter cooked, neighbors Ahmed Hamadi and Thamiaa Mahdi stopped by for a visit. Thamiaa ran straight to the kitchen and gave Seham a hug, then immediately started helping. Ahmed helped chop a few vegetables for a salad — while Iraqi men don't help cook, he has no problem chopping, he said.

To make kubba, Seham mashed basmati rice and potatoes together. She and Thamiaa rolled the starchy mixture into balls, made a hole in the middle of each and stuffed them with the minced chicken. They reformed the rice and potatoes to cover the chicken. For the burek, they rolled the same chicken mixture into won ton wrappers.

Raffan fried both kubba and burek in oil until the kubba looked like dumplings and the burek like egg rolls.

It takes time, but it's worth it, Raffan said. When they first came to the U.S., one of the first things she noticed was the obesity epidemic and Americans' obsession with fast food.

"We don't like it," she said. For her, fast food is anything that takes less than an hour to make.

As Seham and Thamiaa prepared the burek and kubba at the kitchen table and Raffan worked in the kitchen, Ahmed and Ram



DREW GODLESKI/For the Times-News
Ram Zamel, left, laughs as neighbor Ahmed Hamadi talks about cultural differences between Iraqis and Americans.

talked about differences in Iraqi and American culture, taught American guests Arabic words and reminisced about Iraqi dishes they miss. Ahmed described luscious kabobs and huge wedding feasts. Other neighbors and family stopped by, including Seham's sister and nephew.

The mood was light, except when they talked about violence in Iraq. On the computer, Raffan pulled up a streaming Arabic-language newscast.

Simultaneous attacks across the country, including three car bombs, had killed at least 85 and wounded 300.

It happens all the time, Raffan said.

So they focus on their food. Almost four hours after Seham started preparing food, she and Thamiaa laid out the feast on the dining room and invited guests to help themselves. As they ate in the living room, conversation switched to what they like about living in Twin Falls, and they teased each other about their English-lan-

guage skills. The air filled with laughter and the spicy aroma of the meal.

And for a moment, the family and friends were transported back to a happier Baghdad.

"There is nothing difficult for us," Raffan said. "We live here like Iraq. Our food, our everything."

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Clay

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lanky, gracious man with flowing hair and beautiful tender eyes, the same question I've asked nearly everyone I've encountered since I started working on this kind of cooking: "Why do you think food tastes better when cooked in clay?"

I found his answer moving and mystical:

"Maybe someday scientists will come up with an explanation," he told me. "It must likely has to do with the even diffusion of heat, soft heat that creates great alchemy in the kitchen. Think of bubbles rising from within a stew, hatching slowly on the surface to the rhythm of a slowly ticking clock.

"But, personally," he added, "I believe something I was told by my grandmother, an extraordinary cook. She insisted that the best daubes were cooked in her oldest casseroles, because, she insisted, pottery has a kind of 'memory' of the food it held, and only a clay pot can keep the 'memory' of the love the cook put into it when preparing the dish."

SIZZLING SHRIMP WITH GARLIC AND HOT PEPPER

Adapted from "Mediterranean Clay Pot Cooking" by Paula Wolfert. She recommends using an 11- or 12-inch Spanish cazuela or straight-sided Flameware skillet. She also recommends using a heat diffuser for slow, steady cooking (especially if using an electric or ceramic stove top).

- 1 pound peeled small (about 60) or medium-large deveined (24 to 30) shrimp
- 1 scant cup extra-virgin olive oil, preferably Spanish
- 1 tablespoon finely chopped garlic
- 1 teaspoon mildly hot dried red pepper such as Aleppo or Marash
- 2 tablespoons hot water
- 1/2 teaspoon sea salt
- 1/4 teaspoon sweet pimenton de la Vera (smoked Spanish paprika)
- 4 to 6 slices chewy country bread

1. **Rinse** the shrimp and wipe dry with paper towels. Leave them at room temperature for 10 to 15 minutes so they are not ice-cold when they hit the pan.

2. **Combine** the olive oil, garlic and hot pepper in the cazuela. Set it over medium-low heat and warm the pan slowly, gradually raising the heat to medium or medium-high until the oil is hot. Continue to cook until the garlic sizzles and just turns golden, 2 to 3 minutes, stirring occasionally.

3. **Immediately** add the shrimp and cook until they are firm and curled, 2 to 4 minutes, depending on their size.

4. **Sprinkle** with 2 tablespoons hot water and pinches of sea salt and pimenton. Serve at once right from the pot with the bread for soaking up the delicious oily sauce.

Total time: 25 minutes. Servings: 4 to 6.

Each serving: 415 calories; 15 grams protein; 15 grams



Photos by ANNE CUSACK/Los Angeles Times
LEFT: Sizzling shrimp with garlic and hot pepper.
ABOVE: The dish of white kidney beans, peppers and cured meat can be cooked in a bean pot or a Turkish guvec.

carbohydrate; 1 gram fiber; 33 grams fat; 5 grams saturated fat; 112 milligrams cholesterol; 0 sugar; 470 milligrams sodium.

MOROCCAN LAMB TAGINE WITH MELTING TOMATOES AND ONIONS

Adapted from "Mediterranean Clay Pot Cooking." Wolfert recommends a glazed earthenware or Flameware tagine, or a 10- or 11-inch Spanish cazuela with a cover. She also recommends using a heat diffuser for slow, steady cooking (especially if using an electric or ceramic stove top). The flour tortillas are a substitute for Moroccan flatbread. Cubeb pepper can be ordered online.

- 2 1/2 pounds bone-in lamb shoulder arm chops, thick
- 3 tablespoons golden raisins
- 1/2 cup hot water, plus warm water for rehydrating raisins
- 3 large red onions, 1 grated, and 2 thinly sliced, divided
- 2 teaspoons Moroccan spice mixture (see below)
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cubeb berries or cayenne
- 1/8 teaspoon saffron threads
- 1 3-inch Ceylon cinnamon stick, lightly crushed (often sold as Mexican cinnamon)
- 1 tablespoon unsalted butter
- 3 tablespoons mild olive oil, divided
- 6 plum tomatoes, preferably Roma, peeled, quartered lengthwise and seeded
- freshly ground black pepper
- 2 tablespoons turbinado sugar mixed with 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 6 flour tortillas
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh flat-leaf parsley

1. **Trim** any excess fat from the lamb. Cut the chops into 1 1/2-inch chunks with bones.

2. **Soak** the raisins in warm water for 15 minutes to rehydrate.

3. **Meanwhile**, place the lamb, grated onion, Moroccan spice mixture, cubeb berries or cayenne, saffron, cinnamon stick, 1 teaspoon salt, butter and half the oil in the tagine. Place on a heat diffuser if

possible, uncovered, over low heat until the aroma of the spices is released, about 10 minutes. Do not brown the meat. Add the 1/2 cup hot water and gently increase the heat to slowly bring to a boil.

4. **Drain** the raisins. Cover the meat mixture with the onion slices and raisins and spread the tomatoes, cut side down, on top. Cover the tagine, reduce the heat to low and cook until the lamb is tender, about 2 hours.

5. **When** the lamb is almost ready, set an oven rack on the middle shelf of the oven. Heat the oven to 350 degrees.

6. **Remove** the top of the tagine and tilt the pot to pour all the liquid into a medium conventional skillet. Skim the fat off the top of the liquid; then boil it down to 3/4 cup. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Spread the reduced juices over the tomatoes in the tagine. Remove and discard the cinnamon stick. Scatter the sugar and ground cinnamon on top. Place in the oven and bake, uncovered, for 45 minutes. Switch the oven heat to broil, dribble over the remaining oil, and cook until crusty and lightly charred, about 5 minutes. Serve at once or reheat gently over medium heat.

7. **Just** before serving, warm the tortillas, tear them into large pieces, and spread the pieces of two tortillas over a large serving platter. Spoon about half the contents of the tagine on top. Repeat with another two tortillas and the remaining contents of the tagine. Top with the last of the tortilla pieces and a sprinkling of parsley. Serve immediately.

Total time: 3 hours and 45 minutes. Servings: 6.

Each serving: 599 calories; 34 grams protein; 41 grams carbohydrate; 4 grams fiber; 33 grams fat; 12 grams saturated fat; 114 milligrams cholesterol; 13 grams sugar; 778 milligrams sodium.

MOROCCAN SPICE MIXTURE (LA KAMA)

- 1 tablespoon ground ginger
- 1 tablespoon ground turmeric
- 1 tablespoon finely ground black pepper
- 2 teaspoons ground Ceylon or Mexican cinnamon
- 2 teaspoons ground cubeb

berries (optional)
1 teaspoon freshly grated nutmeg

Combine the ginger, turmeric, black pepper, cinnamon, cubeb berries and nutmeg and shake well to mix thoroughly. Store, tightly covered, for up to 6 months.

BASTURMA

From Wolfert, who credits Ayfer Unsal. She recommends using a heat diffuser for slow, steady cooking (especially if using an electric or ceramic stove top) and calls for a 2 1/2- to 3-quart bean pot or Turkish "guvec."

Aleppo pepper can be found in Middle Eastern markets and cooking stores, as well as online. Marash pepper can be found at select Middle Eastern markets and online.

- 1 cup dried white kidney beans
- Salt
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1/2 large red bell pepper, diced
- 3 to 4 ounces basturma, shredded
- 3 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
- 1 tablespoon tomato paste
- 3 green cardamom seeds, bruised
- 1 teaspoon Marash or Aleppo pepper
- Freshly ground black pepper

1. **Pick** over the beans to remove any grit. Rinse the beans under cold running water; then place them in a large bowl with 6 cups water and 1 teaspoon salt. Soak for at least 4 hours or overnight.

2. **Drain** the soaked beans, reserving the soaking water. Put the beans, onion, and red bell pepper in the pot. Stir in enough reserved water just to cover the mixture, about 1 3/4 to 2 cups (reserve the remaining water). Cover the pot, set it on a heat diffuser over low heat, and slowly bring to a boil while gently increasing the heat; this can take up to 45 minutes.

3. **Boil** for 5 minutes, then reduce the heat to a gentle simmer and continue to cook, covered, for 1 1/2 hours, removing the lid from time to time to keep the beans at a constant simmer. If the beans begin to dry out, heat the remaining soaking water and add as necessary. Adding the water cold may cause the pot to crack.

4. **In a small** conventional skillet, cook the basturma in the olive oil over medium heat until it just begins to crisp, about 3 minutes. Stir in the tomato paste and cook for 30 seconds. Add the cardamom seeds, Marash or Aleppo pepper, a pinch each of salt and pepper and 1/4 cup water. Bring to a boil; then remove from heat and add to the beans.

Stir gently, cover, and cook over low heat for 1 hour. Serve hot.

Total time: 3 hours and 40 minutes. Servings: 6 to 8.

Each of 8 servings: 175 calories; 10 grams protein; 16 grams carbohydrates; 6 grams fiber; 8 grams fat; 2 grams saturated fat; 6 milligrams cholesterol; 2 grams sugar; 571 milligrams sodium.

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An impressive salmon crepe pie

By Jim Romanoff
For The Associated Press

A luxurious brunch doesn't have to mean loads of fat.

With a little effort, you can make something spectacular that will leave everyone feeling good for the rest of the day. This salmon crepe pie with plum tomato sauce, for example, is layered with delicious, healthful ingredients and makes a presentation to be proud of.

The dish starts with fresh crepes made from whole-wheat flour, low-fat milk and eggs.

Crepes can seem intimidating to make, but with a good nonstick pan it's not a lot more challenging than pancakes. To save time, you can make the crepes ahead, layer them between sheets of waxed paper, and refrigerate for up to 2 days or freeze for up to a month.

Convenient smoked salmon is combined with fresh dill and lemon juice to make the filling for the pie. You also could use canned or fresh. For fresh, poach about 1 1/2 pounds (skin and bones removed) in water with a few bay leaves for 8 to 10 minutes, then flake when cooled.

The warm salmon filling is layered with the crepes and



Salmon crepe pie is spectacular without going over the top with fat and calories.

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fresh, peppery watercress, then served cut into wedges and topped with tomato sauce.

SALMON CREPE PIE WITH PLUM TOMATO SAUCE

Start to finish: 1 hour.

Servings: 8.

For the crepes:
1 cup low-fat milk, plus more if needed
3/4 cup white whole-wheat flour
2 large eggs
1 tablespoon canola oil

1/2 teaspoon salt
For the filling:
2 cups low-fat milk
2 tablespoons butter
1/4 cup all-purpose flour
2 tablespoons fresh dill
4 teaspoons lemon juice
1/4 teaspoon salt, or to taste
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper, or to taste
Two 4-ounce packages smoked salmon, cut into bite-size pieces
1 bunch of watercress
For the plum tomato sauce:
15-ounce can crushed tomatoes

2 teaspoons extra-virgin olive oil
2 teaspoons cornstarch
3 teaspoons cool water
1/4 teaspoon salt, or to taste
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper, or to taste

To make the crepes, in a blender or food processor, combine the milk, flour, eggs, oil and salt. Process until smooth. Let the batter stand for 15 minutes. The batter should be about the thickness of heavy cream; add milk if necessary.
Heat a 9- to 10-inch non-

stick skillet over medium-high. Spritz the pan with cooking spray, then hold the pan at an angle and add about 1/3 cup batter to the lower corner. Tilt the pan to quickly and evenly spread the batter over the bottom. Cook the crepe until the top is dry and the underside is lightly browned, about 1 minute. With a spatula, turn the crepe over and cook until the second side is browned, about 30 seconds more.

Slide the crepe onto a plate. Repeat with the remaining batter to make 6 crepes. Cover the crepes with kitchen towel and set aside.

To make the salmon filling, in a small saucepan over medium, heat the milk until steaming.

In a second small saucepan over low, melt the butter. Add the flour and cook, stirring constantly, for 2 minutes. Gradually whisk in the hot milk. Increase heat to medium-low and cook, stirring constantly, until the sauce thickens, about 5 minutes.

Remove the sauce from heat and stir in the dill, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Stir the salmon into the

sauce and set aside.

Remove and discard any thick stems from the watercress. Coarsely chop, then set aside.

To make the tomato sauce, in a small saucepan over medium, combine the tomatoes and oil. Bring to a simmer and cook for 5 minutes.

Meanwhile, in a small bowl, combine the cornstarch and water. Stir into the tomato sauce and let simmer until thickened, about 2 minutes. Remove from heat and season with salt and pepper.

To assemble, place 1 crepe in the center of a large serving plate. Spoon about 2/3 cup of the salmon filling over the crepe, smoothing it into an even layer. Scatter one fifth of the chopped watercress on top. Top with another crepe, then repeat the layering process, finishing the stack with the sixth crepe. To serve, cut into 8 wedges and serve with the warm tomato sauce.

Per serving: 275 calories; 100 calories from fat; 3 g fat (4 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 98 mg cholesterol; 21 g carbohydrate; 24 g protein; 3 g fiber; 712 mg sodium.

Diabetes-friendly dinner in 20 minutes

By Bonnie S. Benwick
The Washington Post

I'm glad the American Diabetes Association went with author Amy Riolo instead of their usual nutritionists for "The Mediterranean Diabetes Cookbook." The Germantown, Md., resident, culinary historian and cooking instructor brings good flavor and good stories to the mix.

