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BINS ROLL OUT



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Workers deliver PSI Environmental Systems recycling bins in Twin Falls on Tuesday. About 13,400 bins will be delivered in Twin Falls in the next two weeks before collection of items through the city's new single-stream recycling program begins on Jan. 17.

No-sort recycling nears; collection begins Jan. 17

By Nick Coltrain
Times-News writer

Bin by bin, the new Twin Falls no-sort recycling system is making its way throughout the city.

PSI Environmental Systems Inc. began dropping off the new orange-and-charcoal no-sort recycling bins this week and expects to have them all distributed within two weeks. On Jan. 17, the contents of those new bins should start being collected and counted toward RecycleBank points. Residents' current, smaller recycling bins will be collected by the city in the next month or so, said Dave Grantham, site manager with PSI.

RecycleBank, which should send out letters detailing its program next week, offers points based on the pounds of recycling collected from each neighborhood. The points can be redeemed for coupons and special offers from national chains.

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Crews are delivering about 1,000 PSI Environmental Systems recycling bins per day in Twin Falls.

WHAT CAN GO IN THE BINS, WHAT CAN'T

Allowable: Aluminum, tin and aerosol cans; cardboard; magazines, junk mail (plastic-window envelopes included), books, newspapers, milk and juice cartons; and plastic bottles and jugs with No. 1 through 7 printed on the bottom, if the base is larger than the opening.

Not allowed: Glass; food or organic waste; food-contaminated items; soiled or wet newspapers; rubber bands or string; scrap metal; hazardous waste, such as motor oil, paint, poison or highly flammable liquids; some plastics, such as plastic bags, trays, toys, plastic lids and wide-mouth plastic tubs, such as for yogurt.

Fuel cleanup waits
after Monday
crash, spill, but —

COLD HELPED

By Laura Lundquist
Times-News writer

Initial cleanup of a fuel spill on U.S. Highway 30 was completed Tuesday morning, a day after a two-truck collision completely closed the road near Filer.

Eric Palmer on Monday failed to stop his sugar beet truck, running into the back of Cory Slippey's fuel tanker as Slippey was stopped at the Curry Crossing railroad crossing near the intersection of U.S. Highway 30 and U.S. Highway 93, according to an Idaho State Police report.

ISP Capt. Rob Storm said Tuesday that Palmer, 26, was taken to the hospital with minor injuries and released after being interviewed by ISP. Storm said the investigation was ongoing. The road was opened to traffic at midnight Monday.

Clyde Dwight, Region 5 Response Team operations chairman, said about 3,000 gallons of gasoline and diesel fuel spilled from the tanks after the collision. Dwight said fuel company trucks came in and sucked up as much of the spilled fuel as they could. The fuel remaining in the tanks was offloaded and taken to a refinery. ISP is inspecting the tanks as part of its investigation.

Sand was spread on the road along with Floor-Dry, an absorbent material, Dwight said.

The cold weather helped the cleanup. Some of the fuel spilled into a nearby canal but sat atop the ice. With the ground frozen, Dwight said, the fuel probably didn't sink in as much.

"We've cleaned up as much as we can now," Dwight said Tuesday. "We've spoken with the (Idaho Department of Environmental Quality) and they will look at the situation tomorrow, but this will be ongoing."

Dwight said the agencies will wait for warmer weather to allow them to dig into nearby soil, so cleanup efforts may take a few weeks to complete. At that point, they'll have a better idea how much fuel contaminated the ground.

Body of missing Ketchum man found

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

SUN VALLEY — A volunteer searcher found the body of a missing Ketchum man Tuesday afternoon on a ridge overlooking the Elkhorn subdivision southeast of Sun Valley.

The searcher, a friend of the missing man's family, found Dex Gannon's body at about 2:45 p.m. near Keystone and Morningstar roads in Elkhorn — a few stones' throws from where Gannon had walked out of a friend's house sometime after midnight Friday.

Sun Valley Police Chief Cam Daggett didn't say how Gannon, 21, had died, adding that it was up to Blaine County Coroner Russ Mikel to determine that.

Daggett said searchers who fanned out across the area on Saturday didn't find the body, which was in plain sight, because



Gannon

they had concentrated on searching drainages.

"We didn't send any searchers to that ridge because we thought the helicopter or airplane would see anything that was up there," he said.

Even before their son was found, Gannon's mother, Cyn Hannah, and father, Steve Gannon, had planned a celebration of life service for 2:30 p.m. Saturday at the Presbyterian Church of the Big Wood in Ketchum.

While still holding to a sliver of hope that their son would be found alive, the family planned the service because they were sure their son had taken his own life. They also wanted to be able to include in the service Hannah's

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family, who had already arrived in town, and Dex's friends, while they were still home from college.

"The family needs this service to hear the voices of Dex's friends, to have something beautiful to honor Dex," said Susan Spelius Dunning, a close family friend.

Dex Gannon walked away from a friend's home on Defiance Drive in subzero temperatures. He left behind his wallet and cell phone but took with him a loaded gun that he had found in his friend's house.

Steve Gannon said his son left a post on his Facebook wall stating,

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Shoshone stumps for steam engine revisit

By Laura Lundquist
Times-News writer

New media is giving new life to a ghost of the past.

Union Pacific is one of the last U.S. railroad companies to run steam engines around the country, and for the next few weeks, it's allowing the public to choose where one of the relics will go next.

Union Pacific built a special website at the beginning of November, and for a month, people could vote each day for their hometown. This was the point where Payson Reese of Shoshone stumbled across the site.

"I watch the Union Pacific website and was on there looking at

photos when I saw the contest," Reese said. "I voted most of the days."

Voting closed Dec. 6 and Union Pacific staff put together four routes using towns that had received the most votes. The winning routes were revealed Tuesday, and now the race is on until Jan. 17 to get the most votes again. One of the routes runs from Salt Lake City through Pocatello and Shoshone to Boise.

Union Pacific spokesman Mark Davis said the steam engines usually do a couple of tours a year. But this is the first time the public has been invited to help in the route selection process, he said.

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TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Idaho Old Time Fiddlers Association members' acoustic string instrument jam session, 6 to 8 p.m., followed by the monthly meeting, Idaho Pizza Co., 1859 Kimberly Road, Twin Falls, open to prospective members and the public, 420-3345.

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

LIBRARY

Beginning Computers class, designed for people with little or no experience, 10 a.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no registration necessary, class size limited to 10, no cost, 878-7708 or valerie@bplibrary.org.

Preschool Story Hour, with stories, activities and crafts, 10 a.m., Buhl Public Library, 215 Broadway N., no cost, open to the public, 543-6500.

Kidz Flicks Night, K-6 invited for an age-appropriate movie, popcorn and other activities, 4 p.m., Twin Falls Public Library, 201 Fourth Ave. E., no cost, open to public, 733-2964 ext. 110.

Presentation by film producer Anthony Geffen, about the filming of "The Wildest Dream: Conquest of Everest," a movie recreating George Mallory's attempt to climb Mount Everest, 6 p.m., The Community Library, 415 Spruce Ave., Ketchum, no cost, 726-3493.

To have an event listed, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Mirela Sulejmanovic by e-mail at mirelas@magicvalley.com; by phone, 735-3278; by fax, 734-5538; or by mail, Times-News, P.O. Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Deadline is noon, four days in advance of event.

MORE CALENDAR ONLINE

Check out our online calendar where you can submit events and search by category for specific events and dates.

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ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

A route map and instructions are included with every PSI Environmental Systems recycling bin.

Bins

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The company is in negotiations with local stores, Grantham said. Points can also be donated to local schools that outline an environmental plan, such as tree planting, he said.

Grantham predicted at least 2,400 tons of recyclables will be diverted from the landfill the city uses.

"That's on the very conservative side," he said. "If everyone participates like we want them to, it could be twice that."

To help with the likely confusion associated with new programs, city staff gave a presentation to some city workers on what can and cannot be recycled. Sherry Jeff, utility services supervisor, laid out recyclables on a table and went through them piece by piece.

Clean pizza box? OK.
Plastic bowl with a base smaller than the opening? Not OK.

Aerosol can? OK, if you throw the plastic lid in with

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MV WATCH a breakdown of the new recycling program.
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the regular trash.

"You just have to think about things a little different," she said.

She displayed a cleanly removed tin can as OK for recycling, but added "I wouldn't want to put a jagged piece in because I wouldn't want anyone to get hurt."

She said no Idaho cities are accepting glass recyclables because it's a "really hard commodity and it would contaminate everything if it broke."

Grantham said only 16 people out of Twin Falls' 13,400 sanitation customers have opted out of the program, and he hopes the number stays that low.

"I just hope everybody takes advantage of this," he said. "I believe this is the best program in the state of Idaho, and it's something everybody should be proud of."

CORRECTIONS

Eastland headline incorrect

The headline on Tuesday's article about the Twin Falls City Council meeting incorrectly stated the council's action. The council did not approve any work on Eastland Drive; it asked city staff to present options on how Eastland Drive could be repaired.

The *Times-News* regrets the error.

Blood test story included incorrect information

An Associated Press story that ran in Monday's *Times-News* about a test developed by Massachusetts General Hospital to find cancer cells in blood erroneously described the technology that will go through more study and development.

The initial version of the test used a microchip with tiny posts to capture the cells. A second, updated version uses a herringbone design instead of posts. Four cancer centers will do tests this year using that new design with a grant from the Stand Up to Cancer telethon. Johnson & Johnson has joined with Mass General to develop a third-generation test with a different technology aimed at mass production.

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Kindly teach your livestock better table manners

In case you missed it — and I don't know how you possibly could have — science is on the brink of solving one of the greatest threats to our children's future:

Cow burping.
Methane emissions from livestock account for 18 percent of the world's greenhouse gases, according to the United Nations Food and Agriculture

Organization — though that estimate is hotly disputed.

Now, Pennsylvania State University researcher Alexander Hristov has come up with a dietary breakthrough for cows by adding oregano to their diets.

It's not exactly the oregano that's in your pantry, but an oregano-based food additive which, according to Hristov, reduces dairy cows' methane emissions by 40 percent while increasing milk production by three pounds a day.

In July, Britain's Newcastle University announced that curry spices had a similar effect on cattle.

So let me get this straight:

DON'T ASK ME

Steve Crump



DO TELL

If it's quirky, poignant or funny and it happens in south-central Idaho, I want to hear about it. Call me at 735-3223, or write scrump@magicvalley.com.

The very spices that make humans belch more cause cows to belch less?

Granted, Bossy's stomach isn't engineered the same as yours, but jeepers: Have you eaten at a Thai restaurant?

Curry is a mixture of spices that can include ginger, garlic, asafetida, fennel seed, caraway, cinnamon, clove, mustard seed, green cardamom, black cardamom, mace, nutmeg, long pepper, black pepper and — last but certainly not least — chili peppers. The human palate reacts to curry in ways ranging from "Get me a glass of water!"

to "Call a priest!"

My wife and I were dining in a Thai restaurant in Boise a while back, and the waiter came by to ask how the food was. Victoria and I looked up from our plates, our noses running and tears streaming down our cheeks, and replied: "Wonderful!"

So now we're supposed to feed the cows vindaloo?

Oregano also has some kick. The best-quality oregano is so strong that it numbs the tongue.

So picture a feedlot full of, say, 2,000 cows, all stampeding toward the stock tank with their tongues hanging out their mouths.

Generations of my family have treated indigestion with a little baking soda mixed with water, and I don't know why that wouldn't work for cattle. But then again, postprandial belching has long been a tradition among the Crumps.

Some of my male kin became very good at belching — good enough that my Great Uncle Kenneth was compelled to eat his holiday dinners in the garage after a

series of unfortunate Thanksgiving incidents.

You gotta wonder whether the Crumps were over the years largely responsible for the accumulation of greenhouse gases that contribute to global warming.

And the cows?

George Mason University statisticians Rebecca Goldin and Cindy Merrick, who are skeptical of the FAO estimates of livestock contributions of climate change, nonetheless acknowledge they're a problem. Goldin and Merrick point to statistics indicating bovine belching accounts for emissions equal to about twice the greenhouse gas that Norway produces in a year.

Look, I'm of Norwegian extraction and can tell you it's a lot higher than that in methane alone.

Besides, the Norwegians feed their cows leftover lutefisk. It's a wonder that it's not 120 degrees in Oslo.

Steve Crump is the Times-News Opinion editor. Hear him Fridays at 8:30 a.m. on KLIX-1450 AM.

Steam

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"It's fun to watch an organization that is around 150 years old be sparked by social media," Davis said. "The first round of voting had trivia questions and we were getting 300 to 500 responses a day."

Davis said the dates of the tour are yet to be picked. He said once the winning route is determined, Union Pacific staffers will look at other trains scheduled on that route and select the best time.

Reese said because he's the Lincoln County Chamber of Commerce chairman and manages 2nd Time Around at the Whistle Stop Antique Mall in Shoshone, he has a lot of contact with people and is trying to get the word out to vote for the Boise Limited route.

The word was so new Tuesday that train enthusiasts from three local clubs hadn't heard yet. But they all remembered the last time the steam engine came through in September and were eager to see it again.

The North Side Model Railroad Association in Jerome boasts 14 members, all of whom chased the steam engine from Shoshone to



Photo courtesy of Union Pacific

Union Pacific steam engine No. 844 is shown in this courtesy photo. A local effort aims to bring the train on a tour that would pass through Shoshone.

Mountain Home when it passed through in the fall.

"We got photos and video to post on our website," said association member Simon Rodriguez. "It's always fun and if it comes through again, we'll be there."

Jim Willis of the Magic Valley Model Railroaders sounded like the news knocked six decades off of his 84 years.

"If that's the route, they'll have to stop in Shoshone. They'll get out and grease every single bearing," Willis said. "They have to be very careful about servicing them

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so they don't break down and bring everything to a stop."

Willis has regularly chased every steam engine that's passed through and he holds a special place for Engine 844. It takes a lot of money to maintain vintage engines, which is why most sit on display in museums.

Willis said Union Pacific keeps running them because

of one manager: Steve Lee. The engines have been his pet project but he's getting ready to retire, leaving the future in question at a time when companies are tightening their belts.

Davis seems to think the next generation is discovering steam engines, which may keep them chugging down the track.

"We're seeing a spectrum shift," Davis said. "Fifteen years ago, it was mainly seniors. But with online tools like Twitter and GPS, more schools are coming out to see the trains."

Ketchum

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"Dex Gannon did it for love." He also left a banner message on his cell phone screen stating, "I love you all" — a message his family believes was his final goodbye.

A graduate of Wood River High School, Dex received a full scholarship to Rice University in Houston, where he was studying math, according to Steve Gannon.

But Dex left Rice in spring 2010 and returned home to the Wood River Valley to receive medical treatment

for psychological and emotional problems. Dunning said Dex had hoped to heal and then take an online course from Stanford University or a few courses at Boise State University to prove he was ready to return to Rice, where his scholarship was being held for him.

Dex had been in a severe state of emotional distress and frequently voiced suicidal tendencies prior to his death, Dunning said.

The family is asking that well-wishers donate to the Dex Gannon Memorial Scholarship Fund, care of Hailey Rotary Club, in lieu of flowers.

Nevada 'shoe tree' cut down

FALLON, Nev. (AP) — A landmark tree filled with dangling shoes, boots and sneakers that served as a popular stopping point for travelers in northern Nevada was chopped down by vandals, leaving merchants concerned that business would suffer in the isolated area.

The 70-foot cottonwood tree along U.S. 50 in Middlegate was cut down late last week, the *Lahontan Valley News* reported Tuesday.

"There are a lot of angry people," bartender Travis

Anderton told the newspaper. "That helps out business. People come out to see the shoe tree."

Anderton learned of the vandalism from customers who stopped at Old Middlegate Station, a combination bar-restaurant-gas station about 50 miles east of Fallon.

The tree along what has been called the loneliest road in America has been an attraction for decades.

Some people removed footwear rather than adding it.

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Well-wishers send off Mikesell

Eight years as commissioner ends with plaque from colleagues

By Nick Coltrain
Times-News writer

Eight years after his swearing in as Twin Falls County commissioner, Tom Mikesell accepted a plaque that is as much a farewell as it is a commemoration.

Mikesell will be replaced on the commission Monday, when Leon Mills is sworn in. Mikesell didn't run for reelection last year because he wanted to focus on new business ventures.

He said he won't fall out of the spotlight, though — besides his new business involving a large-scale solar energy farm in Jerome County, he said he plans to pipe up when needed and share his opinion on govern-

ment issues.

"I expect that my involvement won't change in the community," he said, as an open house bidding him farewell tapered off. "If I see something that I don't like in the public sector, I have no problem voicing my problems privately or publicly."

His occasionally controversial convictions proved a hallmark of his tenure, which included stalling the approval of a U.S. Navy Blue Angels-headlined air show until he was confident taxpayers wouldn't foot the bill (he refused to sign most county contracts for the show) and having the police called on him when he was changing

locks in a county-owned hospital building. The building's remodeling for county use — while it was being used by St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center — was being disputed at the time.

"Tom has never been afraid to say what his opinion is on an issue and he would stand by it," said attorney Laird Stone, a longtime friend of Mikesell who also represented the county in mediation with the hospital.

Stone joked that he and his wife nicknamed the traffic light at Heyburn Avenue and Blue Lakes Boulevard the "Mikesell light" because Mikesell sat on the Twin Falls City Council when it was installed. Stone said he hasn't seen much change in Mikesell as he hopped com-



Mikesell

munity roles from city baseball coach up to commissioner.

"I think his attitude has stayed the same: real positive toward community service," Stone said. "He's always been a real good friend to me and my family."

Commission Chairman George Urie said Mikesell was helpful getting him and Commissioner Terry Kramer up to speed when they both joined the commission in the same year. Kramer said he initially ran for public office because he wanted to work with Mikesell.

"Even though we didn't always agree, we always disagreed agreeably," Kramer said.

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Gooding council refines snowshoveling ordinance

By Emily Katseanes
Times-News correspondent

GOODING — The Gooding City Council plowed through final revisions to a snowshoveling ordinance Tuesday, holding its first public reading.

The new ordinance would prohibit Gooding residents from shoveling snow into public streets or alleys. Doing so could pile up a \$150 fine, including court costs and fees. Some areas of the business district would be allowed to shovel snow into gutters if they don't have a parking lot that can hold the snow.

The council has worked on the ordinance since November.

Before the regular meeting, council members, minus an absent Vern France, held a work session to revisit another ordinance. The council and Public Works Director Todd Bunn discussed revisions to clarify how much and when to charge citizens reconnection fees for city services.

Currently, a \$25 fee is levied when reconnecting a line after a delinquent bill is paid. The council decided to up the fee to \$30, with the

extra \$5 going directly to the sewer department for maintenance fees.

"In reality, you have the same investment in equipment, resources. I think the reconnection fee would be a good idea," Bunn said.

Another portion of the ordinance the council addressed deals with bond repayment. Currently, Gooding is paying off a bond taken out to finance work on the sewer system. The council wants to begin billing people the monthly bond payment of \$10 when their service is suspended.

"No one was billed for bond payment and it's supposed to be everybody who is connected to the sewer," said City Clerk and Treasurer Carmen Korsen.

The council discussed adding an additional fee for people who turn their water on after voluntarily shutting it off, such as homeowners who leave Gooding for the winter.

The council held off mak-

ing a definitive decision for the next work meeting, which is scheduled for Feb. 7.

For most of the regular City Council meeting, members worked on future events.

On Friday, the mayor and council will meet with Mark Mendenhall of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to get an update on a project to shore up the wall lining the Little Wood River. The meeting will help the council discern the chances of receiving funding for the project.

Fire Chief Pat Bishop and Police Chief Jeff Perry also agreed to submit annual reports based on a fiscal year as well as a calendar year in the future. Reporting on a fiscal-year basis will better align their departments with the council.

The next council meeting was rescheduled to Jan. 18 to avoid conflicting with Martin Luther King Jr. Day that Monday.

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5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

TWIN FALLS COUNTY TUESDAY ARRAIGNMENTS

Scott C. Hansen, 30, Murtaugh; possession of stolen property, recognizance release, public defender appointed, not-guilty plea, pretrial Jan. 25.

Russell H. Braaton, 30, Twin Falls; driving without privileges, \$250 bond, public defender appointed, not-guilty plea, pretrial Jan. 25.

Russell H. Braaton, 30, Twin Falls; theft of services, \$500 bond, public defender appointed, not-guilty plea, pretrial Jan. 25.

Adam M. Etcheverry, 18, Twin Falls; possession of controlled substance with intent to deliver, \$2,000 bond, private counsel, preliminary Jan. 14.

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At the same time, incoming House Majority Leader Eric Cantor, R-Va., conceded the new GOP majority intends to bypass its own new rules when it votes next week to wipe out the health care law approved by Democrats in 2010.

"We just need to repeal it," Cantor said of the effort to fulfill one of the party's main campaign promises from last fall.

Republicans, their ranks expanded by tea party-backed freshmen, take control of the House when the 112th Congress convenes at noon on Wednesday. One of the first orders of business will be the election of Ohio Republican John Boehner as speaker, replacing Democrat Nancy Pelosi.

In a celebratory mood, House Republicans met for nearly three hours during the day as they looked ahead to their two-year term of office. GOP freshmen have emphasized the need to reduce the deficit, but there are limits to how far the caucus is willing to go. Ten-year veteran Rep. Jeff Flake, R-Ariz., said his colleagues defeated his proposal to use savings from spending cuts only for deficit reduction, as opposed to shifting some money to other government programs.

Across the Capitol, Democrats retained their majority in the November elections. But the 60 Senate seats they controlled two years ago — enough to push through much of Obama's agenda — will fall to 53.

That will make it harder to enact legislation Obama still seeks. But it gives them more than enough clout to block passage of bills like the health care repeal that House Republicans desire.

Texan released after 30 years in prison

By Jeff Carlton
Associated Press

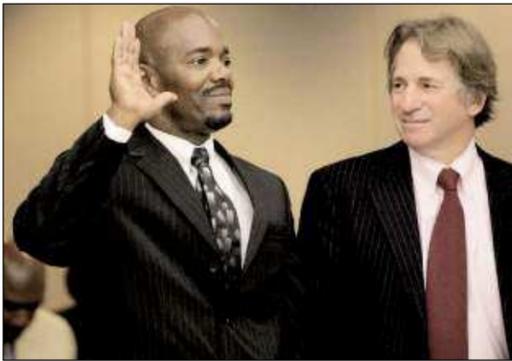
DALLAS — A Texas man declared innocent Tuesday after 30 years in prison had at least two chances to make parole and be set free — if only he would admit he was a sex offender.

But Cornelius Dupree Jr. refused to do so, doggedly maintaining his innocence in a 1979 rape and robbery, in the process serving more time for a crime he didn't commit than any other Texas inmate exonerated by DNA evidence.

"Whatever your truth is, you have to stick with it," Dupree, 51, said Tuesday, minutes after a Dallas judge overturned his conviction.

Nationally, only two others exonerated by DNA evidence spent more time in prison, according to the Innocence Project, a New York legal center that specializes in wrongful conviction cases and represented Dupree. James Bain was wrongly imprisoned for 35 years in Florida, and Lawrence McKinney spent more than 31 years in a Tennessee prison.

Dupree was sentenced to



Cornelius Dupree Jr., left, raises his hand to testify as attorney Barry Scheck, right, looks on in Dallas on Tuesday.

75 years in prison in 1980 for the rape and robbery of a 26-year-old Dallas woman a year earlier. He was released in July on mandatory supervision, and lived under house arrest until October. About a week after his release, DNA test results came back proving his innocence in the sexual assault.

A day after his release, Dupree married his fiancée, Selma. The couple met two decades ago while he was in prison.

His exoneration hearing was delayed until Tuesday while authorities retested

the DNA and made sure it was a match to the victim. Dallas County District Attorney Craig Watkins supported Dupree's innocence claim.

Looking fit and trim in a dark suit, Dupree stood through most of the short hearing, until state district Judge Don Adams told him, "You're free to go." One of Dupree's lawyers, Innocence Project Co-Director Barry Scheck, called it "a glorious day."

"It's a joy to be free again," Dupree said.

This latest wait was nothing for Dupree, who

was up for parole as recently as 2004. He was set to be released and thought he was going home, until he learned he first would have to attend a sex offender treatment program.

Those in the program had to go through what is known as the "four R's." They are recognition, remorse, restitution and resolution, said Jim Shoemaker, who served two years with Dupree in the Boyd Unit south of Dallas.

"He couldn't get past the first part," said Shoemaker, who drove up from Houston to attend Dupree's hearing.

Shoemaker said he spent years talking to Dupree in the prison recreation yard, and always believed his innocence.

"I got a lot of flak from the guys on the block," Shoemaker said. "But I always believed him. He has a quiet, peaceful demeanor."

Under Texas compensation laws for the wrongly imprisoned, Dupree is eligible for \$80,000 for each year he was behind bars, plus a lifetime annuity. He could receive \$2.4 million in a lump sum that is not subject to federal income tax.

The compensation law, the nation's most generous, was passed in 2009 by the Texas Legislature after dozens of wrongly convicted men were released from prison.

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Navy firing over lewd videos raises questions about timing

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Navy brusquely fired the captain of the USS Enterprise on Tuesday, more than three years after he made lewd videos to boost morale for his crew, timing that put the military under pressure to explain why it acted only after the videos became public.

Senior military officials said they were trying to determine who among Navy leaders knew about the videos when they were shown repeatedly in 2006 and 2007 to thousands of crew members aboard the nuclear-powered aircraft carrier.

An investigation by U.S. Fleet Forces Command in Norfolk, Va., also is seeking

to determine whether Capt. Owen Honors was reprimanded at the time.

The episode has raised serious questions about whether military leaders can behave badly as long as the public doesn't find out.

"He showed bad judgment and he embarrassed the Navy. Those are things that are going to be hard for the Navy to ignore or to forgive," said Stephen Saltzburg, the general counsel of the National Institute of Military Justice and a law professor at George Washington University.

Just two days after the videos were shown repeatedly on television, the Navy called a news conference Tuesday in Norfolk to announce that Honors was

stepping down as ship commander and being reassigned to administrative duties ashore.

"After personally reviewing the videos created while serving as executive officer, I have lost confidence in Capt. Honors' ability to lead effectively," said Adm. John Harvey, head of U.S. Fleet Forces Command, in Norfolk. Harvey declined to answer questions from reporters.

The Pentagon said the disciplinary system isn't foolproof but generally works.

"There are always going to be people do things they shouldn't," said Marine Corps Col. Dave Lapan, a Pentagon spokesman. "They will be held accountable."

Son of former Iranian shah found dead in Boston

BOSTON (AP) — The youngest son of the late shah of Iran was found dead Tuesday of an apparent suicide at his home in Boston, after he had "struggled for years to overcome his sorrow," his brother said.

"Once again, we are joined with mothers, father and relatives of so many victims of these dark times for our country," the shah's oldest son, Reza Pahlavi, wrote on his website in announcing the death of his brother, Alireza Pahlavi.

Pahlavi, 44, died from a gunshot wound that apparently was self-inflicted, said Jake Wark, a spokesman for

the Suffolk district attorney's office.

Boston police said officers responding to a 911 call found the man dead in his home in the city's South End neighborhood shortly after 2 a.m. Tuesday. A police spokesman did not know who made the call or whether it came from the home.

Fardia Pars, who is close to Reza Pahlavi, said by phone from Paris that Alireza Pahlavi went into a deep depression following the 2001 death of his sister Leila Pahlavi, who was found in a London hotel room at age 31 after overdosing on barbiturates.

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AROUND THE WEST

IDAHO

Eastern Idaho motorists paying less at gas pump

POCATELLO — Drivers at several Pocatello gas stations in eastern Idaho are paying about 35 cents less for a gallon of fuel, compared to prices statewide.

The average price for a gallon of regular unleaded gas in Idaho was about \$2.90 this week, according to AAA Idaho. In Pocatello, however, competition had driven prices below \$2.60 at several gas stations.

The Idaho State Journal reports the average price of unleaded gasoline in Pocatello was \$2.70 on Monday, but several gas stations slashed prices down to the neighborhood of about \$2.55 a gallon.

"Those prices are substantially lower than what we're finding in the rest of the state," AAA Idaho spokesman Dave Carlson said. "It's unusual to say the least."

Statewide, drivers are paying on average about 16 cents less per gallon compared to other states. The national average was \$3.07 for a gallon of unleaded fuel on Monday.

Driver cited for failing to clear windshield, hitting pedestrian

BOISE — Police say a driver was cited for failing to clear his frost-covered windshield after his vehicle struck a pedestrian in downtown Boise.

Boise police say 51-year-old Richard Parsley was driving his vehicle about 10 mph when he struck a woman crossing the street on foot at about 7:30 a.m. on Tuesday.

Police say Parsley's windshield obstructed by an icy frost and he told officers he did not see the woman, who was transported to a Boise hospital with several face lacerations.

Police say Parsley was fined \$62 for driving with an obstructed windshield and \$85 for failure to yield to a pedestrian in a crosswalk.

Concordia: Couple gives Boise law school \$1 million

BOISE — Concordia University officials say the library at their new law school complex in Boise will be named after an Idaho businessman who donated \$1 million toward the project.

The Portland-based university announced the gift from George White and his wife, Geri, in a statement Monday. White is president of the Boise-based wood products manufacturing company, National Bark Sales.

The university is remodeling a two-story building in downtown Boise that will become the "George R. White Law Library" and building a three-story addition to house classrooms and offices. Completion of the project is expected later this year.

Authorities still investigating shooting involving 4 officers

IDAHO FALLS — Detectives continue to investigate a shooting involving four officers that led to the death of an eastern Idaho man.

Four Idaho Falls police officers are on administra-

tive leave after last week's shooting death involving 28-year-old Nicholas Barker. Authorities were called to a residence to investigate reports of an armed man. After making contact with Barker, shots were fired and Barker was pronounced dead at the scene.

So far, investigators aren't saying much about the case, including whether Barker fired a weapon or how many officers fired shots.

Bonneville County Sheriff Paul Wilde told the Post Register those details and others will remain under wraps until the investigation is done.

Bonneville County Attorney Bruce Pickett says releasing details could compromise his case if charges are filed against any of the officers.

OREGON

Body of Idaho man found under truck in parking lot

ONTARIO — Police are investigating the death of a 27-year-old Fruitland, Idaho man whose body was found under the wheel of a semi trailer at an Oregon truck dealership.

Ontario police say Israel Zuniga Jr., was found at about 6 a.m. Monday in the parking lot of Trebar Kenworth Sales.

Interim Police Chief Mark Alexander says Zuniga was last seen at about 1 a.m. on New Year's Day at a party in Ontario.

Alexander says Zuniga's body had been run over by a semi trailer and they are investigating the death as suspicious. Officers are investigating whether alcohol or exposure to the cold played a role in Zuniga's death.

ARIZONA

Mega Millions jackpot payoff reaches \$355 million

PHOENIX — Thousands of people lined up in 41 states and Washington, D.C., ahead of the Mega Millions drawing Tuesday in hopes of buying the winning ticket for the lottery's \$355 million jackpot.

The prize is the fourth largest in U.S. history and the second largest in Mega Millions history, said Arizona Lottery spokeswoman Cindy Esquer. The lottery's prize of \$390 million in March 2007 remains the nation's richest on record.

"We got a pretty good, steady flow of traffic as far as buying the tickets goes," said Bill Evans, owner of Beaver Dam Service Station in northwest Arizona. "As the day progresses we'll have a line out the door, I'm sure."

Hundreds of people poured into the tiny Arizona towns of Littlefield and Beaver Dam, crossing into the state from Nevada and Utah, where Mega Millions tickets are not sold.

At Rosie's Cafe on U.S. 93 north of Kingman near the Nevada line, hundreds drove in over the weekend to buy tickets for the Mega Millions game and a repeat was likely Tuesday because of the new Hoover Dam bypass, which opened in October and eases travel across the Nevada-Arizona staterline.

"The line was going out the door," with 500 or more in line at times on Saturday and Sunday, said waitress and cashier Christine Millim.

— The Associated Press

Vegas summit calls for end of ban on killing horses for food

By Cristina Silva
Associated Press

LAS VEGAS — The U.S. Bureau of Land Management chief blasted critics of the federal government's periodic wild horse roundups on Tuesday, calling the practice rare and necessary as he spoke at a horse slaughter summit in Las Vegas.

