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By Ben Botkin

Times-News writer

A longtime candidate in Magic Valley elections faces Rep. Stephen Hartgen in the Nov. 2 election.

Bill Chisholm of Buhl is running on the Democratic ticket against

Hartgen, the Republican incumbent seeking a second two-year District 23 term.

For Chisholm, 64, running for office has been a pastime in every election since



While he hasn't elected, Chisholm said his campaigns still serve a purpose of bringing awareness to issues and possible solutions



to the forefront. "I've won every campaign; I've just lost every election," he said.

Chisholm said he's concerned about a lack of proactive approaches and solution-finding within the Legislature.

"I don't see any thinking that's going on about what can we do to put a little vibrancy back into the economy," he said.

He believes that legalizing industrial hemp in Idaho is one example that would rejuvenate the economy, noting that it's a crop allowed in Canada.

"We need to open up the door

By Mike Christensen Times-News writer

The question boomed through the speakers in the multipurpose room at Perrine Elementary School: "How are we going to do that?"

The answer, shouted in chorus by the students, came back even louder: "Read!"

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'Read Like an Eagle' program, during which CSI athletes will visit Twin Falls elementary schools to encourage students to read.

WATCH video and see more MΛ pictures of Monday's "Read Like an Eagle" assembly at Perrine Elementary School. MAGICVÁLLEY.COM

College of Southern Idaho basketball player Gerson do Espirito Santo high-fives students Monday at Perrine Elementary School in Twin Falls. The event was part of the

CSI kicks off reading program at Twin Falls schools

"It's the whole motivational process," Perrine Principal Bill Brulotte said. "There's a lot of kids who just think reading is only during the school hour, and it's much more than just the school hour it's a lifelong learning environment that we teach kids." That goal got a boost Monday from six CSI athletes. Men's basketball players Pierre Jackson of Las Vegas, Paul Bunch of Chicago and Gerson do Espirito Santo of Brazil were joined by women's basketball players Guilhermina El-Mir of Australia, Kylee Schierman of Oregon and Holly Checketts of Preston. Women's basketball assistant coach Tessa Balsick was also on hand, along with Jason Vickrey, CSI's coordinator of marketing and athletic promotions. The athletes shared their favorite books, with Dr. Seuss' "Green Eggs and Ham" and the Harry Potter series among those mentioned repeatedly. Then the 5-foot-10 Jackson beat out 7-footers Bunch and Santo in a dunk contest judged by the students' cheers.







Photos by ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

The "that" in the question could have been any number of things – learn history, improve problemsolving or just have fun.

That fact gets to the heart of the "Read Like an Eagle" program, kicked off Monday by the College of Southern Idaho's athletics department with a pair of afternoon assemblies at Perrine Elementary.

The program, offered at all seven elementary schools in Twin Falls, is designed to get kids excited about reading and offer them a reward for their efforts.

Students will receive a generaladmission ticket good for any regular-season CSI athletic event to use as a bookmark. Each time students finish a book, their teachers will sign the back of the bookmark, making it valid for free admission.

Additionally, students who achieve the reading goals set by their teachers for the current semester will receive a "Read Like an Eagle" T-shirt and will be honored during halftime at CSI basketball games on Jan. 13 and 20.

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CSI basketball player Guilhermina EI-Mir slam dunks the ball during the 'Read Like an Eagle' event Monday at Perrine Elementary School in Twin Falls.

logic," Stoker said. entrance, the clerk's station and the bourbon section. Suspects "This is one of the more idiotic entered the store and took approximately \$300 in liquor thought processes items. Damage to liquor stock destroyed in the break-in is estithe mated at \$6,000. McKean, 19, of Twin Falls,

received a bit of leniency from Stoker as the state, represented by Twin Falls County Deputy Prosecutor Melissa Kippes, argued for 180 days in the county slam. When Stoker asked Kippes to explain the difference in jail

See MCKEAN, Main 2

and put ideas on the table – think them through instead of doing all this knee-jerk reactionary stuff," he said.

Chisholm said his diverse background would make him a suitable candidate. For example, he was a Bureau of Land Management firefighter for 17 years, and has served on boards of organizations such as the Idaho

See HOUSE. Main 2

Pacific Ethanol to pay tax on plant's \$90M assessed value

By Laurie Welch Times-News writer

BURLEY - Cassia County commissioners denied a request on Monday to cancel property taxes for a Burley ethanol company.

The request by Pacific Ethanol Inc. arrived as a letter addressed to commissioners, asking that the county cancel the company's 2010 tax bill under an Idaho law that allows county commissions to cancel taxes due to an error or double assessment.

Cassia County Assessor Marty Holland said the reason why the company's tax bill increased in 2010 is that the company's Burley plant wasn't operational in 2009. The company shuttered the plant for nearly a year while it was reorganized in bankruptcy court.

In 2009, the plant's valuation was reduced from nearly \$90 million to

See TAX, Main 2

McKean to serve 90 days for liquor-store burglary

By Bradley Guire Times-News writer

Tears and a 2-year-old daughter to care for didn't save Kristan McKean from jail time.

McKean became the third of six individuals to be sentenced for the May burglary of the Kimberly Road liquor store when she appeared Monday in Twin Falls County 5th District Court.

Judge Randy Stoker imposed six years in state prison each on counts of burglary and grand theft, with both sentences suspended for a six-year probation-

ary period. In addition, he ordered McKean to serve a 90-day jail term and pay, at least in part, \$34,638.41 in restitution her co-defendants have also been ordered to pay.

McKean's statement prior to being sentenced was brief and barely audible through tears and a broken voice: "I'm sorry for the emotional and physical damage I caused anybody."

Stoker's comments during the hearing echoed those of Judge G. Richard Bevan, who sentenced two of McKean's co-defendants. "I still do not understand the

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McKean

in criminal thinking I've seen in my time on bench." At 5:26 a.m. May 20, Twin Falls police found a stolen

Pontiac car lodged inside State Liquor Store No. 201. Surveillance video from the store showed suspects ramming the car through the store's front doors and destroying the



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Pat's Picks Three things to do today

Pat Marcantonio

• Diane Josephy Peavey talks about her journey from East Coast city life to a sheep ranch in Idaho in the "The Journey From East to West, Urban to Rural" at 6 p.m. at the Hailey Public Library, 7 W. Croy St.

• The world's longest mountain bike race is chronicled in the award-winning documentary, "Ride The Divide," at 7:30 p.m. at Sun Valley Resort Opera House. Tickets are \$10.

• Rediscover the South Hills. With the trees changing for autumn, now is the time for a drive. There are plenty of places to stop and picnic, walk or just enjoy the fall reds and yellows on the trees with nice music playing on your car stereo.

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

House

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Conservation League, Idaho Rural Council and Twin Falls County Local Emergency Planning Committee.

He's also a carpenter and handvman. Chisholm has a bachelor's degree in business from Idaho State University, which he received in 1970.

Hartgen, 65, was appoint ed to his seat to fill a vacancy in July 2008 and successfully ran for re-election the following November.

Hartgen said he's interest ed in pursuing legislation that will encourage geothermal development on the state's public lands by making the lease rates more attractive to developers. interested in serving on the Currently, rates on state House public lands are not competitive with the rates on federal public lands such as those overseen by the Bureau of Land Management, he said.

"There's quite a bit of geothermal potential in southern Idaho, so if we can free up the leasing process a little and make the leasing process easier and more competitive, that commission. may help us with that sector of energy development," he said.

Before entering public expenses when 1982 to 2004 for the Times-News, first as the editor and miles outside of Boise. then as publisher starting in 1990. In 1966, he graduated with a bachelor's degree in reached at bbotkin@magichistory from Amherst valley.com or 735-3238.

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College in Massachusetts.

"I think I'm seen as someone who is a good conservative on the issues, but also I think I bring an open mind and a willingness to talk and listen to pretty much anvbody, so I would say that I think I'm ready for another term," he said.

Hartgen said he's also Revenue and Taxation Committee or the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee.

Hartgen is also a member of the Idaho Capitol Commission, which planned the restoration of the State Capitol. With the restoration completed, Hartgen said he'll sponsor legislation that scales back the role of the

Legislators are paid a yearly salary of \$16,116 and receive \$122 a day for living the office, Hartgen worked from Legislature is in session if they reside more than 50

Ben Botkin may be

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Let's Dance Club, with line, contra, square, circle, couple and round dances, 6 to 10 p.m., Twin Falls Senior Center, 530 Shoshone St. W., \$3, free for children younger than age 14 with an adult, 410-5650 or galenslatter.com.

"Ride The Divide." an award-winning documentary about the world's longest mountain bike race, 7:30 p.m., Sun Valley Resort Opera House, \$10 at the door or \$13 in advance. ridethedividemovie.com/screenings.

HOBBIES AND CRAFTS

Home School Art Club, visual arts program for home-schooled children age 6-8, 2 to 3 p.m., Twin Falls Creative Arts Center, 249 Main Ave. W., \$45 per month, 737-9111.

LIBRARY

Teen Flicks in Yscapes, movie and snacks,

4 p.m., Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E., no cost, open to the public, 733-2964, ext. 110.

'The Journey From East to West, Urban to Rural," presented by Diane Josephy Peavey, 6 p.m., Hailey Public Library, 7 W. Croy St., in conjunction with Smithsonian Institute's traveling exhibit "Journey Stories" at Blaine County Historical Museum, no cost, open to the public, 788-2036.

Book Talk, discussion: "The Glass Castle," a memoir by Jeannette Walls, led by Connie McDonald, 7:15 p.m., Buhl Public Library, 215 Broadway Ave. N., no cost, open to the public, 543-6500.

MUSEUMS AND PARKS

Faulkner Planetarium "Greatest Wonders of the Universe" at 7 p.m., Herrett Center for Arts and Science at College of Southern Idaho campus, \$4.50 for adults, \$3.50 for seniors and \$2.50 for students, 732-6655 or csi.edu/herrett.

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A LICENSE TO SPUD: Is it an Idaho birthright?

t's been a quarter-century now since we witnessed a good license plate war here in Idaho. High time, I think, for another.

In 1987, legislators from north Idaho made the last serious effort to get the slogan "Famous Potatoes" removed from the state's license tags.

"People are getting tired of it," said state Rep. Bob Scates, a Coeur d'Alene Republican, in 1987. "I think it's time for a change."

Scates may well have thought so. The only spuds in Coeur d'Alene at the time were at Albertsons.

A retired silver miner named Andrew Freese actually filed suit to get the motto dumped, proclaiming that it was "distasteful, onerous, crass and repug-



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nant" to be forced to carry advertising on his car without compensation. The lawsuit never got out of district court.

Scates proposed legislation that would have allowed Idahoans to choose between "Famous Potatoes" and "Scenic

Idaho" on their license plates. It never got out of the House Transportation Committee.

J.R. Simplot, then Idaho's richest and most powerful man, lobbied hard to keep "Famous Potatoes," and the slogan lingered after the state adopted its current license plate design following the 1990 state centennial.

Yet the motto is only to be found on Idaho's standard plates nowadays and on its specialized tags featuring a baked potato and not on the dozens of other commemorative plates that now adorn more than one-third of Idaho cars, vans and light trucks.

That wouldn't sit so well with state Sen. Fred Gustafson, R-Idaho Falls, a Swedish-born spud farmer

who pushed a bill through the Legislature in 1947 requiring each license plate issued by the state to bear the words "World Famous Potatoes."

But back then, spuds dominated Idaho agriculture. Now they're just 15 percent of the total sales of the state's ag commodities, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

So how much longer will potatoes be with us - all of us, wherever we drive? Depends on how many more specialized plates the state issues, and how many Idahoans buy them.

But don't expect "Famous Rice" tags anytime soon.

Steve Crump is the Times-News Opinion editor.



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\$45 million by the county's board of equalization. The assessment was increased back to nearly \$90 million after the 60-million-gallon-per-year plant reopened in January.

Commissioners unanimously voted to have Cassia County Prosecutor Al Barrus draft a letter citing why the request would be denied.

Barrus said the companv's letter cited several reasons for the tax cancellation request, adding that, "Basically, it came down to the bankruptcy."

Holland said the company had until June 28 to appeal the 2010 assessment. Now, he said, because the tax rolls have been turned over to the state auditor's office, it's simply too late.

Holland said if the county diverges from its cut-off date for appeals, it will open the floodgates for other late appeals.

"These folks have been

good to deal with and to talk to," Holland said of Pacific Ethanol officials.

Holland said his office would be willing to work with the company regarding next years' assessment if company officials don't think it's fair.

The city of Burley and its urban renewal district have met certain financial obligations to bring Pacific Ethanol in and have a dog in the fight as well, Holland said.

Barrus said statute states that county commissioners can cancel taxes if there is a lawful reason they shouldn't be collected. But a doubling of assessed value doesn't constitute a double assessment.

"We don't have the authority to cancel those taxes," Barrus said. "I don't think there is a lawful reason."

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ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News CSI basketball team members Pierre Jackson, left, and Paul Bunch high-five students Monday at Perrine Elementary School in Twin Falls.

Reading

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"Pierre's about as tall as them," quipped Vickrey, "so when they see how he can dunk they get pretty excited."

CSI athletes will return to Twin Falls elementary schools throughout the school year to read books to students.

McKean

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time compared to other codefendants - Brina Krohn, 18, is serving 60 days and Megan Marovich, 18, received 80 days - Kippes said it had to do with McKean lying to police during their investigation.

Krohn and Marovich "spilled their guts," Kippes added. Also, the state claims that McKean secured the key to the stolen Pontiac, as the owner was an ex-boyfriend.

Defense counsel Stephen McCrea disputed that

claim, offering that McKean's husband, Kristopher McKean, was in possession of the key for McCrea also that Kristan McKean was under duress from Kristopher to help commit the crime: if she didn't help, McCrea said, Kristopher threatened to pin the crime on her and use it in a custody dispute for their daughter. They were going through a

said. McCrea further asked

Monday. With each question he tossed to them, the response was loud, clear and enthusiastic. "I think it's great," said

Vickrey. "Look how excited these kids are right now just to have these players here."

Brulotte agreed. "What they've done to bring this to

the Twin Falls School District and the elementary schools around here is amazing. And the kids' excitement level, you could see it - they were ready to read."

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eligible for work release so she can start making payments toward restitution,

Co-defendants awaiting sentencing are Charles Marovich, 17, who will be sentenced Monday; Kristopher McKean, 19, also to be sentenced Monday; and Esperansa Valladares, 17, to be sentenced Nov. 15.

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"It's something we enjoy," said Jackson. "I like to do this more than practice during the season."

Vickrey, who is heading up the program and hopes to see it expand to Jerome, Kimberly and Filer schools next year, was thrilled with the students' reaction

months. claimed

divorce at the time, McCrea

the court for leniency in jail time, as McKean claims there is no one to care for the child if she and provided she find employ-Kristopher, who faces senment. tencing next week, are both

incarcerated. Stoker said that no matter if McKean took the key or not, she still acted as a lookout for the crime. The judge was also unmoved by McKean's domestic situation.

"A child doesn't provide an excuse to avoid incarceration," he said.

Stoker made McKean

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T.F. Co. announces hospital open house

Polling place in Kimberly changed; county rents out old Safe House building

By Nick Coltrain Times-News writer

If you have a suggestion for the Addison Avenue hospital building - or better yet, if you have a potential buyer – then the Twin Falls County commissioners want you to fill them in at an open house Oct. 20.

The open house – which will be at the county court-

house, 425 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls - aims to solicit ideas from the general public and, if interest is high enough, may lead to a citizen advisory committee, Commissioner Terry Kramer said in a meeting Monday with realty group Westerra.

Kramer said commissioners want to get two lists of suggestions: one for all possible uses of the building, from maximum-security prison to nursing home, and another for what people's ideal use for the building would be. He called it a community brainstorming session.

"We're going to set the flavor for this part of town, let's face it," Kramer said.

In other county news: • One of the Kimberly polling places for this fall's election was changed from the Redeemer Lutheran Church to The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints at 222 Birch St. South, Kimberly. The new location is less than half a mile away. Affected voters will be sent notices of the change, County Clerk Kristina Glascock said.

• The county will rent out its vacant Safe House building to the safe-andsober transitional housing program Bill's Place, named for former county commissioner Bill Brock-man. The program recently changed its aim from helping young men from 18-24 years old to become productive members of society, to mostly helping women on felony probation transition back into society. In its first year, six of its 11 participants have been able to move on.

'Might as well utilize this property," County Commission Chairman George Urie said. "It's better for the property, it's better for this program and it's better for this community."

The six-month, \$300-amonth lease is intended to be

OPEN HOUSE

Open house on the Addison Avenue hospital When: 5 to 7 p.m. Oct. 20 Where: Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone St. N., Twin Falls.

short-term in case the county's Safe House program needs the extra space again, the commissioners said.

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Business owners dispute plan for BID's last \$100K

By Nick Coltrain Times-News writer

It's hard to tell if it was Twin Falls City Councilman Will Kezele's statement that the city should "divorce" former Business Improvement District members that riled them up, or if it was just the very idea of the city spending their money without their approval that did it.

Either way, the business owners present at Monday's council meeting were mad about a proposal to use up the defunct BID's remaining budget on downtown projects. No phone calls were made to consult former BID members, they said, and the council was being cavalier with decisions and rhetoric.

"I have a real problem with that Will Kezele," said Michele Hamilton, a former BID board member and coowner of Scrappin Girlfriends in downtown Twin Falls. "You want to divorce me? Great. I'm a downtown merchant and I pay a lot of taxes."

The BID will formally dissolve this Thursday, after the council voted in April to end it following a failed petition drive by BID critics who, as Kezele said he saw it, instigated a "divorce" against the city, one he gladly supported. He said the downtown merchants couldn't agree on anything else.

A committee made up of

downtown business owners. Proponents were more varied: Lanting argued that a new committee with business owners would result in the same proposal, and Clow said the BID had washed its hands of the ordeal without settling debts.

The end compromise was to create another committee or to host a town hall meeting to address the money, proposals downtown building owner Robert K. Myrland said would satisfy him.

"I just resent being treated like a child and told how they are going to spend our money," he said.

In other council news, the members unanimously approved a grant application for \$400,000 from the **Environmental Protection** Agency to test for areas of downtown suspected to be contaminated from former industrial uses. Though

Kezele voiced concern about strings attached to free federal money, Craig said the city has used these types of grants before and no strings were attached.

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5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

TWIN FALLS COUNTY MONDAY ARRAIGNMENTS

Skylar Wade Meade, 18, Filer; driving without privileges, \$100 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial Oct. 19. Skylar Wade Meade, 18, Filer; possession of a stolen vehicle, \$25,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Oct. 8.

Shawna Marie Daily, 41, Buhl; possession of a controlled substance, \$2,500 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Oct. 8.

Tomas Guerra, 43, Buhl; possession of a controlled substance, \$10,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Oct. 8.

John Fitzgerald Kragovich, 66, Hansen; driving under the influence, \$2,500 bond, court compliance, public defender appointed, preliminary Oct. 8.

Kevin Allen Gouveia, 30, Buhl; possession of a controlled substance, \$2,500 bond. public defender appointed, preliminary Oct. 8.

Kevin Allen Gouveia, 30, Buhl; possession of paraphernalia, \$100 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial Oct. 19.

Gonzalo Manuel Reves, 28, Boise; second-degree stalking, resisting/obstructing a peace officer, released, public defender appointed, pretrial Oct. 19.

Gonzalo Manuel Reyes, 28, Boise; domestic battery, \$25,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Oct. 8.





two council members and more than half a dozen city staff members met to decide how to spend almost \$100,000 of surplus money from the BID. It was left over after the council returned the 2010 BID fees.

The resulting plan - to spend \$13,000 on two years Christmas sprays, of \$50,000 on downtown parking improvements and \$31,000 to match money spend by downtown business owners to repair sidewalks or install new landscaping - ultimately failed, with Hamilton, her business partner, and two other members of the public speaking against it.

The \$50,000 was largely the issue: the business owners present and the council disagreed on if it was set aside for parking.

Councilmen David E. Johnson, Trip Craig and Kezele voted against it, with Mayor Don Hall joining them. Councilmen Greg Lanting, Lance Clow and Lee Heider voted for the plan.

Those who voted against it said they felt uncomfortable spending the money without input from any



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Help comes to rural economies in T.F. County

Times-News

Editor's note: This story ran incompletely in Sunday's edition. The Times-News is re-running it in its entirety here.

In an effort to help rural Twin Falls County with business expansion, relocations and new business development, Southern Idaho Rural Development recently announced the hiring of Larry Hall as its director.

Hall will work with the seven rural communities in Twin Falls County - excluding the city of Twin Falls – to create economic opportunities development through the use of urban renewal agencies, according to a release the Southern Idaho from Economic Development Organization, a private, nonprofit group that markets south-central Idaho to new or expanding businesses. While urban renewal agencies are being developed, SIRD will identify projects that could draw new businesses, expand local business and build jobs.

Hall now serves as a board member of the city of Twin Falls Urban Renewal Agency, and will work out of the Twin Falls offices of the Region IV Development Association.

"Most of our rural communities don't have the means to hire their own economic development person," Hall said. "In this new position, I look forward to utiliz-

help each of them grow business and add jobs in their communities." "There has been an interest to

ing my skills to

support economic development in our rural commu-

Hall

nities for several years, but the funding just wasn't there," said Joe Herring, president of Region "Thanks to Twin Falls IV. County, who submitted the grant to the Idaho Department of Commerce, and to supporting groups, the (SIRD) program was established.

"This is just another valuable economic development effort in our region that will focus on rural communities, which we've never done before. We're thrilled to have Larry Hall oversee this effort," he said.

"This new position will be vital to the business and employment growth of our many rural communities," said Jan Rogers, executive director of SIEDO. "Larry is the ideal person to develop, implement and coordinate business development programs in these smaller communities."

The Times-News recently asked Hall questions about his job and what he hopes to accomplish.

Q. What does Southern Idaho Rural Development plan to accomplish?

A. SIRD is about getting all of the rural communities into potential economic development. We know that there are opportunities for economic development that are not being "shepherded" to fruition. SIRD is to build capacity and confidence within rural Twin Falls County to pursue economic development activities. This can range from installing pro-business attitudes, to marketing a property, to arranging financing, to getting in necessary infrastructure to facilitate economic growth.

Q. How will Southern Idaho Rural Development know if it is making progress?

A. Each community will have its own projects, timeliness, budgets and roadblocks. Success will primarily be reported through the media and other community channels. At a minimum, we will prepare monthly progress reports required by the Department of Commerce that will be shared with our partners.

Q. What will the organization's structure be like?

A. SIRD is a new program of Region IV Development. SIRD goals and activities will be assisted by a volunteer board comprised of community partners and private sector representatives

Q. How will the board members be chosen?

A. Since the grant from commerce is to Twin Falls County, and Region IV Development is responsible for operating the program, County Commission Chairman George Urie and **RIVDA** President Joe Herring are recruiting board members.

Q. Will the grant eventually expire?

A. This Idaho Department of Commerce grant program has been operating for over nine years. The grant funds a one-year program and is expected to be renewed based on our successes. We anticipate that the funding from Commerce will cease at some point three to five years out. **Q.** If so, how will SIRD obtain financing?

A. For 2010, funding has been provided by a grant from the Idaho Department of Commerce, along with funds from Twin Falls County, Business Plus, Region IV and the rural communities that will benefit from this effort. The intent of the Department of Commerce is that the program will be successful and that local funds will replace the commerce funding in the future.

Q. Tell us a little about your background and why you are well-suited to direct SIRD.

A. My career encompasses over 30 years of corporate finance, project management, private business ownership and banking. I am also a board member for the Urban Renewal Agency of Twin Falls, which has provided me with great infor-

mation and insight.

Q. What are the differences between economic development for rural areas versus urban areas?

A. Drawing business to a rural community builds tax revenues and potential income for area businesses. Bringing new economic development opportunities to the rural communities will help them revitalize and rebuild their communities. For the city of Twin Falls, economic development will happen without any additional economic development efforts. The city of Twin Falls, its urban renewal agency, CSI, Region IV, and SIEDO all contribute. This is not true in our rural areas.

Q. What is the advantage/disadvantage of drawing business to a rural setting?

A. Luring a new business to an area requires the right fit of an available work force, the right property, transportation access, community, schools, recreation, etc. The advantages or disadvantages are based upon the desires of a business wishing to relocate to the Magic Valley. A successful rural business is either a destination point or does not rely on heavy customer traffic for success. The Internet has changed where successful business can be located -Internet-based business can locate where they would like to or can afford to live.



U.S. Army Maj. Kathy Turner discusses rules for reporters Monday at Joint Base Lewis-McChord in Washington state.

Hearing begins in alleged plot to murder Afghans

By Gene Johnson Associated Press writer

JOINT BASE LEWIS-MCCHORD, Wash. - A soldier's videotaped statements describing how he and his colleagues randomly killed three Afghan civilians came

Gibbs to randomly kill civilians for sport while on patrol in Kandahar Province.

Prosecutors have also alleged that members of the platoon mutilated Afghan corpses and even collected fingers and other body parts, and that some posed for photos with Afghan corpses. Morlock talked about how they threw a grenade at a civilian to "wax him." Morlock's attorneys are seeking to suppress the statements, saying they were made under the influence of muscle relaxants, sleeping pills and anti-nausea medicine prescribed for repeat concussions suffered during war.

One in critical condition after crash

By Bradley Guire Times-News writer

An Oregon man lost control of his vehicle and crashed head-on with another Sunday night, sending three people to the hospital.

Garibay-Homero Alvarez, 36, of Ontario. Ore., was southbound on U.S. Highway 93 when at around 8 p.m., he crossed the center line with his 2001 Dodge Dakota pickup truck and struck an oncoming vehicle near milepost 8 in Twin Falls County. Kevin L. Leonard, 27, and Samantha K. Leonard, 23, both of Mountain Home Air Force Base, were heading north on the highway in a 2001 Volkswagen GTI as Alvarez crashed into them, throwing both vehicles off the road. The Leonards' vehicle overturned to the west while Alvarez's vehicle rolled multiple times to the east.

in Boise. She was listed in on a criminal complaint of critical condition as of 6 p.m. Monday. Kevin Leonard was treated at St. Luke's and released. Alvarez was also treated at St. Luke's.

