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Luna proposes \$1.2B budget

\$68M would go to reform programs

By Ben Botkin Times-News writer

BOISE - Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna has his work cut out: selling the Idaho Legislature on the most comprehensive education reform package proposed in recent

Questions from the Legis-

lature's budget-setting com- to fire teachers and give them a Luna unrolled his budget proposal. The \$1.2 billion proposal aims to shift money toward technology, laptop purchases and merit-based teacher pay by boosting the state's studentteacher ratio by about two students on average for the fourth through 12th grades over the next couple of years.

include eliminating the safety net that preserves school funding when attendance drops, instead allowing school districts administrators, the changes

mittee started Tuesday, when 10 percent severance package if enrollment declines.

Luna's plan, backed by Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter, estimates \$62.8 million in savings the first fiscal year from increasing the student-teacher ratio and another \$5.4 million by eliminating the funding safety net for school districts.

The plan would require cutting Other major changes would 770 teaching positions over two

Factoring in the loss of about 300 classified staff and 60

would mean about 1,000 fewer employees for schools, said Sen. Dean Cameron, R-Rupert and co-chairman of the Joint Finance-Appropriations Com-

"I have to wonder in my mind how a thousand less people working helps the economy," Cameron said.

Luna stressed that attrition would play a role in the reduction, noting that 1,600 teachers leave the Idaho school system each year.

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College of Southern Idaho student Amanda Parker, 19, looks over her online class syllabus Tuesday afternoon in the Student Union Building in Twin Falls.

NEW USE FOR OLD GOODING HOSPITAL?



Photos by ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Psychiatrist Adrian Dean talks with his wife, Judie, via video and audio link from the old Gooding County Memorial Hospital on Tuesday in Gooding. A section of the building will be turned into a psychiatric holding facility being developed by BRP Health Management Systems.

BRP shops psychological hold services to county officials

By Laura Lundquist Times-News writer

GOODING - A Gooding company is proposing a secure place where deputies can send adults for a little time out.

County commissioners, prosecutors and sheriff's office representatives from Blaine, Cassia, Gooding, Jerome and Lincoln counties converged on the old Gooding County Memorial Hospital on Wednesday to tour a proposed holding facility being developed by BRP Health Management Systems.

Red and white balloons identified the otherwise nondescript door midway along the long building that is now part of the Prescott Health Campus. The door would be the portal to a mental evaluation and potential holding area for arrested people who are possibly mentally ill.

The law says officers cannot put mentally ill people in jail if they could harm themselves or others. A mental evaluation is required to identify mental illness, which means a trip to an emergency room.

The evaluation can be complicated if the detainee is intoxi-Gough said that means officers often must sit with their intoxicated charges for up to eight hours in an ER waiting area.



Telemedicine will provide the BRP Health Management Systems facility in Gooding with 24-hour access to a doctor, who can provide an initial decision if a patient should stay or go to another facility. If an arrested person is mentally ill and poses a serious threat to harm themselves or someone else as a result, law officers in Idaho cannot place that person in jail.

an arrest and knowing where an use a two-way video feed with BRP President Roy Prescott hopes to fill with his facility. from home. Normally, people can only be held for 24 hours, but the sevenbed facility could hold people for up to 72 hours.

"This is a place to calm them down, dry them out and see what cated. Gooding Sheriff Shaun the true issues are," said BRP spokeswoman Dawn Mever.

The initial medical evaluation at the facility would take place in Barrus voicing some support the lobby right after a person even though Burley is a two-

arrested person should go that Twin Falls psychiatrist Dr. Adrian Dean asking questions

Dean said the camera and microphone used are highquality so he can watch and listen for behavioral traits. He's already done similar psychiatric evaluations at the Pocatello Women's Correctional Center.

This tele-health capacity had Cassia County Prosecutor Al It is this limbo period between walks in. The evaluation would hour drive from Gooding, Barrus

said the county probably wouldn't take advantage of the facility itself, but was interested in connecting to the tele-health assessment for immediate evaluations.

"We end up sending maybe 20 to 30 patients a year to (St. Luke's Canyon View Behavioral Health Services), which can really bite into your budget," Barrus said.

In some cases, arrested people must be taken to Canyon View in Twin Falls, which Prescott said can get very expensive – more so than his service. He said his rates will be revisited when he starts contacting counties for commitments this week. He expected to be able to finalize agreements within 30 days.

In a separate interview later Tuesday, Canyon View Director Kathy Anderson said she personally thought the BRP facility has a lot of potential. She said her 28-bed facility usually has openings, but in-patient care isn't in the best interest of some patients.

"Keeping people in their own communities is better, as is having another option," Anderson

"We're trying to provide a service to smaller communities," Prescott said. "But even if none of the counties sign on, we'll end up using the facility for some-

CSI holds steady for spring

By Amy Huddleston Times-News writer

New programs and an influx of students marked the fall semester at the College of Southern Idaho. The spring semester is expected to be less about growth and more about settling in.

"We've had incredible growth the last couple of semesters," said Jeff Fox, the college's executive vice president and chief academic officer. "Now we are looking at a little level-

The new semester started Tuesday for students and parking lots were filled with vehicles at midday.

More than 9,000 students attended CSI last semester, a 9 percent increase from 2009. College President Jerry Beck said he expects that number to stay the same or increase by a small percentage this term.

The fall enrollment explosion is due in part to dual-credit courses that offer high schoolers the opportunity to gain college credit concurrently with their regular studies. If State Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna's proposed education overhaul is approved by

See CSI. Main 2

Geddes to lead state tax commission

By John Miller **Associated Press**

BOISE – Republican Sen. Bob Geddes was named Tuesday as the new Idaho State Tax Commission chairman.

Geddes replaces Royce Chigbrow, who quit earlier this month after allegations by employees that he intervened to help friends and family and as legislators called for an investigation.

In addition to resigning his Senate post, Geddes said he's quitting his job as an environmental engineer at Monsanto Co. to fill the position in

After accepting the \$85,000 annual post, Geddes conceded he was unfamiliar with many of the specifics of his new job - he's never set foot inside Tax Commission headquarters in Boise – and would spend the first weeks and months learning about his duties rather than immediately calling for wholesale change.

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TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

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Sun Valley Center for the Arts open house, center is seeking public feedback about its classes, 6 to 7 p.m., 191 Fifth St. E., refreshments served, Sunvalleycenter.org or 726-9491.

BENEFITS AND FUNDRAISERS

Kimberly Library Foundation Quilt Show, view quilt displays and support the library, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., The Quilt Barn, 241 N. Main, Kimberly, 5 percent of total sales will be donated to the library,

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

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

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

St. Luke's Volunteer Core Ketchum Blood Drive, 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., LDS church gym, Sun Valley Road, 309-0479 or 309-2208 for appointment.

LECTURE

CSI Herrett Forum "Twin Falls and the Architecture of an Irrigated Town" by Elizabeth Giraud, 7:30 p.m., Rick Allen Community Room at College of Southern Idaho Herrett Center for Arts and Science, north side of the campus, free, open to the public, 732-6655

LIBRARY

Microsoft Word 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, free, open to the public, 878-7708 or valerie@bplibrary.org.

Preschool Story Hour, with stories, activities and crafts, 10 a.m., Buhl Public Library, 215 Broadway N., free, 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., free, open to the public, 733-2964 ext. 110. "Valentines for Troops," make a Valentine for a troop member and one to take home, 4 p.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave.,

share stories, play a game, and have a snack, for ages 3-11, under 8 should be accompanied by an adult, free, open to the public, 878-7708 or valerie@bplibrary.org.

SCHOOL EVENTS

Wendell High School and Middle School parent conferences, pick up report cards and meet with teachers, 5 to 8 p.m., respective classrooms, Wendell, 536-2100.

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.

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Geddes

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"I come from a background in geology and intervened in early 2010 on engineering. I've learned behalf of a client of his son's long ago that it's very ill- Boise-based accounting advised to make a predeter- firm to reduce a payment mined decision on any- plan to remedy delinquent Geddes "Hopefully, you'll give me a little bit of time to adjust to the transition, work into my employees say Chigbrow position, at least before I come forward and advance

a lot of changes." the Idaho Senate representing Bear Lake, Bonneville, Caribou, Franklin and Teton Counties. He spent the past decade as Senate president pro tempore. He resigned from that leadership post

late last year. Despite representing a legislative district deep in southeastern Idaho, Geddes in recent years purchased a home in near Boise, leading to speculation he was seeking significant career changes.

Senate President Pro Tem Brent Hill said he could think of "no better person, no one more respected by all the people in this state," than Geddes to help restore faith in the agency.

"One of our important institutions, the institution that collects our taxes, has had its integrity tarnished," Hill said. Geddes "has my complete confidence. Even though we're going to miss him a great deal in the Idaho state Senate, he's going to provide some very important services to the citizens of the state."

Chigbrow resigned Jan. 7. That was after The Associated Press reported on complaints by employees who said the chairman said. taxes, despite objections of

Tax Commission staff. In another instance. summoned them to his office to provide details of collection actions against a Geddes served 14 years in company that was being sued by one of Chigbrow's friends, Benton "Skip" Hofferber, even though Hofferber wasn't entitled to

the information. Ada County Prosecutor Greg Bower said this month that he's looking into whether Chigbrow provided confidential information to Hofferber, a felony in

Employees say Chigbrow took checks from Hofferber at a private dining club in Boise; inappropriately handled the checks, resulting in a Boise Police investigation last spring; and sought to block a refund to the company last May, after the

company paid its tax bills. In addition to employee concerns about Chigbrow, there's also a separate lawsuit filed against the Tax Commission in state court, alleging that for years commissioners have illegally cut secret deals with politically connected taxpayers. Several investigations by the Idaho attorney general and legislators have concluded no laws have been broken.

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Students line up to purchase books and supplies at the College of Southern Idaho bookstore Tuesday afternoon in Twin Falls. Tuesday was the first day of the spring semester, during which the college expects more than 9,000 students to attend classes.

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the Legislature, dual-credit courses will be used more frequently in Idaho. As dualenrollment grows, Beck said, students should be able to chose courses based on "free enterprise" rather than be limited by proximity to the nearest college or university.

CSI spokesman Doug Maughan said college officials are closely watching what goes on at the Legislature and administrators are preparing for certain reductions in funding.

"We're waiting for news from Boise for what we need to do," Maughan said.

Fox said CSI faculty and staff pulled together to weather the economic downturn, and produce new programs and innovations despite a tightening budget. He said federal stimulus funding will disappear this make do," Fox said. "It was a



College of Southern Idaho students interact in the Student Union Building Tuesday afternoon in Twin Falls. It was the first day of the spring semester.

year, which will affect the temporary response to a crimade in the coming semes-

"We had to look at operations and we were forced to and our state."

college as decisions are sis but I hope when times improve they (legislators) will realize we've been good partners to our community

CSI offered a bevy of new

programs in the fall, ranging from environmental technology and dental hygiene to a culinary arts program with baking and emphases.

The partnership between the city of Twin Falls, the Twin Falls Urban Renewal Agency and CSI was also responsible for recruitment and development efforts for the new C3 call center.

In his State of the College address, Beck said he focused on what was within the college's control.

"How we respond to the economy and how we educate our students about the economy," Beck said. "Those are the things we can control."

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The \$68.2 million saved would then go in the next fiscal year to the following areas: \$34.9 million for the loss of one-time funds that helped this year's budget, \$24 million for school technology, \$6.1 million back teachers, \$1.6 million for and science requirements in attendance. high schools, and \$842,400 early graduates.

overhaul, like laptops for had questions too. students and the teacher pay-for-performance plan,

increase in the studentteacher ratio would free up more state funding.

Rep. Wendy Jaquet, D-Ketchum, said she was concerned about the loss of the enrollment safety net, noting how the Gooding School District relied on it in recent classrooms and knows how years when a charter school started in town.

In response, Luna said it's into the salary grid for crucial to look at every dollar mation off the top of my and ensure that students are increasing the minimum put first. He noted charter that the student-teacher teacher salary from \$29,655 schools do not have that ratio is based on data proto \$30,000, \$700,000 for same safety net, with fundthe costs of additional math ing based instead on yearly

The meeting was a joint

Sen. John Goedde, Rwouldn't start until fiscal of the Senate Education pushing 30, he said. year 2013, which begins in Committee, asked Luna if he July 2012. By then, another had taken an inventory of local district decided that's valley.com or 735-3238.

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blog by Ben Botkin. **MAGICVALLEY.COM**

many are capable of adding more students.

"I don't have that inforhead," Luna said, adding they desire.

Asked what the worstfor dual-credit courses for gathering with the House case scenario might be ings. and Senate education com- regarding classroom size, are made at the district level. Valley Some classrooms are only 10 Coeur d'Alene and chairman to 15 students; others are

the way they wanted to divide up students and teachers," Luna said. "I couldn't tell you the worstcase scenario." School district consolida-

tion isn't needed for the plan. But Luna did tell lawmakers that if districts were required to consolidate services – but not the actual districts themselves — it could save \$11 million to \$15 million.

A 2010 state study found that if the seven Idaho counvided by districts, which can ties with the highest number arrange their classrooms as of school districts consolidated, it would generate more than \$11 million in sav-

Three of those seven Other aspects of Luna's mittees. Those members Luna said those decisions counties are in the Magic Gooding and Lincoln.

> Ben Botkin may be "The reason is because the reached at bbotkin@magic-

Cassia Co. schools bring bond issue proposal back

By Laurie Welch Times-News writer

BURLEY – Voters within Cassia County School District boundaries will be asked a third time to support a \$41.5 million bond issue to build new schools and update others.

The district's board of trustees decided Monday to put the bond issue to a March 8 vote after similar bond issues failed in December and 2008. The board also decided it will reconfigure elementary schools in Burley if the bond passes and seriously consider reconfiguration if the bond fails.

Currently. Mountain Elementary School and Dworshak Elementary School house kindergarten through third grades, while White Pine Elementary School accommodates grade 4-6 students from the entire

Trustees have grappled with whether to bring the bond issue back to a vote after similar efforts twice failed to elicit the needed 66.7 percent voter approval. District Superintendent Gaylen Smyer said no changes have been made to the plan presented to voters in December.

If the bond issue passes it will add

View \$2.87 per month in property tax to residential property valued at \$100,000.

Chairwoman Board Critchfield said district Curriculum Director Dana Bradley presented the board research that shows K-6 elementary school configuration to be beneficial for students, which prompted discussion on the issue.

"One of the things that the research does show is that every time a student makes a transition between buildings that they lose ground," Smyer said. "The more of a continuum they have, the better they do as they move from grade level to grade level."



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Buhl may use teacher pay to reinstate teacher days

By Kimberly Williams-Brackett Times-News correspondent

BUHL – Federal funding will allow the Buhl School District to reinstate 3.5 days of teacher pay lost to a reduction in state funding.

\$233,516 through a \$26 billion federal spending package, new mark. \$10 billion of which went to preserve teaching jobs.

The federal funding will also pay for a 23.7 percent increase in health insurance federal Title I financial

Superintendent Byron ability to restore paid days for teachers and principals at Monday's school board meeting. It's welcome news took a 6.6 percent pay

reduction this school year.

District Board Chairman Jim Barker said the district will have to revise its budget for the year to accommodate the federal funding.

district must advertise the regardless of their economi-The district received revision and hold a budget hearing before adopting the

In other district business, Buhl Middle School Principal Suzanne Wilkin presented an application for assistance to the board. To be eligible for Title I funds, Stutzman announced the at least 40 percent of a mathematics, as well as spemust be considered socioeconomically disadvantaged.

Although the middle ular school curriculum. to some employees, as certi-school is a Title I school with students this year, it is cur- already has that status" with gusandkim@rtci.net.

rently targeting assistance to 84 percent disadvantaged students who are failing, or most at risk of failing.

"Going school-wide will eliminate that requirement and allow us to use Title I cal status," Stutzman said.

Title I funds provide additional academic support and learning opportunities to help low-achieving students master challenging curricula and meet state standards in core academic subjects. For example, funds support extra instruction in reading and school's enrolled students cial preschool, after-school and summer programs to extend and reinforce the reg-

Trustee Janet Smutny said fied staff and administrators 81 percent underprivileged "The elementary school Brackett may be reached at

students.

If granted, the funding would become available to the middle school next year. Further discussion was To revise its budget, the funds for all students, tabled until the application has been reviewed.

Also, district officials may seek a supplemental levy to fund maintenance and operations costs. Stutzman recommended forming a committee of a "good cross-section of the community" to determine what a proposed levy would be used for.

Trustees also approved increasing non-certified substitute teacher pay from \$50 to \$55 per day to meet minimum wage requirements.

Kimberly Williams-

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Tails of why I don't sleep nights

n her computer, my wife has a picture of a critter that looks just like our cat Trouble.

It's peering out from behind a door, and the caption reads "Did you just hear a loud crash in the kitchen? Because I didn't, KTHXBAI"

(That's "'K, thanks, bye," for those who you who are texting-illiterate.)

Boxes mysteriously move around in our house.

Closet doors open. Dirty laundry turns up in unsocial places. And things go bump in the night.

Trouble's given name is Harley, but we've long since stopped calling her that. It's just not as descriptive.

Having nothing to do all day, Trouble does nothing but think about things to do. And she does them all between 2 a.m. and 4 a.m.

Don'T ASK ME **Steve Crump**

Trouble tries to drink water out of the toilet and falls in. She crawls into the dryer and takes a nap. She sticks her head into one of my wife's bedroom slippers and gets it stuck, so we awake at 0-dark-30 to find animated footwear with a tail sticking out scurrying around the bedroom and

bumping into the dresser. I got Trouble. Victoria's got Trouble. No, she went that way.

Trouble is 4 years old, and conventional wisdom is that a cat should have grown out of maniacal mayhem by now. That's the theory.

Instead, we're having more in the middle of the night, Trouble than we used to.

She annoys our dogs by lying on her back and batting their tails. She chases our other cat, Umbra, around the couch, fails to make the turn and goes sliding into the water bowl head-first. And then there are the toilet paper rolls.

I read somewhere that cats uncoil TP because they're bored. Trouble's never bored, but the inside of the house is always covered with streamers.

But here's the worst part: I'm so accustomed to things that go crash after midnight that on the rare occasions when they don't, it wakes me up.

You remember your first apartment, and the construction worker who lived upstairs? He'd come home

take off one of his steel-toed work boots and drop it on the floor.

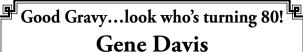
You'd lie awake for an hour waiting for the other boot to fall, but it never did. Until you got back to sleep.

Sleep is a dicey proposition in our house for everybody except Trouble. She curls up on the dog's bed while the dog sleeps in the bathroom - and dreams of tall, heavy furniture shattering as it crashes down onto hardwood floors.

Then she wakes up, and her dreams turn into our nightmares.

And we could have got a turtle.

Steve Crump is the Times-News Opinion editor. Hear him Fridays at 2 p.m. on KLIX-1450 AM.







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Filer seeks members for school committee

Times-News

FILER - The Filer School District is forming a committee to examine its finances.

After two years of state funding troubles, school board members are looking for patrons interested in serving on the committee.

Responsibilities include examining district revenues, expenses and other budget items. Committee members would then be asked to suggest possible ways to streamline these areas to help the district save money.

Interested applicants can contact the district office at 326-5961.

"We need to see people from every walk of life," said school board Trustee Fred Jaynes. "They don't necessarily have to have a finance background."

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Raymond D. Pacheco, 21, Twin nalia, pedestrian under the influence, recognizance release, public defender appointed pretrial Feb 8 possession of paraphernalia, pretrial Feb. 8.

six counts sexual battery of

minor child age 16 or 17, second-degree kidnapping, appointed, preliminary Jan. 28. William G. Bennett, 34, Twin Falls: driving without priviviolation of protection order, \$1,000 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial

5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

TWIN FALLS COUNTY **TUESDAY ARRAIGNMENTS**

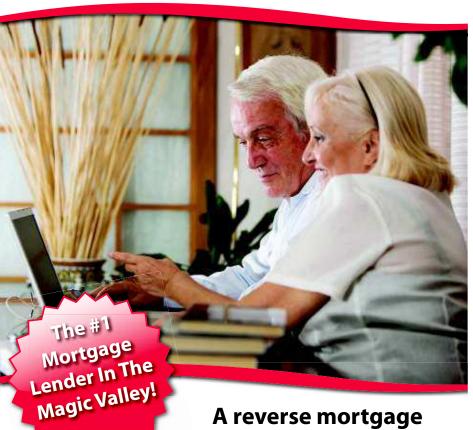
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Robert B. Brackett, 42. Twin Falls:

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Two L.A.-area teens shot in class as gun goes off in student's backpack

By Sam Allen, Mitchell Landsberg and Andrew Blankstein

Los Angeles Times

GARDENA, Calif. Third-period health class was just beginning Tuesday at Gardena High School when a 17-year-old boy walked in and set his backpack down on a desk. In the that followed, accounts differered about precisely what happened. But this much was clear: A gun had discharged, apparently by accident; two students were wounded, one critically; and the Los Angeles-area campus of 3,100 was sent into a tense, frightening lockdown.

"Wow, someone just got shot in the classroom," student Dan Im wrote from the scene in a profanity-laced, Korean-language Twitter feed. "I'm freaked out."

police found and arrested the boy suspected of having brought the gun into the class.

Meanwhile, wounded students, both 15, said, "Scared of what was had been rushed to Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, where a girl who had been shot in the head underwent lengthy surgery. She was in are dving." critical condition with a skull fracture and brain trau- by police detectives Tuesday Unified, said the district ma. A boy who had been afternoon. Law enforcement would review whether that



New York Times/AP photo

Vilma Brisenno, a student, is greeted by her mother on school grounds Tuesday after two high school students were wounded when a gun accidentally discharged at Gardena High School, in Gardena, Calif.

shot in the neck was listed as sources told the Los Angeles stable, his wound not considered life-threatening.

Police said the two might

have been struck by a single Friends of the suspect said After about an hour, he was not known as a violent boy but had brought the

gun to school for his own

protection. "I think he was just the two scared." classmate Para Ross going to happen when he left home. There are a lot of gangs around here. People

Times one of the aspects of the investigation was whether the teen, a special education student, had been bullied. The shooting filled par-

ents and students with dread and anger, many questioning how the student was allowed to bring a loaded gun onto campus. Like other Los Angeles

Unified School District high schools, Gardena periodiscreening of students with a metal detector.

John Deasy, the incoming The boy was interviewed superintendent of L.A.

ened. He said extra security would be at the campus Wednesday.

The shooting occurred just after 10:30 a.m. PST on the large, one-story campus. According to police and Los Angeles Unified School District officials, the 17year-old came into the classroom, set his backpack on a desk or table, and a gun inside it discharged.

However, a student who was in the class, Miguel Lopez, 17, said the boy was reaching into the pack when the gun went off. In another version, the gun discharged when the boy leaned on the backpack.

Im, a senior who was sitting in the back corner of the classroom, said the shooting sounded like a bag of chips had been popped, but louder. He recalled hearing a student exclaim, "Something popped in my backpack."

Then came a shriek from the teacher and a frantic cry for someone to call 911.

A girl on the other side of the classroom clutched her bleeding neck, then colschool and took the bus cally conducts random lapsed, Im said. A boy asked, "Why does my neck hurt?" and then realized he was bleeding near his shoulder.

By all accounts, the shooting was accidental.

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IDAHO Official signs off on megaloads permits

BOISE — Idaho Transportation Director Brian Ness has agreed to issue travel permits that would allow ConocoPhillips to begin hauling large oil refinery machinery along a winding and scenic stretch of U.S. Highway 12 as early as next week

Ness said Tuesday he is convinced ConocoPhillips and its contracted shipper can safely haul the four separate loads from the port in Lewiston along a 172mile stretch in north-central Idaho en route to the company's refinery in Billings, Mont.

His decision follows months of challenges that played out in state courts and administrative hearings over the agency's initial decision to permit the oversized loads and approval of the travel plan.

"I am convinced the record showed the loads can be moved safely, without damage to the roads and bridges and with minimal disruption to traffic and emergency services," Ness said in a statement. "Every argument has been heard and considered. We can no longer delay this process."

Ness said two permits would be issued by the agency Tuesday that would enable the company to begin hauling two of the four shipments starting Feb. 1, weather

conditions allowing. But foes of the shipments may also have a say in whether the heavy loads are allowed to hit the

A group of 13 residents who either live or own businesses along the roadway have threatened to take their case back to court if the agency again signed off on the permits.

Ex-teacher sentenced for obscene cartoons

BOISE — A former teacher at a Meridian middle school has been sentenced to 15 months in prison for possessing obscene cartoons depicting child sexual abuse.

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Federal prosecutors say 33year-old Steven Kutzner was sentenced Tuesday by U.S. District Judge Edward J. Lodge. Kutzner will also be on supervised release for three years and will have to participate in sex offender treatment.

Prosecutors say investigators found 70 cartoon images of youthful animated characters including characters from the TV show, "The Simpsons" - engaged in sexually explicit conduct.

The investigation began in December 2008 after German Federal Police discovered evidence that Kutzner's IP address offered a child pornography file for download.

Kutzner resigned as a teacher at Lake Hazel Middle School after the search warrant was served.

Rexburg building partially collapses

building in Rexburg has partially collapsed and early indications suggest snow and ice are to

Authorities say nobody was injured when the rear half of a flatroofed, cinder block building collapsed Tuesday morning. The portion of the building that was damaged is the location for Rocky Mountain ATVs.

Rexburg Police Capt. Randy Lewis says weight from snow and ice on the roof is likely responsi-

OREGON Crews clean up, rain expected to ease

PORTLAND — Road crews in Oregon and Washington worked Tuesday to clear debris from highways hit by landslides and high water during the holiday week-

Forecasters expected the rainfall to ease, lowering the flood

In Oregon, three homes were destroyed and about 75 families were evacuated after the Sandy River washed over its banks and swept away a section of a road on

"Lolo Pass (Road) is the river

the area for more than 30 years, said to a neighbor by phone. "Your front yard is now water."

As Hower spoke, she watched her neighbor's house fall apart and trees get carried away.

No injuries were reported, and no one was missing in the area near the town of Welches, said Tim Heider, public information officer for Clackamas County.

Downed power lines left the area without electricity, and there was no cell phone service after a weekend combination of rain and melting snow that Heider called "a perfect storm of events" temporarily stranded about 150 to 250 people.