Her healthful, 200-plus recipe collection has its roots in a cookbook she put together (at age 15) for her own mother, who received a diabetes diagnosis more than two decades ago. She did some initial nutritional testing just to see whether she was in the ballpark of what is allowable, and then the ADA did thorough testing of all the recipes. Remarkably, only two failed to make the cut.

"My recipes are from common sense. I didn't want them to be a struggle, but they had to taste good," Riolo says. "They are not watered-down versions; the book is for people who like to eat well."

This recipe is a good case in point: a handful of ingredients, only minutes to prepare and a popular Sicilian marriage of citrus and seafood. The anchovies melt away, lending color and depth of flavor. We've cut back on their number to maintain the proper sodium level for our own healthful guidelines. But if sodium isn't a concern, consider adding the full complement, as they really enliven the dish.

You can watch Riolo make several of this book's recipes on the Harris Teeter Web site; click on the Wellness videos.

Serve this tuna with couscous, or, if you pick up a copy of the book (at bookstores nationwide or call 800-232-6733), with Riolo's Sicilian Salad With Potatoes. Adapted from Riolo's "The Mediterranean Diabetes Cookbook" (American Diabetes Association, 2010).

SICILIAN-STYLE TUNA STEAKS

4 servings

1 or 2 large oranges
Leaves from 2 stems of mint
1 medium sweet onion
1 tablespoon capers
4 to 8 oil-packed anchovy fillets
2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
Four 4-ounce yellowfin tuna steaks (3/4 to 1 inch thick)
1/4 teaspoon sea salt, preferably Maldon
Freshly ground black pepper

Squeeze the orange(s) to yield 1/2 cup juice. Chop the

mint to yield 2 tablespoons. Cut the onion in half, then into very thin slices (half-moons). Drain and rinse the capers and anchovies to taste (together is okay); finely chop the anchovies.

Heat the oil in a large nonstick skillet over medium-high heat. Add the tuna steaks and cook for 2 to 3 minutes per side, until golden. Transfer to a platter and cover loosely to keep warm.

Reduce the heat to medium. Add the onion, capers and anchovies to the skillet, stirring to break them up. Cook for 5 to 7 minutes, stirring often, until the onion is translucent and has softened. Add the orange juice and mix well, then return the tuna to the skillet and cook for 3 minutes per side for medium-rare or 5 minutes for well-done.

Transfer the tuna to a serving platter. Pour the sauce/juices from the skillet over and around the fish. Season the tuna with the salt and pepper to taste, then sprinkle the mint on top. Serve warm.

Per serving (using 4 anchovies): 220 calories, 28 g protein, 6 g carbohydrates, 8 g fat, 2 g saturated fat, 55 mg cholesterol, 400 mg sodium, 0 g dietary fiber, 4 g sugar.

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Vegetables come together for a flavorful salad

By Stephanie Witt Sedgwick
Special to The Washington Post

This salad combines elements of several salads that I love. It has great texture, deep flavors and complementary elements. Lemon flavors the dressing and helps the avocado stay green. With grilling season upon us, the salad is a natural pairing with grilled chicken, fish or lamb.

Baby or small seedless cucumbers are becoming increasing available. They're ideal for this salad: You can buy just the right amount, and they're easy to prep. Whether

or not you choose to peel and seed the tomatoes is up to you.

The assembled salad can be covered and refrigerated for up to 8 hours.

CHICKPEA, CUCUMBER, TOMATO AND AVOCADO SALAD

Makes eight 1/2-cup servings

Zest and freshly squeezed juice from 1 large lemon (about 2 teaspoons zest and 1/4 cup juice)

1 tablespoon extra-virgin olive oil

1 teaspoon ground cumin, or to taste

1/2 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon sugar

Freshly ground black pepper

1 cup cooked chickpeas (if using canned chickpeas, rinse and drain them)

8 ounces small seedless (English) cucumbers, cut into 1/2-inch pieces (2 cups)

8 ounces tomato, peeled and seeded if desired, cut into 1/2-inch dice (1 cup)

3 or 4 scallions or spring onions, white and light-green parts, finely chopped (1/3 cup)

1/3 cup loosely packed, finely chopped flat-leaf parsley (about 12 stems)

Flesh of 1 ripe avocado (9 to 10 ounces), cut into 1/2-inch dice

Whisk together the lemon zest and juice, oil, cumin, salt, sugar and pepper in a large bowl.

Add the chickpeas, cucumber, tomato, scallions, parsley and avocado; toss gently to combine. Serve immediately, or cover and refrigerate for up to 8 hours.

Per serving: 120 calories, 3 g protein, 12 g carbohydrates, 7 g fat, 1 g saturated fat, 0 mg cholesterol, 150 mg sodium, 5 g dietary fiber, 3 g sugar.



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Cavatelli Alla Crudiola — from ‘Donatella Cooks,’ the first cookbook from restaurateur and Iron Chef judge Donatella Arpaia — is one of many recipes that embrace simple cooking techniques with a stunning result.

Simple food, glamorous life:

Donatella Arpaia

By Michele Kayal
For The Associated Press

The central message of “Donatella Cooks” is that even pizza can be party-worthy if you make it while wearing heels.

The unabashedly attractive Donatella Arpaia — whose restaurants include New York’s Mia Dona and Anthos — offers a glimpse of what it might look like if Vogue published a cookbook. Gauzy silk clings to her legs, posed inches from a canister of tongs and a mound of cast-off heels. On the cover, she “cooks” in a sexy orange shift and metallic belt.

But don’t be fooled by the husky-breathed photos. The recipes are refreshingly rustic, with simple steps and few ingredients, which means the focus is on quality.

An appetizer of pecorino fonduta accented with hazelnuts and lavender honey offers an unexpected twist on tired old baked brie. Tomato-and-olive cavatelli studded with green and purple basil

promises an easy yet bracing summer supper.

Even halibut in phyllo is spectacularly simple: butter up some phyllo, stick a piece of fish in the center, top with sauteed spinach, mushrooms and other yummys. Bake.

Tips on what to pour, what to play and — of course — what to wear mingle with good cooking advice and useful information about online ingredient sources. Even if you ignore the cleavage, this first cookbook from the restaurateur and Iron Chef judge is a handy little guide for whipping up a satisfying yet elegant party. Or even just a supper in your blue jeans.



- 1 pint pear or cherry tomatoes, halved lengthwise
- 1/2 cup Gaeta or Kalamata olives, pitted and roughly chopped
- 3 large garlic cloves, peeled and lightly crushed
- 30 small baby green and purple basil leaves, plus several sprigs to garnish
- 1/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil
- Kosher salt and ground black pepper
- 1 pound cavatelli pasta
- 5 ounces ricotta salata, shredded on the large holes of a box grater

In a large serving bowl, combine the tomatoes, olives, garlic, basil and olive oil. Season with salt and pepper. Toss to coat the tomatoes evenly and set aside at room temperature.

Bring a large pot of generously salted water to a boil.

Cook the pasta according to package directions until al dente.

Remove the garlic cloves from the tomato mixture and, using a spider or slotted spoon, transfer the pasta to the serving bowl, allowing the pasta water drippings to fall in.

Add half of the cheese and 1/4 cup of the pasta cooking water. Toss well. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Sprinkle the remaining cheese on top and garnish with basil. Serve warm or at room temperature.

Recipe from Donatella Arpaia’s “Donatella Cooks,” Rodale, 2010.

Per serving (calculated on 6 servings): 462 calories; 163 calories from fat; 18 g fat (5 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 21 mg cholesterol; 60 g carbohydrate; 15 g protein; 3 g fiber; 554 mg sodium.

Books that encourage you to play with your food

By Michele Kayal
For The Associated Press

Tired of books that tell you how to hide the broccoli in a pan of brownies? Need a fresh approach to making healthy food fun for the kids? Check out “Bean Appetit.”

The book, from the founders of Bean Sprouts cafe in Madison, Wis., offers goofy, eye-rolling chapter titles — “Let it Bean” and “Peacasso” — and kid-friendly recipes the little ones can make for themselves.

Some of the recipes rely on gimmicks — tomato faces and spinach-and-chicken palm trees — but most present a full-frontal view of fruit, vegetables and whole grains.

A spinach-and-cheese omelet becomes a finger-friendly “Ready to Roll-Up” and the apple-sweet potato “Snuggle-Up Soup” gets served in a hollowed-out apple. “Pin-wheel Pot Stickers” flaunt carrots, edamame and avocado.

Part activity guide, part cookbook, “Bean Appetit” also includes skill-building challenges, such as how to crack an egg and how to use chopsticks. Tips on table manners are supplemented with conversation-inspiring questions (“If your family were to form a band, what would you name it?”) and fun food facts (a hard boiled egg will spin longer than a raw one).

This is a wonderful little volume for creating fun at the table, as well as lifelong habits for healthy eating.

Once they’ve eaten all their veggies, you can treat the whole family to a work of art for dessert. “What’s New Cupcake,” a sequel to the best-selling “Hello, Cupcake,” makes pastry artists out of even the most butterfingers parents.



“What’s New, Cupcake?” is by Karen Tack and Alan Richardson (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2010).



“Bean Appetit” is by Shannon Payette Seip and Kelly Parthen (Andrews McMeel Publishing, 2010).

Photo courtesy of Andrews McMeel Publishing

Ordinary candies, such as malted balls, M&M’s, candy corns and marshmallow peanuts, are used to transform ordinary cupcakes into fish, suns and lobsters. Jellybeans masquerade as flower petals and butterflies. An entire meal of pork lo mein and Chinese fried rice — take out container and all — emerges from a tumble of green Tootsie Rolls, puffed rice cereal and jellybeans.

The beautiful photos and easy-to-follow directions (diagrams included!) help even the cake-mix challenged create cupcakes that look like lattice pies and critters from ducks to moose to flamingos. It’ll make you want to stock the pantry with pink and blue sugars, mini-marshmallows, flaked coconut and tiny pretzel sticks that double as animal legs, trees or buttresses.

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She was born April 2, 1934, in Heyburn, Idaho, the daughter of James Franklin Wilcox Jr. and Blanche (Warner) Wilcox. She was one of six children and the only daughter. She received her education in Heyburn and graduated from Heyburn High School in 1952. She married Larry Holm on Jan. 3, 1956, in Elko, Nev. Together, they had four wonderful children, their twins, Randall and Russell, Bradley and Lori Anne.

She worked many years for Quality Bakery, Shelby's Bakery and Smith's Bakery,

retiring in 1990. She was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and had previously served in many callings, including Primary, Sunday school and Relief Society. She held an office for three years in the Heyburn Alumni Association from 1993 until 1995 and was a compassionate caregiver for several relatives.

Margean enjoyed bowling and bowled in a ladies league for 49 years, winning first place trophies and making many lifelong friends. She loved doing crossword puzzles, walking and bike riding. Her passion was keeping up with family records and, with her computer, she was able to gather and write family histories even when she became legally blind. Additionally, she liked making many crafts for her

friends and family.

She and Larry own a summer cabin at Magic Reservoir, where they have spent much time fishing, boating, walking, having family gatherings and spending some quiet time together. As she loved to travel, they were able to visit all 50 of the United States, all of Canada (with the exception of Quebec), Jamaica, Columbia, South America and many other cities along the Mexican Coast. She and Larry loved going on cruises and taking bus tours to different places.

Her most rewarding times were being with her children and grandchildren. She loved having family reunions with her family and also having and going to the Wilcox family reunions. She and her family were avid Utah Jazz fans, going to

many games in Salt Lake City or watching the teams play on TV. She and Larry loved going to Sun Valley in the summer to watch the professional ice skaters perform and sometimes having family members accompany them to the show. She loved her family very much and enjoyed spending time with them, especially at Thanksgiving, Christmas and their annual Labor Day campouts.

She is survived by her husband, Larry; their four children, Randy (Maggie), Rusty (Susie), Brad (DeeAnn) and Lori (Terro) Anderson; 10 grandchildren, Heather, Holly, Haylee (Mike), Sean (Jordyn), Jason (Kara), Tameka, Brennan, Bonita, Marin and Stephanie (Tyson); a great-grandson; two brothers, Max (DeEtta) Wilcox of

Heyburn and Don (Nadine) Wilcox of Sunbury, Ohio; a sister-in-law, Alta Wilcox of Farmington, Utah; along with many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; three brothers, Carl, Ralph and Wayne; two sisters-in-law, Ann and Letha; her adopted brother-in-law, Roger Hansen of Arizona; and two nephews, Carl James and Kelly Wilcox.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 28, at the Burley LDS 2nd and 4th Ward Church, 515 E. 16th St. in Burley, with Bishop Royce Otte officiating. Burial will be in the Gem Memorial Gardens. Friends may call from 6 until 8 p.m. Thursday, May 27, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and from 1 until 1:45 p.m. Friday at the church.



William Warren Walker

HOLLISTER — William Warren Walker, age 59, loving husband, father and friend, passed away unexpectedly Sunday, May 23, 2010, at his home in Hollister, Idaho.

He was born April 6, 1951, in Enid, Okla., to James Osborne Walker Jr. and Norma Lorraine Wilber. He graduated from Earl Wooster High School in Reno, Nev., and later went to college at the University of Missoula in Montana. He married Ann McKee (later divorced) and had two daughters, who he adored. He owned and operated his “W Bar 3” Ranch in Kalispell, Mont., on the Flathead River from 1982 to 1992. He later moved to Idaho, where he met Deanna while playing in the Poker Room at Cactus Petes in 1999. They were later married June 1, 2003, in Stanley, Idaho. They shared 11 wonderful years together, traveling to Mexico, camping, playing poker tournaments together and chasing butterflies.

He was well known as one of the best poker players, winning many poker tournaments. He loved the outdoors, especially hunting for arrowheads, a hobby which he started in 1988 in Montana, Idaho and Nevada. He created a beauti-

ful collection of arrowheads with all of his many trips to the Tuscarora Mountains. He was recently honored in the May issue of the Indian Artifact Magazine where he

swept the “Creme de le Creme” and was the first one to accomplish this in 30 years. It was one of his proudest moments. He had a great love for his daughters, stepson and grandchildren and enjoyed all of the times he spent with them; they were the joy of his life. He will be dearly missed by all those who loved him, along with his golden retriever, Lucy.

Willy is survived by his wife, Deanna; stepson, Dallas Ludlow; children, Tracy (Pat) Clark, Katy (Dan) Croft and Elly Walker; brother, Johnny (Amy); and 3½ grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents. Willy was the love of my life and I will miss him dearly until we meet again.

The funeral will be held at noon Friday, May 28, at the Hollister LDS Chapel. Friends and family may visit one hour prior to the service. Family and friends are encouraged to share their thoughts and memories of Willy at www.rosenaufuneralhome.com.

Mike Peter Madrid, 57, of Twin Falls, Idaho, passed away Sunday, April 25, 2010, at his home in Laredo, Texas.

He was born to loving parents, Nelly and Jose Madrid, in San Jose, Calif., and moved to Idaho in the early '90s. Mike was a single, loving father of two boys and a wonderful grandfather of 10. He was a truck driver for more than 40 years and was very proud of

the fact that he was able to pass on his wisdom and experience to his two boys.