The roundups, which are aimed at controlling the population of horses on federal rangelands in the West, have been deemed ineffective by advocates on both sides of the debate. Animal rights groups contend they are an inhumane solution and pro-slaughter proponents declare them a waste of public money.

"These horses are part of our heritage," BLM chief Robert Abbey said to a room of more than 100 breeders, trainers and lawmakers. "Make no mistake, they deserve to be treated

the best way that we can treat them."

The first Summit of the Horse on Tuesday drew advocates from across the West who slammed animal rights groups and implored the federal government to once again embrace horse meat as a legal source of nutrition, saying it is already safely consumed in dozens of countries.

Congress ended the killing of horses for human consumption in 2007 after animal-rights activists objected to the way the animals were treated.

Abbey expressed firm opposition to horse euthanasia but still faced criticism from animal rights groups for agreeing to face the pro-slaughter advocates in Nevada — a state that is home to more than half of the nation's wild horses and burros. Animal rights activists planned to protest the



Abbey

horse summit Tuesday.

"There are a lot of people who believe we have ulterior motives in the actions we are taking," Abbey said in an impassioned defense of the roundups. "We are not interested in eliminating wild horses from these lands."

The bureau oversees more than 38,000 wild horses and burros in 10 western states.

Abbey said the roundups, which often involve helicopters chasing horses on federal land, are the "safest and most efficient way" to gather large numbers of the animals.

"Some scrutiny of this program has crossed the line of fair criticism," Abbey said.

Abbey said the bureau is hoping its newest goal of treating roughly 1,000 mares with infertility vaccines will reduce the frequency of the roundups in the future. He also said the government will continue to promote its horse adoption program.

Hart finally files state tax return

BOISE (AP) — The Idaho Tax Commission has dropped a court case against a state lawmaker accused of repeatedly refusing to file his state income tax return.

State Rep. Phil Hart, a northern Idaho Republican, filed his 2009 return on Dec. 22, the Spokesman-Review newspaper reported.

However, Hart is still fighting the commission in a separate case over an order to pay \$53,000 in back income taxes and penalties.

The return was filed after the commission went to court last month, saying Hart had ignored repeated notices to file his income tax

return by the April 15 deadline.

Hart had taxable income in 2009 of at least \$16,155, which is his annual salary as a state lawmaker, the commission argued in Idaho's 1st District Court.

"However, the defendant continues to refuse to file his Idaho income tax returns," lawyers for the commission wrote in a Dec. 20 filing obtained by the Spokesman-Review.

The state filed a motion seeking dismissal of the case on Dec. 23, saying Hart had finally filed the 2009 tax return eight months past the April deadline.

Hart, a tax protester, was re-elected to a fourth term

in November. He contends the state income tax is unconstitutional.

Hart also has argued that his status as an Idaho lawmaker should have allowed him more time to appeal the order from the tax commission.

In the separate case, the state Board of Tax Appeals rejected Hart's appeal over the \$53,000 amount, saying he didn't file notice of his challenge or pay the required 20 percent deposit on time.

District Judge John Mitchell dismissed Hart's latest appeal in that case on Dec. 8. Hart is now asking Mitchell to reconsider his decision.

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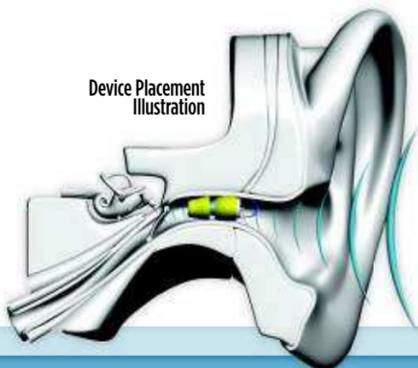
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Donna Jean Short

BOISE — Donna Jean Short passed away into eternity Saturday, Jan. 1, 2011, at St. Luke's Medical Center in Boise surrounded by loved ones.

She was born Donna Jean Ambrose on June 26, 1929, just minutes after her twin brother, Donald. Donna grew up poor in Buhl, Idaho. It was the Depression and times were hard. Donna found escape at school and in books. She always excelled at spelling and hated math. In 1946, Donna and four of her friends went to the Valentine's Day dance, where they met a handsome Marine just returned from World War II. This charmer asked the five girls if any of them wanted a ride home in his convertible. All five girls raised their hands. Donna was the last of the girls dropped off. Cecil saved the best for last. Donna married Cecil Roy Short on June 27, 1946. She was 17 but fibbed and said she was 18.

Donna was preceded in death by her parents, William Beryle Ambrose and Rebecca May Betterton; her stepfather, William Noah Betterton; and two brothers, Alden and Donald. She is survived by her husband, Cecil Roy Short; their children, Max Edward, Jackie Louise, William Roy and Debra Jean; grandchildren, Susan, Adam, Merilee, Sheri, Russell, Curtis, Daryl, Kris, Jesse, Jared, James and Melanie; 32 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandson.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 7, at the LDS Chapel located at 5900 Castle Drive in Boise. Friends may call to visit with the family from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 6, at Relyea Funeral Chapel, 318 N. Latah in Boise, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Friday at the church before the service.

Interment will follow at the Idaho State Veteran's Cemetery.

W. Loren McCoy

W. Loren McCoy, was born July 7, 1932, to Arthur Ray McCoy and Hilda Iris Belveal McCoy in Lenora, Kan., and passed away Saturday, Jan. 1, 2011, in Twin Falls, Idaho.

Loren's family moved to Idaho when Loren was a young boy, and he was raised in the Boise area. Loren was an Air Force veteran serving during the Korean War and later went to Boise Junior College, now Boise State University, and obtained an associate's degree in the engineering field and then attended the University of Idaho.

Loren was a longtime member of the Twin Falls

Jaycees and served a term as president. He worked in the mortgage loan, insurance and title insurance business throughout his career.

He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Betty Jo Stark McCoy; a daughter, Kelly Rae McCoy; and one sister, Vada J. Ford of Wasilla, Alaska. He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers and three sisters.

A service for Loren will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 8, at the Rosenau Funeral Home, 2826 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Idaho Youth Ranch or the Salvation Army.

Dwayne L. Draper

PAUL — Dwayne L. Draper, 84, of Paul, passed away Monday, Jan. 3, 2011, at the Cassia Regional Medical Center in Burley.

Dwayne was born Sept. 6, 1926, in Burley, Idaho, to Wallace V. and Loylla Draper. He attended schools in Paul. He married Betty Lucille Peck on Sept. 4, 1963, in Paul. He owned and operated M & D Irrigation, where he enjoyed setting up wheel lines. He also enjoyed camping, fishing and spending time with his grandchildren. He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Dwayne is survived by his children, Denny (Bonnie) Abrams of Caldwell, Sharon Mort of Washington, Arthur Draper of Rupert, Karen Wright of Paul, Darla



Wilhelmson of Sandpoint and Terry (Charlotte) Draper of Paul; grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; brothers, Lyle (Julie) Draper of Paul and Ronald (Carolyn) Draper of Jerome; and sisters, Marie Pickering of Rupert and Betty (Dave) Barrett of Burley. He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty; parents; one son, Steven DeRay; one brother, Rex; and one sister, Donna.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 7, at the Paul LDS 1st Ward Chapel. Burial will follow at the Paul Cemetery.

A viewing for family and friends will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 6, at Hansen Mortuary, 710 Sixth St. in Rupert, and one hour prior to the service Friday at the church.

Merrill Lyle Dean

RUPERT — Merrill Lyle Dean, age 91, passed away Sunday, Jan. 2, 2011, at the Minidoka Memorial Hospital of congenital heart failure.

Merrill was born in Notus, Idaho, on Sept. 10, 1919, the fifth child of George Lyle and Grace White Dean. The family moved to Wilder, where he graduated from high school. At the age of 16, Merrill received Jesus as his personal savior led by his pastor, George Stutchberry. He married Alice Hanshaw in Caldwell, Idaho, on Sept. 15, 1939. Their homes were Wilder, Idaho, where he farmed; San Diego, Calif., where he worked for Solar Aircraft; Vale, Ore.; and Rupert, Idaho, where he has since resided. He farmed on the north side from 1951 until his



retirement in 2000. Merrill was a member of the Rupert First Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Alice; son, Wendel (Jan) Dean of Burley; daughter, Marilyn (Dennis) Glead of Rupert; four grandchildren; three step grandchildren; two great-grandsons; one great-granddaughter; and one great-great-grandson. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Carroll and Roger; sisters, Lois Dawson and an infant sister; and one grandson.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 6, 2011, at the First Christian Church Praise Chapel, 1110 Eighth St. in Rupert. The family will greet friends one hour prior to the service. Arrangements are under the direction of Hansen Mortuary in Rupert.

Marjorie Ruby 'Marge' Bopp

Marjorie Ruby "Marge" Bopp, 85, of Twin Falls, passed peacefully to join the Lord on Sunday, Jan. 2, 2011.

Marjorie was born in Bliss, Idaho, on June 19, 1925, to Oliver K. and Delilah (Thompson) Bopp. She spent her early years in Idaho. After her graduation from Twin Falls High School, she joined her siblings in Babbitt, Nev., and worked in the secretary pool at the ammunition depot during World War II. Marge moved back to Twin Falls after the war, working for McCoy Coal and Transfer. Later Marge moved to California for work, where she spent the rest of her working life.

Marge retired from the Sequoia Union High School accounting department in Redwood City after more than 20 years. Marge moved back to Twin Falls in 1992 to be near family and lived at Country Village Mobile Home Park. She then made her home at Bridgeview Estates for 10 years in independent living. She then spent nine months in assisted living until a fractured pelvis made it necessary to receive nursing care at River Ridge Care and Rehab Center.

Marge was an avid reader and enjoyed watching the

classic movies. She was a great seamstress and well dressed in her home sewn outfits. Marge learned to drive at age 41 and bought a new car before she took the driver's test. She enjoyed driving trips back to Twin Falls and always drove down through the beautiful Hagerman Valley of her youth. Marge loved all family reunions and visits with her siblings.

Marjorie was preceded in death by her mother in 1937 and her father in 1942 as well as brothers, Donald, Eugene and James.

She is survived by brothers, Bobby K. (Esther) Bopp of Pocatello and Fred (Patricia) Bopp of Las Vegas, Nev.; sisters, Mildred Warren of Las Vegas, Nev., Lucille (Darrell) Deagle of Twin Falls and Sandra (Joe) Sturgeon of Moscow, Idaho; and many nieces and nephews.

Cremation and internment at Elmwood Cemetery in Gooding is under the direction of Demaray Funeral Service Gooding Chapel. A family service will be held in the spring.

We thank the nurses, doctors and caregivers at St. Luke's Medical Center and River Ridge Care and Rehab for their care of Marge during this last two months of her life.

Donald (Sonny) Frederick McGregor

Donald (Sonny) Frederick McGregor, 74, lifelong resident of the Salmon Tract, passed away Saturday, Jan. 1, 2011, at his home.

He was born Nov. 8, 1936, in Twin Falls County, the son of Lester McGregor and Ola (Coleman) McGregor. On Oct. 7, 1956, he married Sharon Ruhter in Twin Falls, Idaho. Donald attended school at Berger, Hollister and Filer, graduating in 1954. After graduation, he worked for Jerry's Conoco, L.L. Langdon and Amalgamated Sugar Co., as well as starting to farm on his own. Farming remained his passion throughout his lifetime.

Don is survived by his wife, Sharon at home; sons, Donald Eugene (Elizabeth) McGregor and Jon Edward (Neva) McGregor, all of Twin Falls; daughter-in-law,

Wendy McGregor of Filer; sisters, Jean (Paul) Miller of Twin Falls and Shirley (Wylie J.) Pullin of Kimberly; along with eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; and son, Brian Lee McGregor in 2003.

A memorial service for Don will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 6, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls, with Pastor Paul Jordan officiating. The family requests that everyone be comfortable and come to services in casual wear.

Memorial Contributions may be made to Hospice Visions, 209 Shoup Ave. W., Twin Falls, ID 83301.

Those wishing to share condolences may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneral-home.com.

A. June McNeil Roessler

SHOSHONE — June Roessler, 96, of Shoshone, Idaho, passed away Saturday, Jan. 1, 2011, at the home of her son, Ernest, in Idaho Falls, Idaho.

June was born Feb. 12, 1914, in Preston, Idaho, the first of four children born to William and Edith McNeil. June spent her early years in Preston, Idaho; Springfield, Utah; then Jerome, Idaho. She graduated high school in Jerome, Idaho, in 1932. She worked at JC Penney in Shoshone, which later became Hansen's Department Store for several years.

She met the love of her life, George Roessler, at a dance in Shoshone; they were married Nov. 18, 1939, in Pocatello, Idaho. June and George lived in Shoshone until 1944 when they moved to Portland, Ore., during World War II while George worked in the shipyards. They returned to Shoshone, Idaho, where she resided until November 2010, when she was moved to Idaho Falls to live with her son and his wife due to failing health.

June had fond memories of going to town with her father who was a blacksmith, having time alone with her dad and leaving her brothers and sister at home with her mother. She had many stories of her and her cousin, Helen, and them pulling pranks or using her dad's grinding wheel to wear out a pair of underwear that her mom had made out of a flour sack, never letting her mom know why they did not last. She was a devoted wife and mother, always helping



with the family business, Roessler Well and Pump Service. She had many hobbies and talents such as crocheting, painting, gardening, cooking, ceramics, crossword

puzzles and sewing. She was known to have a quick-witted sense of humor and always a song in her heart. She enjoyed family, friends and was a member of the Alpine Riding Club. She was blessed with three children, Carl of Pasco, Wash., Robert (Bob) of Shoshone, Idaho, and Ernest (Susan) Roessler of Idaho Falls, Idaho. Her sons were her most prized accomplishment as well as the most challenging joys. She leaves behind her three children; one brother, Reed (Norma) McNeil of Orcutt, Calif.; eight grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, George Roessler; a grandson, Russell Roessler; daughter-in-law, Arlene (Carl) Roessler; a brother, Jim McNeil; and a sister, Ann Dilworth.

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 7, at Demaray Funeral Service Shoshone Chapel. Family members and friends may call from 1 p.m. until service time Friday at the chapel. Burial will take place in the Shoshone Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to your favorite charity.

Condolences, memories and photos may be shared with the family by visiting the obituary link at www.demarayfuneralservice.com.

DEATH NOTICES

Mary Johnson

KIMBERLY — Mary Johnson, 85, of Kimberly, died Tuesday, Jan. 4, 2011, at her home in Kimberly, Idaho.

Arrangements will be announced by Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls.

Michael F. Burt

Michael F. Burt, 58, of Twin Falls, died Tuesday, Jan. 4, 2011, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Rosenau Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

Irene A. Eggleston

BUHL — Irene Anna Eggleston, 100, of Buhl, died Tuesday, Jan. 4, 2011, at the Hospice Visions Home in Jerome.

Arrangements will be

announced by Farmer Funeral Chapel of Buhl.

Samuel H. Mason

SHOSHONE — Samuel H. Mason, 50, of Shoshone, died Sunday, Jan. 2, 2011, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 8, at the old high school gymnasium in Shoshone (Demaray Funeral Service Shoshone Chapel; condolences: www.demarayfuneralservice.com).

Sue Scott

JEROME — Sue Scott, 88, of Jerome, died Monday, Jan. 3, 2011, at the Twin Falls Care Center in Twin Falls.

Arrangements will be announced by Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome.

Top Pakistani official's assassination adds to Obama's Afghan woes

McClatchy Newspapers

ISLAMABAD — The top official of Pakistan's most populous province, an outspoken critic of religious extremism, was assassinated Tuesday in Islamabad by one of his own police bodyguards, plunging the country vital to the U.S. fight against terrorism deeper into political turmoil.

Punjab Governor Salman Taseer, who's been battling Islamists after he denounced a law against blasphemy, was killed on a road in the center of the Pakistani capital.

His slaying came as the ruling coalition led by the secular Pakistan Peoples Party, the PPP, was in danger of collapse after losing its parliamentary majority amid a growing economic crisis, including a sudden rise in fuel prices and extensive power shortages.

The turbulence couldn't come at a worse time for the Obama administration, diverting Pakistani political and military leaders from what Washington had hoped would be an intensi-

fied drive to shutter Afghan insurgent strongholds and al-Qaida-allied bases on Pakistan's side of the rugged border with Afghanistan.

Given the depth of anti-American sentiments in Pakistan, however, there is little the U.S. can do, several analysts said.

"It's a situation where anything that we might do would be counterproductive," said Marvin Weinbaum, a former State Department intelligence analyst with the Middle East Institute in Washington.

Taseer, 66, was the most senior Pakistani politician murdered since former Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto in December 2007. The governor, the president's representative in a province, is a high profile but largely ceremonial position.

He was leaving a cafe in an upscale market in central Islamabad popular with foreigners and wealthy Pakistanis at around 4 p.m. when he was felled in a hail of bullets, officials and witnesses said.

SERVICES

Lamont Edward White of Wendell, graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Glenn Rest Cemetery in Glens Ferry.

Patricia Clare Cawthon Murdock of Jerome and formerly of Desert Hot Springs, Calif., service at noon today at the Jerome LDS 3rd Ward Chapel, 825 E. Ave. B; visitation one hour before the service today at the church; graveside service at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Idaho State Veterans Cemetery, 10100 Horseshoe Bend Road in Boise (Farnsworth Mortuary in Jerome).

Marian S. Wulff of Twin Falls, celebration of life at 2 p.m. today at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

Marjorie "Marge" Houston of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. Thursday at White Mortuary in Twin Falls; graveside service follows at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the mortuary.

John Edward Pace of Sublett, memorial service at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley.

June Simmons of Twin Falls and formerly of Buhl, memorial service at 2 p.m. Thursday at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

Alta Toupin Fowler of Burley, funeral at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Hansen-Payne Mortuary, 321 E. Main St. in Burley; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. today and one hour before the funeral Thursday at the mortuary.

Patsy Del Shaw of Rupert, funeral at 2 p.m. Friday at the Church of Christ, 434

Church St. in Empire, Calif.; memorial celebration of life this summer in Rupert (Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley).

John V. Honcik of Buhl, Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m. today at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Buhl.

Mathilda "Tillie" Heiman of Wendell, memorial service at 11 a.m. Saturday at Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome; no visitation.

Connie G. Glauner of Hagerman, celebration of life at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Community of Christ Church, 211 Third and Orchard Street in Hagerman; visitation from 1 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Demaray Funeral Service Gooding Chapel, 737 Main St.

Mary Alice Thorne Gifford Randall of Ogden, Utah, and formerly of Jerome, funeral at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Jerome LDS Stake Center on Tiger Drive; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday and one hour before the funeral Saturday at the church (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome).

Melba Agnes Huff of Jerome, memorial service at 11 a.m. Saturday at Farnsworth Mortuary Chapel, 1343 S. Lincoln in Jerome.

Kip McKelvey of Twin Falls, memorial service at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Twin Falls Reformed Church, 1631 Grandview Drive N. (Rosenau Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Avis J. Bennett of Sun City, Ariz., and formerly of Twin Falls, memorial concert and service at 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 8, at Sun City Christian Church in Sun City, Ariz.

OPINION

QUOTABLE

"You know, I think there's going to be politics. That's what happens in Washington."
 — President Barack Obama, on dealing with a divided Congress in the new session when he returns to Washington

EDITORIAL

Saving CAMP should be a high priority

Unless some things change, everybody who makes a living in the Magic Valley may be contributing indirectly to the college funds of a whole lot of lawyers' children.

That's because the Comprehensive Aquifer Management Plan — the joint agreement among the state, Idaho Power and other stakeholders to restore the Eastern Snake River Plain Aquifer — is in jeopardy.

If it dies — and some southern Idaho water experts believe it's headed that way — the courts will sort out the complex claims and counterclaims about the the aquifer. There are two dangers with that:

First, if the courts decide this issue, all bets are off: Stakeholders — surface water users, pumpers, municipalities and aquaculture alike — could face potentially disastrous losses.

Secondly, CAMP is credible because Idaho Power signed on. If CAMP collapses, the utility — and its cadre of attorneys — could be back in court making new claims for water rights.

Few think the landmark 1984 Swan Falls agreement — which defined how much of the Snake River's water belongs to whom — would be in jeopardy if CAMP fails, but there would be expensive, protracted legal disputes over water.

We've been down that road before, of course. Which is why CAMP makes so much sense.

And why legislators, the state and stakeholders should think long and hard before they let it slip away.

A committee of stakeholders, some state legislators and Idaho Department of Water Resources staff spent 2009 crafting what they believed to be the best possible option to fund CAMP's multi-decade, multimillion-dollar projects. The plan they devised would have imposed a mandatory fee collected through county assessors and water districts.

Our view: It boils down to this: Water users, the state and Idaho Power can sort out the issues about using and restoring the Eastern Snake River Plain Aquifer, or they can let the courts do it.

But during the last legislative session, that funding blueprint hit some snags. Money was scarce. And some lawmakers asked if the Legislature even had the authority to order such a fee. Legislative committee leaders were concerned about starting a fight that would do broader damage to the aquifer plan. So, Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter stepped in, telling the CAMP committee to take another year to work out the funding plan while promising to find some money for water work.

Responses to Otter largely supported CAMP. But a few water users, including Rangem Inc. and the Milner Irrigation District, wondered whether senior water users should essentially pay for damages others have caused them.

Stan Hawkins, a member of the board of directors of the Great Feeder Canal Co. in eastern Idaho, also argued that Great Feeder has no reason to have to pay; it's never been the source or target of a water call, and through flood irrigation it's the source of nearly 1 million acre-feet of recharged water every year. The company wants either credit for its actions or completely out of CAMP.

Those concerns spilled over into criticism of Jonathan Bartsch, the high-priced Colorado facilitator brought in by the Idaho Water Resources Board to organize the whole process. A small bill that did pass the Legislature last year, establishing a fund where the board can put CAMP money, was amended to emphasize the voluntary contributions cannot pay Bartsch's salary, which totals \$820,000 since 2006.

In the end, the CAMP committee did get nearly full state funding for the year — \$2.4 million in payments to the water board from the 2008 purchase of Pristine Springs in the Snake River Canyon.

But what CAMP really needs is a long-term, viable funding formula. And if that takes the form of a tax, the Legislature won't touch it this year.

A funding mechanism based on fees is the best bet, but if that happens some stakeholders will come up with reasons why they shouldn't pay.

It's not as if CAMP is moribund. Contracts have been secured for recharge water to boost the underground aquifer. And Idaho Power is continuing a pilot project involving weather modification to improve snowpacks in the region.

But there is a clear danger to the process, and time is running out. CAMP is too important to squander.

Afghanistan war's real report card isn't so reassuring

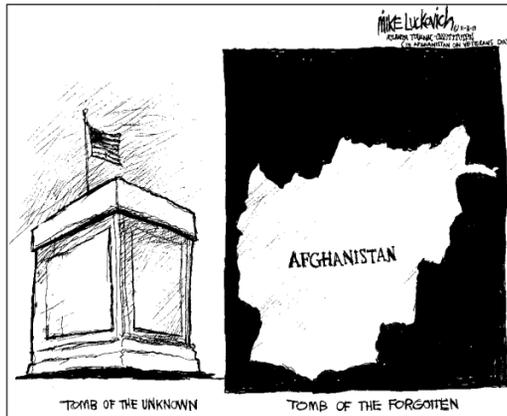
The Obama administration's year-end review of its strategy in Afghanistan and Pakistan, released last week, was intended to be cautiously reassuring: Yes, there are challenges, but military progress is being made. Overall, President Barack Obama said, "We are on track to achieve our goals."



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On closer reading, though, even the carefully written five-page public summary of the review isn't as reassuring as some of the headlines it earned. In Afghanistan, it says, the growth of the Taliban insurgency has been slowed, but that achievement is "fragile and reversible." In Pakistan, progress in the shadowy war against extremists has been "substantial," but not enough to deny either al-Qaida or the Afghan Taliban the havens that shelter them from defeat; that will require much more military action than the Pakistanis have been willing to undertake so far.

And the report barely mentioned some of the most daunting problems facing the U.S. in Afghanistan. "Emphasis must continue to be placed on the development of Afghan-led security and governance," it said. Translation: In many areas, there's still no functioning Afghan government or police force. The word "corruption" never appeared; the administration's rocky relationship with Afghanistan's mercurial president, Hamid Karzai, got no mention. Nor did it make much of a case that Pakistan, which is focused on its own problems, is likely to commit more troops and take more risks to help the U.S. and



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Afghanistan.

More important, the report's on-the-ground focus meant it also largely ignored three of the biggest factors shaping the future of the U.S. enterprise in Afghanistan and Pakistan: time, cost and the support of the American people.

The U.S.-led war in Afghanistan is already in its 10th year, even though it has only been waged at its current full strength of 140,000 American and allied troops for the last six months. Initially, U.S. military officials hoped to show quick successes on the ground that would provide what they call "proof of concept" in time for last week's report. That timetable, like every timetable in Afghanistan, has slipped; proof of concept is now on the agenda for a full review that is scheduled for July 2011.

Some military officers are already saying that even then they may need more time to show what they can do, and they are readying their arguments in favor of the slowest possible drawdown of troops.

The United States and NATO have embraced Karzai's target of turning

over principal responsibility for the war to Afghan forces by the end of 2014, but that goal is only "aspirational," a Pentagon spokesman has said. (Moreover, he added, "It's the end of 2014, so effectively that's 2015.") And handing off to the Afghans won't mean a complete withdrawal of U.S. troops; officials have estimated that at least 35,000 would stay behind as advisers, even under a best-case scenario.

The longer the war continues, the more it costs in both lives and money. Because of stepped-up military operations, U.S. deaths in Afghanistan are on track to reach 500 this year, up from 317 last year. The financial cost is heavy too — more than \$100 billion a year, money the cash-strapped U.S. government can ill-afford. In a report of its own last month, the Council on Foreign Relations warned: "We are mindful of the threat we face. But we are also aware of the costs of the present strategy. We cannot accept these costs unless the strategy begins to show signs of progress."

Given the toll in casualties and costs, it's not surprising that public support for the

war has eroded. A poll by the Pew Research Center last month found for the first time that more Americans (47 percent vs. 44 percent) favor an early withdrawal from Afghanistan over staying until the country is stabilized.

Obama has built escape hatches into his policy if it begins to look as if the current strategy isn't working. The president didn't fully embrace the ambitious counterinsurgency strategy proposed by Gens. Stanley A. McChrystal and David H. Petraeus last year; instead, he gave them enough troops for a limited version, with a deadline of July 2011 to start downsizing.

He insisted, as he has before, that U.S. goals in Afghanistan are limited to denying a haven to al-Qaida. "It's not nation-building," he said, even though nation-building is normally part of effective counterinsurgency. He promised to stay committed to the fight against terrorism, but carefully didn't tie himself to any one strategy.

Still, Obama's decisions on the war so far have been to give his military commanders what they requested with only modest adjustments. His course has been marked by caution, not audacity. So even though he faces a more serious strategic decision by July 2011, the pattern so far suggests that he's likely to make another incremental decision — a modest drawdown of troops, followed by another review in another six months.

So where do we stand? As Obama said, "We are on track to achieve our goals." But we are on track to achieve them some time after 2015, when the U.S. forces in Afghanistan will be in their 15th year of the war.

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Mitt Romney: Second verse, same as the first

While back, an article about the Mitt Romney camp's post-mortem on Mitt's 2008 presidential run caught my eye.

Upon reflection, some members of Team Romney had apparently come to the conclusion that the Mittster had tried too hard to appeal (read: pander) to the conservative purists. Next time, some suggested, Romney would play to his strengths, establishing himself as a smart, pragmatic, solutions-oriented Mr. Fix-It.

Granted, it seemed to have taken Mitt's inner circle an awful long time to arrive at the obvious. Still, the piece was encouraging to those who over the years have admired Romney in his various non-right-wing, non-pandering personae. His managerial talents are undeniable; they could prove a strong campaign calling card if Romney can keep his next run from becoming another credibility-eroding exercise in self-caricature. Which could be done if Romney and his team finally decide who he truly is — and apply some super-strength fixative to that identity. A difficult challenge, given the endlessly malleable and morphing Mitt of the last election cycle? No doubt. Still, in a



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world where scientists have succeeded in isolating and capturing anti-matter, however fleetingly, it's surely not an impossible one.

So I've kept a watchful eye on the putatively non-pandering, serious, big-thinking, solution-seeking new Mitt. As far as Romney-watching goes, December has been a month to remember. Alas, it's my sad duty to report that something seems to be amiss.

Exhibit A: Last month, Romney came out against the new nuclear arms control treaty the Obama administration has negotiated with Russia. That's odd, given the array of respected foreign-policy experts who have blessed the treaty. That list includes luminaries like George H.W. Bush. And Brent Scowcroft, who served as national security adviser to both Gerald Ford and that President Bush. And James Baker, Bush's secretary of state. And George Shultz, secretary of state under Ronald Reagan. And Henry Kissinger, national security

adviser and secretary of state during the Nixon-Ford years.

The treaty passed the Senate, opposed by hardcore conservatives — the kind the New Mitt wasn't going to pander to.

Next, Romney denounced the tax cut deal congressional Republicans cut with President Obama.

Could it be that, ace budgeteer that he is, Romney judged it unaffordable in a time of huge deficits? No, his objection was that the political pact didn't make the Bush tax cuts permanent. Mind you, Mitt did mention the deficit, but only as ammunition for extending the tax cuts forever.

"In many cases," he wrote in *USA Today*, "lowering taxes can actually increase government revenues ... But ... because the tax deal is temporary, a large portion of this beneficent effect is missing."

Actually, the assertion that income tax cuts garner the government more revenue than they cost is closer to theology than to economics. There's widespread agreement among credible economists that, at anything near our current rates of taxation, income tax cuts do not pay for themselves.

A man as smart as Romney surely knows that.

Yet by applying a dollop of supply-side snake-oil, he turned professed concern about the deficit into a disingenuous argument for a tax-cutting position whose consequences would be even more debt.

Topping it all off, Romney's camp next announced Mitt agreed with U.S. District Judge Henry Hudson that the individual mandate in President Obama's new health care law is unconstitutional. But wait, wasn't Obamacare modeled on Romneycare? And doesn't Romneycare have a similar requirement?

Now, when it comes to verbal escapes, Slick Willard, Mitt's dodgy dop-pelganger, is a virtual Houdini. So you won't want to miss the hair-splitting it will take for him to inveigh against the federal law even as he defends the state statute that served as its model.

Still, for those eagerly awaiting the new, improved 2012 Romney, a word of caution: Don't get your hopes too high. So far, the prototype suffers from many of the same flaws that plagued the 2008 model Mitt.

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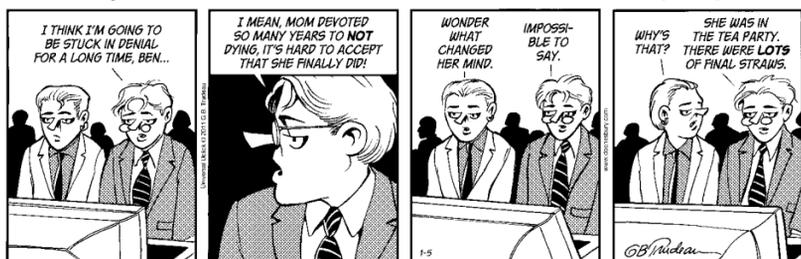
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Real amendment ranks with Prohibition

Feeling their oats after this year's election, the Tea Party crowd and like-minded compatriots have another idea for America.

They want to change the Constitution to give states the ability to check what they say is Washington's seemingly endless grasping for power.

Under the so-called repeal amendment, states could undo any federal law or regulation they don't like, as long as 34 state legislatures agree on the point.

It would mean that after federal lawmakers hold hearings, nail down support, maneuver around partisan gridlock, push the bill through committee, modify it to gain votes, muster a majority in the House, persuade a supermajority in the Senate and win a presidential signature to finally enact a law, states could repeal it.

No one has to go to court to claim the law is unconstitutional or even just plain bad.

And while this country isn't strictly governed by majority rule anyway, the proposed change would further weaken the idea that Americans have roughly the same voice in lawmaking. Each state legislature would be equal in the eyes of the



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amendment, regardless of population.

This means that when it comes to repealing laws, Vermont would have the same say-so as New York, which has 31 times more people. Should the voice of one Wyoming resident cancel out a chorus of 66 Californians? The Senate's that way, of course, but the House isn't, and the amendment would further dilute big state influence.