All were wearing seat belts, and air bags deployed in the Leonards' vehicle.

U.S. Highway 93 was closed for approximately 30 minutes while the air ambulance landed.

No charges have been filed, but the crash is still under investigation by Idaho State Police, who were assisted by the Idaho Department of Transportation, Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office, and Elko County, Nev., authorities.

Filer man arrested for possessing stolen motorcycle

Skylar Wade Meade, 18, of Filer, was arraigned Monday in Twin Falls Meade and Huber in the

possession of a stolen vehicle.

According to a Twin Falls police report, a resident of Pierce Street said he attempted to help a man, later identified as Meade, who was in the middle of the street and having trouble starting his motorcycle. As they moved it off the road, Meade called for someone to pick him up. Later, a female identified as Tonia Dawn Huber arrived in a white Ford F150 pickup to take Meade to get gas for the bike.

The resident believed their behavior to be suspicious, and he called police, who matched the cycle's Vehicle Identification Number to a green 2003 motorcycle, Kawasaki reported as stolen on Sept. 15. The motorcycle had been painted black at some

on Fillmore Street. Both were removed from the vehicle and detained. Police also found a 9 mm semiautomatic pistol. which allegedly fell out of Meade's pants. They also recovered a fully loaded magazine in Meade's pants, as well as a flashlight, gloves and a knife.

When interviewed, Meade did not cooperate regarding the motorcycle or pistol. He was arrested and transported to the Twin Falls County Jail on \$25,000 bond. His preliminary hearing is set for Oct. 8.

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under scrutiny Monday at a hearing into one of the most serious war-crimes cases from the war in Afghanistan.

Cpl. Jeremy Morlock of Wasilla, Alaska, is among five Stryker soldiers charged with premeditated murder and conspiracy to commit premeditated murder. In interviews with Army investigators, he described a plot led by Staff Sgt. Calvin

All had to be extricated from the wreckage.

Samantha Leonard was taken to St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls by air ambulance, then flown to Saint Alphonsus Regional Medical Center

point. Twin Falls police found County 5th District Court pickup and stopped them

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Montana, Idaho seek wolf kills

By Matthew Brown Associated Press writer

BILLINGS, Mont. -Documents released show Monday that Montana is seeking federal approval to kill 186 endangered gray wolves in a special "conservation hunt" and neighboring Idaho permission to wants remove up to 50 of the predators that officials say are eating too many elk.

The states' proposals to kill the wolves come despite a court ruling that restored the animals' endangered species status.

In separate applications filed over the last two weeks with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Idaho and Montana said their new plans to kill wolves were permissible under the Endangered Species Act.

Wildlife managers contend the Aug. 5 ruling from U.S. District Judge Donald Molloy did not account for the growing impact of wolves on livestock and big game herds across the Northern Rockies.

Hunters in Idaho and Montana killed about 260 wolves last year during the states' inaugural wolf hunt seasons. An estimated

1,700 of the animals still roam the Northern Rockies almost six times the region's original recovery goal of 300 wolves.

"We've done an excellent job. We want to manage them as we do any other of our wildlife," said Bonnie Butler, natural resources adviser to Idaho Gov. C. L. "Butch" Otter.

She said the 40 to 50 wolves that would be removed from the Lolo area of central Idaho have decimated area elk populations. The wolves would be killed by government wildlife agents.

Idaho also wants public hunting of wolves but has not applied for a permit. Rather, the state is seeking a hunt through negotiations on an agreement to allow Idaho to manage wolves on behalf of the federal government.

No quota figures for Idaho's hunt proposal were available, Butler said.

The proposals have drawn criticism from wildlife advocates who accuse the states of making an end-run around the courts.

A federal lawsuit that could derail Idaho's plans already is pending.





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RETHINK.

3-D images of bones draw worldwide attention

By John O'Connell Idaho State Journal

POCATELLO - The Idaho Museum of Natural History has become a worldwide draw and a resource for hundreds of researchers, thanks to a one-of-a-kind, virtual collection of Arctic animal bones it offers.

More than 1,500 users have downloaded more than 500,000 pages and images on the museum's Website Northern Alaska, Greenland according to interim musedirector Herbert um Maschner.

\$310,000 pilot grant from the National Science Foundation in 2008 to attempt the creation of a new kind of museum. With the funding, the anywhere in the world to IMNH hired two full-time programmers and two fulltime scanner technicians to create 3-D images of Arctic bones in the museum's collection, as well as bones ogists, marine biologists mailed to the museum for anyone who is working in the scanning from the Canadian Museum of Civilization and the Burke Museum of Natural History and Culture located the partner museums, on the University of Washington campus.

recently received another grant from the National Science Foundation for about \$1.03 million.

MORE ONLINE

Idaho Museum of Natural History's virtual collection of Arctic animal bones: http://vzap.iri.isu.edu.

"We're the only people in the world doing this at this scale," Maschner said.

More than 3,000 3D from throughout the world images and 12,000 digital photographs of animals found in northern Siberia, and Canada have been entered into the database already, Maschner said. The museum received a Many of those species are also found in Idaho, making their bones germane to the IMNH's collection.

> "It allows a researcher identify and analyze a bone from any northern region in the world," Maschner said of virtual museum. "It's useful to archaeologists, paleontolnorth that is dealing with those kinds of species?

By pooling resources with Maschner said the virtual museum will offer one of the Based on the initial success few complete sets of northof the project, the IMNH ern bones available. He intends to work with the Smithsonian Institute to provide any bones that may be missing from the virtual

collection. He anticipates the records for studying ancient about a month ago at a con- Institute, and Matthew 3D collection will be completed within another two years, and he said some of the grant funding will be used to hire undergraduate and graduate student employees to assist with the work.

Maschner acknowledges the 3-D images aren't exactly the same for researchers as working with the real thing, but they're pretty close.

Animal bones recovered from northern paleontological and archaeological sites are known for being well preserved and offer superb

ecological anticipates the virtual collection will be an asset to casual tions, Maschner said. learners and school students from kindergarten through high school.

He noted it's exceedingly difficult in the modern Idaho world, given the constraints of legislation such as the Endangered Species Act and investigators are Corey the Marine Protection Act, to create extensive collections. "We just presented this

animal populations, human ference in Paris and blew Betts, curator of Atlantic behaviors, climate data and them out of the water," variability, Maschner said. The next vir-Maschner said. He also tual project will focus more emphasis on Idaho collec-

> Technology to create the high-resolution images was developed in the Informatics Research Institute and the Virtualization Laboratory.

> Schou, professor of information systems and director of the ISU Informatics Research

Provinces Archaeology at the Canadian Museum of Civilization and a former postdoctoral researcher at ISU.

"This is a tremendous tool for researchers," Betts said in a press release. "At the same time, the interactive technology and scanning protocols we are developing have sig-The grant's other principal nificant applicability to the museum communities. This is a system that can be transferred to any heritage collection."



AROUND THE WEST

IDAHO Capitol renovation final tally tops \$123M

BOISE - The price tag for the Idaho Capitol renovation and expansion will come in at just over \$123 million.

That's more than the original \$120 million estimate, but less than the \$125 million that had been set aside to make sure all work was finished and paid for.

Revenue from cigarette taxes is paying for the work.

Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter says getting the work done close to the original estimates shows how well Idaho manages its finances.

Legislators moved in for the 2010 session, but work on several remaining items has continued. Still to be installed are historic replica street lights around the Capitol block.

The project included restoring the original Capitol, completed in 1913, as well as the addition of two wings of meeting rooms on the western and eastern sides of the building.

Idaho parks visits up; verdict out on fee hike

LEWISTON - Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation officials say overall visitation numbers rose this year, though it's still too early to judge the effect of increased recreation fees.

That's because many of those who stayed at campgrounds in Idaho's 30 state parks made their reservations before price hikes began this year.

A year ago, 79,669 people stayed overnight at state parks in tents, camp trailers or cabins and yurts.

This year, the numbers rose to just over 80,600, so far.

Agency spokeswoman Jennifer Wernex says those figures may not accurately represent just how people are reacting to paying more to experience Idaho's great outdoors. She's says, "It's still too early to say The fee hikes are part of Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's plan to get the agency to wean itself off taxpayer support, if it can.

Oracle sues Micron over price-fixing claims

BOISE - Oracle Corp. sued semiconductor maker Micron Technology Inc. in federal court over price-fixing claims.

In its complaint in U.S. District Court in California, Oracle says its Sun Microsystems business bought billions of dollars worth of microchips from 1998 to 2002.

Oracle, based in Redwood Shores, Calif., bought Sun in February.

Oracle says Boise-based Micron was among conspirators including South Korea's Hynix and Samsung and Germany's Infineon that artificially inflated microchip prices above what Sun should have paid, had the companies actually competed.

The lawsuit says five companies have agreed to a nearly \$1 billion fine and that Micron was granted amnesty from a U.S. Department of Justice criminal prosecution because it cooperated.

UTAH Colorado artifacts dealer taking plea deal

SALT LAKE CITY - One of the biggest players in the Four Corners bust of artifact trafficking is set to take a plea deal.

A defense lawyer says in court papers that Durango, Colo., artifacts dealer Carl "Vern" Crites has reached a deal with the government on charges that led him to surrender five truckloads of American Indian relics earlier this year.

The 75-year-old Crites was a dealer described in government affidavits as a "price setter" for antiquities because of his influence over the market. Federal agents have said he had an astonishing collection at his Durango home. Crites was set to go on trial at federal court in Salt Lake City on Monday. He was one of 26 people charged last year in a government sting operation that spanned Colorado, New Mexico and Utah.

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Hawaii telescope discovers asteroid

HONOLULU - An asteroid that will come within 4 million miles of Earth in mid-October has been discovered by a University of Hawaii telescope.

The university's Institute for Astronomy said Monday that the object located by the Pan STARRS PS1 telescope on Maui has a diameter of about 150 feet. It's the first potentially hazardous object it has been used to discover. A university member of the PS1 Scientific Consortium, Robert Jedicke, says the object won't hit Earth in the immediate future. It was discovered in images acquired Sept. 16, when it was about 20 million miles away.

WYOMING Meth program helping combat problem

 ${\sf CASPER}-{\sf A}$ survey shows that teenagers in Wyoming are more aware of dangers associated with using methamphetamine than they were two years ago.

The Wyoming Meth Project released the survey results after a study from the University of Washington suggested a similar program in Montana was not responsible for a decline in meth use in that state.

The Wyoming Meth Use and Attitudes Survey asked 2,652 students aged 12-17 in 22 randomly selected schools about how they perceive and use methamphetamine. The Casper Star-Tribune reports nearly two-thirds of teenagers surveyed said there is "great risk" in trying meth once or twice. And 80 percent said there is "great risk" in taking meth regularly.

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Gulf oil spill panel: Federal confusion lost public trust

By Seth Borenstein and Dina Cappiello Associated Press writers

WASHINGTON - The administration's Obama repeated low estimates of the huge BP oil spill undermined public confidence in the government's entire cleanup effort, leaders of a White House-appointed commission declared at an investigatory hearing Monday. One likened the mistakes to Custer's disastrous decisions at Little Big Horn.

Federal officials botched the government's response, a local official and government and university scientists contended as the commission focused on the questions of who was in charge and how much oil spewed out of the well into the Gulf of Mexico.

Eventually, U.S. officials said the spill was about 60 times bigger than originally estimated. Instead of 42,000 gallons a day, the volume of leaking oil was closer to 2.4 million gallons a day.

"It's a lot like Custer," said panel co-chairman Bob Graham, a former Florida senator and governor, referring to the battle that killed George Armstrong Custer and wiped out most of the Army's 7th Calvary in 1876. in charge of the government's "He underestimated the response, told commissioners number of Indians on the other side of the hill and paid the ultimate price."

And who was in charge? Billy Nungesser, president of Plaquemines Parish, one of the coastal areas most affected by the spill, referred to dicted common sense. another famous leader, this one fictional.

"It became a joke," he told the Houma command was the Wizard of Oz, some guy behind the curtain."

Mistakes in the informa- tremendously. tion that was being given out were canceled, retirees were dinate cleanup.



AP photo

Plaquemines Parish, La, President William Nungesser, right, with Richard Harrell of the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, makes his remarks Monday at a National Commission on the BP Deepwater Horizon Spill and Offshore Drilling meeting on response following the BP spill, impacts on the Gulf and approaches to long-term restoration in Washington.

Florida State University's

eight attempts by the govern-

ment to arrive at the correct

estimate. He said BP's esti-

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sapped confidence in the called in and oil response staff government on the issue, was "given a blank check," he in responding and cleaning up Graham and co-chairman said. William Reilly said at a news conference. Reilly described Ian MacDonald said it took "repeated wrong numbers" on the amount of oil that was spilling.

Retired Adm. Thad Allen, mate of 210,000 gallons a day that the low estimates didn't hamper government efforts to deal with the spill. But Reilly, former chief of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, said he had trouble believing that, that it contra-

A senior government scientist, Bill Lehr of the the public and even political National Oceanic and commission. "The Atmospheric Administration, said once NOAA realized the spill was much larger than estimated, things changed changed to allow a third party

oil. "Five thousand barrels a day (210,000 gallons) was not in the right ballpark, and I think we could have done better," MacDonald said. Allen acknowledged that

leaders were confused about who was in charge. He blamed a 20-year-old law that he said may need to be Vacations from the oil industry to coor-

By law, BP had a major role and paying for it. But it also remains responsible to its shareholders not to spend too much, Allen said. He proposed allowing a third party from industry that would not be beholden to the polluter's profit margins to run the cleanup.

Allen said the enormity of response that was the required, not a lack of money from BP, was the problem in the cleanup.

As for the future, Graham said the government should take a stronger role regulating oil wells in the Gulf.

"There is a tendency to forget the fact that this property out in the Gulf of Mexico where all this is happening belongs to all of us," he said. "We are the landlord. They are the lessees. And we need to start acting like a landlord."

Obama presses for longer school years

By Erica Werner Associated Press writer

into the new school year, President Barack Obama

whether or not we can do "Today" show.

something about these their profession should be but his ability to see them schools," the president said in more highly honored - as in realized is limited. States set WASHINGTON - Barely an interview on NBC's China and some other coun- the minimum length of Today" show. U.S. schools through high ed to work with the teachers' there's experimentation in chool offer an average of 180 unions. But he also warned some places, there's not been

Obama said teachers and has articulated in the past,

Beatrice Chugg

RUPERT - Beatrice Selma Smith Chugg, age 93, of Rupert, passed away Friday, Sept. 24, 2010, at the Minidoka Memorial Hospital in Rupert.

Beatrice was born Oct. 7, 1916, in Salt Lake City, Utah, the daughter of Thomas Henry and Catherine Ellen (Livesley) Smith. She received her education in Utah, graduating from Ogden High School. She married Duard Bailey Chugg on July 23, 1934, in Tremonton, Utah. Their marriage was later was her life. solemnized in the Salt Lake LDS Temple.

Beatrice was a homemaker and rancher. After the passing of her husband, she worked as a nurse assistant. She was a hard worker and was the first to get in and get the job done. She was instrumental in helping a bond election to pass that resulted in the consolidation of Minidoka County High schools into the present Minico High was a huge supporter of the Minidoka Memorial Hospital.

Beatrice was an active and devoted member of the LDS Church and had served as a stake missionary and in 30, at the Acequia LDS the MIA and Relief Society. She enjoyed ranching, quilting, genealogy and her flower gardens, just to name a few. Beatrice was an Rupert Cemetery. Friends extremely friendly person and had many friends. Her friendships because of her ability to 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, communicate. She was a and from 10 until devoted wife, mother and 10:45 a.m. Thursday at the grandmother. Her family church.

KIMBERLY Nora Alice Jacobs, known to family and friends as Alice, died Monday, Sept. 20, 2010, at her son's home in Eagle.

Alice was born in Seth and Ruby Mulkey's Rick; six grandchildren,; home in Twin Falls, Idaho, on Oct. 20, 1921. She married Keith L. Jacobs Sr. on June 19, 1943. Mom was a longtime Kimberly resident and was employed by and retired from Amalgamated Sugar Co. as a sugar clerk.

Mom was strong and anyone she could. She loved conducting the service.



She is survived by her son, D. Boyd (Ida) Chugg of Rupert; a daughter, Carolyn (Dell) Taylor of Ogden, Utah; a daughter-in-law, Mary Chugg of Rupert; 16 grandchildren; 56 greatgrandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; her stepfather, Alfred Rose; one brother, Melvin Smith; a son, Bryce M. Chugg; daughters, Janice two School. Additionally, she Whitesides and Sharon Chugg; a granddaughter, Alicia Taylor; and a greatgrandson, Richard Mark Jensen.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, Sept. Church, 20403 Fifth St. in Acequia, with Bishop Calvin M. Bailey officiating. Burial will be in the may call from 6 until 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29, at the endured Rasmussen Funeral Home,

Alice Nora Jacobs



and enjoyed her grandchildren and great-grandchildren the most.

She is survived by her three children, Keith and Bonnie, Richard and Cristy,

and Christine and and seven great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Kimberly Senior Center or a charity of your choice in her name. Sunset Memorial and Fox Floral of Twin Falls are handling a graveside service faced life with a positive 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 2. outlook and would help Pastor Steelman Borden is

issued a tough-love message school offer an average of 180 classroom should be longer, teachers should get out.

falling behind some of their foreign counterparts, especially in math and science, and that's got to change, Obama said. Seeking to revive a sense of urgency that education reform may have lost amid the recession's focus on economy, the declared that the future of the country is at stake.

here, high-end jobs that support families and support the future of the American people, is going to depend on cational opportunities."

to students and teachers on instruction days per year, Monday: Their year in the according to the Education Commission of the States, and poorly performing compared to an average of 197 days for lower grades and 196 American students are days for upper grades in change. countries with the best student achievement levels, endorsed the firing of teachincluding Japan, South Korea, Germany and New

Zealand. "That month makes a difference," the president said. "It means that kids are losing Obama a lot of what they learn during the school year during the summer. It's especially severe "Whether jobs are created for poorer kids who may not see as many books in the house during the summers, aren't getting as many edu-

that unions should not defend a status quo in which one-third of children are dropping out. He challenged them not to be resistant to

president The ers who, once given the chance and the help to improve, are still falling short.

"We have got to identify teachers who are doing well. Teachers who are not doing well, we have got to give them the support and the training to do well. And if some teachers aren't doing a good job, they've got to go," Obama said.

They're goals the president

wholesale change since Obama issued the same challenge for more classroom time at the start of the past school year.

One issue is money, and also although the president said that lengthening school years would be "money well spent," that doesn't mean cash-strapped states and districts can afford it.

> "It comes down to the old bugaboo, resources. It costs money to keep kids in school," said Mayor Scott Smith of Mesa, Ariz. "Everyone believes we can achieve greater things if we have a longer school year. The question is how do you pay for it?"

'Titanic' co-star Stuart dies at 100

Hollywood beauty who 1940s she had retired. gave up acting for 30 years nominee as the spunky survivor in "Titanic," has died. She was 100.

Stuart died in her sleep Sunday night at her Los Angeles home, her grandson Benjamin Stuart Thompson said Monday.

In her youth, Stuart was a blond beauty who well as some higher-profile ones such as "The Invisible Man," Busby Berkeley's "Gold Diggers of 1935" and two Shirley Little Rich Girl" and actress.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Gloria Stuart, the 1930s Farm." But by the mid-

She resumed acting in and later became the old- the 1970s, doing occaest Academy Award acting sional television and film work. But Stuart's later career would have remained largely a footnote if James Cameron had not chosen her for his 1997 epic about the doomed luxury liner that struck an iceberg and sank on its maiden voyage in 1912.

Stuart co-starred as starred in B pictures as Rose Calvert, the 101year-old survivor played by Kate Winslet as a young woman. Both earned Oscar nominations, Winslet as best actress Temple movies, "Poor and Stuart as supporting

Some U.S. executions held up by shortage of drug

By Andrew Welsh-Huggins Associated Press writer

COLUMBUS, Ohio -Some executions in the U.S. have been put on hold because of a shortage of one of the drugs used in lethal injections from coast to coast.

Several of the 35 states that est. rely on lethal injection are anesthetic that renders the condemned inmate unconscious - or considering using and Texas. another drug. But both routes are strewn with legal or ethical roadblocks.

Oklahoma execution last Rosenberg said. month and led Kentucky's governor to postpone the Wednesday, said the shortage injections. will force it to stop executions

after Sept. 30.

The sole U.S. manufacturer, Hospira Inc. of Lake Forest, its raw-material suppliers and said new batches of sodium mals. thiopental will not be available until January at the earli-

Nine states have a total of either scrambling to find 17 executions scheduled the 1970s: First, sodium sodium thiopental – an between now and the end of January, including Missouri, Ohio, Oklahoma, Tennessee

"We are working to get it back onto the market for our customers as soon as possi-The shortage delayed an ble," Hospira spokesman Dan heart.

But at least one death penalty expert was skeptical signing of death warrants for of Hospira's explanation, two inmates. Arizona is trying noting that the company has to get its hands on the drug in made it clear it objects to time for its next execution, in using its drugs for executions. late October. California, with Hospira also makes the two an inmate set to die on other chemicals used in lethal

Sodium thiopental is a bar-

biturate, used primarily to um thiopental. anesthetize surgical patients and induce medical comas. It Ill., has blamed the shortage is also used to help terminally on unspecified problems with ill people commit suicide and sometimes to euthanize ani-

Thirty-three of the states that have lethal injection the problem. employ the three-drug combination that was created in thiopental is given by syringe to put the inmate to sleep. Then two other drugs are administered: pancuronium bromide, which paralyzes muscles, and potassium chloride, which stops the

Ohio and Washington state use just one drug to carry out executions: a single, extra-large dose of sodi-



Hospira has blamed the shortage on "raw-material supplier issues" since last spring, first promising availability in July, then October, then early 2011. The company has refused to elaborate on





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Vada Ann Smith Little

BUHL – Vada Ann Smith Little was born Aug. 16, 1946, in Blackfoot, Idaho, to Jed C. Smith and Mary Reader Smith. She met the love of her life and soul mate.

Charles Ray Little, at Minico Wann; and nephews, Jared High School. They were married Feb. 24, 1964, in Jerome, Idaho.

Vada died Sept. 25, 2010, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center following a brave battle with leukemia.

Vada is survived by her husband, Charles Little; daughter, Terrilyn Little Bennett; son, Steven Ray (Toye) Little; grandchildren, Levi (Stacey) Bennett, Denum (Robby) Kolb, Kodi Little and Devin Little; great-grandchildren, Charli Bennett, Arazona Bennett, Dominic Kolb and eagerly anticipated Dakota Ann; brothers and sisters, Theda Smith, Ronald (ZoAnn) Smith, Ralph (Jean) Smith, Mar Jean (Darrel) Hansen, and Lou (Bud) Ball; and several nieces and nephews. She Cemetery.

was preceded in ents; brother, Jerry Smith; sisters-inlaw. Susanne Smith.

Marnell Norton Frye; brother-in-law,

Smith and Victor Smith. The pride of her life was

her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and her yard. You would always find her out in her yard or camping. She knew every flower and plant and how to best grow them. Her yard was well known by all who knew her. She loved to travel and visit historical sites.

Vada's zest for life was contagious to all who knew her. She never met a stranger and made friends easily. She loved her family and friends and she was always the first to help someone in need. Her kindness and generosity was bar none. She will be greatly missed by all who loved her.

Vada's wish was to be cre-Jennie (Boyd) Hanson, mated and a memorial serv-Victor (Mavis) Smith, David ice will be held in her honor (Peggy) Smith, Carol Smith at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 30, at Buhl's West End

Lois 'Jean' Magleby Wilson

RUPERT – Lois "Jean" Magleby Wilson, an 85-yearold Rupert resident, passed away Friday, Sept. 24, 2010, in Rupert.

Jean was born Feb. 9, 1925, in Monroe,

Utah, to John Bert and Rosetta Magleby. She was and reading. raised in Monroe. After high school, she attended Snow College and BYU, where she earned her bachelor's degree. and University of Utah and Idaho State University for teaching credentials. After college, she worked as a home economics extension agent in Moab, Utah, until she mar-William "Chase" ried Wilson. They lived in Richfield and Kamas, Utah; Rupert, Idaho; and Salt Lake City, Utah. After marriage Minidoka and Cassia County schools for a total of 27 years. American Association of the church.



gardening, playing the piano

Jean is survived by her children, Blaine (Janice) Wilson, Brent (Karla) Wilson Jeanette (Marc) Later she attended the Atkinson; 18 grandchildren; great-grandchildren, 40 with one on the way; brother, Dallin Magleby; and sister, Venice LeFevre. She was preceded in death by her husband, William C. Wilson; her parents; one son, Kyle; three brothers; and one sister.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Oct. 1, at the Acequia LDS 2nd Ward management. and having her family, she Chapel, with Bishop Richard taught school in the Poteet officiating. Burial will follow at the Rupert Cemetery. A viewing for She was a member of The family and friends will be Lonnie Church of Jesus Christ of held from 6 to 8 p.m. Latter-day Saints and served Thursday, Sept. 30, at in Relief Society, genealogy Hansen Mortuary, 710 Sixth and temple assignments. She St. in Rupert, and one hour was a member of the prior to the service Friday at

Donald E. Long, death by her par- 81, passed away at home Friday, Sept.

24, 2010. Don was born July Patsy Smith and 24, 1929, in Nampa, Little Idaho, to Ted E. and Marie Long. In 1942, Mac Don and his parents

> moved to Boise, Idaho. Don joined the United States Navy in 1946 and was honorably discharged in June of 1950. In July 1950, he went to work for Mountain Bell Telephone Company. After 34 years of service. he retired in January 1984. Don met Colleen McKay of Boise, Idaho, in May of 1951. They were married July 26, 1952, in Boise. To this union came three children, Bill, Linda and Ted. After Don retired, he and Colleen enjoyed 22 years as snowbirds in Arizona during the winter months.

Don is survived by his wife, Colleen; son, Bill (Debbie) Long of Boise; daughter, Linda (Bill) Stavros of Hailey; and son, Ted Long of Twin Falls. He is also survived by his loving grandchildren, Ryan and Nicholas Stavros of Hailey, Brooke (Ross) Homstad of Roseau. Minn., and Shawn Long of Boise.