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Hundreds of Camden police and firefighters laid off, turn in gear

By Geoff Mulvihill **Associated Press**

CAMDEN, N.J. - In a solemn display, laid-off firefighters and police officers lined up Tuesday to turn in their helmets and badges symbols of deep budget cuts that were destined to further erode the quality of life in one of the nation's most impoverished and crime-ridden cities.

Nearly half the Camden police force, including civilians, and about one-third of its firefighters lost their jobs as city leaders sought to balance the budget amid falling tax revenue and diminishing aid from the state.

In all, the city laid off 335 workers – about one-sixth of its employees.

On the sidewalk outside City Hall, 82 police officers scared to death," she said. get assurances that doing so work appealing their layoffs show how many officers would be taken off the Camden streets, where violence.

car yelled out the window that she was worried about the safety of her grandschool bus before dawn, and her grandson, who doesn't high salaries," she said. get out of basketball practice until after dark.



AP photo

Laid-off firefighters applaud Andy Delgado, back to camera, a five-year-veteran of the Camden Fire Department, after he told them to keep their hopes up Tuesday in Camden, N.J., as they prepared to turn in their gear.

her name, saying she didn't want to be a target.

many neighborhoods have many of the layoffs could employees could still be rampant drug dealing and have been averted if police and firefighter unions had As officers staged the dis- acknowledged the dire ecoplay, a woman riding by in a nomic situation and agreed to concessions.

"Instead of protecting and serving the city, the residaughter, who catches a dents of Camden, they're declined to give details of the choosing to protect their

Union leaders have been

lined up their work boots to The woman wouldn't give would save jobs now or in the future.

The mayor said most of Mayor Dana Redd said the laid-off public safety brought back if concessions are made.

Members of the main police union, the Fraternal Order of Police, were scheduled to vote on givebacks Wednesday. The mayor proposals or say how many jobs could be saved.

On Tuesday, police and "I'm 52 years old and backs, saying they couldn't F.O.P. hall to fill out paper-

authorization.

are not a game."

and lament their abruptly ended careers.

Laundry owner Carmelo Villegas walked with his daughter, Belinda Villegas, a police officer for 10 years, as she put down her boots. The younger Villegas says she's been "married" to the city after living in it for all her 39

Her father said he's begun locking the doors of his business, opening them only for customers he knows, out of fear that strangers may reluctant to agree to give- firefighters gathered at the take advantage of the police

"Instead of protecting and serving the city, the residents of Camden, they're choosing to protect their high salaries."

- Mayor Dana Redd, who said many of the layoffs could have been averted if police and firefighters had agreed to concessions

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AROUND THE NATION

WASHINGTON

Congress tones down rhetoric after Tucson

Born of bloodshed, a self-proclaimed Age of Civility dawned in Congress on Tuesday. Republicans and Democrats of the House spoke without angry shouts and debated legislation to repeal the nation's year-old health care law without rancor.

By unspoken agreement, manners mattered, although there were few overt references to the reason — the shooting rampage in Arizona 10 days ago that left six dead, Rep. Gabrielle Giffords wounded and lawmakers of both parties stunned.

House Majority Leader Eric Cantor, R-Va., said no directives had gone out to rank-and-file lawmakers cautioning them about their behavior as the House convened to debate a highly controversial bill.

"We expect the debate to ensue along policy lines," he said, suggesting one that did not stray from the merits of the legislation itself. Rep. Steny Hoyer of Maryland, the second-ranking Democrat,

agreed. "My expectation is that members will heed their own advice and will address the issues in a way that will deal with them on the merits," he said. In the past, he added, too much of the public debate was "about incitement rather than informing . about making people angry, disre-

Insurers profit by playing Medicare 'float'

Private health insurance plans catering to Medicare recipients are making millions by taking money the government sends in advance – but isn't immediately needed — and using it to make investments, federal investigators say in a report obtained by The Associated Press.

In financial parlance, it's called "playing the float."

specting the ... point of view of the other side.'

In contrast with another government program that also deals regularly with health insurers, Medicare lets its plans keep the cash.

An audit by the Health and Human Services inspector general's office estimates that private Medicare Advantage plans collected \$376 million from investment income on advance payments from the government in 2007, the latest year available.

Of 50 plans audited, only two told investigators that they subtracted investment earnings from their Medicare bids for the following year. The rest pocketed the money.

Medicare typically pays the plans 46 days before they need the money to cover medical services, the audit found.

"Because federal requirements governing the Medicare Advantage program do not limit the ability of (private plans) to retain investment income earned on Medicare funds, the Medicare program loses potential cost savings," said the inspector general's report to Medicare administrator Donald Berwick. The report is to be released today.

Two charged with stealing iPad users' info

NEWARK — Two men who authorities say were competing to impress their fellow hackers were arrested Tuesday on federal charges they stole the e-mail addresses of more than 100,000 Apple iPad users, including politicians and media personalities.

The theft and the AT&T security weakness that made it possible were revealed months ago, and U.S. Attorney Paul Fishman said there was no evidence the men used the swiped information for criminal pur-

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poses. Authorities cautioned, however, that it could theoretically have

Francisco, and Andrew Auernheimer, 25, of Fayetteville, Ark., were

charged with fraud and conspiracy to access a computer without

Fishman said the men and their cohorts were engaged in "malicious

'We don't tolerate committing crimes for street cred," Fishman said.

Computer hacking is not a competitive sport, and security breaches

one-upsmanship" as they sought to impress each other and others

Daniel Spitler, a 26-year-old bookstore security guard from San

wound up in the hands of spammers and scam artists.





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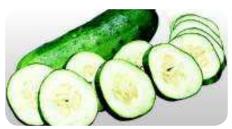


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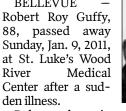


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Robert Roy Guffy

BELLEVUE Robert Roy Guffy, 88, passed away Sunday, Jan. 9, 2011, at St. Luke's Wood River Center after a sud-



Bob was born in Lilbourne, Mo., to James and visiting Ida Guffy on Oct. 17, 1922. Bob had five brothers and four sisters. Bob's father around 8 years old. His older brothers had already moved out to Richfield and Picabo to work on ranches, and they returned to Missouri to move their mom, Ida, and younger siblings to Picabo. Hailey and began work in Picabo for the Purdy family, Together they ran a business



playing cards and friends. Hunting and fishing were

Bob's favorite pastimes. Bob is survived by "the passed away when he was catch" of his life, Alberta of Bellevue; two sons, Lyle (Jean) of Clayton and Jay (Kandy) of Bellevue; two sisters, Lillian Spears of Fuquay-Varina, N.C., and Lillie Mae Dixon of Pocatello. Bob loved his four Bob finished his schooling in children, 11 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

A celebration of life will be where he ran the Picabo held at Magic Reservoir this grain elevator. Bob married coming summer. Cremation Alberta Ashton in 1952. is under the care of Wood River Chapel in Hailey. in Carey. Next, Bob worked Friends are invited to share as a business agent for the memories and condolences union in Pocatello for a few with the family at www.years. Then the family woodriverchapel.com.

Everett L. Whittaker

Everett L. Whittaker, 78, of Twin Falls, passed away Friday, Jan. 14, 2011, at Rosetta Assisted Living in Twin Falls.

He was born April 13, 1932, at Hawk Springs, Wyo., to Ed

was married in 1958 to Reba his parents of Marsing, Lue Pennington (deceased, divorced). He boxed in high school; was a U.S. Navy QMS (Quarter Master Signalman Edward, Virgil and Robert; for four years; received a bachelor's degree from BSU; retired after 35-plus years from Intermountain Gas Co. in Twin Falls as a corrosion Rula Ringel for 27 years (girlfriend); was a steel guitar player; and volunteered three Jerome, Idaho.

He is survived by a daugh-Twin Falls; sons, Keithan of loving care.



(Sharon) of Calif.; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one sister, Donna Johnson; five brothers, Carrol, Harold, Melvin, Vernon and Wilbur.

and Myrtle Whittaker. He He was preceded in death by Idaho; two sisters, Norma Darr and Dorthea Layne of Rupert, died Tuesday, Jan. Mortuary Rupert Chapel. Boise; three brothers, and son, Wayne B.

The funeral will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 22, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in engineer; round danced with Twin Falls. Viewing will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 21, and at 1 p.m. Saturday at Parke's. An honors ceremony years at the Historical Society and reception will be held at and I-FARM Museum in Parke's (www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com).

Roy Marcellus, 72, of Twin Falls, Idaho, died Monday, Jan. 17, 2011, at home in the until he retired. Bob care of his loving and Bertie enjoyed a wife of 51 years,

Other survivors include his son, Ace Marcellus and

daughter-in-law, Erbaugh Marcellus; daughson-in-law, Bill Riley; daughter, Dana Marcellus Hardesty and son-in-law, Lance Hardesty; and four granddaughters, Mehli Allaesa Marcellus, Marcellus, Irina Hardesty and Larissa Hardesty.

An auto mechanic by profession, Roy owned and operated a local business, Roy's Repair, and previously partnered with Wallace (Butch) Scellick at Butch and Service Center. Following retirement from his own business, he worked for the state of Idaho Agriculture Department.

Born in Prineville, Ore., on Aug. 13, 1938, to a family involved in farming and horse racing, as a boy Roy Boise and Steven moved frequently, traveling to most states west of the Mississippi.

As a young man, for sever-

Roy Marcellus



al years Roy worked Grand Coulee Dam townsite. He married his wife, Leslie man. Kathryn Oakley, in

1963, where the proximity of it with everyone who came ter, Lisa Marcellus Riley and rivers, desert and mountains over. So as Daniel requested, Home.com. offered many opportunities to fish, hunt, camp and ride motorcycles (nicknamed "Flatwheel," Roy was a former member of the Magic Valley Trail Association). Racing was a of Rupert and forpassion, and Roy found suc- mally of Elba and cess both on the stock car Malta, passed away circuit in Washington and in Friday, Jan. 14, 2011, motorcycle races in Idaho. at Highland Estates He also played and coached in Burley, Idaho. softball for fun. Recent trav-Australia, Singapore and Thailand.

Hospice in Twin Falls. direction of Rosenau Funeral Twin Falls.

DEATH NOTICES

Roland S. Shettler

RUPERT - Roland S "Chick" Shettler, 84, of

18, 2011, at the Portneuf Medical Center in Pocatello. Arrangements will be announced by the Hansen

SERVICES

Willard J. Lanning of visitation shortly before the Pasco, Wash., graveside service at 11 a.m. Saturday at Sunset Memorial Park, 2296 (Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley).

Paul C. Holmes of Heyburn, memorial service Special thanks to Hospice at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Falls, memorial service at 3 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley; Mortuary in Twin Falls.

service Saturday.

Penny L. Thompson of Twin Falls; visitation from 10 a.m. today at mortuary.

Nicholas Jolley of Twin ter, LueLinda (Eric) Egbert of and the Rosetta staff for their Rasmussen Funeral Home, p.m. Friday at White

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Sargent Shriver, founding head of Peace Corps, dies at 95

The Washington Post

R. Sargent Shriver, who was tapped to create the Peace Corps by his brotherin-law John F. Kennedy and crafted 1960s-era programs her brother Robert's name. the program had been his that remain cornerstones in

the federal government's efforts to combat poverty, died Jan. 18 at Suburban Hospital in Bethesda, Md. a family spokesman said. He was 95 and Alzheimer's

Shriver, in 1965 disease. from a prominent Maryland family, Shriver was a businessman and aspiring political leader when he married Eunice Kennedy in the early 1950s.

He served in three presidential administrations, including a stint as U.S. ambassador to France, and ran for president and vice president. His ambitions were as much propelled as they were frustrated by his connection to his in-laws, the powerful political dynasty from Massachu-

When the family received identified with its success

word in 1964 that President than Shriver, who led the Lyndon B. Johnson was Peace Corps for its first five considering Shriver as a years, from 1961 to 1966. He running mate, Eunice was such a driving force balked. "No," she reported- during the agency's early ly said, and then invoked "It's Bob's turn."

Kennedy aide Ken straightforward, telling Shriver that if any of the inner cirwould be Bobby not "half a Kennedy."

Still, A Yale-educated lawyer Shriver's status as an almost-Kennedy that landed him the role for which he is perhaps best known, as the leader of the Peace more than 14,500 volunteers Corps during its infancy.

The program sends Americans to developing countries to volunteer in schools, farm fields and community projects. Initially a Kennedy campaign promise, the Peace Corps is now approaching its 50th anniversary and has become one of the most indefatigably sunny charisenduring symbols of the ma, telling a reporter that idealism of the early 1960s.

No one has been more

during the agency's early years that many thought

Instead, Shriver recalled, O'Donnell was more President Kennedy had chosen him to lead the new agency because "everyone in Washington seemed to cle were to run, it think that the Peace Corps was going to be the biggest fiasco in history, and it would be much easier to fire it was a relative than a friend."

Shriver helped establish the corps as the fastestgrowing peacetime agency in U.S. history, sending to 55 countries by 1966. He embraced his role as the leader of a band of idealistic volunteers, enduring endless jeep rides and at least three cases of dysentery as he traveled more than 350,000 miles to visit out-

despite the discomforts, "I have the best damned job in government?"

posts in dozens of countries. Shriver displayed an

Rock promoter Kirshner dies at age 76

The Associated Press

LAS VEGAS - Don Kirshner, a rock promoter and music publisher who helped garner hits for the make-believe groups The take a kid off the street ... Monkees and The Archies and boosted the careers of Billy Joel, Neil Diamond and the Police, has died. He was

Promoter Jack Wishna, a close friend and business associate, told The Associated Press Tuesday that Kirshner, whom Time magazine once

dubbed "The Man with the Golden Ear;' was in a hospital in Boca Raton being a songwriter, penning "My treated for an infection First Love" for Bobby Darin. when he died on Monday.

"Donny Kirshner would and turn him into Neil Sedaka. Diamond, Carole King, James Taylor, on and on," music business that Donny hasn't either discovered, promoted, or touched in

some way. "I've never seen anybody Believer," which Diamond like this in my life," he said.

The Bronx-born Kirshner started off in the business as But he had more success in tapping songwriting talents like Diamond, King and Neil

Kirshner's songwriters were tapped in the 1960s to Wishna said. "I haven't create music for a group spoken to anyone in the manufactured for TV – The Monkees. They became a huge sensation in both the TV and the rock world and had hits including "I'm a

Man who told world about Pearl Harbor attack dies

BILLINGS, Mont. (AP) - Ed Chlapowski, the man who notified the world that Pearl Harbor was being bombed by the Japanese, has died at 88.

The former Navy radio man died Sunday at his home in Billings a few weeks after being diagnosed with cancer, his family said.

Chlapowski was a member of the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association and was frequently asked to speak about his experiences. In a 2007 interview, he told a reporter that it was his job to report the deaths of Pearl Harbor survivors to the association and see that plaques were presented to their families.

At a 2009 commemoration of the attack on Pearl Harbor, Chlapowski told the Downtown Billings Rotary Club his story about the Dec. 7, 1941 attack that propelled the United States into World War II.

He said he had worked an early watch at the submarine base, had eaten breakfast and had just sat down on his bunk in the barracks when he looked out the window and saw a hangar roof blown away. Then he saw the Japanese planes.

"The hair on the back of my neck stood up, just as it still does today when I think about it," Chlapowski said at the time.

Chlapowski said he ran to the radio room, where he knew the crew was short on Sundays. A supervisor handed him a message, and in Morse code, he sent out word that Pearl Harbor was under attack.

Daniel L. Bateman

at sites such as away Tuesday, Jan. 11, 2011.

He was born April 5, 1954, Alphonso and Irene Bate-

Daniel was the most giving Quincy, Wash., on person you would ever know July 18, 1959. They and the one thing he loved the family online, please visit Callae settled in the Magic Valley in was his home, and he shared Daniel's memorial webpage

BOISE - Daniel L. there will be no funeral, but heavy construction Bateman, 56, of Boise, passed he wants to invite anyone and everyone to come enjoy his home at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. and George, Wash., in Jerome, Idaho, to 22 (11194 La Grange, Boise, ID 83709).

Please bring a memory or a favorite story for all to enjoy.

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Orvil Eugene Wickel

RUPERT - Orvil Machine Eugene Wickel, 82.

He was born Feb. els included family trips to 15, 1928, at Conner Creek, Idaho, the son of Henry William and Anna Mae No public service is Allphin Wickel. In his early offered; his family plans a years, he was raised on the private memorial service in family ranch at Conner the mountains in summer. In Creek. He attended schools lieu of flowers, donations is Elba and Malta. When he may be made to St. Luke's was a teenager, he moved to Rupert and lived with Aunt Cremation was under the Ada and Uncle Tony Ranson. where he worked in the Home and Crematory in potatoes in Nevada, Oakley and back to Rupert. He served in the Army in the Korean War. Later he worked at I.R. Simplot, ranches in Nevada at Mountain City and Beowawe; he also worked for George Wright, George Montgomery Sr., Pop Elquist, Cranney Farms in Oakley, the Bureau of Land Management at Rogerson, Idaho, as a surveyor and the Forest Service in Malta.

Orvil was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He like to fish and hunt. He loved to Kimberly Road in Twin Falls Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. go fishing with his brother, today at White Mortuary in Marvin. He was happy to go and drink coffee with his friends and he was the hap- Mortuary, 321 E. Main St. in piest when he could come Burley.

back to Conner Creek and help his brother, Arden, and his nephew, Bill, on the ranch. He loved to shop at Wal-Mart and the DI and would spend hours just looking around.

He would meet his sisters at Wendy's for lunch sometimes, which made him very happy. He loved family gettogethers and enjoyed his family around him. Orvil was a very caring person and had a soft heart. He enjoyed watching and listening to all the excitement at the family gatherings. He enjoyed the little children as well as the older ones.

He is survived by his sisters. Della Ward of Albion and Edna Cahoon of Malta; his sister-in-law, Natella Wickel of Elba; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Henry and Mae Wickel; and brothers, Marvin and Arden.

Orvil will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

A graveside service will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 22, at the Elba Cemetery in Elba, Idaho. A gathering for family and friends will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 21, at the Hansen-Payne



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"I love Apple so much and hope to be back as soon as I can."

- Apple Inc. CEO Steve Jobs in a six-sentence note to Apple employees announcing that he is taking a second medical leave of absense in two years

The upward mobility gap

ere's a familiar fact: Economic inequality is rising in the United States. The rich have gotten richer, the poor have stayed poor, and families in the middle have seen their incomes stagnate.

Here's a less-familiar fact: Opportunity in America isn't what it used to be either. Among children born into low-income households, more than two-thirds grow up to earn a belowaverage income, and only 6 percent make it all the way up the ladder into the affluent top one-fifth of income earners, according to a study by economists at Washington's Brookings Institution.



Doyle **McManus**

We think of America as a land of opportunity, but other countries appear to offer more upward mobility. Children born into poverty in Canada, Britain, Germany or France have a statistically better chance of reaching the top than poor kids do in the United States.

What's gone wrong? Thanks to globalization, the economy is producing highincome jobs for the educated and low-income jobs for the uneducated - but few middle-income jobs for workers with high school diplomas. Thanks to the decline of public schools, it's harder for poor kids to get a good education. And Harvard sociologist Robert Putnam argues that thanks partly to the rise of two-income households, intermarriage between rich and poor has declined, choking off another historical upward path for the underprivileged.

"We're becoming two societies, two Americas," Putnam told me recently. "There's a deepening class



divide that shows up in many places. It's not just a matter of income. Education is becoming the key discriminant in American life. Family structure is part of it too."

Increasingly, college-educated Americans live in a different country from those who never made it out of high school. As a group, adults with college degrees have an unemployment rate of 5 percent, steady or rising incomes, relatively stable families and few children out of wedlock. Adults without a high school education, by contrast, face an unemployment rate over 15 percent, declining incomes, a higher divorce rate and have lots of kids out of wedlock. (Among black women who didn't finish high school, 96 percent of childbirths are outside marriage; among white women who didn't finish high school, 43 percent.)

And those mutually reinforcing conditions tend to stick from generation to generation.

Brookings economists Ron Haskins and Isabel

Sawhill studied the noneconomic components of poverty and came up with a rule. "If young people do three things – graduate from high school, get a job, and get married and wait until they're 21 before having a baby — they have an almost 75 percent chance of making it into the middle

class," Haskins said. Think of it as a stool with three legs: jobs, family and education. Government programs can help strengthen all three.

But the availability of jobs now depends mostly on the pace of economic recovery; the Obama administration's already done most of what it can on that score. Government promotion of stable families is an elusive goal; President George W. Bush funded programs like "marriage education" to encourage low-income couples to marry, but it's

hard to measure the results. That leaves education, which is the most promising ground for government action, in part because most Americans agree that fixing

public education is the government's responsibility. Haskins and Sawhill say there's still plenty that can be done to increase access to higher education for lowincome kids, including relatively easy things such as simplifying the application for college financial aid.

But perhaps the most important thing the federal government can do to promote opportunity, they say, is to expand its current efforts to improve public schools. The focus, Haskins said, should be on giving low-income students "more order, more work and more recognition for achievement."

Education reform is already a bipartisan goal. Republicans support it as well as Democrats. They will probably disagree over how much to spend and over how much federal direction to give state and local authorities. But overcoming those differences is a worthy challenge for this new year.

Doyle McManus is a columnist for The Los Angeles Times.

Let Obama's Reagan revolution begin

B arack Obama's Christmas resurrection was so miraculous that even a birther or two may start believing the guy is a Christian.

Nothing captured the president's sudden reversal of fortune more vividly than the Linda Blair-like head spin of the conservative pundit Charles Krauthammer, who pronounced the Obama agenda "dead" on Fox News on Nov. 3 only to lead the bipartisan media hordes anointing him "the new comeback kid" six weeks later. Last week Obama's Gallup job approval rating fleetingly hit 50 percent for the first time in eight months. Even in postshellacking mid-December, polls found that Americans still trusted him more than Washington's Republican leaders to fix the nation's ills - health care included, according to the ABC

survey on that question. The White House pointedly floated the news that the president was meeting with Reagan administration veterans (David Gergen, Ken Duberstein) and taking Lou Cannon's authoritative biography President Reagan: The Role of a Lifetime on vacation. Reagan, of course, was also pummeled in his maiden midterms of 1982, then carried 49 states in his 1984 re-election landslide. In January 1983, Reagan's approval rating was much worse than Obama's - 35 percent. So was the unemployment rate (10.4 percent vs. our current 9.4 percent).

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If Obama actually read Cannon, his comeback could have legs. It's full of leadership lessons that will be particularly useful in outfoxing political adversaries who seem not to have consulted so much as a picture book about the president they claim as their patron saint.

The present-day radicals donning Reagan drag seem not to know, as Cannon writes, that their hero lurched "from excessive tax cuts to corrective tax increases disguised as tax reform" and "submitted eight unbalanced budgets to Congress in succession." Reagan made no promise whatsoever of a balanced budget in the document that codified Reaganomics, his White House's 281-page message to Congress in February 1981. The historian Gil Troy has calculated that spending on entitlement programs more than doubled on Reagan's watch. America slid into debtornation status, and Americans "went from owing 16 cents for every dollar in national income in 1981" to owing 44 cents per dollar in 1988.

What Reagan did know was how to deliver a message, even if that message belied his policies or actions or the facts. But Obama is less adept at keeping his messages simple, consistent and crystal-clear.

Cannon tells of Reagan's habit of endlessly recycling an inspirational World War II anecdote that was a movie-spawned fiction.



Frank Rich

Unlike Reagan, Obama doesn't invent or fantasize. But he has trouble telling even some true stories five times which is why he now has to resell the health care bill more than nine months after he signed it.

Reagan's talents also included an ability to pick adversaries and hammer them relentlessly whether air-traffic controllers or the "evil empire." Reagan got away with it because he never sounded like a whiner, and because he paired his invective with an optimism that bleached out any pettiness.

That pitch-perfect showmanship, timing and salesmanship were in Reagan's bones. Obama doesn't have that training, but he was a great communicator when it came to selling his own story in the campaign, heaven knows. He has rarely rekindled that touch in the White House. His recent Congressional victories should not obscure the reality that, the tax-cut deal notwithstanding, he still disappeared at key moments when he should have led the charge.

With his vastly reduced Capitol Hill cohort, Obama's next two years are going to be less about pushing bills through Congress and more about pushing the presidency to the max. Win or lose, he'll have to be more vocal in other fights, starting with immigration reform. He'll also have to finally find a unifying story to unite his economic philosophy, for if he never defines Obamanomics, his opponents will keep labeling it as tax-and-spend socialism instead.

And surely he must start wielding Reaganesque humor at the rapidly thickening blizzard of Tea Party hypocrisies. A "there you go again" will come in handy when mocking antigovernment zealots like the newly elected Rep. Vicky Hartzler of Missouri, who last week repeatedly ducked Diane Sawyer's simple inquiry as to whether she would end federal farm subsidies (her family farm has collected some \$775,000) now that she's in Washington.

The single biggest factor in Reagan's landslide was the perception that the economy had turned around and that unemployment, though still high (7.2 percent), was falling rapidly. The second most important factor was leadership. Voters rewarded his campaign slogan, "Leadership That's Working," even though his Morning-in-America agenda was a Madison Avenue homily.

At this point the speed of our own halting recovery is not in the president's hands. The ability to remake his style of leadership still is.

Frank Rich is a columnist for The New York Times.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

We need prosecution of actions against society

If my name looks familiar, I was a stringer for several years (Jon Peterson), which I greatly enjoyed. I don't want my children or yours to use drugs. I desire our world to be a safer place to live for all peoples.

Pain control: People with money – multiple doctors, pain clinics,

psychiatrists and unlimited resources People without money -

turned away by doctors, pain clinics, psychiatrists, etc. Pain definition:

Physical pain (easy to identify most of the time); grief. guilt, separation, depression, anxiety, chemical imbalance, fear, paranoia, hatred, selfloathing, hopelessness, low self-image, feeling nonsocially connected, alone and many more are just as real and just as medicated as physical pain by legal and illegal means.

People with money can go from doctor to doctor until they get the help (drug/drugs) they need or think they need.

People without money (without money enough to get the help "drug/drugs" they need) can't go from doctor to doctor, pain clinics, etc., until they get the help

they need.