Mike is survived by his two sons, Michael (Kim) Madrid and Angel Madrid, both of Twin Falls; also by nine grandkids, Ashley, Makell, Riley, Zachoree, Alexandria, Adryen, Abby, Coltyn and



Mando and Jose (Pepe); his aunt, Ramona; and his grandson, Al-Lexx.

A memorial service will be

held at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, May 29, at Rosenau Funeral Home, 2826 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

The family suggests memorial donations be made to the Mike Madrid Memorial Account at any Wells Fargo Bank. Family and friends are encouraged to share their thoughts and memories of Mike at www.rosenaufuneralhome.com.

Iola Mae Cassidy Plant

SEATTLE, Wash. — Iola was born March 24, 1922, in Buhl, Idaho. She was the youngest of two daughters (Alma Cassidy Peterson) born to Byrl Winters and Robert Cassidy. She lived in Twin Falls and Gooding counties and graduated from King Hill High School. In 1946, Iola married Quinn L. Plant, who was the true love of her life. To that marriage, she brought her son, Kent E. Miller, by a previous marriage. Together Quinn and Iola had a second son, Robert L. Plant. Iola will be remembered for her love of friends, family, music, poodles and her faith. She and Quinn were married for more than 50 years. They spent those years enjoying life in Idaho, Arizona and California. They spent their retirement years in Gooding and were active members of Idaho Old Time Fiddlers. Quinn passed away

in 1999. The last years of Iola's life were spent with family in Seattle, Wash.

She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Robert (Bob) and Kathy Plant; three grandsons, Kent, Quinn and Steve Plant; and three grandchildren, Cameron, Cooper and Lucy Plant, all living in Washington State; as well as by numerous nieces, nephews and friends whom she dearly loved.

A memorial service to be held in Gooding will be announced at a later date. Arrangements are under the direction of Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

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SERVICES

Terry Lynn Byington of Jerome, celebration of life at 11 a.m. today at the Magic Valley Evangelical Free Church, 821 E. Ave. H in Jerome (Farnsworth Mortuary in Jerome).

Sandra Caster of Gooding, funeral at 11 a.m. today at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel, 737 Main St.

John Floyd Montana of Homedale and formerly of Jerome, memorial service at 11 a.m. today at Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

Max W. Bingham of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Pella LDS Church, 160 W. 400 S. of Burley; visitation from 10 to 10:45 a.m. today at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley).

Gladys A. Love of Twin Falls, visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. today at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

Charles C. Bergman of Twin Falls, memorial service at 2 p.m. Thursday at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

Marvin D. Cox of Castleford, funeral at 11 a.m. Friday at the Calvary Chapel, 1004 Burley Ave. in Buhl (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

Harold “Doc” Emerson Hammerquist of Boise and formerly of Filer and Buhl, funeral at 2 p.m. Friday at the United Methodist Church, 908 Maple St. in Buhl; visitation from 1 to 1:50 p.m. Friday at the church (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

Bill Barlogi of Boise, graveside service at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Hagerman Cemetery.

Amie Cecilia Jones, formerly of Jerome, memorial service at 1 p.m. Saturday at

the Free Will Baptist Church, 810 S. Cleveland St. in Jerome.

Tyler Curtis Thoroman of Twin Falls, memorial service at 2 p.m. Saturday at the LDS Church, 680 Hankins Road N. in Twin Falls.

Betty J. Valder of Buhl, celebration of life at 1 p.m. Sunday at the Eighth Street Center in Buhl (Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Mary Ann Colvin of Twin Falls, memorial Mass will be said Sunday at St. Paul's Catholic Church in St. Paul, Ore. (Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Maurine Blaylock Phillips Butler of Wendell, funeral at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Buhl LDS Church on Main Street; visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. Monday at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl and one hour before the funeral Tuesday at the church.

Care Center.

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

Verneil S. Beebe

WENDELL — Verneil S. Beebe, 90, of Wendell, died Tuesday, May 25, 2010, at the North Canyon Medical Center in Gooding.

Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Wendell Chapel.



James R. Walker

JEROME — James R. Walker, 69, of Jerome, died Sunday, May 23, 2010, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center.

Visitation will be held

Lauri S. Henderson

BURLEY — Lauri Sophia Henderson, 40, of Burley, died Tuesday, May 25, 2010, at the Mini-Cassia



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Felix leaves Duke in search of better fit

Former CSI star says academics, playing time not behind his departure

By Mike Christensen
Times-News writer

It simply came down to happiness.

Former College of Southern Idaho star Carrick Felix was granted a release Tuesday from his National Letter of Intent at Duke University and has reopened his recruitment. He will have three years of eligibility remaining and will not have to sit out the 2010-11 season unless he signs with another Atlantic Coast Conference school.

"Duke's a good school. I'm not going to say I wasn't happy going there, but I just felt in my heart that it wasn't the right choice for me," said Felix, the first JUCO player signed by Duke head coach Mike Krzyzewski in his 30-plus seasons with the Blue Devils.

"It wasn't the right road God had for me. I just had to follow my heart on this one because I tend to be a people pleaser sometimes and do what other people say."

Felix and CSI head coach Steve Gosar denied the widespread Internet rumors that Felix's departure from Duke was due to academic issues. He arrived at Duke's Durham, N.C., campus on May 16, one day after CSI graduation, and spent a week there. He returned to CSI to retake a math class during summer semester, but said Duke was expecting him back in Durham on June 25.

Felix also said the decision of Duke forward Kyle Singler to return to the NCAA champion Blue Devils rather than enter the 2010 NBA draft was not the reason for his departure.

"When I was down there I just felt like I wasn't myself and that really was eating me up every night," said Felix. "When I came back here I just sat down and thought to myself about what I really wanted and where is going to be the best place for me to achieve my goals."

This past weekend, Felix requested the release, which Duke granted Tuesday morning.

"Carrick requested his release from his National Letter of Intent and we are honoring his request," Krzyzewski said Tuesday in a university release. "He felt it was in his best interest to pursue other opportunities. We support his decision and wish him the best of luck."

An athletic 6-foot-6 swingman, Felix averaged 14.8 points and 4.7 rebounds for CSI this past season after a medical redshirt year in 2008-09. He verbally committed to Duke March 16 at the conclusion of his campus visit and officially signed with the Blue Devils May 8.

Since word of Felix's release, Gosar said his phone has been ringing non-stop, with more than 20 NCAA Division I programs expressing interest. That list includes Arizona State, UCLA and Washington State of the Pac-10, along with Arkansas, Baylor, Boise State, Hawaii, Kansas State, San Diego State, UNLV, Villanova and NCAA runner-up Butler, which lost the championship game to Duke on April 5.

Felix came to CSI from the Phoenix area, and said he'd like to stay on the West Coast,



DREW GODLESKI/For the Times-News

Former College of Southern Idaho player Carrick Felix received a release Tuesday from his National Letter of Intent at Duke and has reopened his recruitment.

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adding that he'd love to play in the Pac-10. He finishes school at CSI June 24 and plans to enroll at his new school immediately.

"I've got to make a quick decision," said Felix. "I kind of know what I want to do, I'm just going to keep it to myself for right now."

Felix repeatedly said the most important aspect of the decision is his happiness.

"I know the key to playing good basketball is being happy," he said. "... Me being more comfortable being close to home will just

make me the player that I know I can be."

While Singler's decision to return after averaging 17.7 points and 7.0 rebounds in nearly 36 minutes a game would certainly have impacted Felix's role at Duke next season, he said it "wasn't a factor" in his leaving.

"I feel like with my hard work and work ethic and things I could've got my playing time just fine," said Felix. "That wasn't even an issue. That didn't pass through my head at all."

Felix said Krzyzewski, who he called "the best coach hands down in the game of basketball" and Duke assistant coach Nate James are helping him find a good fit.

"Everything's great about Duke," said Felix. "It's just there's something in my heart that wasn't complete and I need to find that."

BSU player sentenced in bar fight case

The Associated Press

BOISE — Suspended Boise State player Jason Robinson has been ordered to spend 180 days in jail and pay \$29,000 in restitution for breaking another man's jaw during a fight at a downtown bar.

Robinson pleaded guilty to misdemeanor battery Tuesday in a deal with prosecutors. The judge suspended 160 days of a sentence that allows him to serve on a county labor crew instead of jail. Robinson must also serve two years probation and complete 200 hours of community service.

Robinson apologized for his behavior and said he has learned a lesson. He was initially charged with a felony. But a felony conviction would have ended his eligibility for his athletic scholarship.

The 21-year-old safety was suspended in March. Last season, he collected 26 tackles playing mostly on special teams.



Robinson



BSU football ranked No. 3 by Sporting News

Times-News

The Boise State football team is ranked No. 3 in the *Sporting News* 2010 College Football Preview.

The Broncos are ranked behind No. 1 Alabama and No. 2 Ohio State by Sporting News, while BSU junior quarterback Kellen Moore is included in the magazine's list of preseason Heisman Trophy candidates.

Eight Broncos were placed on the Sporting News preseason All-Western Athletic Conference first team, including Moore, running back Jeremy Avery, offensive lineman Nate Potter, wide receivers Austin Pettis and Titus Young, defensive linemen Ryan Winterswyk and Billy Winn and safety Jeron Johnson.

BSU returns 22 starters from last year's 14-0 squad, which beat TCU in the Fiesta Bowl. The Broncos are ranked No. 2 in Lindy's 2010 College Football Preview.

Boise State kicks off the 2010 season by facing Virginia Tech at 6 p.m. (MDT), Monday, Sept. 6 on ESPN.

Suns bench big in win over Lakers

By Bob Baum
Associated Press writer

PHOENIX — The Phoenix bench finally delivered as advertised, and it could hardly have come at a better time.

Channing Frye broke out of a horrendous shooting slump by making four 3-pointers for 14 points, and the Suns pulled away in the fourth quarter for the second game in a row to beat the Los Angeles Lakers 115-106 on Tuesday night and tie the Western Conference finals at two games apiece.

A series that looked like a Lakers' breeze a week ago is all even heading to Game 5 on Thursday night in Los Angeles.



AP photo

Phoenix Suns forward Amare Stoudemire reacts to play against the Los Angeles Lakers during the second half of Game 4 of the NBA Western Conference finals Tuesday in Phoenix.

The Suns reserves, considered an advantage entering the series but largely ineffective through

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Brr! NFL going outdoors in N.J. for 2014 Super Bowl

By Jaime Aron
Associated Press writer

IRVING, Texas — Check the antifreeze, grab the mittens, make sure the airport's not snowed in.

We're going to the Super Bowl.

In New Jersey. In February!

NFL owners voted Tuesday to put the 2014 Super Bowl in the new \$1.6 billion Meadowlands Stadium that this season will become home to the New York Jets and Giants. It's the first time the league has gone to a cold weather site that doesn't have a dome and, until now, those places couldn't even bid on the big game.

The league made an exception for the New York area, and New York only. But just a few years ago, the NHL experimented with an outdoor game on New Year's Day, and it was such a success that

teams now fight to host what's become an annual event.

"We believe the owners have the faith in us that 3 1/2 years from now we'll put on a remarkable event," Giants co-owner Jonathan Tisch said on the NFL Network. "The greatest game in the world will be played on the greatest stage in the world."

For all the hoopla on putting the Super Bowl in the Big Apple, it wasn't a slam-dunk. It took four votes by NFL owners to pick New Jersey over two Florida cities, Miami and Tampa. Miami was eliminated after the second ballot.

If the NFL decides to wait and see how this foray into the great outdoors in winter goes, it could be until about 2019 or 2020 to try again because it takes a year or two to put together a bid for a game that's another four years away.

The slogan for New York's bid is "Make Some History." The first piece likely to be made is a record-low temperature at kickoff. The current record is 39 degrees in 1972 at Tulane Stadium in New Orleans, and that would be considered a warm February day in East Rutherford, N.J.

There's never been snow in a Super Bowl game and that could happen, too.

The average temperature range for the Meadowlands area during February is 24 to 40 degrees, with several inches of rain, according to the bid documents. Remember, the game kicks off after sunset in the Eastern time zone, so temperatures would be dropping throughout the night.

Planners have factored it all in. They're plotting giveaways to warm hands and seats, having hundreds of folks ready to shovel away snow and anything else they can do to make the experience more than just bearable.

Florida, California and domed stadiums were part of an informal rotation for many years.

Yet some places with new or newly renovated facilities haven't even had a chance to bid before because of their weather, such as Washington, Philadelphia, Chicago, New England, Seattle, Denver and Green Bay. Surely they will use this precedent to change, or at least loosen, the 50-degree rule for Super Bowl bids.

The upcoming Super Bowl, in February 2011, will be at Cowboys Stadium, followed by Indianapolis' new stadium in 2012 and a 2013 return to the Superdome for the first time since Hurricane Katrina ripped off part of the roof.

For now, a question: Anybody have a 1,300-day forecast?

Ortiz, Red Sox top Rays

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — David Ortiz had a two-run double and Jon Lester allowed one hit over six innings Tuesday night, leading Boston to a 2-0 victory over Tampa Bay.

Lester (5-2) remained unbeaten in his last seven starts, striking out nine and allowing one baserunner past second. Manny Delcarmen, Daniel Bard and Jonathan Papelbon finished the combined one-hitter.

The victory was the seventh in eight games for the Red Sox, who are a season-best five games over .500 (26-21). Papelbon earned his 11th save in 12 opportunities.

Orioles 5, Athletics 1

BALTIMORE — Ty Wigginton and Adam Jones delivered successive sacrifice flies in the sixth inning for Baltimore.

Jeremy Guthrie (3-4) gave up one run and six hits in six innings for the Orioles, who took a 3-1 lead against Tyson Ross (1-3) without benefit of a hit.

Nick Markakis hit a solo homer in the eighth, and Matt Wieters added an RBI double.

Indians 7, White Sox 3

CLEVELAND — Cleveland rookie Mitch Talbot outpitched former NL Cy Young winner Jake Peavy.

Jason Donald and Shin-Soo Choo homered in the Indians' three-run third inning off Peavy (3-4). The Indians made it 6-0 with a three-run sixth off the right-hander, who won the award in 2007 with San Diego.

Talbot (6-3) allowed two runs and six hits over seven innings to win for the third time in four starts. He took a two-hit shutout into the seventh before giving up four doubles.

Rangers 8, Royals 7

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Vladimir Guerrero hit a pair of two-run homers and drove in five runs to help the Texas Rangers outslug the Kansas City Royals 8-7 Tuesday night.

Guerrero is hitting .444 with five home runs and 12 RBIs against the Royals this season. It was his 41st multihomer game and his second this season, both against the Royals.