To those of us who think this a bad idea, two thoughts give comfort. For starters, the push for the repeal amendment probably won't go far.

Scores of constitutional amendments are proposed every Congress, more than 1,000 through the years.

And yet, in 219 years since Congress adopted the first 10 amendments in the Bill of Rights, only 17 more have made it all the way through. And two of those canceled each other out. First alcoholic beverages sales were banned. Then they were unbanned.

However much publicity the proposals attract, they tend to die quiet deaths still trying to make it the first step: approval of two-thirds of each house of Congress.

That will be even tougher in this case because members have an institutional, instinctual distaste for any proposal that would weaken their authority. If Congress was OK with sharing power with the states, no one would be pushing the repeal amendment in the first place.

But there is another way to move the amendment along besides going straight to Congress. It hasn't been used since the adoption of the Constitution except as a threat. That's how the repealers would use it, too.

The Constitution says that if two-thirds of the state legislatures vote to call a constitutional convention, Congress must do it. Convention delegates would then decide whether to send the proposed amendment on for ratification.

So feared is the idea of a constitutional convention that none have been called since 1787, when delegates tossed out the Articles of Confederation and replaced them with the Constitution.

The worry since then has been that a convention

called for a single purpose could take up all kinds of mischief.

Ah, but the fear of a constitutional convention gives the pro-repealers a weapon. If they get close to winning enough state support to call a convention, Congress might just act first to avoid that and cast enough votes to move the amendment to the second step: ratification. If amendment backers can get that far, they'd need to pick up a few more states to win ratification by the required three-fourths, or 38.

Americans have a visceral reaction against monkeying with the Constitution. Its framers made amending the document difficult, as well it should be. But its backers say this one is different.

"The fact that the amendment aligns with the interests of state lawmakers gives it a somewhat better chance than your average amendment," Randy Barnett, the Georgetown University law professor who wrote the proposed revision, said yesterday in a telephone interview.

OK, so let's pretend that the thing finally gets ratified and becomes the 28th Amendment. Will the foundations of government shake?

Probably not. That's the second comforting thought.

Congress would have to pass a law so widely despised that both houses of 34 state legislatures would agree to repeal it.

They can repeal, but they can't make it stick. The amendment also states the obvious: Congress can then

re-enact a repealed law by majority vote.

So, what's the point?

The point is to state yet another way that there are folks out there who believe Washington has gone too far. This we already knew.

Ann Woolner is a Bloomberg News columnist.

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A lost decade for immigration reform

Ten years ago, George W. Bush came to

Washington as the first new president in a generation or more who had deep personal convictions about immigration policy and some plans for where he wanted to go with it. He wasn't alone. Lots of people in lots of places were ready to work on the issue: Republicans, Democrats, Hispanic advocates, business leaders, even the Mexican government.

Like so much else about the past decade, things didn't go well. Immigration policy got kicked around a fair bit, but next to nothing got accomplished. Old laws and bureaucracies became increasingly dysfunctional. The public grew anxious. The debates turned repetitive, divisive and sterile.

The last gasp of the lost decade came last month when the lame-duck Congress — which struck compromises on taxes, gays in the military and arms control — deadlocked on the DREAM Act.

The debate was pure political theater. The legislation was first introduced in 2001 to legalize the most virtuous sliver of the undocumented population — young adults who were brought here as children by their parents and who were now in college or the military. It was originally designed to be the first in a sequence of measures to resolve the status of the nation's illegal immigrants, and for most of the past decade, it was often paired with a bill for agricultural workers. The logic was to start with the most worthy and economically necessary. But with the bill put forward



Robert Suro

this month as a last-minute, stand-alone measure with little chance of passage, all the debate accomplished was to give both sides a chance to excite their followers. In the age of stalemate, immigration may have a special place in the firmament.

The lost decade produced big, bold plans for social engineering. It was a 10-year quest for a grand bargain that would repair the entire system at once, through enforcement, ID cards, legalization, a temporary worker program and more. Fierce cloak-room battles were also fought over the shape and size of legal immigration. Visa categories became a venue for ideological competition between business, led by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, and elements of labor, led by the AFL-CIO, over regulation of the labor market: whether to keep it tight to boost wages or keep it loose to boost growth.

But every attempt to fix everything at once produced a political parabola effect. As legislation reached higher, its base of support narrowed. The last effort, and the biggest of them all, collapsed on the Senate floor in July 2007. Still, the idea of a grand bargain has been kept on life support by advocates of generous policies. Just last week, President Obama and Hispanic lawmakers

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renewed their vows to seek comprehensive immigration reform, even as the prospects grow bleaker. Meanwhile, the other side has its own designs, demanding total control over the border and an enforcement system with no leaks before anything else can happen.

Perhaps 10 years ago, someone like Bush might reasonably have imagined that immigration policy was a good place to resolve some fundamental social and economic issues. Since then, however, the rhetoric around the issue has become so swollen and angry that it inflames everything it touches. Keeping the battles small might increase the chance that each side will win some. But, as we learned with the DREAM Act, even taking small steps at this point will require rebooting the discourse.

Not long ago, certainly a decade ago, immigration was often described as an issue of strange bedfellows because it did not divide people neatly along parti-

san or ideological lines. That world is gone now. Instead, elements of both parties are using immigration as a wedge issue. The intended result is cleaving, not consensus. This year, many Republicans campaigned on vows, sometimes harshly stated, to crack down on illegal immigration. Meanwhile, many Democrats tried to rally Hispanic voters by demonizing restrictionists on the other side.

Immigration politics could thus become a way for both sides to feed polarization. In the short term, they can achieve their political objectives by stoking voters' anxiety with the scariest hobgoblins: illegal immigrants vs. the racists who would lock them up. Stumbling down this road would produce a decade more lost than the last.

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BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Partly to mostly cloudy, chilly. High 31.

Tonight: Partial clearing. Low 24.

Tomorrow: Dry, turning mainly sunny. High 35.

ALMANAC - BURLEY

Temperature		Precipitation	
Yesterday's High	25°	Yesterday's	0.00"
Yesterday's Low	3°	Month to Date	0.00"
Normal High / Low	33° / 16°	Avg. Month to Date	0.15"
Record High	53° in 1994	Water Year to Date	5.09"
Record Low	-22° in 1949	Avg. Water Year to Date	2.83"

IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.
Periods of sunshine in between clouds this afternoon. Temperatures will be chilly and only reaching into the 20's.

BOISE
Skies will be partly to mostly cloudy through the afternoon with a slight chance of flurries. Temperatures remaining in the 30's.

NORTHERN UTAH
Seasonable and dry conditions are likely for the rest of today and tomorrow. Expect a decent amount of sunshine, highs in the 30's.

Today Highs/Lows 20's to 30's
Today Highs 20's to 30's Tonight's Lows 20's

Today Highs/Lows 30's / 20's

Yesterday's State Extremes - High: 34 at Elk City Low: -22 at Stanley
weather key: su-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, mc-mostly cloudy, c-cloudy, th-thunderstorms, sh-showers, r-rain, sm-snow, fl-flurries, w-wind, m-missing

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Partly to mostly cloudy, chilly	Partial clearing	Intervals of sunshine, seasonable	Periods of sun	Increasing clouds, some snow showers	Chance of scattered snow showers
High 31°	Low 22°	36° / 26°	38° / 30°	34° / 26°	33° / 17°

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature		Precipitation		Humidity		Barometric Pressure		Sunrise and Sunset	
Yesterday's High	29°	Yesterday's	0.00"	Yesterday's High	80%	5 pm Yesterday	30.27 in.	Today Sunrise:	8:08 AM
Yesterday's Low	8°	Month to Date	0.00"	Yesterday's Low	63%			Thursday Sunrise:	8:08 AM
Normal High / Low	34° / 17°	Avg. Month to Date	0.17"	Today's Forecast Avg.	70%			Friday Sunrise:	8:08 AM
Record High	54° in 2003	Water Year to Date	6.40"					Saturday Sunrise:	8:07 AM
Record Low	-9° in 1972	Avg. Water Year to Date	3.23"	A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30					

Moon Phases

First	Full	Last	New
Jan. 12	Jan. 19	Jan. 26	Feb. 3

REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Friday
Boise	31 24 mc	37 27 pc	40 27 pc
Bonnars Ferry	31 24 mc	35 25 pc	38 25 pc
Burley	27 15 ls	30 16 mc	32 16 mc
Challis	27 15 ls	30 16 mc	32 16 mc
Coeur d'Alene	31 27 ls	35 29 ls	36 29 ls
Elko, NV	31 12 pc	31 17 pc	37 17 pc
Eugene, OR	45 37 mc	48 35 r	47 35 r
Gooding	27 20 mc	30 24 pc	33 24 pc
Grace	22 15 ls	28 17 pc	32 17 pc
Hagerman	31 22 mc	34 26 pc	37 26 pc
Hailey	27 19 mc	32 21 pc	35 21 pc
Idaho Falls	22 18 ls	28 20 pc	32 20 pc
Kalispell, MT	28 22 ls	33 28 ls	36 28 mx
Jerome	27 20 mc	31 25 pc	34 25 pc
Lewiston	37 34 mc	41 36 pc	42 36 r
Malad City	25 18 ls	29 19 pc	32 19 pc
Malta	26 19 mc	31 23 pc	35 23 pc
McCall	25 17 ls	28 23 ls	31 23 ls
Missoula, MT	28 24 ls	32 29 ls	38 29 r
Pocatello	27 22 mc	33 24 pc	35 24 pc
Portland, OR	44 38 r	46 38 r	46 38 r
Rupert	30 22 mc	33 25 pc	36 25 pc
Rexburg	19 15 ls	25 18 mc	30 18 pc
Richland, WA	31 31 mx	37 31 mx	38 31 mx
Rogerson	35 21 mc	36 26 pc	38 26 pc
Salmon	19 17 ls	28 18 mc	34 18 lg
Salt Lake City, UT	33 19 pc	35 22 pc	31 22 pc
Spokane, WA	32 27 ls	36 30 ls	36 30 ls
Stanley	29 16 ls	31 18 mc	33 18 ls
Sun Valley	27 16 mc	32 19 mc	32 19 mc
Yellowstone, MT	18 9 ls	25 14 fl	27 14 ls

Moonrise and Moonset

Today	Thursday	Friday
Moonrise: 8:54 AM	Moonrise: 9:23 AM	Moonrise: 9:48 AM
Moonset: 7:01 PM	Moonset: 8:04 PM	Moonset: 9:06 PM

NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Atlanta	53 36 sh	51 29 pc
Boston	40 25 pc	39 30 mc
Baltimore	38 24 pc	38 25 mx
Billings	39 26 pc	41 20 mc
Birmingham	53 37 r	52 30 su
Boston	39 20 pc	35 28 mc
Charlotte, NC	55 42 r	57 38 pc
Charleston, WV	36 25 pc	37 22 ls
Chicago	33 22 ls	25 11 mc
Cleveland	28 15 ls	30 19 ls
Denver	47 24 pc	51 26 pc
Des Moines	34 18 mc	29 10 ls
Detroit	28 25 mc	31 18 ls
El Paso	56 29 pc	60 30 pc
Fairbanks	19 0 pc	19 -6 ls
Fargo	14 2 ls	12 -5 ls
Honolulu	75 73 sh	75 73 sh
Houston	69 45 sh	65 40 pc
Indianapolis	34 23 pc	29 16 pc
Jacksonville	56 48 r	61 40 pc
Kansas City	43 24 pc	40 24 pc
Las Vegas	50 34 mc	52 36 pc
Little Rock	51 32 mc	51 33 pc
Los Angeles	66 43 su	67 46 pc
Memphis	47 31 r	47 32 pc
Miami	78 66 pc	80 57 sh
Milwaukee	31 18 ls	23 10 mc
Nashville	43 27 sh	43 28 pc
New Orleans	66 48 sh	61 41 pc
New York	37 28 pc	38 27 mc
Oklahoma City	51 26 su	53 31 su
Omaha	31 16 pc	33 14 mc

Today's U. V. Index

Low	Moderate	High
1	3	5
7	10	

WORLD FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Acapulco	83 71 th	83 69 th
Auckland	75 66 sh	74 62 sh
Bangkok	91 76 pc	89 74 pc
Beijing	27 11 pc	31 12 pc
Berlin	20 15 pc	33 31 ls
Buenos Aires	85 63 sh	84 64 pc
Cairo	68 44 sh	67 40 pc
Dhahran	74 67 pc	76 67 pc
Geneva	35 27 pc	38 36 r
Hong Kong	65 65 sh	62 59 pc
Jerusalem	63 46 pc	63 44 sh
Johannesburg	74 56 th	72 55 th
Kuwait City	73 52 pc	70 51 pc
London	42 29 r	39 28 pc
Mexico City	72 40 pc	72 40 pc
Moscow	7 3 pc	13 7 pc
Nairobi	76 51 sh	79 52 sh
Oslo	29 8 ls	30 15 ls
Paris	37 34 pc	45 44 r
Prague	18 11 pc	31 31 ls
Rio de Janeiro	83 70 sh	80 71 sh
Rome	51 44 sh	53 51 sh
Santiago	88 50 pc	87 48 sh
Seoul	17 6 pc	27 15 pc
Sydney	75 63 sh	78 65 sh
Tel Aviv	64 61 sh	63 60 sh
Tokyo	43 28 ls	40 28 pc
Vienna	24 18 ls	31 25 mx
Warsaw	24 14 pc	27 27 pc
Winnipeg	9 -10 pc	5 -4 pc
Zurich	29 15 pc	31 25 ls

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



CANADIAN FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Calgary	29 14 pc	33 12 mx
Edmonton	20 15 ls	31 27 ls
Kelowna	21 19 ls	30 19 ls
Lethbridge	28 28 pc	37 27 pc
Regina	23 14 pc	23 8 pc
Saskatoon	24 15 pc	26 10 pc
Toronto	27 19 ls	26 12 ls
Vancouver	39 38 sh	42 33 r
Victoria	47 47 r	48 39 r
Winnipeg	9 -10 pc	5 -4 pc

GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY
"It doesn't matter which side of the fence you get off on sometimes. What matters most is getting off. You cannot make progress without making decisions."
Jim Rohn

Slain Filipino official took photograph of gunman

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Philippine police investigating the New Year's Eve shooting death of a local councilman did not have to look further than the last photograph the victim took. That photo led to the arrest of two suspects.

The picture, taken outside the councilman's house in metropolitan Manila, clearly shows a man aiming his gun from behind the victim's smiling three-member family, seconds before he was shot.

The relatives — Councilman Reynaldo Dagsa's wife, daughter and mother-in-law — are seen standing beside the family's car, which has lights on, and the gunman, wearing a baseball cap, is bracing himself against the vehicle and pointing his gun at Dagsa. His face is slightly obscured by the gun.

The car was parked along an alley outside the Dagsas' house. In another corner of the photograph is a man police identified as the assassin's lookout.

Police said Tuesday that Dagsa was shot seconds after the photo was taken and died of his wounds by the time he reached a hospital. His family gave police the photo, which ran on the Philippine Daily Inquirer's front page Tuesday.

Caloocan city police chief Jude Santos said a man identified as the gunman in the picture was arrested Monday. His accomplice also was arrested in a separate raid in Manila the same day, Santos said.

He said the main suspect was a car thief who was out on bail and likely sought revenge against Dagsa for ordering his arrest last year.



AP photo

An unidentified employee of the Stefanik Observatory in Prague uses a projection shield to show the partial solar eclipse visible in the Czech capital on Tuesday.

Partial solar eclipse seen over Mideast, Europe

GENEVA (AP) — Wintry skies darkened over Switzerland on Tuesday morning, but Romanians were treated to a pinkish ethereal light and Swedes to a beautiful sunrise, as a partial solar eclipse that began over the Mideast extended across much of Europe.

In Switzerland, the pall of clouds and light snow seemed like dusk with lights twinkling in cities — time in reverse just as people streamed off trains and buses to arrive at work. The solar occurrence was at its height over Geneva, Bern and other Swiss cities in the midmorning, then the grayness at the lower altitudes began to brighten a bit.

As much as two-thirds of the sun slipped from view behind the moon, some-

thing that hasn't occurred in Switzerland since August 1999. A more minor eclipse happened in August 2008.

Some Genevois asked via Twitter how they could see the eclipse as it snowed.

Federal health officials warned people, especially children, to wear special eye protection rather than use homemade gear to see the eclipse. The Swiss government itself tweeted: "An astronomical show, but watch the eyes!"

For some the weather lent that protection. "It was covered," Delio Macchi of the Neuchatel observatory said of the effect in Swiss skies.

Clear skies over southern Romania offered a chance to glimpse a pale pink, otherworldly glow that spread over Bucharest, the capital.

Don't fancy a pint? Britain lets pubs use smaller beer glasses

LONDON (AP) — Britain is calling time on more than 300 years of history, relaxing its rules on pub glass sizes.

Pubs will soon be able to serve a smaller beer, holding about 400 milliliters — a measure popular in some parts of Australia where it is known as a schooner.

Science Minister David Willetts said Tuesday that centuries old rules governing the sale of alcohol are

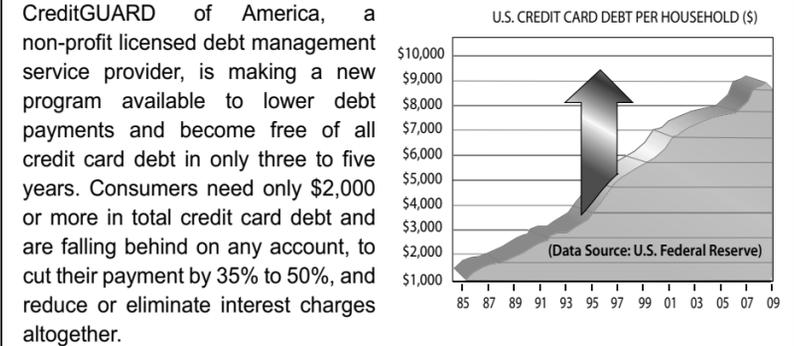
being relaxed in response to health concerns and following demands from businesses to sell sizes better suited to modern waistlines and wallets.

The British pint — a 568 milliliter pour — has been the standard size for beer or cider since it was introduced in 1698. Bars are currently permitted to serve beer only as a pint, or as a third or a half of that measure.



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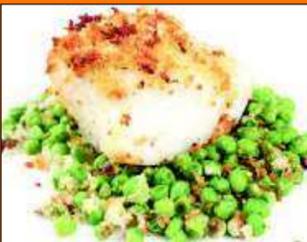
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LEARN TO LOVE YOUR KITCHEN

Times-News looks for participants for month-long challenge

Does your family use carry-out as a crutch on basketball practice nights? Are you more familiar with your favorite restaurant's menu than the contents of your freezer?

Everyone loves a good restaurant meal,

and there is nothing wrong with that. But when you forget how to turn on your stove, or only enter your kitchen to heat up left-over pizza from last night, you might have a problem.

So the *Times-News* will challenge a

Magic Valley family to go restaurant-free for one month. Want that to be your family? During the month, reporter Melissa Davlin will check in to see what you're learning and what you're struggling with, for an article to be published at the end of your trial.

This isn't a contest, and the prize for succeeding is simply the money you'll save and the time you'll spend in the kitchen together as a family.

Interested? Contact Davlin this week at 735-3234 or mdavlin@gmagicvalley.com.

DINNER PARTY DELIGHTS



Photos by KAREN BOSSICK/For the Times-News

Top: Gary and Connie Hoffman get a lot done in their tiny kitchen in a condominium overlooking Ketchum's Bigwood Golf Course. **Above:** These Smoked Salmon Cucumber Canapes are not difficult to make. They're also attractive and not terribly expensive, says Gary Hoffman.

Idaho couple brings world cuisines home

By Karen Bossick
Times-News correspondent

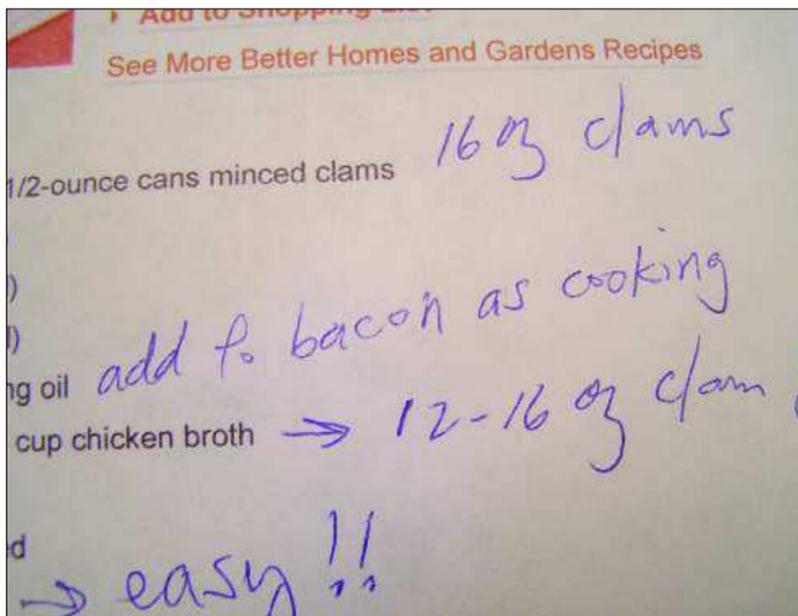
KETCHUM — You'll never find Swedish meatballs, seven-layer taco dip or other oft-used dishes at one of Gary and Connie Hoffman's dinner or cocktail parties.

The two go all out, rifling through dozens of cookbooks and searching the Internet for new and unusual dishes.

As a result, visitors to their home overlooking the Bigwood Golf Course in Ketchum can expect such things as a deep-fried artichokes recipe from Italy, Smoked Salmon Cucumber Canapes and spiral ham slices glazed with a cranberry-mandarin orange-garlic-hot sauce combination.

"If I owned a restaurant, I'd call it 'Signatures' and feature dishes from different parts of the world that no one else serves here," said Gary Hoffman. He'd aim to introduce people to dishes like zabaglione — a frothy and sweet whipped dessert made with sherry and eggs — they couldn't get otherwise.

Gary, a retired pediatrician, fell in love with cooking after taking a cooking class in Italy, where he lived for the better part of a year. He learned to share his culinary trysts with friends over the



Gary Hoffman doesn't hesitate to make frequent notations next to recipes.

dinner table there, as well.

"I learned that fresh ingredients matter a lot in Italy; Italian apartments have small kitchens and small refrigerators, so you shop that day for what you need. And you don't have much room for leftovers so you share. All food is better in the company of agreeable guests," said Gary.

As world travelers who have bicycled through Eastern Europe, taken a sailboat down the Mississippi River and volunteered on

medical missions in places like Rwanda, the Hoffmans have eaten everything from pig's ear soup in Lithuania to a chicken stew containing head and all in the Gobi Desert.

They collect cookbooks on their travels and try to make their favorite dishes — from Salzburger Nockerl, a sweet Austrian soufflé, to Chinese Peking Duck — back home.

The mere thought of a dinner party sends them to their bookshelves to thumb through "Country Italian,"

"Home-Style Cooking," "Argentine Cookery," "Culinary Austria," "Jewish Cookery" and "The Top 100 Pasta Sauces."

"My favorite cuisines are French, Chinese and Moroccan because they're associated with fresh ingredients and hours of simmering that blend foods together," said Gary. "American food, by contrast, tends to be like a Hollywood movie — it hits you over the head with a

See **DINNER**, Food 2

IN THE YEAR 2010



AP photo/ABC

Chef and TV personality Jamie Oliver, dressed as a pea pod, talks with students at Central City Elementary during the taping of his reality series, 'Jamie Oliver's Food Revolution,' in Huntington, W.Va.

Bacon became passe, artisanal got (too?) big

By J.M. Hirsch
Associated Press writer

Bow your heads, please, for 2010 saw yet another foodie term of affection jump the shark — artisanal.

Last year big business continued to follow the foodie dollar, co-opting and transforming the language of the culinary world. A few years ago they swarmed the once-crunchy cottage organic industry. Then everyone from Whole Foods to Walmart latched on to the "local" label.

When the Big Foods of the world made Frito-Lay's Tostitos from "Artisan Recipes" and Sargento shredded cheeses from "Artisan Blends" (all trademarked, of course), we know the term lost its cred.

So went the year in food. It means 2011 will see yet another search for a term that sets apart real from really industrialized food.

There's no frontrunner, but odds are good author and activist Michael Pollan (the man whose dilemma we all devoured) and chef-agronomist Dan Barber (whose Blue Hill restaurant menu we all want to devour) will have a hand in coining it.

That's no laughing matter. Or maybe it is.

Better ask another star of 2010 — Ruth Bourdain, the fictional spawn of former Gourmet magazine editor Ruth Reichl and sass-talking chef Anthony Bourdain. The freakishly androgynous, anonymously-penned mashup ruled the Twittersphere, retooling the real Reichl's lyrical tweets into raunchy, acerbic comic fodder (most of it unfit to print).

Ruth Bourdain was the name to follow and the man (or woman?) to unmask. Nobody did.

Speaking of Gourmet, 2010 saw the one-year anniversary of its demise, but its zombie lived on. Most of us — including Reichl, now a Random House editor — have moved on. Parent company Conde Nast (which pulled the trigger on it) seemed to have more trouble. They trotted out the Gourmet name on everything from a cookie cookbook to an app to "special editions" of the magazine.

Makes you wonder why they killed it in the

first place.

The Gourmet app entered a crowded marketplace. It was the year for big-name foodies to put their thumbprints on tiny screens. Everyone from Martha Stewart and Tyler Florence to Rachael Ray and Mark Bittman got in on the app game.

Meanwhile, the iPad was supposed to revolutionize cookbooks, finally bringing together the traditional contents and portability of paper with the whiz-bang features, encyclopedic depth and flexibility of video and the Internet. We're still waiting.

Not all grub-related media growth was on tiny screens. Apparently the American appetite for televised food is as insatiable as its obsession with over-the-top fast food (more on that in a minute). In the spring, the 17-year-old Food Network gave birth to another 24-7 culinary enterprise — the Cooking Channel.

On another network, Brit chef Jamie Oliver was busy trying to revolutionize the eating habits and food policies of a West Virginia town that wasn't always thrilled to have him there. Whatever the lasting difference on that community, "Jamie Oliver's Food Revolution" was eaten up by viewers, and it won an Emmy for outstanding reality program.

It was a spotlight Oliver had to share, for talk about healthing up America's eating habits was all the rage, everywhere from 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. right on down to Sesame Street.

First lady Michelle Obama continued her push to end childhood hunger and fight childhood obesity, rallying chefs (celebrity and not) to donate time to resource-strapped school lunch programs and helping to push through legislation that overhauled school lunches and funded an additional 20 million after-school meals for needy kids.

An effort to revamp the nation's food safety system — a measure with broad support that advocates have sought close to, oh, forever — got broad support after a large-scale outbreak

See **2010**, Food 2

Dinner

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big dose of sugar or spice."

The couple often hosts themed dinner parties, during which they serve up Spanish tapas and paella or Indian curries. Or they may educate their guests about how authentic Italian spaghetti Bolognese has only a small amount of tomato and never any Parmesan.

Gary claims there's no cuisine he can't or won't cook, although he's had to guess his way through poorly translated instructions. A book on Spanish tapas, for instance, kept telling readers to put dishes in the cook, rather than the oven.

"To me, cooking is just like medicine. You follow certain rules," Gary said. "To this day, I'm attached to recipes. Of course, I don't hesitate to go back after a meal and write notations — a little more that, a little less that — in the margins."

A year after a sojourn in Italy, the Hoffmans invited four friends to their house for an Italian meal in which



A cranberry-orange-garlic-and-hot sauce glaze allows Gary Hoffman to put his own signature on a ham, making it different than what guests may have eaten at someone's house last week.

Gary served up such unusual dishes as a vegetable terrine featuring layers of roasted red and yellow peppers, zucchini, eggplant, onions and raisins held together with gelatin and tomato paste.

The dinner charmed his wife of five years and wowed his guests.

"He introduced some dishes that I had never tried, even though I'm from Italy," said guest Anna Camille Grilloni, herself an accom-

plished chef. "I had to have that recipe."

"You won't find Gary serving your typical American lasagna for dinner," Connie said. "I was absolutely enthralled at that dinner. Here was little ol' me

Gary and Connie Hoffman's commandments for cooking

- Look for cookbooks from other countries that are expressly written for Americans, down to converting metric measurements into ounces.
- Pictures can be extremely helpful in showing what a finished recipe is supposed to look like.
- Don't be afraid to try something even though it sounds difficult. Gnocchi dumplings are not hard to make. And neither is spaetzle provided you have the right gadget — as do the Hoffmans, self-professed gadget gatherers.
- The Internet can be a great help in using up products in your pantry that are about to expire. Connie, for instance, recently found a tasty stew online by

- googling lentils and chicken.
- Ice cream is easy to experiment with since you can flavor it with anything from liqueurs to fresh fruit and ginger.
- Once you've decided on a recipe, it can be helpful to check cooking bibles, such as "Joy of Cooking" and "Good Housekeeping Cookbook;" for tips on preparing that recipe.
- Don't let something ruin your dinner if it doesn't turn out just right. Once Gary made a dish that tasted OK but looked nothing like its picture. "So I held up the book and told my dinner guests: 'Had this turned out properly this is what it would have looked like,'" he recalled.

— Karen Bossick

from a farm in Jerome sitting in a dining room in Ketchum listening to everyone around the table speak Italian and eat Italian dishes

I'd never known existed."

Karen Bossick may be reached at 578-2111 or kbossick@cox-internet.com.

A sampling of recipes Gary and Connie Hoffman have made for dinner parties

CARIBBEAN VEGGIE WRAPS

- 1 medium sweet potato
- 1/2 cup canned black beans, rinsed and drained
- 1/4 cup chopped red onion
- 2 tablespoons minced fresh cilantro
- 1 tablespoon lime juice
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon ground cumin
- 1 teaspoon chopped jalapeno pepper
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 22 won ton wrappers
- 1 1/2 cups salsa
- Cooking spray

Scrub and pierce sweet potato. Microwave uncovered on high for 12 to 14 minutes or until tender. Cut potato in half. Scoop out pulp, discarding shell; place pulp in small bowl and mash. Stir in beans, onion, cilantro, lime juice, salt, cumin, jalapeno and garlic. Lightly brush water over all

four edges of one won ton wrapper. (Keep remaining wrappers covered with a damp paper towel until ready to use.) Spread a tablespoon of filling along one edge of wrapper; roll up tightly. Repeat with remaining wrappers.

Place seam side down on a baking sheet coated with cooking spray. Spritz wraps with cooking spray. Bake at 375 degrees for 15 minutes until golden brown. Serve warm with salsa.

From tasteofhome.com

CHIPOTLE-SPARKED MUSTARD SALMON

- 6 (4-ounce) salmon filets
- 1/4 cup reduced fat mayonnaise
- 1/4 cup prepared horseradish
- 1/4 cup stone-ground mustard
- 1/4 teaspoon lemon-pepper seasoning
- 1 teaspoon minced chipotle pepper in adobo sauce
- 1 teaspoon snipped fresh dill

Place salmon in a foil-lined 1-by-10-by-1-inch baking pan. Combine mayonnaise, horseradish, mustard, lemon-pepper and chipotle pepper; spread over filets.

Bake at 350 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes or until fish flakes easily with a fork. Sprinkle with dill.

UMBRIAN LENTIL SOUP

- 1 pound lentils
- 1 carrot, finely chopped
- 1 stalk celery, finely chopped
- 1 small white or yellow onion, finely chopped
- 1 handful parsley, finely chopped
- Extra virgin olive oil
- Salt

Soak small, tender lentils overnight in cold water. Cover the bottom of the saucepan with olive oil. Heat it and put all vegetables but lentils and parsley in oil, stirring with wooden spoon until vegetables are golden. Add lentils and

about one quart water. Simmer until lentils are tender, adding parsley near end of cooking. Drizzle with olive oil when serving, if desired.

Optional: You can add red pepper or a sprig of fresh rosemary to the carrot, celery and onion. Or, near the end of cooking, add a generous bunch of Swiss chard chopped or torn into small pieces.

SMOKED SALMON CUCUMBER CANAPES

- 2 medium cucumbers
- 4 ounces smoked salmon, flaked
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon finely chopped onion
- 1 tablespoon capers, drained
- 1 tablespoon minced fresh parsley
- 1/2 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper

Cut cucumbers in half lengthwise; remove and discard seeds. In a small bowl combine the remaining

ingredients. Spoon into cucumber halves. Wrap in plastic wrap. Refrigerate for three to four hours or until filling is firm. Cut into 1/2-inch slices.