At Don's request, no service will be held. Cremation is under the direction of Park's Magic Valley funeral Home and Crematory of Twin Falls. Those wishing to do so

Michael Ray Walton

Michael Ray Walton, 64, of Twin Falls, passed away Thursday, Sept. 23, 2010, at St Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center following an extended illness.

He was born Jan. 2,

Walton in Pocatello, Idaho. He graduated from Pocatello High in 1966. He joined the Air Force in June 1966 and served his country honestly and honorably for 20-plus years. After retirement he went on to graduate from Trend College in business

He is survived by his wife, Alice Walton, who he married in Sept. 1992; children, Tonya Walton of Georgia and Walton Washington; five stepchil- Park."

Arlen Elsworth Harger

Eleanor (Ellie) Marie Wolfe

may share condolences www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

To Our Dad Our family lost our father today

time to pass away The sorrow carried too heavy to bare

He leaves us only with memories to share

keep him near *He chose to leave us out of* fear For his love for us so great

He wanted no burdens left at stake

The life he wanted wasn't to be

Now he is gone for all to see Although our hearts are

broken this day We know he didn't want

to live this way We pray our Lord met him

at the pass To let him lie in heaven's

green grass

ily and friends May he find comfort and

peace in the end Please let our hearts heal

in time And memories of him be

kind someday

Please watch our dad throughout the way

(By Debbie Long)

dren that truly loved Gooding, Whendy

Standlee of Eden, Clayt of Filer, Sean Sanderson of

1946, to Brick and Elaine Falls; 13 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; three brothers; and one sister of

Mike enjoyed music and he had written several songs; he also enjoyed dancing, horses, camping and fishing, fishing, fishing!!

A graveside service will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29, at the Hazelton Cemetery.

Arrangements are under the direction of White of Mortuary "Chapel by the

KIMBERLY – Ellie at Wolfe was born March 20, 1932, the youngest of three children to Constance and Peter Silva in Honolulu. He chose this Hawaii. She left this world to be reunited

with her beloved husband, Ben, on Thursday, Sept. 23, 2010, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Hospital in Twin Falls. Although we'd love to Ellie had been a resident at Alpine Manor II in Kimberly for the past year. Previously she had lived in Emmett, Gooding and Fairfield.

Ellie grew up in Honolulu and, as a young woman, taught dance classes and drove a taxi cab. She met the love of her life, Ben Wolfe, in 1954 while he was stationed with the Navy in Hawaii. They were soon married and moved to Fairfield, Idaho, along with Ellie's two young daughters, Betty and Sherry, whom Ben adopted and raised.

Within a few months, He will be missed by fam- Ellie's life changed dramatically from a Hawaiian city girl to a Fairfield country girl and from a life under the sun to winters in the snow. Ellie was milking cows, gathering eggs and doing all things farm Until we meet again related. When Ben accepted a job with a road construction crew, Ellie and the girls moved with him from job to job throughout southern Idaho and western Wyoming. During this time, two more daughters, Sally and Tina, joined the family.

They settled in Fairfield him, Mark Jeffs of again for three years before moving to Boise, where Ellie department manager and at a later date.

earning many achievement awards. After Ben suffered a devastating work-related accident, they moved to Gooding, where she helped Ben start a new con-

struction business and she opened a pet shop. She also started "Ellie Mae's Kennels," which she loved and enjoyed for many years, eventually raising champion Pomeranians. Ellie was a very kind-hearted woman whose compassion for animals permeated her daily life. She could also create beautiful music on her organ and accordion. In 1998 she and Ben moved to Emmett, where she continued with her dog kennel business. After the death of her beloved husband of 54 years, she struggled to cope and finally moved to Kimberly's Alpine Manor II where she met lots of new friends and seemed happy and content until her death.

Ellie was preceded in death by her parents; her brothers, Joseph and Stephen Silva; and her husband, Ben. Her memory survives through a quick learner and was soon her four daughters, Betty (Butch) Taylor of Kimberly, Sherry (Chuck) Coble of Boise, Sally (Ron) Howard of Emmett and Tina (Jim) Holland of Gooding; 12 grandchildren; 20 greatgrandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

A graveside service will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29, at the Idaho State Veterans Cemetery in the Boise-Eagle area, under the direction of the Potter worked for Sears Department Funeral Chapel in Emmett. A Sanderson Store quickly becoming a celebration of life will be held





Bellevue and Justin

Sanderson of Twin the Pocatello area.

Ryan J. Reinhardt

result of a vehicle accident.

Ryan was born Oct. 1, 1991, playing baseball, soccer, bas-School varsity football. He brought enthusiasm, integrimost recent team, men's in Coeur d'Alene. softball, was comprised of close family and friends who laughed and joked their way to division champions. Ryan Football Athletic Facility can gave 110 percent to all be sent to 2707 N. Ninth St., endeavors, accomplishing Coeur d'Alene, ID 83815. them with style and making Please visit Ryan's memorial it look effortless.

parents, Laura (Joe) Wilson homes.com.

COEUR D'ALENE - Ryan and Ron Reinhardt; siblings, J. Reinhardt passed away Nathan, JB, Cassie, Becky Sunday, Sept. 12, 2010, as a and Nikki; grandparents, Rob (Cathy) Leth, Frank Wilson, Vicki Adamson and Don in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Ryan (Bev) Reinhardt. Ryan was was a sports enthusiast, met in heaven by Aunt Kara Leth; and grandparents, ketball, track, cross-country Leonard (Mary) Leth, Sharon a plumber. Later he faithand Coeur d'Alene High Wilson and Floyd (Ora) fully worked as a janitor for Harger; his mother, Lucy R. Williams.

ty and humor to all teams. His Ryan's life was held Sept. 18

Donations to the Ryan the federal building in Reinhardt Memorial Fund to benefit the Coeur d'Alene loving man who spent his and sign his online guest-Ryan is survived by his book at www.yatesfuneral-

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SERVICES

Larkin Funeral Home, 260 E. South Temple St. in Salt Lake City, with visitation at 9:45 a.m.

Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. today at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls; visitation from 10 to 11 a.m. today at the funeral home.

11 a.m. today at the LDS 15th Hazelton

Carlyle Hyrum Larkin of Ward, 680 Hankins Road in Funeral Home in Burley). Gilbert, Ariz., and formerly Twin Falls; visitation from of Twin Falls, service at 10 to 10:45 a.m. today at the 11 a.m. Wednesday at church (White Mortuary in Boise, celebration of life at Twin Falls).

Olive Mae Lancaster of (Cremation Society of Idaho Albion, funeral at 11 a.m. in Boise). Wednesday at Rasmussen **Richard Warren Stone** of Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley; visitation one Falls, service at 1 p.m. hour before the service Wednesday at the funeral home.

Michael Douglas "Mikey" **Vesta Lois Davis Greene** at 4 p.m. today at the Valley Saturday at the First Delta, Utah, funeral at 882 Valley Road S. in Ave. Bin Jerome (Farnsworth

BOISE – Arlen Elsworth the guitar, and they would Harger, 77, of Boise, passed sing together 'til late at away Saturday, Sept. 25, night. One of their favorite 2010, at a Boise care center.

Arlen was born June 6. 1933, in Filer, Idaho. Arlen grew up in the Filer area with his father and brother. As a young man, he served his term in the United they were amused at his States Navy. He worked for a while as a butcher, then as 30 years for General A memorial celebration of Services Administration. When he retired in early 1996, he was the janitor at Boise. Arlen was a kind, working life assisting those Harger, Tim Harger, Mark who were less fortunate Harger and Joel Harger; his than he.

> whom others would turn Taylor; and by his longtime away as being beyond help, friend, Ron McFarland. had a place in Arlen's home. Arlen never married or had from 10 a.m. to noon children, but his only Thursday, Sept. 30, at the brother, Kenneth, had eight Alsip Funeral Chapel. A children. They always looked forward to "Uncle low at 3 p.m. Thursday Arlen" coming over with at AarenBrooke Place his guitar. He would play

Cheryl Lynn Quinn of

2 p.m. Friday at the First

Christian Church in Burley

memories includes how he would get into the music, tapping his feet and bobbing his head to the music. He would laugh heartily when he became aware that movements.

Arlen was preceded in death by his father, Gala I. Harger; his stepmother, Dorothy Harger; and his brother and sister-in-law, Kenneth E. Harger Sr., and Margaret D. Harger. He is survived by his nephews, Kenneth E. Harger Jr., Brent nieces, Ruth Rebman, Paula Many a hurting person, Hanks and Margaret

> A visitation will be held memorial service will fol-Assisted Living, 9327 W. Cory Lane, Boise, ID 83704. Private family interment will be held at Kuna Cemetery in Kuna.

Please visit Arlen's online guest book at www.alsipfuneralchapel.com.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Alsip and Persons Funeral Chapel, 404 10th Ave. S., Nampa, ID 83651; 466-3545.

FILER – David Jerry Short, 41, of Filer, died

Thursday, Sept. 23, 2010, in a

Arrangements will be

motorcycle accident.

announced later.

Earl Leland Braga of Twin DEATH NOTICES Saturday at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 **David J. Short** Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

York K. Corbridge of **Louder** of Hazelton, funeral Hagerman, funeral at 2 p.m. of Twin Falls and formerly of High School gymnasium, Christian Church, 229 E. (Rasmussen Mortuary in Jerome).

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EDITORIAL

Should kids who can't afford it have to pay for college sports?

hat price glory? At Boise State University, about \$206.

That's how much an undergraduate student from Idaho will pay this year in fees which go toward supporting the school's iate sports program

storied intercollegiate sports program. Spread over 20,000 students, that will top \$3 million this academic year — nearly 10 percent of BSU's athletic budget.

That percentage is even higher at the University of Idaho and Idaho State University, which don't enjoy the Broncos' box office and national TV revenue.

But on all three campuses, such fees aren't optional for non-

athletes (mandatory student fees also go toward supporting the athletic departments at the College of Southern Idaho, North Idaho College and Lewis-Clark State College).

Question is, should they be? A study published in April by Matthew Denhart and Richard Vedder of the Center for College Affordability and Productivity, a Washington, D.C.-based research group, found that NCAA Bowl Subdivision schools with lessaffluent student populations are providing intercollegiate sports programs with relatively large subsidies.

The problem is much of that money comes through types of institutional and financial support that divert resources away from academics.

Of the 11 FBS conferences Denhart and Vedder studied, the four with the highest percentages of students receiving Pell Grants (which go to the neediest students) were Conference USA, the Sun Belt Conference, the Mid-American Conference and the Western Athletic Conference, home of BSU and Idaho.

"Those who can most afford to pay a subsidy tax actually pay the smallest amount," Denhart said. "Those who can least afford it pay the most."

"We're in a major financial crisis in higher education," David Meabon, director of the Russel Center for Education Leadership at the University of Toledo, told USA Today. "I call it the backdoor tuition increase. For many people, this is a hidden tuition fee or cost — and a backdoor way to fund institutional activities."

Which raises a troubling question for Idahoans.

After two years of sharp increases in fees at BSU, Idaho and ISU, have rising athletic fees played a part in pricing some Gem State students out of an Idaho college education?

The vast majority of students at BSU and Idaho have no qualms about financially supporting their schools' athletic pro-

STUDENTS, ATHLETIC FEES The amount that students

at publicly owned NCAA Division I colleges and universities in Idaho each will pay during the 2010-11 school year as a fee assessed, and restricted, for support of intercollegiate athletics: College Athletic fees percent of in-state mandatory tuition/fees Boise St. \$206 3.9% \$252.78 4.7% Idaho Idaho St. \$230.40 4.3% – Source: USA Today



The bloodless and the barmy

hristine O'Donnell is in a fantasy world. Literally. The pretty Palin Mini-Me identifies with the women of Middle Earth, comparing herself to the female characters in the "Lord of the Rings" novels by J. R. R. Tolkien.

"Look at the significance that he gives to Eowyn, the Lady of Rohan," O'Donnell said on C-Span in 2003. "She was a warrior spirit and, to me, that's who I love. I mean, I aspire to be soft and gentle like Arwen, but realistically, I'm a fighter, like Eowyn."

O'Donnell said she liked Tolkien's outlook on gender: "On the one hand, there's the attitude that's normally on the conservative side - as a conservative woman, I feel I can say this – that stifles women. There's almost the stereotypical attitude of, to be a true woman, you have to stay at home. And I've actually had people say to me, 'Why do you choose a career over marriage?' Honestly, I've had only a few significant relationships, and they've broken



Republican nomination for the Senate away from the seemingly sure-thing moderate Mike Castle.

O'Donnell cited another fantasy world to conjure up a Christlike image for the Tea Party.

"We're rowdy, we're passionate," she told the enraptured crowd. "It reminds me of the C. S. Lewis Narnia books, where the little girl asks someone about Aslan the lion, who represents God, and she says with a little concern over such a fearsome lion, 'Is he safe?' And her friend says, 'Safe? Who said anything about safe? Of course he isn't safe. But he's good?"

She's right that there's an untamed beast rampaging through American politics. But this beast does not seem blessed; rather it has loosed a kind of ugliness and wildness in the land.

Institute, a conservative nonprofit based in Delaware.

Although O'Donnell said in 1998 that wives should "graciously submit" to their husbands, her 2005 suit charged she suffered "mental anguish" after being demoted and fired because the institute's conservative philosophy deemed that women must be subordinate.

We the People in the Ruling Class Elites do think O'Donnell comes across as alarmingly loopy. But maybe she's smart as a fox in doing a Single-White-Female, Fox anchor makeover to look more like her queen-maker, Sarah Palin. She's also smart to think of politics in terms of passion and myth - two elements Barack Obama was able to summon during his campaign that are sorely missing from his presidency.

She might have gone a broom too far, though, when she once told Bill Maher that she had "dabbled into witchcraft" and went on a date with a witch that included "a midnight to connect and inspire passion is a dispiriting contrast to, as Yeats said, the worst, full of passionate intensity.

The first African-American president now faces anger on an unprecedented scale from a mostly white movement.

He seems weary of crisis management, conveying the attitude of the hero in "The Incredibles" who has to keep saving the world: "Sometimes I just want it to stay saved!"

The president seems put upon and impatient with reality while his foes seem happy to embrace fantasy.

Obama can connect with policy. He just can't connect with the objects of policy. Empathy seems more like an abstract concept than something to practice.

He has never shaken off that slight patronizing attitude toward the workingclass voters he is losing now, the ones he dubbed "bitter" during his campaign. There is no premium in trying to save people's jobs and lift them up and give them health care if they feel that you can't

grams. But doesn't the state have some responsibility to those who can't?

FUNDING SPORTS IN IDAHO

How Boise State, the University of Idaho and Idaho State paid for their athletic programs during the 2008-09 school year:

Athletic programs during the 2006-08	Amount	% of revenue
Revenue source BOISE STATE	Amount	% Of revenue
	¢5.7 million	10
Ticket sales	\$5.7 million	19
Student fees	\$2.8 million	9.5
Guarantees	\$600,000	2
Contributions	\$6.4 million	11.1
Compensation provided by third party	\$206,000	.7
State or other gov't support	\$3.3 million	11.2
Direct institutional support	\$2.1 million	7
Facilities and administrative support	\$1.6 million	5.3
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Ticket sales	\$970,000	6.1
Student fees	\$2.2 million	14.3
Guarantees	\$1 million	6.6
Contributions	\$2.4 million	16
Compensation provided by third party	\$263,000	1.7
State or other gov't support	\$3 million	20
Direct institutional support	\$2.5 million	16.3
Facilities and administrative support	\$234,000	1.5
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Ticket sales	\$356,000	3.4
Student fees	\$2 million	19
Guarantees	\$755,000	7.2
Contributions	\$1.1 million	10.5
Compensation provided by third party	\$43,000	.4
State of other gov't support	\$3.1 million	29.6
Direct institutional support	\$1.7 million	16
Facilities and administrative support	-	-
		— USA Today

TIMES-NEWS

Brad Hurd publisher Steve Crump Opinion editor

The members of the editorial board and writers of editorials are Brad Hurd, Steve Crump, Bill Bitzenburg and Mary Lou Panatopoulos. up with me. And one of the things I've been told is, 'If you weren't so strong, you'd be married by now.' "

This anti-abortion, antimasturbation, anti-premarital-sex, anti-stemcells, anti-gay-marriage, dubious-about-evolution Christian conservative has rocked politics by snatching the Delaware Speaking to Sean Hannity on Fox, Karl Rove dismissed O'Donnell as an absurd choice with a sketchy background and dubious character. He alluded to facts in *The Weekly Standard* that chronicled her lawsuit against her former employer, the Intercollegiate Studies

picnic on a satanic altar."

Obama's bloodless rationality has helped spawn the right's bloodletting of irrationality. His ivory tower approach to the nation's fears and anxieties about the economy gave rise to a tower of angry babble. Tea Party is basically a big tent for anger. The president's struggle

relate to them.

The insane have achieved political respectability while the sane act too good for it all. The irrational celebrate while the rational act bored and above-it-all.

Maureen Dowd is a columnist for The New York Times.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Allred has already proven he is a leader

I would like to respond to the reader comment by Stephen Hartgen published in the Sept. 18 issue of the *Times-News* entitled "Taxes, education show policy differences," referring to differences between Keith Allred's and Gov. Otter's political stances.

First, the governor and most of the legislators applaud themselves for not raising taxes during this last legislative session. They did not raise taxes. Instead, they abrogated their responsibility in this regard and transferred the job of raising taxes to the local level. Nearly every school district in Idaho passed emergency over ride levies to close the funding gaps facing their schools. The majority of these levies passed, which indicates the average Idahoan knows the value of education. Teachers who took salary cuts must wonder why they were chosen to take the brunt of the budget cuts rather than asking all Idahoans to help.

There were many avenues open to find monies for education, among them Mr. Allred's suggestion for evaluating the current sales tax exemptions. No one is suggesting that this alone would raise all the necessary funds, but other options such as taxing online purchases, reform-

ing the state tax commission's practice of forgiving or reducing owed taxes, collecting all the taxes due the state by hiring more auditing staff and eliminating legislators' medical insurance benefits would have gone a long way to alleviate the cuts to education. The real hardship which results from this legislative inaction is that it takes time to get changes in place; this year's legislation may not result in increased money for the 2011-12 school year.

Mr. Hartgen characterizes Mr. Allred as a "wonkish" academic. I hope that Idahoans of all persuasions will find Mr. Allred a thoughtful, capable, concerned Idahoan who has a proven track record in the realm of helping people come to agreement on divisive issues.

Keith Allred's leadership in The Common Interest not only helped enact legislation which reduced homeowner's property taxes, but helped pass three laws that protect private property rights against abuse of the government's power of eminent domain, and measures that protect the public's access to legislative meetings. It is time to opt out of the party of "no" – which is really the party which has opted out of the responsibility of governance. Vote.

MARY HIGDEM Kimberly

THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS



OPINION

Commissioners haven't done homework about new jail

support a new Jerome jail but twice opposed the lease option.

Now, the three commissioners in charge of the public checkbook, Roemer, Davidson and Howell, finally listened to the citizens by opting for a bond election.

The same circumstances that caused me to oppose the lease option still exist.

We, the paying public, don't know what we're buying for \$13 million, which, in the life of the bond, becomes \$18 million and an increase in our taxes.

The commissioners are asking us to trust them, once again, that they know what they're doing. I did a public records request for



all jail-related information generated after the failure of the May election. Their due diligence to obtain required information is non-existent. There is no firm contractor, blueprint, contract, definite cost analysis; in short, they are lacking everything you'd need to go to the bank to build a house.

They paid \$10,000 of your tax money toward 80 acres of farm ground and agreed to a purchase price of \$430,000. That same

year and is assessed by the Jerome County assessor at \$53.180. There is no paperwork showing any kind of negotiation to reduce the price of the land or the \$10,000 earnest money. If the bond fails, we lose the \$10,000. And the land does not come with water, which means we are purchasing just the land for \$5,375 an acre even though it's assessed at \$664.75 an acre.

Cathy Roemer stated in the Sept. 8 meeting that one of the contractors who is being considered wanted \$25,000 for a set of blueprints. On Sept. 14, she got a quote of \$15,000 from EHM engineers. After the failed May election, several

land was rented for \$2,500 a citizens informed the board we're buying? At the that if they put out the word to established companies who build jails, those companies would arrive with several blueprints, cost projections, everything needed to make a decision on what the building would be. And it would be free because they want our business. The all-knowing commissioners ignored these facts.

> Instead, the board has "guesstimates" on square footage ranging from 18,400 square feet to 40,300 square feet with costs ranging from \$3 million to \$13 million.

Aren't we repeating the last two elections except that this one is a bond, but we still don't know what

Sept. 14 meeting, Roemer said they'd schedule a phone conference with Chris Pomeroy of TO engineers to learn more about whether the FAA will allow a jail next to the airport. Our county attorney said the FAA won't make a decision based on "conceptuals"; they want plans, on paper, in ink.

The property has to be re-zoned commercial to allow buildings next to the airport, and since the jail only needs 10 acres that would leave us owning 70 commercial acres. If they opt to sell it, the county-owned property would be in competition with private commercial landown-

ers like the 93 corridor and Crossroads. And would you believe that it'll be two to three years, we hope, before the city of Jerome puts a sewer line out that far.

Chapter 18 of the Idaho Jail Standards manual lays out the minimum requirements for building a jail. We don't have that. Roemer is convinced that if they show the public a "conceptual" drawing of a jail, a parking lot, a fence with pretty clouds in the sky that will be enough for you to vote yes, raise my taxes and surprise me with a jail that may be loaded with future expenses we can't afford.

Lee Halper is a resident of Jerome County.

GOP busy co-opting the Tea Party

n the surface, the Pledge to America that House Republicans unveiled last week, in obvious imitation of Newt Gingrich's famous Contract with America. feels like a triumph for the Tea Party.

Whereas the Gingrichera contract was a terse, 865-word list of legislative priorities, the 2010 pledge reads like an expansive, even radical manifesto. It runs to almost 8,000 words, bristles with charts and graphs and inspiring quotations, and includes a lengthy preamble modeled on the Declaration of

Independence. And whereas the original contract's language was carefully polltested to appeal to squishy moderates, the pledge has the aggressively small-government tone of a Rand Paul stump speech, complete with attacks on "selfappointed elites," praise for Americans' speaking out "in town halls and on public squares," and pledges "to honor the Constitution as constructed by its framers."

But style can be deceiving. House Republicans have adopted the atmospherics of the Tea Party movement, but they've evaded its most admirable



never comes.

Conservatives have justified this failure with two incompatible theories. One is the "starve the beast" conceit, which holds that cutting taxes will force government spending downward. The other is the happy idea that tax cuts actually increase government revenue, making deficit anxieties irrelevant.

The real world hasn't been kind to either notion. Cutting taxes without cutting spending, the Cato Institute's William Niskanen has shown, may make voters more likely to support big government, because spending feels like a free lunch. And while some tax cuts can raise government revenue, the incometax cuts of the Bush years emphatically did not.

To their credit, the House Republicans don't invoke starve-the-beast in their 2010 pledge, or pretend that renewing the Bush tax cuts would single-handedly push the nation into the

Tea Partiers, and more about their potential cooption by Republican politics as usual.

That would be unfortunate. Their eccentric elements notwithstanding, the Tea Parties have something vital to offer the country: a vocal, activist constituency for spending cuts at a time when politicians desperately need to have their spines stiffened on the issue. But it's all too easy to imagine the movement (which, after all, includes a lot of Social Security and Medicare recipients!) being seduced with rhetorical nods to the Constitution, and general promises of spending discipline that never get specific.

It wouldn't be the first time a mass protest movement won a rhetorical victory without achieving a lasting policy shift. The antiwar movement, for instance, seemed to effectively take over the Democratic Party in the middle years of the Bush administration. But here we are, two years into a Democratic presidency, and Gitmo is still open, the U.S. is still in Iraq, and Barack Obama has escalated the war in Afghanistan. Whether the Tea Party's

zeal for limiting government

The Delphi disaster: An economic horror story

he White House believes it can win back depressed and economically stressed voters by turning President Obama into the storytellerin-chief again. But victims of Obama's Chicago politics don't want to hear any more of his own well-worn tales of struggle and sacrifice. They've got their own tragedies to tell - heartwrenching dramas of personal and financial suffering at the very hands of Obama.



Consider the real-life horror story of 20,000 white-collar workers at Delphi, a leading auto parts company spun off from GM a decade ago. As Washington rushed to nationalize the U.S. auto industry with \$80 billion in taxpayer "rescue" funds and avoid contested court termination proceedings, the White House auto team schemed with Big Labor bosses to preserve UAW members' costly pension funds by shafting their nonunion counterparts. In

Obama's team of auto-crats decided to "cherry pick" which obligations the new Government Motors company would assume and which they would abandon based on their own political whims and fealty.

Kelly Fabrizio of Franksville, Wis., saw her pension reduced by 55 percent after working 30 years at Delphi/GM: "I am truly scared for my future. Every day I wake up, shake my head and say out loud -This Is Not How It Was Supposed To Be."

Roger Hoke of Columbus, Mich., and his wife were both longtime Delphi workers. His pension shrunk by more than 40 percent: "After 33 years with GM and another 10 with Delphi, what did I do wrong to deserve such a fate?"

Paul Dobosz of the Delphi Salaried Retiree Association, which represents the pensioners and is suing the feds, recounts how they got screwed: The Auto Task Force hatched a plan to dump their pensions on the federally run Pension Benefit Guaranty

Corporation, which slashed their benefits. At the same time, the White House and Treasury officials devised "a clever way to make the UAW pensions whole using GM and TARP money to accomplish it. The scheme was documented in sworn depositions (that) revealed ... that some groups of workers were more 'politically sensitive' and would be afforded special treatment (i.e. subsidv using TARP money) while others less politically worthy would be left out." The PBGC, which had the fiduciary duty to represent the best interests of all the Delphi workers, helped sacrifice the non-union employees at the UAW altar. In other words: Obama's team of auto-crats stocked with Big Laborfriendly appointees and self-admitted know-nothings about the car industry decided to "cherry pick" (one Obama official's own words) which obligations the new Government

Motors company would assume and which they would abandon based on their own political whims and fealty. Due process and equal treatment of union and nonunion workers be damned. Administration officials assert that the Delphi workers' pension fund was underfunded, but two separate actuarial analyses undercut the claim.