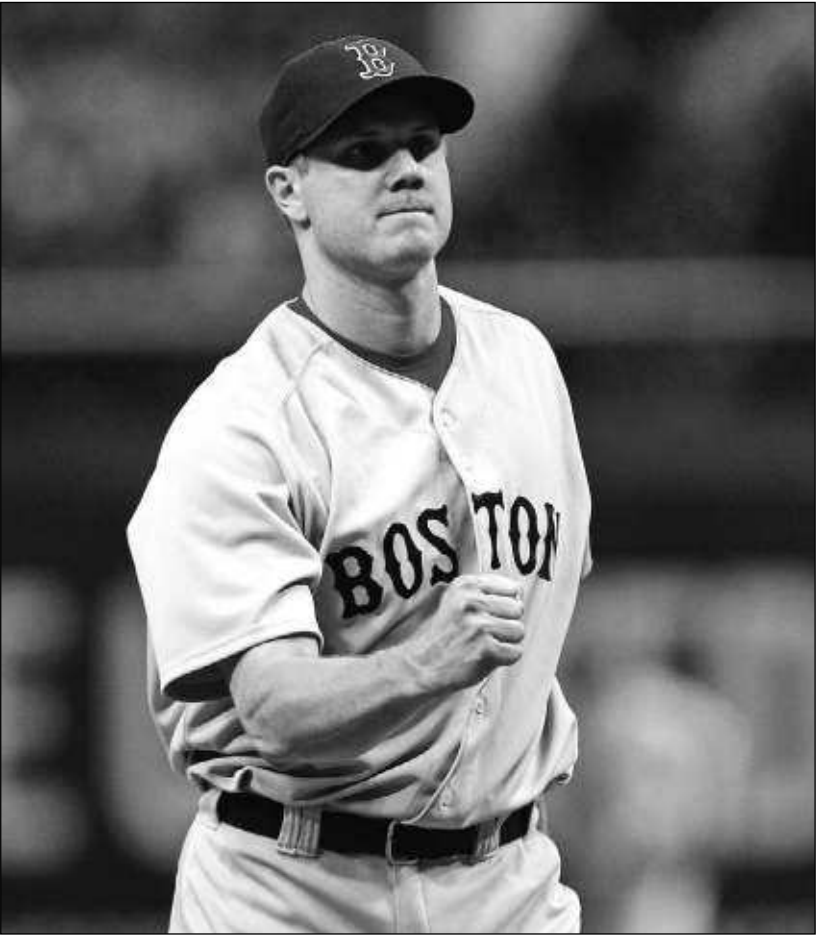
Guerrero homered in the first and fifth innings and added an RBI double in the seventh.

Yankees, Twins suspended

MINNEAPOLIS — The first rain delay in Target Field history has given way to the first suspension. Umpires suspended the game between the New York Yankees and the Minnesota Twins with the teams scoreless after five innings.

After a delay of one hour, 23 minutes, the game was suspended.

The game will resume in the top of the sixth inning today at 3:10 p.m.



AP photo

Boston Red Sox relief pitcher Jonathan Papelbon reacts to throwing a final strikeout in the ninth inning to close out a 2-0 win and a one-hitter by four Boston pitchers against the Tampa Bay Rays Tuesday in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mountain time. The second game of the series will either begin at its regularly scheduled time of 6:10 p.m. or 30 minutes after the conclusion of the first game.

National League Mets 8, Phillies 0

NEW YORK — Knuckleballer R.A. Dickey earned his first win since April 2009 and New York beat Philadelphia 8-0 on Tuesday night.

Jason Bay and Jeff Francoeur drove in two runs each for the Mets, while Jose Reyes had three hits and scored three times.

Cubs 3, Dodgers 0

CHICAGO — Ryan Dempster pitched three-hit ball over eight innings and Derrek Lee homered and drove in all three runs for Chicago.

Lee, who came in with a .218 average, had three hits as the Cubs won for the seventh time in nine games.

Marlins 6, Braves 4

MIAMI — Anibal Sanchez allowed two runs and five hits while pitching into the seventh inning and Cody Ross hit a two-run double in the eighth for Florida.

Sanchez (4-2) has won three straight starts for the first time since September

2006, a stretch four years ago that included his no-hitter against Arizona.

Pirates 2, Reds 1

CINCINNATI — Pittsburgh's Ryan Doumit hit a solo homer with two outs in the top of the ninth inning — his second game-deciding homer in three days.

Brandon Phillips tied it 1-all in the eighth with his 100th career homer off reliever Joel Hanrahan (1-0). Octavio Dotel pitched the ninth for his 10th save in 12 tries — he's 7 for 7 in May.

Brewers 6, Astros 1

MILWAUKEE — Randy Wolf pitched seven scoreless innings, Ryan Braun and Rickie Weeks homered and the Milwaukee Brewers snapped an eight-game home losing streak with a victory over Houston.

The Brewers, who avoided their longest skid at home in 14 years, lost 11 of the past 13 overall.

Rockies 3, Diamondbacks 2

DENVER — Jhoulys Chacin pitched six solid innings, Brad Hawpe and Troy Tulowitzki homered and Colorado beat Arizona.

Todd Helton had three hits for the Rockies, who have won three straight.

— The Associated Press

Roddick wins in 5 at French Henin, Nadal advance

PARIS (AP) — Andy Roddick's preparation for this French Open was hardly traditional. Or ideal, from a purely tennis perspective, anyway.

He skipped a clay-court event in Rome so he could celebrate his one-year wedding anniversary with his wife, Sports Illustrated swimsuit cover model Brooklyn Decker. He missed another tuneup tournament in Madrid because of a stomach virus.

Scrambling to get set, Roddick played a couple of hastily arranged exhibitions and practiced a bunch at Roland Garros with fellow pro Mardy Fish, a pal since high school. If Roddick felt he needed more match time on his least favorite surface, he accumulated it in a hurry Tuesday, digging himself out of a hole and coming back to beat Jarkko Nieminen of Finland 6-2, 4-6, 4-6, 7-6 (4), 6-3 in the French Open's first round.

"It's kind of like when you miss an assignment in school, and they give you a chance to get extra credit. I've been trying real hard to get extra credit ... and I definitely wasn't match-tough," the sixth-seeded Roddick said.

Playing at Roland Garros for the first time since 2007, Henin beat Tsvetana Pironkova of Bulgaria 6-4, 6-3 to run her winning streaks at her favorite event to 22 matches and 37 sets.

Henin won titles at Roland Garros in 2003 and 2005-07, before taking a 20-month hiatus from tennis, and while she said before the event that she does not consider herself the defending champion, her skills make her a serious contender for another trophy.

Upon returning, Henin said, she was "very nervous, which was normal. It's my tournament, and I didn't know really how I was going to deal with my emotions."

Nadal also sought to look on the bright side after assessing his play as "really bad" while overwhelming the youngest player in the men's draw, 18-year-old French wild card Gianni Mina, 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

A year ago, Nadal's 31-match French Open winning streak ended with a fourth-round upset against Robin Soderling, but he figures he is on his way to a new run, saying that he remembers having what he considered spot-ty starts in the first round each of the four years he went on to win the title.



AP photo

Andy Roddick reacts after defeating Finland's Jarkko Nieminen in their first round match for the French Open tennis tournament at the Roland Garros stadium in Paris, Tuesday.

Local schools offer sports camps

Times-News

Following are announcements of area sports camps submitted to the *Times-News*.

Wendell Holds Soccer Camp

WENDELL — The Wendell Trojans Soccer Camp will be held from 5 to 7:30 p.m. June 1-3 for grades 4-6 and from 5 to 7:30 p.m. June 8-10 for grades 7-8. The cost is \$35 and includes a camp T-shirt. The camp is for beginner, intermediate and advanced players and will be held at Wendell High School. Information: Jon Goss or Matt Valadao at 358-1452.

Burley Girls Camp Nears

BURLEY — The Burley Lady Bobcat Basketball Camp will be held June 1-3 at the Burley High School. Sign-up sheets are available at the Burley Junior High and all Burley elementary schools. The cost is \$50.

Information: Roger Caresia at 878-6606.

CSI Team VB Camp Coming

The College of Southern Idaho will host a team volleyball camp July 8-10 at the CSI Gymnasium. The camp is designed for varsity high-school volleyball team and will feature pool play against other schools and individual team instruction. Overnight options are available. Registration is due Monday.

Information: Heidi Cartisser at 293-

2847 or 732-6485.

Jerome Girls Hoops Camp Nears

JEROME — The Jerome Lady Tiger Basketball Camp will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 1-4 at Jerome High School and Jerome Middle School. The camp is open to all girls in the Magic Valley. Those entering grades 4-6 will attend at Jerome Middle School, with grades 7-9 at the high school. Participants are asked to bring a sack lunch each day. The cost is \$60 and includes T-shirt and awards.

Information: Brent Clark at 324-1837 ext. 4225 or 539-3893.

Filer Holds Hoops Camp

FILER — The Filer Boys and Girls Basketball Skills Camp will be held June 2-3 at Filer High School. Grades 1-2 will attend at the elementary school gym from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m., with grades 3-5 attending at the high school from 3:30 to 5:15 p.m. and grades 6-9 attending from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m.

Information: LaReil Patterson at 308-6357.

Lady Bruin Camp Set

The Lady Bruin Basketball camp will be held from 9 a.m. to noon June 7-10 at Twin Falls High School. The camp is for girls entering grades 5-8. Registration forms are available at the front offices of Twin Falls schools.

Information: Nancy Jones at 420-7588.

Gooding Wrestling Camp Set

GOODING — Gooding High Wrestling Camp will be held June 7-10 at Gooding

High School. The cost is \$100. The camp features world champion Dan Russell. Information: Clay Robinson at 316-3156 or clay.robinson@goodingschools.org.

CSI Holds Softball Skills Camp

The College of Southern Idaho softball team will hold its annual skills camp June 7-8 for girls ages 11-16 and June 9-10 for girls ages 7-10. The camp includes hitting, fielding and pitching sessions. Private hitting and semi-private pitching slots are also available for those registered for camp. The cost of the camp depends on the number of sessions in which participants take part. Instructors include former UCLA pitcher and national team member Courtney Dale, CSI head coach Nick Baumert and former BYU player and CSI assistant Debbie Dodds.

Information: Nick Baumert at 308-4978, Karen Baumert at 308-4028 or <http://www.csi.edu/athletics>.

Burley Boys Camp Offered

BURLEY — The Burley Bobcat boys basketball camp will be held June 7-10 at Burley High School. The camp is for boys going into grades 3-8 and the cost is \$50, which includes a camp T-shirt and ball. Registration forms are available at Donnelley Sports in Burley or Burley High School.

Information: Jack Bagley at 878-6606 or 431-9930.

Football Speed, Agility and Quickness Training Offered

Primary Therapy Source in Twin Falls is offering Speed, Agility and Quickness Training for high school and middle school

football players interested in improving individual performance and overall conditioning. The program takes place from 8 to 9:30 a.m. Mondays and Wednesdays from June 7-30 at Primary Therapy Source Clinic (254 River Vista Place). The cost is \$150 and the session is limited to 20 participants.

Information: 734-7333 or visit <http://primarytherapysource.com>.

CSI Holds Youth Hoops Camp

The College of Southern Idaho Junior Eagles Basketball Camp will be held June 14-17 at CSI Gymnasium. The camp is for boys and girls in grades K-8. Sessions each day run from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4:30 p.m. Check-in will begin at 8 a.m. June 14. Each participant will receive a camp T-shirt and the first 150 campers registered received a CSI basketball.

Information: Jason Vickrey at 208-358-2593 or Colby Blaine at 208-340-7588.

CSI Holds Fitness Camp

The College of Southern Idaho will hold a Fitness Camp from 8 a.m. to noon June 14-18 for boys and girls entering grades K-6. The cost is \$50 and includes instruction, a camp booklet, T-shirt and healthy snacks each day. Activities will improve fitness, wellness, agility, coordination, endurance and nutritional awareness. Parents are encouraged to participate with their children on June 18 starting at noon. Preregister or sign up the day of the camp.

Information: Jaime Tigue at 732-6479 or jtigue@csi.edu.

CSI Holds Girls Skills Camp

The College of Southern Idaho Girls

Basketball Skills Camp will be held from 9 a.m. to noon June 21-22 at CSI Gymnasium. The camp is for girls entering grades 4-8 and the cost is \$45.

Information: Tessa Balsick at 732-6490.

Cartisser VB Camp Upcoming

JEROME — The Heidi Cartisser Volleyball Camp will be held June 28-30 at the Jerome Recreation Center. Separate camps for hitters and for all skills are planned (you must register for each camp separately), and are open to all high-school players. Overnight options are available. Space is limited to the first 48 players for all skills and first 50 players for hitters.

Information: Heidi Cartisser at 293-2847 or 732-6485.

CSI VB Camps Coming

The College of Southern Idaho will host two volleyball camps July 5-7 at the CSI Gymnasium. One camp will be for high-school hitters and setters and the other will be for junior high players. Space is limited to the first 100 enrollees for each camp.

Information: Heidi Cartisser at 293-2847 or 732-6485.

NNU Hosts NBC Camp

NAMPA — Northwest Nazarene University will host the NBC Girls Basketball Camp July 5-9. The camp is for girls ages 9-18 and includes room and meals in the NNU cafeteria.

Information: <http://www.nbccamps.com>.

Suns

Continued from Sports 1

three games, outscored their Laker counterparts 54-20. Leandro Barbosa scored 14 on 6-of-8 shooting and Jared Dudley added 11 points. Goran Dragic ran the show at point and had eight points and eight assists in 18 minutes.

Amare Stoudemire led Phoenix with 21 points. Steve Nash, playing with a broken nose, had 15 points and eight assists.

Kobe Bryant had 38 points and 10 assists as the reigning NBA champions fought back to lead briefly early in the fourth before

the Suns backups stole the show.

Phoenix coach Alvin Gentry kept all five reserves in the game for almost the first nine minutes of the final quarter, and they produced an 18-3 run, and the Lakers never recovered. When Nash re-entered with

3:05 to play, those subs — usually playing against the Los Angeles starters — had turned an 87-85 deficit into a 103-94 lead.

"We believe in our bench," Gentry said. "Tonight they played as well as they could play"

Frye had made 1-of-21

shots in the series and missed 18 in a row when his second shot of the night, a 3-pointer, finally fell to the roar of the home crowd.

Los Angeles did a much better job against the zone defense than in Game 3, but it wasn't enough.

Jordan Farmar opened

the fourth quarter with a 3-pointer, his only basket in five shots all night, to give the Lakers an 87-85 lead, but Barbosa responded with a 22-footer to tie it. Lou Amundson scored inside on a pass from Dudley, then Frye sank a 3-pointer and Phoenix led 92-87.

Baseball

American League				
All Times MDT				
EAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Tampa Bay	32	14	.696	—
New York	26	18	.591	5
Toronto	27	20	.574	5½
Boston	26	21	.553	6½
Baltimore	15	31	.326	17
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	26	18	.591	—
Detroit	25	19	.568	1
Chicago	19	26	.422	7½
Kansas City	18	28	.391	9
Cleveland	17	27	.386	9
WEST	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	26	20	.565	—
Oakland	23	23	.500	3
Los Angeles	21	26	.447	5½
Seattle	16	28	.364	9

Monday's Games
Chicago White Sox 7, Cleveland 2
Boston 6, Tampa Bay 1
Toronto 6, L.A. Angels 0

Tuesday's Games
Baltimore 5, Oakland 1
Boston 2, Tampa Bay 0
Texas 8, Kansas City 7
Minnesota 6, N.Y. Yankees 0, tie, 6 innings, susp., rain
Toronto at L.A. Angels, late
Detroit at Seattle, late

Wednesday's Games
Chicago White Sox (Quebec 1-5) at Cleveland (Westbrook 2-2), 10:05 a.m.
Texas (Feldman 2-4) at Kansas City (Hochevar 4-2), 12:10 p.m.
Detroit (Bonderman 2-2) at Seattle (J.Vargas 3-2), 1:40 p.m.
Minnesota 0, N.Y. Yankees 0, tie, 6 innings, comp. of susp. game, 3:10 p.m.
Oakland (Cahill 2-2) at Baltimore (Matusz 2-4), 5:05 p.m.
Toronto (Morrow 3-4) at L.A. Angels (Pineiro 3-5), 5:05 p.m.
Boston (Lackey 4-3) at Tampa Bay (Garza 5-2), 5:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Pettitte 5-1) at Minnesota (Liriano 4-3), 5:10 p.m.