Money spent on prosecution and punishment is wasted on a lie. This makes us safer, when the wealthy can have just about any drug delivered to their home (for a steep price of course). As with alcohol (probably the worst drug because people using it don't believe they are impaired), adults may use at their discretion until some other criminal law is broken. No difference at all, except the monetary gains made by private corporations who benefit by the status quo never being challenged by lawmakers. The only way to have a free and fair democracy is to prosecute actions against society and not personal medication choices (for adults). Spend the saved money to get people medical/mental help and plenty of law enforcement to support the existing laws for the protection of our great society: crimes against people, businesses and government agencies (which are people).

(Ask any congressperson if they would like to be polygraphed as to all their voting and decision making processes.)

JONATHAN L. PETER-SON Burley

Affordable Care Act will save us money in long run

Congressional Republicans are again turning their backs on average Americans in favor of big corporations. House Republicans are about to violate "solemn" campaign promises for a "more open government" by holding no hearings and allowing no amendments in their upcoming vote to repeal the Affordable Care Act. This will be the most impactful legislation they undertake this congressional session, affecting one-fifth of America's economy (17.3 percent in 2009).

To read the benefits they gleefully intend to strip from rural Americans, see www.whitehouse.gov/files/d ocuments/health_reform_fo r_rural_americans.pdf.

This includes guaranteeing wellness care benefits, incentives for care improvement to rural areas, eliminating insurance denial because of preexisting conditions (or any other reason), eliminating lifetime payout limits or termination with job changes, child inclusion on parental policies to age 26, eliminating unreasonable co-pays and deductibles, and coveragerescission when you become ill. The ACA limits rate hikes due to aging. Beginning 2014, the ACA provides tax credits for rural Americans who cannot afford insurance. For 2010 expenses, the ACA provides a \$250 rebate to Medicare beneficiaries hitting the donut hole.

In 2011, it institutes a 50 percent discount on drugs in the donut hole, and completely closes the hole by 2020. It cracks down on insurance company noncare related spending (bureaucracy, employee perks, lavish salaries, and extravagant marketing). It allows state-run insurance exchanges, so recalcitrant states like Idaho that desire more direct control can have their cake and eat it too (without judicial or political theater as a substitute for actual constituency service). The Congressional Budget Office determined the ACA saves taxpayers over a trillion dollars in 20 years. Don't complain if these improvements vanish at Republican hands if you don't contact your congressman to preserve these benefits that Republicans refused to help achieve in the first place.

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Nixon learned his dirty tricks from JFK

ifty years ago this week, Richard Nixon stood uncomfortably on the Capitol's inaugural platform and watched his rival John F. Kennedy being sworn in as president. "We won" the election, Nixon fumed, "but they stole it from us."

Indeed, the dirty tricks that helped defeat Nixon were more devious than merely the ballot-stuffing of political lore. In one of the least-known chapters of 20th-century political history, Kennedy operatives secretly paid off an informant and set in motion a Watergate-like burglary that sabotaged Nixon's campaign on the eve of the election.

It began in the fall of 1960, when the Kennedy campaign spread word that Vice President Nixon had secretly pocketed money from billionaire Howard Hughes, whose far-flung business empire was heavily



Mark **Feldstein**

dependent on government contracts and connections. Reporters for the St. Louis *Post-Dispatch* and *Time* magazine corroborated the allegations, but their editors feared publishing such explosive information in the last days of the tightly

fought campaign. So the Kennedys turned to two crusading liberal columnists, Drew Pearson and Jack Anderson, who had been attacking Nixon for the past decade. It was "a journalistic atrocity" to conspire with "the Kennedy hawkshaws to help us get the goods on their opponent," Anderson admitted, but scoring a scoop to destroy Nixon was simply too tempting to pass up.

Anderson dropped by the Washington office of obtain this incriminating evidence? By paying the Kennedy lawyer James McInerney. With "a pride that only the diligent investigator can know," Anderson recalled, the Kennedy operative pulled out "a neatly arranged packet which I devoured unceremonious-

The confidential documents revealed how Hughes had funneled to the Nixon family \$205,000 (worth about \$1.6 million today) using various intermediaries, including one of Nixon's brothers, to disguise the transaction. Later evidence would show that the vice president had personally phoned Hughes to ask for the money, which was used to help Nixon pay for an elegant, 9,000square-foot Tudor house in Washington with eight bedrooms, six bathrooms, a library, a butler's pantry and a solarium.

How did JFK's campaign

contemporary equivalent of \$100,000 to a Los Angeles accountant named Phillip Reiner, one of the Hughes middlemen used to conceal Nixon's role in the deal. Reiner was a Democrat who recently had had a fallingout with his partners. With his attorney, Reiner had contacted Robert Kennedy, his brother's campaign manager. Soon after, a break-in occurred at the accountant's old office and the Kennedys suddenly acquired a thick file filled with secret records documenting Nixon's shady deal. (Reiner's estranged partner filed a burglary report with the police, but the crime was never solved.)

With hard evidence in hand, the Kennedy camp passed the dirt to Anderson.

News outlets around the country trumpeted the revelations in headlines. The political hit inflicted maxi-

reinforced his conviction that his enemies in the press and politics were out to get him.

Days later, Kennedy was elected president by the narrowest margin in American history to that point. Nixon and his advisers blamed the Hughes scandal. Accurate or not, this perception haunted Nixon for the rest of his public life.

Nixon always believed he was the true winner of the 1960 campaign. He called the Kennedys "the most ruthless group of political operators ever mobilized" and said they "approached campaign dirty tricks with a roguish relish" that "overcame the critical faculties of many reporters."

The mysterious break-in to recover Nixon's incriminating financial documents convinced him that such burglaries were standard practice in national politics.

mum damage on Nixon and Nixon vowed that he would never be caught unprepared again, and he ultimately established his own corps of hard-nosed operatives to carry out espionage and sabotage, which culminated in the botched break-in a dozen years later at the Watergate office of the Democratic Party.

A half-century afterward, Washington still lives with the residue of the Kennedys' little-known dirty trick, which helped unleash our modern scandal culture and continues to influence politics and media

Mark Feldstein, a professor of media and public affairs at George Washington University, is the author of "Poisoning the Press: Richard Nixon, Jack Anderson, and the Rise of Washington's Scandal Culture." He wrote this commentary for The Washington Post.

Paul Ryan's road map to the future deserves a look

et used to hearing the term "road map" in 2011.

Not the Mideast version, with two opposing sides and no room for compromise. This is a Washington road map with ... OK, bad example.

The D.C. road map comes courtesy of U.S. Rep. Paul Ryan, R-Wis., one of the GOP's best and brightest in matters of fiscal discipline and pro-growth economic policies.

With his comprehensive Road Map for America's Future, Ryan aims to eliminate the short-term deficits and pay off long-term debts, make entitlements and health care both affordable and sustainable, and promote taxes and budgets that encourage economic expansion. Here are some highlights:

Medicare. For those 55 and up, there would be no change. But recognizing that such benefits are not possible long-term, Ryan would provide vouchers for retirees that allows them to buy a Medicare-certified plan. Payments would be adjusted for inflation and the individual's economic and medical needs. The plan would also help low-income beneficiaries set up and pay for tax-free medical savings accounts. To avoid bankrupting states, Medicaid would also undergo serious

changes. Health care reform. If you've wondered what comes after Obamacare's repeal, think costs that actually go down, universal coverage, free markets, tax credits, price transparency, portability of plans, statebased high risk pools, and

more. Social Security. Again, if you're 55 or older, no change. Others could voluntarily invest about onethird of their Social Security taxes into a personal retirement account. The amounts invested would be guaranteed and the accounts could



Kevin

be passed onto the investor's survivors. The accounts and options would be overseen by Social Security, similar to plans available to federal employees and members of

Congress. Tax reform. There would be two rates, 10 percent up to \$100,000 for joint filers and \$50,000 for singles. For higher incomes, the rate would be 25 percent. There's a standard deduction and a health-care tax credit but otherwise no other loopholes or credits. There would be no alternative minimum tax, and no taxes on interest, capital gains, or dividends. And no death tax. The corporate income tax would be replaced with a business consumption tax

of 8.5 percent. The plan was first introduced in 2008, but if it was noticed at all by the Democrats and their supporters, it was attacked. Ryan too. House Speaker Nancy Pelosi reached deep into her side's bag of scare tactics and declared the plan "ends Medicare as we know it" - never mind that

Medicare is toast if left as is. Mostly the plan was ignored. Understandably. Why draw attention to fiscal responsibility while running up record deficits and claiming the GOP has no ideas?

Now, however, Ryan and the road map will be gaining the attention they deserve, for three reasons.

First, Ryan, a smart, affable young congressman who ably took on President Obama at February's health care summit, is about to become chairman of the House budget committee. Yep, the guy who has been

saying over and over in the last year that Washington's problem is spending, not revenue, will oversee the drafting of the next federal budget.

Second, what sounded radical in 2008 is now almost mainstream.

The president's deficit reduction commission, which included Ryan, adopted the roadmap's comprehensive approach to deficits, budgeting, entitlements, and tax reform. The commission didn't take all his ideas — in fact Ryan voted against the panel's final report because it didn't go far enough on Medicare and health care

reform. But the bipartisan commission called for eliminat ing the deficit. It would simplify the tax code by eliminating deductions and having only three rates. It calls for a lower corporate tax rate. It would raise the retirement age, and reform the budget process. The panel's outline didn't have enough support to gain a vote in Congress, but there's no doubt some of its ideas will be included in any budget Ryan develops.

Finally, here's reason number three why Americans will give Ryan and his road map a fair hearing in 2011: The Democrats got nothing. They've been all about binge spending and record deficits in the four years they've run Congress.

And this month, with the extension of the Bush tax cuts, they've showed they stand for absolutely nothing. For 10 years they decried these tax rates as unfair, immoral, and benefiting only the superrich. Now those very same, across-the-board rates are sold as middle-class tax relief.

In contrast, even if Americans don't agree with every twist and turn in the road map, they will find it and its author smart, serious, and credible.

Kevin Ferris is assistant editor of the editorial page of the Philadelphia Inquirer.

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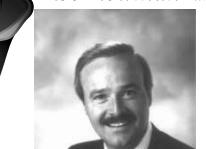
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AROUND THE WORLD

WASHINGTON **Obama and Hu dine** at White House

Eager to soothe tensions, President Barack Obama and Chinese President Hu Jintao shared an unusual and intimate dinner Tuesday night to discuss the strains and common goals that define the complicated relations between the two rival pow-

The private dinner, in the Old Family Dining Room in the White House residence, came amid disputes over China's currency, trade and human rights policies and a search for cooperation on national security. It preceded a planned pomp-filled gala for Hu tonight and illustrated Obama's careful mix of warmth and firmness for the leader of a nation that is at once the largest U.S. competitor and most important potential partner.

Also at the dinner were national security adviser Tom Donilon and Secretary of State Hillary Clinton. Hu brought along two top Chinese officials. Underscoring the desire for candor, the White House said there were no official note-takers at the dinner and offered no readout of the discus-

For Hu, today's pageantry would be an accomplishment in itself. The U.S. has stiffened its stance against China after initial entreaties from the Obama administration, and any images of a friendly welcome in the U.S. could serve to polish Hu's image at home and abroad and to soften the American public's suspicions about China.

Hu received red carpet treatment upon landing Tuesday afternoon at a wet Andrews Air Force Base, where he was greeted by Vice President Joe Biden and a military color guard.

For Obama, the visit represents an opportunity to carry out the engagement he promised would be a trademark of his foreign policy. But Obama is also under pressure to show resolve as a range of interest groups — from business leaders to human rights advocates — press the administration to stand up to Beijing.

HAITI Haiti moves toward trial for Duvalier

PORT-AU-PRINCE — A judge will decide whether former Haitian dictator Jean-Claude Duvalier will be tried on charges that include corruption and embezzlement for allegedly pilfering the treasury before his 1986 ouster, a lawyer for the ex-strong-

man said Tuesday. A judge questioned the former dictator known as "Baby Doc" in an hours-long, closed-door court session, defense attorney Gervais Charles said. The decision to move toward a trial makes clear that whatever Duvalier's reasons were for returning to Haiti on Sunday, the government is poised to take the opportunity to seek justice for his long-vanished

regime, widely regarded as brutal and corrupt.

Charles said the case is now in the hands of a judge of instruction who will decide whether there is enough evidence to go to trial, a process that can take up to three

Several hundred Duvalier supporters gathered outside the court, burning tires, chanting slogans and calling for the arrest of President Rene Preval, then cheering as Duvalier left the courthouse and headed to his hotel under police escort. Earlier, some supporters had tried to block streets with overturned trash bins and rocks to keep police from taking Duvalier from

his hotel to the courthouse. There are no signs of widespread support for Duvalier, how-

ever. Demonstrations on his behalf have been relatively small by Haiti standards. More than half the nation's people are too young to have lived through his govern-

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Haiti's system allows for pretrial detention, but Duvalier was allowed to remain free, though he cannot leave the country. His longtime companion Veronica Roy had said Monday that Duvalier expected his trip from France, where he has lived in exile, would last three days.

Resignations imperil effort to quell unrest

TUNIS — Tunisia's interim president and prime minister resigned from the former ruling party

Tuesday although not their leader- from the government, a move that ship posts hours after at least three ministers pulled out of the North African country's day-old appeared intended to offset the with his family. effect of the ministers' resignations, which threatened to undermine efforts to quell continuing unrest here and launch an era of democratic reforms that many hope could inspire the Arab world.

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As curfew approached in this tense capital, pressure mounted for Prime Minister Mohammed

could potentially bring down the government just three days after Tunisia's deposed autocrat, Zine unity government. The move el-Abidine Ben Ali, fled the country The ministers who resigned

> were opponents of Ben Ali who had been named to the powersharing government Monday. Their decision followed rising public anger over the inclusion of members of Ben Ali's old guard in the new Cabinet.

At about the same time, clash-Ghannoushi to also resign entirely es erupted in the capital. Police

pumped tear gas toward crowds of protesters demanding the forced ouster from the new cabinet of anyone connected to Ben Ali's government.

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"RCD out!" the crowds chanted, referring to Ben Ali's party, the Democratic Constitutional Rally. "Get out! Get out!"

By Tuesday night, Tunisian state television had announced the resignations of Ghannoushi and interim president Fouad Mebazaa from the RCD, describing it as "a bid to split the state from the party."

From wire services



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THE PALATE OF A FOURTH-GRADER

Gooding Elementary cookbooks support charity

By Ariel Hansen Times-News writer

There are a lot of fourthgraders in Gooding kitchens these days. In their own homes, they're helping their parents prepare tasty dishes. and in their neighbors' homes they're sharing those dishes through cookbooks.

Four fourth-grade teachers at Gooding Elementary School created the annual books as a fundraiser, and the most recent includes about 100 recipes, one favorite chosen by each fourth-grader. The students use the profits from cookbook sales at Christmas to buy gifts for needy families.

"We wanted something that came from our own students' families, something that would be meaningful, teacher Sue Claiborn said. "Most of the kids were very thoughtful in their choices for their favorite food, and the recipes are familyfriendly and easy to make."

Although there were no rules that the recipes had to be original, Claiborn said most were either handed down through students' families or created or modified by parents. In almost all cases, they are not only what the students like to eat, but also what they like to help prepare at home.

Aubry Anderson, for example, doesn't get to use the knife when she makes honey-mustard chicken with her mom, but she mixes the sauce and places the dish in the oven to bake.

"It makes me feel accomplished," the fourth-grader said. And it doesn't hurt that the recipe is delicious. "I like it because it has a lot of sweetness to it."

Aubry's mom, Sheri Anderson, said she found the recipe on the Internet, but with some adjustments it has become a family favorite.

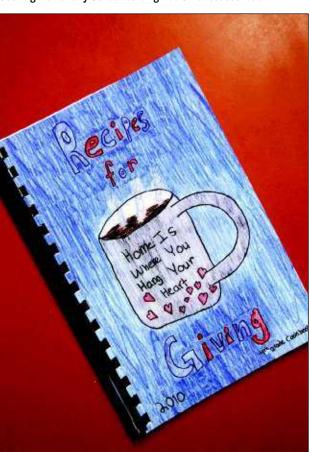
"Instead of chicken breasts, I cut the chicken up, and we serve it over rice" or noodles, Sheri said, noting that it pleases even her picky eaters. "It's something we make extra of when I bake it, to have leftovers."

The Anderson family enjoys the recipe — and the others in the fourth-grade cookbook – so much that they put together gift packages for all their family and friends for Christmas, including a copy of the cookbook with Aubry's recipe marked, and jars of honey and mustard and packets of the spices.

Aubry said she's looking forward to making a baked



Aubry Anderson, 10, prepares Baked Honey Mustard Chicken while her sister Madysen Anderson, 7, watches Saturday afternoon. The recipe is in Gooding Elementary School fourth-graders' newest cookbook.



'Recipes for Giving,' this year's version of a cookbook created by fourth-graders at Gooding Elementary School. This cookbook and its predecessors have raised more than \$1,000 for needy families at Christmas over the past three years.

PEANUT BRITTLE

From Gooding fourthgrader Macie Thompson

11/2 cup sugar 1 cup plus 1 teaspoon

1 teaspoon vanilla

1 cup Karo syrup 1 tablespoon margarine

or butter

1 pound raw peanuts 1 1/2 teaspoons baking

Have all ingredients ready before starting. Butter two 15 1/2-by-12inch baking sheets and them warm. keep Combine sugar, 1 cup

Pour into the baking sheets and spread quickly. Cool, then break into pieces.

GINGER SNAPS

From Gooding fourthgrader Erika Anthony

3/4 cup shortening

1 cup brown sugar 1/4 tablespoon molasses

1 teaspoon baking soda

1 teaspoon ground ginger 1/2 teaspoon cloves

1 teaspoon cinnamon 2 1/4 cups flour

1/4 cup sugar

Preheat oven to 350 water, vanilla and Karo degrees. In a bowl, mix syrup in a saucepan, and shortening, egg and brown cook over medium heat sugar. Add molasses, bakuntil the mixture reaches ing soda and spices, and 240 degrees (the soft ball mix well. Add flour a little stage). Stir in margarine at a time, mixing continuor butter and peanuts. ously. Roll the dough into Cook, stirring constantly, small balls, then roll each to 300 degrees, then ball in sugar. Place sugarremove immediately from coated balls on baking heat. Mix baking soda sheets about one inch and I teaspoon water, and apart, and bake for 8 to stir that mixture thor- 10 minutes. Allow to cool oughly into the brittle. 1 minute before eating.

Photos by DREW NASH/Times-News **Baked Honey Mustard Chicken is** set out at Sheri Anderson's home Saturday afternoon in Gooding. The recipe, a favorite of daughter Aubry Anderson's, is included in this year's Gooding Elementary School fourth-grade cookbook, a fundraising effort for the past three years.

BAKED HONEY MUSTARD CHICKEN

From Gooding fourthgrader Aubry Anderson

6 skinless, boneless chicken breasts, cut into

Salt and pepper to taste 1/2 cup honey 1/2 cup prepared mus-

1 teaspoon dried basil 1 teaspoon paprika

1/2 teaspoon parsley

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Sprinkle chicken breasts with salt and pepper and place in a lightly greased 9-by-13-inch baking dish. In a small bowl, mix together honey, mustard, basil, paprika and parsley. Pour half that mixture over the chicken and brush it to cover the breasts. Bake for 30 minutes, then turn chicken over and brush with the remaining honey-mustard mixture. Bake an additional 10 to 15 minutes, until chicken is no longer pink and juices run clear. Let cool 10 minutes before serv-

CROCK POT LASAGNA

From Gooding fourthgrader Riley Comstock, who notes: "We double the recipe for our family; it makes yummy leftovers."

Cooking spray 1 pound Italian sausage 1 jar spaghetti sauce

1/2 cup water 4 cups mozzarella cheese

1 1/2 cups cottage cheese

8-10 ounces lasagna noodles, uncooked

Spray interior of crock pot with cooking spray. In a frying pan, brown Italian sausage, then stir in spaghetti sauce and water. Combine cheeses in a bowl. Spread 1/4 of the meat sauce on the bottom of the Crock Pot. Arrange 1/3 of the noodles over the sauce, breaking the noodles. Spoon 1/3 of the cheese over the noodles. Repeat in layers, using the last 1/4 of the sauce on top. Cover and cook on low $3 \frac{1}{2}$ to 4 hours.

GET A COPY

To buy Gooding Elementary School's most recent fourth-grade cookbook, "Recipes for Giving," call the school at 934-4941. The book contains about 100 recipes and costs \$8.

Some Gooding-area businesses may also have copies of the cookbook for sale. Proceeds go to the school's charity program, through which fourth-graders purchase Christmas gifts for needy families.

friend for inclusion in the she said. cookbook.

The 2010-11 cookbook "He said it was really features recipes in all catepotato soup chosen by a good, so I wanted to try it," gories, from appetizers

to desserts.

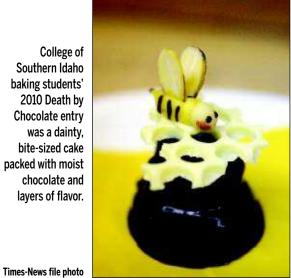
missions include:

• From Michael Floyd, a

flavorful pizza that's a spe-Other fourth-grade sub- cialty of his uncle. "(It has)

See PALATE, Food 2

College of Southern Idaho baking students' 2010 Death by Chocolate entry was a dainty, bite-sized cake packed with moist chocolate and layers of flavor.



A sweet debate What will impress Death by Chocolate tasting fans?

By Melissa Davlin **Times-News writer**

To face a roomful of desserts in a single night, your sweet tooth just isn't enough.

You'll have to bring all your powers of discrimination when the Rotary Club of Twin Falls puts on its sixth annual Death by Chocolate fundraiser Jan. 27. The event raises money for Magic Valley charities and pits southern

each other to compete for votes from both judges and the tasting public.

are split into five categories: cookies, cakes, candies, brownies and unique desserts. The judges who pick favorites in each category don't know entrants' identities, but chefs serve the public from labeled tables.

So what is it that judges and attendees look for? Their

Idaho pastry chefs against favorites done well? Unique enjoys Death by Chocolate for desserts? Solid chocolate fla- its culinary inspiration. She Toni Hebdon of Twin Falls made with easy-to-find

Their bite-sized desserts likes it when contestants take ingredients so she can rerisks. She recalled one lavender-infused brownie that especially stood out.

When touring the room items, not specialty shop with her ballot, she gravitates items," Fivas said. to cakes and unique desserts.

Polly Fivas of Twin Falls

Lynn Sheehan, chef and "I'm not a huge cookie fan, owner of Cucina Gemelli in but I try everything," Hebdon Twin Falls, judged at previous

create them.

wants to see unique desserts

"What do you have in your

kitchen? Everyday pantry

See **CHOCOLATE**, Food 2

Maya Angelou and the poetry of cooking

By Katherine Boyle The Washington Post

Maya Angelou gives aspiring poets and cooks the same advice: "Plan every movement. Give yourself a lot of time and always forgive yourself." This year, the literary luminary will receive the Presidential Medal of Freedom for filling libraries with weighty poetry and prose, but her latest project is considerably lighter.

In "Great Food, All Day Long: Cook Splendidly, Eat Smart" (\$30, Random House), she shares her healthy, homespun dishes.

Why did you decide to • start writing cookbooks? A. Oh, I'm a cook! I'm a serious cook. A few days ago, someone interviewing me said, "So, you're a chef?" and I said, "No, I'm not a chef. A chef is someone who cooks to be compensated." I cook to be compensated by the smiles of family and the laughs of my friends.

What do meals mean • to you? In a wonderful way, A• mealtime is almost the most intimate time that people have together. Of course. when one is making love with someone one loves, with a beloved, that's the most intimate. But the next most intimate time is when a person has gone shopping for the freshest produce, the finest-looking chicken or beef or fish, and come home to prepare it in the best possible way, and then presented it beautifully and sat down to eat it with a beloved — that is extremely intimate.

• Has the idea of din-• nertime changed in this country?

A• I think we dropped the ball somewhere. We've raised a generation of young folks who have their major meals at counters. At McDonald's, Burger King and even at the counters in their own homes. We're losing something so important, and it will change America. It will change who we are to ourselves and to each other and to the world.

Is cooking like writing poetry? Yes, cooking is like writing poetry, but it's also like building a house. You want the best ingredients. When you're writing a poem,

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this peppery sauce that's

really spicy, and pepperoni

and this peppery cheese,"

Michael said. It was hard to

decide what to submit, but

he said the pizza ended up a

better than a lot of recipes I

• From Macie Thompson,

her grandmother's peanut brittle. Although she has

this handwritten recipe "just

cookie: ginger snaps. She has

made these cookies entirely

on her own, as well as with

also created the illustration

and it said 'Home is where

you hang your heart," she

said. "My mom said it was a

tastes good."

good saying."

was thinking about before."

clear choice. "I like it more cheesy and good," she said.

never made it herself, the recipes are fairly basic, with brittle that emerges from few gourmet ingredients or

• Erika Anthony's favorite cook for families and with

help from her family. Erika all typed and edited by the

that graces the cover of the guage arts curriculum, so cookbook. "I drew a coffee cooks should beware that cup with hot chocolate in it there might be a few errors



RICHARD A. LIPSKI/Washington Post Maya Angelou, who will receive the Presidential Medal of Freedom this year, says Americans 'have dropped the ball somewhere' when it comes to dinnertime today. Here, Angelou is shown at a National Council of Negro Women gala in Washington in 2009.

you hope to have a good vocabulary, and to choose the nouns and pro-

how they affect another person. And it's really because you've been careful in the choice of your ingredients and respectful of how they work together. That's true of all the efforts in life.

particularly poetic?
A. Oh, I don't know – it
depends on who's eating or who's preparing it and what time of day it is. But I'll say this: Somebody made the rule that you have eggs for breakfast, a sandwich at lunch and a steak at dinner. That's ridiculous. If you get bowl of chili, I think that's what you should have. That can be romantic.

regional food affected your

We all eat the same things all over the world: flour, corn, millet, meat and vegetables

Comstock's mother intro-

duced their family to a Crock

Pot Lasagna that has since

become Rilev's favorite din-

ner. "It's a recipe my mom

makes a lot since we got our

crock pot, and it tastes really

"It's pretty easy, actually. ... I

help her with the measuring

cups and dumping the mix-

advanced techniques, so they would be suitable to

children's help. "Just good,

students as part of their lan-

or inconsistencies.

However, the recipes were

hometown food," she said.