The Delphi workers sued the feds. They are not asking for a bailout. They are simply asking for fair treatment under the rule of law. Delphi supporters also point out that the very scheme used to "top up" the union workers' pensions with taxpayer subsidies was challenged by the federal government and ruled illegal by the Supreme Court in the 1990s.

A separate investigation by TARP inspector general Neil Barofsky, announced last week, will also probe "whether political considerations played a role in favoring hourly over salaried retirees." It shouldn't take long to unearth the facts. Obama's own former auto czar Steve Rattner admitted in his new memoir that "attacking the union's sacred cow" could "jeopardize" the auto bailout deal. While Obama conducts his worker empathy tour at staged town halls and rallies across the country, his Treasury Department continues to stonewall and refuses to answer questions about the Delphi disaster. But many workers left out in the cold know the truth: Lip-biting, yarn-spinning Obama doesn't feel their pain. He caused it

substance.

The Tea Party is a grassroots movement - wild, woolly and chaotic - which sometimes makes it hard to figure out exactly what it stands for. But to the extent that the movement boasts a single animating idea, it's the conviction that the Republicans as much as the Democrats have been an accessory to the growth of spending and deficits, and that the Republican establishment needs to be punished for straying from fiscal rectitude.

The Tea Partiers have a point. Officially, the Republican Party stands for low taxes and limited government. But save during the gridlocked 1990s, Republican majorities and Republican presidents have tended to pass tax cuts while putting off spending cuts till a tomorrow that

black. But their fiscal vision practices the same kind of free-lunchism that the Tea Party supposedly abhors: it promotes low taxes without coming close to identifying the spending cuts required to pay for them.

There's a sound political rationale for this, of course. Reducing spending is always difficult, and a Republican Party coasting toward a midterm victory has little incentive to stake out controversial positions. And as everybody knows, the only way to really bring the budget into balance is to reform (i.e., cut) Medicare and Social Security, a topic that nobody in Congress save the indefatigable Wisconsin Republican Paul Ryan – is particularly eager to touch.

But that means that the pledge is ultimately less about the triumph of the

meets a similar fate may depend on the class of Republicans elected in November. From Sharron Angle in Nevada to Ioe Miller in Alaska to Marco Rubio in Florida, many of the party's insurgent candidates have gone further than the Republican leadership in acknowledging the painful necessity of entitlement cuts - and it hasn't vet cost them their chances at high office.

Democrats are eager to paint these candidates as dangerously extreme. But on the evidence of last week's pledge, a little more extremism in the defense of fiscal responsibility is exactly what the Republican Party needs.

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addition, the nonunion pensioners lost all of their health and life insurance benefits.

The abused workers – most from hard-hit northeast Ohio, Michigan and neighboring states – had devoted decades of their lives as secretaries, technicians, engineers and sales employees at Delphi/GM. Some workers have watched up to 70 percent of their pensions vanish.

John Berent of Marblehead, Ohio, lost onethird of his pension: "I worked as a salaried employee for GM (30 years) and Delphi (10 years). After 40 years of dedicated service, I was forced to retire. Then Delphi terminated my health care, life insurance, vision, dental, then terminated the pension plan. Everything I worked 40 years for was wiped out."

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Cash for Clunkers stimulus program was a money guzzler

ransportation Secretary Ray LaHood called it "the stimulus program that really worked." President Barack Obama said it was "successful beyond anyone's imagination." They were referring to Cash for Clunkers, a program tried last year to pay consumers to trade in old gas-guzzlers for fuel-efficient new models.

On the surface, it did work, spurring motorists to rush to their local dealers to take advantage of the generous credits, which went from \$3,500 to \$4,500 per vehicle. New car sales, which had plunged during the recession, suddenly rebounded, to the delight

of dealers and carmakers. In fact, the demand was so great that the program ran out of money far ahead of schedule, prompting Congress to provide additional funds. Some 680,000 older cars and trucks were traded in and destroyed, to make sure they wouldn't be out on the road wasting petroleum.

But the flurry of action last year was not the whole story. When the exhaust settled, it became apparent that Cash for Clunkers didn't accomplish much – and much of what it accomplished wasn't beneficial.

It didn't raise auto sales so much as briefly accelerate them. A study by Amir Sufi of the University of

Chicago's Booth School of Business and Atif Mian of the University of California, Berkeley, found that "almost all of the additional purchases under the program were pulled forward from the very near future."

The \$3 billion cost was higher than it needed to be. George Mason University economist Russ Roberts

showroom stampede should have concluded that "\$4,500 per clunker was too big a subsidy and that you can achieve the same effects with a much smaller amount."

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claim the brief burst of demand was valuable because it gave auto makers

says any member of Congress watching the efit.

The administration can

and the economy a jolt of adrenaline at a crucial moment. But the value of helping automakers is debatable, and the economy showed no lasting ben-

The lesson from this experiment is that the government can bribe people

into doing things if it's willing to spend enough of their money. But as an attempt to show that such efforts can do more good than harm, this program is the real clunker.

This editorial appeared in the Chicago Tribune.





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AROUND THE WORLD

AFGHANISTAN

NATO airstrikes in Pakistan kill more than 50 militants; Islamabad protests

KABUL - Pakistan disputed NATO's claim Monday that its forces have the right of hot pursuit across the Afghan border after coalition helicopters launched airstrikes that killed more than 50 militants who had escaped into Pakistan following an attack on an Afghan security post.

Pakistan said it had strongly protested to NATO over the airstrikes, which a coalition spokesman justified on grounds of "selfdefense." Pakistan is sensitive about attacks on its territory, but U.S. officials have said they have the right to cross a few miles (kilometers) into Pakistani airspace if they are attacked and in hot pursuit of a target.

Pakistan denied Monday such an understanding exists.

Its Ministry of Foreign Affairs said in a press release the mandate of foreign troops in Afghanistan ends at the Afghan border and said the strikes were a violation of its sovereignty. Pakistan said that unless corrective measures are implemented, it will have to "consider response options."

SOUTH KOREA North Korea leader Kim Jong II's son is promoted to four-star general

SEOUL – North Korean leader Kim Jong II promoted Kim Jong Un to the rank of general in the Korean People's Army, the state news agency reported, the clearest signal yet that the younger

Palestinians wait on decision to quit peace talks

By Amy Teibel Associated Press writer

JERUSALEM The Palestinian president said Monday he would wait at least a week before deciding whether to quit Mideast peace talks, giving U.S. mediators precious time to broker a compromise after Israel refused to extend its 10-month moratorium on new West Bank settlement construction.

President Mahmoud Abbas has repeatedly threatened to withdraw from the newly launched negotiations if Israel resumes building in the settlements. But with the stakes so high, Abbas said



Jewish settlement of Kiryat Netafim, near the West Bank village of Salfit, Monday. Senior **Palestinian official Yasser** Abed Rabbo said Monday that President Mahmoud Abbas remains ready to walk out on Mideast peace talks if Israel resumes construction in its West Bank settlements now that building restrictions have expired. AP photo

Israeli earth-moving

equipment works in the

ment ordered expired at midnight Sunday with no sign Israel was heeding U.S. and Palestinian pressure to keep the curbs in place.

That threw the peace talks, which only restarted three weeks ago, into doubt. But the Americans said they were still working with Israeli and Palestinian negotiators to find a formula that would keep the negotiations alive.

Abbas on Monday urged Israel to extend the settlement slowdown for three or four more months to allow for a discussion of "fundamental issues" in negotiations.

In Cairo, an Arab League official said Arab foreign minnews conference standing Organization's 18-member isters were expected to

Kim is on track to succeed his father in ruling the impoverished country.

Kim Jong II issued an order handing six people — including son Kim Jong Un – the rank of general, the Korean Central News Agency reported in a dispatch published early Tuesday, though dated Monday. Also promoted was Kim Kyong Hui, which is the name of Kim Jong II's sister. Her name was listed ahead of Kim Jong Un's in the report.

The Korean-language report gave only the names of those promoted and did not offer any personal descriptions. However, it appeared highly likely that the people named are Kim's son and sister given their names and the timing of the promotions hours ahead of the start of the country's biggest political meeting in three decades and amid intense speculation they could also be given key posts at the gathering.

If confirmed, it would mark the first time that Kim Jong Un's name has appeared in official media.

CALIFORNIA

Heat wave gives downtown Los Angeles an all-time record high of 113 degrees

LOS ANGELES - A blistering fall heat wave sent temperatures to an all-time record high of 113 degrees in downtown Los Angeles on Monday and roasted even coastal cities in triple digits.

The city of Los Angeles opened cooling centers for citizens while firefighters were on alert for wildfires, but there was little wind amid the onslaught of dry heat.

Downtown hit 113 degrees for a few minutes at about 12:15 p.m., breaking the old all-time record of 112 degrees set on June 26, 1990, said Stuart Seto, a weather specialist at the National Weather Service office in Oxnard. Temperature records for downtown date to 1877

It was not clear whether 113 would remain the day's high. Temperatures continued to fluctuate around 112 later in the afternoon, Seto said. The old record high for a Sept. 27 was 106 degrees.

As Mother Nature served up California in a roasting pan the lucky few who didn't have work or school sought relief at the beaches. Hundreds of thousands turned out over the weekend as the heat wave built.

NEW YORK Southwest Airlines to buy AirTran for \$1.4B

NEW YORK - Southwest agreed to buy AirTran in a \$1.4 billion deal that will combine two of the country's largest low-fare airlines and give Southwest a bigger slice of the market in the Northeast and in Atlanta, the busiest hub in the nation.

The acquisition announced Monday moves Southwest, which already carries more passengers than any other American airline, into 37 new cities.

It gains a foothold in cities like New York and Boston, where it has already been expanding, and adds to its push to expand internationally. Southwest gains routes to Mexico and the Caribbean, where remaining discount airline JetBlue has a big presence.

Southwest has been targeting Atlanta, where AirTran currently competes with Delta Air Lines, because it is a hub for business travelers, who tend to pay higher fares.

- The Associated Press

would not make any hasty Nicolas Sarkozy. "After this meet decisions. He said he would chain of meetings, we will be Thursday to determine how consult with the Palestinian leadership before discussing the matter with representatives of the 22-member Arab League next Monday.

"We will not have any

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A senior Palestinian official

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Abbas took. He spoke on condition of anonymity because no decision had been made.

Immediately after the restrictions expired at midnight, Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu appealed to Abbas to keep negotiating.

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Petraeus: Taliban have reached out to reconcile

(AP) – Top Taliban leaders have made overtures to reconcile with the Afghan government, the top commander in Afghanistan said Monday.

Afghanistan President that he will talk to insurgents if they renounce violence, sever ties to terrorists and embrace the Afghan constitution. Publicly, the Taliban have said they won't negotiate until foreign troops leave Afghanistan, yet there are many indications that backdiscussions have door occurred.

"There are very high-level Taliban leaders who have sought to reach out to the factions within Afghanistan, highest levels of the Afghan talking with the Taliban is

BAGRAM, Afghanistan government and indeed have gaining traction as thouthe country.

very highest levels," Petraeus said.

"President Karzai's conditions have been very clear, they're very established and certainly we support that, as his High Council for Peace we did in Iraq, as the United before initiating any formal Kingdom did in Northern talks. Ireland," Petraeus said. "This is the way you end insurgencies."

While opposed by some



done that," Gen. David sands of U.S. and NATO Petraeus told reporters after reinforcements seek to touring a U.S. detention reverse the insurgents' center near Bagram Air Field momentum. Neighboring - the main American base in Pakistan and other nations are beginning to stake out Reconciling with Taliban their positions on possible Hamid Karzai has long said leaders is being "pursued by reconciliation negotiations the Afghan leadership at the that could mean an endgame to the nearly 9-year-old war.

Presidential spokesman Waheed Omar said Karzai was waiting until after he announces the members of

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TOP: A flat roof, giant windows and sharp angles characterize the modern architecture of this Bellevue Triangle home. ABOVE: When the first winter after completing her home approached, Polly Noe-Holland of Bellevue took eight koi from an indoor fountain and put them in an outdoor pond. Six years later, the fish have survived thick ice and snow and multiplied into an estimated 120, despite heron attacks.

Bellevue home contrasts modern with antique, landscape with architecture

By Ariel Hansen Times-News writer

BELLEVUE – The house rises out of 80 acres of prairie, a startling expanse of angles and glass surrounded in every direction by Idaho's khaki mountains.

The unexpected continues at the driveway, where a sign reading "Erehwon" welcomes visitors, and a ing areas, interior and extelarge, shallow pond sparkles rior, welcome conversation with scores of orange, white and admiration of the and black koi, swirling in views. concert.

"I think every room in a home needs an antique piece, and every room needs a mirror," Noe-Holland said. "It gives warmth, where contemporary can be stark and cold."

A stone fountain dominates the great room, formerly with running water but now overflowing with potted plants. Several seat-

"We have 100 places to Perhaps the most sur- eat, and I love to cook,"





Pictures of Polly Noe-Holland's family decorate the bath area of her master bathroom. She and her husband each have a toilet, vanity and

prising moments in the Noe-Holland said. home that Polly Noe-Holland and Robert Holland 8.000 square feet, but half share in the Bellevue Triangle, though, happen and the upstairs guest when the front door opens.

An antiques dealer and home appraiser, Noe-Holland grew up in the Northeast. After living there for about five decades, she grew tired of pitched-roof houses, front porches and windows with tiny panes of high as 80 degrees in winter glass.

"When I came out West and saw all the space, I had to bring it inside," she said.

So the southern side of the house is almost entirely windows, held up with giant beams that also support the flat, beige roof. Pendant figures descend from metal swirls hung from the ceiling, and the interior paint the tans and taupes in the natural environment outside.

But the decor is antique silver side table trays, intricately carved furniture, Oriental rugs.

The home totals nearly of that is the conservatory space, where a caretaker lives to keep an eye on the place when the owners leave town during the Wood River Valley's slack seasons.

The great room, which is never heated above 45 degrees but can rise as when the sun warms the dark concrete floors and radiates heat, can be shut off That leaves about 2,500 square feet of ordinary living space, which includes doesn't end there. kitchen, combined living and dining room, bedroom, two offices and an unusually designed bathroom.

and exterior stucco match their own toilets, vanities and dressing areas, but they share a shower and tub that are placed down the middle of the bathroom so they can be accessed from both sides. And the customization on atives visit. the six-year-old home

from the main living space. With several outdoor dining spaces, including this one that can be covered for shade, Polly Noe-Holland loves to entertain.

from the outside like a greenhouse, and Noe-Holland uses it to grow dec-Husband and wife have orative and edible plants year-round. It also houses a 35-foot-long, narrow pool, which adds humidity to the home and allows for easy exercise for the homeowners and recreation when rel-

The architect, Jamie

The conservatory looks the conservatory, which juts ed no trees, to increase the out farther south than most of the house, also serves as a wind block.

> gets scoured by westerly Creek farther north in the winds; it's kind of relentless out there," he said. she finally has enough land "Enjoying the outdoors is around her, and her husdifficult unless you have a place to sit out of the wind." Throughout the home.

> tall walls draw the eye from excellent investment for

dressing area, but share the bath and shower

inside to outside, and add land," more calming effects to the remembering that he was weather. They also help create the modern aesthetic there. "I didn't think it was a lines that Noe-Holland is so drawn to.

"A house out in a very open environment like that needs to have some pretty strong gestures to make a visual impact; it can't be meek," Bourret said, describing the architecture's "grand gestures." "You see it from a distance, and it's a big landscape it ly." sits in."

The couple chose to min-Bourret of Ketchum, said imally landscape and plantimpact of the 360-degree mountain view.

Today, after living in "The Bellevue Triangle Hulen Meadows and Indian valley, Noe-Holland said band has come around to the appeal of the site.

Holland said. reluctant to build a home very good idea, but now I do."

And that sign at the entrance?

It's "nowhere," backwards, a nod to the 1872 Samuel Butler novel based on the author's experiences in New Zealand, Holland said. "He thought that was the end of the world, literal-

The joke hasn't ended there, though. The couple has another property in Oregon closer to family where they intend to spend their last years, and that place they've dubbed "Erehwemos" – "somewhere," backwards.

In the meantime, though, they've found their somewhere.

Ariel Hansen may be "We thought this was an reached at 788-3475 or ahansen@magicvalley.com.



The great room of the Holland home mixes antique furniture with contemporary architecture, while huge windows show off the 360-degree mountain view.



The deep purple wall in Polly Noe-Holland and Robert Holland's Bellevue home conservatory traps heat, then releases it at night to keep the home at a more even temperature. Noe-Holland, here caring for plants near the greenhouse windows, said purple is also her favorite color.

By Kelly Wilkinson Special to The Washington Post

The lush foliage of summer may be thinning a bit, but that doesn't mean you can't add some color to a back yard or deck this time of year. Have you seen the selection of oilcloth and laminates at fabric stores lately? It's not just gingham and tropical flowers. These days, you can find some of the most creative and talented fabric designers offering part of their collections in oilcloth or laminated cotton and linen.

Laminates are cousins to wipeable vinyl oilcloth, but the new ones are coated cotton, so they have more drape and softness than traditional oilcloth, while still being water-resistant.

Put a piece in an old frame to bring a hit of color and pattern to an outdoor area. I spray the wooden frame with polyure thane to make it waterproof but bring it indoors during the winter to be on the safe side.

And if you have fabric left over, vou can use laminates to make place mats and tablecloths. The fabric doesn't fray, so there's no sewing required: Simply snip and you're done.

Of course, this project doesn't need to be made with water-resistant material. If you find fabric that makes you swoon, there's no reason you can't simply hang a piece of it in a frame indoors. Because these days, there's no question that many fabrics qualify as art. You'll need:

Old frame with mat (no let it dry. glass needed)

Spray (optional) Laminated cotton or fit your frame Pencil or pen Ruler

Scissors 2 to 3 cans of food or soft

drink (for weights)

Glue Duct tape

Hardboard or corrugated lines.





To frame waterproof fabric, first determine your fabric area (left). Use duct tape to secure the fabric over a mat (center). Hardboard or corrugated cardboard will hold the fabric panel in the frame (right). You can spray the wooden frame with polyurethane to make it waterproof.



cardboard, big enough to fit in frame (optional)

Utility knife 4 panel pins or small nails

Hammer How to:

1. Remove the mat from the frame. If you want to coat the frame in polyurethane, do so now and

polyurethane of fabric you want to use by placing the empty frame each corner, make a diagonal over it. Make a small pencil linen, or oilcloth, enough to or pen mark inside each corner of the frame on the fabric.

position the mat according the fabric and wrap the fabto the marks. Use a ruler and pencil to mark lines 1 inch Secure in place with duct beyond the edges of the mat. Cut the fabric along the

front of the fabric and place two or three cans on the mat to keep it in place. Pull each edge of the fabric over an along the mat edges onto the fabric. This will show you where to place the mat once you flip the fabric.

5. Turn the fabric so the 2. Determine the section back faces up, and connect your marks with a ruler. At cut from the corner of the fabric to the corner of the mat to make folding easier.

6. Starting on one edge, **3.** Remove the frame and apply a strip of glue along ric over the edge of the mat. tape.

7. To make a neat corner, trim the fabric "point" that everything in place.

4. Center the mat on the extends past the edge you just glued. When you glue the adjacent edge of fabric, cut the point again, but this time at an angle so the piece edge of the mat, and trace of fabric you trim away is the shape of a triangle. This will allow you to fold the corner so it is tidy.

> 8. Repeat steps 6 and 7 with each edge of fabric.

9. Insert the fabric into the frame. You may want to cut a piece of hardboard or corrugated cardboard to secure the fabric panel in the frame, since there's no glass and the fabric panel may be loose. To do so, cut a piece of hardboard or cardboard the same size as the fabric-wrapped map, and insert it. Add one panel pin or small nail on the backside of each edge of the frame to keep

Work with bleach in a

bleach on your skin, wash it

off immediately using plen-

ty of water. If you do not,

you can get chemical burns

from undiluted bleach that

are not pleasant at all. Use

gloves to keep bleach off

your hands. Use goggles to

keep bleach out of your

eyes. Be very careful when

to





Fall is a good time to add mulch to the garden. This is pallet material mulch dyed golden.

As fall begins, so should mulching

By Kathy Van Mullekom Daily Press (Newport News, Va.)

Mulch in the garden provides you with benefits you may not always see.

In addition to deterring weeds, conserving moisture and making your garden look pretty, mulch decomposes to improve your soil and provides a habitat for beneficial ting. micro-organisms and earthworms.

Mulch also helps prevent soil compaction, soil erosion and pollution runoff.

You can mulch any time of the year. If you mulch in spring, fall can be a time to replenish mulch to help stabilize roots during freezing and thawing times in winter.

or inorganic.

Organic types include tree bark, wood chips, recycled wood and paper, grass clippings, pine needles, straw, leaf litter, newsprint and animal manure. Check with composting facilities in your area to see if yard debris and leaves are recycled into mulch you can purchase for your yard.

Designer mulches creat-

ed from pallet or hardwood material and dyed brown, red, black, chestnut, walnut and golden are available in bulk and bagged from commercial mulching sites and garden centers if you want staying power in your color choice.

If you use newsprint, away

If you use fallen leaves, use a mulching mower to turn them into a finer material that decomposes quicker; cover them with a light layer of heavier wood Mulches can be organic mulch to keep the leaves in place. A light layer of mulched leaves is also beneficial for your lawn, and will not smother the grass.

Inorganic kinds include crushed stone, gravel, plastic sheeting, landscape fabric and recycled tire chips. Beware of some of these because they can harbor too much heat and moisture around plants, and can be difficult to keep clean.

How chlorine bleach works

By Marshall Brain

toes (red) are caused by concentration of 1 part per is not nearly so dangerous to

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If you use grass clippings, spread them immediately to avoid heating and rotapply four to six sheets together, anchored with grass clippings or wood mulch to prevent blowing



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Chlorine bleach is one of those things that you probably have around the house because it is incredibly versatile. It is great for making whites whiter in the washing machine. It is a good on counters and bathtubs. It will remove stains on tile and outdoor furniture. And it is pretty safe, relatively speaking - so safe that people drink it every day in their tap water and swim in it in swimming pools. Let's repeatedly with bleach. take a look at how chlorine bleach works.

chlorine bleach at the store, what you are buying is sodium hypochlorite mixed water. with Since table salt is NaCl, bleach is very similar to table salt and reverts to table salt if left out. For example, the bleach in tap water will be gone if you let an open container of water you heat an egg - the prohave fish in an aquarium. Fresh tap water will kill fish 24 hours, it is fine for fish.

(green), carrots (orange), mildew (brown) and toma-

chemicals called chro- million (anywhere from 0.2 your eyes and skin. But still, mophores. A chromophore ppm to 4 ppm is legal). A molecule creates a color by absorbing some colors of white light and reflecting for swimming, and can go others. If you can change much higher for shock the shape of a chromophore treatments. or break it apart, it becomes colorless. The oxygen in a emergency situation or you disinfectant, killing germs bleach molecule is able to attack chromophores and break them up. Of course it will attack other molecules in the fabric as well, so frequently-bleached fabrics (especially cotton) tend to break down faster if washed hour. It won't kill some par-

How does bleach kill bacteria to disinfect surfaces? When you buy a bottle of It works in something of the same way that heat does to kill germs. Inside a bacteria cell are thousands of pro-Sodium tein molecules that are hypochlorite is NaOCl. intricately folded. These proteins are essential to a bacteria's life. Bleach causes these proteins to unfold or lungs. If you dilute one mildew stains from some to clump together. This clumping is the same kind of thing that happens when stand for 24 hours. This is tein molecules in the egg especially important if you solidify as they clump together.

If you put bleach in water, because of the chlorine. But it will kill bacteria and tend if you let the water stand for to lessen anything that might be coloring the water. How does bleach remove That's why chlorinated stains? Many natural stains water is so common in **NOW...** from things like grass municipal water systems and swimming pools. Tap water might have a chlorine

treat it with respect. swimming pool can go as well ventilated area. If you high as 4 parts per million are using it in a bathroom, turn on the fan or open a window. If you get chlorine

If you are stuck in an are out hiking, you can purify water yourself with chlorine bleach. You can add 8 drops of bleach per gallon of water, or 2 drops per liter of water, cap it, shake it and let it sit an asites, but it will kill most everything else in the water.

However, strong chlorine bleach with any other bleach (like you find in a chemicals, bottle of bleach, which is 5 ammonia. It produces toxic percent to 6 percent sodium vapors. hypochlorite mixed with water) is not something to bleach is great stuff for treat lightly. You do not cleaning, whitening and disinfecting. I used it want it getting on your skin, in your eyes or into your recently ounce of bleach with 8 outdoor furniture, and it ounces of water you have a looked like new when I was solution that kills germs but done.

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 Apply mulch 2 to 4 inches deep; deeper mulch benefits sandy soils that dry out quickly while moist soils need a lighter layer. Remove old mulch before applying new to avoid a "sinking feeling" for your plants. Too much mulch suffocates plant roots. Work old, aged mulch into new gardens to improve soil.

- Keep mulch 3 to 6 inches away from building foundations and away from the base of tree and shrub trunks. Rodents nesting in mulch may chew on bark; mulch too close to your home's foundation could cause the soil to stay too moist.
- Acidic mulch like pine bark and pine needles is ideal around acid-loving plants such as azaleas, rhododendrons, camellias and gardenias.
- Hardwood mulches are also beneficial in vegetable gardens. Use them to camouflage soaker hoses that you leave laying on the ground for convenience.
- Instead of annually adding mulch to your garden, use a small rake to "fluff" up existing mulch for a fresh look.





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SANDRA LEAVITT LERNER/For The Washington Post If you want the greenest, healthiest lawn possible, fall is the season to obtain your best results by stimulating strong networks of roots and growth on turf.

