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While three Magic Valley school districts passed levies Tuesday, one district still couldn't sway voters

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Cassia County

At stake: $41.5 million to build three new schools and update other facilities.

Voters rejected the facilities bond for the third time since 2008.

PASSED

Gooding

At stake: Two-year renewal of $325,000 of yearly maintenance and operations costs.

Gooding School District voters handily approved the levy, with 68 percent in favor.

PASSED

Jerome

At stake: One-year renewal of $650,000 of yearly maintenance and operations costs.

71 percent of Jerome School District voters agreed to continue this levy.

PASSED

Twin Falls

At stake: $7.5 million for two years of operations costs and restoration of student-teacher contact days.

About 55 percent of district voters approved patching holes in state funding.

MORE ONLINE: Visit Magicvalley.com today for more on the levy votes, including final numbers and reactions from school officials.

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Pharmacy technician Talisha Moreno looks for medications Tuesday afternoon at the Medical Office Pharmacy in St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls. The pharmacy will consolidate with parent company Dick's Pharmacy once the hospital changes locations.

St. Luke's, pharmacy part ways

Dick's Pharmacy to consolidate after 13-year relationship with hospital

By Laura Lundquist
Times-News writer

The Medical Office Pharmacy is packing its bags, but won't follow St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center's northbound migration in May.

The pharmacy, a fixture in the Twin Falls hospital since 1998, will close its doors for good on April 16. Pharmacy part-owner Dan Fuchs said the new medical center doesn't have enough office space for all the doctors who will move to the new location, let alone extra space to rent to an independent pharmacy.

"Doctors generate more income than renting out space," Fuchs said. "The county hospital asked us to come in in April 1998, and we'll be leaving exactly 13 years later."

St. Luke's new, $238 million facility on Pole Line Road is set to start accepting patients on May 21. The new medical center will have an internal pharmacy but no outlet to fill prescriptions after patients are discharged, said St. Luke's spokeswoman Laura Stewart.

Fuchs said he met Friday with Twin Falls County commissioners to ask if the pharmacy could remain in the old hospital building — which will revert back to county ownership after the St. Luke's move — while the county searches for other renters. Fuchs said the commissioners said the building's systems — including phone and costly heating — are all connected, so they couldn't

See **PHARMACY**, Main 2

Ed reform bill OK'd, moves to governor

Vote on second piece expected today

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

BOISE — A bill that will likely change for years how Idaho's public school districts and their teachers negotiate contracts is one step away from becoming law.

With a 48-22 vote, the House on Tuesday passed the first of Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Luna's "Students Come First" bills, sending it to Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's desk, where it still needs to be signed into action. The legislation allows school districts to fire teachers when enrollment drops and limits the scope of teacher-district negotiations to salaries and benefits.

It also eliminates the requirement that senior teachers be spared from the chopping block when districts lay off educators, and phases out tenure for new teachers in favor of two-year rolling contracts.

"This bill is about returning the balance of authority to school boards and the public," said Rep. Bob Nonini, R-Coeur d'Alene and chairman of the House Education Committee.

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CSI to oppose legislation on campus firearms

ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Boyd Nelson, security supervisor at the College of Southern Idaho, demonstrates the process the college uses to check weapons into a gun safe Tuesday in Twin Falls. A bill in the Legislature would prevent colleges and universities from banning weapons on campus.

At a glance

Legislation to prevent Idaho's college and universities from banning weapons on their campuses has been proposed by Rep. Erik Simpson, R-Idaho Falls.

Where it started: House Bill 222 was introduced last week in the House State Affairs Committee.

Where it stands: It awaits a committee hearing and vote, expected today.

What's next: If it passes through committee, the bill would move to the House floor.

By Bradley Guire
Times-News writer

College of Southern Idaho administrators want to put the safety on Idaho's latest gun bill.

CSI President Jerry Beck is taking aim at House legislation that would allow people to carry firearms anywhere on campus, except student housing. CSI currently bans weapons from its Twin Falls campus.

"We expect to oppose this," Beck said. "We have not had (gun-related) incidents on campus, and I would hate to change the policy we have."

House Bill 222 was introduced last week into the House State Affairs Committee by Rep. Erik Simpson, R-Idaho Falls, and would apply to

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MEDICAID HEARING

The Senate auditorium was packed as Idaho lawmakers heard emotional testimony about proposed Medicaid changes.

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A Boise woman has formed a committee to collect signatures to recall Idaho Superintendent of Public Schools Tom Luna.

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"The Tortoise and the Hare," St. Thomas Playhouse Children's Theater Tour, 10:30 a.m., Hailey Public Library, free, 788-2036.
Wood River Community Orchestra, 6 p.m., The Community Library, Ketchum, free, 726-3493.
"Lords of Nature," a movie about wolves, 7 p.m., former Lamphouse Theater at Woody's, 213 Fifth Avenue S., free, 543-4418.

CHURCH EVENTS

Oakley Bible Study, open to the whole family, 6:30 p.m., Oakley Fire House, free materials, 650-0233.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Celebrate Community Partnerships, with funded programs and donors, noon to 1 p.m., KMVT Community Room, 1100 Blue Lakes Blvd., Twin Falls, RSVP, 733-4922.

LIBRARY

Beginning Internet and E-mail class, designed for people with little or no experience, 10 a.m., Burley Public Library, 1300 Miller Ave., no registration necessary, class size limited, 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.
Teen Advisory Group (TAG), for teens ages 13-18 to plan events, 3 to 5 p.m., Buhl Public Library, 216 Broadway N., free, open to the public, 543-6500.
Kidz Game Night, kids K-6 invited to play Wii, board games and other activities, 4 p.m., Twin Falls Public LIbrary, 201 Fourth Ave. E., free, open to the public, 733-2964 ext. 110.

To have an event listed, please submit the name of the event, a brief description, time, place, cost and contact number to Sandy Salas by e-mail at ssalas@magicvalley.com; by phone, 735-3280; 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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Squatter sentenced on drug charge

Times-News

A former Latham Motors employee found squatting at the defunct company's Second Avenue dealership was sentenced Monday for felony possession of a controlled substance.

Ted Arthur Long, 52, of Twin Falls will serve a supervised probationary period of three years, avoiding a six-year prison sentence if he behaves. Judge Randy Stoker made his ruling Monday in Twin Falls County 5th District Court. Long must also pay nearly $2,000 in fees and restitution.

According to the court file, Twin Falls police had long watched the location in south Twin Falls as a possible hub of drug activity. Police report finding Long at the old dealership, along with personal belongings, plastic baggies with methamphetamine, a glass pipe and a marijuana bong.

Building owner Robert Latham Sr. told police that Long did not have permission to use the building, which has been closed for more than a year.

Filer woman pleads guilty to lotto fraud

Debra Lou Nelson pleaded guilty to felony lottery fraud Monday in Twin Falls County 5th District Court.

Nelson, 53, of Filer, was accused of taking Idaho State Lottery tickets without paying from a Twin Falls convenience store where she worked as a clerk. She was charged in late January, and sentencing is set for May 2.

According to the plea deal, the state recommends a suspended prison sentence of five years. Both the state and defense counsel will argue terms and length of probation at the sentencing.

Pharmacy

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keep just one spot open.

"We can't afford to keep it running at full capacity, especially since we're still debating what we're going to do with the building," said Commissioner George Urie. "It's not that we didn't want him there; it's just a matter of timing."

Although St. Luke's will move patients in May, Urie said it will take a while longer to get everything out of the old building. St. Luke's lease is good through July, after which the county will go in to sort out what's left, Urie said.

Fuchs said the drugs and supplies from the Medical Office Pharmacy will be moved to parent company Dick's Pharmacy, which is close to the old hospital on Shoup Avenue West. He plans to retain all employees and said he hopes not to lose many customers.

In addition to the hospital's move, Fuchs will have to compete with two businesses that opened during the past couple of years within a few blocks of St. Luke's new building: Walmart and Walgreens.

Walmart pharmacist Troy Zanelli said his pharmacy has already been busy during cold-and-flu season. He had no way to estimate how business might pick up after the new medical center opens, but said there were plans to hire more people.

DREW NASH/Times-News

Pharmacy technician Talisha Moreno counts pills Tuesday afternoon at the Medical Office Pharmacy in St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center.

5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

TWIN FALLS COUNTY TUESDAY ARRAIGNMENTS

Mary Corrine Erdmann, 47, Twin Falls; excessive driving under the influence (second offense), possession of a controlled substance, possession of paraphernalia, $1,500 bond, public defender appointed, pleaded not guilty, pretrial March 29.
Salvador Jiminez-Lomeli, 23, Jerome; failure to purchase/invalid driver's license, $100 bond, private counsel, pleaded not guilty, pretrial March 29.
Ronald Terry Bentley, 57, Buhl; driving under the influence, $500 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial March 29.
Joshua Glenn Summers, 28, Twin Falls; driving under the influence, $500 bond, public defender appointed, pleaded not guilty, pretrial March 29.

Hubcaps and the essentials of Idaho chic

DON'T ASK ME
Steve Crump

I was standing at the gas pump the other day when the guy in the next lane observed that I have two wheel covers on the left side of my Toyota and none on the right.

"Did you jump that sidewalk a little too fast?" he wondered.

The fellow went on to tell me that *true* Idahoans always wear hubcaps, but you and I know better.

The four essential elements of an Idaho pickup truck — missing tailgate, Bondo on at least part of the surface, mud flaps and two to four dogs in the back — don't lend themselves to a pimped-out ride. Slapping wheel covers on such a classically disreputable rig, in my opinion, is painting lipstick on a pig.

I know, I know: It wasn't always so. When I was growing up in Pocatello in the '60s, it was unthinkable not to have hubcaps. Hell's bells, my friends and I stole them in random acts of mischief — and we were all too young to drive.

Wheel covers from a '65 Mustang were highly prized, but the gold standard was the '54 Oldsmobile hubcap, which looked a little like a flying saucer from the planet Chromium.

Nowadays, in far too many cases, wheel covers are plastic, which is one of the most fitting metaphors I can think of for the decline of society.

And aside from the fuzzy dice hanging from your rear-view mirror, hubcaps are, for practical purposes, the most useless parts of your vehicle. They're like neckties and napkin rings.

My new friend at the gas pump advised me to remove the hubcaps from the left side of my car to give the rig sort of a scruffy, lug nut symmetry. I declined. The current two-on-the-left, none-on-the-right configuration allows me to park on the right side of the street when I want to impress someone and on the left side of the road when I don't.

Still, I did a little survey driving to Boise the other day and observed that at least half the vehicles I encountered were missing at least one wheel cover. In fact, one runaway hubcap passed me on the freeway doing about 90 mph.

It must have been one helluva a big rockchuck that driver encountered.

Steve Crump is the Times-News Opinion editor. Hear him Fridays at 8:30 a.m. on KLIX-1310 AM.

Schools

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Nonini stressed that the bill would end the burdensome practice of long-term agreements.

"For too long school boards have been shackled to agreements made 10, 20, even 30 years ago," he said, adding that it restores local control to school boards.

Luna lauded the bill's passage through the Legislature as a "great step forward."

"Not only will this bill save more than $9 million for our public schools, but it also implements major education reforms that we have talked about for years," Luna said in a written statement.

But Idaho's teachers union lamented the House decision and promptly planned rallies today across the state, including in Buhl, Cassia County, Kimberly and Twin Falls.

"Idahoans have spoken out for two months against these bills, but lawmakers refuse to listen," Idaho Education Association President Sherri Wood said in a written statement. "I know teachers. I've been in this profession for 34 years, and I know that the voices of teachers will not be silenced."

House Democrats were joined by nine Republican legislators in voting against the bill, including Rep. Leon Smith, Twin Falls, and Rep. Rich Wills, R-Glenns Ferry.

"As I went through the bill, it became more and more apparent to me that this is a very mean-spirited bill," Smith said on the House floor. "It goes beyond bashing the union. It bashes teachers and that, to me, is not a good direction to go. It turns teachers into powerless pawns."

Smith said he's not a "fan of the IEA," but wouldn't want this bill to pass and harm teachers' rights.

Rep. Donna Pence, D-Gooding, said the bill opens the door to allowing discrimination-based decisions to creep into school staff reductions. She also raised concerns about the bill's elimination of the one-year safety net that keeps a district's funding intact when its enrollment drops.

But supporters of the legislation said it's needed. Rep. Maxine Bell, R-Jerome and a retired school librarian, said she's known many good teachers.

"Good teachers do not need tenure," Bell said in an interview, adding that the change will provide a "level playing field" between volunteer school board members and teachers during negotiations.

Rep. Sharon Block, R-Twin Falls and a retired teacher, said the change is needed, adding the vote isn't one against teachers.

"We love teachers," she said. "I was a teacher."

A House vote is expected today on Luna's next bill that would provide teachers merit-based pay incentives. The third piece of his reform package, which would add classroom technology but cut 770 teaching jobs, remains stalled in the Senate Education Committee.

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ABOUT THE BILLS

- Senate Bills 1108 and 1110, two parts of Tom Luna's "Students Come First" plan, would add a merit-based pay system for teachers, eliminate teacher tenure, and revamp how teacher contracts and labor negotiations play out.

Where they stand: The House passed SB 1108 with a 48-22 vote Tuesday. It is expected to vote on SB 1110 today.
What's next: SB 1108 moves to the governor's desk, with SB 1110 to follow if passed by the House.

- Senate Bill 1113, the largest part of Luna's reform proposal, would add more classroom technology but eliminate 770 teaching positions.

Where it stands: The bill has stalled in the Senate, pending revision.
What's next: Legislators are preparing a new version, which would be introduced in the Senate State Affairs Committee.

Firearms

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Idaho's four-year universities, vocational schools and community colleges if passed. Current law allows university and college administrators to ban firearms from campus.

A committee vote is expected today.

Beck said on Monday he was getting copies of the bill out to school trustees so they can work with local legislators to fight it. CSI allows only law-enforcement officers to carry weapons on campus. Anyone else with a weapon may check it with campus security and retrieve it upon leaving the campus.

Twin Falls Mayor Don Hall, who is CSI's Law Enforcement Program instructor and a former police officer, said he supports the Second Amendment, but with limits.

"I spent 12 years as a police officer, spent hours in training regarding target acquisition, safe use and deadly force situations," he said. "If I'm ever called upon to use those (skills), I've had the training. Generally, the general public does not."

In addition, Hall said he didn't understand the logic behind allowing firearms in classrooms but not in dorm rooms.

"Are (students) supposed to leave it out in the car to be stolen?" he asked.

Utah is the only state that allows people to carry concealed firearms at all public colleges.

Rep. Stephen Hartgen, R-Twin Falls, supports Simpson's bill. He said it's important to remember that most college students are legal adults who are old enough to own firearms based on existing laws, stressing the constitutional rights associated with guns.

"Most of them are adults over the age of 18," he said, adding that young adults are capable of safely handling firearms.

Ben Botkin contributed to this report.

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SURVEY SAYS

A Magicvalley.com poll asked if college and university students and staff should be allowed to carry concealed firearms on campus. Here's the response from 363 total votes:

88 percent: Yes, it would make campuses safer.
12 percent: No, it would make campuses more dangerous.

CORRECTION

Court charge incorrect

Twin Falls County court news published Feb. 20 listed an incorrect charge for Matthew A. Dumas, 24, of Twin Falls. Dumas was sentenced for driving without privileges and lack of insurance.

The *Times-News* regrets the error.

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Medicaid hearing draws emotional testimony

By Ben Botkin
Times-News writer

BOISE — Lawmakers charged with making crucial decisions about the state's Medicaid system heard testimony from scores of people on Tuesday, the vast majority against a proposed overhaul.

Testimony came from a variety of people who flowed into the halls of the Capitol: health care facility chiefs, parents tending to disabled children, and adults with intellectual challenges worried about losing their services. The 240-seat Senate auditorium was packed as both House and Senate health and welfare committees gathered for the joint meeting.

The bill under consideration includes 23 immediate cost-saving items that would trim an estimated $39.1 million in state dollars, many involving program changes and reining in services.

The bill's goal is to tighten Medicaid programs to only what's needed, without entirely eliminating any programs. When factoring in lost federal matching dollars, it amounts to about a $120 million — or 8 percent — spending reduction for the coming fiscal year.

The bill also has long-term goals, such as replacing a current system that pays providers for services rendered with a "managed care program."

TeRonda Robinson, a representative of Community Partnerships of Idaho, which has a Twin Falls office, said the program changes will lead to cuts for clients and layoffs at the company.

"We will be forced to cut programs and eliminate many jobs," she said, adding that the loss of community services will force some to live in institutional settings.

She implored lawmakers to think of the bill's impact before voting.

"This bill does not make business sense at all," she said. "Please defeat this bill."

Many testifying were particularly concerned about a proposal that would require adults receiving services through the developmental disabilities waiver to be transferred to a program for the aged and disabled when they reach 45 years of age. Among them was Louise Pryor, owner of Advanced Services, which has clients in the Treasure Valley and Mountain Home.

"Many clients are going to lose services by this bill," he said, adding that he's warned employees about the possibility. "I will have no choice but to look at closing the doors."

Lawmakers also heard from Michael Wilson, owner of Inclusion Inc., which provides home and community-based services in locations throughout Idaho, including Twin Falls.

He said the change in the waiver program could lead to increased costs for the state as individuals move to a more restrictive and advanced level of care.

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AT A GLANCE

Legislation to reform the state's Medicaid system, saving the state an estimated $39.1 million in the process, was introduced in Boise last week.

Where it started: House Bill 221 was introduced in the House Health and Welfare Committee on March 2.

Where it stands: Lawmakers on House and Senate health and welfare committees heard public testimony on the bill on Tuesday.

What's next: The bill still must pass a Thursday committee vote to move to the House floor.

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Gooding to discuss airport issues

By Emily Katseanes
Times-News correspondent

The Gooding City Council will hold a special meeting tonight dedicated to refining airport leases.

At a Feb. 24 meeting, George Parker asked the council to consider changing how it leases hangar space. Some buildings, like Parker's, have one name on the lease despite several different people renting hangar space. If one of the other people in his building skipped out on payment, he said, he could be responsible for more than his portion of an almost $2,000 bill.

"These hangars are being built without a lot of long thought into long-term management," he said.

Parker seeks a change to where each of the nine other people in his building have their own lease.

It's easier for the city to issue one lease per building instead, but Mayor Duke Morton said today's meeting will hopefully produce new ideas from citizens that the council can consider.

The council also plans to review the lease of High Range Aviation. The company constructed a building for repairing aircraft on the site of a 1940s-era hangar that was demolished this summer during airport construction. The lease agreement with the city is being revised to better reflect that the agreement is for the new building and the accompanying electricity and gas hookups, said City Clerk Carmen Korsen.

And, the council plans to look at how landfill fees will be divvied out to airport users. Morton said he hopes anyone who keeps an airplane at the Gooding airport will attend the 6 p.m. meeting at the Gooding Municipal Building.

"This is all about how they pay for the space their airplanes are in," he said.

In other news, the council is applying for an Idaho Community Development Block Grant with the hopes of improving the Gooding Industrial Park. If received, the money will go toward enlarging water lines, putting up street lights and extending a road. Morton said that past grants have helped Gooding become a business-friendly city.

"We're able to do those things, so the companies can come in," he said. "It's been extremely important to a city like Gooding."

TAKE PART

What: Gooding City Council special meeting on various airport issues.
When: 6 p.m. Wednesday
Where: Gooding Municipal Building

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T.F. rec center committee formed

By Nick Coltrain
Times-News writer

Seventeen community representatives and four staffers for the city of Twin Falls will decide the feasibility of bringing a recreation center or district to the city.

The new committee — composed of three city councilmen, three city parks and recreation commissioners, four at-large citizens and seven members of local organizations such the Salvation Army — will meet Tuesday at the City Council Chambers to begin work Councilman Trip Craig expects to last at least through the calendar year.

The committee will look at all options for a potential recreation center, from its location to if it should include a weight room and to long-term operational costs. Craig stressed nothing is set yet and no recreation center or district is even guaranteed to come out of the process. A recreation district would be a separate taxing entity that could use the money to support a recreation center.

"Is (a rec center or rec district) feasible or not? I have no idea," Craig said at a city Parks and Recreation Commission meeting Tuesday. "This is just to research the possibility of a rec center or rec district."

Parks and Recreation Commissioner Ryan Horsley said the committee, which he will sit on, will be a great way to inform those who will make a "huge decision."

"There's too many 'what ifs' at this point, but at least we're finally taking the step to kind of address it and answer that," he said.

THE GROUP

What: A 17-member committee will have its first meeting on the feasibility of building a Twin Falls recreation center or establishing a recreation district.
Where: Twin Falls City Council Chambers, 305 Third Ave. E.
When: 11:30 a.m. Tuesday

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Man sentenced for Gooding Co. charge

By Bradley Guire
Times-News writer

GOODING — A man awaiting arraignment in federal court for drug charges first had to face sentencing in Gooding County.

Juan F. Montejano Barraza, 40, received a prison term of six years with the possibility of parole in less than two for felony possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver. Fifth District Judge John Butler pronounced sentence Tuesday, also ordering Barraza to pay a $2,500 fine and $401.05 in restitution. He credited Barraza for 182 days spent in Gooding County's custody.

Barraza

"I don't believe probation or a (retained-jurisdiction program) is appropriate," said Butler, who noted Barraza's federal indictments and a U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement hold.

Defense counsel Harry DeHaan argued that Barraza, found to possess 4 ounces of methamphetamine in September, merely delivered the drug for his contacts as a means to afford it for his own use. Butler said he believed Barraza was minimizing his involvement in drug trade.

Barraza was initially charged with felony trafficking, which carries a mandatory minimum prison term of three years, among other misdemeanor crimes. Possession with intent to deliver has no mandatory minimum. He pleaded guilty to that charge in January.

Meanwhile, Barraza is one of 10 individuals facing federal drug charges handed down by a grand jury in early February. Specifically, he was indicted for five counts of distributing methamphetamine, one count of conspiracy to distribute methamphetamine, one count of distributing marijuana and one count of unlawful possession of a firearm. The indictments claim his alleged crimes were committed during June, July and August 2010.

So far, the U.S. District Court in Boise has not set an arraignment date for Barraza.

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OPINION

QUOTE

"I strongly believe that the American system of justice is a key part of our arsenal in the war against al-Qaida and its affiliates, and we will continue to draw on all aspects of our justice system ... to ensure that our security and our values are strengthened."

– President Barack Obama in a statement after ordering a resumption of military trials for terror suspects at Guantanamo Bay

EDITORIAL

Teen pregnancy out of control in S.C. Idaho

Sometime this week or next, the state House of Representatives will vote on a bill that would cut $39 million in adult Medicaid services — health care that goes to the oldest, poorest and sickest Idahoans.

But in the same fiscal year, Idaho taxpayers will spend about $39 million on unplanned pregnancies in related health care, child safety and public safety costs.

What's wrong with this picture?

The eight counties of the Magic and Wood River valleys lead the state in teen pregnancies, and the numbers are off the charts.

In 2009, more than three of every 100 girls age 15-17 within the South Central Public Health District became pregnant.

And Jerome County is the epicenter for unplanned pregnancy. It had Idaho's highest pregnancy rate - nearly six per 100 girls 15-17.

"I have never seen numbers like this before, and I've been working in this program on and off for the past 13 years," SCPHD Health Education Specialist Adria Masoner told the *Times-News*.

It's beyond question that teen pregnancy is a four-alarm public health emergency in south-central Idaho. But it's also a moral crisis, both in terms of lives ruined and the resources it drains from public institutions at a time when their budgets are being cut.

Statistics show that the surest way to spend your lifetime in poverty is to have a baby at 15, 16 or 17, and it's a cost that not only adolescent parents pay. The children of unplanned teen pregnancies, as a group, do worse in school, are more likely to drop out of high school and become enmeshed in the criminal justice system. And their lifetime earnings are a fraction of what kids — from both two-parent and single-parent families — born when their parents were over 21 can expect to make.

For starters, teenage parents with an unplanned pregnancy are far less likely to stay together for long. That means the custodial parent — with little education and few job skills — is probably looking at 20 years of near-minimum wage jobs, with child care eating up a big percentage of his or her paycheck.

There's a large infrastructure in the schools and public health organizations offering services to adolescent parents — and education to those who haven't become one. But ultimately, south-central Idaho's teen pregnancy crisis is going to have to be solved by families.

"Parents don't do an adequate job," Burley Junior High School sex education teacher Janet Bingham said. "They think their kids are too young to know about sexual things."

For a number of Magic Valley teens, a heavy emphasis on family and traditional religious beliefs against contraception and abortion may play into both why they get pregnant and why they don't.

Meanwhile, the media in the form of television programs like MTV's Teen Mom and 16 and Pregnant glorify teen pregnancy.

"In most families it's a big concern, but parents just don't have the tools or the comfort level to talk to their kids about this," Masoner said. "It's not part of the everyday conversation in their homes."

That must change, and soon.

TEEN PREGNANCY IN IDAHO

Pregnancy rates for girls 15-17, 2009: Region Rate per 1,000

Statewide	21.2
South-central	**33.9**
Panhandle	18.3
North-central	17.7
Western Idaho	28.9
Ada County	13.8
Pocatello area	19.7
Idaho Falls area	19.0

Top 10 Idaho counties

Pregnancy rates for girls 15-17, 2009: County Rate per 1,000

1. Jerome	**58.1**
2. Gooding	**57.8**
3. Camas	47.6
4. Cassia	**41.0**
5. Bingham	34.2
6. Teton	32.3
7. Canyon	31.8
8. Adams	30.8
9. Clark	30.3
10. Payette	28.0

— Source: Idaho Department of Health and Welfare

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The human cost of bitter partisanship

When you get to know someone, including their failures, insecurities, family dynamics and fears, you come to appreciate them on a level far above the political chatter. Politics come and go; friends are forever.

Cal Thomas

One of the pleasures of an earthly transition is that you can write nice things about a person while they are still around to read them.

And so, I rise to praise my friend and favorite newspaper writer, Frank Rich Jr. as he leaves *The New York Times* for *New York* magazine.

What, you say? You are a conservative and he is among the most politically liberal people in journalism. Or, as someone asked me one night when they heard I was going to dinner with former Sen. George McGovern, "How can you eat with a man like that?" "Easy," I replied. "He's my friend." And so was Ted Kennedy, I am happy to say. After all, Jesus was "a friend to sinners" and if they were good enough for him, they are certainly good enough for me.

The point, though, is irrelevant, but it is indicative of our political discourse today. It is not a cliche to say, "Some of my best friends are liberal Democrats." I write a biweekly *USA Today* column with Bob Beckel whose liberal credentials are beyond reproach.

Why has our political discourse caused us to hate one another if we are of different parties or persuasions? Why must a member of another party or persuasion always be seen as being on "the other side"? The Taliban are on the other side. My fellow American is my fellow American, regardless of politics. There are many reasons for such divisions, none of them valid.

I first "met" Frank when he called me about a column he was working on. I was completely taken aback. After providing him with the information he requested, I do what I often do when meeting someone for the first time. I asked him where he was from.

"From Washington," he said. So am I.