From Healthy Cooking magazine

ROSE ICE CREAM

- 1 pinch saffron
- 2 tablespoons warm milk
- 1 1/2 quarts vanilla ice cream, softened
- 1 1/2 tablespoons rose syrup
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cardamom
- 1/4 cup chopped pistachio nuts

Add saffron to the warm milk and set aside for 15 minutes.

Combine the softened ice cream, saffron with milk, rose syrup, cardamom and pistachios in a large bowl. Stir until the ice cream is smooth and pink in color. Scoop ice cream back into the container and freeze two hours or until ready to eat.

From Allrecipes.com

2010

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of salmonella-tainted eggs sickened as many as 1,600 people during the summer.

And down by Hooper's Store, Elmo partnered with celebrity chef Art Smith and a host of new Muppets — banana, cheese, whole-grain roll and broccoli — in an effort to teach healthy eating on a budget and pull children away from the perverse crossroads of poverty and obesity.

Might also want to keep them away from the latest fast food obsession — a caloric game of one-upmanship in creating the most over-the-top menu item. In Spring, KFC gave us the hugely popular 540-calorie Double Down — a bunless sandwich of bacon and cheese surrounded by chicken filets.

Not to be outdone, a few weeks later IHOP offered up Pancake Stackers, a crustless cheesecake filling surrounded by two buttermilk pancakes and topped with a strawberry, blueberry or cinnamon apple compote and whipped topping. Accompanied by its standard two eggs, bacon and hash browns, it packed a mere 1,250 calories.



'Sesame Street' characters Elmo and Super Grover pose with four new Muppets representing healthy food groups.

Yet both seemed eclipsed by the return of — and frenzy to nosh — McDonald's McRib. The company credited the sandwich with helping push up sales nearly 5 percent in November.

Makes sense. In 2010, pork was the meat to eat. Bacon continued to command star treatment, though by the time you can cruise online and find Star Wars spaceships constructed out of bacon, you know

its days are numbered. And despite our preoccupation with cured pig, chicken remained the leader in recipe searches on Yahoo.

Also hot was what people weren't eating — gluten. Grocers seem so over-

stocked by products clamoring to set you free from the wheat protein, it seems only a matter of time before somebody offers gluten-free gluten.

What's next? Vegans are hotter than hot. But so is

meat. We'll inhale meatballs spiked with unspeakable ingredient combinations. We read way too many books about butchers last year. Could fish mongers be the next fascinating

food worker for whom memoirists pen pseudo-sexual odes?

Perhaps. If they batter the local and organic catch of the day in artisanal gluten-free breadcrumbs.

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Learning your way around the (non-dairy) milk case

By Jim Romanoff
For The Associated Press

Grocers these days are jammed with milks made from almonds, rice, hazelnuts, cashews and — of course — soy beans. The trick to enjoying these beverages is to match the best variety with how you plan to use it.

In general, you'll get the smoothest, most dairy milk-like flavor from soy, which is low in fat. Producers have been making it — and trying to make it similar to dairy milk — for a long time. Plain varieties can have a bit of a soy flavor, which some people dislike. But this often isn't the case with flavored soy milks, such as vanilla.

Milks made from almonds, hazelnuts and cashews will have a rich flavor and thick texture, as well as a pleasantly nutty taste. Rice milks tend to be a bit thinner than soy or nut milks and have a slightly sweeter flavor.

Regardless of what they are made from, most non-dairy milks are available in a variety of flavors, including plain, vanilla and chocolate. When using these milks in baking or other sweets, vanilla is ideal, as these tend to have the creamiest flavor. But for savory recipes — such as a creamy soup — stick with plain (and, ideally, unsweetened).

This basmati-almond rice



AP photo

The rich flavor of almond milk makes this rice pudding a wonderful non-dairy side.

pudding with mango uses a vanilla flavored almond milk both for its nutty flavor and its sweetness. No additional sugar is required for the recipe.

BASMATI-ALMOND RICE PUDDING WITH MANGO

Start to finish: 50 minutes.
Servings: 8.

1 1/2 cups water
3/4 cup white basmati rice
1 teaspoon kosher salt
4 1/2 cups vanilla flavored almond milk, divided

1/4 teaspoon ground cardamom
1/2 cup chopped, dried mango
4 teaspoons cornstarch

In a medium saucepan over medium-high, combine the water, rice and salt. Bring to a boil. Cover and simmer over very low heat, stirring occasionally so the rice doesn't stick, until most of the water is absorbed, 8 to 10 minutes.

Stir in 3 1/2 cups of the almond milk, the cardamom and mango. Increase the heat to bring the mixture to a boil. Reduce to a simmer and cook, uncovered, stirring

occasionally, until the rice is very soft and most of the milk is absorbed, 25 to 30 minutes.

In a bowl, whisk together the remaining 1 cup of the almond milk and the cornstarch. Whisk the mixture into the pudding. Simmer, stirring occasionally, for another 5 minutes. Serve warm or at room temperature.

Per serving: 138 calories; 14 calories from fat (10 percent of total calories); 2 g fat (0 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 0 mg cholesterol; 29 g carbohydrate; 2 g protein; 1 g fiber; 238 mg sodium.

Pair up for simple supper preparation

Times-News

Local Dish chef consultant Mike Dougherty will teach a class titled "The Art of Cookery — Hands On" next week in Twin Falls.

It's set for 7-9 p.m. Tuesday at Rudy's — A Cook's Paradise, 147 Main Ave. W. Cost is \$100 for a couple or \$55 for an individual.

Dougherty will teach new techniques to make a simple supper: an appetizer, buttermilk oven fried chicken breast, herb mashed potatoes, local steamed greens and local blanched carrots. The class is designed for couples, but anyone is welcome. Participants will team build in the kitchen, then all dine together.

Dougherty started his cooking career at the Judith Ets culinary school. He worked in the San Francisco Bay Area as a restaurant development consultant, creating concept, menus, recipes, cost controls, training and supervision for 20 restaurants. He worked for Kaiser Permanente Medical Center to operate five hospital cafeterias in Northern California. He worked on special events and catering for The Good Table in Berkeley, Calif., and he designed food service for companies in south San Francisco. In October 2009, Dougherty and his wife moved to southern Idaho to teach the importance of using local sustainable products.

Sign up: 733-5477.

Making evaporated milk into condensed milk

By Kathleen Purvis
McClatchy Newspapers

Q: Can I make evaporated milk into sweetened condensed milk?

A: Evaporated milk and sweetened condensed milk both come in cans, but that's where the resemblance ends. Evaporated milk has had 60 percent of the water removed. In the process, the natural sugars are caramelized, giving it a darker color. It's a handy pantry staple to use in cooking and emergencies. If you dilute it with an equal amount of water, it's a substitute for fresh milk, but because it has been heat-processed, the taste isn't exactly the same. Sweetened condensed

milk is very thick and is mostly used in baking. It's much thicker and sweeter than evaporated milk, with a sugar content of 40 percent. It's basically evaporated milk with sugar added.

In a pinch, you can make sweetened condensed milk from evaporated milk. Mix 1 cup evaporated milk with 1 1/4 cups sugar. Heat until the sugar is dissolved, then cool.

For a better substitute for sweetened condensed milk, use powdered milk. Combine 1 1/3 cups instant, nonfat dry milk, 1 1/4 cups sugar, 1/2 cup boiling water and 3 tablespoons melted butter. Combine in a blender and process until smooth. Refrigerate up to 1 week.

Baked goods store and freeze well

By Susan M. Selasky
Detroit Free Press

Q: How should you store cookies? How long will they keep? What about other baked goods such as brownies, quick breads and muffins?

A: Store most cookies in an airtight container. Separate the layers of cookies with wax paper. Depending on the cookies, they will keep for about 1 to 2 weeks at room temperature. Cookies and many other baked goods freeze beautifully.

When freezing cookies, use an airtight container or well-sealed plastic freezer bag. Store each variety separately, says Nancy Baggett's "The All-American Cookie Book" (Houghton Mifflin, \$35). Baggett writes, "otherwise, the flavors of all the various types will mingle and become muddled, and the moisture in the soft, chewy cookies will cause the crisp ones to become limp."

Most cookies keep well in the freezer for several months without losing quality.

For brownies, freeze an uncut block or flash freeze, individually wrap in plastic wrap and place in a freezer

bag. To flash freeze, place individual cookies or brownies on a tray and freeze until they are solid before transferring them to freezer bags or a container.

Be sure baked goods are completely cool before storing. If you have cookies decorated with icing, make sure the icing is set and dry. You can store iced cookies in the refrigerator.

Cookie dough also can be made ahead and frozen. Wrap the dough in plastic wrap,

place in freezer bags and freeze. Thaw the dough in the refrigerator overnight.

You can also make cookie cutout shapes and flash freeze them on a tray for about 30 minutes. After they are frozen, place the cutouts in freezer containers or bags.

Quick breads and muffins keep well in the freezer for three months. Wrap the breads in quality plastic wrap or foil and place in plastic freezer bags. Flash freeze individual muffins. Once

frozen, place the muffins in a freezer bag, so you can take out just one muffin if you wish. Thaw quick breads overnight in the refrigerator. Reheat muffins and quick breads in a 350-degree oven.

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Frozen yolks need sugar or salt

McClatchy Newspapers

Q: Can you freeze egg yolks and use them later?

A: You can freeze egg yolks, but they will get gummy if you freeze them as they are. You need to beat in 1/8 teaspoon salt or 1 1/2 teaspoons sugar or corn syrup for every 4 yolks.

Decide in advance what you're going to use them for — sugar for baking or sweet dishes, salt for savorys — and make sure you label them accordingly. Then you can freeze them for up to 3 months.

Egg whites can be frozen as they are. To help measure them, put each one in a cell of a plastic ice cube tray, then pop them out when they're frozen and store them in a freezer-safe container. Thaw either yolks or whites in the refrigerator.

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A classic Italian soup done backward in a brilliant way

By J.M. Hirsch
Associated Press writer

Never one much for tradition, I wanted to see what would happen if I took a backward approach to a classic Italian soup.

Bread and tomato soup — known as pappa al pomodoro — is a wonderful way of using up stale bread and overripe tomatoes. It produces a richly savory soup that is thick and satisfying enough to make a meal of.

It typically is made by sauteing onions and garlic, then adding tomatoes and cooking. Just before serving, cubes of stale bread, chopped fresh basil and a bit of chicken broth are stirred in. My approach reversed the order, pan-frying the cubes of bread in olive oil until crisp, then adding the tomatoes.

Delicious results. The bread retained a nice chew and the tomatoes — which were cooked for far less time than they typically would be — also had a nicer texture. It was a keeper.

PAN-FRIED SOURDOUGH BREAD AND TOMATO SOUP

Start to finish: 20 minutes. Servings: 4.

- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 pound sourdough bread, cut into 1- to 2-inch cubes (about 8 cups)
- 1/4 cup white wine
- 1/2 teaspoon dried thyme
- 1/2 teaspoon dried oregano
- 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
- 28-ounce can diced tomatoes
- 1 cup chicken broth
- 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- Salt and ground black pepper, to taste
- Balsamic vinegar, to taste

In a large saucepan over medium-high, heat the olive oil. Add the bread and toast, stirring frequently, for 5 minutes. The bread will quickly absorb the oil. Keep the bread moving in the pan so it toasts, but



AP photo

By pan-frying the bread cubes first, this recipe results in a unique taste twist from the more traditional Italian soup.

doesn't burn.

Add the wine, then continue toasting the bread for another 5 minutes. Add the thyme, oregano and garlic powder, then cook for another 2 minutes.

Add the tomatoes and chicken broth, then mix well but gently. Continue cooking until heated through, then stir in the cheese. When the cheese is melted into the soup, season with salt, pepper and a splash of balsamic vinegar.

Per serving: 503 calories; 163 calories from fat (32 percent of total calories); 18 g fat (3 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 10 mg cholesterol; 59 g carbohydrate; 18 g protein; 7 g fiber; 1,585 mg sodium.

Cod with peas in 25 minutes

By Bonnie S. Benwick
The Washington Post

You have to hand it to Rozanne Gold, who has produced another winner of a practical cookbook in her new "Radically Simple." This recipe caught my eye because it combines everyday ingredients in a new way.

Use peas straight from the freezer. They provide moisture as the thick pieces of cod roast at a high temperature. If you can't find cod and use another white-fleshed fish that is not as thick, reduce the cooking time as needed, roasting just until the fish is opaque and begins to flake when touched with tines of a fork.

Serve with small boiled potatoes, lightly smashed. Adapted from Gold's "Radically Simple" (Rodale, 2010).

CRUNCHY CRUMBED COD WITH FROZEN PEAS

4 servings

- 4 scallions
- 1 large clove garlic
- Kosher salt
- 6 to 8 sprigs thyme or 12 chive stems
- 10 ounces frozen peas (not defrosted)
- 1/4 cup olive oil (may sub-



DEB LINDSEY/For The Washington Post

stitute a blend of 2 tablespoons olive oil, 2 tablespoons lemon-flavored olive oil)

Freshly ground black pepper

3/4 cup panko (Japanese-style) bread crumbs

Four 6-ounce thick cod filets (may substitute other firm, white-fleshed fish)

Preheat the oven to 475 degrees. Line a rimmed baking sheet with aluminum foil.

Trim the scallions, then finely chop the white and light-green parts. Mince the garlic with a little kosher salt to help break it down into a pulp (or use a garlic press). Gather 2 tablespoons of leaves from the thyme sprigs, or finely chop about 12 chive stems.

Combine the scallions and thyme or chives in a medium bowl, then add the frozen peas, 2 tablespoons of the oil

and a generous sprinkling of salt and pepper. Mix well, then spread in the center of the baking sheet, making a swath just large enough to act as a bed for the filets.

Combine the garlic, panko and the remaining 2 tablespoons of oil in a separate medium bowl; toss to evenly coat the bread crumbs. Top the filets with all of the panko mixture, pressing down firmly. Place the filets on top of the pea mixture in 1 layer.

Roast for 12 minutes or until the topping is golden and the fish is just cooked through (begins to flake when touched with a fork).

Serve the fish hot, atop the peas.

Per serving: 360 calories, 35 g protein, 19 g carbohydrates, 15 g fat, 2 g saturated fat, 75 mg cholesterol, 260 mg sodium, 4 g dietary fiber, 4 g sugar.

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Fred Hodges removes plastic coverings from multiple sleighs Tuesday afternoon at Gary Snow's residence near Buhl. Hodges is a partner in Snow's Carriage and Sleigh Works.

Serving a niche, a century in the making

By Blair Koch
Times-News writer

BUHL — Snow's Carriage and Sleigh works may be based in Buhl but the business's market reaches across the nation.

Locally, not too many people can afford to throw \$1,500 for a turn-of-the-century horse-drawn buggy or sleigh. Prices can easily top \$10,000.

That doesn't stop business partners Gary Snow and Fred Hodges from investing time and money to refurbish old-time transportation for a small but passionate market of collectors and enthusiasts.

On Tuesday, the pair were doing finish work on their biggest project to date: a horse-drawn street car with room for 12 passengers.

So far, four potential buyers have expressed interest in the \$15,000 car, featuring original John Deere running gear, a set of "60- or 70-year-old" folding, padded chairs salvaged from a church and originally used in a theater, cherry wood floor and fabric canopy.

"This is completely my design," said Snow.

Their website, www.snowscarriage-works.com, helps connect the company easily to their core market.

"This type of thing, most people from our agriculturally-based economy and community just can't afford," said Snow, who began his career restoring antiques but fell in love

restoring horse-drawn vehicles about 30 years ago. "A lot of what we do is sold to museums or to high-end collectors."

Instead of manufacturing replicas and using current tools and technology for their products, the company adheres to "the old-ways."

Hodges specializes in refurbishing Studebaker vehicles; Snow's specialty is John Deere, and no work from those brands leave the shop unless at least 70 percent of the vehicle is original, even down to the slotted screws and square nuts.

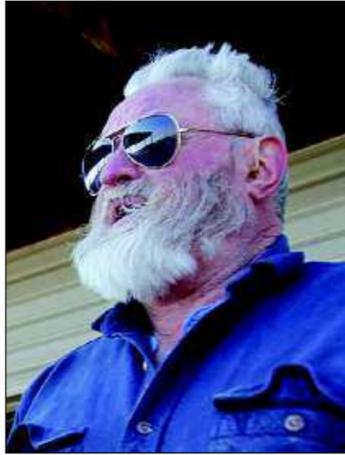
Although the upholstery is new, the style mirrors the period of a particular sleigh or buggy.

"Young people ... want instant gratification, they want it now but it took three months to build one doctor buggy, commercially, some hundred years ago. The paint alone took a month to dry," Snow said. "So we try to stick with the way things were done instead of using a lot of the tools and materials available today."

Although Snow has commercially produced vehicles for decades, his partnership with Hodges is just a few years old.

When Hodges, 68, was working on his first Studebaker restoration he was pointed in Snow's direction. The two quickly formed a friendship and have been working together ever since.

After the partnership was formed they decided to restore and rent several



Snow talks about the horse drawn street car he and Hodges, as Snow's Carriage and Sleigh Works, are building.

century-old sleighs. Those vehicles sit in Snow's shop a lot more than they want.

"The original idea was to rent them for parties, weddings, pictures with Santa Claus and such, but that hasn't gone over well," Hodges said. "We'd love to use them more!"

The price of the vehicles is driven by several factors: the cost of materials, collector value and labor.

Hundreds of hours can easily be spent on each project.

"It's nice to do something you like and be able to draw a paycheck," Hodges said.

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Eagle heads adorn one of multiple sleighs at Snow's residence near Buhl.

Group seeks to end horse racing deal in Ada Co.

BOISE (AP) — The future of horse racing in southwest Idaho has been dealt another setback.

Idaho Entertainment LLC told Ada County officials on Friday it wanted to terminate its lease agreement to operate horse racing events at the county's Expo Idaho grounds.

Company officials said they wanted to opt out of the lease after failing to reach an agreement with the Idaho Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, a nonprofit group that represents race horse owners and trainers, and is appointed as the horsemen's representative by state racing officials.

"It's extremely disappointing that these two parties did not reach agreement," Ada County Commission Chairman Rick Yzaguirre said. "We had high hopes that horse racing would have returned to Ada County by now. Unfortunately, it appears its return will again be delayed."

The last time horses ran at the track was 2008.

Kenneth Elison, president of the owners and trainers group, said talks over the last 18 months

with Idaho Entertainment broke down over the number of live racing days and how to share proceeds from live and simulcast racing.

"That's the best news we've had in three years," Elison said.

Still, he said racing can play a vital role in the region's economy, and he estimated races inject up to \$40 million every summer with business for feed stores, veterinarians, gas stations, motels and restaurants.

"Everybody has been hurt by this track not being open," he said.

The county awarded the lease to Idaho Entertainment in 2009. But without a deal with the owner and trainers group, Idaho Entertainment could not get a racing license from the Idaho State Racing Commission.

County officials remain hopeful they can get new parties involved and bring horse racing back to the region.

"We remain optimistic that we will see the return of horse racing to Ada County in the near future and will continue to work toward that end," commissioner Sharon Ullman said.

New computer chips help PCs compete with tablets

By Jordan Robertson
Associated Press writer

LAS VEGAS — Semiconductor companies are whipping up a new generation of chips to bring richer video and better battery life to personal computers and help them hold off threats from tablets and increasingly powerful smart phones.

Intel Corp. and Advanced Micro Devices Inc., whose processors are the "brains" of PCs, are unveiling significant changes to their chips' designs at this week's International Consumer Electronics Show in Las Vegas.

Tablet computers and other gadgets have taken on many of the tasks once performed by PCs, and there are already signs that



AP photo Intel CEO Paul Otellini gives the keynote address at a Sept. 13, conference in San Francisco.

Intel Corp. and Advanced Micro those devices — led by Apple Inc.'s iPad — are eating away at PC sales.

See **CHIPS**, Business 2

Factory orders unexpectedly climb in November

By Timothy R. Homan
Bloomberg News

WASHINGTON — Factory orders unexpectedly rose in November, led by gains in demand for capital equipment that signal business investment and exports will keep contributing to economic growth.

The 0.7 percent increase in bookings compares with a 0.1 percent drop median forecast of economists surveyed by Bloomberg News and follows a 0.7 percent

decrease in October that was smaller than previously estimated, figures from the Commerce Department showed Tuesday in Washington. Orders for capital goods like computers climbed 2.6 percent.

Corporate spending remains a source of strength for the economy, giving household purchases time to rebound from the worst recession since the 1930s. Manufacturing has been resilient throughout

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Surge in bankruptcies shows signs of slowing

By Mike Baker
Associated Press writer

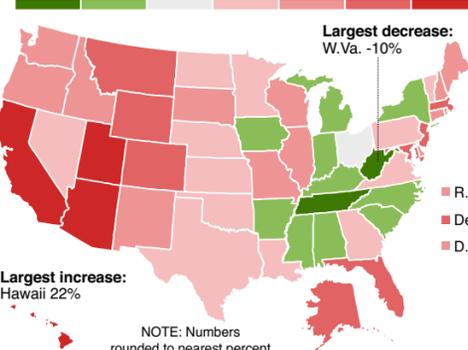
RALEIGH, N.C. — The growth in bankruptcies around the country slowed significantly in 2010 from its breakneck pace in recent years, with about a dozen states recording a decline in filings from consumers and businesses, according to an Associated Press tally Tuesday.

Filings collected from the nation's 90 bankruptcy districts showed 113,000 bankruptcies in December, down 3 percent nationwide from the same month a year ago. That followed a similar year-over-year decline for the month of October. It had been four years since an individual month showed

Bankruptcies rise in most states

There were 1.55 million bankruptcy filings in 2010, an 8 percent increase over 2009. That is a much smaller rise than in recent years.

Percentage increase in bankruptcies in 2010 over 2009



NOTE: Numbers rounded to nearest percent

SOURCE: Public Access to Court Electronic Records

such an improvement.

In total, the nation recorded 1.55 million filings in

2010, an increase of 8 percent from 2009 and a far

slower growth rate than the

32 percent jump recorded in the year before and the 33 percent jump the year before that.

At the law firm Mayer & Newton in Knoxville, Tenn., staff members continue to work six days a week to handle the massive bankruptcy caseload. But filings there have leveled off, and partner John Newton said the firm decided it did not need to replace an attorney that left about a year ago.

He said the economy in Tennessee, while still challenging, appears to be more stable than other parts of the country. And he said many of the people who need relief from their debts have

See **BANKRUPTCIES**, Business 2

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	22.64	▲ .04	Dell	13.69	—	Idacorp	37.32	▼ .07	Int. Bancorp	1.49	▲ .01
Lithia Mo.	14.25	▼ .57	McDonald's	74.31	▼ 2.29	Micron	8.44	▲ .16	Supervalu	9.00	▼ .61

COMMODITIES

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Live cattle	106.17	▼ .80	Feb. Oil	89.38	▼ 2.17
Jan. Gold	1,378.50	▼ 44.10	Jan. Silver	29.49	▼ 1.60

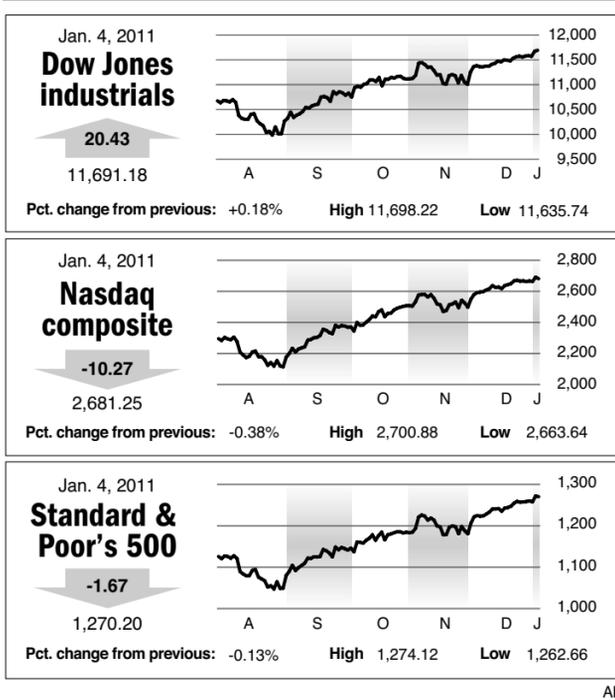
MARKET SUMMARY

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			
CapTr pf	2.35	+84	+55.6	ChinaShen	254714	9.80	+1.50	SiriusXM	775369	1.67	-0.2
CapTr12 pf	2.29	+78	+51.7	RadiantPh	147503	1.67	+3.8	Intel	686155	21.15	+3.0
MotrilMo n	33.12	+2.88	+9.5	AvalRare n	131154	7.30	-5.3	Microsoft	533476	28.09	+1.1
Pharmacia	12.82	+1.08	+9.2	RareEle g	131057	16.22	-9.4	XOMA rs	449554	7.30	+2.01
OtmDSS	4.24	+3.5	+9.0	NovaGld g	107274	13.42	-6.8	MicronT	429348	8.44	+1.7

GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)			GAINERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
ChinaShen	9.80	+1.50	+18.1	PacOffPT	3.15	-6.3	-16.7	GranCty rs	4.00	+1.15	+40.4
UQOM Tech	2.66	+3.4	+14.7	PhrmAth	3.71	-5.6	-13.1	XOMA rs	7.30	+2.01	+37.8
GblScape	2.35	+2.5	+11.9	HMG	5.44	-5.5	-9.1	ChiCera un	18.18	+4.18	+29.9
UnivPwr	4.17	+3.8	+10.0	Barro g	3.77	-3.5	-8.5	Atheros	44.00	+6.98	+18.9
WstmInd pf	34.25	+2.75	+8.7	MincoG g	2.58	-2.1	-7.5	RespGene	2.80	+4.3	+18.1

LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)			LOSERS (\$2 OR MORE)					
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg			
Goldop wt	3.57	-4.2	-10.5	PacOffPT	3.15	-6.3	-16.7	Zion wt12-12	2.26	-6.4	-22.1
Darling	12.09	-1.21	-9.1	PhrmAth	3.71	-5.6	-13.1	interClob	4.66	-6.6	-12.4
RealD n	23.61	-2.20	-8.5	HMG	5.44	-5.5	-9.1	SptChalB	3.55	-5.0	-12.3
FMajSilv g	14.35	-1.25	-8.0	Barro g	3.77	-3.5	-8.5	HomeBcsh	20.23	-2.74	-11.9
MS SP2011	10.66	-0.92	-7.9	MincoG g	2.58	-2.1	-7.5	AmRailcar	20.02	-2.52	-11.2

DIARY			DIARY			DIARY		
Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg	Name	Last Chg	%Chg
Advanced	1,107		Advanced	184		Advanced	851	
Declined	1,931		Declined	292		Declined	1,803	
Unchanged	91		Unchanged	38		Unchanged	108	
Total issues	3,129		Total issues	514		Total issues	2,762	
New Highs	198		New Highs	20		New Highs	142	
New Lows	9		New Lows	6		New Lows	3	
Volume	4,852,755,643		Volume	257,589,728		Volume	1,977,489,512	



The Dow rose 20.43 points, or 0.2 percent, to end the day at 11,691.18. The broader S&P 500 index dipped 1.69 points, or 0.1 percent, to close at 1,270.20. The Nasdaq lost 10.27 points, or 0.4 percent, to 2,681.25.

Grocery store chains Supervalu Inc., Safeway Inc., and Whole Foods Market Inc. each fell more than 3 percent after a round of analyst downgrades.

Alcoa Inc. jumped 4.6 percent to \$16.52 to lead the 30 stocks that make up the Dow. McDonald's Corp. had the largest fall, losing 3 percent to \$74.31.

Treasury prices were mixed after the Fed minutes were released. The yield on the 10-year Treasury note, which moves opposite its price, edged down to 3.33 percent from 3.34 percent late Monday.

Nearly two stocks fell for every one that rose on the New York Stock Exchange. Consolidated trading volume was 4.9 billion shares.

INDEXES

11,711.47	9,614.32	Dow Jones Industrials	11,691.18	+20.43	+18	+98	+10.59
5,219.80	3,742.01	Dow Jones Transportation	5,139.00	-35.93	-69	+63	+23.16
413.75	346.95	Dow Jones Utilities	408.52	+1.94	+48	+87	+3.33
8,071.43	6,355.83	NYSE Composite	8,022.18	-21.79	-27	+73	+9.07
2,222.15	1,689.19	AMEX Index	2,198.58	-19.04	-86	-44	+18.21
2,704.86	2,061.14	Nasdaq Composite	2,681.25	-10.27	-38	+1.07	+16.14
1,276.17	1,010.91	S&P 500	1,270.20	-1.67	-13	+1.00	+11.76
13,567.21	10,596.20	Wilshire 5000	13,474.58	-44.66	-33	+8.6	+14.38
800.94	580.49	Russell 2000	785.83	-12.73	-1.59	+28	+23.08

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AlliantEgy	1.58	14	37.30	+1.5	+1.4	Kaman	.56	23	28.28	-1.12	-2.7
AlliantTch	.80	8	74.74	+5.8	+4	Keycorp	.04	...	8.96	-1.0	+1.2
AmCasino	.42	...	15.50	-0.2	-8	LeeEnt	...	4	2.45	-0.1	-4
Aon Corp	...	18	44.99	-5.3	-2.2	MicronT	...	5	8.44	+1.7	+5.2
BallardPw	.60	...	1.58	+0.4	+5.3	OfficeMax	...	25	18.18	-3.6	+2.7
BkofAm	.04	21	14.24	+0.5	+6.7	RockTen	.80	10	55.35	-1.33	+2.6
ConAgr	.92	15	22.64	+0.4	+3	Sensint	.80	17	36.72	-4.7	...
Costco	.82	25	72.33	-1.4	-2	SkyWest	.16	12	16.00	+0.4	+2.4
Diebold	1.08	18	31.75	-6.9	-9	Teradyn	...	9	13.71
DukeEngy	.98	12	17.95	+0.9	+8	Tuppwr	1.20f	14	48.98	+5.7	+2.7
DukeRlty	.68	...	12.57	-1.7	-3	US Bancrp	.20	17	26.76	-1.8	-8
Fastenal	.84f	36	59.82	-1.03	-2	Valhi	.40	...	21.12	+1.7	-4.5
Heinz	1.80	17	49.30	-3.2	-3	WallMart	1.21	14	54.77	+2.1	+1.6
HewlettP	.32	11	43.63	+8.9	+3.6	WashFed	.24f	16	16.69	-2.1	-1.4
HomeDp	.95	19	34.67	-6.4	-1.1	WellsFargo	.20	12	31.65	+0.7	+2.1
Idacorp	1.20	15	37.32	-0.7	+9	ZionBcp	.04	...	24.76	-4.1	+2.2

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. Uv 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. wx – Without warrants.

Dividend Footnotes: a – Also extra or extras. b – Annual rate plus stock dividend. c – Liquidating dividend. e – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos. f – Annual rate, increased on last declaration. i – Declared or paid after stock dividend or split. j – Paid this year, dividend omitted, deferred or no action taken at last meeting. k – Declared or paid this year, accumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m – Annual rate, reduced on last declaration. p – Init div, annual rate unknown. r – Declared or paid in preceding 12 mos plus stock dividend. t – Paid in stock in last 12 mos, estimated cash value on ex-dividend or distribution date. x – Ex-dividend or ex-rights. y – Ex-dividend and sales in full. z – Sales in full. vv – In bankruptcy or receivership or being reorganized under the Bankruptcy Act, or securities assumed by such companies.

* Most active stocks above must be worth \$1 and gainers/losers \$2.

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

Source: The Associated Press. Sales figures are unofficial.