Thursday's Games
Oakland at Baltimore, 5:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at Tampa Bay, 5:10 p.m.
Kansas City at Boston, 5:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees at Minnesota, 6:10 p.m.

National League

All Times MDT				
EAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	26	18	.591	—
Florida	24	22	.522	3
Atlanta	23	22	.511	3½
Washington	23	22	.511	3½
New York	23	23	.500	4
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
St. Louis	26	19	.578	—
Cincinnati	26	20	.565	½
Chicago	22	24	.478	4½
Pittsburgh	18	27	.436	6½
Milwaukee	18	27	.400	8
Houston	15	30	.333	11
WEST	W	L	Pct	GB
San Diego	26	18	.591	—
Los Angeles	25	20	.556	1½
San Francisco	22	21	.512	3½
Colorado	23	22	.511	3½
Arizona	20	26	.435	7

Monday's Games
Cincinnati 7, Pittsburgh 5
Tuesday's Games
Florida 6, Atlanta 4
N.Y. Mets 8, Philadelphia 0
Pittsburgh 1, Cincinnati 1
Chicago Cubs 3, L.A. Dodgers 0
Milwaukee 6, Houston 1
Colorado 3, Arizona 2
St. Louis at San Diego, late
Washington at San Francisco, late

Wednesday's Games
Atlanta (Hanson 3-3) at Florida (N.Robertson 4-4), 5:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Blanton 1-2) at N.Y. Mets (Takahashi 3-1), 5:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Ohendorf 0-2) at Cincinnati (Arroyo 4-2), 5:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Billingsley 5-2) at Chicago Cubs (Gorezallman 2-4), 6:05 p.m.
Houston (Oswalt 2-6) at Milwaukee (Narveson 4-1), 6:10 p.m.
Arizona (R.Lopez 2-2) at Colorado (Jimenez 8-1), 6:40 p.m.
St. Louis (Garcia 4-2) at San Diego (Correia 4-4), 8:05 p.m.
Washington (Atlano 3-1) at San Francisco (Lincom 5-0), 8:15 p.m.

Thursday's Games
Houston at Milwaukee, 11:10 a.m.
L.A. Dodgers at Chicago Cubs, 12:20 p.m.
Arizona at Colorado, 1:10 p.m.
Washington at San Francisco, 1:45 p.m.
St. Louis at San Diego, 4:35 p.m.
Atlanta at Florida, 5:10 p.m.
Philadelphia at N.Y. Mets, 5:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, 5:10 p.m.

AL Boxes

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Atlanta at Florida, 5:10 p.m.

Philadelphia at N.Y. Mets, 5:10 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, 5:10 p.m.

Farnsworth 1 2 0 0 0 1
Tejeda 1 0 0 0 0 0
Thompson pitched to 2 batters in the 7th.
PB-Kendall
Umpires-Home, Mike Reilly; First, Eric Cooper; Second, Bill Miller; Third, Chad Fairchild.
T-3:11. A-12,796 (37,840).

RED SOX 2, RAYS 0									
Boston					Tampa Bay				
	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Scutaro ss	4	0	1	0	Bartlett ss	1	0	0	0
Pedroia 2b	4	0	1	0	Crivard lf	1	0	0	0
J.Drew rf	4	1	1	0	SRdrgz ph-lf	1	0	0	0
Youkilis 1b	2	1	0	0	Brienc ph-2b	1	0	0	0
D.Ortiz dh	3	0	1	0	Zobrist 2b-rr	4	0	0	0
Beltre 3b	4	0	0	0	Longori 3b	3	0	0	0
Hermid lf	4	0	0	0	Wayar dh	3	0	1	0
DMcDn lf	0	0	0	0	C.Pena 1b	4	0	0	0
Varitek c	3	0	0	0	Bulpton cf	4	0	0	0
Camrn cf	3	0	0	0	DNakvt c	3	0	0	0
					Kalish rf-lf	3	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	4	0	Totals	28	0	1	0
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Tampa Bay 000 000 000 - 0						
LOB-Boston 5, Tampa Bay 7. 2B-DOrtiz (8).						
	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boston						
Lester W,5-2	6	1	0	0	5	9
Delcarm H,4	1	0	0	0	0	1
D.Bard H,9	1	0	0	0	0	1
Papelbon S,11-12	1	0	0	0	1	1
Tampa Bay						
J.Schles L,5-2	8	4	2	2	2	5
Benoit	1	0	0	0	1	1
Umpires-Home, Bob Davidson; First, Alfonso						
Marquez; Second, Tim Timmons; Third, Tim Tschida.						
T-2:53. A-24,310 (36,973).						

INDIANS 7, WHITE SOX 3									
Chicago					Cleveland				
	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi
Pierre lf	3	1	0	0	Crowe cf	4	0	0	0
AlRmirez ss	3	1	2	0	Chaffee c	4	0	0	0
Rios cf	3	0	0	0	Halmer dh	4	1	2	0
Anjans rf	4	1	1	1	Keany lf	4	2	2	0
Kotsay lb	4	0	3	1	Braban 1b	3	1	1	1
Quentin dh	4	0	1	0	Paruta 3b	4	1	2	1
Teahen 3b	3	0	0	0	Valenz 2b	2	0	0	0
RCast c	3	0	0	0	Mardon c	3	0	0	1
BChm 2b	3	0	0	0	Dalson ss	3	1	1	1
Totals	32	3	8	3	Totals	31	7	10	7
Cleveland	000	003	003	003	ZIO	—	—	—	3
DP—Cleveland 2, LOB—Chicago 4, 2B—									
Al Ramirez 2 (10), AnJ Jones 6, Kotsay 2 3, Quentin									
11, Halmer 8 (8), Pierre 12, HR—Choo 7, Donald 1.									

Chicago	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Peavy L, 3-4	6	8	6	6	1	5
Linebrink	2	2	1	1	0	2
Cleveland						
Talbot W, 6-3	7	6	2	2	0	4
C.Perez	1	1	1	1	0	1
K.Wood	1	1	0	0	0	0
HBP—by C.Perez (Pierre). WP—Linebrink.						
Umpires—Home, Paul Schrieber; First, Rob Drake; Second, Joe West; Third, Angel Hernandez.						
T-2:16. A-14,441 (45,569).						

Monday's Late AL Box

New York					Minnesota				
	ab	r	h	bi		ab	r	h	bi

GAME PLAN

TV SCHEDULE

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

10 a.m.
WGN — Chicago White Sox at Cleveland
1:30 p.m.
FSN — Detroit at Seattle
5 p.m.
ESPN2 — N.Y. Yankees at Minnesota
6 p.m.

Bulger	0	2	3	2	1	0
Casaveah	12-3	0	0	0	2	0
S.Shields	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bulger pitched to 3 batters in the 7th.						
Umpires-Home, Mike DiMuro; First, Tim Welke; Second, Jim Reynolds; Third, Bill Welke.						
T-2:53. A-35,826 (45,285).						

NL Boxes

ROCKIES 3, DIAMONDBACKS 2

KJhnson lf	4	1	1	0	S.Muth lf	3	0	0	0
Clckson lf	4	0	1	0	F.Sowler cf	4	0	0	0
S.Drew ss	4	0	1	0	Htwnz ss	4	0	1	0
J.Lipton rf	4	0	0	1	Welton ss	4	1	0	0
ADLRc lf	4	0	1	0	Corpas p	4	0	0	0
M.Ryml 3b	4	0	0	0	Olivo c	3	0	0	0
CYoung cf	3	0	1	0	Olinv c	1	1	0	0
Snyder c	2	0	0	0	Stewart sb	2	0	2	0
KKnndy p	2	0	0	0	Barmes sb	2	0	0	0
Vasquez p	0	0	0	0	J.Chacn p	1	0	0	0
GParra ph	0	0	0	0	Beilsie p	1	0	0	0
RRorts ph	1	0	0	0	Beimel p	0	0	0	0
Hellm p	0	0	0	0	Cgnizrf r	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	2	2	Totals	27	3	7	2
Arizona	000	002	000	—					2
Colorado	021	000	000	—					3

DP-Arizona 2, Colorado 1. LOB-Arizona 4, Colorado 5. 2B-C.Jackson (9), HR-Tulowitzki (5), Hawpe (4), SB-K.Johnson (4), S-J.Chacin.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Arizona					
L.Kennedy L-3-3	5	5	3	3	0
Vasquez	2	1	0	0	2
Heilmann	1	1	0	0	0
Colorado					
J.Chacin W-3-2	6	4	2	2	5
Bellise H-4	1	0	0	0	0
Beimel 6-4-5	1	1	0	0	0
Corpas S-4-5	1	1	0	0	0
WP-L.Kennedy.					
Umpires-Home, Greg Gibson; First, Gerry Davis; Second, Sam Holbrook; Third, Brian Knight.					
T-2:38. A-28,370 (50,449).					

Arizona						
I.Kennedy L,3-3	5	5	3	3	4	2
Vasquez	2	1	0	0	0	2
Heilman	1	1	0	0	0	0
Colorado						
J.Chacin W,3-2	6	4	2	2	2	5
Beilsie H,4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Beimel H,6	1	0	0	0	0	0
Corpas S,4-5	1	1	0	0	0	1
WP-I.Kennedy.						
Umpires-Ham, Greg Gibson; First, Gerry Davis;						
Second, Sam Holbrook; Third, Brian Knight						

Michigan admits to NCAA violations in football

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — The University of Michigan has been playing football for more than a century, earning respect by becoming the nation's winningest program while avoiding the stigma attached to teams that break NCAA rules. Until now.

The school admitted Tuesday to a series of violations by its storied football program and said it had reprimanded seven people, including third-year coach Rich Rodriguez. Another staffer was fired and the school released more than 150 pages detailing a breakdown in communication within the athletic department as well as self-imposed sanctions that include two years

of probation.

The school now has to hope that its explanation and sanctions will satisfy the NCAA, which will hold a hearing on the case Aug. 13-14 in Seattle. A final decision isn't expected for 6-10 weeks later, perhaps sometime during the Big Ten season.

Athletic director David Brandon said he doesn't believe the problems related to practice time and coaching activities are enough to warrant the loss of scholarships or extreme disgrace.

"I don't think this is a black eye," Brandon said. "This is a bruise."

Brandon bristled at the suggestion Michigan had cheated.

"Bad word, inaccurate word," he

said. "We made mistakes and where I come from, a mistake is different than cheating."

Rodriguez will be in the spotlight more than ever next season, occupying perhaps the hottest seat in college football with an 8-16 record in two disappointing years with the Wolverines.

The violations came to light just before the 2009 season when the *Detroit Free Press* reported the program was exceeding NCAA limits on practice and training time, according to anonymous players. That prompted school and NCAA investigations, and the NCAA outlined five potentially major rules violations, all related to practices

and workouts.

The only accusation the school strongly disagreed with was the one that charged Rodriguez with a failure to promote an atmosphere of compliance in his program.

Rodriguez acknowledged making mistakes, but said he was upset by the charge the NCAA made directly at him.

Brandon said the school decided not to take away scholarships or eliminate coaching positions based on precedent.

The school conceded that some of the violations "are major when considered as a whole." But Brandon said it would be "a significant leap" to say Michigan gained a competi-

tive advantage from the violations and the school shouldn't be tagged as a repeat offender despite a 2003 scandal in the basketball program.

Both will be key arguments in August because either one would almost certainly lead to harsher penalties from the NCAA.

The school plans to cut back practice and training time by 130 hours over the next two years, starting this summer, to double the amount of time it said it exceeded NCAA rules. It also trimmed the number of assistants — the so-called quality-control staff — from five to three and banned them from practices, games or coaching meetings for the rest of 2010.

McNamee testifies before Roger Clemens grand jury

WASHINGTON (AP) — The star witness in a possible perjury case against Roger Clemens testified before a federal grand jury Tuesday, a sign that the panel could be nearing a decision on whether to indict the seven-time Cy Young Award winner for allegedly lying to Congress.

Brian McNamee, Clemens' former personal trainer, spent more than 2 1/2 hours inside the courthouse where the grand jury meets. Wearing a dark suit, a bright blue tie and accompanied by two lawyers, McNamee gave a quick wave to reporters as he left the meeting rooms but did not speak.

"No comment," said one of his lawyers, Richard Emery. "Everything is fine."

The grand jury has been hearing from witnesses for at least 16 months as it tries to decide whether a case can be made that Clemens lied under oath in 2008 when he told a Congressional committee that he had never taken steroids or human growth hormone. It is not known how many witnesses have come forth or been subpoenaed because the process is conducted in secret, but a former pitcher (Jason Grimsley), a former gym owner from Texas (Kelly Blair) and a former New York Mets clubhouse attendant (Kirk Radomski) are among those who have passed through the third-floor courthouse doors.

"They've been very deliberate about it," said Clemens' lawyer, Rusty Hardin. "And we don't have any idea where it stands. We're just waiting like everybody else. They have been at it a long time, but that's not for me to comment on. We'll be really glad when there's a decision one way or the other."

McNamee is Clemens' chief adversary in the case and could be considered a logical final witness for the jury. There is at least one



Brian McNamee, former personal trainer for baseball star Roger Clemens, left, arrives at Federal court in Washington Tuesday for a grand jury appearance, with his lawyers Richard Emery, center, and Earl Ward, right.

more witness on the itinerary — former slugger Jose Canseco on June 3 — but he was originally set to testify in April before scheduling conflicts forced a pair of postponements.

McNamee, once close friends with Clemens, claimed in the 2007 Mitchell Report that he injected the 354-game winner with

steroids and human growth hormone at least 16 times in 1998, 2000 and 2001. Clemens denied the allegations, and both repeated their conflicting claims at a congressional hearing on Feb. 13, 2008, with Clemens saying: "I have never taken steroids or HGH."

Lawmakers then asked Justice Department to launch

a probe into whether Clemens lied, and the case was brought to the grand jury after an 11-month FBI inquiry. In January 2009, McNamee met for five hours with Assistant U.S. Attorney Daniel P. Butler, who is leading the investigation and has been presenting evidence to the grand jury.

McNamee also turned over

to government agents bloodied syringes, vials, gauze pads and other items his lawyers said would link Clemens to drug use. Clemens' camp has said those items are "manufactured" evidence. Clemens also filed a defamation suit against McNamee; the case was dismissed by a lower court, but Clemens is appealing.

Magic look to put pressure on Celtics in Game 5

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — The Philadelphia Flyers cap Celtics forward Rasheed Wallace has been wearing to support his hometown team might not be something Boston fans want to see.