It turned out we both played clarinet as kids and both owned a KLH stereo, the stereo of choice for teenagers at the time. And we both loved the theater. He was an usher at Washington's National Theatre. I was a frequent patron. We never met, though he might have handed me a program as I walked to my seat.

We would subsequently meet, attend Broadway shows and have meals together, learning about each other and what brought us to our points of view. Our wives often joined us. Frank's wife is Alex Witchel who resembles in my mind the beautiful Chloe Sevigny of HBO's *Big Love*. Witchel writes for *The New York Times Magazine* and shares Frank's gift. As far as I know, Frank didn't "convert" to conservatism, or I to liberalism.

If you read his autobiography, *Ghost Light*, you will understand more of Frank Rich, the man. And that is another point, made recently by President Obama in his Super Bowl Sunday interview with Bill O'Reilly. Asked, "Why do so many people hate you?" the president responded, "They don't know me."

Whether one thinks he might still hate the president if he got to know him is not the point. So many people see other people as labels and define them as such. Republican-Democrat-liberal-conservative-independent-religious-secular. None of these tell you anything about a person.

What are we missing as Americans by dismissing people we may disagree with politically as unworthy of our friendship, or even citizenship in a country that has always been diverse in its opinions? In 1776, a considerable number of our ancestors wanted to remain British and denounced those who didn't as traitors.

Frank Rich's 14 years as chief drama critic for *The New York Times* and his 17 years as an op-ed opinion columnist may be unsurpassed for writing of this kind.

When you get to know someone, including their failures, insecurities, family dynamics and fears, you come to appreciate them on a level far above the political chatter. Politics come and go; friends are forever.

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Tax incentives and subsidies mask federal benefits

Gregory Rodriguez

Ask not what your country can do for you. Ask what your country has done for you lately.

With apologies to John F. Kennedy, that's what concerned citizens should be doing to get their heads around the debate in Washington about the appropriate size and role of government.

Despite how riveted we are by Washington blood sports, average citizens don't always understand what "government" means. That's not because they're dumb; it's because the nature of government — especially the programs it pays for that affect most Americans — has changed drastically.

Once upon a time, average Americans got most of their payback from government directly, in the form of Social Security, public assistance or the GI Bill. Since the 1970s, however, a growing share of federal social largess has been hidden in what Cornell University political scientist Suzanne Mettler provocatively labels "the submerged state" — a conglomeration of tax incentives and subsidies.

Three programs make up most of this "hidden welfare state," as another scholar calls it. The first is employer-based health insurance, which is subsidized by the ability of businesses to deduct some of the costs from their taxes. The second is the home mortgage interest deduction for individuals, and the third is the creation of tax-free retirement accounts, into which employers and employees can contribute. Yale political scientist Jacob Hacker calculates that such "tax-advantaged" programs make up almost a third of America's social welfare spending.

Yet a lot of citizens simply don't recognize these as government benefits. We don't get U.S. Treasury checks for mortgage interest deductions (the deduction just lowers our tax bill). Nor do we directly see the hand of the government in our health care; we deal with a private insurer, private doctors and our employers' benefits representatives, not a national health service. And our 401(k) plans just seem like savings accounts, not a government benefit. The way we've set it all up has, in Mettler's words, "shrouded the state's role, making it largely invisible to ordinary citizens."

In fact, according to a 2008 survey by the Cornell Survey Research Institute, 60 percent of respondents who received a home loan interest deduction told surveyors that they had never used a federal social program, not realizing that the tax break was the result of the government intentionally forgoing revenue to further the social goal of homeownership.

Likewise, respondents who benefited from tax-advantaged education savings accounts, such as 529 plans, were even more likely (64.3 percent) to say that they had not used a government program.

Not surprisingly, this lack of recognition that government is helping us pay for college or a new home affects people's view of how useful Washington is. In the 2008 survey, respondents who had benefited from direct, visible programs — such as those who received unemployment benefits — were significantly more likely than those who benefited from the "submerged state" to report that they paid their fair share of taxes.

The submerged-state problem plagued President Obama's 2009 stimulus. Mettler points out that 1 out of 3 stimulus dollars was "tucked into tax breaks (for individuals) rather than in more obvious forms of social welfare such as relief payments or (direct) job creation." It should be no surprise, then, that a CBS poll found that twice as many Americans thought Obama had raised their taxes as thought he had reduced them, or that, according to a CNN/Opinion Research Corp. poll, more than 50 percent of Americans thought the stimulus helped Wall Street and only a quarter thought it helped the middle class.

The costs of the hidden social programs are not just political. Last year's National Commission on Fiscal Responsibility and Reform found that providing for government programs through tax breaks prevents us from fully acknowledging exactly how the government is spending its money. It called for closing off many tax breaks to provide "accountability and transparency to the federal budget process."

Of course, tax codes tend to make peoples' eyes glaze over. We do battle over abortion rights or illegal immigration, rather than get a grip on the submerged state. Yet it affects more Americans' lives than those issues combined, and we barely have a clue.

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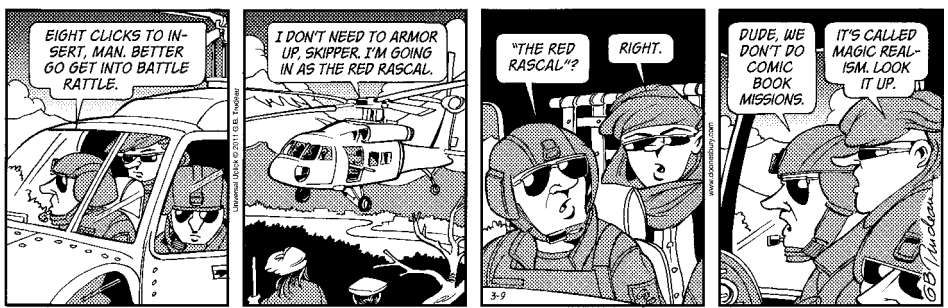
THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS

Doonesbury By Garry Trudeau



Mallard Fillmore By Bruce Tinsley

Arizona's quest to change college education

Dick Polman

How I wish I could dwell in Arizona, where freedom is locked and loaded. I say this because Arizona lawmakers are seriously floating a bill that would allow college professors and students to bring guns to class.

The measure seems good to go. The gun lobby wants it, Republican legislative leaders want it, and Arizona is Arizona. If this passes, I will be so envious. When I'm not columnizing, I happen to be a college professor — but it appears I will forever teach unarmed, denied the right of rugged individualism.

A guy can dream, though. Creating a classroom atmosphere that blended civil discourse with hair-trigger vigilance would be exciting. Some Arizona skeptics insist guns have no place in academia, but I say there is no good reason why I shouldn't be able to talk and discuss and consult my notes while also aiming a Glock at the door just in case the next person crossing the threshold might be packing heat with malice aforethought.

A gun would also allow me to better connect with the kids. It's a drag being seen as an old fogey. Last week — true story — I crossed paths with a favorite student who was bopping along to music emanating from his ear buds. I asked what he was listening to. He shrugged dismissively: "Some techno group. You never heard of 'em."

Well, with guns in class, you can bet things would be different. I could say to this same kid, "Hey, check this out, you like my Glock?" And he would say, "Whoa. Dude. Sweet. But I think my Beretta has you beat." And I would say, "The Beretta is nice, sure. But mine has short recoil and structural plastic." And he would beam in admiration and say, "Prof, you are the man!" And of course we would immediately bond, if I wasn't busy casing that classroom door.

Granted, there is always the chance that some innocent might turn the knob and gain unauthorized entry. Consider, for instance, your typical lost student who stumbles in and announces, while checking her e-mail, "OK, so, like, is this the Romance languages course?"

No problem. We in the class would quickly ascertain the nature of the threat, put this interloper in our gun sights, and unleash a cacophonous yell: "Drop the latte! Do we look 'romantic' to you?"

I believe this is what Russell Pearce, the Arizona Senate leader, was talking about the other day when he declared that professors and students should be "prepared to take action." But he may not even realize that a gun would also enable a professor to patrol his room for the purposes of law and order.

Say, for instance, a professor discovers that one of the students with an open laptop is busy shopping for boots on Gwyneth Paltrow's website, while texting across the room on her iPhone to a grieving guy who just found out that his girlfriend broke up with him, like, two minutes earlier on Facebook. A professorial gun at such a moment might prove to be a valuable enforcement tool ("you two have five seconds to log off!"), although there is always the chance that a student might video the incident and put it on YouTube.

Of course, all this deadly hardware might theoretically pose a problem. If gunplay erupted at my unsecured classroom door, and everyone started shooting, and the campus cops came running, how would the authorities sort the good guys from the bad? The police chief at the University of Arizona asked that question the other day.

I have a solution: On the first day of class, I would distribute, in addition to the syllabus, white baseball caps, and I would require that they be worn at all times. That way, in the wake of a crisis, the responding cops could quickly spot the good guys and refrain from shooting them — assuming that the bad guys show up with a darker cap color.

I do worry that some high-spirited student out in the hall might pop a balloon or a paper bag, and thus invite a hail of bullets through the wall. But I assume the Arizona gun lobby has anticipated such a scenario, and that the educators will explain, to the complaining parent, that, in the real America, this is the price one must pay for a more muscular exercise of academic freedom.

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Fix agriculture subsidies, don't finish them off

Mark Bittman

Agricultural subsidies have helped bring us high-fructose corn syrup, factory farming, fast food, a two-soda-a-day habit and its accompanying obesity, the near-demise of family farms, monoculture and a host of other ills.

Yet — like so many government programs — what subsidies need is not the ax, but reform that moves them forward. Imagine support designed to encourage a resurgence of small- and medium-size farms producing not corn syrup and animal-feed but food we can touch, see, buy and eat — like apples and carrots — while diminishing handouts to agribusiness and its political cronies.

Farm subsidies were created in an attempt to ameliorate the effects of the Great Depression, which makes it ironic that in an era when more Americans are suffering financially than at any time since, these subsidies are mostly going to those who need them least.

That wasn't the plan, of course. In the 1930s, prices were fixed on a variety of commodities, and some farmers were paid to reduce their crop yields. The program was supported by a tax on processors of food — now there's a precedent! — and was intended to be temporary. It worked, sort of: prices rose and more farmers survived. But land became concentrated in the hands of fewer farmers, and agribusiness was born, and along with it the sad joke that the government paid farmers for not growing crops.

The farm bill, up for renewal in 2012, includes an agricultural subsidy portion worth up to $30 billion, $5 billion of which is what you might call handouts, direct payments to farmers.

The subsidy-suckers don't grow the fresh fruits and vegetables that should be dominating our diet. Indeed, if all Americans decided to actually eat the five servings a day of fruits and vegetables that are recommended, they would discover that American agriculture isn't set up to meet that need. They grow what they're paid to grow: corn, soy, wheat, cotton and rice.

The first two of these are the pillars for the typical American diet. Over the years, prices of fresh produce have risen, while those of meat, poultry, sweets, fats and oils, and especially soda, have fallen.

Eliminating the $5 billion in direct agricultural payments would level the playing field for farmers who grow non-subsidized crops, but just a bit — perhaps not even noticeably.

But let's not kid ourselves. Although the rage for across-the-board spending cuts doesn't extend to the public — according to a recent Pew poll, most people want no cuts or even increased spending in major areas — once the $5 billion is gone, it's not coming back.

That the current system is a joke is barely arguable: wealthy growers are paid even in good years, and may receive drought aid when there's no drought. It's become so bizarre that some homeowners lucky enough to have bought land that once grew rice now have subsidized lawns. Fortunes have been paid to Fortune 500 companies and even gentlemen farmers like David Rockefeller.

Thus even House Speaker Boehner calls the bill a "slush fund"; the powerful Iowa Farm Bureau suggests that direct payments end; and Glenn Beck is on the bandwagon. Not surprisingly, many Tea Partiers happily accept subsidies.

Left and right can perhaps agree that these are payments we don't need to make. But suppose we use this money to steer our agriculture — and our health — in the right direction. A Gallup poll indicates that most Americans oppose cutting aid to farmers; we still think of farmers as stewards of the land, and the closer that sentiment is to reality the better off we'll be.

By making the program more sensible the money could benefit us all. For example, it could:

- Fund research and innovation in sustainable agriculture, so that in the long run we can get the system on track.
- Provide necessary incentives to attract the 100,000 new farmers Secretary of Agriculture Vilsack claims we need.
- Save more farmland from development.
- Provide support for farmers who grow currently unsubsidized fruits, vegetables and beans, while providing incentives for monoculture commodity farmers to convert some of their operations to these more desirable foods.
- Level the playing field so that medium-sized farms — big enough to supply local supermarkets but small enough to care what and how they grow — can become more competitive with agribusiness.

The point is that this money, which is already in the budget, could encourage the development of the kind of agriculture we need, one that prioritizes caring for the land, the people who work it and the people who need the real food that's grown on it.

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	2040	Water Storage - Plastic 5 Gallon Containers	1	unit	$4.87	$4.87
	2030	Rolled Oats - Regular or Quick	1	25 LB	$13.97	$13.97
	2033	WF Buttermilk Pancake Mix	1	7 LB	$5.99	$5.99
	scan	WF Maple Flavored Pancake Syrup	1	1 GAL	$5.99	$5.99
	2086	WF Cooking Oil - Vegetable, Canola, or Corn	1	1 GAL	$6.99	$6.99
	2088	WF White Rice - Long Grain	1	20 LB	$10.97	$10.97
	2044	WF Pinto Beans - Buy Idaho	1	20 LB	$10.97	$10.97
		Produce, Meat, & Bakery				
	scan	Swensen's Famous French Bread	1	Loaf	$0.97	$0.97
	scan	Whole Roasted Chickens	1	1 EA	$4.97	$4.97
	scan	Potatoes - 10 lb bag - Buy Idaho	1	10 LB	$1.25	$1.25
	scan	Idaho Onions - 25 lb Bag	1	25 LB	$4.99	$4.99
	10194	Large Navel Oranges	1	38 LB	$13.99	$13.99
	scan	Idaho Trout Fillets - Buy Idaho	1	5 LB	$14.95	$14.95
	scan	Fresh Boneless, Skinless Chicken Breasts	1	1 LB	$1.49	$1.49
	scan	Falls Brand Link Sausage - Local Company	1	10 LB Box	$23.90	$23.90
		Coolers / Freezers				
	10395	WF Orange Juice	14	12 Z	$33.36	$1.39
	10190	WF Frozen Veggies	12	16 Z	$9.48	$0.79
	10192	WF Assorted Yogurt	12	6 Z	$5.64	$0.47

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Dow Jones Industrial ▲ 124.35 | Nasdaq composite ▲ 20.14 | S&P 500 ▲ 11.69 | Russell 2000 ▲ 12.41

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2011

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EMILY KATSEANES/ For the Times-News

CSI students Kenney Alverson, Ode Rovig, Anna Levdanskiy and Kendle Stallings discuss which parts of the Federal budget to trim as part of a one-day workshop mimicking the policy decisions behind reducing the national deficit.

An exercise to 'STABILIZE THE DEBT'

By Emily Katseanes
Times-News correspondent

On Saturday, people deciding the nation's budget showed up in sweatshirts and jeans. One even rode in on a skateboard. But instead of gathering in Washington D.C. these decision makers convened at the College of Southern Idaho.

About 25 students, mostly business and economics majors at CSI, took part of Dennis Heiner and LeeAnn Hagan's one-day workshop "Stabilize the Debt."

They were tasked with the challenge facing lawmakers to reduce the federal government's budget deficit from its current projection of 89 percent of the gross domestic product by 2020 to 60 percent of the GDP by 2018.

CSI student Gary Zeyer said he came to the class to see his economic studies in action.

"I'm in economics and this is a good way to understand how to help the economy," he said. "Everyone always says don't overspend, but how do you use your money wisely? You can't always cut on everything."

For Hagan, who teaches political science, and Heiner, business teacher, the workshop also helps the public conceptualize how difficult congress' job is and sparks conversation about the national debt amongst regular citizens.

"We can wait until the crisis comes, like they did in Greece or Italy, or we can try and have a discussion about it," Heiner said.

The class was divided into six groups, who then went through the 22-page booklet called "An Exercise in Hard Choices," by the Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget. The groups chose from different options and scenarios to decide where to cut, increase or maintain current funding.

Heiner and Hagan have been teaching the class since the '90s and it often draws both to students and community members alike.

Hagan said over the years, the task facing would-be budgeters has shifted with the economy. For a few years when Bill Clinton was president, there was a surplus budget and the class didn't take place at all. Previously, the class has been tasked with balancing the budget, but this year, with a rising deficit, the goal is just to reduce the debt.

See **DEBT**, Business 2

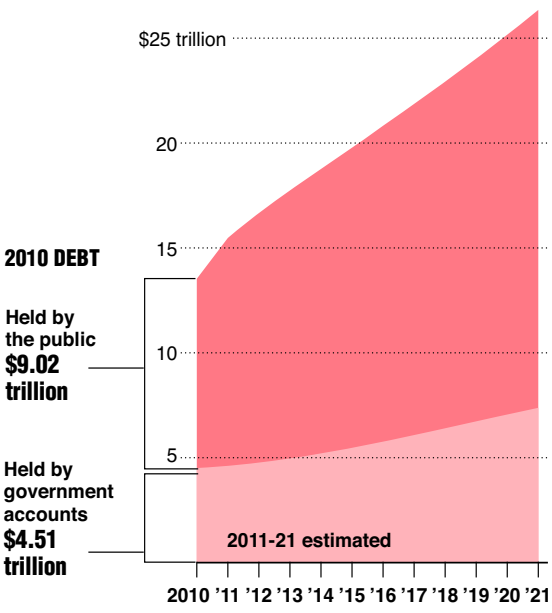
Think you can do better?

To go through a similar budget-trimming exercise as the students at CSI, go to crfb.org/stabilizethedebt.

Mounting debt, mounting cost

With the federal deficit topping $1 trillion in fiscal 2010 and forecast at a record $1.65 trillion in the current fiscal year, the cost of servicing the mounting debt continues to swell: Government interest payments were about $200 billion for fiscal 2010; even though annual deficits are projected to decline in the coming years, that figure is projected to soar to more than $840 billion by fiscal 2021 — even more than the estimated cost of Medicare that year

National debt
Amount at end of each fiscal year



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BUSINESS BRIEFS

Idaho's pro photographers coming to Twin Falls

Professional Photographers of Idaho will hold their annual convention in Twin Falls Saturday through March 16.

Fort

Photographers from all over Idaho will meet at The Red Lion for print competition, programs and awards banquet.

Professional photographers from Utah and Oregon will present a variety of programs planned for the event.

Jim Fort of Twin Falls is serving as convention chairman and is also president-elect for the Professional Photographers of Idaho for the coming year.

For more information, call Fort at Addison Photography: 733-4522.

Companies could get break on workers' comp taxes

BOISE — Idaho companies could receive a $3.2 million break on taxes they pay on their workers' compensation premiums over the next two years.

The State Industrial Commission has about $17 million in the fund it uses to administer the state's workers' compensation laws.

But an audit determined that the agency didn't need to keep so much cash on hand.

So Rep. Dennis Lake of Blackfoot aims to reduce the taxes that companies pay on their workers' compensation premiums in fiscal years 2012 and 2013.

Lake says he'd rather return the money to employers than use it to prop up Idaho's general fund, which is beset by shortfalls.

Lawmakers on the Legislature's Joint Finance Appropriations Committee is still eying the Industrial Commission money to help fill holes in Idaho's 2012 spending plan

Micron wants to keep its property secret

BOISE — Micron Technology Inc. is asking lawmakers to shield tax records from the public that could provide insight into its research activities.

The Boise-based semiconductor maker's lobbyist, Mike Reynoldson, told the House Revenue and Taxation Committee on Tuesday that it discloses detailed information about its machinery to tax authorities every year.

But it fears other companies could gain access to that data to glean proprietary information about the company — and its cutting-edge technology activities.

Reynoldson's proposal, now due a full committee hearing, would exclude those details from public records requests.

Rep. Dell Raybould of Rexburg agreed Idaho needs to close this loophole to protect one of the state's biggest employers from the prying eyes of competitors seeking advantage in the cutthroat race to produce faster, more powerful computer chips.

U.S. Department of Labor offers training grant for Micron's laid off employees

WASHINGTON — The U.S. Department of Labor has announced a $1,288,296 National Emergency Grant for continued provision for re-employment and retraining services to about 1,000 workers affected by layoffs at Micron Technology Inc. located in Boise.

"Layoffs are traumatic events, but the Department of Labor is committed to helping workers get back to work and back on their feet," said Secretary of Labor Hilda L. Solis. "I am pleased that this supplemental funding will help those already benefitting from employment and training services to continue preparing for good jobs in growing industries."

On Dec. 31, 2009, the department approved a grant for up to $2,398,800, with $1,110,504 immediately released and awarded to the Idaho Department of Labor, which will continue services for this group of workers.

For more information, visit http://www.doleta.gov/NEG.

— Staff and wire reports

Construction partners turn to making pizza

By Sven Berg
Post Register

IDAHO FALLS — One day, the three partners were hanging sheetrock. The next, they were slinging pizzas all around eastern Idaho.

Unrealistic as it seems, that time frame isn't an exaggeration. Even after Tim Wright and twin brothers Brian and Geoff Padigimus opened Lucy's New York Style Pizzeria in Roberts, they continued to do drywall jobs on the side.

But the bottom line was that drywall just wasn't paying the bills. That's why Wright and the Padigimus brothers opened Lucy's in the first place.

"We just thought that Roberts needed some kind of takeout delivery service in that

See **PARTNERS**, Business 2

Protecting Honest Tea's brand under Coke's big bureaucracy

Steven Pearlstein

Gary Hirshberg likes to joke that he can "count on one finger" the number of entrepreneurial companies that manage to thrive after they have been sold to big corporations.

It's no joke. The continued success of his yogurt company, Stoneyfield Farm, eight years after its sale to Groupe Danone is the rare exception to the rule that big corporations invariably screw up their entrepreneurial acquisitions, first by overpaying for the hot young companies, then by driving away their key employees and finally by sucking all the innovation and promise out of them by imposing their bureaucratic ways of doing business.

Seth Goldman, however, is confident he can buck the odds. The youthful founder and guiding hand behind Bethesda, Md.-based Honest Tea completed the sale of his organic drink company to Coca Cola last week after a three-year experiment in which the soda giant took on the role as distribution partner and minority investor.

Any reservations that Goldman might have had about consummating the relationship were more than offset by the considerable power of Coke's production and distribution system, lowering costs for ingredients and bottles and helping to increase the number of outlets carrying its products from 15,000 to 75,000.

As a result, Honest Tea's annual sales have tripled to $72 million, gross profit margins have more than doubled, and Goldman has become more convinced than ever that the best way to drive unhealthy drinks from the American diet is from inside Coke's formidable vending machine.

In fact, Goldman is so convinced that he insisted on plowing most of his proceeds from the sale back into a minority stake, an unusual

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STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Con Agra	23.28	▲	.23	Dell	15.53	▲	.14	Idacorp	37.92	▲	.59	Int. Bancorp	1.65	— —
Lithia Mo.	14.89	▲	.27	McDonald's	75.54	▼	.75	Micron	10.89	▼	.14	Supervalu	7.76	▼ .05

COMMODITIES

For more see Business 2

Live cattle	114.80	▲	1.20	April Oil	104.83	▼	.61
April Gold	1,429.30	▼	5.20	March Silver	36.09	▲	.23

Today in business

Commerce Department releases wholesale trade inventories for January.

Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee hearing on the housing market.

H&R Block Inc. releases quarterly financial results.

Market Summary

NYSE

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg
Citigrp	4539858	4.64	+.12
BkofAm	2369037	14.69	+.66
SprintNex	1482093	4.70	+.22
S&P500ETF	1368037	132.58	+1.15
FordM	1054397	14.47	+.46

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
KV PhmA	13.07	+3.06	+30.6
KV PhB lf	13.08	+3.03	+30.1
ChinaSecur	5.24	+1.14	+27.8
StageStrs	18.37	+2.32	+14.5
MoneyGrm	3.05	+.37	+13.8

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
BarcShtD	15.98	–1.67	–9.4
ChiCBlood	3.60	–.35	–8.9
iP SER2K	29.72	–2.29	–7.2
WstnRefin	14.59	–1.11	–7.1
StoneEngy	27.69	–1.99	–6.7

Diary

Advanced	2,308
Declined	743
Unchanged	93
Total issues	3,144
New Highs	148
New Lows	11
Volume	4,312,045,210

Amex

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg
ChenereEn	169283	6.25	–3.48
KodiakO g	104476	6.28	–.59
SamsO&G	63343	4.28	–.25
GoldStr g	59225	2.93	+.09
LucasEngy	57804	4.22	–.73

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
Innovaro	2.00	+.20	+11.1
CagleA	7.20	+.61	+9.3
Aerosonic	3.47	+.27	+8.4
Vringo n	2.10	+.13	+6.6
StreamGSv	3.15	+.15	+5.0

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
ChenereEn	6.25	–3.48	–35.8
ChenereE	15.31	–4.54	–22.9
LucasEngy	4.22	–.73	–14.7
Bacterin n	4.10	–.60	–12.8
MexcoEn	13.85	–1.90	–12.1

Diary

Advanced	266
Declined	211
Unchanged	31
Total issues	508
New Highs	6
New Lows	3
Volume	196,163,433

Nasdaq

Most Active ($1 or more)

Name	Vol(00)	Last	Chg
SiriusXM	665146	1.76	+.02
PwShs QQQ	564422	57.42	+.23
Intel	534994	21.13	–.08
Cisco	533635	18.22	+.02
Microsoft	491402	25.91	+.19

Gainers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
BroadSft n	47.50	+12.60	+36.1
Intphse	6.68	+1.45	+27.6
Advocat	6.86	+1.31	+23.6
OptiBk rsh	2.90	+.49	+20.3
Viasyst	28.34	+4.34	+18.1

Losers ($2 or more)

Name	Last	Chg	%Chg
GblEduc n	5.78	–1.96	–25.3
Sigmatr	6.41	–2.17	–25.2
UrbanOut	31.66	–6.33	–16.7
Irid wt13	2.81	–.49	–14.8
ChinaInfo	4.24	–.73	–14.7

Diary

Advanced	1,904
Declined	742
Unchanged	112
Total issues	2,758
New Highs	95
New Lows	34
Volume	1,805,459,294

Indexes

12,391.29	9,614.32	Dow Jones Industrials	12,214.38	+124.35	+1.03	+5.50	+15.62
5,306.65	3,872.64	Dow Jones Transportation	5,147.18	+128.95	+2.57	+.79	+20.57
417.22	346.95	Dow Jones Utilities	417.11	+3.89	+.94	+2.99	+10.81
8,520.27	6,355.83	NYSE Composite	8,394.04	+57.02	+.68	+5.40	+15.08
2,438.62	1,689.19	Amex Index	2,395.27	–6.80	–.28	+8.46	+25.89
2,840.51	2,061.14	Nasdaq Composite	2,765.77	+20.14	+.73	+4.26	+18.16
1,344.07	1,010.91	S&P 500	1,321.82	+11.69	+.89	+5.10	+15.90
14,276.94	10,596.20	Wilshire 5000	14,014.86	+128.79	+.93	+4.90	+17.41
838.00	587.66	Russell 2000	824.66	+12.41	+1.53	+5.23	+23.15

Stocks of Local Interest

AlliantEgy	1.70f	15	40.39	+.69	+9.8	Kaman	.56	19	32.45	+1.26	+11.6
AlliantTch	.80	8	69.90	+1.32	–6.1	Keycorp	.04	20	9.31	+.04	+5.2
AmCasino	.42	...	17.26	–.12	+10.4	LeeEnt	...	4	3.00	+.03	+22.0
Aon Corp	.60	21	51.64	+.47	+12.2	MicronT	...	6	10.89	–.14	+35.8
BallardPw	...	...	2.18	+.10	+45.3	OfficeMax	...	17	13.33	+.15	–24.7
BkofAm	.04	22	14.69	+.66	+10.1	RockTen	.80	12	68.83	–.55	+27.6
ConAgra	.92	16	23.28	+.23	+3.1	Sensient	.84f	15	33.17	+.50	–9.7
Costco	.82	23	73.62	+1.43	+2.0	SkyWest	.16	10	17.03	+.63	+9.0
Diebold	1.12f	16	35.24	–.34	+10.0	Teradyn	...	10	18.26	+.30	+30.1
DukeEngy	.98	13	18.24	+.10	+2.4	Tuppwre	1.20	16	56.74	+.27	+19.0
DukeRlty	.68	...	13.78	+.35	+10.6	US Bancrp	.20	18	27.75	+.85	+2.9
Fastenal	1.00f	35	62.44	+1.18	+4.2	Valhi	.40	...	24.67	+.66	+11.6
Heinz	1.80	17	49.58	+.97	+.2	WalMart	1.46f	13	52.44	+.42	–2.8
HewlettP	.32	11	42.40	+.42	+.7	WashFed	.24f	15	17.62	+.39	+4.1
HomeDp	1.00f	18	37.04	+.42	+5.6	WellsFargo	.20	15	32.51	+.79	+4.9
Idacorp	1.20	17	37.92	+.59	+2.5	ZionBcp	.04	...	23.14	+.65	–4.5

How To Read the Report

Stock Footnotes: cc – PE greater than 99. dd – Loss in last 12 mos. d – New 52-wk low during trading day. g – Dividend in Canadian $. Stock price in U.S.$. n – New issue in past 52 wks. q – Closed-end mutual fund; no PE calculated. s – Split or stock dividend of 25 pct or more in last 52 wks. Div begins with date of split or stock dividend. u – New 52-wk high during trading day. v – Trading halted on primary market. Unless noted, dividend rates are annual disbursements based on last declaration. pf – Preferred. pp – Holder owes installment(s) of purchase price. rt – Rights. un – Units. wd – When distributed. wi – When issued. wt – Warrants. ww – With warrants. xw – Without warrants.