COMMODITIES REPORT

CLOSING FUTURES

Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Feb	Live cattle	106.73	106.00	106.18	-.80
Apr	Live cattle	110.53	109.95	110.28	-.68
Jan	Feeder cattle	121.23	120.75	121.00	-.25
Mar	Feeder cattle	124.60	122.38	122.40	-.63
Apr	Feeder cattle	123.00	123.28	123.40	-.38
Feb	Lean hogs	77.83	77.25	77.30	-.68
Apr	Lean hogs	82.40	81.75	81.88	-.66
Mar	Wheat	803.00	788.00	789.25	-16.25
May	Wheat	816.50	816.50	816.25	-14.25
Mar	KC Wheat	862.00	845.00	849.25	-13.75
May	KC Wheat	871.00	854.50	858.25	-13.50
Mar	MPS Wheat	890.00	873.00	876.25	-12.75
May	MPS Wheat	897.00	881.25	884.25	-12.75
Mar	Corn	617.00	604.00	608.50	-12.00
May	Corn	624.00	612.50	616.75	-11.75
Jan	Soybeans	1365.00	1355.00	1361.00	9.25
Mar	Soybeans	1377.50	1358.00	1369.50	9.50
Jan	BFP Milk	13.21	13.15	13.20	+0.01
Feb	BFP Milk	13.79	13.61	13.67	+0.02
Mar	BFP Milk	14.15	14.00	14.06	-.02
Apr	BFP Milk	14.65	14.56	14.59	-.01
May	BFP Milk	14.90	14.75	14.78	-.01
Mar	Sugar	33.45	30.35	31.00	-1.12
May	Sugar	30.25	27.59	28.30	-1.02
Mar	B-Pound	1.5638	1.5447	1.5580	+0.0097
Jun	B-Pound	1.5609	1.5454	1.5573	+0.0105
Mar	J-Yen	1.2263	1.2163	1.2205	-0.0055
Jun	J-Yen	1.2261	1.2189	1.2220	-0.0055
Mar	Euro-currency	1.3431	1.3287	1.3301	-0.0061
Jun	Euro-currency	1.3421	1.3282	1.3285	-0.0071
Mar	Canada dollar	1.0068	.9950	.9998	-.0069
Jun	Canada dollar	1.0026	.9930	.9971	-0.0071
Mar	U.S. Dollar	79.78	79.12	79.70	+0.31
Feb	Comex gold	1417.8	1375.0	1381.1	-41.8
Apr	Comex gold	1419.7	1377.3	1383.3	-41.8
Mar	Comex silver	30.89	29.33	29.82	-1.31
May	Comex silver	30.91	29.44	29.87	-1.31
Mar	Treasury bond	122.1	121.3	121.2	+0.2
Jun	Treasury bond	xxx	xxx	119.3	xx
Mar	Coffee	240.50	232.00	233.25	-7.25
May	Coffee	241.95	233.75	234.70	-7.10
Mar	Cocoa	2036	1950	1962	-65
May	Cocoa	2042	1962	1975	-54
Mar	Cotton	145.00	139.80	143.78	+1.58
May	Cotton	138.97	134.50	137.89	+1.59
Feb	Crude oil	92.58	88.36	89.27	-2.28
Feb	Unleaded gas	2.4450	2.3747	2.4097	-0.176
Feb	Heating oil	2.5723	2.4835	2.5072	-0.0456
Mar	Natural gas	4.668	4.527	4.573	-0.41

without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers.

Pintos, no quote, new crop great northrens, no quote; pinks, no quote, new crop; small reds, no quote, new crop. Prices are given by Rangens in Buht. Prices current Dec. 29.

Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture: Pintos, \$22-\$24; pinks, Ltd. \$24-\$25; small reds, Ltd. \$26-\$30; garbanzos, Ltd. \$31-\$32. Quotes current Dec. 29.

GRAINS

Valley Grains
Prices for wheat per bushel, ask: mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice.

Soft white wheat, ask: barley, \$8.90; oats, \$7.50; corn, \$11.25 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangens in Buht. Prices current Dec. 29.

Barley, \$9.90 (cwt); corn, \$11.43 (cwt). Prices quoted by JD Heiskell. Prices current Dec. 29.

Intermountain Grain
POCATELLO (AP) – Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain Report for Tuesday, Jan. 4.

POCATELLO – White wheat 6.55 (up 30); 11.5 percent winter 6.79 (down 14); 14 percent spring 8.68 (down 13); barley 8.85 (steady) BURLEY – White wheat 6.50 (steady); 11.5 percent winter 6.89 (down 14); 14 percent spring 8.66 (down 13); barley 9.00 (steady) OGDEN – White wheat 6.70 (down 5); 11.5 percent winter 7.16 (down 10); 14 percent spring 8.60 (down 12); barley 8.60 (steady) PORTLAND – White wheat 7.65 (steady); 11 percent winter 7.89; 8.19 (down 14); 14 percent spring 10.26, corn 246.00-247.25 (down 4.25) NAMPA – White wheat cwt 10.85 (down 7); bushel 6.51 (down 4)

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Barrels: \$1,340.00, nc. Blocks: \$1,342.5, nc

POTATOES

CHICAGO (AP) – USDA – Major potato markets FOB shipping points Monday.

Russet Burbanks Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count 14.00-15.00; 100 count 8.00-8.50.

Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 5.50-6.00.

Russet Norkotahs Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count 12.50-13.50; 100 count 8.00-8.50.

Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 5.00-6.00.

Russets Norkotahs Wisconsin 50-lb cartons 12.00-13.00; 100 count 9.00-10.00.

Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 8.25-8.75.

Russet Norkotahs Washington 50-lb cartons 70 count 12.00-13.00; 100 count 8.00.

Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 6.00.

Round Reds Wisconsin 50-lb sacks Size A Wisconsin 10.00; 50-lb

BEANS

Valley Beans
Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change

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Orders

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the recovery as factories are seeing demand improve, showing growth will continue in 2011.

“The manufacturing sector has maintained its strong momentum,” said Zach Pandl, an economist at Nomura Securities International Inc. in New York. “It continues to be one of the brighter spots in the economy.”

The median forecast was based on a survey of 53 economists. Estimates ranged from a drop of 0.7 percent to a

1.1 percent increase.

Manufacturing, which accounts for 11 percent of the economy, expanded in December at the fastest pace in seven months, a report from the Institute for Supply Management showed Monday.

Orders for durable goods, which make up over half of total factory demand, fell 0.3 percent, less than the 1.3 percent decrease estimated by the government Dec. 23, Tuesday's report

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Baby Blues

By Rick Kirkman & Jerry Scott



Beetle Bailey

By Mort Walker



Blondie

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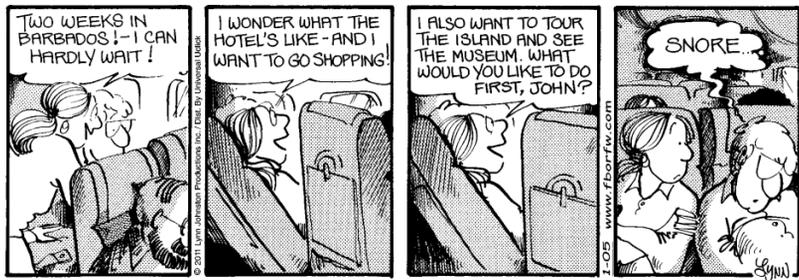
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For Better or For Worse

By Lynn Johnston



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By Bob Thaves



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By Jim Davis



Hagar the Horrible

By Chris Browne



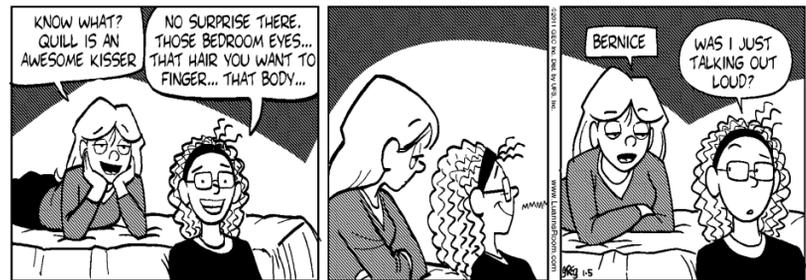
Hi and Lois

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By Greg Evans



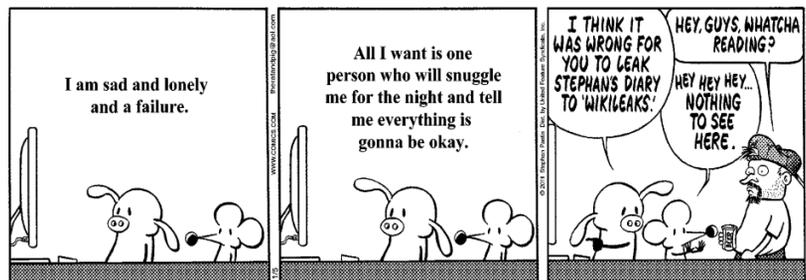
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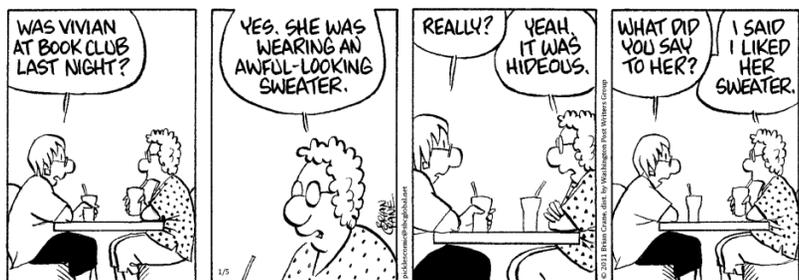
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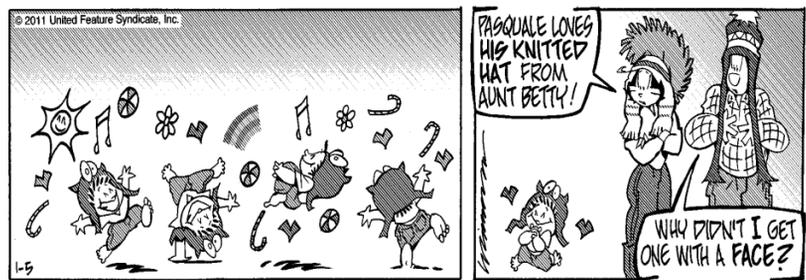
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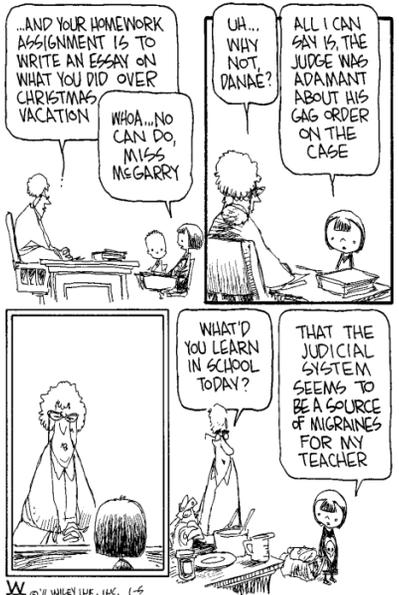
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By Pat Brady



Non Sequitur

By Wiley



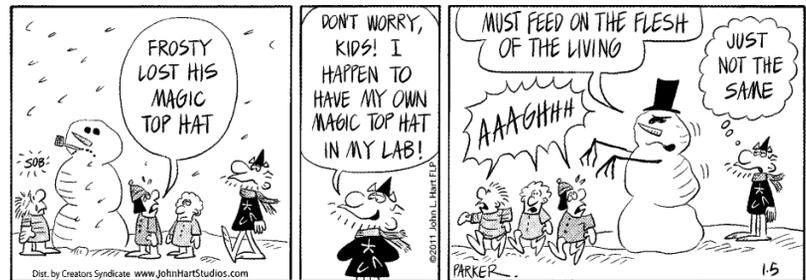
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By Hank Ketcham



The Wizard of Id

By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart



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“I’m sorry, your stomach is mistaken. It’s not time for a snack.”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

101 Lost and Found

FOUND (2) Shih Tzu male dogs. Brown & tan color. 1 wearing green coat & black collar with white skulls. Found in Burley on Overland. Call 208-678-4628 or 208-431-1642 or 208-431-7284.

FOUND 2 Dogs at Exit 194 by I-84. Black Lab and another black dog. Call 208-539-4661.

FOUND Beagle mix, 1 yr old male, Jan. 2nd south of Kimberly, Pleasant Valley Golf Course. 423-6007

FOUND Collie mix in the Burley area. Male, black, wearing red collar. Call 208-431-1222.

We're here to help. Call 733-0931 to place your ad in Classifieds today.

FOUND Dog, female, north of Declo, all black possible Lab cross. Call 208-654-2338

FOUND Scottish Terrier black/brown Jan 1st near the new Burley High School area. Call 678-2709 to claim

LOST Diamond stud earring. Possibly at the Christmas lights in the South hills on Christmas Eve. Reward!! 208-733-7339

LOST Maine Coon Cat on Carriage Ln 12/27. Large grey & white long haired male. Indoor family pet of 8 yrs. Please call 358-3468 if found.

LOST Min Pin, female, blue/gray, Twin Falls on Fri 12/24. Answers to Peanut. Reward. 308-2600.

107 Pregnancy Alternatives

Pregnant? Worried? Free Pregnancy Tests Confidential 208-734-7472

108 Professional Services

Bankruptcy & Debt Counseling Free 1/2 hr consultation. Competitive Rates. We are a debt relief agency. We help people file for bankruptcy relief under the bankruptcy code. May, Browning & May 208-733-7180

NEED BANKRUPTCY?

Experience, accuracy & dependability COSTS LESS, not more. We are a debt relief agency helping people file for bankruptcy relief. Free attorney consultation. **Bradley E. Rice Attorney at Law 208-734-3367 barristr@prmt.org**

0113 Child Care Services

Jamie's Child Care FT Openings. Home Environment. Pre-School Activities. Meals, Snacks, ICCP, 1st Aid, & CPR. 208-733-5968

115 Community Events

CPR CLASSES CPR, CPR First Aide, Healthcare provider. Businesses or individual. **Upcoming classes:** **Healthcare Provider** Dec 28th 2pm-5pm **CPR First Aide** Jan 8th 9am-2pm. Class sizes limited must sign up. Contact Angie at 731-3172

200 Work Wanted

HIRE STUDENTS TO WORK FOR YOU! Our Dependable, Honest, Diligent, Friendly Students are available to work for you after school & weekends. **Magic Valley High School Contact David Brown Cell 293-2062 School 733-8823**

PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE

Federal Employment information is free. Remember, no one can promise you a federal job. For free information about federal jobs. Call Career America Connection 478-757-3000

204 Drivers

DRIVER Opportunity for **Long Haul Truck Drivers** seeking permanent employment with established growing company. Class A CDL & 2 yrs exp mandatory. 208-734-9062 Mon-Fri

DRIVER School Bus Drivers Wanted **Western States Bus** Call 208-733-8003

DRIVERS J&W AgriCorp is looking for Idaho **Drivers**, part time & full time positions, year round, local & interstate hauling. Benefits & competitive pay. Requirements: Must be at least 21 yrs of age; 2 yrs truck driving experience; clean, valid, class A C.D.L.; medical card; and be able to work flexible hours. Apply in person at 2352 E 990 S Hazelton, ID off of exit 194. For more info call 208-829-5316.

205 Education

EDUCATION **RN Instructor** position for spring semester starts immediately. Apply to www.csi.edu/jobs. EOE

206 Farm

CLASSIFIEDS It pays to read the fine print! Call the Times-News to place your ad 1-800-658-3883 ext. 2

FARM Cattle/Farming Operation seeking experienced, responsible, self starter. FT, year round. Cattle knowledge & good driving record a must. Not a Buckaroo or Foreman position. House incl. Send resume to: P.O. Box 795, Twin Falls

207 General

GENERAL **Equipment Cleaning Tech** Norco, Inc is seeking a person to work 20-25 hours/week cleaning and maintaining home-medical equipment. No experience necessary, we are willing train. Experience working on mechanical or electronic equipment is a plus. Occasional heavy lifting involved. Possibility of future fulltime employment. Applicants seeking opportunity with fast-growing, established regional company may fill out application and take pre-employment screening test at: **NORCO, 198 N Overland Rd, Burley, ID 83318. EEO/AA.**

GENERAL

Now Hiring! **PLANT MANAGER - Local food processor LOGISTIC SPECIALIST - Gooding BOOKEEPER MECHANIC - HEAVY EQUIP. CDL-A** For details and to apply: www.personnelinc.com

GENERAL Very fast pace dental practice looking for **Exp'd Receptionist & Exp'd Dental Assistant**. Must have bubbly personality & great people skills. Bring resume to: **1411 Falls Ave. E. Suite1000 C, Twin Falls.** No calls or mailed in resumes please.

208 Hospitality

Classified Private Party Ads Requires pre-payment prior to publication. Major credit/debit cards, and cash accepted. 733-0931 ext. 2 Times-News

209 Human Resources

GENERAL Hiring **Direct Care Staff** to work with DD adults, starting at \$7.25/hour. Driver License required. Call 208-734-4344 ext. 104

210 Management

WATER MANAGEMENT Big Wood Canal Company and American Falls Reservoir District No. 2 are seeking a qualified applicant for the position of **Water master**. Position requires public relations skill, computer and supervisory experience. Benefits include insurance, vacation & retirement. Salary \$30,000 plus D.O.E. Must be willing to relocate to the Shoshone area. Contact **Big Wood Canal Co. at 409 N. Apple St. Shoshone, ID 83352** or Call 208-886-2331 for a complete application packet. **Applications close Jan 19, 2011.**

211 Medical

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211 Medical

MEDICAL Are you responsible, caring & like being relied upon? To be paid to socialize, cook, clean & help the elderly & disabled remain at home. Call 293-2775 Gooding & Jerome area.

MEDICAL Front and back office position for **CMA or LPN** in a multi-physician office. Immediate opening. Fax or email resume to 208-324-3406 or iddoctors@hotmail.com

MEDICAL Growing Hospice needs a FT can can and a PT **CNA PRN**. Patient care must be your 1st priority. Hospice exp. pref'd. 208-219-1097

MEDICAL

St. Benedicts Family Medical Center is hiring for: **RN OR Lead (FT)** For a complete listing of our jobs and application procedures please visit www.stbenshospital.com 709 Lincoln Ave. Jerome, ID 83338 EOE

212 Government

GOVERNMENT The City of Twin Falls is now hiring for the position of **PUBLIC WORKS OPERATOR - STREETS**. Apply immediately, the job description and employment application is available at www.tfid.org. For additional information contact the Human Resource Office at (208) 735-7268. **The position closes January 19.** The City of Twin Falls is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Drug Free Workplace.

Times-News Classifieds 208-733-0931 ext. 2

215 Professional

PROFESSIONAL **Business consultant** for Idaho Small Business Development Center. EOE Apply to www.csi.edu/jobs.

217 Skilled

CONSTRUCTION Cannon Builders is hiring exp. **Concrete Form Setters**. 5 yrs. min. exp. req. Wage \$12-\$20/hr DOE. Call John 208-785-6281 ext. 3 EOE

SKILLED

Full-time Diesel Mechanic II Dot Foods, the nation's leading food re-distributors, is now hiring a FT Diesel Mechanic II. **Dot offers:** *Great Pay *4/10 hour shift *Family Health & Dental *Paid vacation/sick/personal *401K w/company match *Profit Sharing *Family Values *Career Opportunities

Requirements: High school diploma or general equivalency degree required. 3+ years experience required. Must have own tools.

We are hiring in Burley ID Apply now at: www.dotfoods.com/greatjob (866)845-1807



Can't Make It Into Our Office? Fax Us Your Classified Ad! (208) 734-5538

217 Skilled

RV TECHNICIAN Must have 4 years+ exp, own tools including RV specific tools, and be personable. Flat rate hourly compensation. Please send resume w/job history & refs. to: **PM #91944 PO Box 548 Twin Falls, ID 83301**

Shopping the Classifieds will save you time and money. 733-0931

FINANCIAL

301 Business Opportunities

The Amalgamated Sugar Company, LLC at the Paul Factory is taking bids on **office cleaning**. The work will be detailed in a bid package which can be picked up or mailed by contacting Ivan Reynolds at 1-208-438-2115 ext. 3052. There will be a walk-through done and all bids will be turned in by **Jan. 14, 2011.**

EDUCATION

401 School Instruction

CLASSIFIEDS It pays to read the fine print! Call the Times-News to place your ad. 1-800-658-3883 ext. 2

REAL ESTATE

501 Open House

PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE Selling Property? Don't pay any fees until it's sold. For free information about avoiding time share and real estate scams, write to: Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580 or call the National Fraud Information Center, 1-800-876-7060.

NEW TODAY

RENTAL PROPERTIES

0602 Unfurnished Homes **FILER** Clean, 2 bdrm, 1 bath, \$400/mo. + \$400 security dep. Call 208-731-0919

TWIN FALLS Beautiful vintage home, 3 bdrm., 2 bath, \$900 mo. + \$500 dep. Call 208-731-0919.

604 Unfurnished Apt/Duplex **GOODING** 2 bdrm., 1 bath duplex. \$475 mo. + \$500 dep & utilities. No smoking/pets. Call 308-6804.

HEYBURN 1515 15th New 1 bdrm duplex no smoking/pet \$400 or \$450 w/garage, W/D hookups. 670-5697

TWIN FALLS 1 bdrm, water included, \$395 month + \$350 deposit. 424 4th Ave E. 208-731-2984

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, spotless, fresh paint, no pets, close to CSI. 2 apts, \$495 & \$550 mo. 948-0417

608 Commercial Property

TWIN FALLS 2 shops for rent, 1-30x50, \$800 and 1-50x60, \$1400. 1845 Osterloh. 208-734-6854

AGRICULTURE

703 Horse and Tack

HORSES: Give your horse away to a great home. Beautiful 100 acres with food, rivers, and lakes, N of Bliss. Only trained horses, good with children & healthy. 352-1200

704 Pets and Pet Supplies

BLACK LAB Puppies, AKC registered, dewclaws removed & 1st shots, \$300. Dam's Sire NFC, FC, AFC. Call Brad 431-8595.

LABRADOR RETRIEVERS

Black & Ivory, AKC Reg, champion bloodlines, Missouri breeding. 219-1709

SHIH TZU Puppies, three adorable males, shots, litter trained, \$200 each. 208-410-3583

Get In The Habit! Read the Classifieds Every Day

705 Farm Equipment

FORD STARTER MOTOR & DRIVE 8N-9N. New. \$133.50. Call Twin Falls Tractor & Implement 800-293-9359.

712 Miscellaneous AG

ATTENTION Dirt Haulers. Minidoka and Max sugar beet receiving stations accepting bids for tare dirt haul. Call 531-5662 for more info.

MISCELLANEOUS

810 Furniture & Carpet

KING BED New Simmons "Beauty Rest". 6 mos. old. Paid \$1200 sell for \$850. Call 208-886-9947.

815 Exercise Equipment

HOME GYM Bowflex Extreme 2 \$300. Elliptical Trainer Evorev 400. \$200. Call 208-420-6190.

NORDICTRACK Elliptical E5Vi, adjustable stride, iFit, MP3 plug in, 1 yr old, hardly used. \$300 cash. 406-544-2291 Burley area.

816 Miscellaneous

CLAW FOOTED BATHTUB Large, old, \$460/offer. Also **White Serger** \$125/offer. Call 208-734-2253 or 208-734-2255.

827 Skis And Snowboards

SNOWBOARDS, BOOTS, SKIS from a large family. 208-410-1637

TRANSPORTATION

1005 Semis And Heavy Equipment

FREIGHTLINER '01 with Cummins, ICM 370HP Diesel, 10 spd, PS, AC, Jake brake, alloy wheels, 70% rubber, no cold weather or off road use. One owner, immaculate, \$16,900. Call 208-320-4058.

CHEVY '99 Lumina, good condition, original owner, 155K miles, \$2200/offer 644-1105 or 539-9034

1005 Semis And Heavy Equipment

FORD '95 F-450, Superduty with 3200 lb all hydraulic auto crane. V8, AT, PS, 13 ft flatbed with tool boxes. **21,000 Actual miles**, one owner, like new. \$8900. Call 208-320-4058.

IHC '86 9300 long wheel base, New factory remanufactured Cummins, Big Cam 400 with 13 spd trans, 25k lb winch, PS, AC, wet kit, low miles 1 owner \$12,900. Call 320-4058

IHC '93 4900 with 11' snow plow & 7 yd dump bed. DT466 diesel Allison AT, PS, AC, one owner, well maintained, ex-Calif. State vehicle, work ready, \$12,900. Call 208-320-4058

1009 Vans and Buses

CHEVY '99 3500 Cargo van, 4x4, hubs, V8, AT, AC, CC, PW, PDL, well maintained, clean, one owner. \$11,900. Call 208-320-4058.

FORD '02 Windstar van, seven passenger, fully loaded, has 100,000 miles, looks perfect outside and inside, serviced & ready to go. \$4500/offer. 208-308 8801

1010 Autos

CHEVY '99 Lumina, good condition, original owner, 155K miles, \$2200/offer 644-1105 or 539-9034

WWW.MAGIC VALLEY.COM/ CLASSIFIEDS

Today is Wednesday, Jan. 5, the fifth day of 2011. There are 360 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight:
On Jan. 5, 1896, an Austrian newspaper, Wiener Presse, reported the discovery by German physicist Wilhelm Roentgen of a type of radiation that came to be known as "X-rays."

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:
In 1781, a British naval expedition led by Benedict Arnold burned Richmond, Va.

In 1809, the Treaty of the Dardanelles, which ended the Anglo-Turkish War, was concluded by the United Kingdom and the Ottoman Empire.

In 1895, French Capt. Alfred Dreyfus, convicted of treason, was publicly stripped of his rank. (He was ultimately vindicated.)

In 1925, Nellie T. Ross of Wyoming became the first female governor in U.S. history.

In 1933, the 30th president of the United States, Calvin Coolidge, died in Northampton, Mass., at age 60.

In 1949, in his State of the Union address, President Harry S. Truman labeled his administration the Fair Deal.

In 1957, President Dwight D. Eisenhower proposed assistance to countries to help them resist Communist aggression; this became known as the Eisenhower Doctrine.

In 1970, Joseph A. Yablonski, an unsuccessful candidate for the presidency of the United Mine Workers of America, was found murdered with his wife and daughter at their Clarksville, Pa. home. (UMWA President Tony Boyle and seven others were convicted of, or pleaded guilty in the killings.) The soap opera "All My Children" premiered on ABC-TV.

In 1994, Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill, former speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives, died in Boston at age 81.

In 1998, Sonny Bono, the 1960s pop star-turned-politician, was killed when he struck a tree while skiing at the Heavenly Ski Resort on the Nevada-California state line; he was 62.

Ten years ago: In a blizzard of last-minute executive orders, President Bill Clinton curtailed road building and logging on federal forest land and reorganized the nation's counterintelligence efforts.

Five years ago: Attacks across Iraq killed more than 120 Iraqis and 11 U.S. service members. A building used as a hostel by pilgrims in Mecca, Saudi Arabia, collapsed, killing 76 people.

502 Homes For Sale

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY
EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES

All real estate advertising in this newspaper is subject to the Fair Housing Act which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, or national origin or an intention to make any such preference limitation or discrimination." Familial status includes children under the age of 18 living with parents or legal custodian; pregnant women and people securing custody or children under 18.

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TWIN FALLS Free Home Search
www.twinfallshomeinfo.com
Free list of foreclosures
www.twinfallsforeclosures.com
Canyonside Irwin Realty

TWIN FALLS Sale, lease or rent 3 bdrm., 2 bath, 2.5 acres, pasture, shop, country living at a great deal. Owner willing to be creative. Lease payments can vary depending on contract & down payment. Call Bill 801-726-4564.

515 Commercial Property

WHO can help YOU sell your property? Classifieds Can!
208-733-0931 ext. 2
twinad@magicvalley.com

Times-News Classifieds
208-733-0931 ext. 2

RENTAL PROPERTIES

601 Furnished Homes

BUHL Country home 3 bdrm, 1 bath \$500/mo. + \$350 dep. Garage, water, garbage included. 539-4107

CLASSIFIEDS
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FILER Cute, small house. 3 rooms total, bed/living, bath, kitchen. Stove, refrig incl. We pay water, mow lawn. No smoking. Pets ok. \$400/\$200dep. 170 1/2 Fair. Patty at 539-1427

0602 Unfurnished Homes

TWIN FALLS Clean, quiet, 2 bdrm, new carpet, W/D hookups, central air, no pets/smoking. \$550 mo + dep. 345 4th Ave N. 208-734-6230

BUHL 1/2 off 1st months rent + dep. 1 bdrm, 1 bath, \$375 mo + \$375 dep. Call 208-212-1678

BUHL Charming 3 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 story, \$600 mo + \$500 security. Pets negotiable. 208-591-3240

BURLEY 1 bdrm, 1 bath apt., \$325 + \$250. RUPERT 2 bdrm, 1 bath, \$375 + \$250. Melody 431-8864

FILER Available now. Very Nice 4 bdrm, 2 bath home on 1 acre. ADT security, central heat/air, fireplace, pasture. \$850 mo. + \$850 dep. Dawn 420-4898

FILER Clean, 2 bdrm, 1 bath, \$400/mo. + \$400 security dep. Call 208-731-0919

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Tuesday's Puzzle Solved

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0602 Unfurnished Homes

HANSEN 2 bdrm, refrigerator, \$550. **JEROME** 2 bdrm, appliances, \$450. **TWIN FALLS** 3 bdrm, appls, \$900. The Management Co. 733-0739

HOMES FOR RENT
1, 2, and 3 bedrooms.
All over the Magic Valley-329-0075

JEROME 2 bdrm, country living. \$500 mo + \$500 dep. References. Call 208-539-4208.

JEROME 3 bdrm, 2 bath home built in '07, \$700 month. 1006 21st Ave E. Call 208-539-1403

JEROME 3 bdrm, 2 bath mobile homes. \$575-\$700. No pets. Long term. 324-8903 or 208-788-2817

JEROME 4 bdrm., 2 1/2 bath, large kitchen, dining room & front room. Vaulted ceilings, 3 car garage, corals, avail. Jan 10th. \$1100 mo. Call 539-6382 or 420-7041.

JEROME 517 W D St., 2 bdrm, 1 bath, dining room, appls incl., \$675 mo + \$500 dep. 731-6712

KIMBERLY 3 bedroom, 1 bath, lg yard, all appliances, incl. W/D, water/garbage pd. \$750 mo. + deposit & fees. 208-293-4520

KIMBERLY 734-4334 5 Bedroom House 337 Madison St. E. \$795 Pets Negotiable

RUPERT 3 bedroom, 1 bath, central air. NO PETS. NO SMOKING. \$650/mo. \$650 dep. Call 312-4353

SHOSHONE 3+ bdrm, 1 bath, home \$600/mo. + \$600 dep. Exc. refs. 208-720-2240 lv. msg.

SHOSHONE Rental houses in town or country. 208-308-2941

SHOSHONE Small 1 bdrm house, \$380/mo. + \$500 dep. Exc. refs only. Call 208-720-2240 lv. msg.

SOUTH HILLS SE TF on ranch. Nice 1 bdrm cottage, yard/trees. Outside pets? No smoking/Drugs. \$550 + dep. & utils. Ref. 423-9117

TWIN FALLS '06 3 bdrm., 2 bath. Fenced yd. 1404 sq. ft. \$850 mo. + \$850 dep. Call Melissa 734-7935.

TWIN FALLS 1 bedroom, 1 bath, \$350 month. 208-420-5170

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm nice duplex, quiet cul-de-sac, garage, deck, yard, No pets. \$650. 362-3933

0602 Unfurnished Homes

TWIN FALLS 1/2 off 1st mos rent & dep. \$550 + \$550 dep. Pet ok. Sm 3 bdrm., 1 bath. Call 212-1678.

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, 1 bath house, full bsmt, fenced yard, pets ok. Call 734-8004

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, 1 bath on main, 1 large room & shower downstairs. Fenced yard. Gas/AC. \$750/\$750. 731-4268

TWIN FALLS 2 bdrm, full bsmt, kitchen appls, no smoking/pets. \$500 month. 208-735-0473 http://steelmgt.com

TWIN FALLS 5 bdrm, 2 bath, kitchen appls, garage, fireplace sprinklers, no smoking. \$912 1st yr. http://steelmgt.com 208-735-0473

TWIN FALLS 5 bdrm, 3 bath in the country. \$1150 mo + 1st & dep. Call 208-316-4253

TWIN FALLS 6 bedroom, 2 bath, water paid, \$800 month. 208-420-5170

TWIN FALLS Beautiful vintage home, 3 bdrm., 2 bath, \$900 mo. + \$500 dep. Call 208-731-0919.

TWIN FALLS Country home, 3 bdrm., 2 bath, garage, water/lawn care. No pets/smoking. \$775 mo. + dep. Call 733-6269.