Especially now.

More than a week after the Bruins blew an 0-3 series lead to the Flyers, the Celtics are getting an unwanted trip back to Orlando. They'll try to close out the Magic again Wednesday night or put a city that knows all too well about such comebacks halfway to their latest installment.

"It can be done," said Magic guard Jameer Nelson, a St. Joseph's alum who grew up outside Philly.

Only four times in the history of North American major pro sports leagues has a team won a playoff series after losing the first three games. Of course, that might not mean much to Boston fans.

It has happened three times in the NHL — most recently by the Flyers — and once in baseball, when the Boston Red Sox came back to beat the New York Yankees in the 2004 AL championship series.

It's just never been done in the NBA.

"At some point," Magic coach Stan Van Gundy said, "somebody is going to come from 3-0 down and win a series."

Here's Orlando's chance to take another step toward history.

The Magic have Game 5 and — if necessary — Game 7 on their home floor, meaning if they can shift things back to Boston, a series that was seemingly over would suddenly have new life — and a ton of pressure on the Celtics.

Orlando's overtime win in Game 4 showed the grit of a team that had played all year wanting to redeem its NBA finals loss to the Lakers. The debacle that put them in an 0-3 hole, getting blown out with little resistance, did not.

Howard expects the gritty team to show up on Wednesday, but really it's anybody's guess.

"We didn't win the game just to win a game to say we were in this series," Orlando's Dwight Howard said. "We want to make this a series and win this series. We all have to believe that. I told the guys before the game, 'Put out all disbelief, anxiety and fear. We just got to keep playing.'"

The Celtics, meanwhile, aren't exactly about to implode.

Even with the Magic playing the best they have all series, Boston still had chances to eliminate them. The Celtics never trailed by more than 10 and overcame a night when Rajon Rondo and Kevin Garnett were far from stellar.

IF YOU WATCH
Game 5
Celtics at Magic
6:30 p.m., ESPN

Mickelson could end Woods' reign at No. 1

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — It has been 12 years since the creation of the Mark H. McCormack Award, given to the player who has been ranked No. 1 in the world for the most weeks during a calendar year.

Tiger Woods is still the only name engraved on the trophy.

Along with his 14 majors, 82 official victories and more than \$100 million in earnings worldwide, Woods' dominance of his generation is reflected in the world ranking. Dating to the 1998 U.S. Open at Olympic Club, he has been at the top 93 percent of the time.

Woods doesn't stay there forever. He just doesn't vacate the spot for very long.

David Duval took it away from him by winning The Players Championship in 1999 and stayed there for 14 weeks. Five years later, Vijay Singh replaced Woods at No. 1 by beating him at the TPC Boston for one of his nine victories that year. Singh fin-

ished the final four months at No. 1 — not long enough to win the McCormack Award — and didn't give it back until Woods won the Masters the next April.

Phil Mickelson appears to be next in line.

The Masters champion needs only to win Colonial this week to become the 13th player to occupy No. 1 since McCormack, the late founder of IMG, devised the ranking system in 1986. Colonial is more meaningful than ever for Mickelson, for it was last year when the tournament staged a "Pink Out" to support his wife, Amy, who had just learned she had breast cancer.

Mickelson has never been No. 1 at anything in a career that has been second to one. Despite his 40 worldwide victories and four majors, he has never won the money list, player of the year, the FedEx Cup, the Vardon Trophy or reached No. 1 in the world.

If it doesn't happen at Colonial, it figures to happen

soon. A change at the top seems inevitable, more because of what's going on with Woods — chaos in his personal life, back-to-back weeks out of the money for the first time — than with Lefty.

What makes this amazing is how quickly it changed.

Even after Mickelson won the Tour Championship last September, Woods' average was nearly twice as high.

But the longer Woods stayed away from golf while dealing with the fallout from his infidelity, the more points he lost. Mickelson took a big step by winning at Augusta National, his only victory this year, and finishing second alone at Quail Hollow with a birdie on the last hole.

Mickelson is in the best position to seize this opportunity. And if it takes Woods more than a year to sort out his personal life and his game, there might finally be another name to be engraved on the McCormack Award.



AP file photo

Phil Mickelson, right, walks as his compatriot Tiger Woods lines up a putt on the No. 6 green during the final round of the HSBC Champions golf tournament Nov. 8, 2009, at the Sheshan International Golf Club in Shanghai, China.

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NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING MINIDOKA COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minidoka County Commissioners will hold a public hearing amending the Minidoka County Comprehensive Plan. The proposed amendments deal with various topics and issues. The Minidoka County Comprehensive Plan was last reviewed and updated in 2000.

The hearing will be held before the Minidoka County Commissioners at 1:30 p.m. June 14th, 2010, in the Commissioners Meeting room in the courthouse located at 715 G Street, Rupert, Idaho.

The public is invited to attend said hearing and give comment on the proposed zoning matter. Copies of the proposed amendments are available on request at the Minidoka County Community Development Office, located on the second floor of the Courthouse.

Dated this 21st day of May, 2010

Cassie Fowler, Minidoka County Planning & Zoning

PUBLISH: May 26, 2010

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

THE JEROME COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON **Monday, June 28, at 8:00 p.m.** in the District Court Room of the Jerome County Courthouse, 300 North Lincoln, Jerome, Idaho, for the purpose of receiving public comment on the **revision of Chapter 13** of the Jerome County Zoning Ordinances in its entirety.

Interested persons are invited to attend and shall have 5 minutes for public comment. A copy of the proposed changes to Chapter 13 can be seen in its entirety at the Jerome County Planning and Zoning Office between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. week days or at the Jerome City Library, or on the Jerome County Website (www.jeromecounty.org). Staff Reports are available 7 days prior to the Public Hearing. Any person needing special accommodations to participate in the above noticed meeting should contact the Jerome County Planning and Zoning Office by mail or by phone, 208-324-9262, seven days prior to the meeting. The Planning and Zoning Office is located at 300 North Lincoln, Room 307, and Jerome, Idaho.

S/Art Brown
Planning and Zoning Administrator

PUBLISH: May 26, 2010

The Commission on Accreditation of Medical Transport Systems will conduct an accreditation site visit of:

**Air St. Luke's
on June 22 & 23, 2010**

The purpose of the site visit will be to evaluate the program's compliance with nationally established medical transport standards. The site visit results will be used to determine whether, and the conditions under which accreditation should be awarded to the program.

CAMTS accreditation standards deal with issues of patient care and safety of the transport environment. Anyone believing that he or she has pertinent or valid information about such matters may request a public information interview with the CAMTS site surveyors at the time of the site visit. Information presented at the interview will be carefully evaluated for relevance to the accreditation process. Requests for public information interviews must be made in writing and sent to CAMTS no later than 5 business days before the site survey begins. The request should also indicate the nature of the information to be provided during the interview.

Such request should be addressed to:

Office of the Executive Director
Commission on Accreditation of Medical Transport Systems
PO Box 130
Sandy Springs, SC 29677

The Commission will acknowledge such written requests in writing or by telephone and will inform the program of the request for an interview. The Commission will, in turn, notify the interviewee of the date, time and place of the meeting.

This notice is posted in accordance with CAMTS requirements and shall not be removed until the site visit is completed.

Date Posted: May 18, 2010

PUBLISH: May 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FHF-95039 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on September 16, 2010, at the hour of 01:00 PM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE TWIN FALLS COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 425 SHOSHONE STREET NORTH, TWIN FALLS, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of TWIN FALLS, State of Idaho, to-wit: LOT 8 IN BLOCK 1 OF SAWTOOTH SUBDIVISION, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 8 OF PLATS, PAGE 35, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 605 PARNEILL DRIVE, 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 ROBERT A. BOHM, JR. AND KARLA D. BOHM, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to TWIN FALLS TITLE AND ESCROW COMPANY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of BENEFICIAL IDAHO INC., as Beneficiary, dated 5/14/2008, recorded 5/15/2008, under Instrument No. 2008-010939, Mortgage records of TWIN FALLS County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by BENEFICIAL IDAHO INC.. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1508(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 5/14/2008. THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 10/19/2009 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of May 12, 2010 Delinquent Payments from October 19, 2009 5 payments at \$1,226.59 each \$6,132.952 payments at \$1,190.43 each \$2,380.86 (10-19-09 through 05-12-10) Late Charges: \$497.70 Beneficiary Advances: \$197.50 Suspense Credit: \$0.00 TOTAL: \$9,149.01 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$104,784.37, together with interest thereon at 10.890% per annum from 9/19/2009 to 12/19/2009, 10.890% per annum from 12/19/2009 to 3/19/2010, 10.890% per annum from 3/19/2010 to 4/19/2010, 10.890% per annum from 4/19/2010, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same, DATED: 5/12/2010. PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By: Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale information: <http://www.trustee.com> ASAP# 3578033

PUBLISH: May 26, June 2, 9 and 16, 2010

NOTICES

COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO INVITATION TO BID SPECIALIZED EARLY HEAD START FURNITURE

Sealed bids for the specified furniture will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 2, 2010, in the office of the Vice President of Administration in the Taylor Administration Building, 315 Falls Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho and then publicly opened. Bids must be sent or delivered to the above address on or before the above listed date and time to be accepted. The outside of the envelope should clearly indicate "SEALED BID ENCLOSED".

For complete bid specifications, procedures, bid forms and additional information contact Mike Mason at the College of Southern Idaho, P.O. Box 1238, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-1238 or telephone 208-732-8610.

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

John M. Mason
Vice President of Administration

PUBLISH: Times News, May 19 and May 26, 2010

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COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO – HEADSTART INVITATION TO BID VISION SCREENING DEVICES

The College of Southern Idaho South Central Head Start is accepting bids to buy 5 Vision Screening Devices. Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 9, 2010, in the office of the Dean of Finance in the Taylor Administration Building, 315 Falls Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho and then publicly opened.

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

For complete bid specifications, procedures, bid forms and additional information contact Brad Eslinger at (208) 736-0741 ext. 117.

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

Jeffrey M. Harmon
Dean of Finance

PUBLISH: May 26 and June 2, 2010

NEW TODAY

REAL ESTATE

502 Homes For Sale

BURLEY By owner. Great horse property, 10+ acres. Large brick 4 bdrm home, attached garage, shop with overhead door, hay storage, 6 stall mare motel, 9 acres irrigated hay ground, beautiful views, easy access. Priced to sell. Call 208-431-8295.

BURLEY

Vintage 3 bdrm, 1 bath, 1600 sq ft, next to park, 1359 Conant, \$115,000. Call 208-490-1515.

FILER

4 bdrm, 2 bath, 1445 sq ft, 2 car garage, 23 acre, vaulted ceilings, pantry, breakfast bar, RV parking, fully fenced, sprinkler system, \$145,000. Call 208-326-4100 or 404-3412.

RUPERT 3 bdrm, 2 bath home with 2 1/2 acre Minidoka water right. \$9000 below estimated value! 3200 sq. ft. unfinished basement. danielperryhouse.blogspot.com for pictures. Darin or Kristen 208-240-6779

SALMON, ID

Priced Reduced! Paradise Acres CTR 5.22 acres, irrigated, water rights, 444 trees. 693' Salmon River Frontage. Fenced. 2855 sq. ft. log home w/1400 sq. ft. sun-room on river. 3 bdrm, 2 full baths, 1648 sq. ft. insulated heated RV parking barn. \$579,000. View our virtual tour at paigneding.com click view listings. Call Paige Oeding Real Estate at 208 756-2670 for a personal tour.

TWIN FALLS
FOR SALE BY OWNER:
Looking to make a good buy? Large 4 bedroom, 3 bath, bonus, office, 3-car garage. Pickup a House FAX sheet at 589 BOXWOOD DR. 8325,900. Seller/Agent 208-734-8217.

RENTAL PROPERTIES
**0602
Unfurnished Homes**
HAGERMAN Nice 3 bdrm., 1 bath. Rent \$650/\$650 deposit. Pets ok. 771-2339 www.slimco.com
KIMBERLY 3 bdrm 2 bath 2 car, almost new, fenced, \$575 + dep. 647 Parkwood, 208-420-3983.

AGRICULTURE

701 Livestock/ Poultry

COW CALF PAIRS
for sale (13)
Call 290-1561.

AGRICULTURE

701 Livestock/ Poultry

**Times-News
Classifieds
208-733-0931 ext. 2**

704 Pets and Pet Supplies

BORDER COLLIE PUPS red and white. 4 males, out of working stock. Hagerman 208-421-0698.

PUGS purebred puppies, fawn, 1" shots, ready to go, 9 weeks. \$200. 208-731-9502

SCOTTISH TERRIER PUPPIES. AKC Reg. blacks & wheaters. \$500. Ready now! 731-7789.

YORKIE pups b/wks AKC cute, small fine breeding. \$650 & up. 3.5 & 4.5 lb. parents, shots etc. 731-9788

705 Farm Equipment

FORD 9N tractor, runs good, good tires, 3 point blade. \$1500. Call 208-532-4191

HESSTON 4655 Baler, exc cond. \$10,500. Call 208-731-4937

AGRICULTURE

820 Tools/ Machinery

GENERATOR 100KW Winco, 6 cyl Turbo diesel, 120-480V, 1-3 phase, enclosed, 300 actual hrs. Like new \$6900. 208-320-4058

822 Wanted To Buy

S & S GOLD BUYERS
We buy anything gold.
House calls.
Call 208-324-4493

WANTED 1990's truck camper, 8 to 8 1/2' self contained, in good condition. Call 208-539-9595.

824 Guns & Rifles

T/C CONTENDER rifle with 3 barrels. 22 long rifle, 223 & 22 Hornet. Plus ammo, arcomstom thumb hole stock. \$1000/all. 734-3657.

826 Sporting Equipment

CADDIS U TUBE, Cabelas Stocking foot wader. Creek Company flip-flops. Kunt life vest, never been in the water. Pkg \$290. 410-5248.

RECREATIONAL

901 ATVs

KAWASAKI '02 Mule 3010, 4x4, gas, hyd dump bed, clean & well main. \$4900. 820-4058.

903 Boats & Accessories

JET BOAT, 21' Jet Craft, white water deep hull, 7.4L Kodak Marine V8, 365hp, American Turbine pump, seats 6, boat and trailer immaculate. \$15,900. Call 208-320-4058

FORD '93 F-700 dump, 8 yard bed, 6.8L Ford diesel, Allison, AT, PS, AC, 20,000 actual miles, one owner, well maintained \$10,900. 208-320-4058

FORD '93 F-700 water truck, 1800 gal. front & rear spray-draft, transfer, 6 cyl turbo diesel, 9 spd Fuller trans, 54000 actual miles, 1 owner, immaculate \$12,900. 208-320-4058.

903 Boats & Accessories

SKEETER PRO SE150 Bass Boat, 17', 150hp Mercury, motor guide, 54lb elect motor. Has canvas top, low hours, immaculate, ready to fish. \$5800. Call 208-320-4058

905 Motor Homes & RVs

MOTORHOME '84 Cruise Air, \$8000 or best offer. Need to sell. Call 410-2047 or 308-2907.

907 Travel Trailers

NASH '94 Excellent condition, 5 brand new tires, 2 brand new batteries, small generator, fully loaded, \$4700. 208-312-1358.