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

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

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

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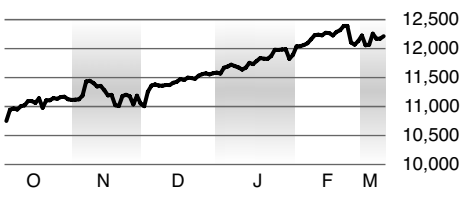
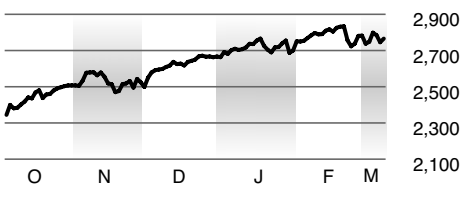
Yesterday on Wall Street

March 8, 2011
Dow Jones industrials
124.35
12,214.38



Pct. change from previous: +1.03% High 12,251.20 Low 12,072.21

March 8, 2011
Nasdaq composite
20.14
2,765.77



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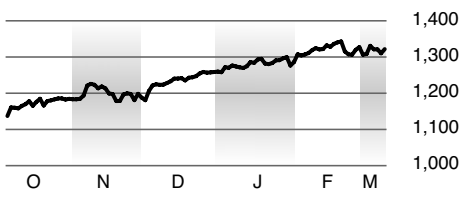
March 8, 2011
Standard & Poor's 500
11.69
1,321.82



Pct. change from previous: +0.89% High 1,325.74 Low 1,306.86

AP

Financial companies pushed stock indexes higher Tuesday on signs that banks may soon raise their dividends.

The Dow Jones industrial average gained 124.35 points, or 1 percent, to 12,214.38. The S&P 500 rose 11.69, or 0.9 percent, to 1,321.82.

The Nasdaq composite rose 20.14, or 0.7 percent, to 2,765.77.

Bond prices fell, pushing yields higher. The yield on the 10-year Treasury note rose to 3.54 percent from 3.51 percent late Monday.

Three stocks rose for every one that fell on the New York Stock Exchange. Consolidated volume came to 4.3 billion shares.

Commodities Report

Closing Futures

Mon	Commodity	High	Low	Close	Change
Apr	Live cattle	114.95	113.58	114.80	+ 1.20
Jun	Live cattle	116.00	114.75	115.90	+ 1.15
Mar	Feeder cattle	131.30	130.13	131.18	+ 1.38
Apr	Feeder cattle	133.35	131.80	133.15	+ 1.45
May	Feeder cattle	134.90	133.55	134.73	+ 1.15
Apr	Lean hogs	89.35	86.60	89.13	+ 2.73
May	Lean hogs	99.60	97.15	99.40	+ 2.38
Mar	Wheat	xxx.xx	xxx.xx	751.25	- 17.75
May	Wheat	797.00	778.50	779.75	- 21.00
Mar	KC Wheat	889.00	889.00	864.50	- 23.50
May	KC Wheat	897.00	873.00	874.00	- 24.50
Mar	MPS Wheat	933.50	933.50	912.00	- 28.50
May	MPS Wheat	943.00	918.25	922.25	- 21.50
Mar	Corn	706.00	695.00	698.75	- 12.00
May	Corn	714.00	700.50	705.50	- 12.00
Mar	Soybeans	1384.00	1370.50	1375.50	- 12.25
May	Soybeans	1391.50	1374.00	1382.00	- 13.00
Mar	BFP Milk	19.63	19.48	19.53	- .08
Apr	BFP Milk	18.45	17.78	17.92	- .48
May	BFP Milk	17.59	16.97	16.97	- .53
June	BFP Milk	17.09	16.62	16.62	- .32
May	Sugar	31.05	29.75	30.70	+ .71
Jul	Sugar	28.39	27.36	28.08	+ .45
Mar	B-Pound	1.6209	1.6123	1.6158	- .0041
Jun	B-Pound	1.6192	1.6107	1.6139	- .0042
Mar	J-Yen	1.2164	1.2069	1.2098	- .0053
Jun	J-Yen	1.2171	1.2076	1.2105	- .0054
Mar	Euro-currency	1.3988	1.3860	1.3900	- .0066
Jun	Euro-currency	1.3967	1.3840	1.3880	- .0065
Mar	Canada dollar	1.0300	1.0256	1.0294	+ .0016
Jun	Canada dollar	1.0278	1.0235	1.0272	+ .0015
Mar	U.S. Dollar	77.00	76.43	76.82	+ .31
Apr	Comex gold	1437.2	1423.6	1429.3	- 5.2
Jun	Comex gold	1438.6	1425.3	1430.8	- 5.2
Mar	Comex silver	36.40	35.65	36.09	+ .23
May	Comex silver	36.55	35.51	36.02	+ .15
Mar	Treasury bond	120.2	120.0	120.2	- 0.2
Jun	Treasury bond	119.6	118.1	118.2	- 0.2
Mar	Coffee	287.00	282.55	287.15	+ 6.20
May	Coffee	287.65	281.30	287.20	+ 6.05
Mar	Cocoa	2390	2348	2348	- 2
May	Cocoa	2387	2348	2353	+ 7
Mar	Cotton	215.00	202.05	207.04	- 7.46
May	Cotton	215.75	207.14	207.14	- 7.00
Apr	Crude oil	105.79	103.33	104.83	- .61
Apr	Unleaded gas	3.0105	2.9323	2.9395	- .0644
Apr	Heating oil	3.0712	2.9829	3.0079	- .0578
May	Natural gas	4.021	3.892	3.935	- .049

Quotations from Sinclair & Co.
733-6013 or (800) 635-0821

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 March 2.
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture:Pintos, $27-$30; pinks, Ltd. $27-$30; small reds, Ltd. $30; garbanzos, Ltd. $33-$35. Quotes current March 2.

Grains

Valley Grains
Prices for wheat per bushel, ask: mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundred weight. Prices subject to change without notice.
Soft white wheat, ask; barley, $10.50; oats, $9.00; corn, $12.60 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangens in Buhl. Prices current March 2.
Barley, $11.75 (cwt): corn, $12.80 (cwt). Prices quoted by JD Heiskell. Prices current March 2.

POCATELLO (AP) – Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain Report for Tuesday, March 8.
POCATELLO – White wheat 7.05 (steady); 11.5 percent winter 7.14 (down 24); 14 percent spring 10.59 (down 21); barley 10.31 (steady)
BURLEY – White wheat 7.15 (down 5); 11.5 percent winter 7.23 (down 25); 14 percent spring 10.27 (down 22); barley 10.00 (steady)
OGDEN – White wheat 7.15 (down 5); 11.5 percent winter 7.45 (down 26); 14 percent spring 10.28 (down 23); barley 10.55 (steady)
PORTLAND – White wheat n/a; 11 percent winter 8.49-8.64 (down 25); 14 percent spring 11.88 (down 22); corn 284.75-285.25 (4.25)
NAMPA – White wheat cwt 11.35 (up 15): bushel 6.85 (up 13)

Cheese

Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Barrels: $1.9800, nc: Blocks: $2.0125, - .0075

Potatoes

CHICAGO (AP) – USDA – Major potato markets FOB shipping points Monday.
Russet Burbanks Idaho 50-lb cartons 70 count 21.00-22.00: 100 count 11.50-12.00.
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 6.00-6.50.
Russet Norkotahs Colorado 50-lb cartons 70 count 17.00: 100 count 12.00.
Baled 5-10 film bags (non Size A) 9.00-9.50.
Russets Norkotahs Wisconsin 50-lb cartons 17.00-19.00: 100 count 11.00-12.00.
Baled 5-10 lb film bags (non Size A) 9.50-11.00.
Russet Norkotahs Washington 50-lb cartons 70 count 17.00-18.00: 100 count 12.00.
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Livestock

POCATELLO (AP) – Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Livestock Report for Tuesday, March 8.
LIVESTOCK AUCTION – Cottonwood Livestock Auction on Friday. Utility and commercial cows 68.00-80.50; canner and cutters 63.00-73.00; heavy feeder steers 120.00-131.00; light feeder steers 120.00-142.00; stocker steers 130.00-157.00; heavy holstein feeder steers n/a; light holstein feeder steers n/a; heavy feeder heifers 117.00-125.50; light feeder heifers 110.00-134.00; stocker heifers 115.00-145.00; slaughter bulls 78.00-88.00; baby calves 175-260/hd; stock cow/calf pairs 1050-1350/pr. Remarks: Steady market on all classes. Light test.

Metals/Money

NEW YORK (AP) – Key currency exchange rates Tuesday, compared with late Monday in New York:

Dollar vs:	Exch. Rate	Pvs Day
Yen	82.65	82.29
Euro	$1.3903	$1.3968
Pound	$1.6160	$1.6202
Swiss franc	0.9356	0.9262
Canadian dollar	0.9714	0.9730
Mexican peso	12.0055	12.0470

Selected world gold prices, Tuesday.
London morning fixing: $1435.00 off $2.50.
London afternoon fixing: $1426.25 off $11.25.
NY Handy & Harman: $1426.25 off $11.25.
NY Handy & Harman fabricated: $1540.35 off $12.15.
NY Engelhard: $1429.32 off $11.27.
NY Engelhard fabricated: $1536.52 off $12.12.
NY Merc. gold Mar Tue. $1426.90 off $7.20.
NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Tue. $1429.00 off $7.00.

NEW YORK (AP) – Handy & Harman silver Tuesday $35.740 off $0.290.
H&H fabricated $42.888 off $0.348.
The morning bullion price for silver in London $36.370 off $0.230.
Engelhard $36.00 off $0.550.
Engelhard fabricated $43.200 off $0.660.
NY Merc silver spot month Tuesday $35.653 off $0.202.

NEW YORK (AP) – Spot nonferrous metal prices.
Aluminum -$1.1637 per lb., London Metal Exch.
Copper -$4.4632 Cathode full plate, LME.
Copper $4.3250 N.Y. Merc spot Tue.
Lead - $2619.50 metric ton, London Metal Exch.
Zinc - $1.0931 per lb., London Metal Exch.
Gold - $1426.25 Handy & Harman (only daily quote).
Gold - $1426.90 troy oz., NY Merc spot Tue.
Silver - $35.740 Handy & Harman (only daily quote).
Silver - $35.653 troy oz., N.Y. Merc spot Tue.
Platinum -$1808.00 troy oz., N.Y. (contract).

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Partners

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area because there was none," Wright said. "The whole community really appreciated what we had done, and it's still a thriving business out there."

And so, as Lucy's business grew and drywall jobs stayed scarce, the three Lucy's owners stopped hanging sheetrock altogether.

They weren't the first workers to turn their backs on the construction industry as the nation's housing market took a turn for the worse. They won't be the last.

Eric Langley of Eastern Idaho Technical College said the number of construction workers seeking advice for a career transition spiked in spring 2010. Workers accustomed to being laid off in the winter months couldn't find work even when the weather warmed up. In the year that's passed since then, the numbers of displaced workers looking for new opportunities hasn't decreased much, he said.

"What I'm hoping for is that a lot of these guys are going to be able to get retrained," Langley said. "And then they're going to be able to take those skills down the road with them."

Six months after the Roberts store opened in May 2009, the partners expanded. They opened their Idaho Falls store in November 2009.

Debt

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"That's a huge shift in how they've thought of it," Hagan said. "There's nothing close to a balanced budget."

Zeyer ended up in a group that harmoniously made cuts, including guaranteeing themselves two congressional years without raises. But Ode Rovig's group next door clashed over almost every decision, from trimming foreign aid to increasing medical support for former members of the armed forces.

Heiner said even when he was in Boise, watching actual representatives go through the same process as the CSI students, volatile groups eventually came together. "Once you start talking about it, then you find a common ground, universal themes that people hit on," Heiner said.

By the end of the day, nearly every group voted to raise the qualifying age for social security and Medicare benefits. And, after running their data through a computer program, almost every group managed to reduce the deficit at least a little bit.

Zeyer's group got close to the goal, with their group reducing down to 66 percent of the GDP by 2012, but only after a few tweaks. The group at first extended tax cuts to lower income households without giving the same break to higher income families.

"It actually hurt us in the end," he said. "That changed my perspective"

In Rovig's group, a controversial tax on life insurance payments helped them get the deficit down to 30 percent by 2023, a move Rovig disliked on principle, but conceded to out of economic practicality.

"We combated each other. It ended up being a good lesson for us," he said. "Going through the economics, it really opened your eyes to what the government goes through."

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arrangement that he insisted on as a condition for staying on to manage Coke's newest brand.

That Coke agreed to the ownership stake is an indication that it appreciates how much Goldman is the Honest Tea brand.

"The business world is riddled with tales of entrepreneurial brands that lost their spark after they were acquired," Goldman wrote earlier this month in a revealing post for Inc. magazine. "Once the founder loses ownership, his or her motivation to keep building, inspiring and sacrificing diminishes, and as a result, the rest of the team transforms into managers instead of entrepreneurs."

Goldman's immediate challenge is to convince Honest Tea's loyal and crunchy customers that the sale to the sultans of sugar water will in no way change the company's commitment to producing health drinks in an environmentally sensitive way through fair and honest dealings.

Honest Tea is hardly Coke's first foray into the category, but most of the earlier acquisitions have not ended well. With Honest Tea, Coke means to demonstrate it has learned from past failures, its own as well as those of other large competitors (remember Gatorade's Snapple debacle?).

For the moment, that new approach means giving Goldman the freedom to develop and operate Honest Tea brand as he thinks best, while providing whatever help it can in terms of production and distribution.

Honest Tea employees will remain in charge of sales and marketing to its all-important "natural foods" channel and will do the same for Coke's other organic brands.

Yet Goldman is not naive about the bargain he has struck for himself. Unlike Hirshberg at Stoneyfield Farm, he was unable to negotiate absolute control of his operation, and he's fully aware that his independence will be contingent on meeting the sales and profit goals spelled out in the latest business plan.

Barry Nalebuff, a professor at Yale School of Management and co-founder of Honest Tea, says his former student may be the rare entrepreneur who has the right personality to work within a large corporation.

And to those who remain skeptical that an entrepreneurial, mission-driven company can survive within the walls of a bureaucratic public company, Goldman cites the Chinese proverb displayed on the front wall of Honest Tea's headquarters, which he says serves as both a greeting and a warning:

"Those who say it cannot be done should not interrupt those who are doing it."

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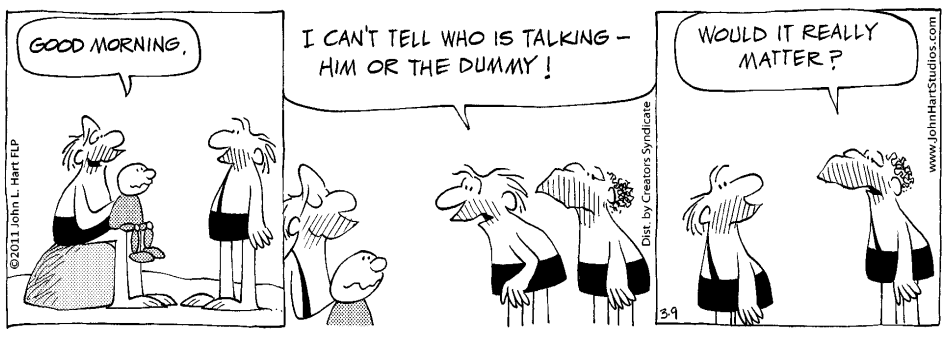

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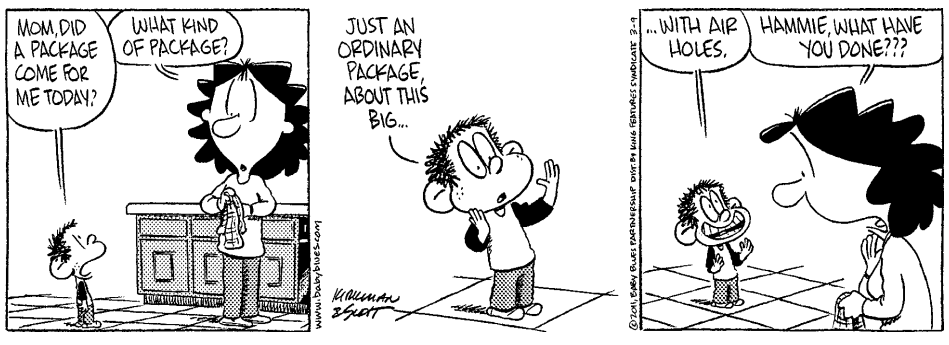

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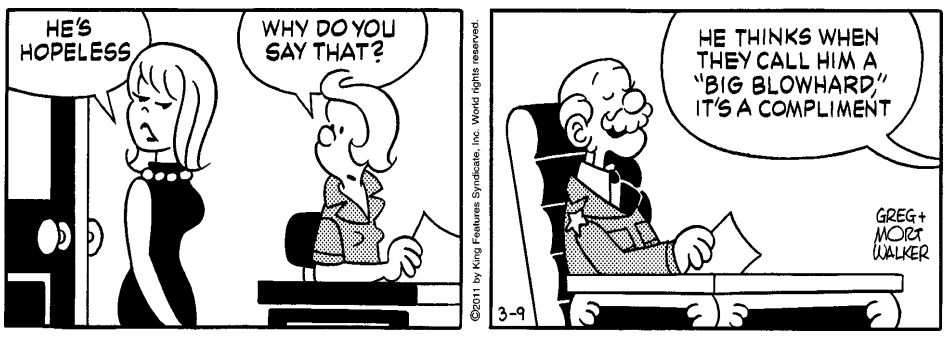

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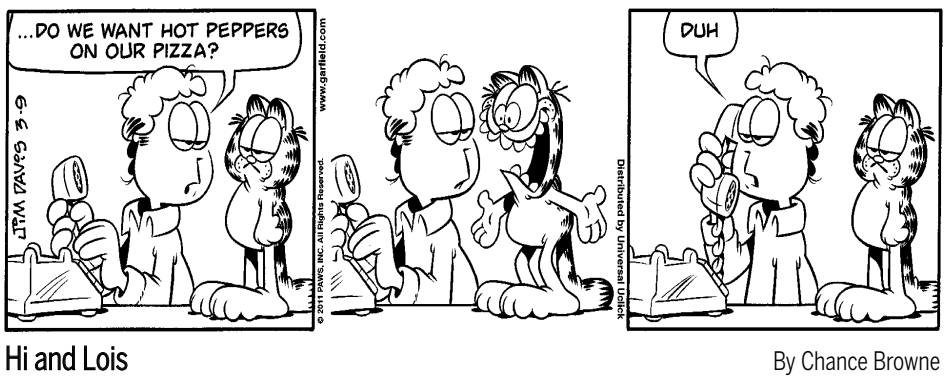

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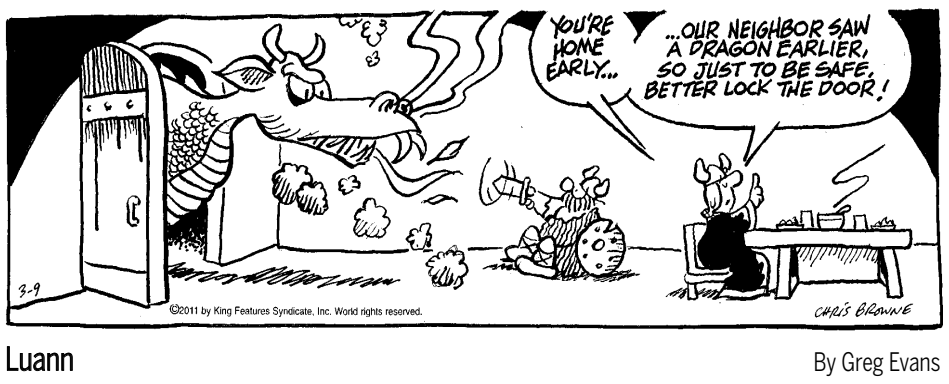

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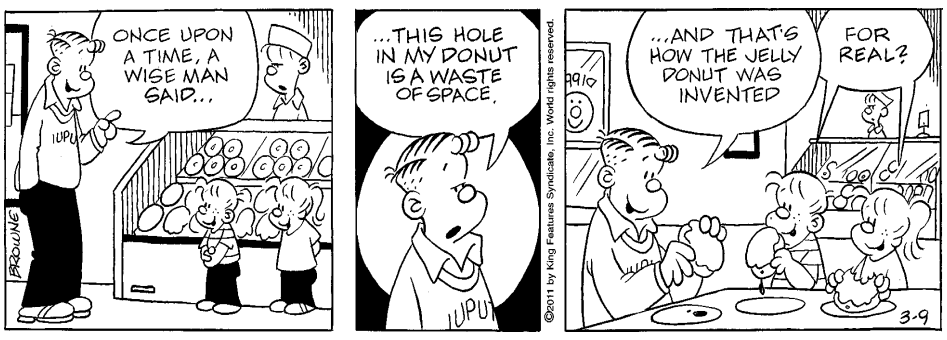

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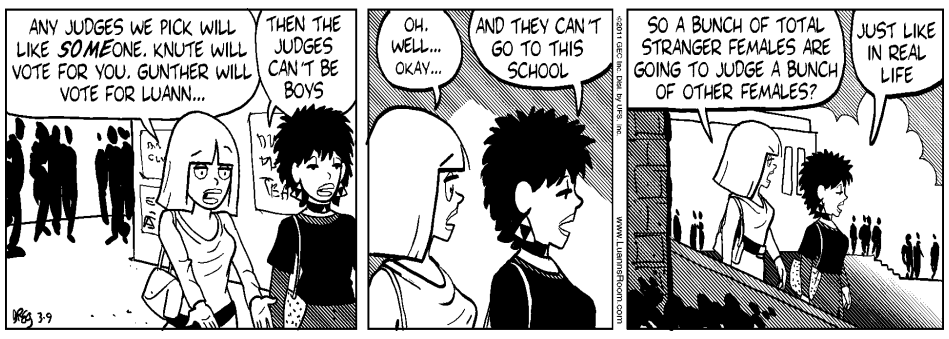

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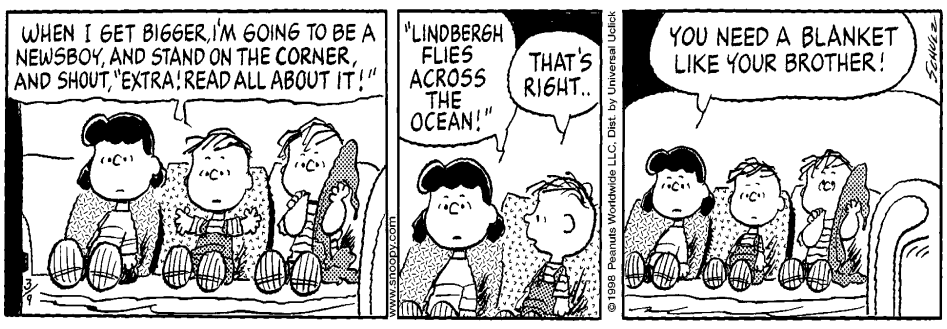

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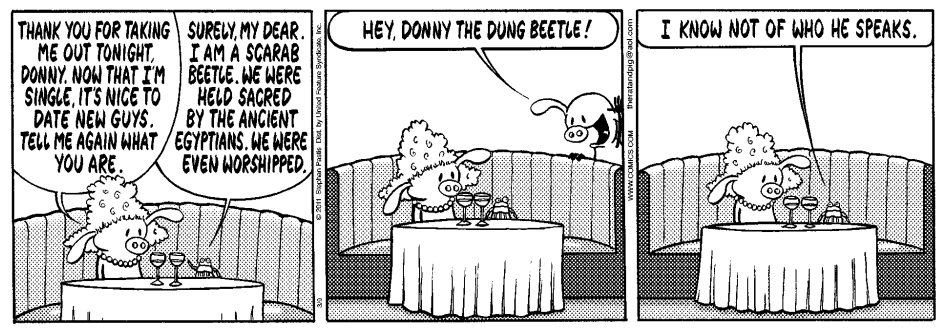

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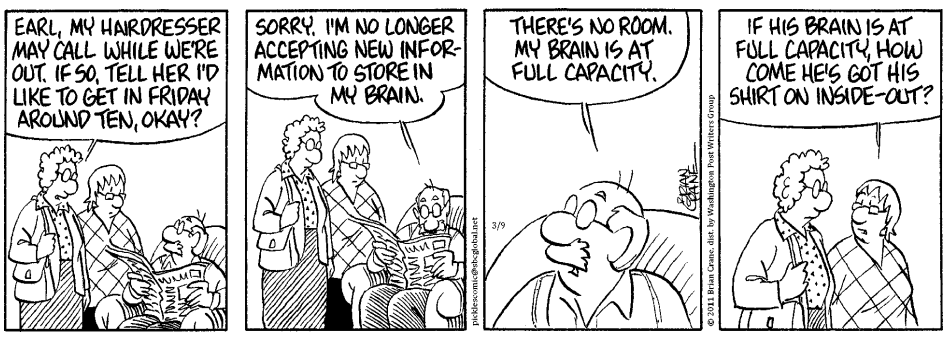

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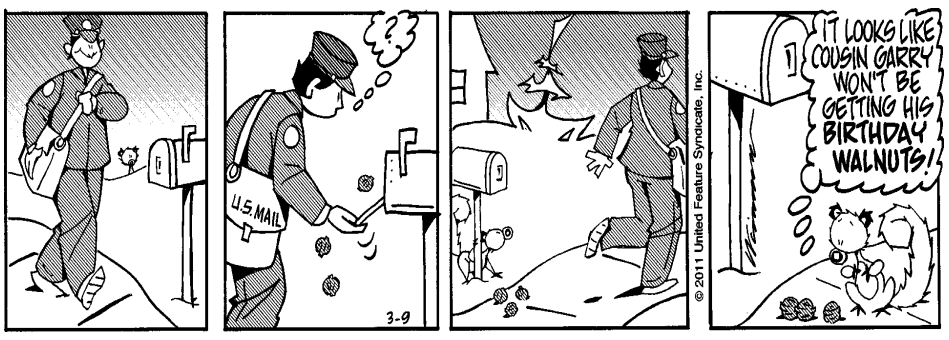

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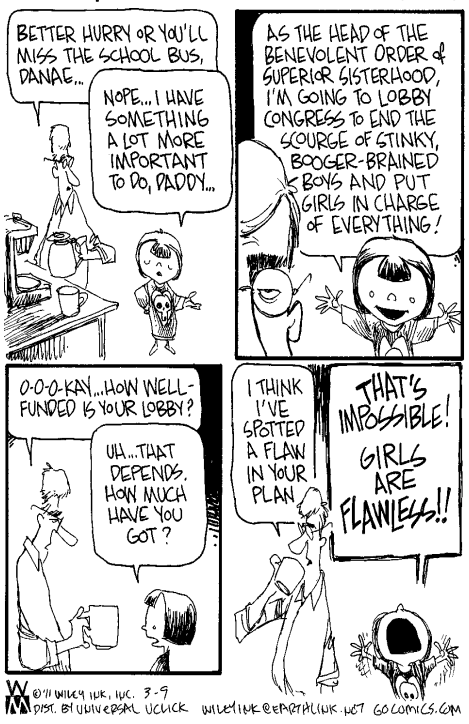

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Woman launches bid to recall Tom Luna

BOISE (AP) — A Boise woman irritated with a package of sweeping public education reforms now making its way through the statehouse is focusing her frustration on the proposal's chief architect: Idaho Superintendent of Public Schools Tom Luna.