Claiborn said all the

ture in the bowl."

PEARS IN PORT WINE

Serving size: One pear, or if one-half pear will satisfy, offer vanilla ice cream at the first serving. Recipe courtesy Maya Angelou.

4 ripe, firm pears 3 cups Ruby Port wine 1/4 cup sugar

1 jigger (3 tablespoons) Cointreau

2 teaspoons vanilla extract

Peel the pears, but leave them whole. With the stem end intact, cut off a thin slice at the bottom so that the pears can stand upright.

In a nonreactive saucepan, bring the Port, sugar and 2 cups of water to a boil.

Place the whole pears in the liquid, lower the heat, and simmer uncovered for about 35 minutes, turning the pears occasionally, until they are tender.

Remove pears with a slotted spoon and set aside.

Increase the heat under the saucepan and reduce the liquid by half by boiling vigorously for 20 minutes to a medium-thick syrup. Add the Cointreau and vanilla.

Place the pears upright in a serving dish and spoon the reduced syrup over them. Chill for at least two hours before serving.

• Where: Canyon Crest Dining and Event Center, 330 Canyon

Crest Drive, Twin Falls

• What: Death by Chocolate charity fundraiser, sponsored by The Rotary Club of Twin Falls • When: 6 to 9 p.m. Jan. 27

cake, topped by chocolate ganache.

· Who's cooking: Participants include Anchor Bistro & Bar, Cactus Petes Resort Casino, Canyon Crest, Canyon Ridge High School, Cold Stone Creamery, College of Southern Idaho's baking and pastry arts

program, Cucina Gemelli,

Daisy's Olde Time Confections, Dina's Deelites, Hilton Garden

College of Southern Idaho students Addie Cahall, left, Zealanda

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 Information: Jill Skeem, 320-2786 or jillasherman@yahoo.com.

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events but is competing this year. She primarily looks for purity of taste and takes presentation into account.

"Flavor is driving principle," Sheehan said, recalling some exceptional cookies and ice cream desserts.

As she prepares to compete this year, she's remembering what impressed her as a judge. She'll make an Italian cookie for the cookie category - a classic recipe in Italy, but not one that is well known here, she said.

Death by Chocolate has its devotees - and last year netted about \$26,000 for local charities — but not everyone who has tasted the chocolate has gone has loved it." is going again this year. Karen Wiedenmann recalled an

the year they discovered just a few months prior that I had diabetes 2. I'm walking through the line with this great big plate of chocolate, and I ran into my diabetic counselor." The embarrassment was

enough to scare Wiedenmann away from Death by Chocolate. "Honey, I never went

back," she said.

But if it weren't for diabetes, Wiedenmann would be there with her Red Hat Society friends, who attend nearly every year.

"Everything was wonderful," she said of the desserts. "I know that everybody that

Melissa Davlin may be embarrassing episode: "I reached at 735-3234 or went one year and that was mdavlin@magicvalley.com.

The food connection

Melissa Davlin talks to a 98-year-old cookbook writer whose recipes are feeding her fellow Bridgeview Estates residents.

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nouns and verbs carefully. The way you put them together will determine

• Is there a meal that's up in the morning and want a

• You've lived in so • many places. How has style of cooking?

A. I'm respectful of the men and women cooking those things in their way.

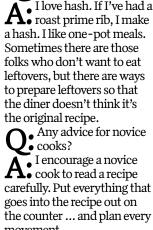
and fish. People prepare the foods in different ways, but I like the idea that I'm a human being — nothing human can be alien to me. We make a mistake in thinking there's a mystique. What we should do, what I try to

do, is have respect. • Favorite recipe?

A I love pears poached in port. They're nice because the next morning you can have half of a pear, and they're just so cool and refreshing. And since there's port mixed in, it makes people think they're being a little

You love leftovers. Any favorites? A: I love hash. If I've had a roast prime rib, I make folks who don't want to eat leftovers, but there are ways to prepare leftovers so that

goes into the recipe out on movement.





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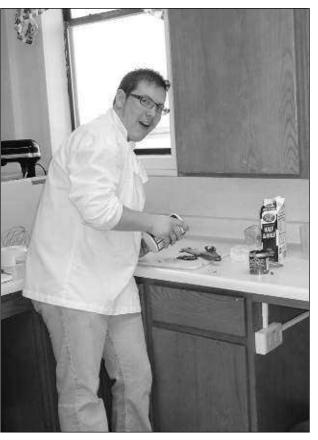
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Minico High School student Conner Olsen removes homemade bread from the oven at Brutus Bakery, Minico's culinary school.



Photos by JUDY ALBERTSON/Times-News Student Cody White adds a little salt at Minico High's Brutus Bakery.

"Sometimes

everything is restocked.

judy.albertson@lee.net.

said.

Rupert bakery preps students for culinary competition

By Judy Albertson Times-News writer

RUPERT — Brutus Bakery your ordinary bakery. It is open only when school is in session, and its main purpose is teaching.

"I mainly focus on teaching working skills that can go over to business areas. A lot of the students won't go into culinary arts, but they will time. Usually 12 to 15 schools duction" class is for three learn skills that will help in compete, Edgar said. any other area they go into," said teacher Vicki Edgar, method of cooking, how it the third year James has who oversees the bakery.

Brutus Bakery opened in February 1999, due to a grant from Magic Valley School to Work to help small partnerships for business.

"Ours came from Magic Services in Twin Falls. With it, we purchased equipment that is used in the business world. I wanted to teach them to use equipment and world," Edgar said.

One day recently, the Minico students were practicing for an April 7 culinary competition in Boise. They prepared Parisian apple dessert. But organizers pick themselves," he added. salad, pork medallions with glaze, chipotle mashed potatoes and cookies-andcream pudding – then sat down to enjoy the fruits of their labor.

"These kids are a gift from heaven. They are so good

Choosing a baking pan

By Emily Luchetti The Washington Post

There are many choices of baking pans: aluminum foil, Corning, tempered glass, shiny metal, dark metal, insulated, silicone. Are there advantages to using one over the other, and how does their position in the oven affect the performance?

A• Always try to put pans in the middle of the oven. Sometimes racks aren't positioned where there is one right in the center, but get as close as you can. If you have two pans and a regular oven (where there are top and bottom heat elements and no fan), make sure to switch the pans halfway through baking. That way they will be evenly baked and colored.

At home, I don't like to bake with silicone. Cakes, etc., don't get as nice a crust or outside.

I use glass for pies so I can see the color of the bottom

For round, square and rectangular pans, I prefer aluminum, metal or nonstick. They are easy to clean, produce nice results and won't

I don't bother with insulated or dark metal.

I use aluminum foil pans when I am taking baked goods somewhere and don't want to worry about getting the pans back. Because they

are flimsy, I put them on a baking sheet in the oven.

rare they get to sit down and until they get there which eat. They are usually so busy at Minico High School is not doing other things," Edgar

> The state-level competition is under the Competitive Family Career Community Leaders of America. Each team has three cooks, and three or four teams compete at a

looks, sanitation, taste, how you perform. There are several judges that walk around in the kitchen while you're cooking. Other judges are chefs that really know what they are doing. It is a long Valley Youth & Adult process and very nervewracking," student Kody James said. James, who helps in the bakery five days a week, has competed twice.

"Kody is my right-hand be part of the business man. He is a fantastic chef," Edgar said.

three menus before the like making bread. A lot of competition. Each contains people are losing that touch a main course, salad and of learning to take care of

and always glad to do any- only one menu that day, and thing I ask them to do. It's competitors don't know thriving business. Custone they will make.

"Competition recipes are incredibly difficult," Edgar said. "It's really grueling. We won once, and I know how coaches of sporting events feel. You love these kids and you teach them and you love it when they come through."

Minico's "Food Promonths, and students can "You are critiqued on your take it for three years. This is enrolled.

"It's a great class. You learn what it's like to make things for others. You're not making it for yourself. You're making it for others the way they want it," James said. "It teaches you how to deal with people. When it comes to reached at food, people are more on edge. They want everything to be perfect.

"You learn great things every day and it teaches us a lot of things people don't James said they are sent know how to do anymore



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Times-News

Wood River Valley chef Pasta Con Salumi and cookbook author Cristina Ceccatelli Cook dubbed "Pasta, Pasta, Pasta" next week in Twin Falls.

Tuesday at Rudy's – A Cook's Paradise, 147 Main Ave. W. Cost is \$45.

The class menu: Pasta with prosciutto cotto and morels; Pasta Con Verdure

strozzapreti with broccoli and pecorino; and spaghetti al'amatriciana.

Ceccatelli Cook grew up will teach a cooking class in Italy on her family's estate in Tuscany. She is the founder and owner of Cristina's Restaurant. It's set for 7-9 p.m. which she opened in 1993, five years after moving to the United States. She is the author of two cookbooks, "Cristina's of Sun Valley" Con Latte – Puglia e fieno (2005) and "Cristina's Tuscan Table" (2007).

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Soup up your diet to lose a little weight

By Jim Romanoff For The Associated Press

If losing weight is a goal, add slurping soup to your to-

do list. A bowl of soup is mostly liquid, making it a lower calorie way to feel satisfied without actually being stuffed — or stuffing in lots of calories. This is why so many diets tell you to drink water all the time. The more full you feel, the less likely you are to consume unwanted calories.

Of course, not just any bowl of soup works with this plan. Many canned varieties are loaded with sodium, and creamy soups can be filled with fat.

kitchen can be easy and is the creamy soup base. best way to control what you consume.

sure to start with a reducedsodium broth, then add the salt, then pureed until fat-free plenty of vegetables and beans. Besides being low in calories and filling, beans are packed with healthful dietary fiber and nutrients.

with a base of pureed vegeta-



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BLACK-EYED PEA

AND COLLARD GREENS

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Servings: 4.

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kielbasa

Lots of vegetables and low-fat kielbasa pack this recipe, making it both filling and healthy.

ed to intensify the flavors, then run through a food mill, blender or food processor. Added to broth, these purees Making soup in your own make for a wonderfully

For another velvety and flavorful base, canned beans For broth-based soups, be can be rinsed under cold water to wash away some of smooth in a blender or food processor.

> This black-eyed pea and collard green soup with

smoked sausage

olive oil

1 medium yellow onion. chopped

1 1/2 cups peeled, diced potato

15-ounce can black-eyed

peas, rinsed 5 ounces frozen collard or

turnip greens or spinach

14-ounce can reducedsodium chicken broth

11/4 cups water

Salt, to taste Ground black pepper, to

Add the potatoes, black-1/2 pound 97-percent eyed peas, greens or spinach,

Hiking the gorge

Andrew Weeks and

Joshua Palmer explore Malad Gorge.

Thursday in Outdoors

Cut the sausage in half lengthwise, then crosswise into 1/4-inch slices. In a large pot over medium, heat the oil. Add the sausage and cook, stirring often, until lightly browned, about 2 to 3 minutes. Add the onion and saute

until softened, 3 to 4 minutes. or broth and water. Bring to a

simmer, cover the pot and 102 calories from fat (36 perpotatoes are tender, about 15 minutes. Season with salt and

1 teaspoon extra-virgin cook over low heat until the cent of total calories): 11 g fat (4 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 40 mg cholesterol; 32 g carbohydrate; 16 g protein; 6 g Per serving: 279 calories; fiber; 971 mg sodium.



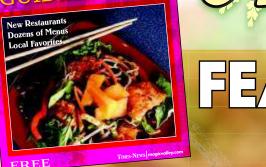
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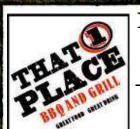
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A CHANGE OF DIRECTION



Janet Studenski, lost her job as a legal secretary in 2009. By the next July, she became one of the more than 4 million job seekers out of work a year or longer. So she decided to go back to school in a new field.

Blind leap, soft landing in mid-life career change

By Kirsten Valle Pittman McClatchy Newspapers

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – Janet Studenski had made a bed countless times in her 53 years, but she hesitated in front of her classmates.

This time a student pretending to be a patient was under the covers. The state nursing aide exam was three weeks away, and changing the sheets on an occupied bed was one of 24 skills Studenski needed to

and, with it, a shot at a job.

After more than a year without

one, it meant too much to fail. "Does she turn to her side?" Studenski frowned. "No. Yeah. Turn not have considered in better times. to your side."

wrapped her up in there like a mummy."

"It's different," she said quietly, drifting back to her seat. "You wouldn't think it would be so hard to make a bed, but it is."

Since she lost her job as a legal secretary in July 2009, Studenski had been living a life common among the swollen ranks of the unemployed. Every day, uncertainty dragged her down, and hope drove her forward. She felt too old to change careers, but here she was, reinventing herself in a field that promised new challenges and, she hoped, better job prospects.

The recession battered much of the country, casting legions out of work as companies scrambled to cut costs. Now, more than a year after it officially ended, the national jobless rate has fallen to 9.4 percent. But the economy added just 103,000 jobs, fewer than economists expected.

More troubling still: The number of people out of work a year or longer has grown dramatically, surging to 30 percent of U.S. job seekers last month.

Older job seekers are among the At stake were the certification most frightened. Often, they feel disadvantaged when pitted against younger candidates. Some give in to early retirement. Others branch out, seeking jobs in sectors they would

On a Friday in late July 2009, She worked haltingly. Then, the around lunchtime, the secretary students behind her giggled, and her who worked next to Studenski came shoulders sank: "I definitely over to her after a meeting. She'd just been laid off, she told her. Studenski's phone rang a moment

> She met with the firm's human resources manager and the attorney in charge of the office. They said they felt awful delivering the news and seemed sincere. They offered her a four-week severance package, and the HR manager even passed along a lead on a new job. Still, it stung. Two decades in the legal industry. Never fired, never even a bad review. And now this.

As the anniversary of Studenski's

See CAREER, Business 2



House Speaker John Boehner of Ohio, right, accompanied by House Majority Leader Eric Cantor of Va., holds a copy of a proposal to repeal the Health Care Bill during news conference on Capitol Hill in Washington.

Fact check:

Shaky health care job loss estimate

By Ricardo Alonso-Zaldivar Associated Press writer

WASHINGTON - Republicans pushing to repeal President Barack Obama's care

overhaul warn that 650,000 jobs will be lost

Analysis

if the law is allowed to stand.

But the widely cited estimate by House GOP leaders is shaky. It's the latest creative use of statistics in the health care debate, which has seen plenty of examples from both sides.

Republicans are calling their thumbsdown legislation the "Repealing the Job-Killing Health Care Law Act." Postponed

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Nuke power company execs fight back in federal court

Associated Press writer

BOISE - Executives at a small Idaho company aiming to build a nuclear power plant are disputing claims by federal regulators that they tried to defraud investors.

In documents filed in U.S. District Court, Alternate Energy Holdings Chief Executive Officer Don Gillispie said there was nothing to support charges by the Securities and Exchange Commission that the company illegally sought to prop up the price of its shares.

Gillispie said he's the victim of anti-nuclear groups that have altered documents circulating on the Internet to make it appear he did something wrong. He wants a federal judge to dismiss the SEC's claims against him and Alternate Energy Holdings Vice President Jennifer Ransom.

"The SEC's conclusory argument that AEHI is a sham company with no realistic possibility of building a nuclear power plant is not only false, it is an unreasonable conclusion given how far the company has already come in the approval process," states the court filing made available Mondav.

Since last month, Gillispie and Ransom have been on voluntary leave from the Eagle, Idaho-based compavalidity of the SEC allega-

The federal regulator to raise at least \$5 million from investors.

SEC lawyers contend the regulator has records that Gillispie and Ransom secretly unloaded stock holdings and funneled the money back to Gillispie.

He is accused of making six times the salary he spending it on jewelry, cruises, car and other items.

documents the SEC is wrong. For instance, the SEC alleges the scheme included AEHI stock for the benefit of Gillispie.

But Gillispie contends sales were intended for bona report.

fide transactions, with Webb buying Gillispie's 2007 Lexus Hybrid and Ransom repaying \$200,000 to Gillispie for two loans and for property he bought for Ransom's sister, whose house had been destroyed in a fire.

The SEC's conclusions "are without any merit," Gillispie contends in the court documents.

Ransom also denies wrongdoing in her affidavit filed with the court in Boise. She said SEC claims that she hid her stock sales from the public and assisted Gillispie's misconduct by transferring him \$200,000 are "absolutely false."

The money was to repay Gillispie for \$20,000 in loans as well as for her sister's home, Ransom said.

"I knew he took a loan from an IRA to obtain the proceeds to pay for the home," according Ransom's affidavit. believed it was more appropriate for my sister to owe me the money than for my sister to owe Mr. Gillispie. I had the money, so I paid Mr. Gillispie by depositing a check directly into his bank account."

In its filing, Alternate Energy Holdings discloses it has spent about \$7 million in eash and \$11 million in stock attempting to gain site approval for the power plant.

Earlier this month, Payette ny until a court rules on the County Planning and Zoning Commission recommended changing the zoning of a 5.000-acre tract in western accuses the company of Idaho to accommodate using misleading statements Alternate Energy Holding's proposed facility, but that change still needs formal approval by the county board of commissioners.

In the meantime, several law firms have announced their willingness to represent possibly defrauded investors, in a class action lawsuit filed in the U.S. reported to investors and District Court for the District of Idaho on behalf of purchasers of AEHI Gillispie said in the court stock, between Sept. 20. 2006, through Dec. 14, 2010.

The Shuman Law Firm, of having Ransom and an Idaho Bolder, CO announced the lawyer, Brian Webb, sell their filing of a class action lawsuit on Jan. 11.

Times-News writer Blair proceeds from those stock Koch contributed to this

Women's Council of Realtors keeps members focused

By Blair Koch Times-News writer

In real estate, the key to success is often summed up as "location, location, location." But the message sent home during a local Women's Council of Realtors meeting Tuesday was "networking, networking, networking."

Heather Hoskins, training coordinator for the Twin Falls Aflac insurance office, isn't yet a member of the group but said she quickly signing up.



BLAIR KOCH/Times-News

Evan Cook, associated broker with Keller Williams Winstar Realty of Idaho Falls and Idaho State Women's Council of Realtors governor, was saw the potential value of the guest speaker at the local WCR meeting on Tuesday.

ongoing professional train- affiliate businesses like area, but my membership ing, support and a referral banks, title insurance com- led to (a Realtor) making the network.

Hoskins attended the tors. meeting to pick up an iPad she won through a fundrais-

"This seems like a very easy way to not only meet is here for, so there is less opportunities. pressure," Hoskins said.

panies and interior decora-

"I work solely off commissions," said Hoskins. "I really ing raffle, and left with have to use my time wisely, information on how to and I could see myself getting become an affiliate member. a lot from being part of this organization."

people but explain the prod- Hubert said referrals generuct you're selling. What's ated through her membernice is that is what everyone ship have led to many sales

WCR isn't only for some people looking into national Don Aslett's women Realtors. The group buying property in the Twin encourages men to join, as Falls area," Hubert said. The WCR is geared at keeping members on top of their sales game, offering well as representatives of "They don't even live in the

referral because I can help them purchase property here."

Education is also a major component of the organization's mission.

"Each month we have a different topic that touches Former President Connie on everything from cultural diversity to business plans," Hubert said.

Next month's meeting, at 11:30 a.m. Feb. 15, features "I got a referral about Don Aslett, founder of the Cleaning Center chain.

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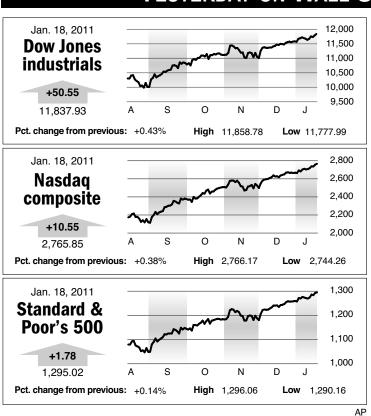
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Yesterday on Wall Street



Boeing Co. and Caterpillar Inc. led stocks higher on Tuesday, pushing the Dow Jones industrial average to its highest close since June 2008.

Boeing rose 3.4 percent after reporting that it expects to deliver its long-awaited 787 jet in the third quarter. Caterpillar gained 2.8 percent. The two companies contributed more than half of the Dow's 50 point rise..

The Dow rose 50.55 points, or 0.4 percent, to close at 11,837.93. The Dow has already gained 2.2 percent this year as optimism builds about the economy. The index rose 11 percent last year, or 14 percent including dividends. The Standard & Poor's 500 index edged up 1.78, or 0.1 percent, to close at 1,295.02. The Nasdaq rose 10.55, or 0.4 percent, to 2,765.85. Rising stocks outpaced falling ones by a

small margin on the New York Stock Exchange. Consolidated volume was 5.2 billion shares.

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Apr Feeder cattle	130.30	127.88	128.48	+ .73
Feb Lean hogs	81.30	80.00	80.48	+ .95
Apr Lean hogs	87.35	85.75	86.73	+ 1.45
Mar Wheat	795.50	768.75	793.25	+ 20.00
May Wheat	822.25	821.50	822.25	+ 19.25
Mar KC Wheat	879.00	870.00	876.50	+ 16.50
May KC Wheat	889.00	881.00	886.75	+ 16.00
Mar MPS Wheat	910.00	890.00	906.00	+ 15.75
May MPS Wheat	915.50	899.25	914.75	+ 15.50
Mar Corn	662.25	652.50	659.50	+ 10.75
May Corn		662.00	669.25	+ 11.25
Jan Soybeans	1429.00			- 9.25
Mar Soybeans	1438.00			- 8.00
Jan BFP Milk	13.54	13.49	13.51	.XX
Feb BFP Milk	15.24	15.03	15.12	+ .12
Mar BFP Milk	15.35	15.16	15.23	+ .10
Apr BFP Milk	15.68	15.50	15.62	+ .17
May BFP Milk	15.83	15.70	15.77	+ .12
Mar Sugar	31.55	30.52	31.12	+ .23
May Sugar	29.60	28.74	29.30	+ .37
Mar B-Pound	1.6054	1.5828	1.5940	+ .0065
Jun B-Pound	1.6035	1.5819	1.5920	+ .0062
Mar J-Yen	1.2125	1.2053	1.2108	+ .0054
Jun J-Yen	1.2162	1.2068	1.2123	+ .0056
Mar Euro-currency	1.3462	1.3234	1.3377	+ .0024
Jun Euro-currency	1.3445	1.3217	1.3365	+ .0025
Mar Canada dollar	1.0153	1.0054	1.0062	0032
Jun Canada dollar	1.0136	1.0034	1.0050	0019
Mar U.S. Dollar	79.67	78.76	79.20	31
Feb Comex gold	1376.0	1356.8	1365.9	+ 5.4
Apr Comex gold	1377.7	1358.9	1367.6	+ 5.3
Mar Comex silver	29.08	28.05	28.81	+ .49
May Comex silver	29.08	28.10	28.87	+ .51
Mar Treasury bond	121.2	119.2	120.2	- 0.1
Jun Treasury bond	120.0	118.7	118.3	- 0.1
Mar Coffee	237.50	234.35	235.35	+ .75
May Coffee	239.00	236.15	237.10	+ .75
Mar Cocoa	2023	1995	2010	+ .60
	2023	1986	2010	+ 1
May Cocoa Mar Cotton	145.44	142.47	145.44	+ 4.00
May Cotton	140.37	136.90	140.37	+ 4.00
Feb Crude oil	91.90	90.55	91.24	30
Feb Unleaded gas	2.5078	2.4523	2.4784	0162
Feb Heating oil	2.6617	2.6218	2.6426	0026
Mar Natural gas	4.550	4.404	4.421	069

Mar Natural gas 4.550 4.404 4.42 Quotations from Sinclair & Co.

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BEANS

Valley Beans Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information

should contact dealers. Pintos, no quote, new crop great northerns, no quote pinks, no quote, new crop small reds, no quote, new crop.
Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current Jan. 12.
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture: Pintos, \$22-\$24; pinks,

GRAINS

Ltd. \$24-\$25;small reds, Ltd. \$26-\$30 garbanzos, Ltd. \$31-\$32. Quotes current Jan. 12. Valley Grains

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

Soft white wheat, ask:barley, \$10.00:oats, \$9.00:corn, \$11.60 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl Prices current Jan. 12. Barley, \$10.50 (cwt); corn, \$11.50 (cwt), Prices quoted by JD

Intermountain Grain

Heiskell. Prices current Jan. 12.

POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain Report for Tuesday, Jan. 18.

POCATELLO – White wheat 6.60 (up 10); 11.5 percent winter 7.06 (up 16); 14 percent spring 9.08 (up 16); barley 8.96

BURLEY – White wheat 6.85 (up 10): 11.5 percent winter 7.16 (up 16); 14 percent spring 9.06 (up 21); barley 9.00 (steady)
OGDEN – White wheat 6.85 (up 10); 11.5 percent winter 7.49 (up 16); 14 percent spring 9.09 (up 16); barley 9.30 (steady) PORTLAND – White wheat 7.75 (up 10); 11 percent winter 8.22-8.47 (up 22 to 17) 14 percent spring 10.81 (up 36); corn 266.00-267.75 (up 4.00 to 5.25) NAMPA - White wheat cwt 11.30 (up 20): bushel 6.78 (up 12)

CHEESE

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Barrels: \$1.4750, nc: Blocks: \$1.5250, nc

POTATOES

Not available

LIVESTOCK

Intermountain Livestock
POCATELLO (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain and Livestock Report for Tuesday, Jan. 18.
LIVESTOCK AUCTION — Burley Livestock Market on Thursday, Utility and commercial cows \$3.00-67.75; canner & cutter 45.00-51.00; heavy feeder steers 112.00-127.75; light feeder steers 161.00-154.00; stocker steers 130.00-166.00; heavy holstein feeder steers 72.00-84.00; light holstein feeder steers 72.00-78.00; heavy floster heifers 102.00-144.70; stocker heifers 132.00-146.00; slaughter bulls 62.00-72.50. Remarks: no comments.

METALS/MONEY

Key currency exchange rates
NEW YORK (AP) — Key currency expared with late Monday in New YC
Pollar vs: Exch. Rate
Yen 82.54
Euro \$1.3932
Pound \$1.5979
Swiss franc 0.9630
Canadian dollar 0.9927
Mexican peso 12.0450 exchange rates Tuesday, com-

Gold Selected world gold prices, Tuesday. London morning fixing: \$1368.75 up \$1.75. London afternoon fixing: \$1369.50 up \$2.50. NY Handy & Harman: \$1369.50 up \$2.50. NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$1479.06 up \$2.70. NY Engelhard: \$1372.48 up \$2.51. NY Engelhard: \$1372.48 up \$2.51. NY Engelhard fabricated: \$1475.41 up \$2.69. NY Merc. gold Jan Tue. \$1368.10 up \$7.70. NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Tue. \$1365.00 up \$7.00. IVEI EW YORK (AP) — Handy & Harman silver Tuesday \$28.965 up

New Journal Control State Society Solds Up \$0.858.