TWIN FALLS Cute & clean! 3 bdrm, 2 bath, nice neighborhood, large corner lot, fenced yard. No smoking/pets. 173 Seven Springs. \$800 month. Call 208-421-0625.

TWIN FALLS Elegant 3 bdrm, 2 bath, den, dining, hardwood, fenced yard, pet w/dep, \$1195/mo, 143 N 10th. 208-481-0553

TWIN FALLS Excellent NE location. Beautiful home. 3 bdrm, 1.5 bath. Big family room in bsmt. \$850 + dep. rent or rent to own. 420-0473

TWIN FALLS NE area, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, cul-de-sac, fireplace, no smoking/pets. 539-6563/731-9735

TWIN FALLS Newly remodeled 3 bdrm, 2 bath, living rm, family rm, office, laundry with W/D, central heat/AC, fenced yard, large covered patio, great location, \$950 mo + utils. \$950 dep. 208-320-2908

TWIN FALLS Northeast Location 3 bdrm, 1.5 bath + office & garage. All appls, central heat & A/C, fenced yard, auto sprinklers. Pets neg. \$875 + dep. 208-420-1804

0602 Unfurnished Homes

TWIN FALLS RENT-TO-OWN 3 bdrm, 1 bath, fixer-upper, great terms, 2 car garage. \$625/mo. 735-5242

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603 Furnished Apt/Duplex

TWIN FALLS/BURLEY/RUPERT
◆◆◆◆ WOW! ◆◆◆◆
Weekly Payments O.K!
• No Credit Checks- No Deposit
- All Utilities Paid- 60 Channel Cable- Internet Free.
• Pets O.K.- Furnished Studios- On Site Laundry.
TWIN FALLS Starting \$550 mo. 731-5745 / 358-0085 / 431-8496
BURLEY/RUPERT Starting \$450 mo. 731-5745 or 436-8383

BURLEY/RUPERT Studios. All utils paid, free cable & wi-fi, pets ok. \$300-\$550 mo. Move in today! No dep! No credit check! 436-8383 or 731-5745

604 Unfurnished Apt/Duplex

TWIN FALLS Lg 3 bdrm, 1 bath duplex w/garage, new kitchen, lots of extras, no pets/smoking. \$650 + dep. 330 1/2 8th Ave. E. 734-6230

TWIN FALLS clean 2 bdrm, W/D hookup, some utils, off street parking, no pets/smoking 351 2nd Ave W #2. \$450 + dep. 208-734-6230

BURLEY 1250 Burton Ave. Apt #3. 2 bdrm, no pets. \$450 month + \$200 deposit. 208-436-9774

BURLEY Norman Manor Apts 1 & 2 bdrms. \$375-\$400 + dep. Clean or new carpet & paint. Laundry & off street parking. Office hours 2-5pm, Mon-Fri Other hours call for appt. 208-678-7438 - 1361 Parke Ave

BURLEY RIVERVIEW APTS
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Today's deal from the United Kingdom arose in the annual House of Lords vs. House of Commons bridge match for the Jack Perry Trophy. Over the last 35 years the standard of bridge in this match has generally been respectable, with quite a few occasional and even serious duplicate players bringing a touch of class to the proceedings.

When Bridget Prentice for the Commons made her natural lead of the diamond 10 against three no-trump, declarer, Lord Skelmersdale, took care to play dummy's jack, recognizing that he might need an extra entry to dummy should East hold club length. (He could of course have played the ace, so long as he unblocked the king or queen under it.)

A club to the ace first would have captured a singleton queen, but rightly concerned with the paucity of entries to dummy, declarer called for the club jack, covered with the queen by East (Dr. John Marek) and captured with the ace. The club king was played next, bringing the 4-1 break to light. But now, Lord Skelmersdale's careful play at trick one allowed him to re-enter dummy with the diamond ace to finesse against East's club nine. That was nine tricks, and a game swing to the Lords when South for the Commons did not manage the minor suits to best effect.

This line of play guarded against four of the possible four-card club combinations with East, while losing to a singleton queen in either hand, so it was clearly the odds-on play.

NORTH		01-5-A	
♠	Q 10 9 2		
♥	8 6 5 3		
♦	A J		
♣	J 7 4		
WEST		EAST	
♠	A 7 5 3	♠	K 6
♥	K 9 7	♥	Q J 10 4
♦	10 9 8 4 2	♦	7 6 5
♣	6	♣	Q 9 5 3
SOUTH			
♠	J 8 4		
♥	A 2		
♦	K Q 3		
♣	A K 10 8 2		

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1♣	Pass	1♥	Pass
2NT	Pass	3NT	All pass

Opening lead: Diamond 10

BID WITH THE ACES

South holds:

♠	A 7 5 3
♥	K 9 7
♦	10 9 8 4 2
♣	6

South	West	North	East
1♣	Pass	Dbl.	Pass
?			

ANSWER: You do not have enough to invite game but have more than enough to bid twice in competition if appropriate. Since your most likely game is spades, you should plan to respond in spades, then bid diamonds if the opponents repeat their clubs. This would suggest equal or better diamonds. With longer spades, you would not bother with the diamonds at all.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolff," contact kay19072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com.
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DEAR ABBY: I'm dating a 15-year-old girl who was seriously physically abused in the past. She and her mom had to move away for a while, but have now been told by Department of Children and Family Services that it's safe for them to move back with her father, who abused her.

After seeing what goes on in this house and hearing her describe how they treat her, I think the physical abuse has changed to mental and emotional abuse. I'm not sure what to do because I'm 18 and it's "illegal" that we are dating. It scares me that they can use anything against me.

— WHAT TO DO?

DEAR WHAT TO DO?: You are not in a position to do anything yourself. If you try to get help for your girlfriend, her parents could create problems for you that would last a lifetime. However, that doesn't mean you shouldn't encourage the girl to help herself by talking to a counselor, a trusted teacher or a clergyperson about the difficulties she's experiencing at home. If she does, they are mandated by law to report abuse. And this is a family that's already been in the system.



DEAR ABBY
Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I have been unable to ask "Mary" out — or at least see if she's into me — because we both work at the same place. I am not the type to be shy with my feelings, but with her it's different. When I see her, I forget everything else. It's as if my whole world stops when I see her smile. She's amazing!

I want to ask her out, but I'm unsure how to, considering that I am a woman. She does not know how I feel about her. What should I do?

— HAS IT BAD IN ARIZONA

DEAR HAS IT BAD: First, see if there are regulations in your employee handbook that discourage employees from dating. If there aren't, go slow and let Mary get to know you as a friend before trying to start a romantic relationship. And before declaring your feelings, be sure that a lesbian relationship is one that your co-worker would welcome.

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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Print answer here: [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] (Answers tomorrow)

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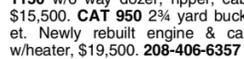
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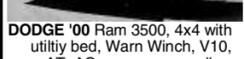
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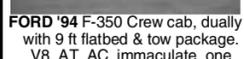
FORD '94 F-350 Crew cab, dually with 9 ft flatbed & tow package. V8, AT, AC, immaculate, one owner, low miles. \$4900. Call 208-320-4058



FORD '95 F-450, Superduty with 3200 lb all hydraulic auto crane. V8, AT, PS, 13 ft flatbed with tool boxes. 21,000 Actual miles, one owner, like new. \$8900. Call 208-320-4058.



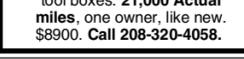
FREIGHTLINER '01 with Cummins, ICM 370HP Diesel, 10 spd, PS, AC, Jake brake, alloy wheels, 70% rubber, no cold weather or off road use. One owner, immaculate. \$16,900. Call 208-320-4058.



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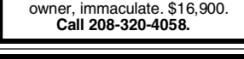
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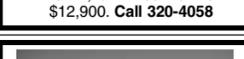
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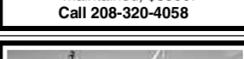
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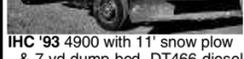
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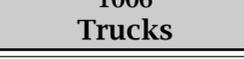
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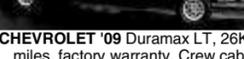
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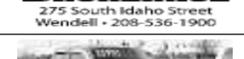
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IF JANUARY 5 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: The road to financial success seems smoother than usual especially in February. Your judgment about your career and finances is better than usual, but you must plan ahead and be sure to put something away for rainy days. Do not become overconfident - because in March, even your best-laid plans can go awry. That is a time to sit back and simply take care of existing obligations without taking on anything new. Through early May, your luck is not as good as usual and you might need to work just a bit harder than everyone else to maintain your present position. A new romance that beckons in July might be a case of judging a book by its cover.

HOROSCOPE

Jeraldine Saunders

ARIES (March 21-Apr. 19): Fix it if it's broken. For the next few days, it might seem that the things that come to your attention are taking time from an already exceedingly busy schedule. But if you don't fix it now, it might just get worse.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Do the best you can. If a small glitch occurs, don't feel guilty or accept the blame too readily. It might be your responsibility to put things back in order, but a breakdown isn't necessarily your fault.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Don't take your blessings or your partner for granted. It is wise to be as polite as possible to everyone you meet, even if the people you meet today don't seem to appreciate everything you do and say.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Money counts. You can count your money and count on having more money, just don't spend money unless you must. A pile of red tape could accompany any new projects that you begin today.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): We wary of the fire, the frying pan and the temptation to jump. Tiny annoyances and aggravations can trigger larger arguments or disputes unless you exert self-control. Take deep breaths; wait to make key decisions.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Revoke being provoked. Respond to hostility with a calm and poised facade and serenity will soon become reality. Someone in close contact understands the truth and can give you wise guidance.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): It's the ideal time to get everything in your life ship-shape. Take the time to organize your desk or clean the garage and generally improve your surroundings. Organization is the key to improve efficiency.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Deploy your diplomacy. You may have a hankering to express unvarnished opinions, but should avoid confrontations over them. Pump that heart rate up with a period of intense physical activity.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Bet not, lose not. If you play poker, you would be wise to bet with matches instead of cash. This is not a good time to make financial decisions or investments. Unexpected bills can be expected to arrive.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Accept your faults and do your best to fix them. If you receive a communique accept it gracefully. Demonstrate humility and others will bend over backward to accommodate your needs.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The facts are unclear. Those in close connection may expect perfection that simply isn't feasible or blow minor problems out of proportion. Don't dive into a new

SUDOKU

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Conceptis Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

	3	1			4	6		
9			1		2			8
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Answer to previous puzzle

2	6	5	1	7	8	3	9	4
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1006 Trucks



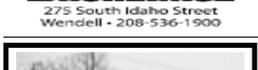
CHEVY '07 1500 Crew Cab 4x4 20" wheels, tow pkg, CD, cruise, \$17,960. Stock #71149498 208-733-3033



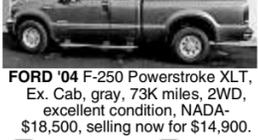
CHEVY '08 2500HD, Crew Cab LTZ, 4x4, loaded, Nav, leather, DVD, 6.0, \$29,999. Stk#8F189501 208-733-3033



DODGE '01 Dakota Sport, 4X4, Quad Cab, 76K miles, PW, PL, clean local trade, only \$10,500.



FORD '04 F-150, 4x4, with 4.6L, V8, AT, PS, CC, one owner, clean & well maintained, \$7500. Call 208-320-4058.



FORD '04 F-250 Powerstroke XLT, Ex. Cab, gray, 79K miles, 2WD, excellent condition, NADA, \$18,500, selling now for \$14,900.



FORD '06 F-250 Crew Cab Lariat, 4x4, loaded, leather, Powerstroke, CD, running boards, \$26,780. Stock #6EB84143D 208-733-5776



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GMC '08 1500 Crew Cab SLT, 4x4, loaded, sunroof, leather, Nav, Z71, \$27,999. Stock #8G178306 208-733-3033



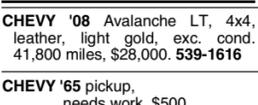
GMC '94 1500, 37,000 ACTUAL MILES, 4.3 V6, AT, AC, PS, 24 mpg hwy. Shell, one owner, like new. \$5900. Call 320-4058.



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1006 Trucks



CHEVY '08 Avalanche LT, 4x4, leather, light gold, exc. cond. 41,800 miles, \$28,000. 539-1616



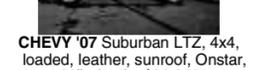
CHEVY '65 pickup, needs work, \$500. Call 208-595-4119.



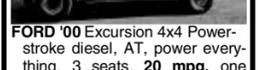
FORD '97 F-250, 4x4 with shell, V8, AT, AC, PW, PDL, CC, low miles, one owner. Immaculate. \$6500. Call 208-320-4058.



ISUZU '96 Hombre, 5 speed, 4 cylinder, 120,378 miles, \$2200/offer. 208-539-4961



CHEVROLET '02 Blazer, 4X4, excellent condition, 58K miles, only \$9,995.



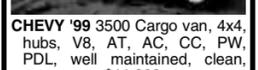
CHEVY '07 Suburban LTZ, 4x4, loaded, leather, sunroof, Onstar, 20" wheels, \$26,969. Stock #7G109890U 208-733-3033



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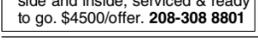
JEEP '86 CJ7, 4X4, 5 spd., 350 TBI engine, well cared for, runs great! Only \$6995.



CHEVY '99 3500 Cargo van, 4x4, hubs, V8, AT, AC, CC, PW, PDL, well maintained, clean, one owner. \$11,900. Call 208-320-4058.



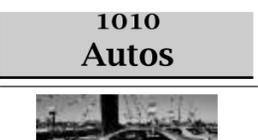
CHRYSLER '09 Town & Country, rear air, power sliding doors, CD, cruise, Stow & Go, \$18,999. Stock#9R673615DC 208-733-5776



1009 Vans and Buses



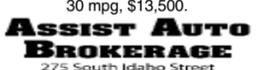
TOYOTA '00 Sienna, local van, well taken care of, runs good, \$3,995.



CADILLAC '10 CTS, leather, auto, alloy wheels, Onstar, \$25,950. Stock #A0129347 208-733-3033



CHEVROLET '07 Impala LS, 25K miles, PL, PW, extra clean, 30 mpg, \$13,500.



CHEVY '07 Malibu, air, CD, cruise, power seat, \$9999. Stock #7F184701C 208-733-3033



CHEVY '91 Cavalier, very good condition, new tires, stick shift, \$1495/offer. Call 208-320-3200.



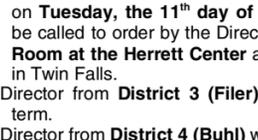
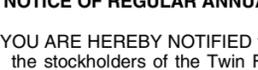
CHRYSLER '08 300C Hemi, leather, sunroof, 6781 mis, Certified, \$22,888. Stock#8H256048DC 208-733-5776



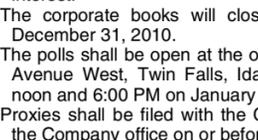
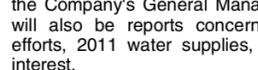
DODGE '07 Magnum, AWD, SXT, DVD, CD, after market rims, \$14,905. Stock #7H718007DC 208-733-5776



DODGE '08 Caliber SRT4, sunroof, Nav, multi CD, turbo, \$18,835. Stock#8D609901DC 208-733-5776



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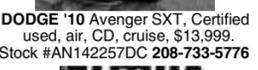


1010 Autos

CHEVY '99 Lumina, good condition, original owner, 155K miles, \$2200/offer 644-1105 or 539-9034



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GEO '94 Metro 2 door, 10,100 Actual miles. 3 cylinder, auto transmission, 35 mpg, one owner, immaculate. \$3500. Call 208-320-4058.



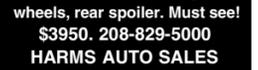
MERCURY '06 Milan Premier, leather, auto, CD, cruise, multi CD, \$11,770. Stock #6R610542D 208-733-5776



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NISSAN '04 Maxima SE, auto, leather, Nav, sunroof, multi CD, \$10,560. Stock #4C867831D 208-733-5776



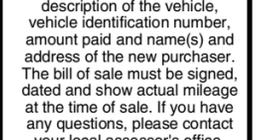
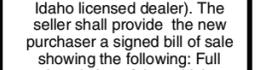
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FHF-102849 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on April 13, 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: THE WEST 70 FEET OF LOT 9 IN BLOCK 2 OF THE HI-LAND SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF BURLEY, 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 above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 500 DEON STREET, 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 DOYLE C. MURPHY AND RUTH MARIE MURPHY, HUSBAND AND WIFE, as Grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION MI, as Beneficiary, dated 11/24/1999, recorded 11/30/1999, under Instrument No. 266155, and an agreement to modify the terms and provisions of said Deed of Trust, dated 10/14/2003, under Instrument No. 291983, Mortgage records of CASSIA County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION III. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 11/24/1999, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 5/30/2010 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of December 7, 2010 Delinquent Payments from May 30, 2010 7 payments at \$ 538.38 each \$ 3,768.66 (05-30-10 through 12-07-10) Late Charges: \$ 0.00 Beneficiary Advances: \$ 0.00 Suspend Credit: \$ 0.00 TOTAL: \$ 3,768.66 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 \$64,348.35, together with interest thereon at 11.142% per annum from 4/30/2010, 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: 12/7/2010. PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee 1 Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICE CORPORATION 616 1 st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: http

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On Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 2011, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

A parcel of land located in a portion of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 3, **CASTLEWOOD SUBDIVISION**, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 19 of plats, page 26, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Northeast corner of said Lot 2 and being the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING;

THENCE South 00°28'07" West 10.27 feet along the Easterly boundary of said Lot 2;

THENCE North 89°31'53" West 130.35 feet;

THENCE North 21°36'42" West 1.00 feet;

THENCE along a curve left:

Δ - 54°01'32"

R - 50.00'

A - 47.15'

C - 45.42'

LCB - North 41°22'32" East along the boundary of said Lots 2 and 3 of Block 3

THENCE along a curve:

Δ - 18°11'04"

R - 50.00'

A - 15.87'

C - 15.80'

LCB - North 05°16'13" East along the boundary of Lot 1, Block 3, of said subdivision
THENCE South 89°31'53" East 99.66 feet;

THENCE South 00°28'07" West 40.73 feet along the Easterly boundary of said Lot 1, to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

Sometimes known as: **911 Arrow Wood Court, Twin Falls, Idaho, 83301.**

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **CHARLES E. CLARK and RUTH A. CLARK**, husband and wife, as Grantor to TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, and FARMERS NATIONAL BANK BLUE LAKES OFFICE, as Beneficiary, recorded September 19, 2008, as Instrument No. 2008-020768; re-recorded September 22, 2008, as Instrument No. 2008-020909; records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; and modified by Modification recorded September 16, 2009, as Instrument No. 2009-021025, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

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

1. The entire principal balance, interest and late charges through November 2, 2010, in the amount of \$149,846.81.
2. Occupancy taxes for the second one-half of 2009 in the amount of \$546.27 plus penalties and interest; and the unpaid principal balance owing as of November 2, 2010, on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$144,000.00 plus interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

DATED: December 7, 2010.

TITLEFACT, INC., Trustee

By LILA ORTON, Assistant Vice President

PUBLISH: December 15, 22, 29, 2010 and January 5, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 2011, at the hour of 10:15 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

A parcel of land located in a portion of Lot 1, Block 3, **CASTLEWOOD SUBDIVISION**, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 19 of plats, page 26, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Southeast corner of said Lot 1

THENCE North 00°28'07" East 40.73 feet along the East boundary of said Lot 1 to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING;

THENCE North 89°31'53" West 99.66 feet;

THENCE along a curve left:

Δ - 31°48'10"

R - 50.00'

A - 27.75'

C - 27.40'

LCB - North 19°43'22" West along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE along a curve right:

Δ - 49°59'40"

R - 20.00'

A - 17.45'

C - 16.90'

LCB - North 10°37'36" West along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE North 14°22'14" East 4.38 feet along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE along a curve right:

Δ - 90°00'00"

R - 20.00'

A - 31.42'

C - 28.28'

LCB - North 59°22'14" East along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE South 75°37'46" East 17.58 feet along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE along a curve left:

Δ - 13°54'07"

R - 125.00'

A - 30.33'

C - 30.26'

LCB - South 82°34'49" East along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE South 89°31'53" East 20.00 feet along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE along a curve right:

Δ - 90°00'00"

R - 20.00'

A - 31.42'

C - 28.28'

LCB - South 44°31'53" East along the boundary of said Lot 1

THENCE South 00°28'07" West 33.27 feet along the boundary of said Lot 1 to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

Sometimes known as: **909 Arrow Wood Court, Twin Falls, Idaho, 83301.**

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **CHARLES E. CLARK and RUTH A. CLARK**, husband and wife, as Grantor to TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, and FARMERS NATIONAL BANK BLUE LAKES OFFICE, as Beneficiary, dated September 19, 2008, and recorded September 19, 2008, as Instrument No. 2008-020767; records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; and modified by Modification recorded September 16, 2009, as Instrument No. 2009-021023, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho

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

1. The entire principal balance, interest and late charges through November 2, 2010, in the amount of \$149,846.81;
2. Real property taxes for the second half of 2009 in the amount of \$242.12 plus penalties and interest;
3. Occupancy taxes for the second one-half of 2009 in the amount of \$540.98 plus penalties and interest; and the unpaid principal balance owing as of November 2, 2010, on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$144,000.00 plus interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

DATED: December 7, 2010.

TITLEFACT, INC., Trustee

By LILA ORTON, Assistant Vice President

PUBLISH: December 15, 22, 29, 2010 and January 5, 2011

PUBLIC NOTICE

Valley Recreation District will hold a public meeting Monday, Jan. 10, 2011, at 7pm in the First Segregational Rural Fire Station, 121 E Wilson, Eden, Idaho for the purpose of obtaining public input regarding improvements to be made at Wilson Lake.

/s/LeeAnn Moncur, Secretary

PUBLISH: January 3 and 5, 2011

NOTICE OF LETTING

Sealed proposals will be received by the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION BOARD only at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 3311 WEST STATE STREET, BOISE, IDAHO 83703, ATTN: ROADWAY DESIGN until two o'clock p.m., on January 25, 2011, for the work of grinding and applying durable pavement markings on US-30, MP 200.95 to MP 202.38; State, FY11 D4 Durable Pavement Markings, known as Idaho Federal Aid Project No. A011(087), in **Twin Falls County, Key No. 11087.**

[ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: RESIDENT ENGINEER ***KIMBOL ALLEN*** AT (208) 544-7901.]

Plans, specifications, form of contract, proposal forms, and other information may be obtained at the office of the Idaho Transportation Department, Boise, Idaho, and are on file for examination at the office of the District Engineer at Shoshone Idaho.

A non-refundable handling and mailing charge of FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) plus applicable sales tax will be made for bid documents. Phone orders to (800) 732-2098 (in Idaho) or (208) 334-8430 shall be made by credit card (Visa or Mastercard). Written requests shall be made by check or money order to the Idaho Transportation Department, Attn: Revenue Operations, P. O. Box 34, Boise, ID 83731-0034.

Dated December 23, 2010

TOM COLE, P.E.

Chief Engineer

PUBLISH: January 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No.: ID-258579-F Loan No.: 0602028659 A.P.N.: RPT46250040090A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PIONEER TITLE COMPANY OF ADA COUNTY dba PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 3/4/2011 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), in the lobby of Land Title & Escrow 1411 Fillmore Street, Ste. 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, 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 and personal property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 9 IN BLOCK 4 OF ROCK CREEK TRAIL ESTATES SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK 20 OF PLATS AT PAGE(S) 8, 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 sometimes associated with said real property is: **1215 KNOLL RIDGE RD TWIN FALLS, Idaho 83301** Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by: **MINDY J PILLING AND NICHOLAS K PILLING, WIFE AND HUSBAND**, as grantors, to ALLIANCE TITLE, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., SOLELY AS NOMINEE FOR BANNER BANK, as Beneficiary, dated 3/18/2008, recorded 3/24/2008, as Instrument No. 2008-006524 and re-recorded, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC FKA GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 3/18/2008. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of 1699.83, due per month from 2/1/2010 through 3/4/2011, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$228,803.77, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.5% per annum from 1/1/2010. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: 11/1/2010 PIONEER TITLE COMPANY OF ADA COUNTY dba PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES By Executive Trustee Services, As Attorney In Fact Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727 ASAP# 3799569

PUBLISH: December 29, 2010, January 5, 12 and 19, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 2011, at the hour of 10:30 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

A parcel of land located in a portion of Lots 3 and 4, Block 3, **CASTLEWOOD SUBDIVISION**, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 19 of plats, page 26, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho, being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Southwest corner of said Lot 4, Block 3, said subdivision;

THENCE South 87°54'38" East 7.00 feet along the South boundary of said Lot 4 to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING;

THENCE North 44°09'04" East 118.41 feet;

THENCE along a curve left:

Δ - 65°45'46"

R - 50.00'

A - 57.39'

C - 54.29'

LCB - South 78°43'49" East along the boundary of Lots 4 and 3, Block 3, said subdivision;

THENCE South 21°36'42" East 1.00'

THENCE along a curve right:

Δ - 28°04'08"

R - 51.00'

A - 24.99'

C - 24.74'

LCB - South 82°25'22" West

THENCE South 02°05'22" West 74.18 feet to a point on the South boundary of said Lot 3;

THENCE North 87°54'38" West 108.94 feet along the South boundary of said Lots 3 and 4, Block 3, to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING

Sometimes known as: **923 Arrow Wood Court, Twin Falls, Idaho, 83301.**

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by **CHARLES E. CLARK and RUTH A. CLARK**, husband and wife, as Grantor to TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, and FARMERS NATIONAL BANK BLUE LAKES OFFICE, as Beneficiary, dated September 19, 2008, and recorded September 19, 2008, as Instrument No. 2008-020769; records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; and modified by Modification recorded September 16, 2009, as Instrument No. 2009-021024, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

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

1. The entire principal balance, interest and late charges through November 2, 2010, in the amount of \$138,192.05;
2. Real property taxes for the second half of 2009 in the amount of \$255.25 plus penalties and interest;
3. Occupancy taxes for the second one-half of 2009 in the amount of \$350.77 plus penalties and interest; and the unpaid principal balance owing as of November 2, 2010, on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$132,800.00 plus interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

DATED: December 7, 2010.

TITLEFACT, INC., Trustee

By LILA ORTON, Assistant Vice President

PUBLISH: December 15, 22, 29, 2010 and January 5, 2011

PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT**TO PROPOSE OR PROMULGATE NEW OR CHANGED AGENCY RULES**

The following agencies of the state of Idaho have published the complete text and all related, pertinent information concerning their intent to change or make the following rules in the latest publication of the state Administrative Bulletin.

IDAPA 58 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
1410 N. Hilton, Boise, ID 83706-1255

***58-0101-1101, Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho.** ("Public Hearing Scheduled) Incorporates by reference the final rule for Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) for Particulate Matter Less than 2.5 Micrometers ("PM2.5 Rule") adopted by EPA with an effective date of December 20, 2010 and published in the Federal Register on October 20, 2010. Comment by February 7, 2011.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF TEMPORARY RULE

Department of Health and Welfare

16-0310-1101, Medicaid Enhanced Plan Benefits

16-0310-1102, Medicaid Enhanced Plan Benefits

16-0411-1101, Developmental Disabilities Agencies

NOTICE OF VACATION OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

State Board and Department of Education

08-0202-1001, Rules Governing Uniformity

Idaho State Tax Commission

35-0103-1002, Property Tax Administrative Rules

Please refer to the Idaho Administrative Bulletin, **January 5, 2011, Volume 11-1**, for notices and text of all rulemakings, public hearings and negotiated meeting schedules, Governor's executive orders, and agency contact information.

Issues of the Idaho Administrative Bulletin can be viewed at
www.adm.idaho.gov/adminrules/

Office of the Administrative Rules Coordinator, Dept. of Administration, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0306
Phone: 208-332-1820; Fax: 332-1896; Email: rulescoordinator@adm.idaho.gov

PUBLISH: January 5, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

T.S. No.: ID-223996-C Loan No.: 0560175804 A.P.N.: RPC9501007012AA NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PIONEER TITLE COMPANY OF ADA COUNTY dba PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on 3/4/2011 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), in the lobby of Land Title & Escrow 1411 Fillmore Street, Ste. 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, 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 and personal property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 12 AND 13, BLOCK 7, CASTLEFORD TOWNSITE, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN BOOK 2 OF PLATS, PAGE 26, 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 sometimes associated with said real property is: **348 MAPLE STREET CASTLEFORD, Idaho 83321-0000** 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: **JASON COMPTON and CHRISTI COMPTON, HUSBAND AND WIFE**, as grantors, to TITLE FACT, INC, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of "MERS" MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS SOLELY NOMINEE FOR GMAC MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as Beneficiary, dated 6/3/2004, recorded 6/8/2004, as Instrument No. 2004-012265 and re-recorded, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(A), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 6/3/2004. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of 398.87, due per month from 6/1/2010 through 3/4/2011, and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$37,101.55, plus accrued interest at the rate of 6.5% per annum from 5/1/2010. All delinquent amounts are now due, together with accruing late charges, and interest, unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, and any amounts advanced to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: 11/1/2010 PIONEER TITLE COMPANY OF ADA COUNTY dba PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES By Executive Trustee Services, As Attorney In Fact Dee Ortega, authorized signatory C/O Executive Trustee Services, LLC 2255 North Ontario Street, Suite 400 Burbank, California 91504-3120 Sale Line: (714) 730-2727 ASAP# 3799440

PUBLISH: December 29, 2010, January 5, 12 and 19, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 2011, at the hour of 10:45 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

A parcel of land located in a portion of Lot 4, Block 3, **CASTLEWOOD SUBDIVISION**, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof recorded in Book 19 of plats, page 26, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho; being more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Southwest corner of said Lot 4 and being the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING;

THENCE North 02°27'01" East 103.92 feet along the Westerly boundary of said Lot 4;

THENCE North 82°02'30" East 71.02 feet;

THENCE along a curve left:

Δ - 37°53'25"

R - 50.00'

A - 33.07'

C - 32.47'

LCB - South 26°54'13" East along the boundary of said Lot 4;

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**NOTICE OF EXCHANGE PROPOSAL (IDI-35331) AND
NOTICE OF RECREATION AND PUBLIC PURPOSES ACT PROPOSAL (IDI-36276)
IN BLAINE COUNTY, IDAHO**

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Bureau of Land Management,
Shoshone Field Office, 400 West F Street, Shoshone, Idaho 83352**

Notice is hereby given that the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is considering a proposal to exchange Federal land pursuant to Section 206 of the Federal Land Policy Management Act of 1976, as amended (43 U.S.C. 1716) as well as a proposal to dispose of Federal land pursuant to the Recreation and Public Purposes Act (R&PPA, 43 U.S.C. 869) located in Blaine County, Idaho. The parties to the exchange are the BLM and the Blue Canyon Corporation, with the City of Ketchum being the applicant for the R&PPA proposal.

EXCHANGE PROPOSAL (IDI-35331)

The Federal land proposed for exchange consists of the surface and mineral estates on one parcel totaling about 20 acres located in Blaine County, Idaho, and described as follows.

FEDERAL EXCHANGE PARCEL 1

Blue Canyon Parcel

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 4 N., R. 17 E.,

Section: 1 Lot 7 (19.92 acres)

Containing approximately 19.92 acres, together with appurtenant water right Nos. 37-14472 and 37-17314.

TOTAL ACREAGE: 20 acres, more or less

The Federal land described above has been segregated from appropriation under the public land and mineral laws, subject to valid existing rights. The BLM proposes to convey the above-listed land to the Blue Canyon Corporation, an Idaho corporation in which the adjoining property owner and current BLM right-of-way holder, Mr. Ali Fayed, is the sole shareholder and president.