TRANSPORTATION

**1005
Semis And Heavy
Equipment**

35,000 Actual Miles

FORD '91 F-350 welding truck with Miller 40 welder, nice welding bed w/compartment for tools, torch, 7.3 diesel, AT, 1 owner, extremely clean. \$6500. 208-320-4058.

FORD '91 F-450 with 37' Versalift manlift, V8 AT, AC, new radials, current certification 1 owner, immaculate. \$10,900. 320-4058

FORD '97 F-450 with 37' Versalift manlift, V8 AT, AC, new radials, current certification 1 owner, immaculate. \$10,900. 320-4058

DUMP TRUCK Ford '97 F-450 SD with 5 yd dump & crane. Powerstroke diesel, AT, AC, \$9,000 actual mis, one owner, work ready, \$6500. 320-4058

FORD '89 F-600 w/15 ft. flatbed & lift gate, 370 V8, 552, new radials, 41,000 actual mi, in new cond. One owner. \$6900. Call 208-320-4058

FORD '93 Expedition 4x4 V8, AT, PS, AC, PW, CC, 8000 Warn winch + bumper. New radials, 1 owner, perfect hunting vehicle. \$6500. 208-320-4058.

JEEP '88 CJ5, has '88 V8 Buick motor, runs good, \$2500. Call 208-308-5702 or 308-5598.

MG '77 MGB GreenTan, 500 miles since total mechanical overhaul, new top, new tires, \$6800+offer. 208-420-4088 or 208-733-1288

CHEVY '99 Suburban 4x4, V8, AT, AC, CC, PW, 3rd seat, rear air, 1 owner, exc cond. \$6900. 208-320-4058

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1005 Semis And Heavy Equipment

IHC '71 4200 with wet kit, 350 hp, Detroit turbo diesel, 13 speed, PS, 170,000 actual mi, extremely clean, Forestry Dept. unit. \$8900. Call 208-320-4058

IHC '96 9300 long wheel base, Cummins, Big Cam 400 with 13 spd trans, PS, AC, wet kit, low miles 1 owner \$12,900 320-4058

IHC '89 1900 with 8 yard dump, DT466 diesel, 6 & 2 low miles, exc. Rubber, 1 owner, \$7900. 320-4058

IHC 9200 with 15 yd. Dump bed. Near new factory reman 350 hp, Detroit turbo diesel, 13 speed, Hendrickson suspension, Exc. radials, no recaps. One owner. Forestry Dept. Truck. Extremely clean \$11,900. 208-320-4058

PETERBILT with 15 yard bed and 15 speed trans, Hendrickson suspension, 350 hp, Detroit turbo diesel, previous forest service truck, low miles and immaculate \$13,900. 208-320-4058

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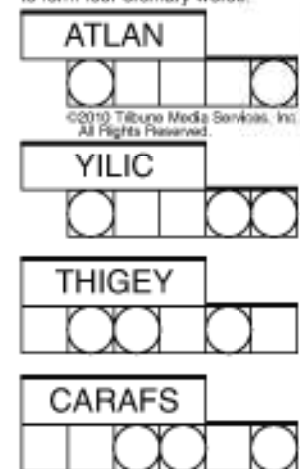
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JUMBLE

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.



A: " " (Answers tomorrow)
Yesterday's Jumbles: STADY BALMY PESTLE OUTLET
Answer: What the deadbeat hobbyist collected — PAST DUE BILLS

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
by Mike Arginton and Jeff Keurik



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

NOTICES

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Actions planned and taken by your government are contained in public notices. They are part of your right to know and to be informed of what your government is doing. As self-government charges all citizens to be informed, this newspaper urges every citizen to read and study these notices. We advise those citizens who seek further information to exercise their right to access public records and public meetings.

IMPORTANT

Please address all legal advertising to:
LEGAL ADVERTISING
The Times-News
PO Box 548
Twin Falls, Idaho
83303-0548
email to
legals@magicvalley.com

Deadline for legal ads: 3 days prior to publication, noon on Wednesday for Sunday, noon on Thursday for Monday, noon on Friday for Tuesday and Wednesday, noon on Monday for Thursday and noon on Tuesday for Friday and Saturday. Holiday deadlines may vary. If you have any questions call Ruby, legal clerk, at 208-735-3324.

NOTICE OF LETTING

Sealed proposals will be received by the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION BOARD only at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 3311 WEST STATE STREET, BOISE, IDAHO 83703, ATTN: ROADWAY DESIGN until two o'clock p.m., on June 15, 2010, for the work of recycled asphalt base stabilization, overlay and superpave; STC-2847, Old Hwy 81 South, known as **Idaho Federal Aid Project No. A011(948), in Cassia County, Key No. 11948.**

[ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: RESIDENT ENGINEER ***KIMBOL ALLEN*** AT (208) 544-7901.] Plans, specifications, form of contract, proposal forms, and other information may be obtained at the office of the Idaho Transportation Department, Boise, Idaho, and are on file for examination at the office of the District Engineer at Shoshone Idaho.

A non-refundable handling and mailing charge of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) plus applicable sales tax will be made for bid documents. Phone orders to (800) 732-2098 (in Idaho) or (208) 334-8430 shall be made by credit card (Visa or Mastercard). Written requests shall be made by check or money order to the Idaho Transportation Department, Attn: Revenue Operations, P. O. Box 34, Boise, ID 83731-0034.
Dated May 17, 2010
TOM COLE, P.E.
Chief Engineer

PUBLISH: May 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FMB-94077 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on August 26, 2010, at the hour of 12:00 PM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE CASSIA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 1459 OVERLAND AVENUE, BURLEY, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of CASSIA, State of Idaho, to-wit: TOWNSHIP 11 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN, CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO SECTION 14: THAT PART OF THE SW1/4SE1/4, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE SAID SW1/4SE1/4 OF SECTION 14; THENCE WEST 325 FEET; THENCE NORTH 505 FEET; THENCE EAST 325 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 505 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, LESS THE SOUTH 33 FEET, AS DEEDED FOR HIGHWAY PURPOSES. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **320 EAST 500 SOUTH ALSO APPEARS OF RECORD AS 325 EAST 500 SOUTH, BURLEY, ID 83318**, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **DORA A. GLOVER AND COULTER SCOTT GLOVER, WIFE AND HUSBAND**, as Grantor, to TITLEFACT, INC., AN IDAHO CORPORATION, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK OF TWIN FALLS, as Beneficiary, dated 1/26/2007, recorded 1/31/2007, under Instrument No. 313631, Mortgage records of CASSIA County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee of the Home Equity Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Trust Series INABS 2007-A, Home Equity Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series INABS 2007-A under the Pooling and Servicing agreement dated Mar 1, 2007. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 1/26/2007, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 1/1/2010 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of April 21, 2010 Delinquent Payments from January 01, 2010 2 payments at \$ 668.16 each \$ 1,336.32 2 payments at \$ 658.96 each \$ 1,317.92 (01-01-10 through 04-21-10) Late Charges: \$ 114.52 Beneficiary Advances: \$ 22.00 Suspense Credit: \$ 0.00 TOTAL: \$ 2,790.76 All delinquencies are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The principal balance is \$68,203.62, together with interest thereon at 9.250% per annum from 12/1/2009 to 3/1/2010, 9.250% per annum from 3/1/2010, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 4/21/2010, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By Amy L. Bowles, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: <http://www.rtrustee.com> ASAP# 3547344

PUBLISH: May 5, 12, 19 and 26, 2010

See what's new at
www.magicvalley.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

101 Lost and Found

FOUND Bicycle
at Harry Barry Park.
Call to identify 208-735-2456.

FOUND Dog, female possibly part Dalmatian, found on the corner of Blue Lakes and Falls. 423-6355

FOUND Female yellow Lab cross, N. of Filer with collar but no tags. Call 208-326-2220

FOUND Filer, Adult female black cat with orange flecks, spayed, declawed. Sweet. 423-4312

FOUND on Declo Hwy Bull Mastiff Mix Puppy. Call 431-8153 asap or will be adopted.

FOUND Small Tan/white puppy, found near Simplot in Heyburn with collar, no tags, call to identify, 208-219-9516 or 208-431-1758

LOST Cat, male, long hair, Siamese Manx, buff and gray with blue eyes. Lost in the Boxwood Court Filer Ave E. area. Reward! 308-8397 or 731-8698

LOST Mini Schnauzer, male, dark gray on top light gray on bottom, has brown leather collar, has name and rabies tag, on meds. My son's therapy dog. REWARD. Call 208-410-1469 or 404-1341.

LOST Siamese Manx Cat, declawed, female. Lost in the Rupert/Paul area. REWARD! Call 532-4176 or 431-4176.

LOST Wallet, large, black, stainless steel chain attached. Lost on Eastland and Addison near the Slinker Station. Reward 208-948-0463.

106 Special Notices

BIRTHDAY PHOTOS

Have you forgotten to pickup your birthday photos? We have some photos we are sure you don't want us to toss. These can be picked up at The Times-News Classified Dept.

107 Pregnancy Alternatives

Pregnant? Worried?
Free Pregnancy Tests
Confidential
208-734-7472

108 Professional Services

Bankruptcy & Debt Counseling
Free 1/2 hr consultation. Competitive Rates. We are a debt relief agency. We help people file for bankruptcy relief under the bankruptcy code.
May, Browning & May
208-733-7180

BANKRUPTCY ATTORNEY
Accurate, dependable & very experienced. Free telephone consultations. We are a debt relief agency helping people file for bankruptcy relief.
Bradley Rice, Attorney at Law
208-734-3367 or toll free @ 866-734-3369

110 HOME HEALTH CARE

SEEKING HOME CARE Quality caregiver needed. Must have references & exp. Please stop by for details. 330 Monroe PL TF.

WANTED Mature women to cook meals, do light housekeeping and keep an 83 yr old woman company. Live in preferred.
Send resume to Occupant
PO Box 2782 Twin Falls, ID 83303

0113 Child Care Services

CHILD CARE in my home 24 hours, ICCP and First Aid Certified. Please call Ana 208-212-0058.

EMPLOYMENT

200 Work Wanted

STUDENTS FOR HIRE
Part-time jobs wanted
Magic Valley High School
Dependable, Honest, Diligent, Hard-working, Friendly, Positive, Willing Students After school & weekends. Contributing to the Community.
Contact David Brown
School 733-8823 or Cell 293-2062

MANUFACTURING

PRODUCTION OPPORTUNITIES TWIN FALLS

We're Jayco, a respected leader in the recreational vehicle industry for over 40 years. We have production openings at our Twin Falls manufacturing facility. Applicants must be able to use a variety of hand and power tools such as drills, nailers, staplers, routers, etc. in a fast paced environment requiring bending, stopping and lifting. RV or other related manufacturing experience is desirable. Knowledge of blueprints or a construction/manufacturing background is a plus.

Jayco offers competitive wages and a comprehensive benefits package including health, life, dental, and disability insurance; an attractive 401(k) retirement plan; tax free health and dependent care reimbursement accounts; employee product purchase discounts and more.

For confidential consideration, apply in person between 7:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m. at Jayco, Inc., 511 Hankins Road, Twin Falls, ID 83301
By e-mail (Jayco_west@jayco.com) or by fax (574-825-6037).
NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT: www.jayco.com



200 Work Wanted

PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE
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206 Drivers

CLASSIFIEDS
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DRIVER

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- *Clean driving record
- *HAZMAT after training

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DRIVERS

READY FOR A NEW OPPORTUNITY?

Then come to our Idaho Hiring Event for drivers!!!

Best Western, Idaho Falls Wed., May 26th, 9am-4pm
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We have Home Weekly & Regional Options!
*Team & Solo OTR positions
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DRIVERS

Semi truck driver needed Class A CDL full time year round. Must have 2 yrs exp in hauling bulk potatoes in a belt trailer & driving. Apply in person at MCM Trucking 446 Hwy 30 E. Kimberly.

207 Education

EDUCATION
Hansen School District #415
Position Openings:
*Two Paraprofessional Special Education
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Send resume to: tstandley@hansen.k12.id.us

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209 General

GENERAL
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GENERAL

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GENERAL
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GENERAL
FOOD PROCESSING
Twin Falls food processing company has several openings for general laborers. Must be flexible to work on various shifts. No experience necessary; all training is provided. Excellent benefits are available. Apply in person at 754 N. College Rd., Suite B. 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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209 General

GENERAL

Job Fair
Friday, May 28th, 11am-3pm at the Boiler in the Sun Valley Village
Hiring Managers will be present.
Refreshments will be provided to all that apply.
Summer & Year-Round Job Opportunities:
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• Mountain Department
• Hotels
• Recreation
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GENERAL

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GENERAL
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TRADES

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Years of experience- More than 2 years.
Degree/Technical Background- Ammonia and steam properties training.
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Jerome, ID 83338, 208-324-8806
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GENERAL

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DRAFTING TECHNICIAN

We have an excellent opportunity for a Drafting Technician at our Twin Falls, Idaho sugar beet processing facility.

Candidates must prepare clear, complete, and detail drawings using AutoCad software, and hand drafting techniques, must produce properly illustrated design specifications in a readable, and appropriate manner using information from sketches and blue prints, must be familiar with the latest drafting techniques, tools, and programs.

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Attn: Andy Kevan
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GENERAL

Logistics Operations Research Analyst Gooding, Idaho

Position duties and responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Complete research related to shipments of Glanbia products.
- Develop and compile shipping reports to understand the status of orders prior to shipment, during transit and during delivery.
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- Communicate effectively with sales, logistics and operations regarding any issues that could result in late or delayed shipments.
- Utilize website tools, telephone calls and e-mails to complete the research required to perform the tasks described above.
- Provide prompt responses to questions from sales, operations and supply chain.
- Research issues and work with Sales, Production, Quality Assurance and Logistics to respond, mitigate and prevent issues from reoccurring.

Requirements include:

- Requires a High School diploma and a minimum of one year experience in data entry.
- Ability to work Friday, Saturday, Sunday & Monday

Glanbia Foods offers an excellent benefit and compensation program that includes medical, dental, disability, 401(k), vacation & personal days, and career advancement opportunities.

Apply on line at www.glanbiausa.com.



Today is Wednesday, May 26, the 146th day of 2010. There are 219 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight:

On May 26, 1940, the evacuation of more than 338,000 Allied troops from Dunkirk, France, began during World War II.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:

In 1521, Martin Luther was banned by the Edict of Worms because of his religious beliefs and writings.

In 1868, the impeachment trial of President Andrew Johnson ended with his acquittal on the remaining charges.

In 1908, the first major oil strike in the Middle East occurred in Masjid-i-Suleiman, Persia (Iran).

In 1913, Actors' Equity Association was organized in New York.

In 1938, the House Un-American Activities Committee was established by Congress.

In 1960, U.N. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge accused the Soviets of hiding a microphone inside a wood carving of the Great Seal of the United States that had been presented to the U.S. embassy in Moscow.

In 1969, the Apollo 10 astronauts returned to Earth after a successful eight-day dress rehearsal for the first manned moon landing.

In 1972, President Richard M. Nixon and Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev signed the Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty in Moscow. (The U.S. withdrew from the treaty in 2002.)

In 1981, 14 people were killed when a Marine jet crashed onto the flight deck of the aircraft carrier USS Nimitz off Florida.