H&H fabricated \$34.758 up \$0.858.

The morning bullion price for silver in London \$28.790 up \$0.270.

Engelhard \$29.020 up \$0.420.

Engelhard fabricated \$34.824 up \$

NY Merc silver spot month Tuesday \$28.901 up \$0.592.

Nonferrous
Nonferrous metal prices Tue. Aluminum-\$1.1058 per lb., London Metal Exch.
Copper \$4.394 Cathode full plate, LME.
Copper \$4.4185 N.Y. Merc spot Tue.
Lead -\$2719.00 metric ton, London Metal Exch.
Zinc - \$1.1094 per lb., London Metal Exch.
Gold -\$1369.50 Handy & Harman (only daily quote).
Gold -\$1368.01 troy oz., NY Merc spot Tue.
Silver -\$28.905 Handy & Harman (only daily quote).
Silver -\$28.905 Handy & Harman (only daily quote).
Les Silver -\$28.901 troy oz., NY. Merc spot Tue.
Platinum -\$1824.00 troy oz., NY. (contract).
Platinum -\$1823.50 troy oz., NY. Merc spot Tue.

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Job loss

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Tucson, a House vote on the care law on supply and promise they'll block repeal in the Senate.

A recent report by House GOP leaders says "independent analyses have determined that the health care law will cause significant job losses for the U.S. economy."

jobs as Exhibit A, and the nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office as the source of the original analysis behind that estimate. But the budget costs and consequences of from last year. legislation, never produced the number.

What CBO actually said is Speaker after the mass shootings in that the impact of the health R-Ohio. from people who no longer economy by roughly half a have to work, or can downshift to less demanding adds up to roughly 650,000 employment, because insurance will be available outside said. the job.

will reduce the amount of It cites the 650,000 lost labor used in the economy by a small amount -roughly half a percent – primarily by reducing the amount of labor that workers choose to supply," budget office number office, which referees the crunchers said in a report

That's not how it got trans-

percent,' an estimate that jobs lost," the GOP version

Gone was the caveat that "The legislation, on net, the impact would be small, mainly due to people working less. Added was the estimate of 650,000 jobs lost.

The Republican translation doesn't track, said economist Paul Fronstin of the nonpartisan Employee Benefit Research Institute.

there is job loss as much as lated in the new report from they are saying that fewer

John Boehner, people will be working," explained Fronstin. "There is CBO "has determined that a difference. People volundivisive issue is now expected demand for labor would be the law will reduce the tarily working less isn't the today, although Democrats small. Most of it would come 'amount of labor used in the same as employers cutting jobs."

> The law "reduces the amount of labor supplied, but it's not reducing the ability of people to find jobs, which is what the job-killing slogan is intended to convey." said economist Paul Van de Water of the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities.

In theory, any legislation that increases costs for employers can lead to job loss. But with the health care law, companies can also "CBO isn't saying that decide to pass on added costs to their workers, as some have already done.

Focused

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He'll discuss how to manage a cluttered desk. Hubert said that last year he drew one of the largest monthly luncheon crowds.

"We have renowned experts lined up through the year," she said, with topics ranging from personal safety to creating and managing a Facebook page, to working with the hearing and visually impaired.

Tuesday's guest speaker was Evan Cook, Idaho WCR governor and associate broker with Keller Williams Realty in Idaho Falls.

He explored how Realtors and other businessmen and women let opportunity slip away and gave advice on how to seize every professional encounter.

Sometimes, it's as easy as remembering to wear a name tag or shaking a stranger's hand.

"You owe it to yourself to market yourself," Cook said. Planning ahead and "using your own GPS" is also important in developing and successfully meeting business goals, he said.

"You always need to plug in the coordinates of where you want to be," Cook said.

The WCR meets monthly at the Greater Twin Falls Association of Realtors meeting room, 1162 Eastland Drive N. in Twin Falls.

Information: Donna Hall, 404-6639.

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Career

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layoff approached, her secretary friend from the old firm mentioned she was going back to school for medical Institute of Excellence in ease. administration. That got Charlotte. Her mother front-Studenski thinking about doing something similar.

astating downturn and is jobs in the years to come. Nationally, health care has to grow during the recession, cial. adding 36,000 jobs in third of the total gains, and hospitality sector, the U.S. hospice?"

Bureau of Labor Statistics

reported Friday. She signed up for a fiveweek class at the Nurse Aide

ed the \$500 fee. On the first day, the stu-The health care field has dents paired up with classbeen one bright spot in a dev- mates and introduced each other to the group. As expected to deliver still more Studenski stood and her partner began talking about her, school co-owner Crystal remained one of the few fields Parker saw something spe-

She caught Studenski – December - more than a and herself - off guard when she said, "Have you ever

second only to the leisure and thought about working in



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She had met Studenski tors. Before she left, the test once before, and saw her as a humble person with a calm, even voice that puts people at

But before she could start a new job, she had to pass the state exam.

less so about the five skills —

passed. She came home to a "congratulations" sign and some

administrator told her she

candy from her husband. There was more good

news: A nurse from Hospice Studenski was confident & Palliative Care Charlotte about the written portion, Region had called the institute to see if instructors could chosen randomly, out of a recommend anyone for a job. possible 24 – she'd have to They suggested Studenski, perform for test administra- and soon after she got the job.

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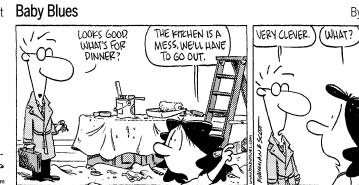
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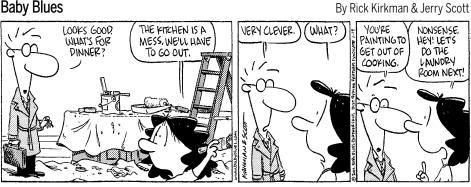
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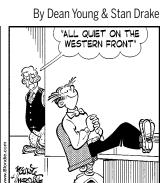


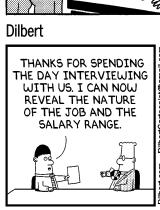


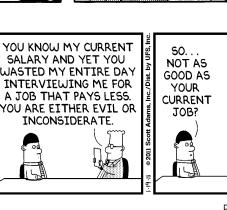




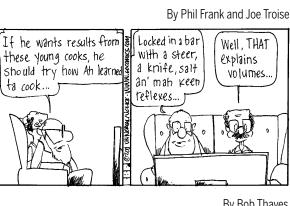








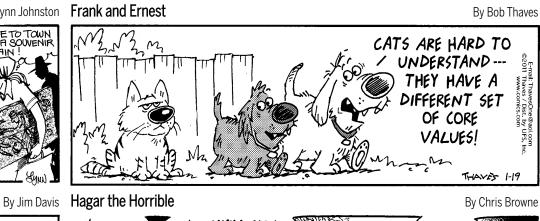












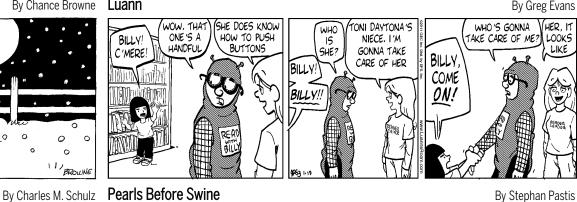




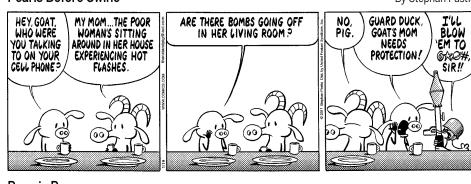


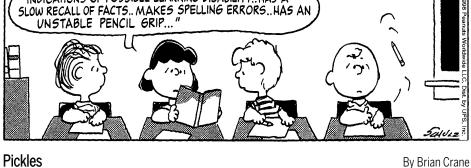
















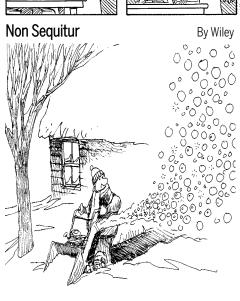




























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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

r.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

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

ID-10-391420-NH On 5/6/2011, at 11:00 local time), at the following location in the County of TWIN FALLS, State of Idaho: In the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street, Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, Pioneer Title Company of Ada County dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services as Trustee , as Trustee on behalf of HSBC Bank USA, N.A.. As Trustee for the registered holders of Nomura Home Equity Loan, Inc., Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-HE3 will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following real property, situated in the County of TWIN FALLS State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 3 IN BLOCK 1 OF PARK VIEW ESTATES SUBDIVISION, P.U.D., PHASE 4, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 19 OF PLATS, PAGE 39. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 443 Bluebell Avenue, Twin Falls, ID 83301 is sometimes associated with said real property. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by PAMELA J PRATT, A MARRIED WOMAN as Grantor/Trustor, in which MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR AMERICAN MORTGAGE EXPRESS FINANCIAL DBA MILLENNIUM FUNDING GROUP A CORPORATION, is named as Beneficiary and FIRST AMERICAN TITLE as Trustee and recorded 4/26/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-009979 in book xxx. page xxx, of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of TWIN FALLS County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 4/13/2006. The monthly installments of principal, interest, and impounds (if applicable) of \$294.29, due per month for the months of 7/1/2010 through 12/16/2010, and all subsequent installments until the date of sale or reinstatement. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$122,441.70 together with interest thereon at the current rate of 2.8800 per cent (%) per annum from 6/1/2010. 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 and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee, or the Mortgagee's Attorney. Date: 01/05/2011 By: Pioneer Title Company of Ada County dba Pioneer Lender Trustee Services as Trustee By: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, a Washington Corporation, its attorney-in-fact 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 Angelica Castillo, Assistant Secretary For Sale Information Call: 714-730-2727 or Login to: www.fidelityasap.com If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be

submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of

your credit obligations. ASAP# 3874890

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NOTICES NOTICES NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

You are hereby notified that a public hearing will be held before the City Council of Bliss, Idaho, on Thursday, the 10th day of February, 2011, at the hour of 6:00 p.m. in the Bliss School Cafeteria, 601 East Hwy 30, Bliss, Idaho. The hearing shall be held to receive public comment on a proposed ordinance of the City of Bliss to adopt sewer rates, service connections and associated requirements.

The City of Bliss has received an Idaho Community Development Block Grant in the amount of \$500,000.00. These funds are being utilized to build a new Wastewater Treatment System.

The hearing will also include a review of project activities and accomplishments to date, a summary of all expenditures to date, a general description of the remaining work, and any changes made to the scope of work, budget schedule, location or

A copy of the proposed ordinance and project information may be obtained prior to the hearing at the office of the City Clerk, 140 Kentucky Street, Bliss, Idaho. All interested persons are invited to attend the hearing and shall have an opportunity to be heard. Written and verbal comments may be submitted up to and at the hearing.

Information provided at the public hearing will be available, upon request, five days prior to the hearing. Special accommodation or alternative formats for non-English speaking persons and persons with disabilities will be available, upon request, with minimum of five (5) days' notice prior to the hearing. The Hearing will be held in a facility that is accessible to persons with disabilities. For more information contact Kasy Bradshaw, City Clerk, at (208) 352-1117.

Dated this 14th day of January, 2011. KASY BRADSHAW, City Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: January 10, 2011 File No.: 7037.72949 Sale date and time (local time): May 11, 2011 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 711 'G' Street Rupert, ID 83350 Property address: 1851 North Street Heyburn, ID 83336 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Mario Ruiz, a married man as his sole and separate property, Angie Ruiz, his spouse Original trustee: First American Title Company of Idaho Original beneficiary: JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. Recording date: 05/11/2005 Recorder's instrument number: 478335 County: Minidoka Sum owing on the obligation: as of January 10, 2011: \$72,748.49 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lots 1 and 2 in Block 39 of the Original Townsite of Heyburn, Minidoka County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, now on file in the office of the County Recorder, Minidoka County, Idaho. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7037.72949) 1002.182259-FEI

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LEGAL NOTICE Public Comments Sought on Weatherization Assistance Program Plan

The State of Idaho will accept public comment on its Program Year 11 funding plan for the U.S. Department of Energy's Low-Income Weatherization Assistance Program. The PY 11 State Plan is available for review at Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho, located at 5400 W. Franklin Rd., Suite G in Boise, Idaho. A public hearing on the plan will be held from 10:30 - 11:30 am on Monday, January 31, 2011 at Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho, located at 5400 W. Franklin Rd., Suite G in Boise, Idaho.

The Weatherization Assistance Program assists low-income families through the installation of weatherization measures in their homes. The measures include insulation, air sealing, and heating systems improvements that improve the energy efficiency of the homes. Program services help eligible families reduce their heating costs, promoting the health and safety of

the family and conserving energy resources.

Summary of changes to the 2010 DOE State Plan:

Average cost per unit is \$6,572

Description of identified Training and Technical Assistance Priorities for the grant period

Amendment of agency allocations and production estimates Public comments for written testimony on the State Plan will be accepted from January 20-January 30, 2011. Send or deliver

Idaho Department of Health and Welfare Genie Sue Weppner 450 W. State Street, 2nd floor Boise, Idaho 83720-0036

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REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENT **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Idaho Housing and Finance Association in partnership with the Idaho Department of Commerce seek public comment regarding the Idaho's Affordable Housing and Community Development program's 2011 Annual Action Plan. The Plan is drafted to comply with HUD requirements. Public Comment will be accepted beginning January 3, 2011 and will end @ 5 p.m. February 4, 2011.

A Public Hearing to receive comment will be held January 25, 2011 from 4:30-5:30pm at the Park Plaza, 565 West Myrtle, Boise, Idaho. The location of the Public Hearing is accessible to persons with physical disabilities and a reasonable accommodation can be requested. Individuals who would like to give comment in person or by telephone and require language interpretation and/or special assistance to accommodate a physical, sight, or hearing impairment(s), which includes material provided in alternate formats, should contact IHFA at 1-877-4GRANTS (447-2687) or TDD (800) 545-1833 ext. #400 at least 72 hours prior to the public hearing.

Plan http://www.ihfa.org/grants_actionpartplans.asp;

www.community.idaho.gov. Public Libraries in Boise, Nampa Coeur d'Alene, Lewiston, Moscow, Twin Falls, Idaho Falls, Pocatello and Blackfoot. IHFA branch offices: 506 S. Woodruff, Idaho Falls; 1139 Falls Ave. E., Ste. B, Twin Falls; 215 10th St., Ste. 101, Lewiston; 610 W. Hubbard, and Bay 124, Coeur d'Alene.

Submit comments to: Program-

Dennis dennis.porter@community.idaho.gov; fax: 334-2631; Department of Commerce- P.O. Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0093. HOME and ESG programs - Jeri (IHFA) jerik@ihfa.org; fax: (208) 331-4808. IHFA - P.O. Box 7899, Boise, ID 83707-1899. TDD 1.800.545.1833 Ext. 400.





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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 February 8, 2011, for the work of a 1.00' pulverize and 0.70' CRABS with a 0.65' of plantmix in the East Bound and West Bound lanes of I-84, including IC 155 and IC 157 on/off ramps, and replacing guardrail, delineators and Rumble strips; I-84, W of Wendell, Gooding Co, known as Idaho Federal Aid Project No. IM-84-3(079)150, in Gooding County, Key No. 09218.

[ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: F ENGINEER ***TYSON PRICE*** AT (208) 886-7851.]

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

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 January 10, 2011

TOM COLE, P.E. Chief Engineer

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Loan No.: 0002482222 T.S. No.: 10-12259-6 . On 05/12/2011 at 11:00 am (recognized local time), in the conference room of Land Title & Escrow located at 710 G St., Rupert, ID 83350.. In the County of Minidoka, State of Idaho, Fidelity National Title Insurance Company as successor Trustee on behalf of WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Minidoka, State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 4 IN BLOCK 71 OF THE ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF RUPERT, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: 113 3RD STREET, RUPERT, ID, 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: RODNEY S. GOFFINET, AN UNMARRIED MAN, As grantors, To: FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, As Trustee, for the benefit and security of PRIMEWEST FINANCIAL LTD., A WASHINGTON CORPORATION ASSIGNMENT OF DOT TO WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., RECORDED 1/7/2011 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 510844, As Beneficiary, dated 01/05/2000, recorded 01/11/2000, as Instrument No. 445700, of the records of Minidoka County, Idaho. Please Note: The above Grantors are named to comply with section 45-1506(4)(A), Idaho Code, No representation is made that they are, or are not, presently responsible for this obligation set forth herein. The Default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust and Note dated 01/05/2000. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of \$481.95, due per month from 09/01/2010, 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 \$39,659.32, plus accrued interest at the rate of 10.19000% per annum from 08/01/2010. 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 and that the beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Dated: January 11, 2011 By: Fidelity National Title 92780 714-508-5100 Juan Enriquez SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.lpsasap.com AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION please call 714-730-2727 ASAP# 3881252

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-FHF-103602 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on April 27, 2011, at the hour of 02:00 PM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE JEROME COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 300 NORTH LINCOLN, JEROME, ID, self at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, ail 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 JEROME, State of Idaho, to-wit: LOTS 1 AND 2 IN BLOCK A-196 OF EAST END SUBDIVISION, TO THE CITY OF JEROME, JEROME COUNTY, IDAHO, AS THE SAME IS PLATTED IN THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW OF RECORD IN THE THE RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. EXCEPTING THEREFROM THE NORTH 71.97 FEET OF LOTS 1 AND 2 IN BLOCK A-196 OF EAST END SUBDIVISION, JEROME COUNTY, IDAHO. 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 113 NORTH FILLMORE, JEROME, ID 83338, 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 AARON D. ADKINS AND KIMBERLY DAWN ADKINS AKA KIMBERLEY DAWN ADKINS, as Grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of BENEFICIAL IDAHO INC., as Beneficiary, dated 8/24/2007, recorded 8/28/2007, under Instrument No. 2075251, Mortgage records of JEROME County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by Beneficial Financial 1 Inc. successor by merger to Beneficial Idaho 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 is sale is made is the failure to pay when due under the Deed of Trust Note dated 8/24/2007, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 6/1/2010 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of December 21, 2010 Delinquent Payments from June 01, 2010 7 payments at \$ 1,245.67 each \$ 8,719.69 (06-01-10 through 12-21-10) Late Charges: \$ 397.11 Beneficiary Advances: \$ 162.50 Suspense Credit: \$ 0.00 TOTAL: \$ 9,279.30 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 \$111,599.64, together with interest thereon at 11.690% per annum from 5/1/2010, until paid. The Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. Anyone having any objection to the sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the same. DATED: 12/21/2010. PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICE CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale

Information: http://www.rtrustee.com ASAP# 3866485

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R&PPA PROPOSAL (IDI-36276)

FEDERAL R&PPA PARCEL 1

FEDERAL R&PPA PARCEL 2

37-16907, 37-16908, and 37-16909.

TOTAL ACREAGE: 409 acres, more or less

Section: 1 Lots 2, 5, & 8 (89.80 acres)

non-Federal lands.

Boise Meridian, Idaho

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 4 N., R. 17 E.

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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

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

Section: 9 E½NE¼, NE¼SE¼ (120.00 acres) Section: 10 W½W½ (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 S½ (320.00 acres)
Section: 25 NE¼, NE¼NW¼, N½SE¼ (280.00 acres)
Portions of the SE¼NW¼, NE¼SW¼, and SE¼SE¼ (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°13'07" W 1323.21 feet to the approximate center line of Slaughterhouse Road; thence
Along the approximate centerline of said road, S 33°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°59'11" W 458.76 feet to the southwest corner of the SE¼SE¼ of said Section 25; thence

Along the west boundary of said SE¼SE¼, N 00°07'28" E 1321.82 feet to the northwest corner of said SE1/4SE1/4; thence

Along the south boundary of the NW1/4SE1/4 of said Section 25, N 89°00'05" W 1317.84 feet to the southwest corner of said NW1/4SE1/4; thence Along the west boundary of said NW 4/SE4, N 0°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°28'45" W 33.56 feet; thence

N 26°15'58" W 32.94 feet; thence N 17°19'19" W 45.18 feet; thence

N 28°16'47" W 70.37 feet; thence

N 14°39'06" W 76.25 feet; thence N 51°31'29" W 104.59 feet; thence

N 23°10'40" W 61.10 feet; thence N 07°49'13" E 74.61 feet; thence

N 13°25'38" W 128.11 feet; thence N 16°45'56" W 95.75 feet; thence

N 55°00'18" W 42.11 feet; thence

N 17°28'38" W 128.11 feet; thence N 31°29'09" W 48.11 feet; thence

N 47°24'21" W 110.46 feet; thence

N 36°58'50" W 100.08 feet; thence

N 31°37'27" W 152.37 feet; thence N 55°05'59" W 89.02 feet; thence

N 22°51'09" W 58.21 feet; thence N 0°27'02" W 66.41 feet; thence

N 32°04'54" W 127.11 feet; thence N 23°23'26" W 35.13 feet; thence

N 2°14'19" E 61.92 feet thence N 14°46'50" W 55.61 feet; thence

N 40°43'49" W 106.52 feet; thence

N 37°49'13" W 119.54 feet; thence

N 46°03'58" W 88.43 feet; thence N 71°35'25" W 101.75 feet; thence

N 46°32'57" W 133.88 feet; thence

N 15°34'13" W 69.32 feet; thence

N 18°22'56" W 109.48 feet to the west boundary of the SE¼NW¼ of said Section 25; thence

Along the west boundary N 0°02'55" W 536.05 feet to the northwest corner of said SE1/4NW1/4; RUPERT 2 bdrm upstairs apt., electhence

Along the west boundary of the NE¼NW¼ of said Section 25, N 0°02'55" W 1318.46 feet to the northwest corner of said NE14NW14; thence

Along the north boundary of Section 25, S 88°44'51" E 1324.36 feet to the north 1/4 corner of said Section 25: thence

Continuing along the north boundary of said Section 25. S 88°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 SE1/4SE1/4 (55.00 acres)

Section: 24 NE1/4NE1/4 (40.00 acres) Portion of the NW1/4NE1/4 (22.00 acres)

T. 1 S., R. 18 E.

Section: 18 Portions of the SE1/4SW1/4, SW1/4SE1/4, Lot 4 (75.41 acres)

Section: 19 NW¼NE¼, NE¼NW¼, 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°35'52" West 2,478.84

feet: thence North 89°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 NW1/4NE1/4, Section 19, which point is the Real Point of Beginning; thence

South 0°11'50" East 1,311.76 feet along the east boundary of said NW1/4NE1/4, Section 19 to an aluminum cap marking the southeast corner of said of said NW1/4NE1/4, Section 19; thence South 89°29'31" West, 1,325.15 feet along the south boundary of said NW1/4NE1/4, Section 19, to an aluminum cap marking the southwest corner of said NW1/4NE1/4, Section 19; thence

South 89°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°33'38" West 2,227.48 feet along the south boundary of the N1/2NE1/4, said Section 24;

North 11°07'50" East 324.91 feet; thence North 78°52'10" West 100.00 feet; thence North 11°07'50" East 250.00 feet; thence

South 78°52'10" East 100.00 feet; thence North 11°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°18'56" East 345.39 feet; thence

North 61°30'28" East 221.48 feet; thence

South 79°19'06" East 2,565.58 feet; thence

South 79°19'09" East 2,330.08 feet; thence South 45°58'28" East 185.05 feet; thence

South 0°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.

right-of-way to an easement or to amend the right-of-way for conversion to a new term, including Square Lake Parcel perpetuity, if applicable. Boise Meridian, Idaho
T. 2 S., R. 18 E.,
Section: 4 SE¼SE¼ (40.00 acres) 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

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

The United States would retain the mineral estate for both the North and South R&PP parcels.

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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

Subject to valid existing rights, the Federal land identified above was segregated from appropriation

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.

under the public land laws and mineral laws beginning September 9, 2008.

North R&PP Parcel (Hulen Meadows Floodplain and River Access Area)

South R&PP Parcel (Hemingway Floodplain and River Access Area)

Section: 13 W½NW¼NW¼, S½NW¼, N½SW¼, Lot 6 (198.42 acres) Containing approximately 198.42 acres, together with appurtenant water right Nos.

Section: 36 SE¼NW¼, E½SW¼ (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.

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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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We miss him very much. If you have seen him please call me at 208-808-9406. He is 6 years old

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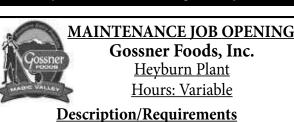
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Today's Highlight:

On Jan. 19, 1861, Georgia became the fifth state to secede from the Union as delegates to a special convention in Milledgeville (then the capital) voted 208-89 for separation.

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On this date:

In 1807, Confederate general Robert E. Lee was born in Westmoreland County, Va.

In 1853, Giuseppe Verdi's opera "Il Trovatore" premiered in Rome.

In 1937, millionaire Howard Hughes set a transcontinental air record by flying his monoplane from Los Angeles to Newark, N.J., in 7 hours, 28 minutes and 25 seconds.

In 1944, the federal government relinquished control of the nation's railroads following settlement of a wage dispute.

In 1955, a presidential news conference was filmed for television for the first time, with the permission of President Dwight

Eisenhower. In 1960, the Treaty of Mutual Cooperation and Security between Japan and the United States of America was signed by both countries in Washington,

In 1966, Indira Gandhi was elected prime minister of India.

1970, President In Richard M. Nixon nominat ed G. Harrold Carswell to the Supreme Court; however, the nomination was defeated because of controversy over Carswell's past racial views.

In 1980, retired Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas died in Washington, D.C., at age 81.

In 1981, the United States and Iran signed an accord paving the way for the release of 52 Americans held hostage for more than 14 months.

Ten years ago: In a deal sparing himself possible indictment, President Bill Clinton acknowledged for the first time making false statements under oath about Monica Lewinsky; he also surrendered his law license for five years. Former NFL player Rae Carruth was acquitted of first-degree murder but convicted of conspiracy and two other charges in the fatal shooting of his pregnant girlfriend, Cherica Adams, in Charlotte, N.C. (Carruth was later sentenced to a minimum of 18 years, 11 months in prison and a maximum of 24 years,

four months.)