In exchange for the above-described Federal land, the United States would acquire approximately 1,299 acres of non-Federal land. The 1,299 acres of non-Federal land consists of three separate parcels that are adjacent to other BLM-administered public land in the areas. The three parcels are described as follows:

NON-FEDERAL EXCHANGE PARCEL 1

Square Lake Parcel

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 2 S., R. 18 E.,

Section: 4 SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ (40.00 acres)

Section: 9 E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ (120.00 acres)

Section: 10 W $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ (160.00 acres)

Containing approximately 320 acres

NON-FEDERAL EXCHANGE PARCEL 2

Cowcatcher Ridge Parcel

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 2 N., R. 18 E.,

Section: 24 S $\frac{1}{2}$ (320.00 acres)

Section: 25 NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ (280.00 acres)

Portions of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ (71.75 acres)

That area in Section 25 being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of said Section 25, also being the Real Point of Beginning; thence Along the east boundary of said Section 25, S 0 $^{\circ}$ 12'57" W 2618.11 feet to the east $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of said Section 25; thence

Continuing along the east boundary of said Section 25, S00 $^{\circ}$ 13'07" W 1323.21 feet to the approximate center line of Slaughterhouse Road; thence

Along the approximate centerline of said road, S 33 $^{\circ}$ 25'22" W 1564.64 feet to the south boundary of said Section 25; thence

Along the south boundary of said Section 25, N 88 $^{\circ}$ 59'11" W 458.76 feet to the southwest corner of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 25; thence

Along the west boundary of said SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, N 00 $^{\circ}$ 07'28" E 1321.82 feet to the northwest corner of said SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$; thence

Along the south boundary of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 25, N 89 $^{\circ}$ 00'05" W 1317.84 feet to the southwest corner of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$; thence

Along the west boundary of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, N 0 $^{\circ}$ 01'50" E 38.07 feet to the approximate center line of the Cove Canal; thence

Continuing along said center line of Cove Canal for the following thirty (31) courses and distances; thence

N 42 $^{\circ}$ 28'45" W 33.56 feet; thence

N 26 $^{\circ}$ 15'58" W 32.94 feet; thence

N 17 $^{\circ}$ 19'19" W 45.18 feet; thence

N 28 $^{\circ}$ 16'47" W 70.37 feet; thence

N 14 $^{\circ}$ 39'06" W 76.25 feet; thence

N 51 $^{\circ}$ 31'29" W 104.59 feet; thence

N 23 $^{\circ}$ 10'40" W 61.10 feet; thence

N 07 $^{\circ}$ 49'13" E 74.61 feet; thence

N 13 $^{\circ}$ 25'38" W 128.11 feet; thence

N 16 $^{\circ}$ 45'56" W 95.75 feet; thence

N 55 $^{\circ}$ 00'18" W 42.11 feet; thence

N 17 $^{\circ}$ 28'38" W 128.11 feet; thence

N 31 $^{\circ}$ 29'09" W 48.11 feet; thence

N 47 $^{\circ}$ 24'21" W 110.46 feet; thence

N 36 $^{\circ}$ 58'50" W 100.08 feet; thence

N 31 $^{\circ}$ 37'27" W 152.37 feet; thence

N 55 $^{\circ}$ 05'59" W 89.02 feet; thence

N 22 $^{\circ}$ 51'09" W 58.21 feet; thence

N 0 $^{\circ}$ 27'02" W 66.41 feet; thence

N 32 $^{\circ}$ 04'54" W 127.11 feet; thence

N 23 $^{\circ}$ 23'26" W 35.13 feet; thence

N 2 $^{\circ}$ 14'19" E 61.92 feet thence

N 14 $^{\circ}$ 46'50" W 55.61 feet; thence

N 40 $^{\circ}$ 43'49" W 106.52 feet; thence

N 37 $^{\circ}$ 49'13" W 119.54 feet; thence

N 46 $^{\circ}$ 03'58" W 88.43 feet; thence

N 71 $^{\circ}$ 35'25" W 101.75 feet; thence

N 46 $^{\circ}$ 32'57" W 133.88 feet; thence

N 15 $^{\circ}$ 34'13" W 69.32 feet; thence

N 18 $^{\circ}$ 22'56" W 109.48 feet to the west boundary of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 25; thence

Along the west boundary N 0 $^{\circ}$ 02'55" W 536.05 feet to the northwest corner of said SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$; thence

Along the west boundary of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 25, N 0 $^{\circ}$ 02'55" W 1318.46 feet to the northwest corner of said NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$; thence

Along the north boundary of Section 25, S 88 $^{\circ}$ 44'51" E 1324.36 feet to the north $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of said Section 25; thence

Continuing along the north boundary of said Section 25, S 88 $^{\circ}$ 44'51" E 2648.72 feet to the Real Point of Beginning.

Containing approximately 671.75 acres

NON-FEDERAL EXCHANGE PARCEL 3

Sheep Bridge Parcel

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 1 S., R. 17 E.,

Section: 13 Portion of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ (55.00 acres)

Section: 24 NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ (40.00 acres)

Portion of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ (22.00 acres)

T. 1 S., R. 18 E.,

Section: 18 Portions of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Lot 4 (75.41 acres)

Section: 19 NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Lot 1 (114.47 acres)

Being more particularly described as follows:

A parcel of land located within Sections 13 and 24, Township 1 South, Range 17 East, Boise Meridian, Blaine County, Idaho and also within Sections 18 and 19, Township 1 South, Range 18 East, Boise Meridian, Blaine County, Idaho, and more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a brass cap marking the One Quarter Corner common to said Section 18 and 19, from which point the northwest corner of said Section 19 bears South 89 $^{\circ}$ 35'52" West 2,478.84 feet; thence

North 89 $^{\circ}$ 38'46" East 1,331.67 feet along the north boundary of said Section 19 to an aluminum cap marking the northeast corner of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 4NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 19, which point is the Real Point of Beginning; thence

South 0 $^{\circ}$ 11'50" East 1,311.76 feet along the east boundary of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 4NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 19 to an aluminum cap marking the southeast corner of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 4NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 19; thence

South 89 $^{\circ}$ 29'31" West, 1,325.15 feet along the south boundary of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 4NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 19, to an aluminum cap marking the southwest corner of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 4NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 19; thence

South 89 $^{\circ}$ 28'02" West, 2,473.88 feet along the south boundary of the N1/2NW1/4 to an aluminum cap marking the southwest corner of said N1/2NW1/4, Section 19; thence

South 88 $^{\circ}$ 33'38" West 2,227.48 feet along the south boundary of the N1/2NE1/4, said Section 24; thence

North 11 $^{\circ}$ 07'50" East 324.91 feet; thence

North 78 $^{\circ}$ 52'10" West 100.00 feet; thence

North 11 $^{\circ}$ 07'50" East 250.00 feet; thence

South 78 $^{\circ}$ 52'10" East 100.00 feet; thence

North 11 $^{\circ}$ 07'50" East 2,225.80 feet to a point on the southerly boundary of Idaho State Highway No. 20, thence

The following five courses and distances along the southerly boundary of said Idaho State Highway No. 20 to an aluminum cap,

South 79 $^{\circ}$ 18'56" East 345.39 feet; thence

North 61 $^{\circ}$ 30'28" East 221.48 feet; thence

South 79 $^{\circ}$ 19'06" East 2,565.58 feet; thence

South 79 $^{\circ}$ 19'09" East 2,330.08 feet; thence

South 45 $^{\circ}$ 58'28" East 185.05 feet; thence

South 0 $^{\circ}$ 24'42" East 351.20 feet along the east boundary of the SW1/4SE1/4 of said Section 18 to the Point of Beginning.

Containing approximately 306.88 acres, together with appurtenant water right Nos. 37-26 & 37-27.

TOTAL ACREAGE: 1,299 acres, more or less

The United States owns the mineral estate in the non-Federal Cowcatcher Ridge (except for about 72 acres) and Sheep Bridge parcels described above by virtue of prior patent reservations. The mineral estate associated with the non-Federal Square Lake parcel is privately owned and would be conveyed to the United States in the exchange.

Both the Federal and non-Federal lands would be conveyed subject to known valid and existing rights and encumbrances of record. Subject to limitations prescribed by law and regulation, prior to patent issuance, a holder of any right-of-way within the Federal land may be given the opportunity to convert their right-of-way to an easement or to amend the right-of-way for conversion to a new term, including perpetuity, if applicable.

The exchange proposal is in conformance with the BLM's land use plans for the Shoshone Field Office. The Federal lands have been identified as suitable for disposal by exchange in the Sun Valley Management Framework Plan (MFP), as amended, and the non-Federal lands meet acquisition criteria specified in this plan as well as the Magic MFP and the Bennett Hills / Timmerman Hills MFP. The objectives of the exchange are to: (1) consolidate public and private land ownership patterns for more effective and efficient management and reduce conflicts between Federal land uses and private property; (2) resolve an inadvertent trespass; and (3) protect and enhance wildlife and riparian values, including BLM sensitive species habitat.

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The lands included in the exchange proposal will be appraised in accordance with Federal regulations and Federal appraisal standards. The values of the Federal and non-Federal lands must be equal, or capable of being equalized, in order for the exchange to be approved. Any difference in the appraised values may require the elimination of some of the above-described non-Federal lands.

Subject to valid existing rights, the Federal land identified above was segregated from appropriation under the public land laws and mineral laws beginning September 9, 2008.

R&PPA PROPOSAL (IDI-36276)

In accordance with the R&PPA, the City of Ketchum has filed an application with the BLM for consideration to dispose of two parcels of Federal lands to be used for recreation and public purposes totaling about 409 acres located in Blaine County, Idaho and described as follows.

FEDERAL R&PPA PARCEL 1

North R&PP Parcel (Hulen Meadows Floodplain and River Access Area)

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 4 N., R. 17 E.,

Section: 1 Lots 2, 5, & 8 (89.80 acres)

T. 5 N., R. 17 E.,

Section: 36 SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ (119.39 acres)

Containing approximately 209.19 acres, together with appurtenant water right Nos.

37-16906, 37-16945, 37-14472, 37-16482, and 37-17314.

FEDERAL R&PPA PARCEL 2

South R&PP Parcel (Hemingway Floodplain and River Access Area)

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 4 N., R. 17 E.,

Section: 13 W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Lot 6 (198.42 acres)

Containing approximately 198.42 acres, together with appurtenant water right Nos.

37-16907, 37-16908, and 37-16909.

TOTAL ACREAGE: 409 acres, more or less

The United States would retain the mineral estate for both the North and South R&PP parcels.

The Federal land would be conveyed subject to known valid and existing rights and encumbrances of record. Subject to limitations prescribed by law and regulation, prior to patent issuance, a holder of any right-of-way within the Federal land may be given the opportunity to convert their right-of-way to an easement or to amend the right-of-way for conversion to a new term, including perpetuity, if applicable.

The R&PPA proposal is in conformance with the BLM's land use plans for the Shoshone Field Office. The Federal lands have been identified as suitable for disposal pursuant to the R&PPA in the Sun Valley Management Framework Plan (MFP), as amended. The City of Ketchum proposes to use the identified lands for recreational purposes as well as to support the City's infrastructure as identified in their Plan of Development and Management Plan.

Pursuant to the R&PPA, conveyances of land for recreation or historical monument purposes are made without charge to State and local governments. The special pricing schedule for land which will be government-controlled, used for government purposes, and serve the public is \$10 an acre, with a minimum price per conveyance of \$50.

The BLM will conduct an environmental analysis, including resource reports required in order to determine whether or not to approve the exchange and/or R&PPA proposal. Interested parties and the general public may submit written comments concerning the lands being considered for exchange or disposal (R&PPA), including advising the BLM of any liens, encumbrances, or other claims relating to the identified lands, to Ruth A. Miller, Shoshone Field Manager, at the above address. In order to ensure consideration in the environmental analysis, it is requested that written comments be submitted to the Field Manager within 45 days of the date of the first publication of this Notice. Facsimiles, e-mails, and telephone calls are unacceptable means of comment submission. Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment - including your personal identifying information - may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

There will be an Open House to present the projects and solicit written comments on January 10, 2011 between 5:30 and 7:30 pm at Atkinson Park, 900 Third Ave North, at the intersection of Third Avenue and Eighth Street, in Ketchum, Idaho. More detailed information concerning the exchange and R&PPA proposals may be obtained from Tara Hagen, Realty Specialist, at the BLM Shoshone Field Office, 400 West F Street, Shoshone, ID 83352, (208) 732-7205.

Ruth A. Miller,

BLM Shoshone Field Office

Manager



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Manning numbers defy perception

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Hagerman boys, Oakley girls victorious

By Ryan Howe
Times-News writer

OAKLEY — Even though Hagerman shot lights-out in its 59-21 win over Oakley on Tuesday night, all anyone wanted to talk about afterwards was the Pirates' defense.

"It was all defense tonight," said Hagerman senior guard Ambrosio Nava, who led his team with 14 points. "It's a trust thing between the players. We trust each other to be there on help defense. We speed other teams up, take them out of their comfort zone and make them play our game."

Hagerman (5-3, 2-0) did exactly that, keeping full court pressure on the

Hornets and forcing them out of their halfcourt offense.

"We were looking to speed them up, pressure them 60 feet from the basket so that they forget about their size inside," said Hagerman coach Kevin Cato. "We were able to get some traps and get some turnovers, which helped to do that."

On the offensive end, the Pirates were on fire, hitting 10 treys. Six of their bombs came in the second quarter as the Pirates pulled away to lead 31-14 at halftime.

"We moved the ball around and everybody was on," Nava said.

Ryan Luttmer and Zac Reid each scored 13 points and Ryan Arnold

added nine for Hagerman, which invoked the 30-point running clock mercy rule in the fourth quarter.

Hagerman hopes to keep its hot streak going as it hosts Hansen on Thursday.

Oakley coach Tyler Matlock agreed that the Hornets appeared to still be on Christmas break.

"We've got three games this week, so we get straight into it," Matlock said. "Hopefully we'll have a better showing against Challis and Raft River. We've got to forget this and move on."

Oakley (2-8, 1-1) was led in scoring by Josh Lind's five points. Many Hornets fans participated in a Pink Out

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Hagerman's Ryan Arnold lays the ball up as Oakley's Eddie Setoki defends Tuesday at Oakley High School.

RYAN HOWE/
Times-News

MVCS closure leaves questions for Northside Conference

By Mike Christensen
Times-News writer

Monday's closure of Magic Valley Christian School created a ripple effect on the athletic front felt by several area schools.

No school felt it more than Lighthouse Christian School in Twin Falls, where 23 of the former Jerome school's students enrolled. That group, including 18 at the high school level, attended classes at LCS for the first time on Tuesday.

Among them was junior basketball player Dylan Van Esch. After helping MVCS to its first win in two seasons on Dec. 16, Van Esch joined a new team Tuesday and suited up for the Lions Tuesday night at Castleford.

Van Esch could be joined on the LCS varsity by another MVCS player later this week.

"It's tricky," Lighthouse Christian coach Ryan Franklin said of adding new faces to his lineup at midseason. "But it's a good problem to have."

The 18 new students at LCS bring the school's enrollment to 80 at the high school level, still well below the cap of 99 for teams at the Class 1A Division II level. If the new enrollees had pushed the Lions above 99, they could have faced a move back to 1A Division I at the Idaho High School Activities Association's next enrollment cycle.

Any MVCS athletes enrolling at new schools will be eligible to play immediately according to IHSAA rules.

"We don't punish a kid for a school closing," said Jerome athletic director Ty Jones, an IHSAA board representative.

Lighthouse Christian Athletic Director John van Vliet said the necessary

See **MVCS**, Sports 4

SIZE MATTERS

Buhl posts key win over Filer

By Stephen Meyers
Times News writer

With no clear-cut favorite to begin the season, the Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference was a bit of a mystery.

Some of that mystery was cleared up Tuesday night in Filer.

Behind towering 6-foot-4 Markus Lively and 6-foot-3 Mark Montgomery, Buhl dominated Filer 52-38 in front of a packed house.

"In this conference, every game can go either way," Montgomery said. "Tonight we stepped up and took care of the ball and earned a good win over a good Filer team."

A Filer team that dominated Buhl in a preseason jamboree in December.

"They walked all over us in the jamboree, so it feels really good to get the win here tonight," Lively said.

Lively scored 17 points, including 12 in a dominating second quarter that saw the Indians jump out to an 8-0 run and never look back. The lefty scored on an array of inside post moves and putbacks from offensive rebounds as the Indians dominated the glass over the shorter Filer Wildcats.

"Our shooters outside really helped open up the inside for me and it felt like everything I put up tonight was going in," Lively said. "We knew going in that we were the bigger team, but we had to go out tonight and prove it down low in the paint."

Montgomery used his size on both ends of the floor, scoring 14 points and shutting down Filer's own inside presence in 6-foot-5 Jared Allen, who was held



DREW NASH/Times-News

Filer's Austin Tews (5) puts the ball up as Buhl's Markus Lively, left, attempts to block the shot Tuesday night at Filer High School.

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to just four points.

"Jared is their only big guy and a good player, but we just stepped up and challenged him and were able to shut him down," Montgomery said.

No Filer player scored in double digits, as Austin Tews led the Wildcats with seven points. The offense was sluggish all night as Buhl frustrated the Filer ball handlers and never gave the sophomore guard any open looks.

"We just couldn't get into our normal offense that we are used to running," Tews said.

Kimberly drops to 4-5 and 0-1 in early SCIC play. "Defensively, we weren't there tonight. We needed to step up the intensity our next game," said Tews.

Buhl (4-3, 1-0 SCIC) plays at Declo tonight and for now is the early leader in the SCIC standings.

"Of course it's always a big win beating Filer, since

we're so close and we don't want to be at the bottom of this conference," Lively said. "Right now we know we can win in this conference."

Buhl 52, Filer 38

Buhl 6 20 10 16 - 52
Filer 7 10 7 14 - 38

BUHL (52)
Markus Lively 17, Scott Harris 9, Matt Hamilton 4, Camden Gillins 4, Kellen Gillins 3, Mark Montgomery 14, Jacob Morse 2. Totals 52. Totals 23 6-7 52.

FILER (38)
Logan Beard 2, Matt Ramseyer 6, Ryan Karel 6, Austin Tews 7, Marc Ramseyer 2, Austin Beard 2, Andrew Peterson 5, Jared Allen 4, Cody Reynolds 4. Totals 38. Totals 14 8-10 38.

3-point goals: Buhl 1 (Harris), Filer 2 (Matt Ramseyer, Peterson). Total fouls: Buhl 11, Filer 14. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Ohio State holds off Arkansas to win Sugar Bowl

The Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — Ohio State might want to send a thank-you note to the NCAA for helping to end its bowl misery against the SEC.

Terrelle Pryor threw two touchdown passes, helping the No. 6 Buckeyes build a big lead, and Solomon Thomas made an interception with 58 seconds remaining that sealed a 31-26 victory over eighth-ranked Arkansas in the Sugar Bowl on Tuesday night.

Pryor and Thomas were among five Ohio State players found to have violated



Ohio State wide receiver Dane Sanzenbacher (12) celebrates his touchdown against Arkansas during the first quarter of the Sugar Bowl at the Louisiana Superdome in New Orleans, Tuesday. AP photo

NCAA rules by selling memorabilia and getting discounted tattoos just before the Buckeyes (12-1)

headed for the Big Easy. In the end, Ohio State needed them all to beat a Southeastern Conference

team in a bowl for the first time. The Buckeyes had lost their previous nine postseason meetings against the SEC.

That group also included Dan Herron and DeVier Posey, who each scored a touchdown. But Thomas, the only backup among them, made the biggest play of all.

Arkansas (10-3) had a chance to complete an improbable comeback when Colton Miles-Nash leaped over two linemen to block a punt, putting the Razorbacks at the Ohio State 18 with 1:09 remaining.

But Thomas surprised Ryan Mallett by dropping

into coverage from his defensive end position. Mallett never saw him and Thomas held on to the pick to seal the win.

Pryor has vowed to return for his senior season, even though he won't be able to play until next October. He left the Ohio State faithful with a good memory, completing 14 of 25 passes, including a 15-yard TD to Dane Sanzenbacher and a 43-yarder to Posey.

Pryor also ran for a team-leading 115 yards.

Mallett was 24 of 47 for 277 yards, including a pair of touchdowns. But he'd sure like to have that last pass back.



CSI hoop squads tune-up for SWAC for TVCC

By Mike Christensen
Times-News writer

Playing an overmatched nonconference foe as the final tune-up before a key league matchup could be viewed as a negative. College of Southern Idaho men's basketball coach Steve Gosar and women's basketball coach Randy Rogers are doing their best to make sure today's games at Treasure Valley (Ore.) Community College are a positive for their squads.

The CSI women face TVCC at 5:30 p.m. in Ontario, Ore., with the men following at about 7:30. Both games will be broadcast live on 1450 AM KEZJ.

Tuesday's game is the first for the 14th-ranked CSI men since a Dec. 16 rout of Idaho Select.

"I think we've got to knock the rust off," said Gosar. "We've had such a long break between our last game and this game. ... We need to get into a good flow."

But with Saturday's 7:30 p.m. date with Scenic West Athletic Conference rival North Idaho looming, the 14-2 Golden Eagles will certainly be tempted to look ahead.

"Keeping our guys focused is going to be a hard thing to do," acknowledged Gosar. His team beat TVCC 133-81 on Nov. 26, but he's using the 81 points surrendered that night to get his team to focus on today's game and use it as a chance to get better.

The 13-3 CSI women are approaching tonight much the same. They beat Treasure Valley 92-41 on Dec. 3 and that result could cause the Golden Eagles to "take some possessions off and not have the same intensity," according to Rogers.

But with 12-2 North Idaho coming to town for a 5:30 p.m. matchup on Saturday, Rogers said tonight's game is a chance to work on execution, particularly with some new plays CSI put in over the holiday break.

See **CSI**, Sports 4

Kimberly girls top Canyon Ridge, 43-26

Times-News

The Kimberly girls basketball team overcame a miserable night at the foul line to beat Canyon Ridge 43-26 Tuesday night in non-conference action.

Nellie Makings scored nine points and Talya Murphy added eight to lead a balanced Kimberly attack, but the Bulldogs went 3-for-16 at the foul line.

Canyon Ridge hit only 13 of 28 free throws and made only six field goals.

"We just couldn't buy a basket," Canyon Ridge coach Kim Wray said. "Layups, free throws, 3s — we just shot terrible from the field."

Karly Hudelson scored 10 to lead Canyon Ridge, which hosts conference foe Burley on Thursday.

Kimberly 43, Canyon Ridge 26

Kimberly 43
Canyon Ridge 26
KIMBERLY (43)
Allison Cornie 4, Kaitlyn Goetz 7, Nellie Makings 9, Whitney Carlton 2, Averie Schroeder 3, Taylor Sievers 4, Kaitlin Keller 6, Talya Murphy 8, Totals 19 31-43.

CANYON RIDGE (26)
Kyla Rogers 2, Karly Hudelson 10, Kylee Denney 1, Cierra Ehlers 3, Michelle Keys 1, Breyanna Burk 6, Catelyn Joslin 3, Totals 6 13-26.
3-point goals: Kimberly 2 (Makings, Goetz); Canyon Ridge 1 (Hudelson). Total fouls: Kimberly 19, Canyon Ridge 12. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Valley 38, Glens Ferry 37

Valene Lickley hit a shot with 1.6 seconds remaining to lift Valley to a 38-37 home win over Glens Ferry on Tuesday. The Pilots led by four in the final minute before Cheyanna Nelson capped her 11-point night with a 3-pointer to bring the Vikings within one at 37-36.

After stealing an inbound pass, Valley set up its final possession and hit Lickley in the post for the game-winner.

Mollee Shrum scored 14 for the Pilots, while Karli McHone added nine. Valley coach Liz Thomas praised the play of Nelson and freshman point guard Marlee Mussmann.

Valley (4-7) travels to Buhl today.

Valley 38, Glens Ferry 37

Glens Ferry 37
Valley 38
GLENS FERRY (37)
Karli McHone 9, Darby Fox 2, Jennifer Popoca 3, Mollee Shrum 14, Kendall Martell 5, Sara Arellano 4, Totals 13 8-17 37.

VALLEY (38)
Gabby Beck 7, Valene Lickley 6, Kaylee Kent 4, Marlee Mussmann 1, Lizzy Henry 3, Conny Chaires 2, Cheyanna Nelson 11, Kami Elorrieta 4, Totals 15 6-17 38.
3-point goals: Glens Ferry 3 (McHone, Popoca, Martell); Valley 2 (Nelson 2). Total fouls: Glens Ferry 20, Valley 15. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Twin Falls 61, Century 45

Twin Falls outlasted Century 61-45 on Tuesday.

The Bruins stifled Century with tight defense and a high-octane offense led by Jazlyn Nielsen's 13 points and Allie Kelsey's 10. Twin Falls (10-2) travels to Wood River on Thursday.

Twin Falls 61, Century 45

Century 45
Twin Falls 61
CENTURY (45)
Anderson 11, Peck 8, Donaldson 4, Johnson 11, Roberts 7, Keoga 4, Totals 8 12-45 45.
TWIN FALLS (61)
Brylee Bartlett 1, Josie Jordan 6, Alexin Clark 8, Jasmine Robertson 2, Alyssa Soloaga 7, Mallory Jund 6, Allie Kelsey 10, Ashlee Finch 2, Jazlyn Nielsen 13, Alex Simmons 6, Totals 22 11-16 61.
3-point goals: Century 3 (Anderson, Peck 2), Twin Falls 2 (Kelsey). Total fouls: Century 14, Twin Falls 14. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Victorious

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night, wearing pink sweatshirts that were purchased with proceeds going to the American Breast Cancer Society.

Girls

Oakley 39, Hagerman 27

Victoria Hale didn't have a great first half of the season, so the senior forward used the holiday break to refocus.

"A lot of it was my mental preparation," she said.

In the first game back from the break, Hale scored her season-high 10 points off the bench to help Oakley to a 39-27 win over Hagerman on Tuesday.

"I had a rough first half of the season, and I just decided I've got to get back to how I was last year. I've got to do my part for the team," Hale said.

The full-court pressure defense by Oakley's senior-heavy team was the difference in rattling Hagerman, which is made up of several sophomores and freshmen.

"They hustled," Oakley coach Kristin Jones said of her players. "It's hard to press a team an entire game, and coming off the break I was worried about being in shape, but they handled it pretty well."

Hagerman (2-8, 0-3) was able to run

Wood River 53, Filer 30

On the strength of 19 points, eight rebounds and four steals from forward Haylee Thompson, Wood River bounced Filer 53-30 on Tuesday.

Kaitana Martinez had 14 points and six assists and Cheyenne Swanson recorded four boards for Wood River (10-1, 3-1 Great Basin Conference).

Jessica Tews led Filer with nine points followed by Taylor Oyler with eight.

Wood River hosts Twin Falls and Filer entertains Buhl on Thursday.

Wood River 53, Filer 30

Filer 30
Wood River 53
WOOD RIVER (53)
Jessica Tews 9, Myla Jeffries 2, Aubry Sharp 2, Jessica Hughes 1, Taylor Oyler 8, Katie Williams 2, Audrey Croft 6, Totals 21 7-30 30.

WOOD RIVER (53)
Allie Hesteness 2, Taylor Hayes 6, Kaitana Martinez 14, Jade Glenn 4, Hallie Taylor 2, Haylee Thompson 19, Cheyenne Swanson 6, Totals 23 5-10 53.
3-point goals: Filer 1 (Tews), Wood River 2 (Martinez 2). Total fouls: Filer 12, Wood River 12. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Shoshone 41, Hansen 17

Shoshone dominated the first three quarters before coasting to a 41-17 home win over Hansen on Tuesday. The Indians led 31-6 after three periods.

Mariah Schoolcraft scored 10 points off the bench to lead Shoshone, while coach Tim Chapman also praised the bench play of Cara Pantone.

Nadine Gardina's eight points led Hansen.

Shoshone (9-2, 2-1 Snake River Conference North) travels to Oakley on Friday.

Shoshone 41, Hansen 17

Hansen 17
Shoshone 41
HANSEN (17)
Kendra Urena 3, Nadine Gardina 8, Dori Lockwood 2, Mickelle Baxter 2, Taylor Harris 2, Totals 7 3-9 17.

SHOSHONE (41)
Mariah Schoolcraft 10, Kelcie Hutchins 7, Jessie Simonson 2, Jessica Chitwood 2, Kylee Stein 6, Jennica Kerner 4, Michelle Aoi 4, Christy Race 4, Cara Pantone 2, Totals 18 4-8 41.
3-point goals: Shoshone 1 (Hutchins). Total fouls: Hansen 9, Shoshone 16. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Bliss JV 24, Murtaugh 19

After jumping out in the first quarter, Murtaugh ran out of momentum in a 24-19 loss to the Bliss junior varsity.

Bliss' defense did not allow the Red Devils to score in the second quarter.

Murtaugh (0-10) travels to Castelford on Thursday.

Bliss 24, Murtaugh 19

Bliss 24
Murtaugh 19
BLISS (24)
Lockleer 1, Estephania Altamarano 4, Abby Burk 15, Demise Butler 2, Chelsey McLaughlin 2.

MURTAUGH (19)
Fatima Miranda 6, Hannah Bates 2, Angelica Gonzales 2, Brook Worthington 9.
3-point goals: none. Total fouls: Bliss 8, Murtaugh 15. Fouled out: Murtaugh, Bates. Technical fouls: none.

Richfield 58, Camas County 15

Sasha Kent notched 12 points and Mirian Rivas netted 10 as Richfield roared passed Camas County 58-15.

Carlie Strom scored six points in the loss for Camas County.

Richfield (8-3) travels to Carey on Thursday.

Richfield 58, Camas County 15

Camas County 15
Richfield 58
RICHFIELD (58)
Larissa Stewart 3, Carlie Strom 6, Stephanie Moore 4, Brittani Hulme 2, Totals 5 5-10 15.

CAMAS COUNTY (15)
Larissa Stewart 3, Carlie Strom 6, Stephanie Moore 4, Brittani Hulme 2, Totals 5 5-10 15.

RICHFIELD (58)
Mirian Rivas 10, Sasha Kent 12, Kaylee Eton 9, Michaela Edwards 3, Breanna Brockman 4, Keegan Cenarrusa 2, Danielle Edwards 9, Shelby King 8, Kallee Scott 2, Sam Edwards 1, Totals 21 6-10 58.
3-point goals: Richfield 4 (Rivas 2, Kent 2). Total fouls: Camas County 8, Richfield 7. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Castelford 50, Lighthouse Christian 36

Kendra Flores had the hot hand as she netted 21 points in Castelford's 50-36 victory over Lighthouse Christian on Tuesday.

The Lions lost despite a 21-point performance by Kyanna Jones.

Castelford (4-5) hosts Murtaugh on Thursday.

Castelford 50, Lighthouse Christian 36

Lighthouse Christian 36
Castelford 50
LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (36)
Kyanna Jones 21, Alex VerHoeven 6, Brooklyn VanderStelt 6, Andrea Helman 2, Dana Dekruyf 1, Totals 14 8-13.

CASTLEFORD (50)
Roxanne Hill 4, Lisa Canuto 8, Amanda Staggs 4, Fallon Machado 1, Kylie Weeks 4, Jessica Welch 8, Kendra Flores 21, Totals 23 4-14.
3-point goals: none. Total fouls: LCS 12, Castelford 16. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Mountain Home 53, Jerome 45

Mountain Home outlasted Jerome 53-45 on Tuesday.

The Tigers got 18 points from Carrie Thibault and 13 from Haylee Burnham but could not find their rhythm on the court and Mountain Home capitalized.

Jerome (8-4) hosts Minico on Thursday.

Mountain Home 53, Jerome 45

Mountain Home 53
Jerome 45
MOUNTAIN HOME (53)
Lierche 12, Beck 12, Equisuitza 2, Warrila 7, Janis-Gibson 8, Barrie 12, Totals 22 7-15 53.

JEROME (45)
Haylee Burnham 13, Carrie Thibault 18, Jasmine Branch 5, Frankie Carey 1, Hanna Hillier 4, Kylie Bright 4, Totals 13 14-19 45.
3-point goals: Mountain Home 2 (Lierche, Warrila), Jerome 5 (Burnham 3, Thibault 2). Total fouls: Mountain Home 19, Jerome 15. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Carey 57, Community School 23

Carey rolled past the Community School 57-23 in its first game back from the holiday break.

Jaide Parke led the Panthers with 17 points and Micaela Adamson added 12. Carey jumped out to a 29-11 lead in the first half and never relented.

Carey (6-3) hosts Northside Conference foe Richfield on Thursday.

Carey 57, Community School 23

Community School 23
Carey 57
COMMUNITY SCHOOL (23)
Julie Doan 2, Paige Riedinger 4, Taylor Figge 4, Chelsea Cloud 2, Natalie Goddard 3, Ella Marks 8, Totals 11 8-23.