In 1994, Michael Jackson and Lisa Marie Presley were married in the Dominican Republic. (The marriage, however, ended in 1996.)

Ten years ago: Barry Grunow, 35, an English teacher at Lake Worth Community Middle School in Florida, was shot to death by Nathaniel Brazill, a seventh grader, after the teacher refused to let him talk with two girls in his classroom. (Brazill was convicted of second-degree murder and is serving a 28-year sentence.)

Five years ago: President George W. Bush received Palestinian leader Mahmoud Abbas at the White House; Bush called Abbas a courageous democratic reformer and bolstered his standing at home with \$50 million in assistance. Investigators confirmed five cases in which military personnel mishandled the Qurans of Muslim prisoners at Guantanamo Bay, but said they had found no "credible evidence" that a holy book was flushed in a toilet. Actor Eddie Albert died in Los Angeles at age 99.

One year ago: President Barack Obama nominated Sonia Sotomayor to be the first Hispanic justice on the U.S. Supreme Court. California's Supreme Court upheld the Proposition 8 gay marriage ban but said the 18,000 same-sex weddings that had taken place before the prohibition passed were still valid.

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209 General

GENERAL



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GENERAL

SUMMER WORK

\$15 base/appt. Immediate openings, customer sales/svc, no exp. req., conditions apply, all ages 18+. Call 734-8891

GENERAL

The USDA, Farm Service Agency in Jerome is advertising for a **Loan Assistant/Specialist** position. Duties include assisting in administering Farm Loan Programs, providing technical advice, guidance, and credit counseling to borrowers, knowledge of financial management practices and farm operations. Salary ranges \$31,315 - \$74,628 ann DOE. To apply for this job go to www.usajobs.opm.gov Announcement numbers UK349688FSA-VB and UK346454-ID-JT. Closing date is June 7. Questions contact Brandi Wiggins (208) 378-5670. USDA is an equal opportunity employer

RESTAURANT

Counter Person
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211 Medical

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MEDICAL

Learn Phlebotomy
12 hour course being offered. June 3rd, 4th & 5th in Burley. For more information Call Wendy 208-785-4801

MEDICAL

Resident Care Associates needed 1 FT graveyard, & 1 FT evenings. Prefer CNA but not required. Med pass certified a plus. Apply in person at Wynwood 1367 Locust St. N Twin Falls.

MEDICAL

We have a Part-time/PRN CNA/Caregiver position available at our Hospice Home. Do you have compassion for people facing their end-of-life journey? If so, we need you to share your gift. Reliable transportation a must. Come be apart of our dream team NOW! Applications available at 209 Shoup Ave. W, TF - EOE

213 Professional

PROFESSIONAL

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216 Trades

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EDUCATION

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REAL ESTATE

501 Open House

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502 Homes For Sale

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FOR SALE

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RENTAL PROPERTIES

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**604
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I don't know why Paul chose to reveal Amy's existence to me — and only me — but I told my brother he needs to share his "secret" with all concerned. I don't think it's fair for Amy to be deprived of meeting her father's side of the family.

I also don't want anyone to get hurt, but Amy has been hurt enough by this secret. I am uncomfortable that my brother has included me in this conspiracy, and I'm not sure how to handle this. Any ideas?

— IN THE MIDDLE
IN NEW JERSEY



DEAR ABBY
Jeanne Phillips

DEAR IN THE MIDDLE: On some level your brother may want the truth to come out, because when a secret is shared it's no longer a secret. So tell your brother that you refuse to be his co-conspirator, and that you feel his keeping Amy isolated from the family is unfair to her. Then give him a deadline to come clean, with the understanding that if he doesn't, you will.

DEAR ABBY: Now that I have found a job after a few months of unemployment, my boyfriend and I are tying the knot. I work in a very small office and would like to invite everyone to bring a date to the reception. My dilemma? I suspect that two of the men in the office are involved with each other, and I'm not close enough to anyone else to inquire.

I have no problem with their sexual orientation, but I don't want to put my foot in my mouth by inviting them as a couple. What would you think of posting an invitation (postcards and e-vites) to all employees and their dates? I ordinarily wouldn't, but being a little "gauche" seems better than being downright rude. I suspect the men downplay their relationship, and I don't want to invade their privacy. Abby, what would you do?

— BRIDE WITH
A DILEMMA

DEAR BRIDE: I would handle it by inviting each of my co-workers, stating "and guest" on the invitation, and asking for an RSVP. Then, whoever they choose to bring is up to them, and all I'd need to know is how many guests to expect at the reception.

DEAR ABBY: I have been dating "Luke" for about three months. He's a sweet and thoughtful guy who cares about me, and I care for him as well.

My problem is I have never been the kind of person who likes to be touched. It makes me feel tense and uneasy. Luke likes to touch me constantly — stroking my cheek, rubbing the back of my neck, or kissing my cheeks and forehead.

It isn't that I don't like hugs or kisses, but too much drives me crazy. How do I explain this to Luke without hurting his feelings?

— ENOUGH IN
THE SOUTHWEST

DEAR ENOUGH: A good start would be to say to him exactly what you have communicated to me. And when you do, tell him to please not take your feelings as personal rejection. Different people have different needs for closeness and affection. Because the constant touching makes you uncomfortable, you and Luke must reach a compromise that's acceptable to both of you — or you're not the girl for him.

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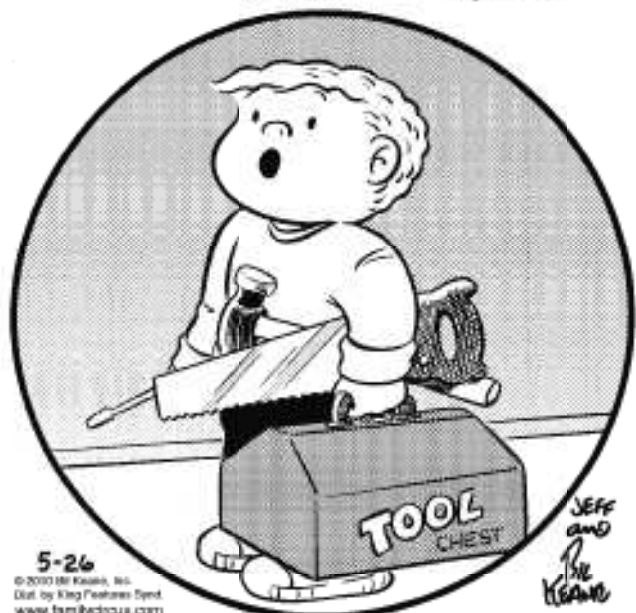
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IF MAY 26 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: Groups, clubs or social networking could take up too much time during the next several weeks, but if you wait until August to join a new group you may make lasting friendships. During August, your ambitions may rise to the surface, but this is not the time to make your move. Remain diligent about getting your tasks completed in a timely manner and remain above reproach and by the end of November or early in December you will see some happy results. If you receive any kind of offer or opportunity, no matter how small, accept it, because it can lead to bigger and better things.

HOROSCOPE

Jeraldine Saunders

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Mild flirtations, although pleasant, are little more than a time-killing exercise. Hold off on spending, as nothing worthwhile is likely to result from a purchase.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Proceed with caution. Be on your best behavior, as a social situation could include an integral step towards your future well-being.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Choose your course of action and stick to it. It is much too easy to let trivial events such as daydreams or fantasies distract you. Stay focused; mind your own business.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Newer is not always better. Take some time to enjoy some leisurely activities, but don't let someone convince you to try something that makes you uncomfortable.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Sidestep contentiousness. It is easy to be misunderstood so do your best to remain clear as a bell. Keep your money in your pocket and credit card tucked away.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Make sure to stock up your pocket book for action, as unforeseen expenses may appear. In regards to romantic pursuits, there is no penalty for saying "no."

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Some days you are hot, some days you are not. This is one of those "not" days, so be extra polite to the people that you meet and don't push for a decision.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Tread carefully in social situations. Misunderstandings could occur without your awareness or fly under your emotional radar. Facts will never hurt you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Listen to older cronies and put the wisdom that you gain to good use. This is the time to take care of those nagging little tasks around the house.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): It is commendable to aspire to higher things. You often want to charge forward. Try to see things from the other party's view; you do not need to lead all the time.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You might have lofty ideals but do not try to set yourself above everyone else in the group. When you are vague about details you leave others floundering.

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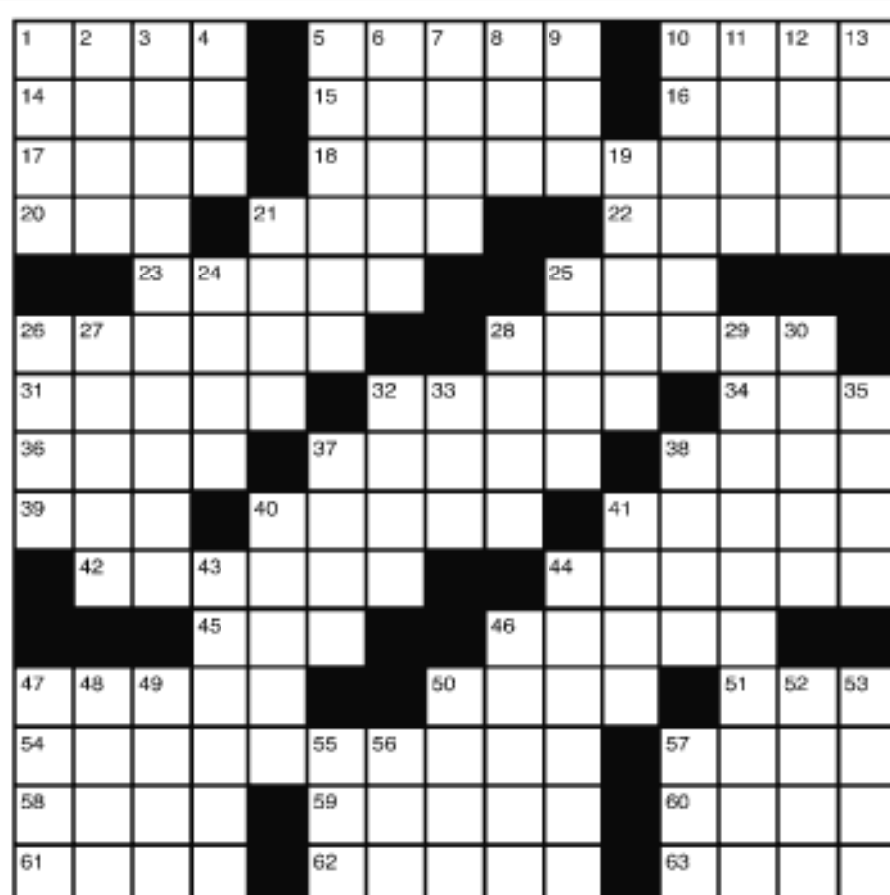
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- 1 Queen's mate
- 5 Sheep's cry
- 10 One's own online diary, sort of
- 14 Notion
- 15 Sound portion of a telecast
- 16 City in Nevada
- 17 Poor area
- 18 Crassness
- 20 Stage scenery
- 21 Flair; spirit
- 22 Carousels and Ferris wheels
- 23 Amazon or Nile
- 25 Gallop
- 26 Actor Kevin
- 28 Deep valley
- 31 Refueling ship
- 32 Vote into office
- 34 Energy
- 36 Eager
- 37 Actress Hilary
- 38 Shadowbox
- 39 Cooking receptacle
- 40 Dozed
- 41 Make points
- 42 Infectious bacterial disease
- 44 Stylish; suave
- 45 Hearing organ
- 46 Excuse
- 47 Fish by dragging a net
- 50 Hat's edge
- 51 Bather's spot
- 54 Cold period
- 57 Stack
- 58 Skin problem
- 59 Canadian territory
- 60 Charged atoms
- 61 Scorch
- 62 ___ oneself; strain
- 63 Small fly

DOWN

- 1 Smooch
- 2 Doing nothing
- 3 Refusal to take sides in a war
- 4 Shapely leg
- 5 Singer Pearl



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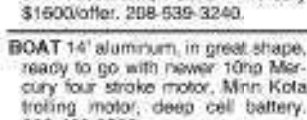
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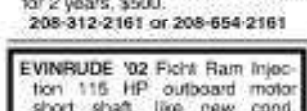
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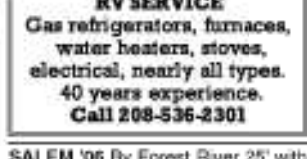
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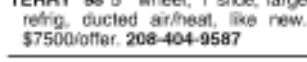
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Wednesday, May 26, 2010

THE ACES ON BRIDGE®

Bobby Wolff

"Whence are we, and why are we? Of what scene The actors or spectators?"
—Percy Bysshe Shelley

Today's deal highlights one of my favorite players in the women's game, Catherine D'Ovidio of France.

The point of the deal is that even at the top levels of the game, declarers may be prepared to invest a trick by making a deceptive play, assuming that no defender will believe they are capable of such deviousness. Witness this deal from the 1997 Venice Cup quarterfinals.

D'Ovidio was playing a disciplined weak-two style, which persuaded Veronique Bessis to make a constructive rather than a preemptive try for game. Now South was never going to reject that invitation.

She made 10 tricks, but the way she did so was interesting. On West's low spade lead, D'Ovidio played low from dummy. As the cards lay, this was a play that might well have required some embarrassing explanations to her teammates.

D'Ovidio had reasoned correctly that this play would put East under a great deal of pressure if she had ace-king-nine, and that East was never going to be able to read the position and put in the nine if she was looking at her actual holding.

D'Ovidio had calculated accurately, East duly winning the spade ace at trick one. That meant 10 tricks for North-South in due course, when declarer guessed clubs.

Incidentally, if you want to play in, or watch, a world championship in the United States, an opportunity will present itself in Philadelphia this October. The events are open to everyone. For more information check out <http://www.usbf.org>.

NORTH 05-26-A

♠ Q 10 6
♥ A 8 5 4
♦ 5 3 2
♣ A J 8

EAST
♠ A 9 5 4
♥ 7
♦ A Q 10 7 4
♣ 9 5 3

SOUTH
♠ 8 7 3
♥ K Q J 6 3 2
♦ 8
♣ K 10 2

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
2 ♣	Pass	2 NT	Pass
3 ♥	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	All pass		

Opening lead: Spade two

BID WITH THE ACES

05-26-B

South holds:

♠ Q 10 6
♥ A 8 5 4
♦ 5 3 2
♣ A J 8

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass	Pass
?			

ANSWER: You rate to be facing a minimum balanced hand (one that cannot raise hearts or repeat clubs) and so you have no source of tricks. It feels right if just a little pessimistic to rebid one no-trump rather than trying for game with a call of two no-trump. Partner may not expect you to hold quite so much, but there is more to the game than just counting points.

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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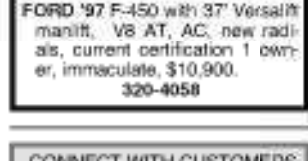
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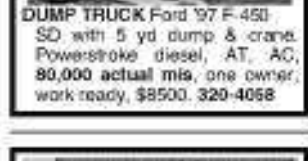
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By Dave Green

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Answer to previous puzzle

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