Five years ago: Osama bin Laden, in an audiotape that was his first in more than a year, said al-Qaida was preparing for attacks in the United States; at the same time, he offered a "long-term truce" without specifying the conditions. Vice President Dick Cheney defended the administration's domestic surveillance program, calling it an essential tool in monitoring al-Qaida and other terrorist organizations. An unmanned NASA spacecraft blasted off on a 3-billion-mile journey to Pluto. A fire at a Massey Energy Co. mine in West Virginia killed two workers. Death claimed soul pioneer Wilson Pickett at age 64 and actor Anthony Franciosa at age 77.

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Mac is never mean-spirited, only vulgar, which to him is acceptable. I love him. He's a strong, kind and generous man. But I do not feel respected. The truth is, he just doesn't know how to treat me with respect. What can I do?

- WOMAN OF **CHARACTER** DEAR WOMAN OF

CHARACTER: Mac is "always" remorseful? You should not have had to tell him more than once that his talking about your sex life made you uncomfortable. He appears to crave attention any way he can get it. His lack of sensitivity for your feelings is a red flag.

Mac may be funny, strong, kind and generous, but because he doesn't understand boundaries, he isn't likely to change. What you must do is ask yourself if this is the way you want the rest of your life to be, because if you continue this relationship, this will be your reality - and nothing will be kept private.



DEAR ${f A}{f B}{f B}{f Y}$ Jeanne **Phillips**

DEAR ABBY: "Clyde" and I dated as teenagers. After we separated, he married someone else. We met up again and had an affair, which resulted in two children. I ended it because it was going nowhere and raised the chil-

Clyde and I have now come full circle. After separating from his wife, he sought me out. I have loved only him my entire life. We have been living together for several years now, and I have an engagement ring with no hope of marriage. He keeps telling me his wife is holding up the divorce.

Abby, how long can one person hold up a divorce? I have waited 25 years for this man, and I don't know if I will wait forever.

- TIRED OF WAITING IN NEW JERSEY DEAR TIRED OF WAIT-

ING: Clyde may not have been completely honest with you. I ran your letter by a family law specialist who informed me that here in the U.S.A. no one can be forced to stay married against his or her will. A divorce is a court proceeding. A spouse can stall signing an agreement the division of property would be an example - but not a court process.

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- NO PERKS IN INDI-ANA

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IF JANUARY 19 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You have big dreams and a romantic soul that gets a chance to peek out in the year ahead. In the next six weeks, you might find a congenial connection who makes a perfect playmate - but if you are looking for a permanent partner, you should wait until summer to test the relationship more thoroughly. In both May and August, your life should be filled with bliss, but because you expect only the best ,you could be extravagant and overspend, or could overestimate your own abilities. The best time to change jobs or make key financial decisions is in October.

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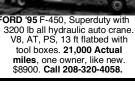
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Spartan surprise: Minico beats Wood River

Times-News writer

RUPERT - Whatever the Minico girls basketball team talked about in the locker room last week, it worked.

Since the players-only heart-to-heart, the resurgent Spartans have rattled off three straight wins, with the latest being the most impressive.

Minico shocked Wood River 46-44 Tuesday night, handing the Wolverines just their second loss of the sea-

"We set some goals in the locker room one day at practogether," said Minico junior



School.

tice and it brought us needed and we talked about ultimately at state." what we wanted to do for the Micaela Merrill. "We got rest of the season and where son-low seven turnovers.

Minico committed a sea-

RYAN HOWE/

Minico's Micaela

Merrill goes for a

River's Allie

at Minico High

rebound with Wood

Hesteness Tuesday

Spartans moved to 6-10 overall and 3-5 in Great Basin to second place behind Twin Conference play. "We're way excited. We standings.

can see now our potential, and we know we can do it," Merrill said. "We played our hearts out, played the toughest defense we could."

Minico's box-and-one defense held Wood River star Kaitana Martinez to 3-for-14 shooting. Martinez finished with 17 points, but Wood River.

"I felt like (Minco) wanted now?"" it more," said Wood River everything out that we we want to end up, which is Marlee Chandler led the way coach Mendy Benson. "That eight in the second quarter.

with 16 points and Malarie confidence we've played Wood River fought back and Pratt added 11 as the with all year, it wasn't there."

Wood River (13-2, 6-2) fell Falls in the conference

Benson couldn't point to one overwhelming deficiency in her team's play, saying "it was different things in each possession." However, Benson questioned the Wolverines' mindset, as this group has never won at Minico.

"I would expect with what most came from the free our record is, that wouldn't throw line, where she was be, but I think in the back of 11-for-12. Taylor Hayes their minds it was, 'We chipped in with 10 points for haven't won at Minico in 100 years, so why should we

Minico's biggest lead was

took a four-point advantage with four minutes remaining in the game after back-toback Martinez layups.

With Wood River seizing the momentum, Minico coach Joe D. Shepard admitted he was nervous at that

"In the past, we'd fold right there and lose by 12," Shepard said. "But the girls did a good job and made free throws at the end."

Minico's Taylor O'Connell answered with a three-point play, and the Spartans went up for good on a driving layup by Pratt with 1:31 to play. The Spartans converted 9 of 11 free throws down

See MINICO, Sports 2

Vikings conquer Hornets

Ivey keys Valley boys past Oakley

By Stephen Meyers Times-News writer

HAZELTON - Matt Ivey is a player of few words on the court.

The senior doesn't get too excited about a great play, and he's slow to scold his teammates on the court. Instead he'll offer a quick direction or pick-me-up and clap quietly to himself after making a shot.

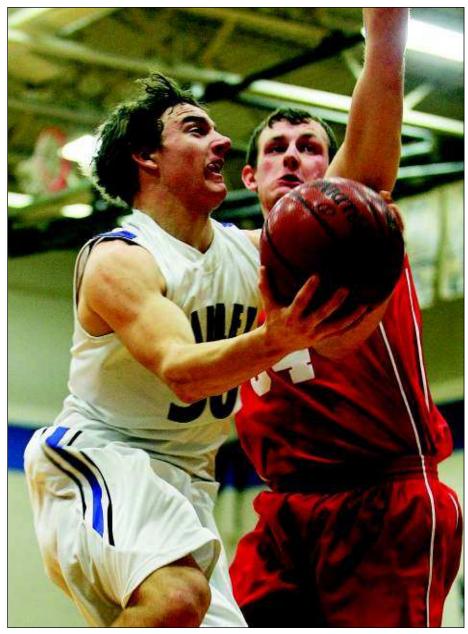
He lets his game do the

Ivey led Valley with 13 points and five steals and was a destructive force on the defensive end in the Vikings' 45-33 win over Oakley on Tuesday.

"I play the game with the motto, 'Do as you do, not as you say," Ivey said. "I don't have to tell my team what to do if they see me playing hard the entire game and showing intensity defense."

Said Justin Johnson: "He brings an intensity and energy to our team every night."

Ivey led an intimidating Valley defense that dominated in the press and the half-court sets, recording 19 steals and limiting Oakley's towering post Garret Critchfield to only six points, all in the first quarter. The 2-3 zone of the



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Valley's Matt Ivey takes the ball up as Oakley's Garrett Critchfield defends Tuesday night at Valley High

13 points.

Vikings stifled Oakley to a Tyler Matlock. "It's hard to we need to." halt in the second half as win when we can't handle the Hornets only managed the ball. It didn't matter 23-12 lead in the second

tonight," said Oakley coach n't handle the ball we way

After falling behind to a

whether it was a the press or quarter on consecutive 'Way too many turnovers the half-court, we just did- steals and layups by Ricardo Mora, Oakley stormed on an 8-0 run to go into halftime

See **VALLEY**, Sports 2

Bruneel getting it done inside and out for CSI

By Mike Christensen Times-News writer

Mitch Bruneel was a guard at Idaho's Eagle High School.

He's listed as a guard on the College of Southern Idaho men's basketball ros-

But in one of the most physical junior college conferences in the nation, the 6-foot-5 freshman mostly finds himself banging inside among the trees.

"It's been a learning experience," said Bruneel, the Gem State's 2007-08 Gatorade Player of the Year as a high school senior. "It makes you play a lot bigger and makes you more physi-

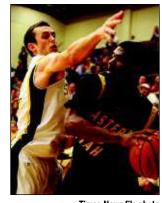
CSI head coach Steve Gosar would like to play Bruneel on the wing, but circumstances have forced his hand.

"It's definitely a lineup I'd like to look at more but just have not had the luxury with the health status of guys inside," said Gosar.

With posts Kenny Buckner, Gerson Santo, Chris Patton and Paul Bunch slowed by various injuries and ailments all season, Bruneel has started the bulk of No. 12 CSI's games at the power forward spot.

So far, he's holding his

"He puts it on the deck well," said Gosar, "and for his size, he rebounds the ball really well. He gets blocked,



College of Southern Idaho freshman Mitch Bruneel, left, is putting up big numbers despite playing out of his normal position.

The College of Southern Idaho men's and women's baskethall teams hosts Snow College on Thursday and Salt Lake Community College on Saturday in Scenic West Athletic Conference matchups. The women tip off at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, with the men following at about 7:30. Saturday's women's game is set for 3 p.m. with the men at 5. CSI is asking fans to wear white to Saturday's games as the Eagles go for a whiteout at CSI Gym. White CSI T-shirts will be available at Thursday's game for \$5.

but he also gets to the foul line quite a bit. He's athletic and he's very active, so he

See **BRUNEEL**, Sports 4

Packers and Jets show what low playoff seeds can do

Associated Press writer

NEW YORK - The NFL can't be upset with so many upsets in the playoffs.

What better evidence is needed that the "anybody can win at any time" mantra is accurate when two No. 6 seeds are in the conference championship games? And nobody would be shocked to see both the Green Bay Packers and New York Jets in the Super Bowl.

Indeed, the wild-card Packers are favored for Sunday's NFC title game at Soldier Field, home of the champions of their division, the Chicago Bears.

"Yeah, we're championship caliber," Packers linebacker A.J. Hawk said. "But championship caliber to us isn't getting to the NFC championship game. We have a lot higher goals than that. We're where we want to be. We've been saying all year, 'Just give us a chance to get here? Now, it's up to than just beating the Falcons and going to

And up to the Jets to set up the first Super

Bowl involving non-division win-

"The idea is to win the Super Bowl, whether you do it by winning your division or as a wild card," Jets cornerback Darrelle Revis said. "Keep winning."

Long shots going far in the playoffs, even winning Super Bowls, is not unheard of. Consider that since the league went to six playoff teams in 1990 – there were three divisions and three wild cards until 2002 - wild cards have made the title game 14 times. Counting the Packers and Jets, eight of those have occurred since 2005. Two of those wild cards, the 2005 Steelers and 2007 Giants, won the whole In '05, '08 and this year, a wild card got to

the conference championship match. No Super Bowl has featured a pair of non-division winners.

"We have a lot more, our season is bigger

See **PLAYOFF**, Sports 4

Wozniacki, Henin, Roddick advance at Australian Open

By John Pye

Associated Press writer

MELBOURNE, Australia - Caroline Wozniacki advanced to the third round of the Australian Open with an emphatic 6-1, 6-0 win over American Vania King today as her first major atop the rankings continued to gather momentum.

The 20-year-old Danish player was never troubled in the 58-minute match, breaking 88th-ranked King's serve to finish it off and reach the third round for a 13th consecutive Grand Slam tournament. She has yet to win a major, but has held the No. 1 ranking since October and can retain it by reaching the semifinals here. To get to the semis, she might have to beat

seven-time Grand Slam winner Justine Henin, who continued her comeback from injury with a 6-1, 6-3 win over Elena Baltacha of Britain on center court.

The pair could meet in the quarterfinals. Henin will have to get through a tough match

Andy Roddick celebrates his win over Igor Kunitsyn during their second-round match at the Australian Open tennis championships in Melbourne, Australia on Wednesday.

See **RODDICK**, Sports 4

Jerome girls beat Canyon Ridge

Carrie Thibault and Haylee Burnham helped the Jerome girls basketball team to a 56-45 Great Basin Conference home Tuesday over Canyon Ridge despite a game-high 21 points from CRHS guard Karly Hudelson.

Thibault led Jerome with 15 points and Burnham added 14. all in the first half.

Jerome was up 30-19 at the half and held CRHS at

"They are a much improved team," said Jerome coach Brent Clark. "They might just knock somebody

Canyon Ridge hosts Twin Falls and Jerome (11-6, 5-3) is on the road at Wood River on Thursday.

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Kylle Bright 6. lottals 16 20-26 56. 3-point goals: Canyon Ridge 5 (Hudelson 4, Baird), Jerome 4 (Burnham 3, Thibault). Total fouls: Canyon Ridge 18, Jerome 20. Fouled out: Canyon Ridge, Burk. Jerome, Burnham. Technical fouls: Jerome, bench.

TWIN FALLS 45, BURLEY 35

Burley fought back from a 24-11 halftime deficit to make it a three-point game with two minutes remaining, but the visiting Bruins held on for a 45-35 Great Basin Conference victory and sole possession of first place in the conference with two games to play.

"All year we've struggled

Burley (3-14, 2-6 Great Basin) hosts Minico on Thursday, while the Bruins (13-3, 7-1) visit Canyon Ridge with a chance to clinch a

A box score was unavailable at press time.

RAFT RIVER 76, OAKLEY 58

Echo Hansen scored 24 points as Raft River routed rival Oakley 76-58 on Tuesday.

The Trojans outrebounded the Hornets 36-24 and used a big edge at the foul line to get the win. Raft River went 22-for-30 at the stripe, while Oakley was 7-for-17.

17 points, while Hailey Greenwood chipped in 14 points and Kassie Ottley 12 for Raft River, which hosts

Oakley with 17 points. Victoria Hale and Addie Bedke scored 12 and 11, respectively.

Raft River 76, Oakley 58 Oakley 16 14 11 17 - 58 Raft River 20 19 18 19 - 76 OAKLEY (58) Sabrina Wybenga 17, Kori Poulton 8, Jordan Lierman 5, Elisha Alves 5, Addie Bedke 11, Victoria Hale 12. Totals 25 7-17 58.

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Fouled out: Oakley, Poulton, Lierman. Technical fouls:
Raft River, Hansen.

ahead bucket with 4 seconds remaining, rallying for a 52-50 win at Buhl on Tuesday.

The Indians (4-10) led 23-9 after a first quarter that Buhl coach Kaleen Goedhart called her team's best of the down the stretch.

Angela Vitek led Gooding with 17 points, while Kylie

treys and scored 16 for Buhl, which hosts Twin Falls on

Valley

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Laramie Turner 7, Totals 15 15-32 52.

Buhl (50)

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614 50.
3-point goals: Gooding 7 (Vitek 2, America 1) 6-14 50. 3-point goals: Gooding 7 (Vitek 2, Agenbroad 2, Becker, Turner 2); Buhl 4 (Hamilton 4). Total fouls: Gooding 17, Buhl 22. Fouled out: Buhl, Hunter. Technical fouls:

CAREY 51, CAMAS COUNTY 35

Carey built a 27-point lead through three quarters and coasted home in a 51-35 win over visiting Camas County on Tuesday.

Jaide Parke scored 11 for the Panthers (7-7), while Micaela Adamson chipped in 10 and Nicole Gomez added nine. Carey coach Lane Durtschi said his team is started to play

Camas County got 19 from Katelyn

Carey travels to Richfield on Thursday.

Carey 51, Carmas County 35
Camas County 485 18 – 35
Carey 18 11 157 – 51
Larissa Stewart 5, Carlie Strom 4, Stephanie Moore 4,
Taylor Gorringe 3, Katelyn Petersen 19. Totals 10 15-20 35.
CAREY (51)
Jaide Parke 11, Lilly Rivera 8, Darby Northcott 3,
Lorene Andrews 1, Micaela Adamson 10, Nicole Gomez
9, McKayla Mecham 6, Morgan Parke 3. Totals 21 8-17
51. 3-point goals: J. Parke 1.

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CHALLIS 64, SHOSHONE 40

Challis remained unbeaten in the Snake River North Conference at 5-0 after the Vikings downed the visiting Shoshone Indians 64-40.

said Shoshone coach Tim Chapman. "We felt like we were in striking distance at the start of the fourth quarter but Challis is a tough team and it's hard to guard all their weapons."

Jennica Kerner led Shoshone (14-3, 3-2) with 14 points and Kelcie Hutchins followed with 11.

Lauren Garlie led all players with 19 points and Lonnie Dowton had 10 for

Challis 64, Shoshone 40
Shoshone 18 8 8 6 – 40
Challis 21.16 8 19 – 64
SHOSHONE (40)
Mariah Schoolcraft 2, Kelcie Hutchins 11, Jessica Chitwood 9, Kylee Stein 2, Jennica Kerner 14, Michelle Aoi 2. Totals 15 7-10 40.
CHALLIS (64)
Nicole Helm 5, Jenna Hamilton 9, Amber Kemmerer 7, Marlae Moss 2, Lonnie Dwoton 10, Amber Cotant 7, Lauren Garlie 19, K. Brown 2, Megan Corrigan 3. Totals 26 8:13 64.
3, Popint goads: Shoshone 3 (Kerner 2, Chitman 4) 20 8-13 64.
3-point goals: Shoshone 3 (Kerner 2, Chitwood), Challis 4 (Hamilton 2, Helm, Cotant). Total fouls: Shoshone 13, Challis 12. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

DECLO 56, ABERDEEN 26

double-double for Declo with 16 points and 13 rebounds and Sierra Zollinger also tossed in 16 points to help the Hornets defeat Aberdeen 56-26.

Declo (14-1, 5-0 Canyon Conference) hosts Kimberly

Declo 56, Aberdeen 26

Brinlee Breshears 3, Melissa Carson 7, Sierra Zollinger 16, Sydney Webb 16, Chancey Knopp 4, Tenesia Schroeder 2, Daller Didney C Daliss Pickup 8. Totals 23 10-20 56. Total fouls: Aberdeen 12, Declo 10. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

FILER 57, WENDELL 15

ing night according to coach Kody Ketterling, but the Wildcats were still good enough to drop Wendell 57-15.

The Wildcats had 11 players score and were led by Sierra Koyle with 15 points.

nine points for Wendell. Wendell hosts Valley on Christian on Friday.

Thursday. Filer (5-10, 1-3 Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference) hosts Canyon Ridge on

Filer 57, Wendell 15 16 17 19 4 - 57 29 4 0 - 15

FILER (57)
Jessica Tews 5, Moriha Boone 2, Candra Coelho 8, Myla Jeffries 1, Aubry Sharp 2, Sierra Koyle 15, Taylor Oyler 6, Katle Willams 3, Mackenzi Jasper 7, Audrey Croy, Katie Hughes 2. Totals 22 12-24 57.

**ENDEL (15)
Sean Campbell 1, Megan Sousa 2, Morgan Swainston 3, Heather Sturgeon 9, Totals 211-23 15.
3-point goals: Filer 1 (Tews), Total fouls: Filer 20, Wendell 19, Fouled out: Wendell, Andrus. Technical fouls: none.

DIETRICH 47, **COMMUNITY SCHOOL 11**

Ellie Dalton scored 17 and Dietrich routed Community School 47-11 in Dietrich on Tuesday.

Shayla Porter had eight points and seven rebounds for the Blue Devils, who had more points after the first quarter (16) than the Cutthroats did in the game.

Natalie Goddard led the Fish with nine points.

Neither team hit a foul shot, and only five were attempted in the game.

Dietrich (12-1, Northside North) hosts Camas County on Thursday.

Dietrich 47, Community School 11 Community School 50 4 2 - 11 Dietrich 16 15 12 4 - 47

Dietrich
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COMMUNITY SCHOOL (II)
Taylor Figge 2, Natalie Goddard 9, Totals 5 0-2 11.
DIETRICH (47)
Ellie Dalton 17, Charley Bingham 2, Kendra McConnell
4, Moriah Dill 6, Shayla Porter 8, Alex Berthelson 4,
Emma Sorensen 4, Jordan Ramos 2, Totals 23 0-3 47.
3-point goals: Community School 1 (Goddard): Dietrich
1 (Dalton). Total fouls: Community School 8, Dietrich 3.
Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

GLENNS FERRY 56, HAGERMAN 30

Karli McHone scored 19 and Mollee Shrum and Sara Arellano each scored 10 as Glenns Ferry cruised to a 56-Tuesday night.

The Pilots (12-4, 2-3 Snake River North) scored 32 points in the first half.

The Pirates (5-10, 0-5) are at Gooding on Thursday.

Glenns Ferry 56, Hagerman 30 enns Ferry 19 13 16 8 - 56 10 6 6 8 - 30 GLENNS FERRY (55)

Deonna Bauman 4, Karli McHone 19, Darby Fox 6, Mollee Shrum 10, Jade Gorrell 7, Sara Arellano 10. Totals 19 9-14 56.

Totals 19 9-14 56.

HAGERMAN (30)

Shaela Owsley 5, Larissa Knight 5, Hayley White 2, Raven Aiken 6, Jessica Regnier 6, Aly Sauer 6. Totals 12 5-11 30.
Glenns Ferry 9 (McHone 4, Fox 2, Arellano 2, Gorrell); Hagerman 1 (Knight). Total fouls: Glenns Ferry 13, Hagerman 10. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Boys basketball KIMBERLY 59. WOOD RIVER 42

Jade Wadsworth scored a game-high 18 and Kimberly used a big fourth quarter to scoot past Wood River 59-42 in Kimberly on Tuesday.

The Bulldogs (9-1) had five other players score between five and eight points, and they outscored the Wolverines 23-6 in the final quarter to break a 36-all deadlock after three.

Stone Sutton led Wood River with 12 points while

Mica Merritt had 11. Kimberly is at Jerome today.

Wood River 11 10 15 6 - 42
Kimberly 12 10 13 23 - 59
WOOD RIVER (42)
Alex Padilla 6, Kevin Jensen 2, Stone Sutton 12, Lu Chavez 2, Mica Merritt 11, Quentin Dowdle 5, Ben Williams 4. Totals 16 6-12 42.

Williams 4. Totals 16 6-12 42. KIMBERLY (59)
Gage Huft 1, Seth Champlin 5, Dalton Harmon 6, Derek Maloney 6, Brian Crane 8, Brock Hulsey 7, Tevan Brady 5, Jade Wadsworth 18, Dacob Howell 3, Totals 23 13-20 59. Apoint goals: Wood River 4 (Sutton 2, Merritt, Padilla). Total fouls: Wood River 16, Kimberly 14. Fouled out: Kimberly, Maloney. Technical fouls: none.

DIETRICH 58, **COMMUNITY SCHOOL 11**

Jakob Howard had 15 points and Arturo Vargas added 12 to lead Dietrich to a 58-11 rout of Community School in a Northside Conference North matchup.

Howard and his brother, Andru Howard, each pulled down seven rebounds and Eddie Alvarado grabbed four steals for the Blue Devils (6-

Dietrich hosts Camas County on Thursday.

Community School is on the road at Twin Falls

Dietrich 58, Community School 11 Community School 08 3 0 - 11 Dietrich 19 18 11 10 - 58 COMMUNITY SCHOOL (11) Nick Wright 2, Henry Rickbeil 7, Eli Albarran 2. Totals 5

DIETRICH (58) Logan Porter 3, Eddie Alvarado 6, Dion Norman 2, Jakob Howard 15, Nino Aguilar 4, Arturo Vargas 12, Gray Weber 6, Andru Howard 6, Jacob Dalton 2, Vance Perron 2, Totals 24 9-14 58. 3-point goals: Dietrich 1 (Jakob Howard). Total fouls: Community School 13, Dietrich 9. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

WENDELL 47, GOODING 34

Codey Prince took over in the second half, leading Wendell to a 47-34 win at Gooding on Tuesday.

Prince scored 14 of his 18 points after intermission and Trojans (7-3, 5-0 the Canyon) held the Senators to 1-for-14 shooting in the final period to clinch the Canyon Conference regular-season title.

Gooding coach Cameron Andersen praised his team's defensive effort in holding Wendell's Nolan Stouder to six points, but the Senators couldn't stop Prince down the stretch.

Gooding (3-9, 0-4) hosts Kimberly on Friday.

Wendell 47, Gooding 34 Wendell 1014 1211 - 47 Gooding 108 1103 - 34 WENDELL (47) Cody Wilhelm 6, Codey Prince 18, Jared Lund 8, Nolan Stouder 6, Michael Wright 6, Tanner Swarner 3. Totals 17 13-21 47.

17 13-21 47.

GODDING (34)
Jacob Becker 7, Jared Parke 2, Alec Basterrechea 2,
Derek Evans 2, Jon Jensen 2, CI Beadz 8, Carter Flora
3, Tanner Baumann 8. Totals 12 8-12 34.
3-point goals: Gooding 2 (Becker, Beadz), Total fouls:
Wendell 12, Gooding 21, Fouled out: Gooding, Jensen.
Technical fouls: none.

GLENNS FERRY 65, HANSEN 42

Rory Hance scored 18 points and Adrian Martinez added 17 as Glenns Ferry earned a 65-42 win at Hansen on Tuesday.

Chris Popoca chipped in 30 win at Hagerman on 13 for the Pilots. Hansen (1-12) got 12 points from Kevin Fuller and 10 from Seth Williams. The Huskies travel to Grace on Saturday.

Glenns Ferry 65, Hansen 42 Glenns Ferry 22 12 22 9 – 65 12 13 6 11 – 42 GLENNS FERRY (65)

Rory Hance 18, Michael Willis 3, Wilder Jones 8, Adrian Martinez 17, Adam King 2, Chris Popoca 13, Arnoldo Gastelum 4, Clay Anderson 2. Totals 26 5-8 65.

HANSEN (42)

Devon Spearing 5, Jayme Johnson 2, Kevin Fuller 12, Pete Veenstra 6, Christian Wirth 5, Seth Williams 10, Brannon Cummings 2. Totals 14 12-19 42.

3-point goals: Hansen 2 (Fuller 2), Glenns Ferry 7 (Hance 3, Jones 2, Willis Martinez), Total fouls: Glenns Ferry 17, Hansen 12. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

CAREY 63, CAMAS COUNTY 32

Carey locked down defensively in the second half, pulling away for a 63-32 home win over Camas County on Tuesday.