Nancy Berto, a former secretary at the Mountain Home Air Force Base, said she has formed a committee to begin collecting enough signatures to recall Luna.

She acknowledges it will be a difficult task, considering Luna coasted to a second term last fall by beating Democratic challenger Stan Olson by more than 20 percentage points. And despite the fact that nobody elected to statewide office in Idaho has ever been recalled, Berto said her fledgling campaign will use social networking to promote the effort and tap into the uncertainty and public disdain for Luna's reform plan.

"I know," Berto told The Idaho Statesman. "Not in 121 years. That it's never been done before keeps us motivated, and they didn't have Facebook and e-mail back then."

Luna's plan is advancing through the Idaho Legislature. Bills that would phase out teacher tenure, limit collective bargaining and introduce merit pay have cleared the Senate and were to be debated in the House Tuesday. Another key component of the package — boosting classroom technology, mandating online courses and increasing classroom size — has stalled in the Senate.

Like many teachers, parents and even students, Berto, 66, has joined others to rally, protest and testify against the reforms. She said her determination is fueled in part because Luna never mentioned the reform proposals during his campaign for a second term as public schools chief last fall.

"Now they have amnesia and they do whatever they want," Berto said.

Luna Spokeswoman Melissa McGrath said the results from the November election make it clear Luna has the support to push for the changes deemed best for Idaho schools, teachers and students. Luna drew more than 60 percent of the vote and beat Olson by 21 percentage points.

Idaho law requires that any recall petition drive collect signatures from at least 20 percent of the total registered voters in the most recent election, or close to the 175,000 votes cast last fall for Olson.

Berto must also wait until next month to begin the drive for signatures. Idaho law states that recall proponents must wait for Luna to serve 90 days. They'll have 75 days to do their work.

AROUND THE WORLD

WASHINGTON, D.C.

U.S. 'heartland' near shift from Midwest

America's population center is edging away from the Midwest, pulled by Hispanic growth in the Southwest, according to census figures. The historic shift is changing the nation's politics and even the traditional notion of the country's heartland — long the symbol of mainstream American beliefs and culture.

The West is now home to the four fastest-growing states — Nevada, Arizona, Utah and Idaho — and has surpassed the Midwest in population, according to 2010 figures. California and Texas added to the southwestern population tilt, making up more than one-fourth of the nation's total gains since 2000.

When the Census Bureau announces a new mean center of population next month, geographers believe it will be placed in or around Texas County, Mo., southwest of the present location in Phelps County, Mo. That would put it on a path to leave the region by midcentury.

"The geography is clearly shifting, with the West beginning to emerge as America's new heartland," said Robert Lang, a sociology professor at the University of Nevada-Las Vegas who regularly crunches data to determine the nation's center. "It's a pace-setting region that is dominant in population growth but also as a swing point in American politics."

NPR exec caught blasting tea party on hidden video

A National Public Radio executive was captured on hidden camera calling the tea party movement racist and xenophobic and said NPR would be better off without federal funding, in an embarrassment likely to fuel the latest round of conservative attacks on public broadcasting.

The video was posted Tuesday by James O'Keefe, the same activist whose undercover videos have targeted other groups opposed by conservatives, like the community organizing group ACORN and Planned Parenthood.

It drew swift reaction from Republicans in Congress, who are renewing efforts to cut funding to public broadcasters. NPR and PBS have long been targets of conservatives who claim their programming has a left-wing bias. Similar efforts in the 1990s and 2005 were not successful, although public broadcasters take the threat seriously.

National Public Radio said in a statement that it was "appalled" by the comments from Ron Schiller, the president of NPR's fundraising arm and a senior vice president for development.

Schiller informed NPR that he was resigning from his position before the video was shot, NPR spokeswoman Dana Davis Rehm said Tuesday. He was expected to depart in May, but has now been placed on administrative leave.

YEMEN

Army hits university, injuring at least 98

SANAA — The Yemeni government escalated its efforts to stop mass protests calling for the president's ouster on Tuesday, with soldiers firing rubber bullets and tear gas at students camped at a university in the capital in a raid that left at least 98 people wounded, officials said.

The army stormed the Sanaa University campus hours after thousands of inmates rioted at the central prison in the capital, taking a dozen guards hostage and calling for President Ali Abdullah Saleh to step down. At least one prisoner was killed and 80 people were wounded as the guards fought to control the situation, police said.

Yemen has been rocked by weeks of protests against Saleh, inspired by recent uprisings in Egypt and Tunisia that drove out those nations' leaders. Saleh, a key U.S. ally in the campaign against al-Qaida, has been in power 32 years. In a sign that the protests are gaining traction, graffiti calling for Saleh to step down surfaced Tuesday in his birthplace, village of Sanhan, for the first time since the protests began.

Students at Sanaa University have been sleeping on campus since mid-February, shortly after the start of the protests calling for the country's president to step down.

LIBYA

Libya fractured by fighting, defections

TRIPOLI — A Libyan general has switched sides in one of two fiercely contested western cities that remain strongholds of the opposition to Moammar Gadhafi, state television said Tuesday.

Fierce fighting continued in the city of Zawiya, which has emerged as one of two key battlegrounds in the area around the capital, Tripoli. While Gadhafi controls the capital, his opponents have seized control of much of the east of the country and are working on formation of a competing government for the country.

In an "urgent" onscreen caption, Libya's state-controlled television station reported that Maj. Gen. Khalid Shahmah, whom it did not further identify, switched sides to join the rebels in Zawiya. It did not clarify his role in the Libyan military.

Droves of Libyan officials have defected from Gadhafi's regime. On Tuesday, Musa Kuni, Libya's former consul-general to the nearby North African country of Mali, appealed to Libyans of ethnic Tuareg descent like himself to join the opposition.

Opposition leaders accuse the Libyan government of recruiting mercenaries from sub-Saharan Africa to fight anti-Gadhafi forces. The rebel spokesman in Misurata, the other battleground city in western Libya, said his anti-Gadhafi fighters had captured several fighters from Mali and Chad.

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College of Southern Idaho Science Club and Sustainability Council member Nic Carlson, 21, left, and Onsen Farms owner James Reed work on the catwalk next to a banana tree in the Buhl farm's greenhouse Saturday. Want to get in touch with your food? Reed is happy to put visitors to work.

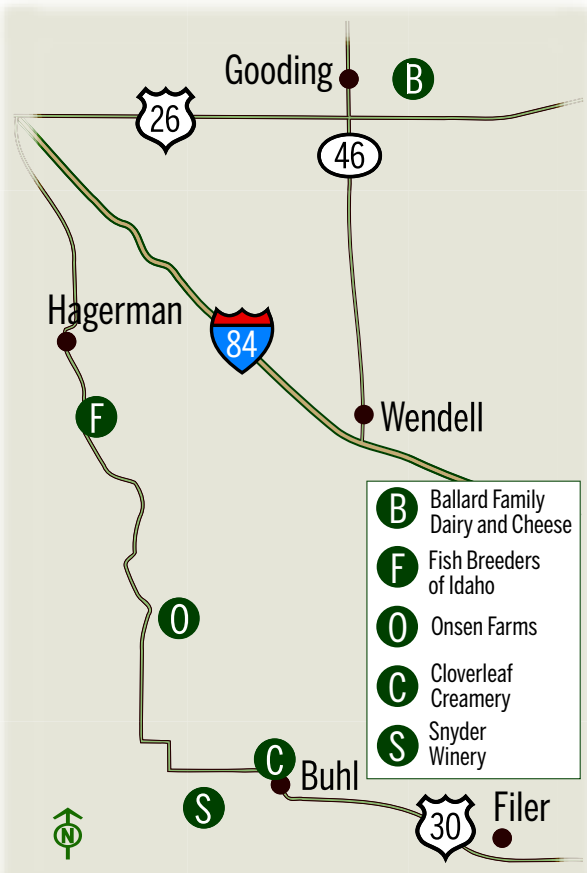
ADVENTURES IN LOCAL FOODS

By Ariel Hansen ❖ Times-News writer

Perhaps you're already a local foodie who regularly recommends fresh greens from Fairfield or goat milk from Buhl. Or perhaps you've just discovered how many of your neighbors are eating food grown in south-central Idaho.

What you may not know is that many of those producers will welcome you to come and see how that food is taken from raw resource to marketable product. Start with one of these five tours — or all of them, if you really love local food — and you'll come away set to charm the guests at your next dinner party with tales of how the ingredients got to their plates.

Taste Magic Valley's bounty



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Learn the tales of trout, tilapia

Fish Breeders of Idaho, 18374 U.S. Highway 30, Hagerman

Tour details: Free. By appointment only; call owner Leo Ray at 837-6114 a few weeks in advance to arrange a tour. Minimum group is 10 people. Tours are available between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays only. Plan for 30-45 minutes.

What you'll see and do: Thanks to geothermal spring water, Fish Breeders produces catfish, tilapia, trout, sturgeon and sturgeon caviar. The processing plant and laboratory aren't open to the public due to inspection regulations, but you'll get to walk right up to the concrete raceways where the fish are raised — if you want, you can put a hand in the water. The fish will shy away, though, Ray said.

You'll learn how Ray and College of Southern Idaho collaborated to capture fish from local rivers, and what goes into raising them.

The process of harvesting eggs, for example: Once a year, female fish with traits that the producers want to pass on are captured and biopsied to determine whether the nuclei of their eggs are close enough to the cell walls. If it is, they are given the same hormone that pregnant women are given to induce labor, then a Caesarean section is performed to harvest about 100,000 eggs from each of three or four females. "We've been doing this for 20 years and we've had one fish die in the process," Ray said.

What to bring: Part of the tour is outdoors, so wear a hat if it's sunny, a warm jacket if it's cold. The tour travels over gravel, so flat shoes are advised.

What you might come away with: Ray produces 300 pounds of caviar a year (that is expected to rise to between 1,000 and 3,000 pounds next year) and 100,000 pounds of fillets and other cuts. These products are available for sale at the end of the tour.

— Ariel Hansen

WHEELCHAIR OR CANE?

On each farm, there are restrictions on where individuals with mobility concerns can go during tours; some are basically inaccessible to those with physical disabilities. Ask in advance to find out what you will or will not be able to see and do before arranging a tour.

Meet the cows, taste the cheese

Ballard Cheese, 1764 S. 2100 E., Gooding

Tour details: $2.50 per person. Call (934-4972) about three days in advance, to ensure the operators are available; they occasionally travel to promote their products. The tour lasts about one to 1 1/2 hours. Groups of fewer than 12 are preferred.

What you'll see and do: "We go with them and the first thing we look at is the cheese processing, then after we get done with that then we go out to the milking parlor, and talk about the type of cows, milk production, how the milking process works, and answer any questions they might have," owner Steve Ballard said. "Then we move out to the cows and look at them, talk about how they're fed, and what the characteristics of the cows are."

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A resident of Ballard Cheese's Gooding farm greets a visitor in 2008.

The most common question: What makes cheese yellow or orange? "It's because it has annatto, a plant vegetable dye," Ballard said, noting that Ballard Cheese doesn't use that dye. "All the cheese we market is white, just how it comes out with the milk."

With advance arrangements, and arrival at specific times of day, you can also help feed the cows, Ballard said.

What to bring: Wear closed-toe shoes, and be aware that if you bump into machinery or other structures you might get a little dirty.

What you might come away with: With advance arrangements, you can do a cheese tasting; otherwise, cheese is available for purchase.

— Ariel Hansen

College of Southern Idaho Science Club member Melissa Johnson, 19, rakes at the Onsen Farms greenhouse while Gerardo Aguilar, 20, of the CSI Sustainability Council, works behind her Saturday afternoon.

Harvest your own salad

Onsen Farms, 4799 B River Road, Buhl

Tour details: Free. By appointment only; call James Reed at 720-0673 or 543-0987. Tours take a few hours and vary depending on visitors' interests.

EarthHeart Springs also hosts work experiences each Saturday, available to the public; for information, call Reed or visit sustainability.csi.edu.

What you'll see and do: It depends on what the farmers are doing that day. "Right now, we're harvesting quite a bit of arugula, basil, Swiss chard, kale, celery, parsley, culinary herbs, flowers for the tables (at Twin Falls' Local Dish restaurant), and we have a lot of stuff in seed pods ready to be planted soon; cucumbers and tomatoes are ready to go in," Reed said.

You'll learn about the soil amendments and pest control methods Onsen Farms uses, how the farm markets its products in the community, and how it uses geothermal and hydroelectric energy.

"There's almost no food being grown in greenhouses in Idaho, so it's kind of a unique baby," Reed said.

Even more unique? The 14-foot-tall banana tree.

Be ready to get your hands dirty helping to plant or harvest, Reed said; the farm will supply gloves, if needed.

What to bring: You might spend time in a greenhouse or outside in the fields, so dress in layers. Wear work clothes, including shoes that can get grubby, and bring a water bottle and hat. "If it's sunny, it's very bright in the greenhouse," Reed said.

What you might come away with: Visitors get to harvest their own salad from the greenhouse, and eat it on site. Other products may be available for sale, depending on the season.

— Ariel Hansen

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James Reed talks about the produce he grows for local foodies.

More adventures on Food 3

Feds are mulling changing raw milk cheese rules

By Michele Kayal
For The Associated Press

In the pastures of northeastern Vermont, Jasper Hill Farm's Ayrshire cows feast on grass and clover, producing a fresh, sweet milk that fuels some of the country's most beloved cheeses.

"Our approach is to distill the landscape," says Mateo Kehler, cheesemaker and co-founder of the creamery. "The cow goes out on fresh grass after every milking, harvests that grass and brings it to the farm. We take that and turn it into a cheese that really is reflective of the geography and climate that we live in. It is a taste of place."

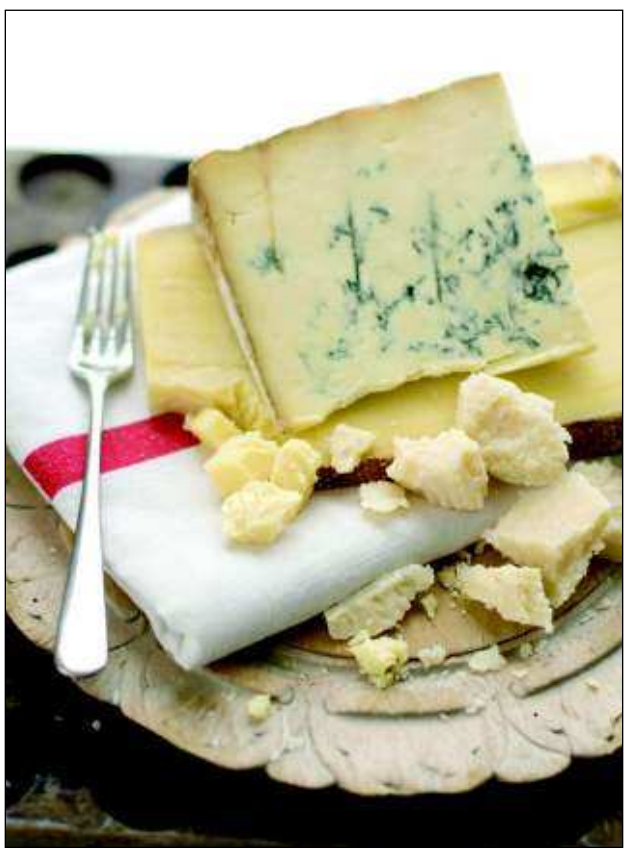
Except that food safety officials say it also is a potential source of dangerous pathogens like E. coli and salmonella.

Kehler and other artisanal cheesemakers swear by "raw" milk — straight-from-the-udder and unpasteurized — saying it gives their products personality and depth of character by retaining the good bacteria that otherwise are killed during pasteurization. Selling raw milk is illegal in most states, but federal law allows cheese made from raw milk as long as it is aged for 60 days, a period intended to kill harmful bacteria.

But the Food and Drug Administration is re-examining its regulations, a move that has caused concern among cheese makers. They worry that the agency will lengthen the mandatory aging period or, possibly, ban raw milk cheeses altogether. FDA officials are meeting this week in Washington with members of the American Cheese Society to discuss the issues.

"We'd like to know more about any pending regulatory changes that may occur and how we can help prepare our cheesemakers," says Christine Hyatt, president of the 1,200-member group. "I would hope that we can work together to create some standards and safety protocols for cheesemakers that would not require additional regulatory changes."

An outright ban would remove some of the world's most famous cheeses from American shelves: Parmigiano-Reggiano, Gruyere and Roquefort all are made with raw milk. But even extending the aging period, cheesemakers and experts say, could leave a notable hole on your cheeseboard.



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Cave-aged Gruyere, Jasper Hill Farm Bayley Hazen Blue and parmigiano-reggino.

"Over the years we've developed a number of American treasures that have really become part of the larger food movement," says Rob Kaufelt, proprietor of New York's Murray's Cheese shops.

Aging cheeses allows the acids and salts in it to kill harmful bacteria. Advocates of longer aging say more time could kill more bacteria. But opponents cite studies that suggest older cheese is not necessarily safer. At least one study found that E. coli can survive in cheese for more than a year.

At Meadow Creek Dairy in southwest Virginia, cheesemaker Helen Feete and her daughter Kat produce Grayson, a supple, pungent cheese reminiscent of Italian taleggio that has won prizes from the American Cheese Society five years running. Coaxing the cheese and its pliant rind to survive the 60-day mark was the greatest challenge in creating it, says Kat Feete, and having to push it even further would send them back to the drawing board.

"We're already very limited by the 60-day rule in what we can do," says Feete, noting that the new product probably would be stronger and very different from the prize-winning Grayson. "I would have to start the whole process of figuring out our cellars and our cheesemaking procedure almost from scratch."

Rogue River Blue, a woodsy, aromatic blue cheese from Oregon's Rogue Creamery that is wrapped in brandy-soaked vine leaves, has been hailed by Fairway Markets' master cheesemonger Steve Jenkins as "the most complex amalgam of flavors in the entire realm of gastronomy." The cheese is also becoming "the ambassador for the American cheese movement," says creamery president David Gremmels. Rogue River Blue, he says, was recently added to the roster of the famous Parisian cheese shop Laurent Dubois.

"That says a lot," Gremmels says, "an American artisan cheese in Paris."

Critics of extending the aging period say banning raw milk cheeses would throw the baby out with the bath water. Instead, many cheesemakers and their advocates say they would like to fortify the safety and testing procedures that many of them already practice.

In France, Kaufelt says, thousands of tiny producers — "kitchens, back room operations" — function under the same rules of sanitation as the large producers. "If those small cheese makers can do it without customers worrying about what they're buying or eating, then certainly we should be able to do the same thing here," he says.

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Bill Stoltzfus, owner of Buhl's Cloverleaf Creamery, bottles whole milk in 2008.

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Get inside the milk plant

Cloverleaf Creamery, 205 Broadway Ave. S., Buhl

Tour details: Free. Operators suggest calling (543-4272) a few days in advance for an appointment, but tours are also available Monday through Saturday during store hours; Sunday by appointment only. Groups of 15 or fewer are preferred. Tours of the plant take 10-15 minutes; longer if you also tour the farm.

Winter store hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays; 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturdays; noon to 6 p.m. Sundays.

Around mid-April, depending on weather, Cloverleaf switches to summer store hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. weekdays; 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturdays; 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays.

What you'll see and do: On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, the plant produces milk products, so you'll see milk being bottled. On Tuesday and Thursday it's butter and ice cream, while Saturdays are usually devoted to the creamery's new products, including yogurt and cottage cheese. Every day, tour groups will go through the plant and see all the equipment in operation.

"It's all very transparent, which is a lot of what the whole local food movement is about," owner Bill Stoltzfus said. "Most of the food you get in the store came from somewhere completely anonymous. This is really in touch with what goes on to produce the product."

During poor weather, the tour typically doesn't include the farm, because of ice or mud, but during summer tours you can meet the cows.

What to bring: You'll walk through a foot bath as you enter the plant, to clean the bottoms of your shoes, so choose a shoe you'd wear in the rain. During some processing operations, you might need to wear provided booties or hairnets.

What you might come away with: "We typically give out small samples of things if people want to try them," Stoltzfus said. And in the store, you can buy milk products, eggs, butter, fish, frozen items and scoops of fresh ice cream.

— Ariel Hansen

Watch the barrel-to-bottle transformation

Snyder Winery, 4060 N. 1200 E., Buhl

Tour details: Free without tasting; tasting is $5 for a flight of three wines (21 and older only; ID required). Tour is by appointment only (543-6938); tasting room is also open for winter hours, 1-5 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Operators prefer groups of fewer than 15. The tour takes 15-30 minutes, depending on what is happening that day and whether the tour group will participate.

What you'll see and do: For the next three weeks, the winery will be bottling wines, and tour groups can take part if they ask when making the appointment.

"We'd have them put the gloves on, and they could probably cork some of the bottles, or take them off the bottling line," owner Claudia Snyder said. Tours can see wine drained out of the oak barrels, watch the barrels be washed, and see the wine put either into stainless steel tanks for bottling or back into the barrels for additional aging.

Claudia Snyder pours one of her Buhl winery's varieties during a 2009 tasting.

"Even if you're not into wine, it's informative," Snyder said. The tour will cover yield per acre, how many bottles the winery makes each year, what makes one grape better than another, and which varieties are best for this area. "All the grapes are 'born in the soil of Idaho'; that's our tagline."

As spring continues, tours might also include a walk in the vineyards and demonstrations of vine pruning.

What to bring: Aprons are available to borrow if you are concerned about a drop or two splashing onto your clothing; if you want to see the vineyards, wear work clothes and shoes. If you wish to taste the wines, don't forget a designated driver.

What you might come away with: In addition to the flights of wines available for tasting, bottles of the winery's varietals are available for sale.

— Ariel Hansen

Reinvent your breakfast with cooking class

Times-News

Wood River Valley chef Cristina Ceccatelli Cook will teach a "Breakfast With Cristina" cooking class in Twin Falls next week.

It's set for 7-9 p.m. Tuesday at Rudy's — A Cook's Paradise, 147 Main Ave. W. Cost is $45.

The class menu: poached eggs on toasted bread with spinach and charred tomato; French toast with Nutella, mascarpone and apples; eggs and tomato sauce; and toast with Cristina's homemade jams.

Ceccatelli Cook grew up in Italy on her family's Tuscan estate. She is founder and owner of Cristina's Restaurant, which she opened in 1993, five years after moving to the U.S. She is the author of two cookbooks, "Cristina's of Sun Valley" (2005) and "Cristina's Tuscan Table" (2007).

Sign up: 733-5477.

A sloppy Joe with a taste of India. Sort of

By J.M. Hirsch
Associated Press writer

Think of keema as the sloppy Joe of India.

You pretty much brown ground meat — in this case turkey, but chicken, bison or lean beef would be fine, too — with a bit of oil, garlic and diced onion. Then you add spices (technically the "keema"), a bit of yogurt to make it creamy and some fresh herbs. That's it.

While you could continue the sloppy Joe analogy and spoon the mixture onto burger buns, you also could get some naan flatbread. Most grocers sell packages of naan in the bakery section.

While the cooking technique of this dish will remind you of the venerable sloppy Joe, the taste will take you to India.

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KEEMA TURKEY WITH PEAS AND MINT

Start to finish: 25 minutes. Servings: 4.

2 tablespoons canola oil
1 large yellow onion, diced
2 cloves garlic, minced
1 tablespoon grated fresh ginger
1 pound lean ground turkey
1 tablespoon garam masala
1 teaspoon turmeric
2 tablespoons tomato paste
1/2 cup water
1 cup fresh (or thawed frozen) peas
1/4 cup plain Greek-style yogurt
Salt, to taste
2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
1/2 tablespoon chopped fresh mint
4 large naan or other flatbreads, warmed

In a large skillet over medium-high, heat the oil. Add the onion and garlic, then saute for 5 minutes. Add the ginger and cook for another minute.

Add the turkey and cook until the meat starts to brown, about 7 to 8 minutes. Add the garam masala and turmeric, then saute for another minute. Add the tomato paste and water and heat, stirring to mix, for another minute. Add the peas, then cover and cook for 3 minutes.