How to get a thick lawn

By Joel M. Lerner Special to The Washington Post

It is said, "To everything there is a season," and we iust reached one of those times of the year. If you want the greenest, healthiest lawn possible, fall is the season to obtain your best results by stimulating strong networks of roots and growth on turf. Your grass doesn't have to be the non-water-retentive groundcover that is frowned upon by some gardeners. You can take steps to discourage runoff and encourage soil percolation and have golf course type turf.

Lawns slow rainwater by allowing it to percolate into the soil. It takes a lot of time If leaves become thick, and work to encourage turf to grow well enough to slow runoff and allow water to permeate more than just the quickly, so matted leaves upper inch or two of soil. It can have a huge, negative effect on your carbon footprint, thanks to the use of gas-powered lawn equipment. It requires herbicides (even safe ones), mowing hand before they go to seed. once or twice a week, overseeding, use of compost and deep aeration.

But I still like the appearance of a lawn and love the smell of freshly mown turf. A killers are especially effec-

Fertilizing: Spreading fertilizer over the soil surface after aerating and sprinkling compost offers another opportunity to get nutrients into the root system, where they are needed. But first make sure vou need fertilizer by having the soil tested. The results of the soil test from your county extension service will determine whether supplemental fertilizer is required.

Mowing: Mow your lawn until growth has slowed and it doesn't need it any longer. Generally, growth stops in November or December.

Mow leaf debris on your lawn into tiny particles. They fertilize as they decay. grind them with the mower and take them to your compost pile. Grass decays will kill it.

Weed Control: Thick turf is the best hedge against weeds. Use synthetic chemicals sparingly and only if necessary. Pull weeds by If they become intolerable, use spot treatments with liquid broadleaf lawn weed killer.

Pre-emergent weed healthy lawn can reduce sed- tive on annual weeds, such



A potting bench should be convenient to gardening activities and water.

The potting bench, every gardener's dream

By Norman Winter McClatchy Newspapers

The dream of a potting bench runs rampant among real gardeners who long for a hidden retreat in their landscape, to not only add organization to their passion, but magic.

The past couple of years I have been able to see the difference between a real, or should I say really used potting bench, and those who had benches but whose dreams never materialized. I am certainly not poking fun at those who failed to see their dreams come to fruition. After all, I too have used exercise equipment for a clothes rack. Maybe in similar fashion you store cookbooks in the microwave.

use.

Think about it – one of perform a little horticultural the hoped-for aspects of the designed or constructed bench is organization, a with the user in mind, just place where the Felco or Corona pruners are kept safe and secure. The gloves are kneeling and more bending right where you want them that would otherwise made to be. The bench that is far away loses its purpose and been in horticultural boot the garden treasures start to camp. end up in cubbies in the garage or the storage shed or the kitchen.

most successful potting rooting hormone and more benches has been the proximity of water. To be honest, most had water incorporated actually became gathering into the overall design of the places. We have outdoor

The first thing that all of bench. Others definitely had rooms for entertaining and the successful benches had a water hose with spray nozin common was a close zle close at hand. The least proximity to the home. The successful, on the other further the walk to the work hand, required dragging a relax and even share cutarea, it seemed, the least hose the length of the yard or tings. likely to be placed in proper attempting to use a watering can

Thirdly, the benches were the right height to keep the gardener from bending, the gardener feel they had

Forth, the benches provided adequate shelving and compartments for items like The second aspect of the pots, soil, tools, fertilizer, one-stop shopping.

There were those that

relaxing, but these work areas also became a gathering place for gardeners to

One rustic bench that had everything I've described also had a large compost pile in close proximity. This was great for recycling purposes but to also gather some of the material that had turned into black gold.



The key to organizing: Know what works for you

The Washington Post

Centreville, Va.-based organizer Janet Schiesl joined Post staff writers Jura Koncius and Terri Sapienza for an online chat. Below is an edited excerpt.

to help simplify and organize newspapers. your life. In your experience,

issue of the type of shoe rack you are using. I recommend not too expensive, so when a rack with flat, solid shelves. you get tired of them they I don't like the slanted racks. can go. Easier than painting. Shoes tend to fall unless you place them perfectly.

I've tried baskets - lovely suite of stainless

I like wall stickers. Again, I used to get invita-tions, important let-

for an online chat. Below is an edited excerpt. There are a lot of products that promise with books, magazines, fully open floor plan with virtually no walls and my

imentation and runoff into as crabgrass and annual rivers and streams, control bluegrass. There are many dust, dissipate heat and corn-gluten-based materinoise, reduce glare, lower fire risk, and improve soil and water quality.

Cool-season grasses are good varieties because they thrive in moist, well-drained soil. Growing a thick lawn aeration when there are hunrequires six hours of sun or more.

Here are some tips to keep grass green, thick and healthy:

Aerating: I consider this the most important step to enrich the soil as deeply as possible. At least four times. use a core aerator by walking over the lawn with a power aerator. For the aerators to properly penetrate, soil should have some moisture but never be soggy. Be sure to use one that removes plugs of soil and doesn't just punch holes.

an important part of the aeration process. It's the conditioning agent for the soil. Sprinkle it into aeration holes, trying not to cover healthy blades of grass. If you have fine-textured compost, try using a broadcast spreader. Otherwise, sprinkle it by hand or with a shovel.

als that keep roots of newly germinated seeds from growing and young weeds at bay and are natural weed controls.

Seeding: Sow grass after dreds of holes providing excellent seed distribution and soil contact. Over-seed existing lawns with three to four pounds per 1,000 square feet.

Use a blend of several cool-season seed varieties. Warm-season grasses turn brown in winter and begin growing when average temperatures are over 60 degrees Fahrenheit. Cool-season grasses stay green in cooler temperatures in spring and fall, as well as in summer if you irrigate.

Turf-type tall fescue vari-Incorporating compost is eties are wear-tolerant and disease-resistant and can be mowed higher, up to 4 inches. Use compact, turf-type tall fescue blends of three or more seed varieties. Don't buy generic seed; use named hybrids.

> Fall lawn care is a lot of work, but the results are worth it.

which types of items are actually helpful?

Schiesl: Products are not the answer to organizing. To simplify your space, you about reading and quickly must consider the amount of stuff you have.

After purging what is not needed, find a home for everything. For different people, this means different things. Where will you use this object? That's where it should live. For storage, you must know if you are an outof-sight, out-of-mind thinker. Storage can be open room until you want to read or closed. It depends on them. what will work for you.

• I have purchased shoe my shoes never end up in them. I tend to step out of my shoes in front of my dresser, or maybe in my closet, and that is where they stay until I feel like moving them to a rack. Do you have any suggestions that might work with my natural inclination?

that you have to work with er, so kids can reach everyyour natural inclination. If thing, and the bins are small. you are not inclined to lift Label everything with words them up off the ground to put them away, then consider under-the-bed storage for for items are when it's time your shoes. It may be an to clean up.

they're overflowing! Any ideas?

Sapienza: Yes: De-clutter. Be conscious and consistent recycling the magazines and newspapers. If you're saving the magazines for certain stories, tear out the pages And take a few minutes to decide which books you actually need right next to your bed. I'm guessing two at the most. Keep the others on a bookshelf in another

• I'm stymied about • what needs to be in • racks in the past, but our kids' playroom. We have a large white craft table, and that's about it. What do you consider essentials?

Schiesl: Most essential: storage. You've got to have some place to store those toys. Many places offer inexpensive storage units, easy to put together and colorful. Try Target! I like their offer-Schiesl: You are right in ings because they are shortor pictures, so your children will know where the homes



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appliances, all of these things now have no place to go. Ideas?

Sapienza: How about hanging some cork on the inside of one of your kitchen cabinets? Get some cork from a hardware store and cut it to the exact size you need. You and keep them in a folder. could probably hang it with a few strips of Velcro.



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The Acai Black

Currant candle

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Eucalyptus Mint and Organic Cotton reed diffusers from Chesapeake Bay Candle's Room To Breathe collection.

Fragrances can awaken a room

By Kim Cook For The Associated Press

You may have sensed, pardon the pun, that there are hundreds of new home fragrance products in stores. The industry has sniffed out a trend: We're spending more time at home, and we want our rooms to smell good.

clean, or exotic, or even yummy. Always wanted to visit a Moroccan bazaar? Craving a spa day? Comforted by the waft of a fresh-baked cookie? Whatever your preference, chances are there's a spray ing at what scent for that. Or a luminary, plug-in or diffuser.

Among the newest products are scent "stories" that cycle through a timed series of fragrances; wooden wicks that evoke crackling material has been fires; flameless candles; and no-spill diffusers.

According to Barbara Miller, spokeswoman for fer to go completely the Association, "The most notable trend is toward fragrances that transport you; can work well as air that have a dreamlike or fresheners. Mix 4 escapist quality."

Holly Bohn, founder of online retailer See Jane Work, agrees.

"I want my house to smell like the great outdoors even if all the windows are shut and the a/c is on," she says.

Her go-to product is Good Home Co.'s Beach Days. It's part of a category known as the "ozones" scents that are considered refreshing and evocative of fresh air and water. There are half a dozen versions of crisp, clean linen alone.



gardens (hyacinth, green alcohol and 30 drops of shoots, moss).

Marie Gartshore, spokeswoman for New Jersey's Research Institute for Fragrance Materials, says freshener) and put in a the industry is always lookchemicals might cause problems, and

a five-year study into potential irritants is under way. So far, she said, "no fragrance shown to be a definitive" allergen.

For those who pre-National Candle natural, essential oils such as citrus, rose, lavender and others ounces of distilled

AP photo/ Chesapeake Bay Candle "Good" might mean black tea and bergamot) and water, 2 ounces of rubbing essential oil (or blend fragrances such as 15 drops of

orange and 15 drops of clove for a winter holiday air carefully labeled spray bottle.

Brosius once found inspiration in a favorite first-edition novel in a London bookstore, which he noted "had a marvelous warm woody smell." Long hours of experimenting finally yielded In the Library, now part of his collection.

AP Photo/Christopher Brosius The CB Experience Burning Leaves home fragrance spray.

Decorating with the harvest

How to incorporate the bounty of garden and orchard into your home's autumn decorating scheme.



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There are 2 types of aerators to choose from. ione simply pokes holes in the lawn, while the other pulls out small plugs and deposits them on the grass. The plug aerator is more efficient because it creates a clear funnel to reach roots. The plugs may look unsightly, but they will dissolve into your lawn over time.

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Citrus-based scents are similar; many find them a finishing touch to a newly cleaned house. And they'll provide a temporary freshening-up for closets or bathrooms without laying on heavy fragrance.

"Over the past couple of years, in a colder economic climate, gourmand fragrances - like vanilla and pumpkin – have become very popular," says Mei Xe, founder of Chesapeake Bay Candles. "Generally speaking, these scents help bring back happy memories. They make you feel safe and warm, and in these times people are longing for a sense of security."

Pier 1 has also focused on "cozy," with scents such as Spiced Cake and Fall Fireside.

Glade and Febreze, mass market leaders in home fragrances, recently launched an array of products in attractive containers to accent home decor; scents for fall include Cranberry Pear, Pumpkin Pie and Cashmere Woods.

To avoid fragrance overload, Xe recommends "staying within the same category, whether it's florals, fruity notes, woodsy fragrances, whatever. Don't mix fragrances that are too different from each other."

Not sure what you like? Take the fragrance profile quiz on the Chesapeake Bay Candle website.

Christopher Brosius was the first artist to have fragrances showcased by the Cooper Hewitt Museum. His 1999 concoction, "Snow," won two Fragrance Foundation awards. His perfumes and home sprays carry names such as Gathering Apples and Burning Leaves. Others capture his interpretation of Russian caravans (smoky

If you prefer not to spend money on an aerator, you can simply stab a pitchfork into the ground and wiggle it.

Aerating should be scheduled 2 weeks before applying the last season's fertilizer. Alternatively, you can do this step 5 to 6 weeks before the first predicted frost.

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lamb is so tender," she

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Laura Sluder began raising sheep nearly a decade ago to mow down the weeds but began marketing lambs through local farmers' markets. Within the last two years, she has begun milking the sheep at her Shoshone farm to make artisan cheese.

Shoshone shepherd expands sheep market with milk

By Cindy Snyder Times-News correspondent

SHOSHONE - Careful planning and a little luck are often the keys to entrepreneurial success. That's true for Blue Sage Farm line for the farmers mar- to cut back to just 100. "I near Shoshone.

Careful planning netted Laura Sluder a valueadded grant to put in a milking parlor, but that was only possible thanks to the bit of luck. When she and her husband moved to their 80-acre farm in 2001, the fields and pastures were different." overgrown with weeds.

"Customers tell me my lamb is so tender. I think it's because they have no stress. They are used to being handled daily."

- Laura Sluder

kets.

"When you go to the day in the milking parlor. farmers markets, it's better I'd rather concentrate more to have more products," Sluder said. Some days she farmers markets," she sells completely out of explained. ground lamb, the next time she won't sell a single she left the lambs on the in Gooding, to make a feta package. "Every week is ewes for 45 days, then style cheese. But they need

Sluder decided to diver- the ewes twice a day. But make a batch of cheese and

explained. "I think it's because they have no stress. They are used to being handled daily." She begins marketing was spending five hours a lambs in May when they are about 5 months old. By

mid-July, the ewes are on the retail and local dried up. Originally, Sluder expected to ship sheep's The first year she milked, milk daily to Ballard Farms weaned them and milked 2,500 pounds of milk to

New tool helps farmers win at bluegrass production

Times-News

MOSCOW - When it comes to Kentucky bluegrass, like the song goes, farmers have to know when to hold 'em. know when to fold 'em. University of Idaho agricultural economist Kate Painter has an instrument to help farmers decide when to toss in the cards.

Painter produced an enterprise budget worksheet risks. in Microsoft Excel that summarizes net returns for different residue treatment strategies and calculates net present value for long-lived bluegrass stands.

Painter, a farm and ranch management specialist in the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences, will present a seminar about her bluegrass analysis Friday, Oct. 1, at 3 p.m. in the Agricultural Sciences Building, Room 62, 606 Rayburn St., in Moscow.

"The biggest question for me was: When do you quit?" Painter said. With the right conditions and the right management tools, growers can keep the same bluegrass planting for seven years or more.

might yield acceptable cash crops.

returns for only a year or two or never.

Kentucky bluegrass can provide growers with a profitable crop that also presents extensive environmental benefits, primarily by minimizing erosion. Field burning, which studies show lengthens the economic life of plantings, raises controversy because critics say it poses unacceptable health

Using the Excel tool, bluegrass growers can enter sales prices for the Kentuckv bluegrass seed, their anticipated yields, bluegrass straw prices if they bale it and other variables.

This program offers a look at the complex world of bluegrass production strategies. Painter developed the program with bluegrass growers in mind who farm along the border of Idaho and Washington, who must consider bluegrass contract terms, different regulations in each state and tribal regulations on two Indian reservations.

In her role as farm and ranch management specialist, Painter prepares enterprise budgets that can help With limited management growers track the costs and tools, a bluegrass planting potential profits of their

Despite economy, Americans don't

sheep to eat the weeds. An ewes' proven milking abili- pounds lighter than they freezing the milk in fiveold sheep farmer told them ty by using sheep milk to had been and since Sluder gallon bags until she has to buy dairy cross sheep make artisan cheeses. because "they produce a lot of milk and raise a lot of added grant from the U.S. lambs."

Sluder found his admonition to be true. Her dairy a New Zealand style swingcross ewes almost always raise a set of twins for a 200-plus percent lamb production, Sluder began selling whole lambs. She took one to a chef in Sun and he immediately wanted to put her lamb on the menu.

the racks and quite a bit of ground lamb, Sluder began through." taking the remaining cuts

They decided to get six sify by capitalizing on the the lambs were about 20 she quickly switched to

She received a value-Department of Agriculture which allowed her to build milking parlor. She can sheep dairies in the U.S. so milk 20 ewes on a side early in the season when the anicrop. With that kind of mals still have their wool researched options over the on, and 27 after they've been sheared.

"The size difference is Valley for his personal use so different from one end of the season to the other," Sluder said. "Imagine then separated at night. cation is one of her primary starting the season milk-With restaurants taking ing Holsteins and switching to Jerseys half way

Her business plan called to area farmers markets. for milking 250 ewes a day, Lambs weights came back up amazing. I could double my But she was still looking for but after milking 200 last to normal and the ewes pro- flock and still have to ration ways to expand her product winter Sluder has decided duced 2 pounds of milk per cheese."

already markets her lambs at 80 to 100 pounds milk. (restaurants demand smaller carcasses), losing milk to a cheese maker in 20 pounds was a large hit.

There are only about 100 there is not a lot of data her. Next year, Sluder plans available, but Sluder winter and when the ewes farm. lambed in January, she went to once a day milking immediately. The lambs are left with the ewes all day, Sluder milks in the morning, then turns the lambs samples," back in with ewes for the However, once customers rest of the day.

the required amount of She also ships frozen

Wyoming who makes roquefort and an aged petite Basque cheese for to make fresh cheese and yogurt on her Shoshone

Neither lamb nor sheep cheese are common products at local farmers markets, and Sluder says edujobs. "I give out a lot of she said. have a taste they want That strategy paid off. more. "Demand has been

want farm work

By Grance Burke

Associated Press writer

economy tanked during the past two years, a debate has raged over whether immigrants are taking jobs that Americans want. Here, amid the sweltering vineyards of the largest farm state, the that most Americans are answer is no.

Most Americans simply don't apply for jobs harvesting fruits and vegetables in California, where one of every eight people is out of work, according to governanalyzed by The Associated Press.

And the few unemployed Americans who apply through official channels VISALIA, Calif. - As the usually don't stay on in the fields, a point comedian Stephen Colbert - dressed as a field hand – has alluded to in recent broadcasts on Comedy Central.

"It's just not something going to pack up their bags and move here to do," said farmer Steve Fortin, who pays \$10.25 an hour to foreign workers to trim strawberry plants for six weeks each summer at his nursery ment data for a federal sea- near the Nevada border. He sonal farmworker program has spent \$3,000 this year

See WORK, Agribusiness 2

AGRIBUSINESS ROUNDUP

Idaho milk production continues to rise

BOISE – The latest national farm figures show milk production in reported increases in total production monitoring reports and exceeding Idaho continues to increase.

For the month of August, Gem State dairies produced a total of **EPA may fine Idaho fish** 1.15 billion pounds, up slightly from 1.15 billion pounds, up slightly from 1.12 reported in July and 7.8 percent farm up to \$177,500 more than August 2009.

The National Agricultural the state. Last month, Idaho dairy farmers reported an average of 573,000 cows, up 4,000 from July and Agency filed a complaint against Lynn and 80,000 pounds of sturgeon at the 25,000 during the same period a year ago.

\$15.50 per hundredweight, compared to \$14.60 in July and \$11.60 a year ago. The nation's 23 major dairy states

compared to August 2009.

BOISE – An Idaho fish farm faces Statistics Service also reports growth penalties of up to \$177,500 for allegedin the number of milk cows around ly violating the federal Clean Water Act.

Babington and ARK Fisheries Inc. of facility. Buhl.

August, Idaho producers fetched plaint covers violations dating back to 2005.

> They include discharging pollutants without a permit, failing to submit permit limits for phosphorus in October 2008 and January 2010.

Kim Ogle, an EPA manager in Seattle, says his agency has tried to work with ARK fisheries to resolve the problems but that they continue.

The \$177,500 fine would be the maximum administrative civil penalty allowed under federal law.

ARK fisheries has projected it could The Environmental Protection raise up to 275,000 pounds of trout

- Staff reports

AP photo

Benjamin Reynosa, 49, of Orange Cove, picks table grapes near Fowler, Calif. As the economy tanked over the past two years, the immigration debate has focused on whether immigrants are taking jobs Americans want. Here, amid the sweltering melon fields and vineyards of the nation's top farm state, where one of every eight people is still out of a job, the answer is no.

Milk prices are also creeping up. In

Dates

and rates

The agency said Monday the com-

other crops. Check RMA for more details.

- Sept 30 NAP Deadline for Fall Canola or Fall planted Seed Crops.
- Dec 1 NAP for Perennial Crops and Honey. RATES
- Farm Operating Direct 2.375%
- Farm Ownership Direct 4.375%
- -Farm Ownership Direct Down Payment, Beginning Farmer or Rancher 1.500%
- -Emergency Actual Loss 3.750%

DATES Sept. 30 — Succession in Interest Report to County

Committee. • Sept. 30 - SURE Application Deadline. • Sept. 30 - Crop Insurance Deadline for Wheat as well as

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MARKET SUMMARY NYSE AMEX NASDAQ MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE) MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE) MOST ACTIVE (\$1 OR MORE) Name Vol(00) Last Chg Name Vol(00) Last Chg Name Vol(00) Last Chg Citigrp 3466131 3.87 -.03 LibertyAcq 89847 10.40 +.09 Intel 497143 19.24 -.19 4.34 +.54 492365 1.16 -.02 BkofAm 1187118 13.24 -.36 CapGold n 58442 SiriusXM S&P500ETF1186179114.27 -.55 RareEle g 35473 8.85+1.01 Cisco 479526 22.11 +.02 1.76 +.12 7.34 +2.79 DenisnM g Microsoft 24.73 -.04 988325 27611 426860 AirTran SPDR Fncl 596742 14.45 -.16 PwShs QQQ418786 49.39 -.27 Taseko 26597 5.32 +.15 GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE) GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE) GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE) Last Chg %Chg Name Name Last Chg %Chg Name Last Chg %Chg AirTran 7.34 +2.79 +61.3 CapGold n 4.34 +.54 +14.2 NightwkR 6.38 +3.13 +96.3 +.35 +13.0 3.05 4.07 BioTime wt 2.70 +1.20 +80.0 ChinaNepst +.95 +30.4 GenFin un +6.16 +19.6 AlbertoC n 37.64 RareEle g 8.85 +1.01 +12.9 BioFuelEn 2.22 +.54 +32.1 I DK Solar 10.45 +1.60 +18.1 Metalico 3 98 +.44 +12.4 VIvNBc wt 3 00 +.65 +27.7 2.44 +.23 +10.4 +.79 +20.3 AirMedia 4.68 GreenbCos 15.23 +1.97 +14.9 SuprmInd LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE) LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE) LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE) Name Last Chg %Chg Last Chg %Chg Name Last Chg %Chg Name ZionO&G wt BPZ Res -.47 -11.3 SunLink 2.22 -.18 -7.6 2.53 -.47 -15.7 3.70 NSecGrp CKX Lands 10.75 -.86 -7.4 10.00 -1.53 -13.3 DeutsBk rt 5.22 -.65 -11.1 15.80 -2.20 -12.2 Ravthn wt 910 -.99 -9.8 HelixBio g 2.51 -.17 -6.3 Emclaire n -6.38 -7.0 -6.2 M&T Bk 84.24 DocuSec 3.35 -.22 KingldJ rs 6.50 -.84 -11.4 -.78 -7.0 OpkoHlth 2.17 -.11 -4.8 RurbanF If 2.84 -.36 -11.3 PNC wt 10.32 DIARY DIARY DIARY Advanced 1,267 Advanced 215 1,046 Advanced Declined 1,735 Declined 252 Declined 1,613 Unchanged Unchanged 134 Unchanged 42 108 509 3.136 Total issues 2,767 Total issues Total issues New Highs 18 New Highs 191 New Highs 114 New Lows New Lows 14 New Lows 3,637,514,945 Volume 92,222,059 | Volume Volume 1,845,467,109

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How TO READ THE REPORT

Stock Footnotes: cc – PE greater than 99. dd – Loss in last 12 mos. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian \$. Stock price in U.S.\$. n – New issue in past 52 wks. q – Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-wk high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants, ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants. **Dividend Footnotes:** a – Also extra or extras. b – Annual rate plus stock dividend. c – Liquidating dividend. e – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f – Annual rate, increased on last declaration. j – Declared or on action taken at last meeting. k – Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m – Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. J – Declared or paid at 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or split. j – Paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or specify po being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.

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

Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.

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Oct Live cattle	96.60 96.70	95.75	96.13	05 + .05
Dec Live cattle	96.70	97.85 109.03	98.25 109.10	+ .05
Sep Feeder cattle Oct Feeder cattle	109.50	109.03	109.10	
	109.85	109.05		+ .28 + .15
Nov Feeder cattle			109.85	+ .15 28
Oct Lean hogs Dec Lean hogs	79.25 77.10	78.15 75.85	78.43 76.03	28 30
Dec Lean hogs Dec Wheat	711.00	693.25	697.25	- 22.50
Mar Wheat	739.00	728.00	728.25	- 22.00
Dec KC Wheat	749.00	732.50	737.25	- 19.00
Mar KC Wheat	749.00	748.00	750.75	- 19.00
Dec MPS Wheat	762.00	748.00	743.50	- 18.50
Mar MPS Wheat	771.25	750.50	743.50	- 20.50
Dec Corn	503.75	495.25	495.25	- 20.50
Mar Corn	516.00	495.25	495.25	- 6.00
Nov Sovbeans				+ 5.00
Jan Sovbeans				+ 5.00
Sep BFP Milk	16.33	16.25	16.25	+ 4.75
Oct BFP Milk	16.53	16.25	16.48	00 + .13
Nov BFP Milk	15.94	15.70	15.86	+ .13
Dec BFP Milk	15.24	14.98	15.24	+ .00
Jan BFP Milk	14.57	14.34	14.57	+ .05
Oct Sugar	24.75	24.12	24.70	+ .39
Mar Sugar	23.71	23.08	23.62	+ .43
Dec B-Pound	1.5734	1.5604	1.5666	+ .0006
Mar B-Pound	1.5715	1.5598	1.5678	+ .0028
Dec J-Yen	1.1880	1.1819	1.1867	+ .0030
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Nov U.S. Dollar	80.40	79.92	80.31	+ .25
Oct Comex gold	1295.9	1286.7	1291.4	+ 0.9
Dec Comex gold	1297.5	1288.2	1293.0	+ 0.9
Sep Comex silver	21.21	21.12	21.12	+ .08
Dec Comex silver	21.27	21.89	21.15	+ .09
SepTreasury bond	133.2	132.1	132.3	+ 0.4
DecTreasury bond	132.1	131.9	131.3	+ 0.1
Sep Coffee	183.25	179.60	181.65	+ 1.70
Dec Coffee	184.50	181.05	183.10	+ 1.55
Dec Cocoa	1897	1872	1879	- 7
Mar Cocoa	1913	1889	1897	- 4
Oct Cotton	100.40	97.52	97.77	- 2.60 - 2.45
Dec Cotton	99.71	96.82	97.17	
Oct Crude oil	75.61	73.58	74.88	+ .17 + .0086
Oct Unleaded gas Oct Heating oil	1.9323 2.1277	1.8747 2.0703	1.9100 2.1061	+ .0086
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Valley Beans Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers. should contact dealers. Pintos, no quote, new crop; great northerns, no quote; pinks, no quote, new crop; small reds, no quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Sept. 22. Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture Pintos, not established; great northerns, not established; small whites, not established; pinks, not established; mall reds, not established. Quotes current Sept. 22.