Blair Peck scored 15 to lead the Panthers (12-2, 3-0 Northside North), while Jacy Baird added 10. Andy Simon hit five 3-

pointers on his way to a game-high 21 points for the

on Friday.

CAREY (63)
Brandon Dilworth 9, Shane Bingham 7, Caleb Cenarrusa 2, Blair Peck 15, Jack Cenarrusa 4, Chance Chavez 2, Jacy Baird 10, Dillon Cenarrusa 2, Baley Barg 8, Joe Laidlaw 4, Totals 29 27 63.
3-point goals: Camas County 6 (A. Simon 5, G. Simon); Carey 3 (Dilworth, Bingham, Peck). Total fouls: Camas County 11, Carey 10. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls:

Wrestling TWIN FALLS 53, BURLEY 22

Twin Falls picked up four pins, a technical fall and four forfeits en route to a 53-22 home dual win against

Tyler Lookingbill (125 pounds), Kendan Freeman (130), Todd Anderson (140) and Brady Barton (171) won pin, while Mark by Christensen (160) picked up

Johnny Martin (103), Christian Parke (135) and Jake Lake (140) won by pin for Burley, while Francisco Park picked up a 17-5 major decision at 119.

Twin Falls 53, Burley 22
103 pounds: Johnny Martin, Burley pinned Mason
Lounsbury, 144. 112: Double forfeit. 119: Francisco
Parke, Burley, maj. dec. Braxton Perkins 17-5. 125:
Tyler Lookingbill, Twin Falls, pinned Luis Dominguez,
102. 130: Kendan Freeman, Twin Falls, pinned
Frederico Llanos, 0:29. 135: Christian Parke, Burley,
pinned Jake Schvaneveldt, 5:06. 140: Jake Lake,
Burley, pinned Jonathan Wynia, 1:42:145: Todd
Anderson, Twin Falls, pinned Juan Deleon, 1:20. 152:
Jordan Staley, Twin Falls, won by forfeit, 160: Mark
Christensen, Twin Falls, Findal John Chesley 22-5. 171:
Brady Barton, Twin Falls, pinned Juan Labra, 3:00.
189: Troy Andresen, Twin Falls, won by forfeit. 215:
Shane Wilson, Twin Falls, won by forfeit. 255: Ben
Hanchey, Twin Falls, won by forfeit.

TCU's Ronnie Moss, left, tries to block the shot of BYU's Jimmer Fredette during the first half Tuesday in Provo, Utah.

Fredette, BYU rout TCU, 83-67

PROVO, Utah – Jimmer onds left to help Alabama Fredette scored 21 points and Jackson Emery hit five 3-pointers to lead No. 9 BYU to an 83-67 victory nearly erased a 20-point over TCU on Tuesday deficit, rebounded the night.

The victory was the eighth straight for the Cougars, who improved to 18-1 overall and 4-0 in the Mountain West Conference.

Ronnie Moss led TCU (10-10, 1-4) with 27 points.

BYU went on a 12-0 run to take a 25-7 lead with 10:40 left in the first half. Kyle Collinsworth sank a pair of free throws to start the run and Fredette kept it going with a twisting shot in the lane. Fredette then hit two 3-pointers, including one from 30 feet to cap the spurt.

TCU fought back with a 9-0 run of its own, but points in 3 minutes for a 65-57 with 5:25 left. 38-21 lead. Emery hit his third 3-pointer for a 41-21 cushion with 4:23 remaining.

points, while Hartsock chipped in 14 points and nine boards. Brandon Davies finished with 13 points and nine rebounds for BYU.

ALABAMA 68. NO. 12 KENTUCKY 66

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. -Ben Eblen grabbed a loose ball and made one of two free throws with 2.8 sec-

preserve a victory over No. 12 Kentucky.

The Wildcats, who had missed foul shot but couldn't get a good shot off at the buzzer. Terrence Jones dribbled across midcourt and heaved a wild 3-pointer in traffic that caromed high off the backboard.

NO. 23 ILLINOIS 71, NO. 17 MICHIGAN ST. 62

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. -Brandon Paul scored 17 of his 20 points in the first half to lead No. 23 Illinois past 17th-ranked Michigan State 71-62 on Tuesday night.

The Illini (14-5, 4-3 Big Ten) led 53-43 on a 3pointer by Paul with 13:08 to play. But they had to hold off a late Spartans charge. getting seven free throws reserve Stephen Rogers got from four players to build a rolling for BYU with six two-point edge back up to

NO. 23 GEORGETOWN 80,

SETON HALL 75 NEWARK, N.I. – Austin Emery finished with 17 Freeman scored 28 points Noah and Georgetown went 8 for 9 from the free throw line in the final 2:11 as the Hovas

held on to beat Seton Hall. The win was the second in three days in New Jersey for the Hoyas (14-5, 3-4 Big East), who had lost three straight before beating Rutgers on Saturday.

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Hawks top Heat in OT

overtime, Joe Johnson scored 19 points and the Atlanta Hawks beat Miami 93-89 on

Tuesday night to send the Heat to a fourth straight loss. Johnson had a game-tying layup with 25.4 seconds left in regulation

and two game-sealing free throws with

5.2 seconds remaining in overtime. Jamal Crawford also scored 19 for Atlanta.

LeBron James scored 34 points and grabbed 10 rebounds for Miami, but missed a long 3-pointer at the end of regulation and another 28-foot try as the shot clock was expiring late in overtime and the Heat down by two.

Dwyane Wade finished with 27 points for the Heat, who got 16 rebounds with no shot attempts from Joel Anthony.

win it at the end of regulation after Johnson knotted the game, but chose not to

MIAMI - Josh Smith call time-out for a final made a go-ahead layup play. James' 28-footer that with 34.7 seconds left in banged off the side of the rim just before the buzzer.

BOBCATS 83, BULLS 82

Augustin scored 15 points, Gerald Wallace had 13 points and 16 rebounds and the Charlotte Bobcats held off the Chicago Bulls 83-82 on Tuesday night.

Boris Diaw and Stephen Jackson added 12 points apiece to help the Bobcats snap a three-game losing streak, with their last win coming at home against the Bulls last Wednesday. Derrick Rose scored

33 points to lead Chicago, but missed a shot at the buzzer. Ronnie Brewer had 12 points and Luol Deng team in scoring (20.1 points

The Associated Press

added 10 for the Bulls, who were playing without injured forward Carlos Boozer - second on the The Heat had a chance to per game) and rebounds (10.1).

CHICAGO - D.J.

bay from there.

off at tournament time."

Canyon Ridge 119 17 – 45
Jerome 15 15 12 14 – 56
CANYON RIDGE (45)
Karly Hudelson 21, Staci Baird 10, Zoe Strauss 2,
Breyanna Burk 7, Coleen Joslin 5, Totals 16 8-16 45.
JEROME (56)
Kolbie Stauffer 3, Haylee Burnham 14, Carrie Thibault
15, Jasmine Branch 6, Frankie Carey 5, Hanna Hillier 7,
kulie Rright 6 Totals 16 20-26 56.

coming out in the first quarter," said Burley coach Roger Caresia. "We battled back, but we made some mistakes down the stretch. We need to get to where we're putting four good quarters together."

share of the conference title.

Wynter Holtman scored

Glenns Ferry on Saturday. Sabrina Wybenga lead at the half.

GOODING 52, BUHL 50 Gooding scored the go-

season, but couldn't hang on

Becker added 12. Kendyl Hamilton hit four

Continued from Sports 1 only down five, but they never re-took the lead, hitting us," Ivey said. "We're so far only five field goals in the second half.

tonight. We got after it all game," Johnson said. The post scored eight points and pulled down nine

points and pulled down nine boards. Austin Shawver pitched in with nine points for the Vikings, while Brodi Bell led the Hornets (4-10) with nine points.

Valley (6-5) is having a resurgent season in 2010-11, already tripling its 2-win total

Valley 45, Oakley 33

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OAKLEY (33)

Oakley 1312812-345

OAKLEY (35)

Ustin Johnson 8, Ocsar Arteaga 2, Fernando Vivano 4, Ricardo Mora 6, Austin Shawver, Matt Ivey 13, John Caulhorn 3, Totals 14 17-21 45.
3-point goals: Oakley 1 (Bell). Total fouls: Oakley 14, Valley 14, Fouled out: Oakley, Travis Robinson; Valley, Shawver. Technical fouls: none.

with more intensity. Peterson.

"The girls played hard,"

the Vikings (14-1).

Sydney Webb recorded a

The Hornets held a 35-17

on Wednesday.

Aberdeen 11 63 3 6 26
Deto 17 18 12 9 - 56
Powell 2, Gonzales 2, Wynnn 1, Pocock 7, Wallace 6, Beck 6, Vancy 2. Totals 9 8 12 26.

It wasn't Filer's best shoot-

Heather Sturgeon had

Friday.

of last season. "It's a huge turnaround for

season and now we're ready "We played great defense to go to state." Oakley hosts Declo tonight, while Valley visits Raft River on Friday.

ahead of where we were last

Continued from Sports 1

advantage with its bigs.

the stretch.

because they have so many bigs, and Martinez is such a good ball handler," Shepard said. "It's a very good win Benson agreed that Wood River should have taken

"They're a tough team for us to match up with

nating a game, and they just didn't," Benson said. "They didn't come close to playing to their potential." Minico 46, Wood River 44

"I think my post players have the potential of domi-

Minico 14 5 11 14 - 46
WOOD RIVER (44)
Allie Hesteness 4, Taylor Hayes 10, Kaitana Martinez 17, Haillie Taylor 2, Hunter Thompson 2, Haylee
Thompson 5, Cheyenne Swanson 4, Totals 13 18-22 44,
Minico (46)
Micaela Merrill 6, Malarie Pratt 11, Taylor O'Connell 6, Marlee Chandler 16, Dayna Phillips 2, Lauren
Nesbitt 1, Chloe Bradford 2, Melinda Martinez 2, Totals 11 21-27 46.
3-point goals: Minico 3 (Merrill, Pratt 2). Total fouls: Wood River 20, Minco 16. Fouled out: Wood River, Taylor.

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Carey travels to Richfield Carey 63, Camas County 32
Camas County 12:11:36 – 32
Carey 19:15:18:11 – 63
CAMAS COUNTY (32)
Andre Gimon 21 Davis Knowlton 2 Skyler Dayje 2. Andy Simon 21, Davie Knowlton 2, Skyler Davie 2, George Simon 7. Totals 12 2-6 32. CAREY (63)

Burley on Tuesday.

a 22-5 tech-fall victory.

Twin Falls 53, Burley 22

Prince Fielder, Brewers settle at \$15.5 million

NEW YORK (AP) Setting himself up for an even bigger payday a year from now, Prince Fielder agreed Tuesday to a \$15.5 million contract with the Milwaukee Brewers in the largest oneyear deal for a player not yet eligible for free agency.

On a day when 67 of the 119 players who filed for salary arbitration reached agreements, AL MVP Josh Hamilton, major league home run champion Iose Bautista and Houston pitcher Wandy Rodriguez submitted swapped proposed figures.

Hamilton asked Texas for Toronto for \$10.5 million and was offered \$7.6 million;



Rodriguez asked for \$10.25 million and offered \$8 million.

Only 37 players exchanged with their clubs, and three of those already have agreements.

Boston and closer Jonathan Papelbon settled at \$12 million, a person familiar with the deal said, speaking on the largest proposed salaries condition of anonymity when players and teams because the Red Sox had not yet announced it.

Texas agreed with left-\$12 million and was offered hander C.J. Wilson at \$7 mil-\$8.7 million; Bautista asked lion and outfielder Nelson Cruz at \$2.65 million.

Those among the remain-

three-person panels during the first three weeks in February.

Owners won five of eight hearings last year, bringing their advantage to 285-210 since salary arbitration began in 1974. Still, players are winners in the process. Last year, a study by The Associated Press found the 128 players in arbitration averaged a raise of 121 percent, down from the record 172 percent increase in

Fielder's agreement topped Mark Teixeira's \$12.5 million deal with Atlanta in 2008. Both are represented by agent Scott Boras, who encourages clients to test the free-agent

"We're just focusing on

during an interview with the \$2.9 million difference AP. "It's the best thing for all between parties involved, with him Bautista was the second going into his free agent year biggest. Hamilton made and us going into a year where \$3,275,000 last year, when he we want to have a lot of suc-

homers and 83 RBIs last despite missing most of the season, when he made \$11.25 million. It was the lowest batting average in his big with 54 homers and 124 RBIs, league career.

"We took into considera-50 homers, the 46 homers. I that's OK. That's why we know last year he had a little have the process in place," bit of a decline, but I expect Blue Jays general manager him to bounce back," Melvin Alex Anthopoulos said dursaid. "We feel he's ready to ing a conference call. "We bounce back and have a big both realize there's no one year."

Toronto and led the majors with a .359 batting average, hit 32 home Fielder hit .261 with 32 runs and had 100 RBIs final month because of broken ribs. Bautista hit .260 and he made \$2.4 million.

"Philosophically, we don't tion his previous years — the see eye-to-eye right now and who's right or wrong, both The \$3.3 million gap sides make a compelling case Bloomquist (\$900,000).

ing 34 players who don't set- this year," Brewers general between Texas and Hamilton and it's very fair, and that's tle will have hearings before manager Doug Melvin said was the largest, and the why we need a third party to make a determination of what the right value for the player is."

At the other end of the arbitration pay scale, the smallest difference between submitted figures was \$350,000, with Texas offering Darren O'Day \$1.05 million and the relief pitcher asking for \$1.4 million.

Among free agents, the New York Yankees finalized a \$35 million, three-year contract with Rafael Soriano, adding a proven closer who will become Mariano Rivera's setup man.

Arizona agreed to one-year deals with right-hander Aaron Heilman (\$2 million) and utility man Willie

SCOREBOARD

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L.A. Lakers Phoenix Golden State L.A. Clippers Sacramento Monday's Games

Monday's Games

Monday's Games

Chicago 96, Memphis 84

Phoenix 129, New York 121

Washington 108, Utah 101

Philadelphia 96, Charlotte 92, OT

Houston 93, Milwaukee 84

New Orleans 85, Toronto 81

L.A. Clippers 114, Indiana 107

Detroit 103, Dallas 89

Golden State 109, New Jersey 100

Atlanta 100, Sacramento 98

Boston 109, Orlando 106

Portland 113, Minnesota 102

L.A. Lakers 101, Oklahoma City 94

Tuesday's Games

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Charlotte 83, Chicago 82

Wednesday's Games

Phoenix at Cleveland, 5 p.m.

Utah at New Jersey, 5 p.m.

Philadelphia at Orlando, 5 p.m.

Detroit at Boston, 5:30 p.m.

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Philadelphia at Orlando, 5 p.m. Detroit at Boston, 5:30 p.m. Washington at Milwaukee, 6 p.m. Memphis at New Orleans, 6 p.m. New York at Houston, 6:30 p.m. Toronto at San Antonio, 6:30 p.m. Oklahoma City at Denver, 7 p.m. L.A. Lakers at Dallas, 7 p.m. portland at Sacramento, 8 p.m. Indiana at Golden State, 8:30 p.m. Minnesota at L.A. Clippers, 8:30 p.m. Minnesota at L.A. Clippers, 8:30 p.m.

NBA Boxes HAWKS 93, HEAT 89, 01

ATLANTA (93)
Smith 6-18 3-31 S., Horford 3-8 0-0 6, Collins 1-1 0-0 2, Bibby 5-11 1-2 15, Johnson 8-24 3-4 19, Ja.Crawford 8-15 1-2 19, Pachulia 2-6 0-1 4, Evans 4-9 2-2 11, Wilkins 1-2 0-0 2, Powell 0-0 0-0 0, Jo.Crawford 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 38-95 1-01-49 3, WIAMI (89)
JAMIAMI (89)
James 11-30 10-11 34, Anthony 0-0 0-0 0, Ileauskas 1-2

MIAM (89) James 11-30 10-11 34, Anthony 0-0 0-0 0, Ilgauskas 1-2 0-0 2, Arroyo 0-2 0-0 0, Wade 8-20 11-12 27, Chalmers 4-8 0-0 10, Millier 0-2 0-0 0, Jones 1-3 0-0 3, Dampier 0-1 0-0 0, Howard 0-1 1-2 1, House 3-8 4-4 12. Totals 28-77 26-29 89. 19 15 24, 10 16 9 3

28/1/26-29 89.

Atlanta 19 15 24 19 16 — 93

Miami 19 124 20 22 12 — 89

3-Point Goals-Atlanta 7-31 (Bibby 4-10, Ja.Crawford 2-6, Evans 1-5, Jo.Crawford 0-1, Smith 0-3, Johnson 0-6), Miami 7-30 (House 5-2, Chalmers 2-6, James 2-10, Jones 1-3, Miller 0-2, Wade 0-4), Fouled Out-None.

Rebounds-Atlanta 59 (Smith 12), Miami 12 (James 7), Total Fouls-Atlanta 20 (Johnson 10), Miami 12 (James 7), Total Fouls-Atlanta 22, Miami 18. A–19,600 (19,600).

BOBCATS 83. BULLS 82

CHARLOTTE (83)
Wallace 5-14 3-3 13. Diaw 6-13 0-0 12, K.Brown 3-5 0-1 Wallace 5-14 3-3 13, DIAW 6-13 U-U 12, K. BIUWII 2-5 U-1 6, Augustin 6-13 3-4 15, Jackson 5-14 2-4 12, Mohammed 1-4 1-2 3, Henderson 3-9 2-2 8, T.Thomas 3-8 2-4 8, Livingston 3-7 0-0 6, Carroll 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 35-87 13-20 83.

Totals 33-87 13-20 63. **CHICAGO (82)**Deng 2-11 5-5 10, Gibson 2-7 5-6 9, K.Thomas 2-6 2-4 6,
Rose 14-28 3-4 33, Bogans 1-3 0-0 3, Brewer 6-11 0-1
12, Asik 0-1 0-0 0, Korver 2-6 1-1 6, Watson 1-4 0-0 3.

Totals 30-77 16-21 82.

Charlotte 27 20 17 19 - 83 Chicago 3-Point Goals—Charlotte 0-13 (Wallace 0-3, Augustin 0-3, Diaw 0-3, Jackson 0-4), Chicago 6-12 (Rose 2-4, Korver 1-1, Watson 1-1, Bogans 1-2, Deng 1-4). Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—Charlotte 58 (Wallace 16), Chicago 53 (K.Thomas 10). Assists—Charlotte 17 (Augustin 5), Chicago 17 (Deng, Rose 4). Total Fouls—Charlotte 18, Chicago 17. Technicals—Wallace. A—21,263 (20)17).

Monday's Late NBA Boxes TRAIL BLAZERS 113, TIMBERWOLVES 102

MINNESOTA (102)

MNNESOTA (102)
Beasley 4-8 2-2 12, Love 8-20 6-7 22, Millicic 11-16 0-2 22, Ridnour 3-11 0-0 7, Brewer 3-7 4-7 10, Webster 1-6 6-8 8, Tolliwer 1-3 1-13, Flynn 1-5 0-0 2, Ellington 3-9 1-17, Pekovic 3-3 3-6 9, Totals 38-88 23-34 102.
PORTLAND (113)
Batum 1-11 3-4 5, Aldridge 15-24 7-9 37, Camby 0-1 0-0 0, Miller 5-12 5-5 15, Matthews 6-11 8-9 23, Cunningham 3-6 3-3 9, Fernandez 3-11 5-6 13, Mills 2-5 0-0 5, Przybilla 3-3 0-0 6, Totals 38-84 31-36 113.
Minnesota 29 17 27 29 - 102
Portland 30 20 38 25 - 113
3-Point Goals-Minnesota 3-15 (Beasley 2-3, Ridnour 1-4, Tolliwer 0-1, Brewer 0-1, Flynn 0-1, Ellington 0-2, Webster 0-3), Portland 6-18 (Matthews 3-6, Fernandez 2-7, Mills 1-3, Batum 0-2), Fouled Out-None.
Rebounds-Minnesota 58 (Love 17), Portland 5-4 (Aldridge 12), Assists-Minnesota 19 (Ridnour 6), Portland 19 (Millier 10), Total Fouls-Minnesota 27, Portland 23, Technicals-Minnesota defensive three second. A-20,239 (19,980).

LAKERS 101, THUNDER 94

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OKLAHOMA CITY (94)

Durant 8-24 7-7 24, Green 3-11 0-0 6, Krstic 2-4 0-0 4, Westbrook 12-23 8-11 32, Sefolosha 0-1 0-0 0, Ibaka 4-7 3-4 11, Harden 4-11 0-0 9, Collison 4-5 0-0 8, Maynor 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 37-87 18-22 94.

LA. LAKERS (101)

Artest 2-6 2-4 7, Gasol 8-19 5-5 21, Bynum 5-8 0-0 10, Fisher 5-10 3-31 5, Bryant 7-12 6-11 21, Odom 6-9 2-3 16, Brown 3-9 0-0 6, Blake 1-1 0-0 3, Walton 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 38-76 18-26 101.

Oklahoma City 28 27 20 19 - 94

LA. Lakers 28 30 22 20 - 101

3-Point Goals—Oklahoma City 2-22 (Harden 1-6, Durant 1-8, Sefolosha 0-1, Westbrook 0-2, Green 0-5), L.A. Lakers 1-3, Brown 0-2). Fouled Out-Hone. Rebounds—Oklahoma City 24 (Westbrook 12), L.A. Lakers 51 (Bryum 10). Assists—Oklahoma City 21 (Westbrook 12), L.A. Lakers 24 (Bryant 7). Total Fouls-Oklahoma City 23, L.A. Lakers 18. A-18,997 (18,997).

Men's College Scores

BYU 83, TCU 67 Southwest Oklahoma 83, Texas Tech 74

Oklahoma 83, Texas Tech 74

Midwest

Drake 76, Illinois St. 68

E. Kentucky 70, SIU-Edwardsville 50

Illinois 71, Michigan St. 62

Marquette 94, DePaul 64

Nebraska 79, Colorado 67

Northwestern 74, Michigan 60

S. Illinois 67, Evansville 55

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J. IIIIIUIS O/, EVANSVIlle 55 South Alabama 68, Kentucky 66 Longwood 88, N.J. Tech 81 North Carolina 75, Clemson 65 Savannah St. 50, Stetson 49 Tennessee 59, Georgia 57

Georgetown 80, Seton Hall 75 Maine 72, Vermont 58

Women's College Scores
Far West
Colorado St. 68, UNLV 63
Southwest
Oklahoma St. 58, Colorado 49
Midwest
Notre Dame 80, Georgetown 58
Ohjo 69 Miami (Ohjo) 56 Notre Dame 80, Georgetown 58 Ohio 69, Miami (Ohio) 56 East Albany, N.Y. 67, Stony Brook 55 Onwling Green 72, Buffalo 61

St. John's 63, Cincinnati 34

Scenic West Athletic Conference Team Pct. W-L Pct. **18-2** 18-2 14-6 CSI Salt Lake CC **4-1** 4-1 .900 .900 .800

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	Women Conf. Overall						
Team	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.			
Salt Lake CC North Idaho CSI	4-1 3-2 3-2	.800 .600	14-3 17-2 16-4	.824 .895 .800			

BETTING **Glantz-Culver Line**

OPEN TODAY O/U UNDERDOG FAVORITE 3½ (43½) 3½ (38½)

FOOTBALL

NFL Playoffs
All Times MST
Wild-card Playoffs
Saturday, Jan. 8
Orleans 36

GAME PLAN

LOCAL

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL 7 p.m.

Century at Canyon Ridge 7:30 p.m. Declo at Oakley

Kimberly at Jerome Preston at Burley Richfield at Shoshone Twin Falls at Pocatello Wendell at Hagerman HIĞH SCHOOL

GIRLS BASKETBALL 7:30 p.m. Kimberly at Declo HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING

5 p.m. Buhl, Pocatello at Minico 6 p.m. Canyon Ridge at Twin Falls Kimberly, Valley at Glenns Ferry

1 p.m.

TV SCHEDULE

GOLF

TGC — PGA Tour, Bob Hope Classic, first round MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

5 p.m. ESPN — Duke at N.C. State ESPN2 - Cincinnati at Notre Dame

6 p.m. The Mtn. — New Mexico at Utah **7 p.m.**ESPN2 — Texas A&M at Texas

8:30 p.m. The Mtn. - Colorado St. at UNLV NBA BASKETBALL

5 p.m. FSN — Utah at New Jersey 7 p.m.

ESPN — L.A. Lakers at Dallas **TENNIS** 9 p.m.

ESPN2 — Australian Open, early round

Buffalo 2, Montreal 1, OT St. Louis 2, Los Angeles 1 Colorado 4, Vancouver 3, OT Nashville 5, Phoenix 2 Minnesota 4, Edmonton 1 Wednesday's Games

TENNIS

Australian Open Wednesday (partial results) At Melbourne Park Melbourne, Australia Purse: \$24.7 million (Grand Slam) Surface: Hard-Outdoor Single

Měn Second Round Sergiy Stakhovsky, Ukraine, def. Lukasz Kubot, Poland, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4. Kei Nishikori, Japan, def. Florian Mayer, Germany, 6-4,

Women Second Round Justine Henin (11), Belgium, def. Elena Baltacha,

Britain, 6-1, 6-3. Caroline Wozniacki (1), Denmark, def. Vania King, U.S., Svetlana Kuznetsova (23), Russia, def. Arantxa Rus, Netherlands, 6-1, 6-4. Kulikova, Russia, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5.