Uncover the pan, then stir in the yogurt. Season with salt, then stir in the cilantro and mint. Serve with naan.

Per serving: 477 calories; 163 calories from fat (34 percent of total calories); 18 g fat (4 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 65 mg cholesterol; 47 g carbohydrate; 32 g protein; 7 g fiber; 607 mg sodium.

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Justin 'Juddy' Howard

March 14, 1991-March 6, 2011

Justin "Juddy" Howard, 19, of Twin Falls, left the earth peacefully Sunday, March 6, 2011.

Justin was born March 14, 1991, in Twin Falls. He was blessed with an older brother and sister, Kristopher and Kaylee Watts. At age 3, he was given the nickname "Juddy" and, to his family, that was his name. Growing up, Justin loved to draw, ride his skateboard, hang out with his friends and play his guitar. He had an incredible talent to draw and an imagination like no other. That imagination blessed him with some good storytelling and a knack for writing lyrics. He graduated from Magic Valley High School in 2009. Justin tried many different sports during his school years, but there was nothing more important to him than his love of music and his guitar. Several months ago, he joined a band that became his lifeline. Josh, Hale, Eric Odlin, Zamis Rockstahl, Torey Clark and Ryan Reeves are the brothers of "The Death of Herod," and they are left with an unimaginable loss of a brother. His friends will remember him by his big heart, his smile and his way to make them laugh. His grandparents will remember him by his chubby cheeks they couldn't stop "smooching." His mom, brother and sister will share his lifetime of memories forever.

Justin is survived by his mother, Kim (Chris) Grata; his sister, Kaylee Watts; his brother, Kristopher Watts; his grandpa, Vaughn (Cel) Schmechel; his favorite aunt, Tammy Hall; uncle, Rob (Amber) Lewis; several cousins and hundreds of friends. He was preceded in death by his grandma, "Rosie" Schmechel, who is watching over him once again.

We will miss you, little brother. Rest in peace and be good, Son. We WILL see you again someday.

Please come celebrate Justin's life with us at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 10, at the Kimberly Church of the Nazarene, 3550 E. 3750 N. in Kimberly. Services are under the direction of Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

Ronald Harry Huddleston

April 5, 1922-March 3, 2011

Ron and his twin sister were born to Silas and Velma Huddleston in Amsterdam, Idaho, on April 5, 1922.

Ron died Thursday, March 3, 2011, in Damascus, Ore.

In the 1940s, Ron spent time in Los Angeles, Calif., and Seattle, Wash., before settling in the Portland, Ore., area. He was retired from the insurance business. He enjoyed fishing, camping, golf, gardening and traveling in his RV, particularly to visit his sister whom remained in Idaho. He loved spending time with his family.

Ron is survived by his wife, Lois; daughter, Terry; granddaughter, Denise; great-grand-daughters, Amanda and Emma; and his beloved sister, Donna Lorain; as well as several nieces and nephews.

A service was held March 8 in Gladstone, Ore. Burial will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, March 11, at the Hagerman Cemetery in Hagerman, Idaho.

We love you and will miss you very much.

Dennis Wayne Everett

Nov. 26, 1945-March 4, 2011

MOUNTAIN HOME — Dennis Wayne Everett, 65, of Mountain Home and formerly of Shoshone, passed away (gone fishing) Friday, March 4, 2011.

A memorial service with military honors will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, March 14, at the Idaho State Veterans Cemetery in Boise. Cremation was under the direction of Rost Funeral Home McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home.

Dennis was born Nov. 26, 1945, in Gooding, the son of Dennie and Bernice (Braun) Everett. He went to school and graduated in 1964 from Shoshone High School. In December of 1969, Dennis joined the U.S. Marine Corps and served in the Vietnam War as a helicopter gunner and as an air traffic controller. Dennis worked for Union Pacific Railroad and then went to work at the Idaho State Correctional Institution. He retired after 20 years and moved back to Shoshone to care for his mother. Dennis also enjoyed fishing and hunting birds and small game, but fishing was his passion. If Dennis could have fished every day, he would have.

Dennis had a severe stroke in March of 2009 and moved to Mountain Home, where his son, Aaron and family, could care for him. He was a very wonderful and generous man who loved to laugh and had a wonderful sense of humor.

Dennis is survived by his son, Aaron and his wife, Tabitha Everett of Mountain Home; his daughters, Victoria Everett and Trish Fitzpatrick, both of Boise; his sisters, Robin and her husband, Eddie Arriz, and Kathy and her husband, Wayne O'Neal, all of Utah; brothers, Daniel and his wife, Donna Everett of Utah, and Ted and his wife, Noline Everett of Arizona; six grandchildren, Logan, Jayden, Owen, Shawn, Scott and Savana; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; and his brother, Bruce.

On Saturday, April 2, a service will be held at 11 a.m. at the Shoshone City Cemetery in remembrance of both Dennis and his mother, Bernice. All are welcome.

Don Malone

March 3, 1935-March 6, 2011

HANSEN — Don Malone, 76 of Hansen, Idaho, passed away peacefully at his home Sunday, March 6, 2011, surrounded by family.

Don was born March 3, 1935, in Searcy, Ark., to Earnest and Ruby Malone. Don later moved to California, where he met and married Kay Clasey in 1955. The family relocated to Kimberly, Idaho, in 1959. They had four children, Rick, Dwayne, Steve and Ruby. Donald worked road construction for several years and later worked for Collins and Sons in Kimberly. Don loved spending time outdoors. Some of his favorite places were Trinity Lakes, Anderson Ranch and Salmon Dam. He was an avid fisherman and hunter. Don also enjoyed a good game of pool and spending time with his grandchildren. He will be missed.

Surviving Don is his wife of 55 years, Kay Malone of Hansen; sons, Rick (Joyce) Malone, Dwayne (Diane) Malone and Steve (Marylin) Malone, all of Fort Morgan, Colo.; daughter, Ruby Thomas of Kimberly; and two sisters, Francis Blackston of Keensburg, Colol,, and Bessie (J.C.) Ward of Fayetteville, Ark. Also surviving are his 12 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, Earnest and Ruby Malone; and brothers, Jay Malone and Conley Malone.

A private family service will be held for Don. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in Don's name to your favorite charity. Those wishing to share condolences may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

DEATH NOTICES

Ella Taute

RUPERT — Ella S. Taute, 94, of Rupert, died Tuesday, March 8, 2011, at her daughter's home in Rupert.

The funeral will be at 11 a.m. Friday, March 11, at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, 2055 W. Filer Ave. in Twin Falls; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, March 10, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

Carter Luther

GOODING — Carter Van Luther, 96, of Gooding, died Thursday, March 3, 2011, in Susanville, Calif.

A service will be announced at a later date. Cremation is under the direction of Walton's Colonial Mortuary in Susanville, Calif.

Roberta Vincent

Roberta I. Vincent, 85, of Twin Falls, died Monday, March 7, 2011, at the Twin Falls Care Center.

No service will be held at this time. Cremation is under the direction of Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

Jay Huddleston

Jay Huddleston died Tuesday, March 8, 2011, at the Curry Retirement Estates in Twin Falls.

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

Mackinley Koyle

RUPERT — Mackinley Ann Koyle, infant daughter of Jared and Kassey Koyle of Rupert, was born and died Monday, March 7, 2011, at the Cassia Regional Medical Center in Burley.

The funeral will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 12, at the Rupert LDS 7th Ward Church, 324 E. 18th St.; visitation from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Friday, March 11, at the Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel, 710 Sixth St.

For obituary rates and information, call 735-3266 Monday through Saturday. Deadline is 3 p.m. for next-day publication. The e-mail address for obituaries is obits@magicvalley.com. Death notices are a free service and can be placed until 4 p.m. every day. To view or submit obituaries online, or to place a message in an individual online guestbook, go to www.magicvalley.com and click on "Obituaries."

SERVICES

Jay T. Dockstader of Twin Falls, graveside service at 3 p.m. today at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Edward A. Hanna Sr. of Buhl, funeral Mass at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Buhl; viewing from 5 to 7 p.m., with rosary at 7 p.m. today at the Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

Georgia Louise Blastock of Filer, celebration of life at 11 a.m. Friday at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E., Twin Falls; prayer vigil with rosary at 6 p.m. Thursday at the mortuary; family gathering at Canyon Crest restaurant after the service.

Rea Renee Pooler Pegram of Twin Falls, funeral at 2 p.m. today at the First Christian Church on Broadway Avenue in Buhl (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

Willa Campbell Hepworth of Twin Falls and formerly of Filer, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the LDS 15th Ward Chapel, 680 N. Hankins Road in Twin Falls; visitation from 10 to 10:45 a.m. today at the church (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Billie Joe Mealer of Jerome, memorial service at 1 p.m. Saturday at Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome.

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Last great-grandson of Ulysses S. Grant dies

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — The last surviving great-grandson of Ulysses S. Grant has died in a southwest Missouri home brimming with artifacts from the nation's 18th president and commander of the Union forces in the Civil War.

Ulysses S. Grant V spent part of his youth in the home of his grandfather, Jesse Grant, who was the late president's youngest son. Jesse Grant's wife, Elizabeth, is credited with helping to save the artifacts.

As an adult, Grant V became a custodian to the items — including his famous relative's letters, his will, his China and even the flag said to have flown over the Appomattox Court House when Robert E. Lee surrendered. Some of the items have been sold in recent years.

"It was everywhere growing up," said Grant V's grandson, Ulysses S. Grant VI. "It was an everyday part of our life."

Grant VI said his grandfather died Wednesday at age 90 at his home near the Springfield-area town of Battlefield, which received its name for its proximity to a Civil War clash. He had suffered a stroke previously.

Grant VI said Grant V was "proud of his heritage" and "the smartest man I ever met." He said they had a special relationship because he was born on his grandfather's 50th birthday.

Call for Nominations
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Ruth Marie Wagner Simpson

June 27, 1927 - March 1, 2011

RUPERT — Ruth Marie Wagner Simpson passed away Tuesday, March 1, 2011, in her home with her family by her side.

She was born June 27, 1927, in Anaconda, Mont., to Evert and May McKlem Hanson. Her parents later divorced and her mother remarried William D. Wagner who adopted Ruth.

Ruth graduated from high school in Anaconda and then attended one year of college at Whitworth College in Spokane, Wash. Ruth's father accepted a teaching position in Rupert and they all moved here. Ruth went to work for the local telephone company and began attending church at the United Methodist Church in Rupert.

Ruth met her true love, Johnny Simpson, while on a blind date. Her mother took one look at them together and knew they were meant for each other. They dated for a year, then married Dec. 10, 1948. The early years were a busy time; they were building their businesses, Simpson's Autobody and Simpson's Mobile Home Court, and starting a family.

They were both involved in service organizations; John was in the Lions Club and Ruth, the Ladies Lions Club. They loved to play bridge with friends and go dancing. Ruth had a very active life; she joined Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority, became a volunteer juvenile probation officer, began a business, "Ruth's Pampered Poodle Parlor"; joined Minico Soroptimist as a charter member and held several offices. Ruth had such a love for children and reading that she became the Story Lady at the DeMary Memorial Library; she later worked for the library and became a board member. Her sorority sisters still get together every month and are known as the 'OSS' (Old Sorority Sisters).

Ruth attended and became a board member of Christian Women's Club, a national non-denominational organization devoted to spreading the word of God and his saving grace. When the national organization discontinued in the Mini-Cassia area, the board members formed the "Ladies Lifeline Fellowship." This organization is still providing fellowship at luncheons every month. Ruth had a very active spiritual life at the United Methodist Church; she served as church historian and was a member of the United Methodist Women. Her church was her salvation after the death of her husband, and she had many friends there.

Although Ruth was involved in many organizations, her family always came first. She loved being a Scout leader and baseball coach for her son and a Campfire Girl leader for her daughter. Her life became even busier with the birth of her grandchildren, then her great-grandchildren; she was so active in their lives.

Ruth was preceded in death by her parents, her husband of 48 years and her first child. She is survived by her son, John Arthur Simpson DDS and wife, Joye; her daughter, Alice Marie Mann and husband, Thomas; her grandchildren, Jason Mann, John and Erin Mann, Michael and Becky Mann, Michelle Mann and fiancé, Jason Rollins, Heidi and Matt Lyman, and Andrea and Justin Anderson; her great-grandchildren, Elizabeth, Ethan, Garrett, Holly, Kolby, Lynnzay, Austin, Courtney, Cali, Hunter, Jackson and Summer.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the DeMary Memorial Library in Rupert. The entire family wants to thank Dr. Margo Saunders, Cameron McHan, Dr. Joe Peterson, Minidoka Memorial Hospital, Country Side Care and Rehabilitation, and Minidoka Home Health and Hospice for their excellent care.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, March 11, at the United Methodist Church in Rupert, with Pastor Pamela Meese officiating. Urn placement will follow in the Rupert Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Morrison Funeral Home and Crematory in Rupert.

Gene L. Glenn

Aug. 17, 1922 - March 3, 2011

On March 3, 2011, heaven's gates opened wide to welcome Gene L. Glenn. He passed away at St. Luke's Hospital in Boise, Idaho, from complications related to congestive heart failure.

The 88-year-old husband, father, grandfather, uncle and friend was born Aug. 17, 1922, in Wellsville, Utah, to Harold and Jane Glenn. Gene graduated from Cache Valley High School in 1941 and moved to Twin Falls, Idaho, where he lived for the remainder of his life. He proudly served his country as a United States Marine in World War II. On Oct. 19, 1947, Gene married Ruth Bilbao and started his career at Twin Falls Tractor and Implement in 1948. He began as a mechanic but when he began selling farm equipment, he found his true "niche." He became familiar with many farmers and ranchers in the Magic Valley area and in Nevada.

He purchased the business in 1969 and he and Ruth became the sole owners. In 1979 with great pride, he built a new facility that the business has operated out of since. Gene had the ability to seize opportunity, so he expanded to Jerome, Idaho, with the opening of Northside Implement. The work relationships that started when Gene's selling career began continue on today through the next generation of those representing our agricultural communities.

Gene was a longtime member of Blue Lakes Country Club and a lifetime member of the Snake River Elks Lodge. He served on the dealer advisory board for New Holland farm equipment company. In his younger years, he enjoyed water skiing, hunting, fishing, gardening and piloting his own airplane. He was an avid golfer and loved to play cards. Gene and Ruth traveled throughout the United States, Europe and Mexico and, for the past 30 years, they spent the winter months at their home in Hawaii. Gene was a hard-working, self-made man who taught his family values that will be passed onto generations to come. Nothing was more important to him than caring for his family.

Gene was preceded in death by his parents and four brothers. Surviving Gene is his wife of 63 years, Ruth; his three daughters, Julie Ann (Bob) Wildman, Jeannine (Randy) Berriochoa and Carla Glenn, all of Twin Falls; four grandchildren, Wesly Gene Standley of Twin Falls, and Amaya, Katalina and Kristiana Berriochoa from Boise.

A celebration of life will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, March 10, at St. Edward's Catholic Church, with Father Meidrad Schallberger officiating. Interment will be held following the service at the Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery in Twin Falls. All services are under the direction of Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to La Posada Inc. at 355 Fourth Ave. W., Twin Falls, ID 83301; the Ascension Priory, 541 E. 100 S., Jerome, ID 83338; or to a charity of choice.

Those wishing to share condolences or memories may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

Howard H. Wilcox

Sept. 30, 1927 - March 7, 2011

Howard H. Wilcox, 83, of Twin Falls, born Sept. 30, 1927, passed away peacefully at his home on Monday, March 7, 2011, with family at his side.

He was the son of Paul and Sarah Wilcox of Heyburn, Idaho. Howard graduated from Heyburn High School in 1945. He served proudly in the U.S. Navy on the USS Massachusetts. In 1947, he married the love of his life, Opal Rudolph, and in this marriage, they were blessed with three children, Michael, Connie and Kurtis. In his early years, Howard worked for the city of Burley and the Burley Flour Mill. In 1955, he moved to Rupert, where he worked for OK Tire Shop. In 1963, he moved to Twin Falls, where he opened and managed Big O Tire Shop. In 1970, he worked for Cenex in Curry, Idaho, until he was forced to retire for health reasons.

He loved to fish and hunt and spent countless hours fishing at one of his favorite fishing holes at Clark Canyon Reservoir in Montana, where he met many friends throughout the years and always enjoyed swapping fishing stories. He also traveled the United States extensively and Germany, England and other parts of Europe.

Howard is survived by his wife, Opal of Twin Falls; two children, Connie (Bob) Lancaster of Twin Falls and Kurtis (Gail) Wilcox of Columbia Falls, Mont.; eight grandchildren, Kim (John) Young, Mark (Aubrey) Stout, Shaun (Sara) Wilcox, Stephanie Wilcox, Wendy (Bill) Saxton, Chris Wilcox, Brandon Wilcox and Jaiman Wilcox; and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Michael H. Wilcox; three brothers; and two sisters.

As he requested, there will be no funeral service. Cremation was under the direction of the Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls. The family would like to express their sincere gratitude to Hospice Visions for their wonderful care.

Those who wish to share condolences or memories may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

Lee Anne Winter Walker

Aug. 8, 1934 - March 6, 2011

Lee Anne Winter Walker passed away peacefully in her sleep Sunday, March 6, 2011, after a long illness.

She was born on Aug. 8, 1934, in Tremonton, Utah, the daughter of Leland Cowan Winter and Alice Melvina Williams Winter.

She is survived by her children, Melodi (Craig) Mathews, David (Peggy), Lynette (Cary) Welch and Kelly (Mark) Murdock; sisters, Gae Marie Duersch and Nada Joyce Peterson; 23 grandchildren; and 33 great-grandchildren, with four great-grandchildren on the way. Lee Anne was preceded in death by her husband, Reed Sanders Walker; and her sister, Vila Jeanne De La Mare.

The funeral service is scheduled for 11 a.m. Friday, March 11, at the LDS Chapel, 259 N. Mall Drive in St. George, Utah, with a viewing from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Internment will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 12, in the Pella Cemetery in Burley, Idaho.

Family and friends are invited to share memories and condolences online at www.heidemanfunerals.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Heideman Mortuary, 1081 E. 700 S., St. George, UT 84790 (435-674-5000).

Brian Lee Ohlensehlen

Feb. 4, 1981 - March 7, 2011

Brian Lee Ohlensehlen was born a special Child of God on Feb. 4, 1981, in Twin Falls. He was carried to his Heavenly home Monday, March 7, 2011.

His parents are Bob and Darlena Ohlensehlen of Twin Falls. Brian had a brother, Jim, and a sister, Cindy. During his life, Brian especially touched the hearts of his nieces and nephew, who loved Brian dearly. In return, Brian taught them and many of us about care and compassion for those who have not been as well blessed as most of us are. Many people have touched Brian during his life, providing aid and comfort that he was not able to provide for himself.

Brian enjoyed music; one of his greatest pleasures was to sit and enjoy listening to music. He also enjoyed being out and about in the community. He took in the county fair every fall. Brian enjoyed sitting in the rocker and would rock for hours at a time.

When Brian was 2, he began attending school in Gooding at the Idaho State School for the Deaf and Blind. He attended there until he was 12. Then he attended Harrison Elementary and Robert Stuart Junior High. He has since attended the programs at the Center for Independent Living. He was baptized and a lifelong member of the Lutheran Church.

Like most children, Brian moved out of his home when he was nearly 20 and spent his adult life in the Clearwater, Hillcrest, Campus View and Bitterroot homes. There, Brian was blessed to have shared his home with many of God's other special children and to have been cared for by dozens of people. In their eyes, Brian was the same as the rest of us. They loved him and cared for him as if he was one of their own family.

With all of the medical issues that Brian faced during his life, there were many physicians who were instrumental in giving Brian extra years to be with his family. There are too many to list everyone but in the beginning, it was Dr. Paul V. Miles, Dr. Ronald Miller and Dr. Jack Trotter; in the later years, Dr. Richard Hammond, Dr. Steve Kohtz and his nurse, Jenn Klinsky.

Brian's family would especially like to thank Dr. Ron Miciak and the nursing staff at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center for the excellent care Brian received in his final days. We are truly blessed to have such an excellent and caring medical staff who are there to treat not only the patient but to help the family through a difficult time as well. Brian's family would like to thank all of those who have given Brian a kind word, a gentle hand and loving care.

Brian was preceded in death by his paternal grandfather, A.E. Ohlensehlen; and is survived by his parents, Bob and Darlena Ohlensehlen; his brother, Jim (Wendy) Ohlensehlen; his sister, Cindy (Herb) Gonzales; maternal grandparents, James and Helen Kendrick; paternal grandmother, Betty Ohlensehlen; nieces, Madison, Sydney and Sadie Ohlensehlen, Camryn Stuhlberg, and Olivia, Leah and Hope Gonzales. His is also survived by his extended family at Clearwater Care Center.

A service of remembrance will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 10, at the Peace Lutheran Church In Filer. Arrangements are under the direction of Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls.

The family requests memorials in Brian's name be sent to the Peace Lutheran Church, 600 Stevens Place, Filer, ID 83328.

Those wishing to share condolences may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

Irene Palacios

March 27, 1974 - March 3, 2011

HEYBURN — Irene Palacios, 36, of Heyburn, passed away Thursday, March 3, 2011, in a fatal car accident.

Irene was born March 27, 1974, in Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, to Amelia and Roberto Campos. She grew up there and moved to Idaho with her two older kids, Joel Aaron Islas and Amelia Nohemi Islas. She later was married to Marcelino Sanchez and conceived Ruth Sanchez and Omar Sanchez. She was a very active member of the Apostolic Assembly in the Faith of Christ Jesus in Burley, Idaho. She worked at McCain's for many years. She loved to spend time with family, shopping, decorating and baking. Her favorite color was blue.

She is survived by her loving kids and extended family.

Her viewing was held Tuesday, March 8. The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 9 at the Truth Tabernacle Church, 2459 Highland Ave., Burley. Burial will follow at Heyburn Cemetery across the road from the old Simplot building. A gathering for family and friends will take place after burial back at the church.

Patrick Richard Ready

June 26, 1969 - Feb. 28, 2011

BUHL — Patrick Richard Ready, born June 26, 1969; died Monday, Feb. 28, 2011, at his home in Buhl, Idaho.

Rather than try to write something about this truly one-of-a-kind son, brother, uncle, friend and co-worker, we thought it would be better to have him describe himself in his own words:

"Born in a one-room hospital in Cottonwood, Idaho, to a mother and a father who was at work waiting for a call (hey, that's how they did it in those days). The doctor declared me to be the pinnacle of human evolution and immediately retired. It's all been downhill from there. Not really. Three older brothers and two older sisters. I'm the youngest but strangely, not the baby of the family. Lived in Cottonwood for a few months, then moved to Kamiah, Idaho, for a while where my earliest memory of falling down a staircase made of splinters and exposed nails occurred.

"Moved to Lewiston, Idaho, where I had a great childhood and got a pretty darn good education. Four years in the U.S. Coast Guard as a quartermaster after high school. Loved every minute of it. There is no more exciting place to be than on the bridge of a small ship heading out to sea in really bad weather when all the other boats are heading in. Separated from the Coast Guard as a first class petty officer. Attended college next few years. Started at Lewis-Clark State but then transferred to the University of Idaho. Graduated with a B.S. degree in biology and minored in botany and zoology. Took forestry, wildlife and range sciences courses while I was there, too.

"Five years working at an ornamental conifer nursery in north-central Idaho. Now six years as a fish health technician for Clear Springs Foods in Buhl, the world's largest producer of rainbow trout. I've had a pretty good run. Just 35 more years until retirement. Or death. I'd like to be killed by a bear because no matter how big a jackass you were, all they will remember is that you were killed by a bear. I take that back. I'd like to be killed by a bear after a long man vs. bear battle, not like that jackass they made the movie about."

Pat will be missed by his mother and father, Loretta and John Ready; his brothers, Joe Ready, Mark and his daughter, Alexandra; and his fiancée, Rene Bear and Jack and his wife Margaret and their daughters Veronica and Anna Ready and his sisters Lori and her husband Chuck Bierhaus, Lisa and husband Mark Brazington, Pat also leaves behind niece Gabrielle and her husband Aaron and daughter Lillian Decicio, and nephew Luke and his wife Sandy Brazington. And of course his loyal cat Jeff.

Rosary will be recited at 10:30 a.m., with a funeral Mass celebrated at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 12, at the All Saints at St. James Church, 1519 Ripon Ave. in Lewiston, Idaho. In lieu of flowers or gifts please send a memorial donation to the charity of your choice.

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48-HOUR DISTRIBUTION: These seldom seen full uncut sheets of never circulated $2 bills are being moved from the private vaults of the World Reserve Monetary Exchange for immediate distribution to Twin Falls area residents. They are only being released banded together in Vault Stacks containing three protective bankers portfolios each loaded with its own full uncut sheet of never circulated $2 bills for just forty-eight dollars per bankers portfolio. That's a real steal because only the first 7,069 residents whose zip code appears on the Distribution List are getting the Vault Stacks full of real money just by calling 1-877-316-7099 to beat the 48-hour deadline.

Twin Falls area zip codes turn up cash for residents

Valuable uncut sheets of never circulated $2 bills are actually being released to the first 7,069 callers who find their zip code on the distribution list below and beat the 48-hour deadline to get Vault Stacks full of real money

By Keith Berrymore
UNIVERSAL MEDIA SYNDICATE

UMS – Twin Falls area residents who find their zip code on the Distribution List will feel like they just won the lottery.

That's because for the next 48 hours, full uncut sheets of never circulated $2 bills are being released by the World Reserve not to banks, not to dealers and not just to the rich and famous, but directly to Twin Falls area residents who beat the order deadline.

The only thing residents need to do is look for their zip code on the Distribution List printed in today's publication. If their zip code appears on the list, they need to immediately call the Distribution Hotline before the 48-hour deadline to get the Vault Stack containing three protective bankers portfolios each loaded with its own full uncut sheet of never circulated $2 bills. But only the first 7,069 residents whose zip code appears on the Distribution List can even get the Vault Stacks containing three protective bankers portfolios full of real money.

"The Gov't shut down printing of $2 bills in September 2006 and likely won't print more next year, so the money is being released until our last remaining $2 bills are completely gone," said Jefferson Marshall, Executive Director of the private World Reserve.

"That's why we've set up a Toll Free Distribution Hotline to make sure residents get them now," he said.

"But everything in our vault may soon be gone. So residents who want to get the uncut sheets of never circulated $2 bills had better hurry and call right now," Marshall said.

So those who get in on this now will be the really smart ones. Just think what they could be worth someday.

"Rare uncut sheets of real Gov't issued currency have sold at prestigious auction houses for thousands of dollars. Currency values always fluctuate, and there are never any guarantees. But at just forty-eight dollars the full uncut sheet and bankers portfolio is a real steal," Marshall said.

"You would expect to only see uncut money sheets on display in the Oval Office or under guard at the Smithsonian," he said.

"In fact, they are so seldom seen, banks don't even have them. That's why I've issued a directive to release a limited number of never circulated uncut sheets of valuable $2 bills from our private vault reserve to residents of the Twin Falls area. Residents whose zip code is not on the Distribution List can't have our Vault Stacks of these full uncut sheets of $2 bills," Marshall said.