GRAINS

Valley Grains Prices for wheat per bushel: mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice. Soft white wheat, ask, barley, \$750: oats, \$7.10; corn, \$900 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Sept 22.

Barley, \$7.00 (cwt): corn, \$9.55 (cwt). Prices quoted by JD Heiskell. Prices current Sept. 22.

Intermountain Grain POCATELLO, Idaho (AP) – Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain Report for Monday, September 27. POCATELLO – White wheat 5.75 (steady); 11.5 percent winter 5.77 (down 7) 14 percent spring 7.28 (down 11); barley 6.46 (steady) BURLEY – White wheat 5.79 (down 1); 11.5 percent winter 5.84 (down 18); 14 percent spring 7.10 (down 16); Barley 6.75 (steady) OGDEN – White wheat 5.95 (down 5); 11.5 percent winter 6.00 (down 18); 14 percent spring 7.07 (down 16); Barley 6.75 (steady) PORTLAND – White wheat 5.03 (down 10); 11 percent winter n/a 14 percent spring n/a; corn 211.75 (down 3.25) NAMPA – White wheat cwt 9.08 (down 8); bushel 5.45 (down 5)

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Barrels: \$1.7350, nc: Blocks: \$1.7500, nc

POTATOES

CHICAGO (AP) – USDA – Major potato markets FOB shipping points Friday. points Friday. Russet Norkotahs Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count 17.50: 100 count 9.50-10.00.

9.20-10.00. Baled 5-10 ib film bags (non Size A) 4.00-4.50. Russets Norkotahs Wisconsin 50-lb cartons 70 count 14.00: 100 count 8.00-9.00. Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 7.00-7.50.

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Continued from Agribusiness 1 ensuring domestic workers have first dibs on his jobs in the sparsely populated

the government data showed. The Labor Department did not respond to a request for comment about the findings.

More than half of farmworkers in the United States are illegal immigrants,

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 48.22, or 0.4 percent, to close at 10,812.04. The Standard & Poor's 500 index dropped 6.51, or 0.6 percent, to 1,142.16, while the Nasdaq composite index fell 11.45, or 0.5 percent, to 2,369.77.

In deal news, consumer products giant Unilever NV agreed to buy beauty products maker Alberto Culver Co. for \$3.7 billion. Southwest Airlines Co. will purchase AirTran Holdings Inc. for about \$1.4 billion. Walmart Stores Inc. proposed to buy South African consumer goods distributor Massmart Holdings Ltd. for about \$4.25 billion. Michael Sansoterra, portfolio manager of the RidgeWorth Large Cap Growth Fund, said

the latest deals are a sign companies are confident economic growth will pick up in the coming quarters. Acquisition activity has been booming this month as companies become more willing to invest some of their large cash reserves built up during the recession.

Bond prices rose Monday, indicating some investors continued to seek safer alternatives to stocks. Even with stocks rising sharply throughout the month, money has regularly flowed into bonds and other perceived safe investments like gold.

Russet Norkotahs Washington 50-lb cartons 70 count 13.00-14.00: 100 count 7.00-8.00. Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 4.50. Round Reds Wisconsin 50-lb sacks Size A 9.00: 50-lb cartons Size A 9.00-10.00

LIVESTOCK

Intermountain Livestock POCATELLO (AP) – Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Livestock Report for Monday, September 27. LIVESTOCK AUCTION – Burley Livestock Market on Thursday. Utility and commercial cows 52.00-65.00; canner & cutter 45.00-52.00; heavy feeder steers 95.00-110.00; light feeder steers 106.00-129.00; stocker steers 92.00-134.00; heavy hol-stein feeder steers 65.00-76.00; light holstein feeder steers 106.00-129.00; stocker steers 122.00-134.00; heavy hol-stein feeder steers 65.00-76.00; light holstein feeder steers 101.00-110.00; stocker heifers 108.00-125.00 bulls 62.00-68.00. Remarks: No comments. 68.00. Remarks: No comments

METALS/MONEY

Key currency exchange rates	
NEW VORK (AP) - Key currency exchange rates Monday	com-

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pared with late F	riday in New	York:
Dollar vs:	Exch. Rate	Pvs Day
Yen	84.24	84.39
Euro	\$1.3475	\$1.3472
Pound	\$1.5855	\$1.5815
Swiss franc	0.9845	0.9855
Canadian dollar	1.0259	1.0268
Mexican peso	12.5190	12,5520

Gold Gold Selected world gold prices, Monday. London morning fixing: \$1298.25 up \$1.25. London afternoon fixing: \$1297.00 unchanged. NY Handy & Harman: \$1297.00 unchanged. NY Engelhard: \$1299.85 up \$6.26. NY Engelhard: \$1299.85 up \$6.26. NY Engelhard: \$1397.34 up \$6.73. NY Merc; gold Sep Mon. \$1296.70 up \$0.70. NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Mon. \$1297.00 unchanged .

NEW YORK (AP) – Handy & Harman silver Monday \$21.440 up \$0.070. H&H fabricated \$25.728 up \$0.084. The morning bullion price for silver in London \$21.540 up \$0.190.

\$0.190. Engelhard \$21.430 off \$0.020. Engelhard fabricated \$25.716 off \$0.240. NY Merc silver spot month Monday \$21.455 up \$0.072.

Nonferrous Nomerrous NEW YORK (AP) – Spot nonferrous metal prices Mon. Aluminum -\$0.9788 per lb, London Metal Exch. Copper \$3.5880 Cathode full plate, LME. Copper \$3.5935 N.Y. Merc spot Mon. Lead - \$2255.00 metric ton, London Metal Exch.

weather blankets East

Farmers struggle as dry

By Jennifer C. Yates Associated Press writer

PITTSBURGH - When rain fell recently on Rick Ebert's dairy farm, the less than one-quarter inch didn't do much to fill his parched well. He had to have 3,000 gallons of water trucked in last week to ensure his cows staved hydrated and cool.

"We really need an allday nice rain," said Ebert, who runs Will-Mar-Re Farms in New Alexandria.

The same could be said in much of the eastern U.S., where abnormally dry conditions have forced some states to issue drought warnings and raised the risk of brush fires. Some farmers say they expect to harvest half of what they normally do, cutting their income while they're paying more for water and feed.

But although the weather is causing them some pain, the drought-like conditions haven't been widespread enough to affect consumers, who are more likely to see the difference in their brown lawns than their grocery bills.

"For the most part, rainin most areas across the Northeast. It started probably about the middle of June, and it will probably continue into the next couple weeks," said Tom Kines, a meteorologist at Accuweather.

Inland areas of Pennsylvania, the mid-Atlantic, Ohio and parts of New Jersey up to Maine have been the driest, Kines said.

Last week, Pennsylvania



AP photo

Farmer Rick Ebert walks through his pasture next to a dry culvert, right, with some of his dairy cows on his farm in New Alexandria, Pa. Rain fell on Ebert's dairy farm last week, but the less than 1/4 inch that dropped didn't do much to help his parched well.

"Fall is starting earlier, the corn is being harvested sooner because it's drying out."

- Cheryl Bjornson, a Penn State **Cooperative Extension educator**

fall has been below normal officials put 24 counties who doesn't have irrigation ing from a paltry 5 bushels under a drought warning is going to be affected. If and the rest of the state under a drought watch. Most Pennsylvania counties get 37 to 45 inches of rain a officials expect the state's tough year for farmers," said year. This year, they've had between 2 and 10 inches less.

> corn is being harvested had a foot less rain than sooner because it's drying out," said Cheryl Bjornson, a Penn State Cooperative Heikes, who has about plant are generally not fill-Extension educator in 1,400 acres in Talbot ing out - they're drying Chester County. "Anybody County, said a 7 1/2-inch up," Meeks said.

farmers are irrigating then

they're ahead of the game." Maryland agriculture corn production to be off by 30 percent from last year and soybeans to be down 2,800 acres near the "Fall is starting earlier, the 16 percent. Some spots have Pennsylvania state line. normal.

Eastern Shore farmer Ed because the top pods in the

deluge in July gave his corn a fighting chance, but there's been scant rain since. His crop will be 30 to 35 percent below average, he said. Farther west in Carroll

County, corn yields are rangper acre to a modest 100, said farmer Lawrence Meeks of Silver Run.

"It's going to be a really Meeks, who grows corn, soybeans, wheat and hay on

"The beans will not be what they might have been stretch of the state, advertiselectronic job registry.

But he hasn't had any takstate hired anyone using a little-known, little-used program to hire foreign farmworkers the legal way - by applying for guest worker visas.

Since January, California farmers have posted ads for 1,160 farmworker positions open to U.S. citizens and legal residents seeking work.

Only 233 people applied after being linked with the jobs through unemployment offices in California, Texas, grower brought on 36 U.S citizens or legal permanent residents. No one else hired any.

The California figures represent a small sample of efforts to recruit domestic workers under the H-2A Guest Worker Program, but they provide a snapshot of how hard it is to lure Americans to farm labor and to get growers to use the because employers have program.

Fortin is one of just 23 of the estimated 40,900 full-time farmers and ranchers in California who petitioned this year to bring in foreign farmworkers through legal means,

according to the Labor ing in newspapers and on an Department, and another fourth of them were born outside the country. Proponents ers, and only one farmer in the of tougher immigration laws - as well as the United Farm Workers of America - say farmers are used to a cheap, largely undocumented work force, and say if growers raised wages and improved working conditions, the jobs would attract Americans.

Economists have long argued over whether local workers would take jobs in the field if wages rose. Philip Martin, a professor of agricultural and resource economics at the University of California, Nevada and Arizona. One Davis, said because so few farmers participate in the H-2A program, the data's limitations make it hard to draw national conclusions. Under current conditions, the figures show the work force will remain almost entirely immigrant, he said.

"Recruitment of U.S. workers in this program doesn't work well primarily already identified who they want to bring in from abroad," Martin said. "I don't think a lot of U.S. workers are going out there looking for a seasonal job paying the minimum wage or a dollar more."



Schools celebrate tastes of Washington during lunch

The Associated Press

SEATTLE - Parents, school officials, farmers and even kids would like to see more fresh vegetables on the lunchroom table, but the logistics of getting produce from farm to schools are complicated.

One challenge is fresh vegetables are expensive, even if they come from local farms. With tight school lunch budgets, spending a few extra pennies on an apple can be out of reach.

Some schools are featuring Washington-grown items on their menus this week as they participate in Taste Washington Day this Wednesday.

Tricia Kovacs is in charge of the state's Farm-to-School Program, which was created in 2008 by legislation intended to make it easier to get more local food into school cafeterias.

more fresh produce in lenges," Kovacs said. "But school lunches concede it we also are learning every more progress than others. can be difficult.



AP photo

Vegetables are cleaned at a school kitchken in Auburn, Wash. When schools buy their vegetables from big distributors, they come in practically ready-to-eat. When they come from local farmers, or from school gardens like these carrots from Auburn's, they often come with farm-fresh dirt.

Supporters of getting ping people are real chal- overcome some of them." day ways school districts

"The things that are stop- and farms have found to cent of its produce budget ing times, Mother Nature meal program.

buying directly from local doesn't always cooperate, Some districts have made farms. La Conner students schools can't wing it when an extra 10 cents on an drink smoothies made from they have thousands of kids apple because we want to," Olympia spends 30 per- local strawberries and eaten to feed. Big distributors, like he said.

Conn. report highlights importance of agriculture

porters had released Monday.

The report by the alive and well." University of Connecticut state were more than \$3 bilhad thought.

and

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) about our estimates," said less than 2 percent of forest products and agri-- Agriculture is more Rigoberto Lopez, head Connecticut's \$212 billion cultural processing such as important to the state's of the university's Depart- gross state product in economy than even its sup- ment of Agricultural and 2007. believed, Resource Economics and according to a report one of the report's authors. smallest state accounts for "Connecticut agriculture is about 406,000 acres, or

The value of agricultural Connecticut. said agricultural sales in the output was measured as statewide sales of agricul- agriculture in Connecticut lion in 2007, higher than the tural products generated has created more than agriculture products. \$2 billion that policymakers directly from the industry 20,000 jobs. and through spillover

Farmland in the third 13 percent of total land in

The study also found that

"We were very careful effects on other industries. industry as including crop tion was the most comvery conservative It totaled up to \$3.5 billion, and livestock production, plete, Lopez said.

the production of yogurt or ice cream tied to milk production in Connecticut.

Excluded were secondary sectors such as landscaping and groundskeeping and food processing such as bakeries and distilling that do not use Connecticut

Researchers used 2007 It defined the agricultural data because the informa-



Valley. Food-services man-

ager Georgia Johnson said

the district is hoping to buy

its own cows next year, raise

farm and used them for

\$100,000 of its produce

budget last year with Terra

Organics, a Tacoma-area

potatoes from local farms,

and served other produce,

including local radishes,

carrots and baby cucumbers

grown specially. They also get produce fresh from their

Another challenge of

local farm produce is at its

Even during prime grow-

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own school garden.

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farm known for its home-

delivered produce boxes.

District spent

meat.



Silver Spurs Equestrian Team Invites new members of all ages to join in the fun. We are a family-oriented fun group that participates in local parades, drills, trail riding & family fun activities. Ride Practices are Thurs. nights (weather permitting). For more information contact: Charlene Royce (208)539-5804, Debi Johnson 358-3200, or Rochelle Shank 731-9812.

Come Join the Fun-filled partnership of horse & rider ages 8-18 to perform in parades and at the Magic Valley Stampede at the Twin Falls County Fair with the Filer Junior Riding Club. Meetings held every Monday night at 7pm at the Twin Falls County Fairgrounds Contact Karen Stoker at 308-3377 or Rick Schulz 420-5952

Magic Valley Miniature Horse Club, Welcomes Registered, Non-registered and Long Ears (under 38 inches) horse owners. For more Information, contact: Debbie Emery 326-2223 or Stacy Storrer 731-2650.

Grass Roots Cutters, which is an equestrian cutting club centrally located in Twin Falls. Membership information, location details & Entry forms visit www. grassrootcutters.com.

921-1665 for more details. New Members are welcome!

Last Saturday of each Month -- The Broken Arrow Pony Club is now accepting membership for children ages 8 through 15 in the Hagerman Valley, Bliss, and Gooding area. Lots of Pony adventures and activities both indoors and out. Come have fun and learn all about horses and equine care and education. Cost is only \$18 a year and 50 cents dues each month! Meetings are held at the Billingsley Creek Arena, Hagerman, ID. For more information contact Debra or Karen at 208-837-6436 or email at greattimes444@yahoo.com.

Mondays: Youth Nights; Barrel Racing, Breakaway, Goat Tying, & Calf Roping Jackpot.

Tuesdays: Team Roping Jackpot 7pm.

Thursdays: Team Sorting Jackpot 7pm. COPUS COVE ARENA 1731E. 3900N. Buhl. Rough stock events available on request & will add according to interest. For more information call Dwight French at (208)731-6635.

Tuesday's (6pm) Arrow E Arena (3477 N. 2900 E. Twin Falls) Barrel Racina

are Always Welcome. call 324-4754 or 326-6833 For more info.

Oct. 15-18 - Julie Goodnight 2010 Clinic Tour at the C Lazy U Guest Ranch, Granby CO Special Event, Special Pricing for more information call 800-225-8827, email <u>clinics@juliegoodnight.com</u> or visit <u>www.juliegoodnight.com</u>

Oct. 16 (9am) Magic Valley Reined Cowhorse Association holding a Cow Horse Clinic, Located at Mike Zebarth Arena (3550 E, 300 N., Just South of Kimberly), Cost is \$125 per rider or Spectators \$35. Taught by three clinicians, herd work, reigning and cow work involved. Open for anyone. Limited number of entries must RSVP by Oct. 13th. Contact Milo Erekson (208) 921-1665 or (208) 654-2085 for more details

Oct. 16 (8am) Grass Roots Cutter; Cutting at Thomason Arena. For more info <u>www.grassrootcutters.com.</u> Jackpot Cutting.

Oct. 29 (6 pm) Twin Falls Livestock Comm. Co. LAST Horse Sale of the year (tack, registered & grade horses).

Nov. 10-12 – Nevada Cattlemen's Association Convention & Trade Show; Elko Nevada. For more into ca

apples from the Skagit Food Services of America (FSA), are the safe bet because they can always get product from somewhere.

In most schools, the food them on a Samish Island budget for each lunch is about \$1 per student. That means about 15 to 25 cents The Auburn School for salad, fruits and vegetaabout bles.

On Taste Washington Day, La Conner, for example, will spend about 15 percent more than usual on its lunch for a potato bar with The district got all of its spuds, green onions, broccoli, gourmet cheese, apples, raspberries and ham, all from the Skagit Valley.

Districts use the big distributors because they help keep costs down, schoollunch managers said.

"The precut items offered serving local produce is that by the main purveyors simschool is out of session when ply cannot be beat on price," noted Eric Boutin, who recently started running the Seattle School District's

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United States Pony Club, Magic Valley Chapter welcomes new members from the ages of 8-25. The Magic Valley Pony Club (MVPC) was founded in 1987 at Southwind Ranch in Jerome and still rides there every Saturday from 11-2. Pony Club is a youth program that teaches Dressage, Jumping, Cross Country, and Horse Management. For more information on USPC, visit www.ponyclub.org or on MVPC, call (208)324-8538

Every Tuesday & Thursday (6pm-8pm) College of Southern Idaho Equestrian Team holds meetings at the CSI Expo Center or at the Arrow E Arena when the CSI Expo Center is being used for other events. <u>www.ihsainc.com</u> or call Lynne Case at (208) 320-2696 for more details.

Every Sunday (10am) The Idaho Regulators (part of the Cowboy Mounted Shooting Association) have practice in Rupert. New Members are Always Welcome, come see what it's all about. Call Kent Spaulding 431-4553 for details

First Monday of each Month (Dinner 6pm; meeting 7pm) The Idaho State Horse Show Association board meetings are held at the Travelers Oasis Eden. Members are welcome!

Second Monday of each Month (Dinner opm; meeting 7pm) Magic Valley Reined Cowhorse Association meetings at Travelers Oasis Eden, ID. Contact Milo (208)









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Wednesday's (6pm) Arrow E Arena (3477 N. 2900 E. Twin Falls) Team Roping Practice. More info. @ <u>www.arrowearena.com</u>

Wednesday's (Time-Onlys 6:30pm; Race at 7:30pm) Shu-Fly Arena (1772 E. 1400 S. Gooding, ID)

Wednesday Night 4D Jackpot Barrel Racing. More info. @ www.shuflyarena.

Saturday's (1:00pm) Shu-Fly Arena (1772 E. 1400 S. Gooding, ID) Team Roping Practice. More info. @ www.shuflyarena.com.

Sundays (10am) The Idaho Regulators, a Mounted Shooting Club; in Rupert. Anyone interested in learning what mounted shooting is all about is welcome. We will also be hosting the Idaho State Championship in Burley Idaho on July 31- Aug 1 at the Fair Grounds. Call Kent Spaulding for more information 431-4553.

Oct. 1 (start 6pm), 2 & 3 (start 12pm) Summer Saddle Finale-Rope and Run with Target Race at Shu-Fly arena (1772 E. 1400 S. Gooding, ID). More info. @ www. shuflyarena.com

Oct. 1 (5 pm-9 pm) Blue Ribbon Training Presents: Beginners Clinic by Paul Butler. The cost is only \$60 plus arena fee. Participants Wanted & must pre-register (Limited to 10 Riders) for more information or to pre-register contact Charlene Royce (208)539-5804, Debi Johnson (208) 358-3200 or Rochelle Shank (208) 731-9812 Silver Spurs Equestrian Team.

Oct. 1, 2 & 3 (Fri. @ 6:30 pm & Sat. & Sun starts @ Noon-12pm) SIJRA Fall Finale Barrel Race & Breakaway Roping at Shu-Fly arena (1772 E. 1400 S. Gooding, ID). Over \$6,000 added money & Awards . Sageland and AW - co-approved - go to www.shuflyarena.com for entry information - or call 208-536-2772

Oct. 2 & 3 (9 am-4 pm) Blue Ribbon Training Presents: Horsemanship/Reining *Clinic by Paul Butler.* The cost is only \$110 plus arena fee. Participants Wanted & must pre-register (Limited to 20 Riders) for more information or to pre-register contact Charlene Royce (208)539-5804, Debi Johnson (208) 358-3200 or Rochelle Shank (208) 731-9812 Silver Spurs Equestrian Team.

Oct. 8-10 – Montana Reined Cow Horse Association Horse Show, Derby, & Futurity and Stallion Stakes. Kalispell, MT. Contact 406-859-3840 or visit www. urcha.org for more info

Oct. 9 (11am check in-Rodeo starts at noon) -Idaho Little Buckaroo Rodeo Association, Rupert, ID. Must sign up early. Dates are subject to change. For more information visit <u>http://littlebuckaroorodeo.com</u>

Oct. 9 (10am) Equine Driving Play Day at Phillips Dead End Ranch. (4575 N. 1100E. Buhl, ID). No charge and if bad weather then the event will be postponed until the following weekend. Contact Carolyn Phillips with any questions 543-4711.

Oct. 12 (Potluck @ 6:30 pm & Meeting at 7pm) High Desert Backcountry Horsemen Meeting will be at the home of Gary & Bonnie Stacy in Jerome. Guests



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Twin Falls (208) 733-9233 Jerome (208) 324-7144

Nov. 13 (11 am check in-Rodeo starts at noon) -Idaho Little Buckaroo Rodeo Association, Rupert, ID. Must sign up early. Dates are subject to change. For more information visit <u>http://littlebuckaroorodeo.com</u>.

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CITY OF HAZELTON 2010 PHASE 2 WASTEWATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed Bids for construction of the City of Hazelton 2010 Phase 2 Wastewater System Improvements will be received by the City of Hazelton, Jerome County, Idaho, the OWNER, at City Hall located at P.O. Box 145, 246 Main Street., Hazelton, Idaho, 83335 until 2:00 p.m., prevailing local time, on October 20, 2010. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at City Hall located at 246 Main Street, Hazelton, Idaho.

The Project consists of the construction of approximately 382 LF of eight (8) inch gravity sewer pipe and appurtenances; 115 LF of twelve (12) inch gravity sewer pipe and appurtenances; 2,623 LF of six (6) inch pressure sewer pipe and appurtenances; manholes; a railroad bore crossing; surface repair; and improvements to the wastewater treatment lagoons, including a magnetic flow meter, a coarse screening structure, mechanical floating surface aerators and anchor posts, site piping, site electrical work, and a concrete inlet pad to the lagoons.

The Project is funded by a U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) STAG Grant. U.S. EPA STAG Grant provisions apply.

The Contract Documents, including bid forms, bidding instructions and conditions, Plans, Specifications, and other documents may be examined at the following locations:

Hazelton City Hall, 246 Main Street, Hazelton, ID 83335

J U B ENGINEERS, Inc., 115 Northstar Avenue, Twin Falls, ID 83301

Twin Falls Plan Room, 124 Blue Lakes Blvd South Suite 6, Twin Falls, ID 83301

Associated General Contractors, 1411 Falls Ave. E., Twin Falls, ID 83301

Associated General Contractors, 1649 W. Shoreline Drive, Suite 100, Boise, ID 83702

McGraw Hill, 2195 West 5400 South, Suite 101, Taylorsville, UT 84118

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the Twin Falls office of J U B ENGINEERS, Inc., (issuing office) upon payment of Thirty (\$30.00) for each set. Payment is to be made to J U B ENGINEERS, Inc., and is non-refundable.

All communications relative to this Work and Bid are to be directed to the Engineer prior to opening of Bids; contact Mark Holtzen, P.E., at J-U-B Engineers, Inc., (208) 733-2414.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, waive any nonmaterial informalities, and to accept the Bid deemed most advantageous to their best interest. Each Bidder must deposit, with the Bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders.

Dated this 16th day of September, 2010.

/S/ Roy McDowell, Mayor

City of Hazelton, Idaho

Jerome County, Idaho

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION OF THE SOUTHWEST IRRIGATION DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday the 2nd day of November 2010, an election will be held in the Southwest Irrigation District for the purpose of electing a Director for District Division No. 2 to serve for a period of three years. Said Director shall succeed Grant Wyatt, present incumbent, whose term of office expires. The polls for the reception of ballots cast at said election will be open at the hour of 1:00 o'clock p.m. and remain open until 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The following polling places have been selected: DISTRICT NO. 1: Randy Brown Residence 4504 East 3175 North, Murtaugh, ID

DISTRICT NO. 2: Bob Beck Residence - 400 W. 250 S., Burley, ID

DISTRICT NO. 3: Raymond Searle Residence - 655 S. 65 E.,

Burley, ID Declaration of Candidacy must be filed with the Secretary of the Southwest Irrigation District, 137 West 13th Street, Burley, Idaho, 83318, no later than October 13, 2010.

Forms of Declaration of Candidacy and Petition may be obtained from the District Secretary at Parsons, Smith, Stone, Loveland and Shirley, LLP, 137 West 13th Street, Burley, ID 83318.

If only one candidate is nominated no election shall be held pursuant to law.