Singles Men First Round

Eduardo Schwank, Argentina, def. Leonardo Mayer, Argentina, 6-2, 6-0, 6-4. Bernard Tonic, Australia, def. Jeremy Chardy, France, 6-3, 6-2, 7-6 (5). Rafael Nadal (1), Spain, def. Marcos Daniel, Brazil, 6-0, 5-0, retired. Guillerm Garcia-Lopez (32), Spain, def. Michael Berrer, Germany, 6-4, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3. Mikhail Youzhny (10), Russia, def. Marsel Ilhan, Turkey, 6-2, 6-3, 7-6 (5). Feliciano Lopez (31), Spain, def. Alejandro Falla, Colombia 6-3, 7-6 (6) 6-3. Colombia, 6-3, 7-6 (6), 6-3. Marin Cilic (15), Croatia, def. Donald Young, U.S., 6-3,

6-2, 6-1. Michael Russell, U.S., def. Matthew Ebden, Australia,

0-2, 0-1.
Michael Russell, U.S., def. Matthew Ebden, Australia, 6-3, 6-2, 5-7, 7-6 (9).
Jurgen Melzer (11), Austria, def. Vincent Millot, France, 6-2, 6-4, 6-2.
Blaz Kavcic, Slovenia, def. Kevin Anderson, South Africa, 2-6, 6-4, 7-6 (4), 7-6 (5).
Alexandr Dolgopolov, Ukraine, def. Mikhail Kukushkin, Kazakhstan, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.
David Ferrer (7), Spain, def. Jarkko Nieminen, Finland, 6-4, 6-3, 1-6, 6-2.
Jan Hernych, Czech Republic, def. Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, 6-3, 6-4, 3-3, 6-6.
Thomaz Bellucci (30), Brazil, def. Ricardo Mello, Brazil, 7-5, 7-5, 4-6, 3-6, 6-3.
Pere Riba, Spain, def. Carsten Ball, Australia, 1-6, 7-6 (5), 6-2, 2-6, 6-4.
Santiago Giraldo, Colombia, def. Rui Machado, Portugal, 6-4, 6-3, 5-7, 6-1.
Juan Martin del Potro, Argentina, def. Dudi Sela, Israel, 7-6 (13), 6-4, 6-4.
Andy Murray (5), Britalin, def. Karol Beck, Slovakia, 6-3, 6-1, 4-2, retired.
Ryan Sweeting, U.S., def. Daniel Gimeno-Traver, Spain, 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

Gremelmayr, Germany, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3. Illya Marchenko, Ukraine, def. Ruben Ramirez Hidalgo, Spain, 6-3, 6-4, 6-1. Gilles Muller, Luxembourg, def. Simon Stadler, Germany, 6-3, 7-6 (5), 6-4. John Isner (20), U.S., def. Florent Serra, France, 6-3, 7-

Robin Soderling (4), Sweden, def. Potito Starace, Italy, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2. Benjamin Becker, Germany, def. Ernests Gulbis (24), Latvia, 7-6 (5), 6-2, 6-4. Richard Berankis, Lithuania, def. Marinko Matosevic, Australia, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5. Marcos Baghdatis (21), Cyprus, def. Grega Zemlja, Slovenia, 3-6, 7-5, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2. Milos Raonic, Canada, def. Bjorn Phau, Germany, 7-6 (3), 6-3, 7-6 (8). Michael Hodra (22), France, def. Huan Imacio Chala.

(3), 6-3, 7-6 (8).

Michael Llodra (22), France, def. Juan Ignacio Chela, Argentina, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Andreas Seppi, Italy, def. Arnaud Clement, France, 3-6, 2-6, 7-5, 6-3, 6-2.

Jo-Wilfried Tsonga (13), France, def. Philipp Petzschner, Germany, 4-6, 2-6, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

David Nalbandian (27), Argentina, def. Lleyton Hewitt, Australia, 3-6, 6-4, 3-6, 7-6 (1), 9-7.

Women First Round Lourdes Dominguez Lino, Spain, def. Johanna Larsson,

Sweeter, 6-2, 6-1. Vera Zvonareva (2), Russia, def. Sybille Bammer, Austria, 6-2, 6-1. Petra Kvitova (25), Czech Republic, def. Sally Peers, Australia, 6-2, 6-4. AUSTRAIIA, 6-2, 6-4. Iveta Benesova, Czech Republic, def. Anabel Medina Garrigues, Spain, 6-0, 6-1. Anna Chakvetadze, Russia, def. Olga Govortsova, שבימים בי, ס-3, ס-4. Bojana Jovanovski, Serbia, def. Chang Kai-chen, Taiwan, 7-5, 6-1. Petra Martic, Croatia, def. Sophie Ferguson, Australia, 7-6 (6), 0-6, 6-3.

Agnieszka Radwanska (12), Poland, def. Kimiko Date-Krumm. Japan. 6-4. 4-6. 7-5. Krumm, Japan, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5. Peng Shuai, China, def. Kateryna Bondarenko, Ukraine, 2-6, 6-3, 8-6. Sam Stosur (5), Australia, def. Lauren Davis, U.S., 6-1,

6-1. Jelena Jankovic (7), Serbia, def. Alla Kudryavtseva, Russia, 6-0, 7-6 (5). Flavia Pennetta (22), Italy, def. Anastasia Rodionova, Australia, 6-2, 6-1 Alize Cornet, France, def. CoCo Vandeweghe, U.S., 6-2, Ayumi Morita, Japan, def. Alexandra Dulgheru (27),

Ayulin Morita, Japan, oci Archandra 2003. Romania, 6-4, 6-4. Lucie Safarova (31), Czech Republic, def. Zhang Shuai, China, 7-5, 4-6, 6-1. Maria Kirilenko (18), Russia, def. Romina Oprandi, Italy, 6-3, 5-7, 8-6. Nadia Petrova (13), Russia, def. Ksenia Pervak, Russia,

Ndula return 25... 6-2. 6-1. Simona Halep, Romania, def. Anne Kremer, Luxembourg, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2. Sorana Cirstea, Romania, def. Mirjana Lucic, Croatia, Alicia Molik, Australia, def. Roberta Vinci, Italy, 1-6, 6-S, O G. Klara Zakopalova, Czech Republic, def. Melanie Oudin,

U.S., 6-1, 3-6, 6-1. Shahar Peer (10), Israel, def. Mathilde Johansson, Shahar Peer (10), Israel, def. Mathilde Johansson, France, 6-1, 6-1.
Lesya Tsurenko, Ukraine, def. Patty Schnyder, Switzerland, def. 6-2, 6-3.
Ekaterina Makarova, Russia, def. Ana Ivanovic (19), Serbia, 3-6, 6-4, 10-8.
Kim Clijsters (3), Belgium, def. Dinara Safina, Russia, 4-0, 4-0

Kristina Barrois, Germany, def. Akgul Amanmuradova, Uzbekistan, 6-4, 6-2. Caroline Garcia, France, def. Varvara Lepchenko, U.S., 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.B 7-3, 4-0, 0-3.8 Maria Jose Martinez Sanchez (26), Spain, def. Greta Arn, Hungary, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2. Vera Dushevina, Russia, def. Maria Elena Camerin, Italy, 6-3, 3-6, 6-1.

Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova (16), Russia, def. Kirsten Flipkens, Belgium, 6-4, 7-6 (4). Carla Suarez Navarro, Spain, def. Christina McHale, U.S. 4.6, 4.5, 4.1 Alisa Kleybanova (24), Russia, def. Irina Falconi, U.S.,

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL American League BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Agreed to terms with SS J.J. Hardy, OF Adam Jones, OF Felix Pie and RHP Jim Johnson on one-year contracts. CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Agreed to terms with LHP John

Danks, OF Carlos Quentin and RHP Tony Pena on one-year contracts. Claimed RHP Phil Humber off waivers from Oakland. CLEVELAND INDIANS—Agreed to terms with OF Shin Soo Choo, RHP Chris Perez and LHP Rafael Perez on one-year contracts. Named Mike Hargrove special advisor. DETROIT TIGERS—Agreed to terms with RHP Armando Galarraga and RHP Brad Penny on one-year contracts.

Designated Galarraga for assignment.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with RHP Kyle
Davies on a one-year contract. Announced the retire-ment of RHP Gil Meche. LOS ANGELES ANGELS—Agreed to terms with 1B Kendry Morales, SS Erick Aybar, 2B Howie Kendrick and OF Morales, SS ETICK ANDIA, 28 HOWER PARTIONICK AND OF Reggie Willist on one-year contracts. MINNESOTA TWINS-Agreed to terms with RHP MAtt Capps and LHP Glen Perkins on one-year contracts. NEW YORK YANKEES-Agreed to terms with RHP Rafael Soriano on a three-year contract and RHP Joba Chamberdain, RHP Will Hughes and LHP Boone Logan on one-year contracts.

Chamberlain, RHP Pini Hughes and the book cognition one-year contracts.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS-Agreed to terms with OF Josh Willingham, OF Conor Jackson, LHP Dallas Braden and 3B Kevin Kouranoff on one-year contracts.

SEATTLE MARINERS-Agreed to terms with RHP David Aardsma, RHP Brandon League and LHP Jason Vargas

TAMPA BAY RAYS—Agreed to terms with RHP Andv

Haller to director of communications. Named Jonathan Gantt and Andrew Heydt as communications coordina-

Gorzelanny, RHP Matt Garza and C Geovany Soto on one-year contracts.
CINCINNATI REDS—Agreed to terms with LHP Bill Bray on a one-year contract.
FLORIDA MARLINS—Agreed to terms with RHP Anibal Sanchez and RHP Clay Hensley on one-year contracts.
HOUSTON ASTROS—Agreed to terms with OF Michael Bourn, INF Clint Barnes and INF Jeff Keppinger on one-year contracts.

LUS ANGLELS DUDUSENS—Agreed to terms with RHP
CHAB Billingsley on a one-year contract.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Agreed to terms with IB Prince
Fielder and LIP Manny Parra on one-year contracts.
NEW YORK METS—Agreed to terms with RHP Mike
Pelfrey on a one-year contract.
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Agreed to terms with RHP PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Agreed to terms with RHP Kyle Kendrick on a one-year contract.

PHITSBURGH PIRATES—Agreed to terms with RHP Joel Hanrahan on a one-year contract and RHP Jose Veras and C Wyatt Toregas on minor league contracts. SAN DIEGO PADRES—Agreed to terms with RHP Mike Adams, RHP Heath Bell, RHP Tim Stauffer, INF Chase Headley and OF Ryan Ludwick on one-year contracts. SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Agreed to terms with LHP Cody Ross, LHP Jonathan Sanchez and RHP Ramon Ramirez on one-year contracts.

WASHINGTON NATIONALS—Agreed to terms with LHP Doug Slaten and OF Michael Morse on one-year contracts.

BASKETBALL National Basketball Association

ATLANTA HAWKS—Signed G-F Damien Wilkins to a second 10-day contract.
GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS—Named Troy Wenzel athletic

Ross Vetrone. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Fired offensive coordinator

sive backs coach/safeties.
ST. LOUIS RAMS—Named Josh McDaniels offensive coor

Holmgren a three-year contract extension.
PHOENIX COYOTES—Recalled D Chris Summers San PHOENIX CUTULES—ACCIDING & GINES SOME Antonio (AHL). SAN JOSE SHARKS—Acquired F Ben Eager from Atlanta for a 2011 fifth-round draft pick. Assigned F Andrew Desiardins, F arnadon Mashinter and D Justin Braun to

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Activated F T.J. Oshie from injured reserve. TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING—Reassigned G Jaroslav Janus to

SOCCER
Major League Soccer
NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION—Re-signed D Seth

Sinovic.
REAL SALT LAKE—Named C.J. Brown assistant coach.
RED BULL NEW YORK—Named Jurgen Mainka vice
president of communications and community relations
COLLEGE
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trainer.
JUNIATA-Announced the resignation of athletic director and women's volleyball coach Larry Bock who was named women's volleyball coach at Navy.
LA SALLE-Announced sophomore F Christian Standhardinger has transferred to the school from

State. STEPHEN F. AUSTIN—Named Kewa Nichols assistant

Report: Lance Armstrong kept ties to Italian doctor

NEW YORK — A story in *Sports Illustrated* challenges Lance Armstrong's statements that he cut ties to a controversial Italian doctor and training adviser who has long been accused of helping cyclists cheat.

In a report posted Tuesday on its website, the magazine previewed a longer investigative piece that will appear in this week's issue, available today.

Without naming its source, SI says that when Italian authorities raided the home of Armstrong teammate Yaroslav Popovych last November in Italy, they found texts and e-mails linking the Radio Shack team with Dr. Michele Ferrari as recently as

2004, amid accusations the doctor aided another rider in using performance-enhancing drugs. Ferrari was convicted and then later cleared of criminal charges on appeal. Armstrong spokesman Mark Fabiani calls the

report "old news from the same old, discredited

sources.

Armstrong severed his connection with Ferrari in

A federal grand jury in Los Angeles has been hearing evidence for months on cheating in professional cycling. The investigation turned toward Armstrong — and several of his associates have testified before the panel — since ex-teammate Floyd Landis accused the seven-time Tour de France win-

ner of systematic doping

Armstrong won the Tour de France every year from 1999 to 2005. He's currently competing in the Tour Down Under in Australia, which he says will be his last race outside the United States.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL BYU's Chris Collinsworth out for the season after surgery

SALT LAKE CITY — BYU forward Chris Collinsworth will miss the remainder of the season after undergoing surgery Friday to repair cartilage damage in his right knee. Coach Dave Rose made the announcement on the

Collinsworth started the first four games of the

season for the Cougars. He was averaging 5.9 points and 5.6 rebounds a game. The procedure Friday revealed cartilage damage

that required additional microfracture surgery. Rehabilitation will take four to five months but Collinsworth is expected back for the 2011-12 sea-Collinsworth's younger brother, freshman Kyle

Collinsworth, has started 14 of 18 games at small forward for the ninth-ranked Cougars and is averaging 6.7 points and 3.6 rebounds a game.

Baltimore 30, Kansas City 7 Green Bay 21, Philadelphia 16 **Divisional Playoffs Saturday, Jan. 15** Pittsburgh 31, Baltimore 24 Green Bay 48, Atlanta 21 **Sunday, Jan. 16** Chicago 35, Seattle 24 Green Bay 40, 500 Sunday, John Ac Chicago 35, Seattle 24 N.Y. Jets 28, New England 21 Conference Championships Sunday, Jan. 23 Green Bay at Chicago, 1 p.m. (FOX) N.Y. Jets at Pittsburgh, 4:30 p.m. (GS) Pro Bowl Toronto at N.Y. Rangers, 5 p.m. Columbus at Florida, 5:30 p.m. Minnesota at Calgary, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 30 At Honolulu AFC vs. NFC, 5 p.m. (FOX) Super Bowl
Sunday, Feb. 6
At Arlington, Texas
AFC champion vs. NFC champion, 4:30 p.m. (FOX)

HOCKEY											
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Calgary Edmonton PACIFIC 46 28 13 49 26 19 47 23 15 47 23 19 46 24 21 61 135 120 56 131 136 55 136 135 51 131 131 49 134 117 Dallas Anaheim Phoenix San Jose 47 23 19 5 51 131 Los Angeles 46 24 21 1 49 134 NOTE: Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss.

Monday's Games

Atlanta 3, Florida 2, SO
Boston 7, Carolina 0
New Jersey 5, NY, Islanders 2
San Jose 4, Phoenix 2
Montreal 5, Calgary 4, 07
Dallas 2 1 os Appeles 1

Dallas 2, Los Angeles 1 Tuesday's Games

Anaheim 2, Ottawa 1, SO Tampa Bay 3, Columbus 2, SO Philadelphia 3, Washington 2, OT Pittsburgh 4, Detroit 1

Boston 3, Carolina 2

Sports Shorts

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MAGIC VALLEY Adult Outdoor Soccer meeting Twin Falls Parks and Recreation will hold an orga-

nizational meeting for the new Adult Outdoor Soccer League at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 22 at its office (136 Maxwell Ave.). League set up, rules and fees will be discussed. Teams will be 3-on-3 women's, men's and coed squads with games played on Fridays during April and May at Sunway Soccer Complex. A minimum of four teams are needed and rosters and fees are due by 5:30 p.m. March 18. Information:736-2265.

CRHS boosters to meet

The Canyon Ridge Booster Club will hold its monthly meeting at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 25 in room 301 at Canyon Ridge High School. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

T.F. Terror meeting today A meeting will be held at 7 p.m. today in the Twin

Falls High School cafeteria for those interested in participating in the Twin Falls Terror softball program. The meeting will consist of planning for the upcoming summer programs for the 12U, 14U, 16U

Twin Falls baseball and softball registrations coming

Baseball League will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Jan. 27 at the Right On Track Childcare Building, located at 1141 Falls Avenue East, Ste. 501. Registration is open to players ages 7 to 15.

which is \$50 for Rookie Baseball and Softball, Cal guardian must be present to sign the required forms. Fundraiser participation is also required. Information: www.tfbaseball.com or tfcyb@hot-

Staff and wire reports

tors. TEXAS RANGERS—Agreed to terms with OF Nelson Cruz

TEXAS RANGERS—Agreed to terms with OF Nelson Cruz and LHP C.J. Wilson on one-year contracts. Named Joe Januszewski secuctive vice president, business partnerships and development.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Agreed to terms with SS Yunel Escobar and RHP Brandon Morrow on one-year contracts and OF Rajai Davis on a two-year contract.

National League
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Agreed to terms with INF Stephen Drew on a two-year contract and LHP Joe Saunders, INF-OF Willie Bloomquist and RHP Aaron Hellman on one-year contracts.
ATLANTA BRAYES—Agreed to terms with RHP Jair Jurrjens, RHP Peter Moylan, LHP Eric O'Flaherty and LF Martin Prado on one-year contracts.
CHICAGO CUBS—Agreed to terms with LHP Sean Marshall on a two-year contract and LHP Tom Gorzelanny, RHP Matt Garza and C Geovany Soto on one-year contracts.

year contracts. LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Agreed to terms with RHP

trainer.

National Football League

ATLANTA FALCONS-Signed TE Marquez Branson, C Rob
Bruggeman, WR Tim Buckley, WR Brandyn Harvey, DE
Emmanuel Stephens, WR Andy Strickland and G Jose
Valdez to reserve-future contracts.

BALTIMORE RAVENS-Promoted secondary coach Chuck
Pagano to defensive coordinates.

BALLIMORE KAYENS—Profinded sectionally Coach Chuck Pagano to defensive Coordinator. CHICAGO BEARS—Signed QB Matt Gutierrez to a reserve/future contract. NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Signed TE Carson Butler, QB Jonathan Crompton, WR Darnell Jenkins, WR Buddy Farnham, DL Marlon Favorite, DB Thad Turner and DB ROSS Vetrone.

Jeremy Bates. Named Tom Cable assistant head coach/offensive line coach and Todd Wash defensive line coach. Promoted Kris Richard to defensive backs coach/cornerbacks and Rocky Seto to assistant defensive backs coach/cornerbacks.

MOCKEY
National Hockey League
NHL-Suspended San Jose F Scott Nichol four games for delivering a blow to the head of Phoenix D David Schlemko in a Jan. 17.
OTTAWA SENATORS—Recalled F Bobby Butter from

HOWARD PAYNE-Named Larry Walls assistant athletic

MICHIGAN—Named Greg Mattison defensive coordina-MICHIGAN—Named Greg Mattison defensive coordina-or, Al Borges offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach, Dan Ferrigno special teams coordinator/tight ends coach, Darrell Funk offensive line coach, Jeff Hecklinski wide receivers coach, Mark Smith lineback-ers coach and Aaron Wellman strength and condition-ing coach. PITTSBURGH—Named Tony Dews tight ends coach. SOUTHEASTERN LOUISIANA—Announced junior F Elgin Bailey has transferred to the school from Mississippi State.

SIEPHEN F. AUSTIN TRANSLATER TO STREET THE METERS TECH-Signed football coach Tommy Tuberville to a one-year contract extension through 2015. WISCONSIN-Promoted secondary coach Chris Ash and defensive line coach Charlie Partridge to co-defensive

Registration for the Twin Falls County Youth

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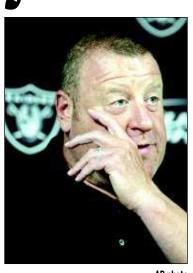
NFL players union files collusion claim

WASHINGTON – The NFL players' union filed a collusion claim against the league's owners, another move in the back-and-forth between the sides as they near the expiration of their labor contract.

The union originally had until December - 90 days after the start of the season - to accuse teams of conspiring to restrict players' salaries last offseason, but the league agreed to extend that dead-

"They have filed that claim. They filed it probably a week ago. There has been no activity at this point. But it's something that was not unexpected," the league's lead labor negotiator, Jeff Pash, said Tuesday, when owners met in Atlanta. "It's Former Oakland Raiders head coach Tom iust another piece of litigation that we have to work our way through. So we will do that."

The case is before Stephen Burbank, the same special master an assistant head coach/offensive line who is considering a complaint with the Seattle Seahawks. about the league's TV contracts. which the union says were set up to guarantee the NFL money even if there were a lockout this year.



AP photo

Cable speaks during a news conference at the team's headquarters in Alameda, Calif., Jan. 3. On Tuesday he was hired as

Union spokesman George Atallah ending 35-24 loss at Chicago. said Tuesday he could not comment

"It is something they were committed to doing. Their attorneys told us that they didn't see any reason to delay it any further," Pash said. "Our reaction was, 'That's fine. If you feel you have a claim and want to file, go ahead and file?"

SEATTLE FIRES OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR, HIRES CABLE

RENTON, Wash. – Jeremy Bates was fired on Tuesday as the Seattle Seahawks' offensive coordinator, ending a rocky one-year return to the NFL for Bates during which the Seahawks ranked among the worst offenses in the NFL.

Bates was let go after Seattle's offense finished the regular season ranked 28th in the league. The Seahawks finally displayed some offensive punch in their 41-36 playoff upset of New Orleans, but reverted to the same struggling unit last Sunday in their season-

Later Tuesday, the team on the collusion case. Pash said no announced it had hired former

date has been scheduled for a hear- Raiders head coach Tom Cable as new assistant coach/offensive line and Todd Wash as its new defensive line coach. Cable was let go by the Raiders at the end of the season after going 8-8.

RAMS HIRE MCDANIELS AS OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR

ST. LOUIS – The St. Louis Rams hired former Denver Broncos coach Josh McDaniels as their offensive coordinator on Tuesday. McDaniels replaces

Shurmur, who was hired by the Cleveland Browns as head coach earlier this month.

McDaniels parlayed success as an offensive coordinator with the New England Patriots into his first head coaching job and at age 32 was the NFL's youngest coach in 2009. by quarterback Sam Bradford in college.

draft, broke several of Peyton 1985 season. Manning's NFL rookie records last

Her comeback was stalled after

Wimbledon – she couldn't play

because of an elbow injury – and is

making another return of sorts at

"I've been fighting hard the last

SINGLETARY TO JOIN VIKINGS AS LINEBACKERS COACH

MINNEAPOLIS - Two members of the Monsters of the Midway defense from Chicago's famed championship team are reuniting in Minnesota.

Ex-San Francisco head coach Mike Singletary is joining former teammate Leslie Frazier's staff with the Vikings. Singletary's agent, Bob LaMonte, confirmed in an e-mail to The Associated Press Tuesday that Singletary will be the linebackers Pat coach and assistant head coach under Frazier, who was named head coach two weeks ago. Singletary told ESPN 1000 in Chicago during a radio interview earlier in the day he's coming to Minnesota.

Singletary was 18-22 in two-plus seasons in charge of the 49ers, who fired him last month before their He favors the spread offense, run final game. Singletary, a linebacker, and Frazier, a cornerback, were part of the dominant defense that led the Bradford, the top pick of the last Bears to a Super Bowl title after the

The Associated Press

Bruneel

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as well."

The numbers back that up. free-throw attempts and has corralled a team-high 68 He's third on the team in scoring at 11.9 per game and second in rebounding at 5.6 per night for the 18-2 Golden Eagles.

Bruneel said his approach when taking the ball to rim is managing the emotional simple: "Just keep going, try to roller-coaster throughout the get a foul, just go hard and try to make something happen."

the arc, he can hurt teams as well, hitting 40 percent from mature," said Bruneel. "A lot of 3-point range. He went 3-for-3 basketball has to do with a from long range in Saturday's mental game and I think that's 89-80 win over No. 25 Eastern come in to play, being a little bit Utah.

"He was big this last weekend for us," said Gosar. "He knocked down some really big not about to back down from 3s. He's more of a perimeter the challenge of playing on the threat and really helps open up front line at CSI.

the inside for Kenny and Chris gets a lot of offensive rebounds and Gerson and Paul because he can shoot the ball so well."

A year ago at this time, Bruneel leads the team in Bruneel was in the Philippines serving a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of offensive rebounds this season. Latter-day Saints. While that made for a tough physical transition to college basketball, the experience is one that serves him well on the court.

"We talk to our guys about game, that's one thing Mitch's maturity does for him is keep When he gets the ball outside him really steady," said Gosar.

"I think I'm a little bit more older. I'm able to make better mental decisions."

One thing he's decided: He's

Roddick

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against two-time major winner Svetlana Kuznetsova just to get past the third round. The 23-seeded Kuznetsova beat Dutch qualifier Arantxa Rus 6-1, 6-4.

"I have a lot of good memories, almost all good memories, from Melbourne," said Henin, the 2004 Australian champion and runner-up

here in 2006 and last year, when she

few months and it's great to be back

from the tour.

Melbourne Park.

in Australia."

was returning from a career break Berdych needed four match points, struggling to finish it off with his serve in the last game, to beat Philipp Kohlschreiber 4-6, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

No. 8 Andy Roddick had no such trouble, firing his 17th ace to finish off a 7-6 (7), 6-2, 6-3 second-round win over Igor Kunitsyn of Russia.

The former No. 1-ranked Roddick is into the third round at Melbourne Wimbledon finalist Tomas Park for the ninth straight time.

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the NFC championship game," Packers defensive tackle B.J. Raji said. "We've got bigger goals than ing the second No. 6 seed to win a that. ... We expect to win no matter where we go."

Green Bay set a team record with 18 penalties. And barely lost.

their wild-card spot. They've beaten weeks, or the way quarterback can be nasty also," Smith said.

Philadelphia and top-seeded Aaron Rodgers is playing. Atlanta in road playoff games, and now are a victory away from becomconference championship.

Don't expect the Bears (12-5) to They go to Chicago, where the treat the Packers (12-6) like some Bears beat them 20-17 in Week 3, a rank outsider standing in their way. horrendous performance in which Not with all that history accompanying the longest rivalry in pro football. Not with the way Green Bay's The Packers won 10-3 at Lambeau defense has stymied two of the Field in the season finale to clinch league's best offenses the last two

Rodgers, though, has not done much against Chicago this season, throwing for 545 yards, two touchdowns and two interceptions in the 1-1 split.

Bears coach Lovie Smith expects the usual animosity between the teams, who will face off for the 182nd time, but just the second in the postseason and first since 1941.

"You just look at our history and it does have a respectful tone, but it



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