"These full uncut sheets of $2 bills will be highly sought after and are extremely popular to hand out as gifts for friends and family," he said.

Most people have never even seen a single $2 bill featuring President Thomas Jefferson on the front and the signing of the Declaration of Independence on the back let alone one of these full uncut sheets of never circulated bills.

"We're bracing for all the calls. With just hours left, we're doing our best to make sure Twin Falls area residents get through. But, it is important that residents find their zip code on the Distribution List and call the Toll Free Hotline right away to beat the deadline. Because when our release is over, it's over," he said.

"We're allowing residents whose zip code appears on the Distribution List to claim as many as 10 Vault Stacks. But, since you can't get these Vault Stacks containing three protective bankers portfolios full of uncut sheets of money at banks, credit unions or even the Federal Reserve the limits will be strictly enforced," Marshall said.

"So, residents who want these full uncut sheets of real money need to call right now. If lines are busy keep trying, we promise to answer all calls," he said. ■

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FULL UNCUT SHEETS: Above is one of the valuable full uncut sheets of never circulated $2 bills that are actually being released to Twin Falls area residents. These crisp seldom seen uncut sheets of real money are being released on a first come, first served basis. That's why Twin Falls area residents whose zip code appears on the Distribution List need to call 1-877-316-7099 right away with **Dept. Code ZC945** to get the Vault Stacks containing three protective bankers portfolios full of real money since they're only being released by the World Reserve for the next 48 hours.

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Play time: South boys win all-star game

By Stephen Meyers
Times-News writer

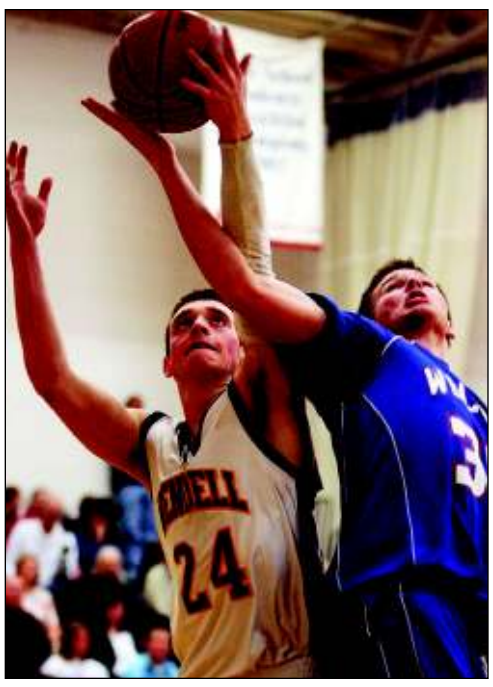
SHOSHONE — The code word was "cherry."

Kale Weekes from Castleford was to clear the lane and let Nolan Stouder of Wendell dunk.

Stouder gave the crowd what it was looking for as he slammed the ball home with the two-handed power dunk with four minutes remaining in the 2A/1A District IV all-star game.

"We decided at halftime that we would have a code word to clear out the lane and let other players dunk," Weekes said. "We thought we would just play around at the end of the game."

Said Shane Bingham of Carey: "We were excited. We don't have anyone of the team who can dunk, so it was cool to actually see one in person."



Wendell's Nolan Stouder, left, and Castleford's Tyler Hansen reach for the ball during the boys Class all-star game Tuesday night at Shoshone High School in Shoshone.

DREW NASH/Times-News

The fans saw dunk attempts, long-range 3s, smooth dribbling and fancy passes in the South's 73-64 victory over the North squad Tuesday night.

Brawn Baker of Declo led the South with 14 points, teammate Davis Jones added 12 and Castleford's Tyler Hansen chipped in 11.

There may not have been much cohesion (or defense) but each team pushed the ball throughout, looking for the easy bucket on the fast-break.

"It was fun to be able to take any shot and kind of showboat a little bit and have fun," Jones said.

Jones spearheaded the fast-break attack with no-look passes and crossovers for the South, which built a 10-point lead at halftime and never let up the rest of the game — at least until the final four minutes, when the game turned into a slam-dunk contest.

After Stouder's slam, Weekes attempted three times to throw one down but failed, as did Glenns Ferry's Rory Hance and Shoshone's Thomas Lanham.

"I was getting them down in warm-ups," Weekes said. "Too bad I couldn't get one down, but it was still a lot of fun."

Stouder led the North with 13 points, Wendell teammate Codey Prince scored nine, hitting two early 3-pointers from well beyond the arc, and Carey's Blair Peck also scored nine on three from downtown.

Carey teammates Peck, Bingham and Jacy Baird are still soaking up their first-

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Oakley's Kori Poulton, left, defends Richfield's Kaylee Exon during the 2A/1A Girls All-Star Game Tuesday night at Shoshone High School in Shoshone.

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Find out who won the girls 2A/1A District IV all-star game.

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Utah State wants to keep it going

BSU, Idaho aim for tourney titles

By John Marshall
Associated Press writer

LAS VEGAS — Utah State steamrolled the rest of the Western Athletic Conference with one of the best seasons in school history, winning the regular-season title by five games.

Now that it's conference tournament time, another Aggies romp is coming up, right?

Possibly. It's just that Utah State isn't looking at it that way.

With an NCAA berth not quite a sure thing and so many close games during the season, the 23rd-ranked Aggies aren't going to take any gambles on their trip to The Strip.

"It's a one-week event where you have a chance to get the automatic berth and that's the way we always approach it," Utah State coach Stew Morrill said.

Led by WAC player of the year Tai Wesley and a talented group of seniors, Utah State (28-3, 15-1) set a school record for wins on the way to its fourth straight WAC regular-season title. The Aggies won 26 of their final 27 games, became the seventh team in the 49-year history of the conference to lose one league game or less and were ranked for seven straight weeks, their longest run since the 1970-71 team was in the polls for 11 straight weeks.

WAC TOURNEY

Today through Saturday
Orleans Arena, Las Vegas
Vandals: Idaho, the No. 4 seed, opens tourney play on ESPNU at 1 p.m. (MST) Thursday against Wednesday's Hawaii-San Jose State winner.
Broncos: Boise State, the No. 2 seed, has a double bye and plays on ESPN2 in Friday's 10 p.m. (MST) semifinal.

Utah State even has a signature win, beating Saint Mary's by 10 on the road Feb. 19.

Still, there's an uneasy feeling when teams from smaller conferences have to wait for an at-large bid from the NCAA tournament selection committee. Better to win the conference tournament and leave no doubt by getting the automatic bid.

So, even after a regular season that earned it a double bye into Friday's semifinals, Utah State isn't taking anything for granted. The tournament, which opens todady at Orleans Arena with Hawaii facing San Jose State and Nevada against Fresno State, features numerous potential pitfalls for the Aggies — and they know it.

"We had a lot of close games in conference play and whoever we play will definitely concern us," Morrill said. "A lot of teams in our league are definitely capable of playing with us."

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Barkley to get academic as NCAA hoops analyst

By Rachel Cohen
Associated Press writer

NEW YORK — Charles Barkley's analysis after a first-round blowout in the NCAA tournament: "Duke graduates their players, but that team they did has not graduated a player in like seven years."

Never one for understatement, Barkley was in fact exaggerating Tuesday when he imagined that scene. But not by much. The brash Hall of Famer plans to lobby for better graduation rates in his new job as a college basketball commentator.

CBS and Turner Sports' new 14-year, $10.8 billion deal to televise the NCAA tournament adds announcers from the NBA broadcasts on TNT to March Madness. And Barkley is mad about how few Division I players, especially African-American men, earn degrees.

"They got $10.8 billion. That's a lot of freakin' money," Barkley told The Associated Press. "The players aren't getting any of it, so clearly somebody is making money. I'm not opposed to people making money, but we do have an obligation, to, like, 'OK, you know what? We're making a (ton) of money. Let's at least make sure these kids get educated.'"

When Turner Sports chief David Levy asked him

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PUNCHING THEIR TICKET

JIM RICHARDS/For the Times-News
The College of Southern Idaho men's basketball team celebrates its District I Championship win over Cochise (Ariz.) College Tuesday night in Scottsdale, Ariz. The win earns CSI a trip to next week's NJCAA Tournament in Hutchinson, Kan.

CSI men whip Cochise, earn NJCAA tourney berth

By Jim Richards
Times-News correspondent

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. — Second-ranked College of Southern Idaho had never seen a press like the one unranked Cochise College applied Tuesday night. But it's pretty clear that Cochise had not seen anything like CSI in quite some time.

Thanks to secure guard play and a significant rebounding advantage, CSI (29-4) advanced to the NJCAA Tournament with a convincing 94-75 victory in the District I Championship game at Scottsdale Community College.

"It's nationals and it feels great," CSI guard Darius Smith said. "It took us a little while to get used to the air and then we just had to get into the flow of the game."

Smith didn't score, but dished off a game-high 10 assists to go with nine rebounds and four steals. Gerson Santo and Kenny Buckner earned top scoring honors with 21 apiece, while Buckner pulled down a game-best 12 rebounds. Pierre Jackson scored 20 for CSI, which outrebounded Cochise 46-29 and stayed even with Cochise in turnovers at 21 apiece.

"We haven't seen a team like this," said CSI coach Steve Gosar. "We haven't seen a team press us like this all year, but I thought we handled it pretty well."

Cochise (22-11) stayed even at 11-11 just over four minutes into the game, but a 25-8 CSI run opened the lead to 36-19 with 8:47 remaining in the first half.

Jackson had 14 points first-half points on 6-for-7 shooting, including a pair from 3-point range in the opening half and CSI hit 5 of 7 beyond the arc and 20 of 34 from the field overall (59 percent) in the first half to open a 52-36 halftime lead.

CSI limited Cochise to 13 of 28 shooting (46 percent) in the first half.

Cochise made a run early in the second half, pulling within 68-59 with 11:43 remaining in the game, but would get no closer.

From there, Espirito Santo hit three field goals and added three free throws and Jackson drilled a pair of 3-pointers to open the lead to 83-65 with 7:29 to play.

The neutral court game was played in front of a sparse crowd and hardly carried the aura of a key playoff game.

"We were really shooting the ball well," Gosar said. "We play two point guards and we have two pretty good ones. When we have guards like that is sure makes it easier."

Unranked Cochise finished fifth in the Arizona Community College Athletic Conference and was the third seed at regionals, but upset second-place and top-seeded Arizona Western in the Region I title game last Saturday.

Next up for CSI is a March 16 date with Redlands (Okla.) Community College in the first round at nationals.

"It means everything," Smith said of earning a trip to Kansas. "It's just a wonderful feeling."

No. 2 CSI 94, Cochise College 75

CSI (94)
Gerson Santo 21, Kenny Buckner 21, Pierre Jackson 20, Jerrold Brooks 11, Fabyon Harris 8, Chris Patton 6, Terrance Lafayette 5, Mitch Bruneel 2. Totals 36-72 14-18 94.

COCHISE (75)
Nyandigisi Moikobu 15, Jesus Delgado 14, Xavier Blount-Johnson 14, Demetrius Thornton 9, Mark Simmons 7, Nnamdi Ezenwa 4. Totals 27-58 18-25 75.

Halftime: CSI 50, Cochise 36. 3-point goals: Cochise 3-20, CSI 8-17. Rebounds: CSI 46 (Buckner 12), Cochise 29 (four with 4). Assists: CSI 21 (Smith 10), Cochise 16. Turnovers: CSI 21, Cochise 21.

Jackson earns bragging rights on 'big brother'

It's always hard to impress a big brother. Pierre Jackson may finally have some ammunition.

The College of Southern Idaho sophomore scored 20 points as the Golden Eagles punched their ticket to the NJCAA Tournament in Hutchinson, Kan., with a 94-75 in over Cochise (Ariz.) College Tuesday night in Scottsdale, Ariz.

Growing up in Las Vegas, Jackson said former CSI star Juan Pattillo was "like a big brother" to him. When the Eagles jumped to No. 2 in the NJCAA rankings on March 1, Jackson phoned Pattillo with the news.

Mike Christensen

Pattillo wasn't impressed, reportedly telling Jackson, "You can't talk until your No. 1."

Pattillo was No. 1. As a sophomore, the 6-foot-6 forward averaged a team-high 17.4 points, leading CSI to a 30-2 record and three weeks atop the national poll.

But Pattillo's team didn't make it to Hutch, falling to Salt Lake Community College in the Region 18 title game.

"He didn't get past this one," said Jackson, whose team-leading 17.8 scoring average and high-flying game are both reminiscent of Pattillo, despite a seven-inch differential in height.

Jackson has one up on "big brother" now and planned to inform Pattillo of that fact.

"We're not No. 1, but we made it farther than ya'll did," Jackson said of his planned message to Pattillo.

Pattillo, who finished his senior season

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CSI cowgirls still atop national standings

By Diane Philbin
Times-News writer

After starting off the spring rodeo season this past weekend in Ogden, Utah, with a third-place showing at the Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo and finishing second at the Weber State University Rodeo, the College of Southern Idaho women's team was able to hold on to the top spot in the Rocky Mountain Region as well as in the national standings.

Chuck Povey is in first place in the women's regional all-around and national standings, while teammate Traci Bailey sits third in the region and fourth in the national standings. Samantha Logan leads the region in barrel racing.

"The competition this year in the region is stronger," said CSI coach Steve Birnie. "Kendra Hoffman from Southern Utah University will be pushing Chuck for the all-around title and Traci could jump in there too."

The CSI men's team is in second place trailing only Utah Valley University in the regional and national standings.

Oren Larsen of CSI leads the men's all-around regional standings and Zach Hutchison is the top bareback rider.

The CSI men had a second-place finish in the Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo, with Larson earning a second-place finish in bareback and bull riding. For the women, Bailey won breakaway and a third in barrels. Both Larson and Bailey claimed all-around titles. Monty Johnson was a winner in the saddle bronc.

"Our rough stock guys are keeping us in it. They are the men's team bread and butter," said Birnie.

At the Weber State rodeo, the men's team secured first place. Larsen won his second all-around title after placing first in bareback, second in bull riding and fourth in saddle bronc. Povey took second in goats, third in breakaway and finished second behind Hoffman in the all-around. Dustan Birrer took the win in saddle bronc.

"Both teams missed some opportunities at the Weber State rodeo," said Birnie. "Dustan rode well. Overall, the girls had a decent weekend but Thursday was tough."

CSI will host rodeo action March 17-19 at the Eldon Evans Expo Center in the Shawn Davis Arena. There will be a Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo March 17 at 7 p.m. General admission tickets will be $5. The 35th annual CSI Intercollegiate Rodeo will be March 18-19 at 8 p.m. Tickets are $8 for adults (purchased in advance) or $9 at the door. Tickets for children ages 4-12 years old will be $5.

Rocky Mountain Region Standings
As of Mar. 7, 2011
(CSI team finishes only except for team standings)

Men's team: 1. Utah Valley University, 4306 points; 2. College of Southern Idaho, 4224; 3. Idaho State University, 3696.
Women's team: 1. College of Southern Idaho, 3012.50 points; 2. Southern Utah University, 2481.50; 3. Weber State University, 1589.
Men's all-around: 1. Oren Larsen, 1157 points; 8. Jared Johnson, 648.
Women's all-around: 1. Chuck Povey, 1194 points; 3. Traci Bailey, 963.50.
Saddle bronc riding: 2. Bailey Tubbs, 516 points; 3. Monty Johnson, 445; 4. Jared Johnson. 415; 5. Dustan Birrer, 374; 8. Oren Larsen, 145; 9. Brady Manning, 103.
Bareback riding: 1. Zach Hutchison, 753.50 points; 3. Oren Larsen, 686; 4. Kip Lish, 514.5.
Bull riding: 3. Oren Larsen, 326 points; 5. Tanner Allemand, 196; 6. Zach Hutchison, 140; 7. Monty Johnson, 80.
Tie down roping: 12. Brock Casperson, 107 points.
Steer wrestling: No CSI cowboys in top 15.
Team roping header: 4. Brock Casperson, 233 points; 6. Chelsi Schvaneveldt, 175 points; 10. Kiara Wanner, 140 points; 12. Dustan Birrer, 110; 13. Traci Bailey, 109.
Team roping heeler: 4. Jared Johnson, 233 points; 5. Chick Posey, 175; 8. Tyler Stradley, 140; 11. Glade Hall, 110; 12. Brady Manning, 109.
Barrel racing: 1. Samantha Logan, 485 points; 7. Kiara Wanner, 248; 9. (tie) Traci Bailey and Chuck Povey, 206; 14. Chelsi Schvaneveldt, 80.
Breakaway roping: 3. Chuck Povey, 338.5 points; 4. Traci Bailey, 265.50; 10. Kayla Mulick, 110; 13. Kiara Wanner, 102; 14. Chelsi Schvaneveldt, 90.
Goat tying: 3. Chuck Povey, 474.50 points; 4. Traci Bailey, 383; 14. Kiara Wanner, 20; 15. Kayla Mulick, 6.5.

National Standings (As of Mar. 8, 2011)

Men's team: 2. College of Southern Idaho.
Women's team: 1. College of Southern Idaho.
Men's all-around: 3. Oren Larsen.
Women's all-around: 1. Chuck Povey; 4. Traci Bailey.
Saddle bronc riding: 19. Bailey Tubbs; 24. Monty Johnson.
Bareback riding: 3. Zach Hutchison; 11. Oren Larsen; 24. Kip Lish.
Bull riding: 16. Oren Larsen,
Barrel racing: 9. Samantha Logan.
Breakaway roping: 9. Chuck Povey; 24. Traci Bailey.
Goat tying: 12. Chuck Povey; 19. Traci Bailey.

Rocky Mountain Regional No. 2 Rodeo
March 3
(CSI team finishes only except for team standings)

Men's team: 1. Utah Valley University, 863 points; 2. College of Southern Idaho, 78; 3. Utah State University, 426; 4. Weber State University, 410; 5. Idaho State University, 340; 6. Southern Utah University, 88.
Women's team: 1. Weber State University, 654 points; 2. Southern Utah University, 504; 3. College of Southern Idaho, 418.50; 4. Idaho State University, 129.50; 5. Utah Valley University, 91; 6. Utah State University, 32.
Men's all-around: 1. (tie) Oren Larsen, 252 points; 4. Brock Casperson, 214; 5. Jared Johnson, 195.
Women's all-around: 1. Traci Bailey, 242.50 points; 5. Chuck Povey, 176.
Saddle bronc: 1. Monty Johnson, 73 points; 4. Jared Johnson, 49.
Bareback riding: 2. Oren Larsen, 74 points; 3. (tie) Zach Hutchison and Kip Lish, 67.
Bull riding: 2. Oren Larsen, 73 points.
Tie down roping: 3. Brock Casperson, 11.4 seconds.
Steer wrestling: No CSI cowboys finished in top eight.
Team roping header: 3. Brock Casperson, 9.8 seconds.
Team roping heeler: 3. Jared Johnson, 9.8 seconds.
Barrel racing: 3. Traci Bailey, 14.22 seconds; 5. Chuck Povey, 14.34; 7. Jacy Johnson, 14.54.
Breakaway roping: 1. Traci Bailey, 2.9 seconds.
Goat tying: 3. Chuck Povey, 7.5 seconds; 8. Kayla Mulick, 8.0 seconds.

Rocky Mountain Region Weber State University Mar 4-5
(CSI team finishes only except for team standings)
Top Three finishers:

Men's team: 1. College of Southern Idaho, 790 points; 2. Idaho State University, 595; 3.Utah Valley University, 580; 4. Utah State University, 430; 5. Weber State University, 360; 6. Southern Utah University, 110.
Women's team: 1. Southern Utah University, 655 points; 2. College of Southern Idaho, 355; 3. Weber State University, 290; 4. Idaho State University, 235; 5. Utah State University, 225; 6. Utah Valley University, 60.
Men's all-around: 1. Oren Larsen, 340 points; 2. Dustan Birrer, 245.
Women's all-around: 2. Chuck Povey, 235 points; 3. Kiara Wanner, 80; 5. Traci Bailey, 40.
Saddle bronc riding: 1. Dustan Birrer, 140 points; 3. Bailey Tubbs, 80; 4. Oren Larsen, 74; 5. Monty Johnson, 71; 7. Jared Johnson, 54.
Bareback riding: 1. Oren Larsen, 146 points; 2. Kip Lish, 139; 3. Zach Hutchison, 138.
Bull riding: 2. Oren Larsen, 73 points.
Tie-down roping: No CSI cowboys finished in top eight.
Steer wrestling: No CSI cowboys finished in top eight.
Team roping header: 2. Dustan Birrer, 8.3 seconds.
Team roping heeler: 2. Glade Hall, 8.3 seconds.
Barrel racing: 4. Samantha Logan, 28.72 seconds; 8. Traci Bailey, 33.69.
Breakaway roping: 3. Chuck Povey, 6.8 seconds; 5. Kiara Wanner, 3.0; 8. Traci Bailey, 8.7.
Goat tying: 2. Chuck Povey, 15.8 seconds; 7. Kiara Wanner, 16.8.

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Oakley's Kori Poulton, far left, tries to come up with the ball as Richfield's Breanna Brockman, second from right, reaches in and Kassie Ottley, blue, and Danielle Baker, white middle right, battle for control as well during the girls Class 2A/1A District IV all-star Game Tuesday night at Shoshone High School in Shoshone.

South girls run past North

By Stephen Meyers
Times-News writer

SHOSHONE — Well, this was kind of awkward.

Just three weeks removed from playing each other in the Class 1A Division II state title game, Dietrich's Shayla Porter and Richfield's Mirian Rivas played on the same team Tuesday night in the girls 2A/1A District IV all-star game.

"That was weird," Rivas said with a laugh. "We still have some hurt feelings from losing the state championship game, but she's a good athlete and it was fun playing with her," Rivas said.

Both were on the losing end this game as the South team ran past the North, 43-36.

Kassie Ottley of Raft River led the South with 11 points, Nadine Giardina of Hansen added nine and Sabrina Wybenga pitched in with seven.

Not that the score mattered all that much.

By the fourth quarter, each team was shooting 3-pointers a good three feet behind the line and Declo's Melissa Carson and Oakley's Kori Poulton attempted underhand, "granny shots."

"It was fun to just throw up random shots and not get in trouble for it," said Mollee Shrum of Glenns Ferry, who scored nine points for the North.

Rivas also scored nine, while Porter and Danielle Baker of Gooding each scored six.

Each team came out sluggish and out of sync in the first quarter, understandable since each team practiced for only 45 minutes Monday night.

"We were kind of just running around and were like, 'Here you take it, no you take it, I don't want it,'" Ottley said. "It was weird to just touch a basketball again."

The South took control in the second quarter on an 8-0 run, outscoring the South 14-5 in the period to take a nine-point lead into halftime.

Rivas tried her best to mount a comeback in the fourth quarter, hitting a 3-pointer and recording two steals that led to layups to pull the North all-stars within six, but they ran out of time.

Still, for Rivas it was an opportunity to play with the district's best players.

"It was fun to play with the best players," Rivas said. "I met new people and they're all awesome girls and great athletes. I wish them the best of luck."

Ottley enjoyed the opportunity to play with instead of against her rivals.

"You know them because you've played against them. It's just fun to finally be able to be on a team with them. You're friends but you always end up going against each other and it was a nice change tonight," Ottley said.

Said Rivas: "This is the best way a senior could end their career," Rivas said. "It was fun. It's the last time playing with people you know in the sport you love."

South All Stars 43, North All Stars 36

South	7	14	8	-	43
North	8	5	8	15 -	36

SOUTH (43)
Kassie Ottley 11, Nadine Giardina 9, Sabrina Wybenga 7, Kori Poulton 4, Melissa Carson 3, Sierra Zollinger 2, Cheyenne Crist 4. Totals 15 10-16 43.
NORTH (36)
Mirian Rivas 9, Breanna Brockman 3, Kaylee Exon 2, Mollee Shrum 9, Jennica Kerner 1, Shayla Porter 6, Danielle Baker 6. Totals 10 4-9 36.
3-point goals: South 2 (Ottley, Giardina,); North 6 (Rivas 3, Shrum 2, Vitek). Total fouls: South 10, North 14. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Aldridge, Blazers hand Heat 5th straight loss

MIAMI — Shortly after LeBron James called LaMarcus Aldridge one of the top All-Star "snubs" in NBA history, he scored 26 points and led the Portland Trail Blazers to a 105-96 win over Miami — sending the Heat to their fifth straight loss.

Gerald Wallace scored 22 for Portland, which won its seventh straight on the road and fourth straight overall. Brandon Roy and Andre Miller each scored 14 for the Blazers, who got 11 from Nicolas Batum and 10 more from Wesley Matthews.

Dwyane Wade scored 38 points and LeBron James added 31 points, 11 rebounds and eight assists for the Heat, who are the 12th team in NBA history to have a 12-game winning streak and five-game losing streak in the same season.

Chris Bosh was held to seven points on 3 for 11 shooting.

LAKERS 101, HAWKS 87

ATLANTA — Kobe Bryant scored 26 points to pass Moses Malone on the career scoring list.

The Lakers took a three-game losing streak into the All-Star break. Since then, they've won eight straight, a streak that began with a similar 104-80 home win over the Hawks on Feb. 22.

Bryant passed Malone for sixth place on the list.

The Lakers' 7-footers — Andrew Bynum and Pau Gasol — both had double-doubles and dramatically affected the Hawks' shot selection. Center Al Horford relied on jump shots for his 17 points.

76ERS 110, PACERS 100

INDIANAPOLIS — Thaddeus Young scored 18 points and Andre Iguodala, coming off back-to-back triple-doubles, finished with 16 points and 10 assists for Philadelphia.

Jrue Holiday scored 16 points and Jodie Meeks added 15 for the 76ers, who have won seven of eight.

BUCKS 95, WIZARDS 76

WASHINGTON — Brandon Jennings scored 23 points and Andrew Bogut had 14 points, nine rebounds and seven assists in his first game back after an injury.

John Salmons had 22 points for the Bucks, who ended a two-game losing streak. Jennings scored 10 points in the third quarter and the Bucks led 75-52 after three.

WARRIORS 95, CAVALIERS 85

CLEVELAND — Monta Ellis made a career-high six 3-pointers — all in the second half — and scored 24 points, and Stephen Curry added 23 points.

Ellis made all 5 of his 3-point attempts and scored 17 in the third quarter as the Warriors won for the second time in eight games.

SUNS 113, ROCKETS 110

PHOENIX — Hakim Warrick scored a career-high 32 points starting in place of injured Channing Frye and the Phoenix Suns added to their recent mastery of Houston.

Vince Carter scored 15 of his 32 points in the fourth quarter, including two of his five 3-pointers, in the Suns' seventh consecutive victory over Houston.

— The Associated Press

All-star

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ever state title from Saturday.

"It was a great opportunity to come in and play with the bigger schools. It was good to come back from state and fool around a bit," Bingham said. "It was just Saturday, so not very long ago and we're still so excited."

For all these players, it was the final time to suit up and play for their school.

Said Jones: "This is a cool way to end my career."