DATED this 23rd day of September 2010. /s/ Randy Brown

RANDY BROWN, Secretary

PUBLISH: September 28 and October 5, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

UNDER DEED OF TRUST Title Order No: 4509913 T.S No: T10-65730-ID NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 12-23-2010 at 11:00 AM, of said day, at AT THE ENTRANCE TO FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY LOCATED AT 260 3RD AVENUE NORTH, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of TWIN FALLS, state of IDAHO, to wit: LOT 1 IN BLOCK 2 OF INDIAN TRAILS SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK 11 OF PLATS AT PAGE(S) 45, OFFICIAL RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 2653 ELIZABETH BOULEVARD TWIN FALLS, ID 83301, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust JON GOICOECHEA AND HEATHER executed by: JON GOICOECHEA AND HEATHER GOICOECHEA, HUSBAND AND WIFE, As grantors To: FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, As successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" IS MORTGAGE REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, ELECTRONIC INC., As Beneficiary, dated 06-10-2008, recorded 06-11-2008, as Instrument No. 2008-013370, records of TWIN FALLS County, Idaho. PLEASE NOTE: THE ABOVE GRANTOR(S) ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), **IDAHO** CODE, NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION SET FORTH HEREIN. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the properly to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of this Notice is: \$178,223.04. 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 Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. DATED: August 12, 2010 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE C/O CR TITLE SERVICES INC. 866-702-9658 MARIA DELATORRE.ASST SEC FOR SALES INFORMATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday the 2nd day of November 2010, an election will be held in the Goose Creek Irrigation District for the purpose of electing a Director for Sub-District No. 1 to serve for a period of three years. Said Director shall succeed Ryan Cranney, present incumbent, whose term of office expires. The polls for the reception of ballots cast at said election will be open at the hour of 1:00 o'clock p.m. and remain open until 7:00 o'clock p.m.

OF THE GOOSE CREEK IRRIGATION DISTRICT

The polling place shall be at the Oakley Canal Company Office, Oakley, ID.

Declaration of Candidacy must be filed with the Secretary of the Goose Creek Irrigation District, 137 West 13th Street, Burley, Idaho, 83318, no later than October 13, 2010.

Form of Declaration of Candidacy and Petition may be obtained from the District Secretary at Parsons, Smith, Stone, Loveland and Shirley, LLP, 137 West 13th Street, Burley, ID 83318.

If only one candidate is nominated no election shall be held pursuant to law.

DATED this 23rd day of September 2010.

/s/ Ryan Cranney

RYAN CRANNEY, Secretary

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Loan No. xxxxxx0254 T.S. No. 1295340-09 Parcel No. rpt00010490130a

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On January 19, 2011, at the hour of 11:00am, of said day, at The front entrance of First American Title Company, 260 Third Avenue North, Twin Falls, Idaho, Pioneer Lender Trustee Services Llc, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, cashier's check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit: Lot 13 in block 49 of Twin Falls Townsite, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof. Commonly known as 535 4th Ave E Twin Falls Id 83301. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by Mollie M Petersen, An Unmarried Woman as Grantor, to First American Title, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of National City Mortgage A Division of National City Bank A National Banking Association as Beneficiary, recorded November 13, 2007, as Instrument No. 2007-027474, Mortgage records of Twin Falls County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH 45-1506(4)(a), SECTION 45-1506(4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due September 1, 2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said deed of trust. The estimated balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said deed of trust is \$171,199.62, including interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligation thereunder or in this sale, and trustee's fees and/or reasonable attorney's fees as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Pioneer Lender Trustee Services LLC 8151 W. Rifleman Street Boise Id 83704 (888)342-2510 Dated: September 14, 2010 Signature/By Pioneer Title Company of Ada County Dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services LLC. R-343627

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PUBLISH: September 21, 2010 and September 28, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. ID-BVS-109110 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on January 5, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 AM, of said day, AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO LAND TITLE & ESCROW, 710 "G" STREET, RUPERT, 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 MINIDOKA, State of Idaho, to-wit: That portion of the South Half of Block 13 of the Second State Addition to the City of Heyburn, Minidoka County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, now on file in the office of the County Recorder, Minidoka County, Idaho, described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of said Block 13 of the Second State Addition to the City of Heyburn, which point shall be known as the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; Thence North along the East right of way of "w" Street for 167.19 feet to a point; Thence South 56°24'27" East for 162.73 feet to a point; Thence South 12°40'38" West for 79.06 feet to a point on the North right of way of 18th Street; Thence South 89°59'43" West along said 18th Street right of way for 118.20 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. 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 2260 18TH STREET, HEYBURN, ID 83336, 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 EMILIO RODRIGUEZ, A WIDOWER AND TERESA RODRIGUEZ, A MARRIED WOMAN AS HER SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, as Grantor, to LAND TITLE & ESCROW, INC., as Trustee, for the benefit and security of FREMONT INVESTMENT & LOAN, as Beneficiary, dated 2/22/1999, recorded 3/16/1999, under Instrument No. 440511, Mortgage records of MINIDOKA County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by BAYVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC. 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 2/22/1999, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 3/1/2010 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of August 27, 2010 Delinquent Payments from March 01, 2010 6 payments at \$702.00 each \$4,212.00 (03-01-10 through 08-27-10) Late Charges: \$367.22 TOTAL: \$4,579.22 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 \$20,280.51, together with interest thereon at 10.250% per annum from 2/1/2010, 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 b heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. SALE INFORMATION LINE: 714-730-2727 or http://www.lpsasap.com DATED: 8/27/2010. PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC AS TRUSTEE By: Asset Foreclosure Services, Inc., as Agent By. Norie Vergara, Sr Trustee Sale Officer c/o ASSET FORECLOSURE SERVICES, INC. 22837 Ventura Blvd. Suite 350 Woodland Hills, CA91364 Phone: (877)237-7878 ASAP# 3714942

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PLEASE CONTACT AGENCY SALES AND POSTING AT WWW.FIDELITYASAP.COM OR 714-730-2727 ASAP⊭ 3705971

PUBLISH: September 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FMG-99676 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on January 14, 2011, 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 9, BLOCK 23, TWIN FALLS TOWNSITE, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE FINAL AND AMENDED PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN BOOK 1 OF PLATS, PAGE 7, RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the abovereferenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 260 6TH AVENUE NORTH, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by BRENT D LESLIE AND SUSAN E LESLIE, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to QUALITY LOAN SERVICES, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR ACCELERON LENDING, INC., as Beneficiary, dated 10/16/2006, recorded 10/20/2006, under Instrument No. 2006-026687, Mortgage records of TWIN FALLS County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for NovaStar Mortgage Funding Trust, Series 2006-6. 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 10/16/2006, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 5/1/2010 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of September 10, 2010 Delinquent Payments from May 01, 2010 5 payments at \$ 1,143.80 each \$5,719.00 (05-01-10 through 09-10-10) Late Charges: \$204.12 Beneficiary Advances: \$35.50 Suspense Credit: \$0.00 TOTAL: \$5,958.62 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 \$132,355.39, together with interest thereon at 8.200% per annum from 4/1/2010, 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: 9/10/2010. PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By: Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer d/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: http://www.rtrustee.com ASAP# 3733971

PUBLISH: September 21, 28, October 5 and 12, 2010

Trustee's Sale No. 47350

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, the duly appointed Trustee, will on the 25" day of January, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock AM on said day, at the office of Land Title and Escrow, 211 West 13th Street, in the city of Burley, Cassia County, Idaho, 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, towit: Lot 14 in Block 172 of the Burley Townsite, Cassia County, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof now of record in the office of the County Recorder 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 said property 1518 ALMO AVE., BURLEY, IDAHO 83318, is sometimess 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 DANIEL SMITH AND REBECCA SMITH, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantors, to LAND TITLE AND ESCROW, as Trustee, for the benefit and security JAIME ALVARADO and ADELA ALVARADO, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Beneficiaries, dated the 20th day of October, 2000 and recorded on the 31st of October, 2000 as Instrument No .: 271958 in the mortgage records of the County of Cassia, State of Idaho, the beneficial interest in which it is presently held by JAIME ALVARADO AND ADELA ALVARADO. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESSENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 10/20/2000. THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 01-08-2001 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of the pay off date, which is August 22, 2010 in Delinquent payments from the 1" day of January, 2001 through the 27" day of August, 2010; Late Charges in the sum of \$2,200.00; Beneficiary Advances in the sum of \$10,409.00; FOR A TOTAL AMOUNT DUE OF \$116,570.09. THE TOTAL PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE PAY OFF DATE AND \$14.79 MUST BE ADDED EACH ADDITIONAL DAY AFTER THE 27TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2010. 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 \$54,000.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 10% per annum in the sum of \$49,961.09 and late charges in the sum of \$2,200.00 from the 1st day of April, 2001 until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy the 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 this 23rd day of September, 2010. LAND TITLE AND ESCROW Trustee by Larry Roberts, President c/o PO Box 177, Burley, Idaho 83318. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS NOTICE OF SALE IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED SOLELY FOR THAT PURPOSE. ANYONE SEEKING ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS PROPERTY MAY THE CONTACT TRUSTEE AT 208-878-2524 OR Iteb@pmt.org

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NOTICE OF PROPERTY TAX INCREASE BY SCHOOL BOARD The Wendell School District #232 has proposed to increase the amount of ad valorem tax dollars it collects by certifying a school emergency fund levy pursuant to section 33-805, Idaho Code, for the period of 07/01/2010 to 06/30/2011. The total amount of the dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy is estimated to be \$152,580.00. The amount of dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy on a typical home of \$100,000 taxable value of last year is estimated to be \$35.20. The amount of dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy on a typical farm of \$100,000 taxable value last year is estimated to be \$35.20. The amount of dollars to be collected pursuant to this levy on a typical business of \$200,000 taxable value of last year is estimated to be \$70.40. CAUTION TO TAXPAYERS: The amounts shown in this schedule do NOT reflect tax charges that are made because of voter

approved bond levies, override levies, supplemental levies, or levies applicable to newly annexed property. Also the amounts shown in this schedule are an estimate only and can vary with the amount of dollars and the levy amount certified and the taxable value of individual property.

PUBLISH: September 21 and 28, 2010

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MINIDOKA MAGISTRATE DIVISION

Case No. CV 2010-655 NOTICE OF HEARING In the Matter of the Petition for Name Change of JEZZURA ANN WISE,

Petitioner.

A Petition by JEZZURA ANN WISE, born the 8th day of September, 1992 in Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, now residing at 225 N 200 W, Rupert, Minidoka County, Idaho, proposing a change in name to JEZZURA ANN DURFEE, has been filed in the above-entitled Court, the reason for this change in name being that Petitioner was raised by her step-father, Guy Durlee, and has always been known as JESSURA ANN DURFEE.

The name of the Petitioner's father is:

PADDY WAYNE WISE, address unknown.

Said Petition for Name Change before the above-entitled Court in Rupert, Minidoka County, Idaho, on the 25th day of October, 2010, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock AM, before the Honorable Larry R. Duff, Magistrate Judge, or as soon thereafter as the parties may be heard.

Any person who can show to the Court a good reason against such a change of name may file objections

WITNESS my hand and seal of said District Court this 20th day of September 2010.

Duane Smith, Clerk of the Court

By Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 10-0037186 Title Order No. NWT002505 Parcel No. RP016210030080A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street., Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, on 01/18/2011 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 12/27/2006 as Instrument Number 2006-032808, and executed by MARIE DOPICO, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: LOT 8 IN BLOCK 3 OF BUSHWOOD ESTATES SUBDIVISION, TWIN FALLS FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING THE THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN BOOK 16 OF PLATS, PAGE 41. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 3703 NORTH 2481 EAST, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 12/01/2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 5.750% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$249,814.27, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid real property taxes and/or attomeys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE: NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 09/03/2010 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee / S/ Tonya Malugen ASAP# 3724059

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Thursday, the 20th day of January, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 715 G Street, Rupert, County of Minidoka, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Minidoka, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 1, Block 90, ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF RUPERT, Minidoka County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, now on file in the office of the County Recorder, Minidoka County, Idaho. Sometimes known as: 101 2nd Street, Rupert, Idaho 83350. 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 JESUS SALINAS, JR., an unmarried man, Grantor to TITLEFACT, INC., as Trustee for the benefit and security of FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK OF TWIN FALLS, dated July 18, 2003 and recorded July 18, 2003, as Instrument No. 466990, records of Minidoka County, Idaho. The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to pay

Monthly payments, collection charges and late charges 1. through August 10, 2010, all in the amount of \$2,014.00; 2. Taxes for 2009 plus penalties and interest;

- 3. Taxes for 2008 plus penalties and interest;
- and the unpaid principal balance owing as of August 10, 2010, on
- the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$51,875.96, plus

interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

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DATED: August 24, 2010.

- TITLEFACT, INC., Trustee
- By LILA ORTON, Assistant Vice-President

PUBLISH: September 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FMB-99923 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on January 20, 2011, 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: LOT 2 IN BLOCK 3 OF THE RIVERSIDE SUBDIVISION, CASSIA COUNTY, IDAHO, AS THE SAME IS PLATTED IN THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the abovereferenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 530 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 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 THOMAS M RICKS, AN UNMARRIED MAN, as Grantor, to TITLE ONE, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR AEGIS WHOLESALE CORPORATION, as Beneficiary, dated 6/23/2006, recorded 6/27/2006, under instrument No. 309340, Mortgage records of CASSIA County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee of the IndyMac INDX Mortgage Loan Trust 2006-AR27, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-AR27 under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated August 1, 2006. 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 6/23/2006, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 3/1/2009 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of September 15, 2010 Delinquent Payments from March 01, 2009 2 payments at \$ 922.94 each \$1,845.88 12 payments at \$ 1,292.90 each \$15,514.80 5 payments at \$ 1,105.63 each \$5,528.15 (03-01-09 through 09-15-10) Late Charges: \$46.15 Beneficiary Advances:\$1,976.00 Suspense Credit:\$0.00 TOTAL:\$24,910.98 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 \$158,218.17, together with interest thereon at 7.000% per annum from 2/1/2009 to 5/1/2009, 7.000% per annum from 5/1/2009 to 5/1/2010, 7.000% per annum from 5/1/2010, 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

LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC COMMENTS SOUGHT ON LOW-INCOME WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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The State of Idaho will accept public comment on its American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funding plan for the U.S. Department of Energy's Low-Income Weatherization Assistance The ARRA State Plan is available for review at Program. Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho, located at 5400 W. Franklin Rd., Suite G in Boise, Idaho. A public hearing on the plan will be held from 9:00 10:30 am on Thursday, October 7, 2010 at Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho, located at 5400 W. Franklin Rd., Suite G in Boise, Idaho. The Weatherization Assistance Program assists low-income families through the installation of weatherization measures in their homes. The measures include insulation, air sealing, and heating systems improvements that improve the energy efficiency of the homes. Program services help eligible families reduce their heating costs, promoting the health and safety of the family and conserving energy resources.

- Summary of changes to the 2009 ARRA State Plan: Inclusion of Sustainable Energy Resources for Consumers (SERC) funding in ARRA budget
- Description of measures to be provided with SERC funding Amendment of agency allocations and production estimates Public comments for written testimony on the State Plan will be

accepted from September 27, 2010 October 7, 2010. Send or deliver comments to: Idaho Department of Health and Welfare CERM Team

450 W. State Street, 2nd floor Boise, Idaho 83720-0036



PUBLISH: September 14, 21, 28 and October 5, 2010

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

UNDER DEED OF TRUST Title Order No: 4508880 T.S. No.: T10-65688-ID NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 12-23-2010 at 11:00 AM, of said day, at AT THE ENTRANCE TO FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY LOCATED AT 260 3RD AVENUE NORTH, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of TWIN FALLS, state of IDAHO, to wit: LOT 5 IN BLOCK 17 OF INVESTORS SECOND ADDITION, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN BOOK 3 OF PLATS, PAGE 28, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 817 BROADWAY AVENUE NORTH BUHL, ID 83316, is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by: CHARLES G. MESSINGER AND DEANN MESSINGER, HUSBAND AND WIFE, As grantors, To: FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, As successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" IS MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., As Beneficiary, dated 06-28-2007, recorded 06-29-2007, as Instrument No. 2007-015946, records of TWIN FALLS County, Idaho. PLEASE NOTE: THE ABOVE GRANTOR(S) ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE, NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION SET FORTH HEREIN. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of this Notice is: \$73,364.51. 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 Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. DATED: August 12, 2010 FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE C/O CR TITLE SERVICES INC. 866-702-9658 MARIA DELATORRE, ASST SEC FOR SALES INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT AGENCY SALES AND POSTING AT WWW.FIDELITYASAP.COM OR 714-730-2727 ASAP# ASAP# 3705965

lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 9/15/2010. 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.rtrustee.com ASAP# 3745934

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A-Frame Cabin

The whole family can enjoy a vacation hideaway, and an A-frame cabin offers the features most often desired in a second home: economy, strength, openness, ample sleeping space, out-of-the-way storage and spacious decks. The simplicity of the A-frame also makes it fairly easy and inexpensive to build.

This do-it-yourself A-frame cabin has 700 square feet of living space, including a compact kitchen, bathroom, living room, bedroom and deck on the first floor and two bedrooms and a balcony on the second. A central fireplace warms both floors.

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Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 28, 1920, eight members of the Chicago White Sox were indicted for allegedly throwing the 1919 World Series against the Cincinnati Reds in what became known as the "Black Sox" scandal. (Despite initial confessions by several of the players, all were acquitted at trial; still, all eight were banned from baseball for life.)

On this date:

In 1066, William the Conqueror invaded England to claim the English throne.



In 1542, Portuguese navi-Rodriguez gator Juan Cabrillo arrived at presentday San Diego.

In 1787, the Congress of the Confederation voted to send the just-completed Constitution of the United States to state legislatures for their approval.

In 1850, flogging was abolished as a form of punishment in the U.S. Navy.

In 1924, two U.S. Army planes landed in Seattle, having completed the first round-the-world flight in 175 days.

In 1939, during World War II, Nazi Germany and the Soviet Union signed a treaty calling for the partitioning of Poland, which the two countries had invaded.

In 1960, Ted Williams hit a home run in his last career at-bat as his team, the Boston Red Sox, defeated the Baltimore Orioles 5-4 at Fernway Park.

In 1970, Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser died at age 52. Author John Dos Passos died in Baltimore at age 74.

In 1974, first lady Betty Ford underwent a mastectomy at Bethesda Naval Medical Center in Maryland, following discovery of a cancerous lump in her breast.

1989, In deposed Philippine President Ferdinand E. Marcos died in exile in Hawaii at age 72.

Ten years ago: Capping a 12-year battle, the government approved use of the pill RU-486. abortion



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Former Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau died in Montreal at age 80. Ariel Sharon, leader of Israel's hard-line opposition, sparked new Israeli-Palestinian clashes by touring the Temple Mount. In Sydney, Australia, Venus Williams earned her second Olympic gold medal, teaming with sister Serena in the final of women's doubles to beat Miriam Oremans and Kristie Boogert of the Netherlands, 6-1, 6-1. Choreographer and dancer Peter Gennaro died at age 80.

Five years ago: House Majority Leader Tom DeLay was indicted by a Texas grand jury on a charge of conspiring to violate political fundraising laws. (DeLay has yet to stand trial.) A woman disguised as a man slipped into a line of Iraqi army recruits and detonated explosives strapped to her body, killing six recruits in the first known suicide attack by a woman in Iraq's The U.S. insurgency. Treasury unveiled the new \$10 bill, featuring splashes of red, yellow and orange.

One year ago: Iran tested its longest-range missiles and warned they could reach any place that threatens the country, including Israel, parts of Europe and U.S. military bases in the Mideast. Former president Panamanian Guillermo Endara, 73, who led his country to democracy after the U.S. invasion that toppled Gen. Manuel Noriega, died in Panama City.

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DEAR ABBY: In response to "Resentful in Michigan" (Aug. 2), I think you missed the mark. Etiquette and social mores may dictate that it's acceptable for a man to give his future daughter-in-law away, but "Resentful" was speaking from a place of pain that is valid.

Her father didn't walk her down the aisle because her mother's job was more important to them, which made her feel she was second to the job in her parents' hearts. Now her emotions are telling her that her brother's fiancee is more important as well.

If she doesn't speak her mind, her resentment could be redirected to her brother and his new family and cause irreparable damage. She should address this with her brother to help them understand that sitting and watching her dad walk another woman down the aisle under these circumstances would be devastating. The brother's fiancee could ask another relative to escort her - or walk down alone since this is her third trip to the altar.



At least the father, while understanding not "Resentful's" pain, is taking her feelings into consideration. Now, if her brother and his fiancee will try to understand her feelings, they'll be validated and an amicable solution can be found.

- HEATHER IN RICHARDSON, TEXAS

DEAR HEATHER: You are not the only reader who disagreed with my response to that letter. I reasoned that the writer did not have the right to decide what role her father would or would not play in her brother's wedding. I also suspected that the reason her parents did not attend her wedding

 much less participate – may have been they did not approve of the groom or the circumstances under which she was being married.

However, because many people felt my answer was insensitive to the writer's feelings, I'll share some reactions from readers:

DEAR ABBY: The father was "too busy" to walk her down the aisle but now he'd do it for his son's future wife? Her father didn't even offer an apology or try to understand. He said only that he wouldn't walk his son's fiancee down the aisle if "Resentful" was hurt by it. If he had apologized and admitted he was wrong not to have done it for his daughter, she could have forgiven him. I don't blame her for being resentful!

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- ALONDRA IN LONDON, ONTARIO

DEAR ABBY: Speaking from personal experience, there are few things worse than being rejected by your parents. You should have rebuked them in the strongest possible way. To deny their daughter on her most important day, then grant the same privilege to an outsider (on her third wedding, no less) is the height of insensitivity. Her parents are horrible. Her feelings are normal, natural, justified and deserved validation. Shame on you for siding with the parents!

 PATRICK IN MESQUITE, NEV. DEAR ABBY: That

woman has every right to feel as she does. Her brother was selfish for not considering his sister's deep disappointment on the biggest day of her life. As a minister, I encourage family members to work through their hurts with

each other. But forcing someone to pretend all is well when it isn't doesn't help the healing process. It could drive the family even further apart.

- PAUL T. IN NEW YORK

DEAR ABBY: I have a suggestion. Since the brother's fiancee is on her third marriage, why not ask one of her ex-husbands to give her away. I'm sure he'd be happy to.

- JOANNE IN WATERTOWN, WIS.



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ARIES (March 21-April 19): People who anger you can control you. You must not allow negative thoughts to intrude on your happiness or shape your decisions. It is wise to be skeptical, but that means you are thinking, not emoting.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Out of sheer boredom you could open up a can of worms containing something from your past that has been preserved. Old enemies or past mistakes could come back to haunt you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Take a well-deserved bow or pat on the back. Well-mannered people rarely make it into the headlines or the history books, but you still might earn your 15 minutes of fame today for a job well done.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your fantasized experiences can appear real. In reality, the things that you think you want are no more valuable than last year's hornet's nest. Like that empty hornet's nest, it causes very little real danger.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Show some sense and sensibility. It is never advisable to err on the side of caution when you have nothing at stake. You might spend time agonizing over decisions that really are not relevant to your situation.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): All is not lost. The keys to success have merely



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Bitter rivals: Cutler, Bears beat Packers 20-17

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AP Photo Green Bay Packers defensive end Cullen Jenkins (77) misses a sack on Chicago Bears quarterback Jay Cutler during the first half of an NFL football game Monday in Chicago.

By Andrew Seligman

Associated Press writer

CHICAGO – Still doubting the Bears?

Jay Cutler threw for 221 yards, Brian Urlacher forced a key fumble and Chicago took advantage of a team-record-tying 17 penalties by the Packers to beat Green Bay 20-17 on Monday night.

Robbie Gould won it with a 19yard field goal with 4 seconds left. The Packers' James Jones lost a fumble on a hit by Urlacher in the final minutes. Then Morgan Burnett was called for pass interference on Earl Bennett, setting up the winning kick.

Chicago is 3-0 and alone atop the NFC North. The Packers fell to 2-1. "It's fun, that is all you can ask for,"

Cutler said. "The defense did a great the Packers in a big way. job, we struggled the whole game, felt like we kind of were killing ourselves."

The Bears kept insisting they were contenders through a sloppy preseason and less-than-inspiring opening win over Detroit. Since then, they turned heads with a win at Dallas last week, and stamped themselves as contenders by beating Green Bay – with lots of help from the Packers.

The Bears had tied it at 17 on a 25yard field goal by Gould when Urlacher jarred the ball out of Jones' hands after the receiver caught a pass from Aaron Rodgers near midfield. Tim Jennings recovered, giving Chicago the ball on the Packers 46 with 2:18 remaining.

Soon after, another penalty cost

On second down at the 33, Cutler tried to hit Bennett deep along the right sideline and Burnett basically hammered him, wiping out an interception by Nick Collins and putting the ball at the 9.

Three plays later, Chicago walked away with a wild win and the only undefeated record in the NFC.

Devin Hester delivered his first touchdown return in three years when he ran back a punt 62 yards in the fourth quarter, giving the Bears a short-lived 14-10 lead.

Rodgers threw for 316 yards and a touchdown and also scored on a 3yard run that gave the Packers a 17-14 lead in the fourth period. Jermichael Finley had nine catches for 115 yards, but the sloppiness simply caught up with the Packers in the end.

Minico to honor service men and women Friday

ark Catmull is at it again. The man who has brought helicopters, skydivers and other hoopla to Spartanville has outdone himself once more.



Broncos aim to improve kick coverage

By Jason Chatraw Times-News correspondent

BOISE - As third-ranked Boise State prepares for its Western Athletic Conference opener on the road against winless New Mexico State, head coach Chris Petersen will begin focusing on two glaring deficiencies in the early season: special teams and penalties.

While the Broncos may simply need more gametime experience in covering punts – the team has punted just three times in three games – BSU ranks 114th in the nation in punt return defense at a 21-yard average per return.

Skewed by the 54-yard

TOO MANY HAPPY RETURNS



Oregon State's James Rodgers runs the ball as Boise State's Hunter White misses the tackle Saturday at Bronco Stadium in Boise.

For its homecoming football game this Friday against Jerome, Minico High will honor the servicemen and women of Magic Valley in a pregame ceremony. Military personnel, policemen and firefighters in uniform receive free admission.

For the national anthem, Minico will spread out a giant American flag, stretching some 70 yards wide in the shape of the United States. It's the same flag you see on TV at big events, such as NFL and MLB games.