CAREY (57)
Jaide Parke 17, Lilly Rivera 4, Darby Northcott 2, Lorene Andrews 8, Micaela Adamson 12, Nicole Gomez 5, Morgan Parke 7, Charmaine Kirkland 2, Totals 24 9-15 57.
3-point goals: none. Total fouls: Community School 11, Carey 8. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Boys basketball

Carey 58, Valley 50

Blair Peck hit five 3-pointers and scored a game-high 21 points to lead Carey to a 58-50 win over visiting Valley on Tuesday.

Three Vikings scored in double figures, including Austin Shawver with 15, Justin Johnson with 11 and John Cahoun with 10. But Carey created several turnovers to pull out the win and move to 8-2 on the season.

Carey 58, Valley 50

Valley 50
Carey 58
VALLEY (50)
Justin Johnson 11, Fernando Vivanco 3, Jorge Juarez 2, Austin Shawver 15, Matthew Ivey 9, John Cahoun 10, Totals 15 17-23 50.

CAREY (58)
Brandon Dilworth 4, Shane Bingham 7, Caleb Cenarrusa 3, Blair Peck 21, Jack Cenarrusa 2, Jacy Baird 5, Dillon Cenarrusa 4, Baley Barg 9, Charlie Rivera 3, Totals 21 11-16 58.
3-point goals: Valley 3 (Johnson, Sawyer, Ivey); Carey 5 (Peck 5). Total fouls: Carey 17, Valley 15. Fouled out: Valley, Cahoun. Technical fouls: none.

Castelford 68, Lighthouse Christian 31

Tyler Hansen scored 21 points and Kale Weekes added 20 as Castelford routed visiting Lighthouse Christian 68-31 on Tuesday.

The Wolves (6-0) used full-court pressure to thwart the Lions. Former Magic Valley Christian player Dillon Van Esch scored five points in his first game with Lighthouse Christian.

Mitch Howard scored 11 for Castelford, which hosts Dietrich on Saturday.

Castelford 68, Lighthouse Christian 31

Lighthouse Christian 31
Castelford 68
LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (31)
Hamilton 7, Goettle 7, Helman 6, Van Esch 5, Heath 2, Berndt 2, VanderStelt 2, Totals 14 2-5 31.

CASTLEFORD (68)
Tyler Hansen 21, Kale Weekes 20, Mitch Howard 11, Destry Weekes 6, Dylan Kinyon 4, Clayton Kline 2, Tanner Allred 2, Houston Horner 2, Totals 28 11-16 69.
3-point goals: Lighthouse Christian 1 (Hamilton); Castelford 1 (Howard). Total fouls: Lighthouse Christian 13, Castelford 8. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Kimberly 56, American Falls 29

Kimberly destroyed American Falls 56-29 on Tuesday.

Led by Brian Crane's 10 points and Tevan Brady's nine, the Bulldogs lit up the scoreboard in the first half but lost their tempo in the third quarter. They recovered in the fourth quarter to shut out any hopes of a comeback by American falls.

Kimberly (6-0) hosts Canyon Ridge today.

Kimberly 56, American Falls 29

American Falls 29
Kimberly 56
AMERICAN FALLS (29)
Palmer 3, Wright 3, Crest 3, Wageman 3, Ship 3, Marcilla 6, Torres 8, Totals 11 5-11 29.

KIMBERLY (56)
Gage Huff 2, Cody Casperson 6, Seth Champlin 4, Dalton Harmon 7, Derek Maloney 4, Brian Crane 10, Brock Hulsey 2, Tevan Brady 9, Caver Molyneux 3, Zack Funk 4, Jacob Howell 3, Totals 23 7-18 56.
3-point goals: American Falls 2 (Wageman, Shipp), Kimberly 1 (Harmon). Total fouls: American Falls 14, Kimberly 11. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: American, Wageman.

Shoshone 53, Hansen 26

Shoshone opened 2011 with a 53-26 win over Hansen, moving the Indians to 8-0 for the season.

Garrett Sant led the Indians with 21 points and pulled down nine rebounds. Shoshone outscored Hansen 25-3 in the third quarter with Sant scoring 13 of his 21 points in the period.

Devon Spearing led Hansen with 10 points followed by Kevin Fuller with eight.

Hansen is at Hagerman and Shoshone (2-0 Snake River North) hosts Gooding on Thursday.

Shoshone 53, Hansen 26

Hansen 26
Shoshone 53
HANSEN (26)
Devon Spearing 10, Kevin Fuller 8, Pete Veenstra 2, Seth Williams 6, Totals 9 9-23 26.

SHOSHONE (53)
Julio Garcia 4, Snye Axelson 7, Garrett Sant 21, Thomas Lanham 6, Gage Roberts 9, Shane Walsh 2, Gilberto Hernandez 2, Nathan Huyser 2, Totals 24 3-8 53.
3-point goals: Hansen 1 (Williams), Shoshone 2 (Sant, Axelson). Total fouls: Hansen 8, Shoshone 14. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

points, six rebounds and six steals. Kory Poulton added five points and 10 rebounds. Oakley got 15 points off the bench, including five from Hanna Pickett.

"I love this group, this is a great group of girls," Jones said. "They've worked hard for me for four years. When they play to their potential, they're dangerous."

Oakley had an 18-2 run in the second quarter to take control, although Hagerman kept within shouting distance until Oakley finally put it away by pushing its advantage to double digits in the fourth.

Senior guard Cheyenne Crist led Hagerman in scoring with seven points, while senior Raven Aiken and sophomore Jessica Regnier each had six points.

Boys

Hagerman 59, Oakley 21
Hagerman 59
OAKLEY (21)
Christian Hines 3, Ryan Arnold 9, Ambrosio Nava 14, Ryan Luttmer 13, Jake Kast 3, Xavier Strick 2, Cody Mays 2, Zac Reid 13, Totals 21 7-11 59.

OAKLEY (21)
Travis Robinson 2, Garrett Critchfield 2, Eddie Setok 4, Brodie Bell 4, Josh Lind 5, Parker Kimber 2, Gerrit Wybenga 2, Totals 10 1-12 21.
3-point goals: Hagerman 10 (Arnold, Nava 4, Luttmer 4, Reid). Total fouls: Hagerman 14, Oakley 8.

Girls

Oakley 39, Hagerman 27
Hagerman 27
OAKLEY (39)
Elisha Alves 2, Victoria Hale 10, Jordan Lierman 5, Kory Poulton 5, Sabrina Wybenga 11, Hanna Pickett 5, Addie Beck 3.

3-point goals: Hagerman 1 (Crist), Oakley 1 (Lierman). Total fouls: Hagerman 19, Oakley 14.

Miami heats up late to beat Bucks

MIAMI — For three quarters, the Miami Heat looked stagnant, nothing like the team with the NBA's best record over the last five weeks.

One big run was all the Heat needed to break free again.

Dwyane Wade scored 34 points, LeBron James added 25 points and nine assists, and the sizzling Miami Heat pulled away in the fourth quarter to beat the Milwaukee Bucks 101-89 on Tuesday night for their 19th win in 20 games.

Chris Bosh finished with 19 points and 12 rebounds for the Heat, who trailed most of the third quarter before putting together a 32-13 burst, sealed by a 13-0 run in the final minutes.

It was Miami's final home game for two weeks; the Heat start a five-game, 10-day trip in Milwaukee on Friday. Miami has won 11 straight away from home.

Knicks 128, Spurs 115

NEW YORK — Wilson Chandler scored a season-high 31 points, and the Knicks overwhelmed with a sensational offensive performance.

Amare Stoudemire and Raymond Felton added 28 apiece for the Knicks, who snapped the Spurs' four-game winning streak and dropped them to 29-5. New York rang up the highest point total San Antonio has allowed this season, shooting 55 percent and leading most of the way in its second straight victory.

Tony Parker had 26 points for the Spurs, who will try to regroup when they head to Boston on Wednesday for a matchup

Mavericks 84, Trail Blazers 81

DALLAS — Jason Terry scored 12 of his 18 points in the fourth quarter, DeShawn Stevenson also had 18 points and injury-depleted Dallas held on for the victory.

Lamarus Aldridge had 28 points and 10 rebounds and Marcus Camby contributed 10 points and 20 rebounds for Portland.

Tyson Chandler added 14 points and 13 rebounds for the Mavericks, who are without injured starters Dirk

Nowitzki and Caron Butler.

Grizzlies 110, Thunder 105

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Zach Randolph scored 31 points, including 13 in the fourth quarter, and Tony Allen made two late free throws to help the Grizzlies get the win.

Allen's two free throws with 15 seconds left gave Memphis a 108-105 lead. Thunder star Kevin Durant missed a deep 3-pointer on the next possession and Randolph sealed the win with two more foul shots.

Bulls 111, Raptors 91

CHICAGO — Luol Deng scored 24 points, leading surging Chicago to another victory.

Derrick Rose added 19 points and six assists for the Bulls, who have won five straight and 14 of 16. Reserve Taj Gibson had 16 points and 14 rebounds, helping Chicago to a 44-33 edge on the glass and a 58-38 advantage in points in the paint.

— The Associated Press

Notre Dame outlasts UConn in Big East battle

SOUTH BEND, Ind. — Ben Hansbrough scored 21 points and Notre Dame survived a late surge by No. 8 Connecticut to beat the Huskies 73-70 on Tuesday night.

Kemba Walker, averaging 26.7 points entering the game, scored 19 to lead Connecticut (11-2, 1-2 Big East) but had his string of 11 straight games with at least 20 points snapped.

Walker, under tough defense from Hansbrough, shot just 8 for 23 but helped UConn rally from a late 11-point deficit to get within two in the closing seconds. Shabazz Napier added 18 for the Huskies.

Tim Abromaitis, who missed three free throws in the final seconds, added 19 points for the Irish (13-2, 2-1), who were without starting forward Carleton Scott because of a hamstring injury. Notre Dame is 10-0 at home this season.

No. 2 Ohio St. 73, Iowa 68

IOWA CITY, Iowa — Freshman Jared Sullinger had 24 points and 12 rebounds and No. 2 Ohio State rallied to overtake Iowa.

Jon Diebler added 14 points for the Buckeyes (15-0, 2-0 Big Ten), who have won five straight over the Hawkeyes for the first time in school history.

No. 5 Pittsburgh 83, Providence 79

PROVIDENCE, R.I. — Gary McGhee scored all of his 13 points in the second half, grabbing a key rebound and making two free throws with 18 seconds left to lead Pittsburgh.

Gilbert Brown scored 17 points in the first half, but ran into foul trouble in the second and finished with 19 for the Panthers (14-1, 2-0 Big East).

No. 12 Texas 79, Arkansas 46

AUSTIN, Texas — Jordan Hamilton scored 16 points to lead Texas.

Hamilton led four Longhorns (12-2) in double figures as freshman Tristan Thompson added 14 points and Gary Johnson and Jai Lucas had 13 each. Johnson had a team-high nine rebounds while Lucas' scoring matched his career-high at Texas.

SCOREBOARD

BASKETBALL

NBA All Times MST EASTERN					
ATLANTIC	W	L	Pct	GB	
Boston	26	7	.788	—	
New York	20	14	.588	6½	
Philadelphia	13	21	.382	13½	
Toronto	11	23	.324	15½	
New Jersey	9	25	.265	17½	
SOUTHEAST	W	L	Pct	GB	
Miami	28	9	.757	—	
Orlando	22	12	.647	4½	
Atlanta	22	14	.611	5½	
Charlotte	11	21	.344	14½	
Washington	8	24	.250	17½	
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB	
Chicago	23	10	.697	—	
Indiana	14	18	.438	8½	
Milwaukee	13	19	.406	9½	
Detroit	11	23	.324	12½	
Cleveland	8	26	.235	15½	
PACIFIC	W	L	Pct	GB	
L.A. Lakers	23	11	.676	—	
Phoenix	14	18	.438	8	
Golden State	13	21	.382	10	
L.A. Clippers	10	24	.294	13	
Sacramento	7	24	.226	14½	

Monday's Games					
Miami 96, Charlotte 82					
Orlando 110, Golden State 90					
Boston 96, Minnesota 93					
New Orleans 84, Philadelphia 77					
Denver 113, Houston 106					
Utah 102, Detroit 97					

Tuesday's Games					
Miami 101, Milwaukee 89					
New York 128, San Antonio 115					
Chicago 111, Toronto 91					
Memphis 110, Oklahoma City 105					
Dallas 84, Portland 81					
Atlanta at Sacramento, late					
Detroit at L.A. Lakers, late					

Wednesday's Games					
Toronto at Cleveland, 5 p.m.					
Chicago at New Jersey, 5 p.m.					
Milwaukee at Orlando, 5 p.m.					
Washington at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.					
San Antonio at Boston, 5:30 p.m.					
Charlotte at Minnesota, 6 p.m.					
Golden State at New Orleans, 6 p.m.					
Portland at Houston, 6:30 p.m.					
Atlanta at Utah, 7 p.m.					
Denver at L.A. Clippers, 8:30 p.m.					
L.A. Lakers at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m.					

Thursday's Games					
Oklahoma City at Dallas, 6 p.m.					
Denver at Sacramento, 8:30 p.m.					

NBA Boxes					
HEAT 101, BUCKS 89					

MILWAUKEE (81)					
Mihaj a Mouette 1-6	7:10	9.	Ilyasova 3-7	0-0	7.
Bogut 7-13	2-5	16.	Booling 4-8	5-14	1.
Salmons 6-18	4-4	18.	Maggette 1-4	5-6	7.
Boykins 2-8	2-2	6.	Brockman 3-3	0-0	6.
Douglas-Roberts 2-6	2-1	6.	Totals 29-76	26-34	89.

MIAMI (101)					
James 8-15	9-11	25.	Bosh 6-13	7-9	19.
Ilgaukas 3-5	0-0	6.	Arroyo 1-7	0-0	2.
Wade 10-19	13-35	34.	Howard 0-2	0-0	0.
Jones 1-2	1-4	2.	Chalmers 2-5	2	1.
Miller 0-1	0-0	0.	Anthony 0-0	0-0	0.
Totals 33-74	31-77	101.			

Milwaukee					
W	20	31	19	—	89
L	26	21	26	28	—

Miami					
W	26	21	26	28	—
L	10	11	11	11	—

SAN ANTONIO (115)					
Duncan 5-14	4-4	14.	Jefferson 5-8	2-4	13.
Blair 8-12	1-2	17.	Parker 9-15	8-11	26.
Ginobili 5-11	4-15	26.	Hill 5-6	2-2	13.
McDermott 2-2	0-0	4.	Neal 3-11	1-1	8.
Udoka 0-0	2-0	0.	Splitter 0-0	0-0	0.
Quinn 1-2	0-0	3.	Totals 44-82	22-43	128.

NEW YORK (128)					
Chandler 13-19	2-2	31.	Stoudemire 11-17	6-8	28.
Turiah 2-2	0-0	4.	Fields 5-10	3-3	13.
Felton 10-17	6-6	28.	Douglas 3-10	2-3	9.
Williams 4-10	0-0	9.	Walker 2-6	1-1	6.
Totals 30-91	20-23	128.			

SAN ANTONIO					
W	35	34	26	20	—
L	36	36	29	27	—

NEW YORK					
W	35	34	26	20	—
L	36	36	29	27	—

TORONTO (91)					
Kleiza 4-10	0-0	8.	A. Johnson 4-4	1-1	9.
Bargnani 7-17	8-23	26.	Bayless 4-10	2-2	11.
DeRozan 7-14	4-4	18.	Davis 2-0	4-4	18.
Barbosa 6-15	0-1	15.	Wright 0-1	1-2	1.
Dorsey 0-0	0-0	0.	Dupree 1-4	0-0	2.
Alabi 0-0	0-0	0.	Totals 35-78	16-19	91.

CHICAGO (111)					
Deng 9-17	5-9	24.	Boozer 5-11	2-2	12.
Gibson 1-2	0-0	2.	Thomas 1-2	0-0	2.
Brewer 4-10	4-12	22.	Asik 5-6	3-4	13.
Korver 1-5	1-2	4.	Watson 2-5	1-2	5.
Johnson 0-0	0-0	0.	Scalabrino 1-1	0-0	2.
Totals 44-83	19-28	111.			

TORONTO					
W	27	14	28	—	91
L	29	30	22	30	—

OKLAHOMA CITY (105)					
Durant 11-24	5-5	28.	Green 1-5	6-6	8.
Krstic 2-4	0-0	4.	Westbrook 10-20	7-9	28.
Sefolosha 2-5	0-0	4.	Idaka 4-6	0-0	8.
Harden 6-7	2-3	17.	Collison 2-3	0-0	4.
Maynor 1-2	2-2	4.	Totals 39-76	22-25	105.

MEMPHIS (110)					
Gay 12-18	3-4	27.	Randolph 11-20	9-10	31.
Gasol 5-8	0-2	10.	Conley 4-11	1-2	9.
Allen 6-13	5-5	19.	Young 1-3	2-2	4.
Arthur 4-10	1-3	9.	Vasquez 0-1	1-1	2.
Totals 43-84	22-30	110.			

OKLAHOMA CITY					
W	27	28	22	28	—
L	31	24	24	31	—

MEMPHIS					
W	31	24	24	31	—
L	10	11	11	11	—

PORTLAND (81)					
Batum 5-12	2-2	13.	Aldridge 11-23	6-8	28.
Camby 5-10	0-0	10.	Matthews 3-11	2-4	10.
Cunningham 0-1	0-0	0.	Marks 0-0	0-0	0.
Fernandez 1-4	0-1	2.	Mills 4-7	0-0	9.
Pryzbilla 0-1	0-0	0.	Totals 33-79	11-17	84.

DALLAS (84)					
Stevenson 5-12	4-4	18.	Marion 3-8	2-2	8.
Chandler 7-9	0-1	14.	Kidd 3-12	1-1	8.
Terry 8-19	0-0	18.	Barea 3-8	3-3	10.
Cardinal 0-1	0-0	0.	Fouled Out—None.		
Rebounds—Portland 49			Dallas 50		
Assists—Portland 17			Camby, Mills 4		
Dallas 22			Totals 33-77	10-13	84.

PORTLAND					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

PORTLAND					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

PORTLAND					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

PORTLAND					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

TORONTO					
W	27	14	28	—	91
L	29	30	22	30	—

CHICAGO					
W	27	14	28	—	91
L	29	30	22	30	—

OKLAHOMA CITY (105)					
W	27	28	22	28	—
L	31	24	24	31	—

MEMPHIS (110)					
W	31	24	24	31	—
L	10	11	11	11	—

PORTLAND (81)					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS (84)					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

PORTLAND					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

PORTLAND					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

PORTLAND					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

DALLAS					
W	24	16	20	21	—
L	19	19	22	—	81

PORTLAND					
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Stanford's Harbaugh offers no insight into future

STANFORD, Calif. — Jim Harbaugh has returned to a welcome-home rally on Stanford's campus and offered no insight to what's next: staying put, bolting to the NFL or going elsewhere.

Harbaugh shook his head no Tuesday night when asked if he had considered his options, then briefly addressed a crowd of several hundred before being whisked away. On Monday, Stanford earned a 40-12 Orange Bowl victory over Virginia Tech in Miami to finish with a program-best 12-1 record.

Harbaugh now has to weigh his choices, with suitors from coast to coast. From the Miami Dolphins, Denver Broncos and San Francisco 49ers, Harbaugh is a hot commodity around the country. And what about his alma mater, Michigan? Michigan and Rich Rodriguez

were set to meet again Wednesday to discuss the embattled coach's future.

MARVIN LEWIS WILL STAY AS BENGALS COACH

CINCINNATI — The front office won't change significantly. The Bengals will still be practicing in the cold. Even with all that, Marvin Lewis decided to stay.

Lewis agreed to an unspecified contract extension on Tuesday that will make him the longest-tenured coach in club history. Owner Mike Brown agreed to changes in the coaching staff and the roster as part of a deal that left both sides comfortable.

The Bengals are coming off a 4-12 season and have had only two winning records in the last 20 years — both under Lewis, who is 60-69-1 in eight seasons, including

losses in both playoff appearances. "We are close to being the kind of team we can be," Brown said. "I think continuity will give us the best shot at becoming that team. We have a good relationship, Marvin and I. We work well together. It isn't an easy relationship, but it's a good one."

Lewis wanted to stay, but only if there were changes in how the team operates. The team initially offered an extension last season, when the Bengals were on their way to winning the AFC North title.

The coach and owner met on Monday and talked about what Lewis needed to stay. They had more discussions on Tuesday morning and reached an agreement in the afternoon.

JONES EXPECTS TO PICK COWBOYS COACH SOON

IRVING, Texas — As Jerry Jones considered minority candidates for

his next head coach, front-runner Jason Garrett remained hard at work, too, on Tuesday.

No longer interim coach, Garrett is still the assistant head coach and offensive coordinator. So he was at his desk doing what he was supposed to be doing two days after the end of the season.

"Evaluations, evaluations, evaluations," he said.

Anything else to add? "None," he said while walking back into his office.

Jones said on his radio show Tuesday morning that he could have a decision by the afternoon and an announcement Wednesday. The hold-up seems to be complying with the Rooney Rule, which requires teams to consider minority candidates.

"We're moving at a real good rate from a timing standpoint," Jones said. "I expect a pretty immediate resolve."

HASSELBECK, WHITEHURST SPLIT REPS FOR SEATTLE

RENTON, Wash. — Seahawks quarterbacks Matt Hasselbeck and Charlie Whitehurst split reps in Seattle's first practice in preparation for its NFC playoff game against New Orleans.

Coach Pete Carroll had said on Monday that the duo would split reps early in the week before a decision was made on who the starter would be for Saturday's game. Seattle does not have to submit an official practice participation report to the league until Wednesday.

Whitehurst started and helped lead Seattle to a 16-6 win over St. Louis last Sunday that wrapped up the NFC West title. Hasselbeck sat out that game with a hip strain suffered a week earlier against Tampa Bay.

— The Associated Press

Manning's numbers defy perception of 'down' season

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Peyton Manning has heard it all this season.

It's a "down" year. Age is catching up to him. Something must have caused the worst slump of his pro career.

Turns out, it was all image. While Manning's quarterback rating did slip this season, he still completed more than 66 percent of his passes, still threw for 4,700 yards and still threw 33 touchdown passes.

"The numbers speak for themselves, and I think anytime you have a guy throw for 4,700 yards and 33 touchdowns, any team would take that," left tackle Charlie Johnson said Tuesday. "It just shows how productive he's been."

In some ways, Manning has been so good over the years that he's a victim of his own success.

Most want to compare Manning's usually impeccable seasons against one another, and using that standard, Manning may never top his record-setting 2004 — 49 TD passes and 4,557 yards, numbers that would have gone even higher had Manning not left games early several times that season.

This year, Manning's mediocre 91.9 passer rating could be evidence of a slide.

But Manning has posted some of the best numbers of



AP photo

Indianapolis Colts quarterback Peyton Manning (18) put up big numbers in 2010 despite many saying his play slipped.

his career.

He had career-highs in attempts (679) and yards. His 33 TDs match his second-highest total in a season, and it's the second time he's ever topped 30 TDs in back-to-back seasons. Manning's completion percentage

(66.3), while down from 2009's 68.8, still ranks above

his career average of 64.9.

And despite throwing 11 interceptions in three games earlier this season, Manning threw 17 picks — one more than he did last season when he won his fourth MVP Award.

"Somebody was asking 'Did you all have a team meeting or did you try to help

other guys?'" Manning said, describing how he broke out of the slump. "I was trying to help myself. I thought before I started trying to help other guys do their jobs, I needed to be sure I'm doing my job. I didn't think I was doing my job well enough. I was determined to play better."

Since then, he's thrown nine TDs, two interceptions and gone 4-0.

But what's most impressive is how Manning has done it.

He had virtually no running game for the first 12 weeks and lost All-Pro tight end Dallas Clark, his favorite outlet receiver, with a season-ending wrist injury Oct. 17. Slot receiver Austin Collie has missed most of the last nine games, meaning Manning has had to rely on unheralded guys such as Jacob Tamme and Blair White to do most of the damage.

So Manning adapted. He threw shorter, quicker passes, which resulted in a noticeable drop in his average per attempt — from 7.68 over his first 12 seasons to 6.92 in 2010.

But the overall results were essentially the same. Manning led the Colts (10-6) to their seventh AFC South title in eight years, tied the NFL record with a ninth consecutive playoff berth and set up a Saturday night wildcard showdown with the Jets.

Oregon, Auburn practice to different soundtracks

PHOENIX (AP) — The lineman-sized guy with the long shorts and "O" on his hat gave the first indication of the frenetic pace behind the gate.

"You better hurry — you've got 10 minutes," he said. "The clock is ticking."

He wasn't kidding.

With Wolfmother's "Joker And The Thief" blaring from massive speakers near midfield, Oregon's players opened Tuesday's practice by forming lines and clapping to the beat. About the time the song hit the first chorus, the second-ranked Ducks sprinted to every corner of the field, breaking into positional groups for a series of quick-hitting drills, bodies and balls flying all over the north Phoenix high school field.

Even in practice, a month after their last game, no less, these Ducks can fly.

"It's been unbelievable," Oregon defensive tackle

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Brandon Bair said. "We haven't missed a beat."

At a Scottsdale community college nearly 20 miles away, Auburn (13-0) was going through its first practice in the desert before Monday's BCS national title game at University of Phoenix Stadium.

The soundtrack was different, the intensity the same.

Playing to the rhythm of crunching pads and yelling coaches instead of music, the top-ranked Tigers shook off the rust with a two-hour-or-so practice that left them looking focused and relaxed after being greeted by dozens of fans at the team hotel the

night before.

"Hopefully, we can create our own soundtrack," said Cam Newton, Auburn's Heisman Trophy-winning quarterback. "But it depends on who's doing the playlist; hopefully it's not coach (Gene) Chizik."

They've been waiting a long time to start up the band.

Auburn hasn't won a national title since 1957 and got stiff-armed out of the championship game after the 2004 season, when USC and Oklahoma got the nod over the unbeaten Tigers.

Auburn wrapped up its season on Nov. 26 with a 56-17 paddling of No. 18 South Carolina that all but locked up the Heisman for Newton after his six-TD performance. Since then, the Tigers have had plenty of time to watch film of Oregon's offense leaving opponents gasping, even faking injuries.

Between the Ducks' speed

and the five-week break between games, yeah, conditioning will be a primary focus this week.

"We're doing a lot of conditioning with everybody," Chizik said. "Obviously, our whole football team has been off for a long time, so it's not just the defense; we've done extra lifting and conditioning with the whole team."

The Tigers aren't exactly slow — both teams are top 10 in scoring and total offense — and Oregon's last game was on Dec. 4, so the Ducks need to get their feathers loose, so to speak, as well.

Based on a glimpse of desert practice No. 2 — Auburn's was closed — they seem to already be in high gear.

Racing around to an eclectic playlist that included "Eye of the Tiger" and Elvis Crespo's "Suavemente," Oregon (12-0) turned the practice field into a beehive of organized commotion.

BYU's Emery set to break Ainge steals mark

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — He's BYU's other guard, the one without the hype, headlines or NBA scouts watching his every move.

When the 15th-ranked Cougars open Mountain West Conference play on Wednesday in Las Vegas, it should be Jackson Emery etching his name into BYU's record books.

Emery is on the verge of breaking the all-time steals record set by Danny Ainge 30 years ago.

No one could be happier for Emery than Ainge, now director of basketball operations for the Boston Celtics.

"That's cool," Ainge said earlier this week. "He's one of my favorite players that's come to BYU. ... From the time he came on campus as a freshman, he's been one of my favorite guys to watch because of the effort."

Going into the game against No. 25 UNLV, Emery needs three steals to tie Ainge (195) and four to pass him.

"Jackson's work ethic is a big part of the success that he's had," said coach Dave Rose. "You don't get very many players that play at the same speed everyday in practice that they play in a game so Jackson practices at a really high level. He's a great anticipator, he's got really good straight forward speed and really good lateral quickness. Probably the most impressive thing is that he'll stick his nose in any play. If there's a charge he'll jump in there and take it. If it's a play where he's anticipating a pass on the weak side he'll run through it. And if there's contact or a collision I think he even likes that a little more."

"He's really, really impressive to watch."

Emery isn't even starting these days, forced to come off the bench because a stress reaction injury to his right shin often keeps him from practicing.

"Whether he's starting or just playing, as long as he's contributing it's not going to be an issue for him," BYU trainer Robert Ramos said. "He's not a kid who needs the limelight or the publicity and all that. He's a kid that's just going



AP photo

BYU's Jackson Emery, right, and Noah Hartsock, center, go up for a rebound with UTEP's Jeremy Williams during the first half Dec. 23 in Provo, Utah. Emery is on the verge of breaking BYU's all-time steals record of 195 set by Danny Ainge.

to get it done."

Most college basketball fans have heard of Jimmer Fredette, BYU's bona fide star who earned preseason All-America honors and likely will be a first-round draft pick in June.

Emery likewise harbors pro aspirations, but acknowledges he might have to go overseas to pursue them.

That he is in a BYU uniform is testament to Emery's commitment and determination.

He was recruited by then-BYU coach Steve Cleveland only to have Rose take over the program in 2005.

"My heart was set on going to BYU," said Emery, a star at Lone Peak High in Provo. "But there were a lot of questions, a lot of uncertainties at the time."

The 6-3, 190-pound guard had been recruited by Princeton, Air Force and all the Utah schools, but Emery ended up keeping his commitment to BYU, which had won only nine games the previous season. Unlike Ainge, he wouldn't start his freshman year.

Instead, he was an energy guy off the bench, averaging 2.8 points and 1.5 rebounds a game.

He broke into the starting lineup as a sophomore, nearly tripling his scoring average and recording 47 steals.

MVCS

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paperwork for two varsity and four junior varsity basketball players was already completed at his school. Twin Falls Christian Academy basketball coach Dan Johnson said two Magic Valley Christian players, Bryce Trujillo and Colton White, were expected to join his team later this week once paperwork is finalized.

Questions still remain though about what the MVCS closure means for other members of the Northside Conference.

District IV basketball commissioner Sean Standley said league athletic directors will meet Monday to decide whether to cancel all MVCS games from the slate or count them as forfeits. If put down as forfeits, the games would count against each school's season allotment of 20 games. If canceled, schools would have a chance to schedule games with other teams in place of their dates with MVCS.

Magic Valley Christian played in the Northside Conference South Division along with Castleford, Murtaugh and Lighthouse Christian.

CSI

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Injury update: Rogers said guards Kyler Parai (ankle) and Guili El-Mir (knee) are not quite 100 percent but will play today. Holly Checketts is expected to return to practice next week after December surgery on her knee. On the men's side, Brazilian forward Gerson Santo will be back in the lineup after sitting out the previous two games with pain in his knee.

Redshirts confirmed: Gosar said four of his players will redshirt this season, including Serbian freshman

NJCAA Division I Men's Basketball Poll							
Team	Rec.	Pts.	Pvs.				
1. Hutchinson CC	14-0	311	2	15. Jackson St. CC	11-1	102	18
2. San Jacinto-Central	14-0	303	3	16. Sheridan College	11-1	95	15
3. Connors St. College	14-0	278	4	17. Western Texas College	14-1	70	16
4. Northwest Florida St.	15-1	270	5	18. East Mississippi C	10-1	56	19
5. Pearl River CC	11-0	227	8	19. Midland College	14-2	48	20
6. Coffeyville CC	13-1	220	11	20. Trinity Valley CC	12-2	33	14
7. Chipola College	14-2	181	7	21. Salt Lake CC	15-2	32	-
8. Missouri St. West Plains	15-2	172	9	22. Odessa College	11-3	16	21
9. Howard College	12-2	170	6	23. Gadsden St. CC	11-3	16	22
10. Kankakee CC	14-0	164	13	24. Jacksonville College	12-2	14	-
11. North Idaho College	15-2	143	1	25. Seward County CC	12-2	11	-
12. Southeastern CC	15-1	141	17	Others receiving votes: Arizona Western College 10, Three Rivers CC 8, Eastern Utah 6, Collier County CC 4, Waycross College 4, Palm Beach St. College 3, Snow College 3, Tallahassee CC 3, North Dakota St. College of Science 2, New Mexico JC 1.			
13. Wehash Valley College	12-2	132	10				
14. CSI	14-2	104	12				

Nemanja Grujicic and former Twin Falls High School star Jon Pulsifer. Sophomores Ryan McIntosh and

Dennis Mikelonis will also redshirt, while Ben Van Lith is out for the season after ankle surgery.