South All Stars 73, North All Stars 64

South	19	20	16	18 -	73
North	11	18	15	20 -	64

SOUTH (73)
Clayton Cline 3, Erik Henrickson 11, Ryan Luttmer 3, Brawn Baker 14, Davis Jones 12, Kale Weekes 8, Zac Reid 7, Matt Ivey 2, Tyler Hansen 11, Garrett Critchfield 2. Totals 30 5-14 73.
NORTH (64)
Rory Hance 2, Shane Bingham 4, Blair Peck 9, Jon Jensen 4, Skye Axelson 3, Codey Prince 9, Jacy Baird 3, Nolan Stouder 13, Thomas Lanham 7, Cody Race 10. Totals 26 3-8 64.
3-point goals: South 8 (Hansen 3, Jones 2, Kline, Henrickson, Luttmer); North 9 (Peck 3, Prince 2, Race 2, Lanham, Axelson). Total fouls: South 4, North 8. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: none.

Glenns Ferry's Rory Hance ducks as Valley's Matt Ivey goes over him during the boys Class 2A/1A all-star game Tuesday night at Shoshone High School in Shoshone.

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Barkley

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about joining the college studio show, Barkley said he wouldn't take part if he couldn't get academic. He met with NCAA President Mark Emmert in Atlanta in January, which convinced him players shouldn't be paid because it wasn't fair to give athletes in some sports money but not others.

"He understands what this is all about," NCAA vice president Greg Shaheen said. "His comments are representative of the many issues in the environment of basketball we're all trying to address. ... It's a great opportunity for him to comment on those topics."

Bragging

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at Western Kentucky on Monday, did make it to nationals as a CSI freshman. Those 2006-07 Golden Eagles took fourth place.

Jackson hopes to better that next week in CSI's first trip to nationals since Pattillo was there. But Tuesday night was all about the celebration.

"I'm super excited. I can't stop smiling," said Jackson after turning in another in a long line of clutch performances that earned him Scenic West Athletic Conference Player of the Year honors.

When Cochise trimmed a 21-point CSI lead to nine in the second half, Jackson drilled a pair of treys and the outcome was never in doubt again. "They made their run and we got the lead back up and had to finish it from there," said Jackson.

Jackson said Cochise often ran a box-and-one defense focused on stopping him.

His approach to that: "Whenever I got an open chance, I tried to get a shot off," he said.

And more often than not Jackson found the bottom of the net, earning more than just a big win in the process.

Now he's got some bragging rights as well.

WAC

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Idaho won 10 league games this season, its most since 1994, and handed Utah State its first conference loss in 26 games, 64-56 on Feb. 9. San Jose State has scoring machine Adrian Oliver, who is third in the nation at 24.3 points per game and can single-handedly keep the Spartans in games.

Utah State also had trouble against fifth-seeded Hawaii, needing double overtime to beat the Warriors on Jan. 29, and scratched out a four-point win over third seed New Mexico State in the penultimate game of the season.

Boise State might present the biggest challenge.

The Broncos had a lopsided loss to Utah State in early February, but have been on a roll since, winning their final seven games to finish second in the WAC. Boise State, which also gets a double bye into the semifinals, ended up 19-11 under coach Leon Rice, the most wins in school history under a first-year coach.

"I do like the way we're playing," Rice said. "We're playing with great energy and great enthusiasm. My goal was for these seniors to have a great legacy. They've put themselves in a really good position for this tournament."

NFL offers more financial info; union deciding

WASHINGTON (AP) — The NFL Players Association retained an international investment bank to help it decide whether the league's offer to reveal more financial information during negotiations will be enough to satisfy the union's call for full disclosure.

Zeroing in on the crux of the labor dispute — how to split $9 billion in revenues — one NFLPA executive committee member, Cleveland Browns linebacker Scott Fujita, said in a telephone interview Tuesday with The Associated Press and NFL Network that what the NFL has turned over to the union so far "hasn't been sufficient.

Another executive committee member, Indianapolis Colts center Jeff Saturday, said as he left Tuesday's 9½-hour mediation session that the bank would "help judge how helpful the material they were offering to give us" would be.

The current collective bargaining agreement was set to expire last week, but two extensions now have pushed the cutoff to the end of Friday.

While progress has been made, both sides have stuck to their stances when it comes to two central issues: The NFLPA has not agreed to any major economic concessions; the NFL has not agreed to the union's long-held demand that the league completely open its books, repeatedly saying the players have enough data.

One key question is what cut team owners should get up front to help cover costs such as stadium construction and improvement. Under the old deal, owners received more than $1 billion off the top. They entered these negotiations seeking to add another $1 billion to that amount, before other revenues are divided with players.

Although there might have been some movement in that area, the union says it is not enough.

"We're being asked to give back almost a billion dollars, so it's important for us to adequately analyze and interpret the little bit of information that's been provided," said Fujita, who attended negotiations last month but not this week. "And ultimately, if they're unwilling to provide full audited statements, then we need to know what other information we need to make a sound decision."

Asked whether having full financial transparency from the league is a deal-breaker, NFLPA assistant executive director for external affairs George Atallah replied: "In the face of an almost billion-dollar ask? Yes."

Atallah would not identify the investment bank, which he said has been advising the union for a "couple of months."

The NFL's lead labor negotiator, Jeff Pash, said the bank has not contacted the league.

SCOREBOARD

BASEBALL

MLB Spring Training

All Times MST

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Kansas City	7	4	.636
Detroit	8	5	.615
Minnesota	6	4	.600
Seattle	5	4	.556
Boston	6	5	.545
Los Angeles	6	5	.545
Texas	6	5	.545
Baltimore	4	4	.500
New York	5	5	.500
Oakland	5	6	.455
Cleveland	4	6	.400
Toronto	4	6	.400
Chicago	3	6	.333
Tampa Bay	3	7	.300

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
San Francisco	9	4	.692
Washington	6	3	.667
Atlanta	7	4	.636
Cincinnati	7	4	.636
St. Louis	6	4	.600
Florida	5	4	.556
Colorado	6	5	.545
Milwaukee	6	5	.545
Philadelphia	6	6	.500
Pittsburgh	6	6	.500
San Diego	4	5	.444
Los Angeles	5	7	.417
Chicago	4	7	.364
New York	4	7	.364
Arizona	5	9	.357
Houston	3	9	.250

NOTE: Split-squad games count in the standings; games against non-major league teams do not.

Tuesday's Games

Pittsburgh 5, Minnesota 2
Florida 9, Detroit 5
Boston (ss) 3, Houston (ss) 2
Boston (ss) 8, St. Louis 7
Houston (ss) 5, N.Y. Mets (ss) 4
Tampa Bay 3, Toronto 2, 10 innings
Philadelphia 4, Baltimore 3
N.Y. Yankees 5, Atlanta 4
Washington 4, N.Y. Mets (ss) 3, 10 innings
Chicago White Sox 9, Colorado (ss) 8
Oakland 6, San Diego 2
Cincinnati 5, Kansas City 2
Seattle 1, San Francisco 0
L.A. Dodgers 7, Milwaukee 1
Arizona 16, Cleveland 4
L.A. Angels 2, Texas 1
Colorado (ss) 4, Chicago Cubs 0

Wednesday's Games

Washington vs. Florida at Jupiter, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Philadelphia vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Minnesota vs. Baltimore (ss) at Sarasota, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Toronto vs. Tampa Bay at Port Charlotte, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
St. Louis vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Houston vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 11:10 a.m.
Colorado vs. L.A. Angels at Tempe, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
San Diego (ss) vs. Cleveland at Goodyear, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Oakland vs. Texas at Surprise, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Kansas City vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Seattle vs. L.A. Dodgers at Glendale, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Cincinnati vs. San Diego (ss) at Peoria, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.
Milwaukee vs. Arizona at Scottsdale, Ariz., 1:10 p.m.
Baltimore (ss) vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 5:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh vs. N.Y. Yankees at Tampa, Fla., 5:05 p.m.

BASKETBALL

NBA

All Times MST

EASTERN CONFERENCE

ATLANTIC	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Boston	46	15	.754	–
New York	33	29	.532	13½
Philadelphia	33	30	.524	14
New Jersey	19	43	.306	27½
Toronto	17	46	.270	30
SOUTHEAST	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Miami	43	21	.672	–
Orlando	40	24	.625	3
Atlanta	37	27	.578	6
Charlotte	26	37	.413	16½
Washington	16	47	.254	26½
CENTRAL	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Chicago	44	18	.710	–
Indiana	27	36	.429	17½
Milwaukee	24	38	.387	20
Detroit	23	41	.359	22
Cleveland	12	51	.190	32½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

SOUTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	51	12	.810	–
Dallas	46	17	.730	5
New Orleans	37	29	.561	15½
Memphis	36	29	.554	16
Houston	33	33	.500	19½
NORTHWEST	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
Oklahoma City	39	23	.629	–
Denver	37	27	.578	3
Portland	37	27	.578	3
Utah	33	31	.516	7
Minnesota	15	50	.231	25½
PACIFIC	**W**	**L**	**Pct**	**GB**
L.A. Lakers	46	19	.708	–
Phoenix	33	29	.532	11½
Golden State	28	35	.444	17
L.A. Clippers	24	40	.375	21½
Sacramento	15	46	.246	29

x-clinched playoff spot

Monday's Games

L.A. Clippers 92, Charlotte 87
Portland 89, Orlando 85
New York 131, Utah 109
Chicago 85, New Orleans 77
Memphis 107, Oklahoma City 101
Dallas 108, Minnesota 105
Houston 123, Sacramento 101

Tuesday's Games

L.A. Lakers 101, Atlanta 87
Golden State 95, Cleveland 85
Philadelphia 110, Indiana 100
Milwaukee 95, Washington 76
Portland 105, Miami 96
Phoenix 113, Houston 110

Wednesday's Games

Chicago at Charlotte, 5 p.m.
Golden State at New Jersey, 5 p.m.
Oklahoma City at Philadelphia, 5 p.m.
Utah at Toronto, 5 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Boston, 5:30 p.m.
New York at Memphis, 6 p.m.
Cleveland at Milwaukee, 6 p.m.
Indiana at Minnesota, 6 p.m.
Dallas at New Orleans, 6 p.m.
Detroit at San Antonio, 6:30 p.m.
Orlando at Sacramento, 8 p.m.

Thursday's Games

L.A. Lakers at Miami, 5 p.m.
New York at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m.

NBA Boxes

TRAIL BLAZERS 105, HEAT 96

PORTLAND (105)
Batum 4-5 3-3 11, Aldridge 11-20 4-4 26, Camby 1-6 1-1 3, A.Miller 6-8 2-2 14, Matthews 3-7 2-2 10, Wallace 8-14 5-6 22, Fernandez 1-6 0-0 3, Roy 5-8 1-1 14, Mills 1-5 0-0 2. Totals 40-79 18-19 105.
MIAMI (96)
James 14-20 1-4 31, Bosh 3-11 1-1 7, Dampier 1-2 0-0 2, Chalmers 4-7 1-1 10, Wade 12-21 12-13 38, M.Miller 1-7 0-0 2, Anthony 0-0 0-0 0, Jones 0-0 0-0 0, Bibby 2-4 0-0 6, Ilgauskas 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 37-72 15-19 96.

Portland	25	32	20	28	–	105
Miami	25	26	24	21	–	96

3-Point Goals–Portland 7-17 (Roy 3-3, Matthews 2-3, Fernandez 1-4, Wallace 1-4, Batum 0-1, Mills 0-2), Miami 7-22 (Bibby 2-4, James 2-4, Wade 2-8, Chalmers 1-4, M.Miller 0-2). Fouled Out–None. Rebounds–Portland 39 (Wallace 9), Miami 40 (James 11). Assists–Portland 21 (Matthews, A.Miller 5), Miami 20 (James 8). Total Fouls–Portland 16, Miami 21. Technicals–A.Miller. A–19,835 (19,600).

BUCKS 95, WIZARDS 76

MILWAUKEE (95)
Delfino 5-11 3-3 15, Mbah a Moute 0-3 1-2 1, Bogut 7-13 0-2 14, Jennings 10-20 0-0 23, Salmons 7-14 6-6 22, Sanders 2-7 2-3 6, Dooling 4-9 2-2 12, Brockman 0-0 0-0 0, Boykins 1-4 0-0 2, Douglas-Roberts 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 36-82 14-18 95.
WASHINGTON (76)
Evans 5-11 0-0 11, Blatche 0-1 0-0 0, McGee 4-9 1-5 9, Wall 4-17 2-4 10, Young 5-13 0-1 10, Booker 4-9 0-0 8, Seraphin 0-4 1-2 1, Crawford 9-17 3-3 22, N'diaye 0-0 1-2 1, Shakur 0-1 0-0 0, Yi 1-3 2-2 4. Totals 32-85 10-19 76.

Milwaukee	22	29	24	20	–	95
Washington	21	15	16	24	–	76

3-Point Goals–Milwaukee 9-23 (Jennings 3-9, Dooling 2-4, Delfino 2-4, Salmons 2-5, Douglas-Roberts 0-1), Washington 2-12 (Evans 1-1, Crawford 1-5, Shakur 0-1, Wall 0-1, Young 0-4). Fouled Out–None. Rebounds–Milwaukee 47 (Bogut 9), Washington 65 (McGee 13). Assists–Milwaukee 24 (Bogut 7), Washington 17 (Wall 7). Total Fouls–Milwaukee 18, Washington 16. A–16,190 (20,173).

LAKERS 101, HAWKS 87

L.A. LAKERS (101)
Artest 3-8 1-2 7, Gasol 6-16 2-2 14, Bynum 8-10 0-0 16, Fisher 4-8 2-2 11, Bryant 8-18 9-11 26, Odom 5-8 2-2 12, Barnes 1-1 2-2 5, Blake 1-3 0-0 3, Brown 3-7 0-0 7. Totals 39-79 18-21 101.
ATLANTA (87)
Williams 1-5 2-2 4, Jos.Smith 6-13 2-5 16, Horford 8-16 0-0 17, Hinrich 5-10 0-0 12, Johnson 4-14 2-2 11, Crawford 2-8 4-4 9, Pachulia 3-8 2-2 8, Wilkins 4-6 2-2 10, Teague 0-3 0-0 0. Totals 33-83 14-17 87.

L.A. Lakers	29	28	24	20	–	101
Atlanta	25	24	16	22	–	87

3-Point Goals–L.A. Lakers 5-12 (Blake 1-1, Barnes 1-1, Fisher 1-2, Brown 1-2, Bryant 1-4, Artest 0-2), Atlanta 7-22 (Jos.Smith 2-4, Hinrich 2-5, Horford 1-1, Crawford 1-5, Johnson 1-5, Wilkins 0-1, Teague 0-1). Fouled Out–None. Rebounds–L.A. Lakers 49 (Bynum 16), Atlanta 47 (Pachulia 10). Assists–L.A. Lakers 27 (Gasol 5), Atlanta 21 (Jos.Smith 6). Total Fouls–L.A. Lakers 15, Atlanta 17. A–19,890 (18,729).

76ERS 110, PACERS 100

PHILADELPHIA (110)
Iguodala 7-13 0-1 16, Brand 5-11 2-2 12, Hawes 6-9 0-1 12, Holiday 8-13 0-0 16, Meeks 4-8 5-6 15, Speights 2-8 0-0 4, Young 9-13 0-0 18, Turner 3-8 3-4 10, Williams 3-9 0-1 7. Totals 47-92 10-15 110.
INDIANA (100)
Granger 4-11 3-3 11, McRoberts 1-7 3-4 5, Hibbert 3-8 7-8 13, Collison 4-7 1-1 10, Rush 2-2 0-0 4, George 2-4 2-3 6, Hansbrough 11-14 4-4 26, D.Jones 4-6 2-2 11, Stephenson 1-3 0-0 2, Price 3-10 5-6 12. Totals 35-72 27-31 100.

Philadelphia	34	31	19	26	–	110
Indiana	23	30	17	30	–	100

3-Point Goals–Philadelphia 6-16 (Iguodala 2-3, Meeks 2-6, Turner 1-1, Williams 1-4, Holiday 0-2), Indiana 3-11 (Collison 1-1, D.Jones 1-2, Price 1-4, Stephenson 0-1, Granger 0-3). Fouled Out–Price. Rebounds–Philadelphia 45 (Young 9), Indiana 46 (George 10). Assists–Philadelphia 24 (Iguodala 10), Indiana 13 (D.Jones 4). Total Fouls–Philadelphia 26, Indiana 22. Technicals–Indiana defensive three second. Flagrant Fouls–D.Jones. A–9,466 (18,165).

WARRIORS 95, CAVALIERS 85

GOLDEN STATE (95)
Wright 3-9 1-2 7, Lee 6-16 2-2 14, Udoh 2-4 0-0 4, Curry 10-18 1-1 23, Ellis 9-21 0-0 24, Law 1-4 0-0 2, Williams 0-1 0-0 0, Biedrins 1-1 0-0 2, Amundson 2-4 0-0 4, Thornton 3-3 3-3 9, Radmanovic 2-5 2-2 6. Totals 39-86 9-10 95.
CLEVELAND (85)
Gee 2-7 0-0 4, Samuels 5-14 1-2 11, Hickson 3-11 4-4 10, Sessions 2-9 4-4 8, Parker 2-9 1-2 6, Gibson 1-5 0-0 3, Eyenga 3-7 2-2 8, Davis 7-14 3-4 19, Hollins 6-8 2-3 14, Graham 0-1 2-2 2. Totals 31-85 19-23 85.

Golden State	18	29	29	19	–	95
Cleveland	30	16	19	20	–	85

3-Point Goals–Golden State 8-18 (Ellis 6-9, Curry 2-5, Radmanovic 0-1, Williams 0-1, Wright 0-2), Cleveland 4-18 (Davis 2-4, Parker 1-4, Gibson 1-4, Samuels 0-1, Eyenga 0-2, Gee 0-3). Fouled Out–None. Rebounds–Golden State 51 (Lee 14), Cleveland 55 (Samuels 9). Assists–Golden State 21 (Ellis 7), Cleveland 18 (Davis 6). Total Fouls–Golden State 17, Cleveland 16. Technicals–Cleveland defensive three second. A–19,919 (20,562).

SUNS 113, ROCKETS 110

HOUSTON (110)
Budinger 5-13 2-2 13, J.Hill 3-6 0-2 6, Hayes 3-7 3-4 9, Lowry 11-18 3-4 32, Martin 5-16 7-7 17, Lee 2-5 0-0 4, Miller 1-4 3-5 5, Patterson 9-12 0-0 18, Dragic 0-4 6-8 6. Totals 39-85 24-32 110.
PHOENIX (113)
G.Hill 5-8 7-9 19, Warrick 14-19 4-5 32, Lopez 3-5 0-0 6, Nash 2-5 5-6 9, Carter 13-17 1-2 32, Gortat 6-15 1-3 13, Pietrus 0-1 0-0 0, Brooks 0-6 0-0 0, Dudley 0-4 0-0 0, Childress 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 44-81 18-25 113.

Houston	26	24	32	28	–	110
Phoenix	24	24	31	34	–	113

3-Point Goals–Houston 8-19 (Lowry 7-11, Budinger 1-4, Martin 0-1, Dragic 0-1, Lee 0-1, Miller 0-1), Phoenix 7-13 (Carter 5-7, G.Hill 2-2, Nash 0-1, Dudley 0-1, Warrick 0-1, Brooks 0-1). Fouled Out–None. Rebounds–Houston 46 (Hayes, Miller 9), Phoenix 52 (Gortat 16). Assists–Houston 21 (Miller, Lowry, Martin 4), Phoenix 28 (Nash 14). Total Fouls–Houston 20, Phoenix 18. Technicals–Phoenix Coach Gentry, Pietrus 2. Ejected–Pietrus. A–17,363 (18,422).

Monday's Late NBA Box

ROCKETS 123, KINGS 101

HOUSTON (123)
Budinger 6-10 4-4 20, Scola 5-7 0-0 10, Hayes 4-5 0-0 8, Lowry 7-12 1-1 19, Martin 3-12 8-8 15, Lee 7-13 5-5 19, Miller 2-4 3-3 7, Dragic 3-6 4-4 10, Patterson 4-8 0-0 8, Hill 1-4 0-1 2, Williams 2-2 1-1 5. Totals 44-83 26-27 123.
SACRAMENTO (101)
Garcia 5-9 1-2 11, Cousins 10-20 0-0 20, Dalembert 4-12 0-0 8, Udrih 6-8 3-3 15, Thornton 6-17 2-2 16, Casspi 5-11 0-0 10, Thompson 3-5 1-2 7, Taylor 5-8 0-0 10, Jackson 0-1 2-2 2, Jeter 1-4 0-0 2. Totals 45-95 9-11 101.

Houston	29	36	30	28	–	123
Sacramento	30	28	16	27	–	101

3-Point Goals–Houston 9-23 (Budinger 4-6, Lowry 4-8, Martin 1-5, Lee 0-1, Miller 0-1, Dragic 0-2), Sacramento 2-6 (Thornton 2-3, Garcia 0-1, Taylor 0-2). Fouled Out–None. Rebounds–Houston 45 (Lowry 7), Sacramento 47 (Dalembert 12). Assists–Houston 23 (Lowry 8), Sacramento 21 (Udrih, Thornton 4). Total Fouls–Houston 17, Sacramento 16. Technicals–Sacramento defensive three second. A–12,561 (17,317).

GAME PLAN

TV SCHEDULE

CYCLING

2 p.m.

VERSUS — Paris-Nice, stage 4, Creches-sur-Saone to Belleville, France (same-day tape)

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

10 a.m.

ESPN — Big East Conference, second round, Georgetown vs. Connecticut

Noon

ESPN — Big East Conference, second round, St. John's vs. Rutgers

5 p.m.

ESPN — Big East Conference, second round, Cincinnati vs. Villanova
ESPN2 — Northeast Conference, championship game, Robert Morris at Long Island U.

7 p.m.

ESPN — Big East Conference, second round, West Virginia vs. Marquette-Providence winner
ESPN2 — Big Sky Conference, championship game, Montana-Weber State winner vs. Northern Colorado-Northern Arizona winner
FSN — Pac-10 Conference, Stanford vs. Oregon State

9:30 p.m.

FSN — Pac-10 Conference, first round, Oregon vs. Arizona State

NHL HOCKEY

5:30 p.m.

VERSUS — Chicago at Tampa Bay

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

10 a.m.

FSN — Big 12 Conference, quarterfinal, Baylor vs. Kansas-Colorado winner

12:30 p.m.

FSN — Big 12 Conference, quarterfinal, Kansas State vs. Iowa State-Nebraska winner

Men's College Scores

East

Princeton 70, Penn 58

Tournament

Atlantic 10 Conference

First Round

Dayton 78, Massachusetts 50
La Salle 75, St. Bonaventure 73, 2OT
Rhode Island 70, Saint Louis 61
Saint Joseph's 71, George Washington 59, OT

Big East Conference

First Round

Connecticut 97, DePaul 71
Marquette 87, Providence 66
Rutgers 76, Seton Hall 70, OT
South Florida 70, Villanova 69

Big Sky Conference

Semifinals

Montana 57, Weber St. 40
N. Colorado 73, N. Arizona 70

Horizon League

Championship

Butler 59, Wis.-Milwaukee 44

Mid-American Conference

First Round

Akron 67, E. Michigan 53
Bowling Green 74, N. Illinois 54
Buffalo 64, Cent. Michigan 50
Ohio 74, Toledo 57

Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference

First Round

Md.-Eastern Shore 87, Florida A&M 85, 2OT

Summit League

Championship

Oakland, Mich. 90, Oral Roberts 76

Sun Belt Conference

Championship

Ark.-Little Rock 64, North Texas 63

NCAA Men's Division I Tournament Automatic Bids

Arkansas-Little Rock, Sun Belt Conference
Belmont, Atlantic Sun Conference
Butler, Horizon League
Gonzaga, West Coast Conference
Indiana State, Missouri Valley Conference
Morehead State, Ohio Valley Conference
Oakland, Michigan, Summit League
Old Dominion, Colonial Athletic Association
Saint Peter's, Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference
UNC Asheville, Big South Conference
Wofford, Southern Conference

Women's College Scores

East

Harvard 62, Dartmouth 55
Princeton 78, Penn 27

Tournament

Big 12 Conference

First Round

Iowa St. 69, Nebraska 61
Kansas 71, Colorado 45
Texas 79, Missouri 66
Texas Tech 75, Oklahoma St. 52

Big East Conference

Championship

Connecticut 73, Notre Dame 64

Big West Conference

First Round

Cal Poly 73, Cal St.-Fullerton 70
UC Davis 72, UC Irvine 45

Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference

First Round

Howard 68, Norfolk St. 56
Md.-Eastern Shore 52, Delaware St. 44
S. Carolina St. 62, Bethune-Cookman 52

Mountain West Conference

First Round

Air Force 66, Colorado St. 63
Utah 55, UNLV 44

Northeast Conference

Semifinals

Monmouth, N.J. 65, Robert Morris 62
St. Francis, Pa. 68, Cent. Connecticut St. 62

Southland Conference

Quarterfinals

McNeese St. 65, SE Louisiana 55

First Round

Cent. Arkansas 64, Stephen F.Austin 58
Lamar 81, Northwestern St. 77
UTSA 69, Sam Houston St. 61

Summit League

Championship

S. Dakota St. 61, Oakland, Mich. 54

Sun Belt Conference

Championship

Ark.-Little Rock 66, W. Kentucky 59

USA Today/ ESPN Women's Top 25 Poll

The top 25 teams in the USA Today-ESPN women's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through March 7, points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and previous ranking:

	W-L	Pts	Pvs
1. Connecticut	31-1	774	1
2. Stanford	27-2	738	2
3. Baylor	28-2	704	3
4. Tennessee	31-2	693	4
5. Xavier	28-2	651	6
6. Duke	29-3	605	7
7. Notre Dame	26-6	560	8
8. Texas A&M	25-4	556	5
9. UCLA	26-3	549	9
10. Miami	27-4	435	10
11. Wisconsin-Green Bay	29-1	433	12
12. DePaul	27-6	416	13
13. Michigan St.	26-5	409	11
14. North Carolina	25-8	355	19
15. Florida St.	23-7	332	14
16. Kentucky	24-8	302	16
17. Marist	30-2	261	18
18. Maryland	23-7	246	15
19. Gonzaga	28-4	205	20
20. Oklahoma	20-10	194	17
21. Georgetown	22-10	152	21
22. Houston	25-4	122	24
23. Marquette	23-8	80	23
24. Ohio St.	22-9	70	
25. West Virginia	23-9	64	22

Others receiving votes: St. John's 32, Louisiana Tech 29, Georgia Tech 17, Iowa State 17, Iowa 16, Northern Iowa 14, Rutgers 13, Louisville 10, Penn State 6, BYU 5, Texas 3, Syracuse 2, Texas Tech 2, Tulane 2, Middle Tennessee 1.