"We thought we'd honor our military and service people, and we hope they come and enjoy this celebration. It's the first time this flag has been in the state of Idaho," Catmull said.

Normally pro teams pay thousands of dollars to use the flag, which is provided by a company called U.S. Events out of Salt Lake City. But Scott Baker, a 1980 graduate of Minico, works for the company and pulled some strings. The flag is stopping in Rupert on its way to an event in Seattle.

Additionally, Miss Canyon Rim 2010 Erin Webster will sing "God Bless America" and Rob Newman will sing the national anthem, followed by fireworks.

And then, the real fireworks: Minico takes on J-Town.

Catmull is listed as an assistant coach on the Minico football roster, but his duties go much further than X's and O's. He's the guy sneaking candy to players (and the newspaper reporter) on the sideline

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return for a touchdown by Oregon State's James Rodgers last weekend, Petersen maintained Monday that it's an area that demands improvement.

"We saw a really good player for sure in James Rodgers," Petersen said of Oregon State's success on kick returns. "You knew that going in. Sometimes you can talk about that all you want, but Rodgers' return was good.

"There were some things we would've liked to have done better and we think we line. It's not any one thing. If could have made that play. But I think you've got to give credit where credit is due."

return – the first punt return for a touchdown BSU has surrendered since 2007 - Petersen recognized the need to make some course corrections on special teams.

"I think it's a little something here and a little some- 10th in kickoff returns, averthing there that we've got to aging 28.15 yards per return, clean up," Petersen said. and 31st in punt returns with "That's really the bottom a 12-yard average.



it was the one thing, we could get that fixed very rapidly, but it's always details Despite Rodgers' big and it's never one thing. That's why we practice and we'll continue to work on all phases."

> Although New Mexico State isn't likely to pull a major upset, the Aggies are strong in the return game.

Nationally, the Aggies rank

This week, it's another units a lot more effects. flashy returner named Rogers that the Broncos will have to focus on stopping. Taveon Rogers ranks 21st in together." the nation in kickoff returns average.

for us," Petersen said of New Mexico State's return teams. "We have to pick up all phases of that. It starts with our kickers. If our guys can place the ball where we need it with hang time and distance,

"When that doesn't hap-

pen it puts us all in a big bind. We're all in this

Penalties have also put the with a 28.83 yards per kick Broncos in a bind through the first three games of the "It will be a good challenge team's schedule. With an average of nine per game, Boise State ranks 111th in the country for penalties per game, a handful of which have come on special teams plays.

that makes our coverage are not smart penalties, but against Oregon State.

it always comes back to being aggressive and trying to make a play," Petersen said. "When we spend so much time on how we need to get that done in the heat of the battle, we need to get smarter there, no question about it. We've got to do a better job of eliminating those penalties.

"I think we'll be explosive (once we get rid of them). I think we have been in the past and we've shown signs this year, but penalties can put you in the mud. They just really bog you down."

Also of note, Petersen said he is still unsure of running back D.J. Harper's status or availability for this week's game after suffering a non-"I think a couple of them contact knee injury Saturday

Kirilenko still with Jazz, at least for now

By Doug Alden

Associated Press writer

SALT LAKE CITY – Utah forward Andrei Kirilenko enters training camp knowing he's still a member of the I'm very pleased to be in this Jazz at least for now and city and playing with the hoping to stay.

It may not be up to him, or even the Jazz entirely.

Kirilenko was mentioned last week in a potential fourteam trade centered around Denver Nuggets star Carmelo Anthony, but so far no deal had been done as Kirilenko and his Jazz team- also the most versatile megadeal that surfaced late mates posed for pictures and player on the team and last week. spoke to reporters on the eve right now the Jazz seem of training camp.

with the Jazz longer than any other player on the roster. "I want to be part of the Jazz. Tazz."

10th season in Utah and is manager Kevin O'Connor scheduled to make almost \$18 million in the final year of a contract extension he signed in 2004. His salary makes him an obvious trade candidate, but he is content to focus on the

"I want to be here. That's team's potential with the bottom line," said Kirilenko rather than how Kirilenko, who has been much money they could save without him.

"There's always part of a financial picture to everything, but I don't think that we went into this season with the idea that we needed Kirilenko is entering his to trade Andrei," general said.

> O'Connor acknowledged there have been inquiries from other teams about Kirilenko, but would not comment on reports of the

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Nuggets All-Star Anthony awaits future

DENVER (AP) — Carmelo Anthony wouldn't come out and say he wants out of Denver. His inaction has indicated otherwise.

Anthony hasn't signed a \$65 million extension that's been on the table since June, leading the Nuggets to engage in trade talks for their superstar forward who has led them to the playoffs in each of his seven seasons.

The All-Star fidgeted in his seat during media day Monday and talked around questions concerning his future with the team.

"I'm here, man. I'm here today. Whatever the future holds, it holds," Anthony said. "Practice starts tomorrow and we'll go from there."

Anthony arrived wearing his white, powder blue and gold uniform. But just how much longer he may be donning that jersey didn't get any clearer. He said he planned to be "committed 100 percent" when training camp began Tuesday.

"There's been a lot of speculation, a lot of rumors going on this summer about where I'm going to end up, the Nuggets want to trade me, I want to be traded," Anthony said. "That's for my team and front office to discuss. I'm here to focus on basketball and training camp."

DREW NASH/ Times-News

Smoak, Pauley lead Mariners past Rangers

ARLINGTON, Texas Justin Smoak homered and had three hits, David Pauley pitched six effective innings, and the Seattle Mariners edged the AL West champion Texas Rangers 7-5 on Monday night.

Pauley (4-8) allowed two runs and eight hits, struck out three and walked two.

Entering Monday night's start, the Mariners had scored only 18 runs this season in Pauley's first 13 starts. This time, his teammates provided him with six runs.

Pauley is winless in six home decisions, but is 4-2 on the road.

RED SOX 6, WHITE SOX 1

CHICAGO Clay Buchholz outpitched Mark Buehrle and the Boston Red Sox 6-1 Monday night, postponing a pair of clinching parties for their AL East rivals.

locked up playoff spots for the Tampa Bay Rays and New York Yankees. Instead, Boston took an early lead, pulled away and stayed mathematically in the wild-card race while the Rays and Yankees lost.

BLUE JAYS 7, YANKEES 5

TORONTO – Vernon Wells hit a three-run homer, John Buck added a solo shot and Toronto pounded A.J. Burnett, then held on for a victory over New York.

least a .500 finish and temporarily denied the Yankees the chance to clinch a playoff berth.

ORIOLES 4, RAYS 0





Brian Matusz pitched seven impressive innings and Nick Markakis drove in two runs with a triple and a single, Sox beat the Chicago White leading Baltimore over AL East-leading Tampa Bay.

Matusz (9-12) allowed three hits, two of them A Red Sox loss would've infield singles. The rookie walked one, hit a batter with a pitch and matched a career high with eight strikeouts before being replaced by Jim Johnson.

INDIANS 6, TIGERS 3

CLEVELAND – Andres Galarraga went from unhittable to giving up three homers in an 18pitch span and Cleveland beat Detroit.

The Tigers lost slugger Miguel Cabrera to an appar-Toronto assured itself of at ent right ankle injury. He landed awkwardly on the drove in four runs, leading bag while getting back to the Phillies to a 8-0 victory first base on a pickoff over the Washington attempt in the seventh Nationals on Monday inning. Cabrera limped from night, wrapping up the the field and was taken for X-ravs.

Seattle Mariners relief pitcher **Brandon League** prepares to deliver to the Texas Rangers in the ninth inning of a baseball game Monday in Arlington, Texas. The Mariners won 7-5, and League earned the save.

AP photo **ROYALS 10, TWINS 8**

KANSAS CITY, Mo. -Jarrod Dyson hit his first major league home run and caught 10 fly balls in center field, helping Kansas City beat Minnesota.

Jason Kubel homered, doubled and drove in five runs for the AL Central champion Twins.

PHILLIES 8, NATIONALS 0

WASHINGTON – The Philadelphia Phillies are the NL East champions for the fourth consecutive year and, fittingly, Roy Halladay helped seal the deal this time with a two-hitter.

Halladay earned his 21st win with his fourth shutout and ninth complete game – all highs in the majors this season – and Jayson Werth division with five games left.

DODGERS 3. ROCKIES 1

DENVER - Ted Lilly scattered four hits over eight innings and Los Angeles prevented Ubaldo Jimenez from getting his 20th win.

Casey Blake went 3 for 4 with two doubles, two RBIs and scored Los Angeles' other run as the Dodgers put the Rockies on the brink of elimination.

CARDINALS 6, PIRATES 4

ST. LOUIS - Matt Holliday homered and drove in three runs and St. Louis beat Pittsburgh, staying in the NL Central race for at least one more day.

A Cardinals loss would have clinched the division for Cincinnati. The Reds were idle, and their magic number remained at one going into Tuesday night's home game against Houston.

BRAVES 2, MARLINS 1,11 INNINGS

ATLANTA (AP) - Omar Infante singled home the winning run with two outs in the 11th inning and the Atlanta Braves kept up their push for the NL wild-card spot, beating the Florida Marlins 2-1 Monday night.

The Braves began the day a half-game behind San Diego for the wild card. The Padres later hosted the Chicago Cubs.

NEW YORK – The game between the Milwaukee Brewers and New York Mets scheduled for Monday night has been rained out.

The game will be made up as part of a twi-night doubleheader Wednesday starting at 4:10 p.m.

-The Associated Press



Soccer GIRLS **BUHL 4, FILER 1**

Sky Barger was a one-girl 4-1 victory over Filer.

The Indians backed up Barger's offensive showcase on Wednesday. by only allowing one goal in the victory.

"It was the most amazing game," said Buhl coach Araceli Perez Huicochea. "Every girl played the way that defines a Buhl Indian, with heart and hard work till and Jose Ruelas added to the 21-25, 25-17 over Castleford the end. They deserved this Trojans' lead with goals. win and many more to come."

the win.

"In the second half we Bliss's only goal off a pass really decided to go on the from Ruben Juarez. Bliss attack," said Bliss coach played tight defense in the Diana Butler. "It is the right first half, only allowing wrecking crew as she scored time of the year to go on the Gooding one goal to keep all four of Buhl's goals in the offense and our defense things tied. But the Gooding sealed them off."

Bliss (5-3-1) travels to Filer

BOYS WENDELL 5, DECLO 0

Wendell's Johnny Diaz scored two goals as the Trojans thumped Declo 5-0. Jorge Diaz, Eder Macias

on Monday. Karli Bower had 10 kills "We are really pleased with how we are attacking," and Kendra Flores had 10

Danny Lopez scored 17:46.62) and Wesley Kelly of Kimberly (21st in 17:53.34) also had good days.

Sasha Kent of Richfield was seventh in the girls Division II race in 20:23.93, while Ashley Bullers of Gooding placed 16th in 21:46.04. Kimberly placed eighth in the girls team scoring.

Team titles were won by Davis, Utah (elite boys); Ogden, Utah (elite girls); Davis (Division I boys); Utah's Mountain Crest (Division I girls); Oregon's Nyssa (Division II boys); and Firth (Division II girls).

Polian: NFL's 18-game season is "fait accompli"

INDIANAPOLIS – Colts over, and an expanded schedule will soon become a reality.

The competition committee member and former league executive twice said he expects the NFL to stretch its regular season by two games. He twice called the decision a "fait accompli" during his weekly radio show Monday night.

"I think that the owners, and principally the commissioner, have decided that it's the way to go, and so the debate, such as it was, is over," Polian said. "I've heard recently, and I'm sorry that this didn't get more coverage earlier, some really, really interest ing commentary on it. ... I wish some of that dialogue had taken place earlier."

Officially, nothing has changed.

League owners and NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell have expressed support for cutting the preseason schedule from four games to two and expanding the regular-season schedule from 16 to 18. But the format change hasn't been approved by either the owners or the NFL Players Association.

Polian believes that is just a formality although the two sides are trying to work out a new collective bargaining agreement before the current deal expires in March.

A caller asked Polian how close the league was to expanding to 18 games and respond to fewer preseason games, trimming the number of opportunities players would have to win roster spots.Polian said: "The short answer is that it's a fait accompli, I'm afraid, and we're going to have to find ways to get those evaluative experiences. We're not going to sit back and say, 'Oh oh, 18 games. Now we're going to become a veteran team? That's not going to work. And it's not the way we want to play."

Aiello said the league would not respond to Polian's comments.

RAIDERS HALL OF FAME QB GEORGE BLANDA DIES AT 83

He scored 2,002 points in president Bill Polian his career, a pro football believes the debate over an record at the time of his 18-game NFL season is retirement, kicking 335 field goals and 943 extra points, running for nine touchdowns and throwing for 236 more.

49ERS FIRE OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR JIMMY RAYE

SANTA CLARA, Calif. -Their offense in a funk, the winless San Francisco 49ers fired coordinator limmy Rave on Monday.

Raye was dismissed one dav after San Francisco lost 31-10 at Kansas City to fall to 0-3. The 49ers have scored 38 points, second fewest in the NFL behind Carolina.

Mike Johnson will move from quarterbacks coach to offensive coordinator. Offensive assistant Jason Michael will take over as quarterbacks coach.

Coach Mike Singletary said he made the decision after spending the night looking at game film.

"One thing I want you to understand is if I make a decision, it's my decision," he said. "The thing that I have control over is the 53man staff, the 53-man roster and the staff. who is on my coaching staff. That is my decision."

The 49ers were considered a favorite in the NFC West this year, but their offense has stalled, plagued by turnovers and a weak running game.

BILLS RELEASE QB TRENT EDWARDS

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. - The Buffalo Bills have how the Colts would released quarterback Trent Edwards in a surprise move that came a week after he lost the starting job for a second straight season.

> The team announced the move in a two-paragraph release Monday, a day after Ryan Fitzpatrick provided the offense with a spark in a 38-30 loss at New England.

> Coach Chan Gailey was scheduled to discuss the move later Monday.

Edwards was in his NFL spokesman Greg fourth season after being selected by the team in the third round of the 2007 draft out of Stanford. He went 14-18 as a starter, including 0-2 this season.

He was benched the day

DECLO 3, WENDELL 2

The seniors played hard, but freshman Jessica Cuezas had the hot foot as she scored two goals in Declo's 3-2 victory over Wendell on shutout in the win. Monday.

the seniors picked it up," said Wednesday. Declo coach Amy Mallory. "You could tell that they really wanted a win and the rest of the team really stepped up and we ended up with the win."

Declo (3-8) travels to Gooding on Monday.

BLISS 5, GOODING 0

Estephanie Altamirano's night as Bliss rolled to a 5-0 victory over Gooding.

Bliss jumped out early as Demsie Butler scored the first goal in the first two minutes of the game. Gooding's defense kept things close as the game was 1-0 at the half.

Lindsay James jump-

Valadao. "We did a good job loss. putting the ball in the back of the net."

Goalkeeper Alexis Camargo had another

Wendell (11-1, 10-0) hosts "It was senior's night and Buhl for senior night on

BUHL 2, FILER 1

comeback to take a 2-1 victory over Filer on Monday.

Gustavo Magana's penalty Mariana Rodriguez scored kick at the 56th minute Declo's other goal in the win. notched things up for the Indians and freshman Andres Maya's goal at the 60th minute broke up the tie 16th. for the win.

"Filer played tough sochat trick in the second half cer," said Buhl coach Bill was the highlight of the Fields. "Their program is clocking as the Bruin boys stronger getting and stronger. it was tight all the way."

Buhl (4-3-2) travels to Wendell on Wednesday

GOODING 7, BLISS 1

Gooding pounded Bliss 7-1 on Monday.

Gooding's Louis Patino started Bliss with a goal at racked up a hat trick and the 11-minute mark in the teammates Fredrico Mendez Mike McHan finished fourth second half, and Altamirano and Stephan Turnbull each individually in 16:34.45. finished off Gooding for had two goals in the victory. Brian Crane (15th in

said Wendell coach Matt assist for Castleford in the

Castleford (4-9) travels to Richfield today.

offense went into hyper-

drive in the second to secure

Volley Ball

HANSEN 3, CASTLEFORD 1

Hansen won 25-13, 25-21,

Filer on Wednesday.

Bliss (3-7, 1-7) travels to

the win.

Cross country AREA HARRIERS COMPETE AT BOB FIRMAN

Jerome's McKenzie Chojnacky finished eighth in the elite division of the Bob Buhl mounted a late Firman cross country meet at Eagle Island State Park in Saturday. Eagle on Chojnacky recorded a time of 18 minutes, 47.88 seconds, while teammate Mikesell Clegg was 20th in 19:13.03. The Twin Falls girls placed

> Erik Harris of Twin Falls was 10th in the boys elite division with a 16:03.22 placed 10th in the team scoring. Karl Lundgren took 22nd in 16:29.21.

In the Division I competition, Wood River's boys placed ninth, led by Andrew Pfeiffer's fifth-place finish in 16:32.51. In Division II, Kimberly's boys were sixth, while Gooding was 13th and Wendell 18th. Gooding's

VELASQUEZ, ROLAND WIN MICHELOB BEST BALL

Victor Velasquez and Chris Roland shot a two-day 129 to win the Michelob Best Ball this past weekend at Canyon Springs Golf Course and Twin Falls Golf Club. They shot a 59 on Day 2 to pull away for an eight-shot win.

Below are results.

Michelob Best Ball At Canyon Springs and Twin Falls

Changions Johnings and Twini Pains Golf Club, Sept. 25-26 Championship flight Gross. I. Victor Velasquez and Chris Roland 129; 2. (tie) John Radfor and Bill Sundali, Shawn Sessions and Brett Mack, Derek Maloney and Steven Clements, Brad Smith and Dan Schnoebelen 137. Lap: Jeff Rolig and Gage Huft 63. Meth. 1 (tie) Michael Owens and Jayson Rice, Jay Bride and Ed Fuchs 119; 3. Gary Burkett and Ron Boyd 120; 4. Mike Harris and Josh Murphy 123. Lap: Dirk Reitsma and John Reitsma 59.

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ALAMEDA, Calif. George Blanda, the seemingly ageless Hall of Fame quarterback and kicker whose 26-year career was best remembered for a quarterback on the roster remarkable run of lategame theatrics with the host the New York Jets on Oakland Raiders, has died. He was 83.

the death Monday and issued a statement saying "we are deeply saddened by the passing of the great George Blanda. George was personal friend of Raiders owner Al Davis."

Blanda retired a month shy of his 49th birthday before the 1976 season, playing longer than anyone else in pro football history. the Chicago Bears, part of one with the Baltimore Colts, seven with the Houston Oilers and his final nine with the Raiders.

after a 34-7 loss at Green Bay on Sept. 19. He was 11 of 18 for 102 yards and two interceptions.

Brian Brohm is the other as the Bills (0-3) prepare to Sunday.

Edwards' release marks The Raiders confirmed a sudden and decisive reversal for a player who had earned Gailey's confidence by beating out Fitzpatrick and Brohm in an offseason-long compea brave Raider and a close tition to reclaim the starting job. Gailey had been so impressed by Edwards that he noted how he saw "a light at the end of the tunnel" in praising the player three weeks ago.

Edwards failed to build He spent 10 seasons with on that trust by reverting to his familiar hesitant form which, a year ago, led Bills fans to label him as "Trent-ative" and "Captain Checkdown."

azz

Continued from Sports 1

O'Connor said the situation is a lot like the one with the Jazz and his the Jazz faced a year ago when Carlos Boozer reported for the final year of his contract after a summer of speculation he anybody on the team that would be traded. The Jazz were unwilling to give up their leading scorer and rebounder without getting something in return just to avoid a luxury tax hit.

"We've never initiated a trade call this whole summer about AK," O'Connor said.

But the Jazz are willing to listen and if another club Kirilenko could be playing elsewhere for the first time in his NBA career.

Kirilenko has averaged 12.4 points in his career 1,306 blocked shots are the second most in team history.

"I don't think there's can do the things he does. He brings a different set of intangibles than anybody on this team," said point guard Deron Williams, who quickly grew tired of questions about Kirilenko's future.

"Is AK here? He's here today?," Williams said. "As of right now, he's with us tomorrow, right? When it comes across the ticker that makes the right offer, AK has been traded, then come ask me questions. Until then I'm not going to talk about it."

Honor

Continued from Sports 1 and waving his towel to pump up the crowd on third downs. Catmull also spearheads festivities at home games, such as crop duster flybys, an Apache helicopter landing on the field, concerts, drawings for sponsorsupplied giveaways (last week they gave away two iPads), free hotdogs, Halloween trunk-or-treat, and much more.

"It's just a matter of making phone calls and having

fun," Catmull said. It might be all the sugar

from the candy he distributes, but I've never seen Catmull without a smile on his face. It's nice to see enthusiastic folks like him take initiative and do special things like this for the community. Last year, Catmull was recognized by the IHSAA, receiving the Distinguished Service Award.

"He's taken it to a whole new level," said Minico football coach Tim Perrigot. "He used to come talk to me and say, 'I want to do this, I want to do that? Now it's to the point where I just stay out of his way.

"It's helped our gate people love to come out to the games. It's helped our football team become better because our kids play tough at home and I think they want to do well in front of all those people."

Perhaps it indeed has helped as Minico has only lost two regular-season home games since 2005.

This Friday, Catmull needs your help to pull off one of Minico's biggest pregame stunts yet. More than 200 people are needed to put the gigantic flag out. If interested, call him at 312-1092.

After this, who knows what he'll think of next.

Ryan Howe may be reached at rhowe@magicvalley.com.

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F Jon Disalvatore, F kobble Earl, F Peter Kalus and F Warren Peters. MONTREAL CANADIENS–Returned F Louis Leblanc to Montreal (QMJHL) and D Jarred Tinordi to London (QHL). Assigned G Robert Mayer, D Frederic Schenis, F Andrew Conboy, F Olivier Fortier, F Dany Masse, F Aaron Palushai, F JL, Wyman, D Sebastien Bisaillon, D Marc-Antoine Desnoyers, D Kyle Klubertanz, D Brendon Nash, D Neil Petruic, D David Urguhart, F Alexander Avisin, F Jimmy Bonneau and F Ian Shultz to Hamilton (AHL). NASHVILLE PREDATORS–Assigned F Blake Geoffrion to Milwaukee (AHL).

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Wade Redden, F Dane Byers, F Evgeny Grachev, F Kris Newbury, F Dale Weise, F Jeremw Willams and F Mats Zuccarello to Hartford (AHL). Released D Garnet Exelby, D Brandon Manning and D Alexei Semenov.
PHOENIX COVIES—Assigned D Jonas Ahnelov, RW Matt Beaudoin, G Matt Climie, LW Ryan Hollweg, C Bracken Kearns, LW Josh Lunden, LW Brett MacLean, G Al Montoya, LW Alexander Picard, LW Blair Riley, D Garnett Stafford, D Michael Stone, D Chris Summers and D Nolan Yonkman to San Antonio (AHL), Returned D Brandon Gormley to Moncton (QMHL).
St. LOUIS Bulls—Assigned D Dean Arsene, D Brennan Evans, F Adam Cracknell, F Graham Mink, F Ryan Reaves, F Brett Sonne and F David Spina to Peoraica

Reaves, F Brett Sonne and F David Spina to Péoria (AHL). VANCOUVER CANUCKS-Assigned D Nolan Baumgartner, C Mario Bliznak, D Kevin Connauton, D Evan Oberg, LW Prab Rai, C Jordan Schroeder, D Chris Tanev, F Aaron Volpatti, D Sean Zimmerman and D Travis Ramsey to Maritoba (AHL). WASHINGTON CAPITALS-Signed F Matt Hendricks to a one-year contract. Assigned F Francois Bouchard, D Sean Collins, Fklye Greentere, D Grant McNeill, D Zach Miskovic and F Brian Willsie to Hershey (AHL). American Hocky League BRIDGEPORT SOUND TIGENS-Agreed to terms with D Brett Motherwell on a one-year contract. LACOSSE National LaCrosse League MINNESOTA SWARM-Re-Signed Joe Cinosky to three-year contract. ECH.

ECHL ELMIRA JACKALS—Signed F Maxime Tanguay and F Rob Bellamy.

Bellamy. USA SHOOTING–Named Michael Theimer youth pro-grams and athlete development coordinator. COLUEGE EASTERN MICHIGAN–Placed the women's basketball program on two years of probation and reported sever-al volations tied to practice and recruiting to the NCAA. Suspended women's basketball coach AnnMarie Gilbert for one month without pay. Named Latonya Tate inter-im coach.

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conditioning coach. UNC WILMINGTON—Announced the resignation of ath-letic director Kelly Mehrtens.

Trial over Angels pitcher's death nears end

SANTA ANA, Calif. – A man charged with murder the crash. in a drunken-driving collision that killed rookie Los Angeles Angels pitcher Nick Adenhart and two other people didn't care about anyone but himself when he decided to drink that day, a prosecutor said Thursday

Defendant Andrew Gallo "made the decision to get intoxicated beyond the point of any reason," Deputy District Attorney Susan Price told jurors in her closing argument.

Prosecutors said Gallo's blood-alcohol level was nearly three times the legal limit at the time of

Gallo, 23, has pleaded not guilty to three counts of second-degree murder in the deaths of Adenhart and his two friends, 20-year-old Courtney Stewart and 25-year-old Henry Pearson.

NCAA FOOTBALL Michigan expects QB Robinson to play Indiana

ANN ARBOR, Mich. - Michigan coach Rich Rodriguez expects quarterback Denard Robinson's



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bruised left knee to be healthy enough for him to play at Indiana this weekend.

Rodriguez plans to limit Robinson's activity on Monday and hopes he can practice Tuesday.

The 19th-ranked Wolverines will face the Hoosiers on the road Saturday in a matchup of 4-0 teams. It is the Big Ten opener for both.

Robinson left Saturday's game against Bowling Green with an injured left knee in the first quarter and didn't return. He ran for 129 yards and two touchdowns on five carries and was 4-for-4 passing for 60 yards on two drives plus one play in Saturday's 65-21 win.

Robinson threw for 671 yards and four TDs and ran for 559 yards and four TDs in the first three games.