HOCKEY

NHL

All Times MST

EASTERN

ATLANTIC	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	66	41	19	6	88	212	175
Pittsburgh	68	39	21	8	86	196	167
N.Y. Rangers	68	35	29	4	74	193	164
New Jersey	66	30	32	4	64	140	170
N.Y. Islanders	68	26	32	10	62	188	216
NORTHEAST	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
Boston	66	38	20	8	84	200	156
Montreal	67	37	23	7	81	180	168
Buffalo	66	32	26	8	72	190	190
Toronto	67	29	28	10	68	176	206
Ottawa	66	23	34	9	55	149	207
SOUTHEAST	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
Washington	67	37	20	10	84	178	167
Tampa Bay	66	37	21	8	82	196	200
Carolina	66	31	26	9	71	191	201
Atlanta	66	27	28	11	65	184	214
Florida	67	27	31	9	63	168	186

WESTERN

CENTRAL	GP	W	L	OT	Pts	GF	GA
Detroit	66	39	19	8	86	219	193
Chicago	67	37	24	6	80	220	185
Nashville	66	33	24	9	75	167	156
Columbus	65	31	26	8	70	180	196
St. Louis	66	29	28	9	67	182	198
NORTHWEST	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
Vancouver	68	43	16	9	95	220	158
Calgary	68	35	24	9	79	207	193
Minnesota	67	35	25	7	77	176	176
Colorado	66	26	32	8	60	187	229
Edmonton	67	23	36	8	54	170	219
PACIFIC	**GP**	**W**	**L**	**OT**	**Pts**	**GF**	**GA**
San Jose	66	38	22	6	82	185	167
Dallas	66	36	23	7	79	184	186
Phoenix	68	34	23	11	79	194	198
Los Angeles	66	36	25	5	77	183	163
Anaheim	66	35	26	5	75	182	193

NOTE: Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss.

Monday's Games

Washington 2, Tampa Bay 1, SO
St. Louis 5, Columbus 4, SO
Dallas 4, Los Angeles 3, OT

Tuesday's Games

Ottawa 2, New Jersey 1
N.Y. Islanders 4, Toronto 3, OT
Philadelphia 4, Edmonton 1
Pittsburgh 3, Buffalo 1
Montreal 4, Boston 1
Florida 3, Chicago 2
Minnesota 5, Colorado 2
Vancouver 4, Phoenix 3, OT
Nashville at San Jose, late

Wednesday's Games

Edmonton at Washington, 5 p.m.
Atlanta at Carolina, 5 p.m.
St. Louis at Columbus, 5 p.m.
Los Angeles at Detroit, 5:30 p.m.
Chicago at Tampa Bay, 5:30 p.m.
Calgary at Dallas, 7 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Anaheim, 8:30 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL–Named Joe Garagiola Jr. senior vice president of standards and on-field operations and Kim Ng and Peter Woodfork senior vice presidents for baseball operations. Promoted umpire supervisors Randy Mars and Rich Rieker to directors of umpiring. Agreed to a six-year contract extension with National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues.

American League

BOSTON RED SOX–Agreed to terms with RHP Daniel Bard, RHP Michael Bowden, RHP Clay Buchholz, LHP Felix Doubront, RHP Stolmy Pimentel, C Luis Esposito, C Mark Wagner, INF Lars Anderson, INF Jed Lowrie, INF Yamaico Navarro, INF Oscar Tejeda, OF Ryan Kalish, OF Darnell McDonald, OF Daniel Nava and OF Josh Reddick on one-year contracts.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS–Reassigned RHP Gaby Hernandez, RHP Patrick Keating, C Ryan Eigsti and 2B Johnny Giavotella to their minor league camp.
LOS ANGELES ANGELS–Reassigned C Carlos Ramirez, C Angel De Los Santos and C Jose Jimenez to their minor league camp.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

DENVER NUGGETS–Signed coach George Karl to a three-year contract extension.
PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS–Agreed to terms with coach Nate McMillan on a two-year contract extension.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

ANAHEIM DUCKS–Signed D Luca Sbisa to a four-year contract extension.
OTTAWA SENATORS–Recalled F Colin Greening from Binghamton (AHL). Signed F Wacey Hamilton to a three-year contract.
ST. LOUIS BLUES–Activated G Jaroslav Halak from injured reserve. Assigned G Ben Bishop to Peoria (AHL).

ECHL

ECHL–Fined Las Vegas F Greg Collins an undisclosed amount for his actions during Friday's game at Idaho. Suspended Stockton D Ryan Constant two games and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions during Friday's game against Alaska. Suspended Toledo D Sebastien Piche two games and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions during Saturday's game at Cincinnati.
ELMIRA JACKALS–Signed F Andrew Willock.
READING ROYALS–Loaned F Chris Blight to Portland (AHL) and D Jared Ross to Peoria (AHL). Announced D Louis Liotti has been returned from Bridgeport (AHL).
TRENTON DEVILS–Acquired D Mike Gershon and future considerations from Wheeling for F Jeremy Akeson and D Justin Coutu.
UTAH GRIZZLIES–Signed F Shea Guthrie.

SOCCER

Major League Soccer

VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC–Signed MF Davide Chiumiento.

COLLEGE

FORDHAM–Announced the resignation of women's basketball coach Cathy Andruzzi.
MONTANA STATE–Announced the resignation of men's assistant basketball coach Brian Priebe.
MONTANA STATE BILLINGS–Announced the resignation of women's soccer coach Don Trentham to accept an assistant coaching position at Wyoming. Promoted women's assistant soccer coach Wojtek Krakowiak to interim head coach.
OHIO STATE–Suspended football coach Jim Tressel for two games and fined him $250,000 for violating NCAA rules.
PRESBYTERIAN–Announced it is dropping the men's lacrosse program.
UNC GREENSBORO–Announced the retirement of women's basketball coach Lynne Agee.
WAKE FOREST–Named Jamie Franks men's volunteer assistant soccer coach.
WASHINGTON–Suspended basketball G Venoy Overton for the Pac-10 tournament for being charged with providing alcohol to a minor.

Judge wrestles with release of Bonds juror info

SAN FRANCISCO — Several media companies including The Associated Press are arguing for opening the jury selection process at the start of the Barry Bonds perjury trial.

Bonds' legal team and federal prosecutors argued for limiting the release of jurors' names and other information during the trial scheduled to begin March 21.

U.S. District Judge Susan Illston didn't rule Tuesday after hearing arguments. But she appeared inclined to issue some restrictions to ensure a fair trial.

At particular issue is the release of jurors' names. The media also want access to detailed questionnaires prospective jurors fill out before they are questioned by attorneys.

The questionnaires are designed to root out biased jurors by asking their opinions of Bonds, baseball and steroids among other questions.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Mich. player 'larger than life'

HOLLAND, Mich. — Classmates, coaches and former opponents were among the mourners who filled a southwest Michigan church Tuesday to celebrate the short life of a teen athlete who friends and family say will have a long-lasting impact.

Many of the more than 1,500 people at Wes Leonard's funeral wore orange ribbons, and some released orange and black balloons outside the church, mirroring the colors of the Fennville High team that he made a game-winning shot for last week before collapsing on the basketball court.

The night before they paid tribute to Leonard at the church, his teammates honored the 16-year-old junior as they played through their grief to win their first game in the state Class C tournament.

Those who knew the "larger than life" football and basketball star always recognized that he was special, even apart from sports, his uncle, Jim Leonard, said during the church service. National attention in the wake of Leonard's death has touted his character to a far broader audience.

"It's just amazing that now the whole world knows how special he was," Jim Leonard said at Christ Memorial Church. "Wes will not be forgotten."

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

No. 21 UConn downs DePaul

NEW YORK — Kemba Walker scored 26 points and Connecticut won a Big East tournament game for the first time in six years, beating DePaul 97-71 on Tuesday in the opener of a conference showcase loaded with NCAA contenders.

Jeremy Lamb, playing on a sore knee, had 17 of his 19 points in the first half for the 21st-ranked Huskies (22-9), who got back on track after losing four of their final five regular-season games. No. 9 seed UConn advanced to play Wednesday against No. 22 Georgetown, the No. 8 seed at Madison Square Garden.

CYCLING

UCI wins anti-doping verdicts

GENEVA — Italian rider Franco Pellizotti was found guilty of doping and banned for two years Tuesday in a landmark victory for cycling's blood profiling program.

The Court of Arbitration for Sport ruled that evidence of blood doping was confirmed in Pellizotti's biological passport profile. He was stripped of all his race results since May 2009.

Pellizotti, whose ban runs through May 2, 2012, loses his third-place finish at the 2009 Giro d'Italia and his King of the Mountains title at the 2009 Tour de France. He also must pay the International Cycling Union a fine of $160,000, CAS said.

Cycling's governing body welcomed the court's endorsement of its flagship project to catch drug cheats.

"We always were convinced of the quality of our anti-doping program and the work of our scientific people," UCI spokesman Enrico Carpani said in a telephone interview.

Sports Shorts

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MAGIC VALLEY

Buhl baseball sign-ups near

BUHL — Buhl Babe Ruth Baseball will hold sign-ups for boys ages 13-15 (as of April 30, 2011) from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, March 15 a That One Place. Information: Mike Hamilton or Mary Kelly at 543-4354.

T.F. Terror softball tryouts set

The Twin Falls Terror softball team will hold tryouts for its 12U team at 6 p.m. Wednesday, March 9 at the Twin Falls High School softball field. Tryouts for the 14U team will be held at 6 p.m. Thursday, March 10. Information: email Leslie Phillips at phillipsle@tfsd.org.

CSI Intercollegiate Rodeo nears

The 35th annual CSI Intercollegiate Rodeo will be held Friday, March 18 and Saturday, March 19 at the College of Southern Idaho's Eldon Evans Expo Center. Action begins at 8 p.m. each night, with doors opening at 6 p.m. The event concludes the rodeo season for the Rocky Mountain Region and will decide region titles and qualifiers for the College National Finals Rodeo in June.

The Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, March 17, with tickets available for $5.

Tickets for the Intercollegiate Rodeo are available in advance from Beacon Grill and Vickers Western Store in Twin Falls, EZ Money Pawn and Auto in Burley and at the Expo Center. Adult tickets are $8 in advance or $9 at the door. Kids ages 4-12 will be admitted for $5.

TFCYB observation day set

Twin Falls County Youth Baseball's Rookie league observation day will be at 1 p.m. Saturday. Participants should report to the recreation building at Harmon Park. Boys and girls ages 7-8 are invited to participate. Information: Gena at 420-9910 or Brent at 293-2719.

YMCA offers tennis lessons

A Beginners Tennis Clinic for ages 6-11 will be offered at the YMCA on Elizabeth Blvd. in Twin Falls. Clinic sessions will be held from 4:30 to 6 p.m. each Wednesday from March 16 to April 13. The cost for the five-week is $50. Register at the YMCA. Information: 733-4384.

Rupert soccer sign-ups ending

RUPERT — Rupert Recreation District is holding registration for coed spring soccer through today. Flyers are at city halls in Heyburn, Paul and Rupert and at Donnelleys Sports. The cost is $16 and games begin in April. Information: Rupert Recreation 434-2400 or city of Rupert website.

— Staff and wire reports

BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Partly to mostly cloudy. High 52.

Tonight: Mainly cloudy, chilly. Low 33.

Tomorrow: Rain showers turning to snow showers late. High 54.

ALMANAC - BURLEY

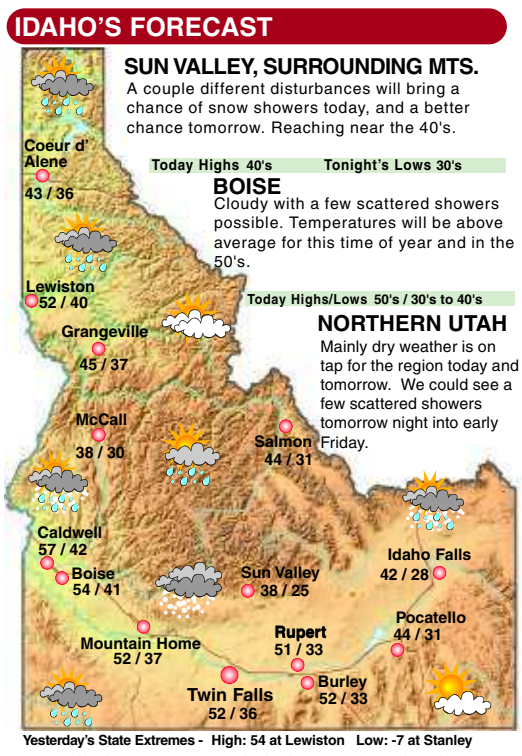
Temperature

Yesterday's High	41°
Yesterday's Low	27°
Normal High / Low	50° / 27°
Record High	68° in 1972
Record Low	3° in 1985

Precipitation

Yesterday's	Trace
Month to Date	0.49"
Avg. Month to Date	0.28"
Water Year to Date	5.95"
Avg. Water Year to Date	5"

IDAHO'S FORECAST



SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.
A couple different disturbances will bring a chance of snow showers today, and a better chance tomorrow. Reaching near the 40's.

Today Highs 40's Tonight's Lows 30's

BOISE
Cloudy with a few scattered showers possible. Temperatures will be above average for this time of year and in the 50's.

Today Highs/Lows 50's / 30's to 40's

NORTHERN UTAH
Mainly dry weather is on tap for the region today and tomorrow. We could see a few scattered showers tomorrow night into early Friday.

Yesterday's State Extremes - High: 54 at Lewiston Low: -7 at Stanley

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

TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Increasing clouds	A few developing rain showers	Scattered showers, snow overnight	Cooler, mainly cloudy	Periods of sunshine	Dry and comfortable
High 52°	Low 36°	57° / 32°	49° / 32°	53° / 31°	57° / 36°

Yesterday's Weather

City	Hi	Lo	Prcp
Boise	41	26	0.05"
Challis	39	16	0.00"
Coeur d' Alene	36	28	0.05"
Idaho Falls	34	24	0.01"
Jerome	37	21	0.05"
Lewiston	54	31	Trace"
Lowell	43	32	0.06"
Malad City	n/a	n/a	n/a"
Malta	n/a	n/a	n/a"
Pocatello	36	23	0.23"
Rexburg	32	23	0.07"
Salmon	39	19	0.00"
Stanley	28	-7	0.04"
Sun Valley	36	9	0.10"

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature

Yesterday's High	41°
Yesterday's Low	24°
Normal High / Low	49° / 28°
Record High	65° in 1970
Record Low	12° in 1985

Precipitation

Yesterday's	0.06"
Month to Date	0.66"
Avg. Month to Date	0.29"
Water Year to Date	6.97"
Avg. Water Year to Date	5.63"

Humidity

Yesterday's High	93%
Yesterday's Low	48%
Today's Forecast Avg.	73%

Barometric Pressure

5 pm Yesterday 30.13 in.

A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30

Temperature & Precipitation valid through 5 pm yesterday

Sunrise and Sunset

Today	Sunrise: 7:00 AM	Sunset: 6:37 PM
Thursday	Sunrise: 6:59 AM	Sunset: 6:38 PM
Friday	Sunrise: 6:57 AM	Sunset: 6:39 PM
Saturday	Sunrise: 6:55 AM	Sunset: 6:41 PM
Sunday	Sunrise: 6:55 AM	Sunset: 7:42 PM

Moon Phases

First	Full	Last	New
Mar. 13	Mar. 19	Mar. 26	April 3

Moonrise and Moonset

Today	Moonrise: 8:47 AM	Moonset: 11:47 PM
Thursday	Moonrise: 9:22 AM	Moonset: none
Friday	Moonrise: 10:04 AM	Moonset: 12:47 AM

Today's U. V. Index

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Low Moderate High
1 3 5 7 10

The higher the index the more sun protection needed

Forecasts and maps prepared by: DayWeather, Inc. Cheyenne, Wyoming www.dayweather.com

REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W	Friday Hi	Lo	W
Boise	54	41	r	55	32	r	51	32	mc
Bonners Ferry	41	36	mx	44	30	r	42	30	mx
Burley	52	33	pc	54	34	r	48	34	mx
Challis	45	29	mx	49	26	r	41	26	ls
Coeur d' Alene	43	36	r	43	30	r	42	30	ls
Elko, NV	53	30	pc	58	28	pc	52	28	pc
Eugene, OR	60	42	r	52	34	r	53	34	r
Gooding	47	33	r	50	30	r	46	30	pc
Grace	39	23	pc	42	25	mc	36	25	ls
Hagerman	52	36	r	56	32	r	51	32	pc
Hailey	40	26	ls	43	23	mx	38	23	ls
Idaho Falls	42	28	mx	47	27	r	41	27	mx
Kalispell, MT	44	32	sh	48	30	sh	42	30	mx
Jerome	49	34	r	54	31	r	47	31	pc
Lewiston	52	40	r	56	36	r	52	36	sh
Malad City	42	27	pc	49	29	pc	41	29	mx
Malta	46	32	pc	50	33	mc	43	33	mx
McCall	38	30	mx	40	20	r	36	20	ls
Missoula, MT	47	35	sh	50	30	sh	43	30	mx
Pocatello	44	31	pc	50	31	r	45	31	mx
Portland, OR	57	43	r	52	37	r	51	37	r
Rupert	51	33	pc	54	33	r	48	33	mx
Rexburg	37	27	mx	42	24	r	36	24	ls
Richland, WA	60	42	r	57	35	r	58	35	pc
Rogerson	42	31	mc	48	24	mx	39	24	pc
Salmon	44	31	sh	49	24	sh	42	24	ls
Salt Lake City, UT	51	40	pc	59	41	pc	54	41	mc
Spokane, WA	43	37	r	47	31	r	47	31	sh
Stanley	41	25	ls	42	20	mx	36	20	ls
Sun Valley	38	25	ls	40	19	mx	33	19	ls
Yellowstone, MT	35	19	ls	40	13	ls	29	13	ls

NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Atlanta	60	43	th	48	33	sh
Atlantic City	44	40	mc	53	41	th
Baltimore	46	40	r	56	41	r
Billings	46	29	pc	48	28	pc
Birmingham	67	41	th	53	34	pc
Boston	36	30	pc	42	36	r
Charleston, SC	68	60	mc	68	45	th
Charleston, WV	55	46	th	49	32	sh
Chicago	45	31	r	39	29	ls
Cleveland	47	35	sh	41	28	mx
Denver	51	33	pc	62	38	pc
Des Moines	37	22	mx	39	23	pc
Detroit	41	37	r	41	29	mx
El Paso	70	39	pc	76	41	pc
Fairbanks	10	-18	pc	9	-23	pc
Fargo	27	9	ls	29	17	pc
Honolulu	83	70	sh	83	69	sh
Houston	69	47	th	72	48	su
Indianapolis	53	32	th	41	30	ls
Jacksonville	76	63	pc	70	48	th
Kansas City	42	25	r	48	34	su
Las Vegas	71	53	pc	75	53	pc
Little Rock	60	35	pc	57	36	su
Los Angeles	78	54	su	75	52	pc
Memphis	63	39	sh	52	37	pc
Miami	82	67	sh	81	65	th
Milwaukee	38	30	r	37	26	ls
Nashville	64	40	th	47	32	r
New Orleans	77	50	th	65	48	su
New York	43	38	mc	46	41	r
Oklahoma City	59	35	su	65	42	su
Omaha	35	20	ls	42	27	pc
Orlando	82	64	pc	76	52	th
Philadelphia	50	40	r	55	40	r
Phoenix	81	53	su	87	54	pc
Portland, ME	35	26	pc	40	35	ls
Raleigh	60	57	mc	65	39	th
Rapid City	38	19	pc	49	31	pc
Reno	59	36	pc	60	33	pc
Sacramento	69	46	pc	64	43	r
St. Louis	50	30	r	48	33	pc
St.Paul	34	23	sn	35	18	pc
Salt Lake City	51	40	pc	59	41	pc
San Diego	70	52	pc	68	52	pc
San Francisco	67	50	pc	60	49	r
Seattle	57	43	r	52	37	r
Tucson	79	47	su	84	51	su
Washington, DC	48	44	r	59	42	r

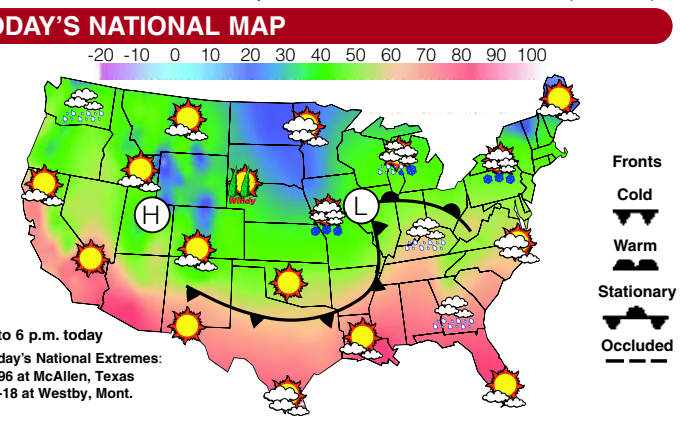
WORLD FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Acapulco	84	70	pc	84	72	pc
Athens	44	41	ls	50	45	pc
Auckland	68	53	pc	68	57	pc
Bangkok	94	78	th	94	78	th
Beijing	56	29	pc	57	31	pc
Berlin	53	30	r	47	37	ls
Buenos Aires	90	68	pc	88	69	pc
Cairo	58	41	sh	58	39	sh
Dhahran	82	70	pc	80	67	sh
Geneva	45	26	pc	48	28	sh
Hong Kong	69	66	sh	70	68	sh
Jerusalem	58	40	sh	51	41	sh
Johannesburg	86	56	pc	87	54	sh
Kuwait City	84	63	sh	79	57	pc
London	49	36	sh	50	33	sh
Mexico City	78	44	pc	63	36	sh
Moscow	26	12	ls	24	7	ls
Nairobi	81	51	sh	81	50	pc
Oslo	33	11	pc	33	16	ls
Paris	54	34	sh	53	40	pc
Prague	52	30	pc	45	33	ls
Rio de Jane	77	67	sh	76	68	sh
Rome	50	39	pc	52	40	pc
Santiago	82	48	pc	81	46	pc
Seoul	45	27	pc	47	29	pc
Sydney	89	64	sh	80	65	sh
Tel Aviv	64	55	sh	57	56	sh
Tokyo	45	31	sh	51	31	pc
Vienna	46	29	pc	50	32	sh
Warsaw	39	30	pc	40	32	pc
Winnipeg	22	14	ls	33	3	ls
Zurich	41	17	pc	41	23	pc

CANADIAN FORECAST

City	Today Hi	Lo	W	Tomorrow Hi	Lo	W
Calgary	32	6	pc	28	-12	ls
Cranbrook	30	25	ls	31	16	sn
Edmonton	29	2	pc	23	-10	ls
Kelowna	32	25	ls	32	5	ls
Lethbridge	38	22	pc	41	11	ls
Regina	28	22	ls	32	-16	ls
Saskatoon	25	13	ls	27	-14	ls
Toronto	32	31	sn	35	26	ls
Vancouver	40	37	ls	40	36	ls
Victoria	48	42	sh	48	42	sh
Winnipeg	22	14	ls	33	3	ls

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



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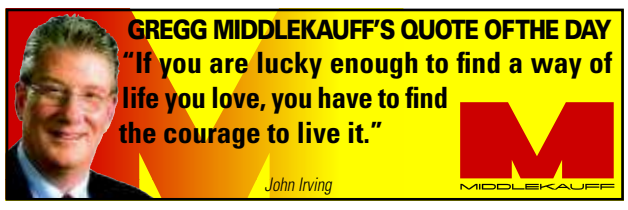
Yesterday's National Extremes:
High: 96 at McAllen, Texas
Low: -18 at Westby, Mont.



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Ohio State suspends Tressel 2 games for violation

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Ohio State suspended football coach Jim Tressel for two games and fined him $250,000 on Tuesday for violating NCAA rules by failing to notify the school about information he received involving two players and questionable activities involving the sale of memorabilia.

Tressel also will receive a public reprimand and must make a public apology. The NCAA is investigating and could reject the self-imposed penalties and impose additional sanctions.

Ohio State athletic director Gene Smith said he never seriously considered firing Tressel for violating his contract, which specifies that he must immediately report any — the word is underlined in the contract — information which pertains to violations of NCAA, Big Ten or Ohio State bylaws and rules.

"Wherever we end up, Jim Tressel is our football coach," Smith said. "He is our coach, and we trust him implicitly."

Last December, the NCAA suspended quarterback Terrelle Pryor and four teammates for the first five games on the 2011 season for selling jerseys, championship rings and trophies to a local tattoo parlor owner. The suspensions came just 16 days after the U.S. attorney told the school of a federal investigation that included players.

The school did not learn until January, however, that Tressel had been tipped off to the federal investigation back in April.

"Obviously I'm disappointed that this happened at all," Tressel said. "I take my responsibility for what we do at Ohio State tremendously seriously and for the game of football. I plan to grow from this. I'm sincerely saddened by the fact that I let some people down and didn't do things as well as I possibly could have."

N.D. scraps hydraulic lifts after death

SOUTH BEND, Ind. — Notre Dame announced Tuesday that it will no longer use hydraulic lifts for videographers at football practices, five months after a student fell to his death when one of the machines toppled over on a windy day.

The school said it will instead use remote-controlled cameras — a system The Rev. John Jenkins, Notre Dame's president, said fulfills a pledge made after Declan Sullivan died.

"I said in the days after Declan's death that we would do everything in our power to make changes to ensure that such an accident does not happen again — here or elsewhere," Jenkins said in a prepared statement.

The Indiana Occupational Health and Safety Administration is investigating what caused the lift holding Sullivan to fall as he filmed practice on Oct. 27. The National Weather Service reported gusts of up to 51 mph at the time. State officials have said they are looking at whether federal and state workplace safety rules and industry standards might have been violated, including a rule barring workers from using scaffolds during storms or high winds.

— The Associated Press

Animal rights group targets Iditarod

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — Two of the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race's most accomplished mushers are defending the race that is now under renewed attack by animal rights activists after 100 sled dogs were killed at a tour business in Canada in an unrelated event.

"By being quiet we become guilty by association. We have to speak up," said four-time Iditarod champion Martin Buser, who four times has received the race's humanitarian care award. Buser is running in his 28th Iditarod and was leading the race early Tuesday.

Buser was first to arrive at the checkpoint in Nikolai, about 350 miles from Anchorage. He was followed by Robert Bundtzen and Hugh Heff.

While People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals targets the Iditarod each year, the slaughter of the dogs in Canada has energized their efforts to end the race that began in 1973. The dogs belonged to Howling Dog Tours Whistler Inc., and were killed last April by a company employee after bookings slumped from the 2010 Olympic games in Vancouver.

The owner of the business thought the dogs would be humanely destroyed but the employee shot and slit their throats. The killings were revealed after the employee applied for workers' compensation for post-traumatic stress.

PETA senior campaigner Virginia Fort said the incident is another example of the inherent cruelty in dog mushing and sled dog racing.

"The best way to stop this abuse from happening is to stop supporting the Iditarod," she said.

Iditarod Trail Committee executive director Stan Hooley said PETA is seizing on an unfortunate and unrelated incident and unfairly connecting it to the Iditarod in its ongoing campaign against the race.

"The Iditarod is an event that I think stands above and beyond its commitment to dog care," he said.

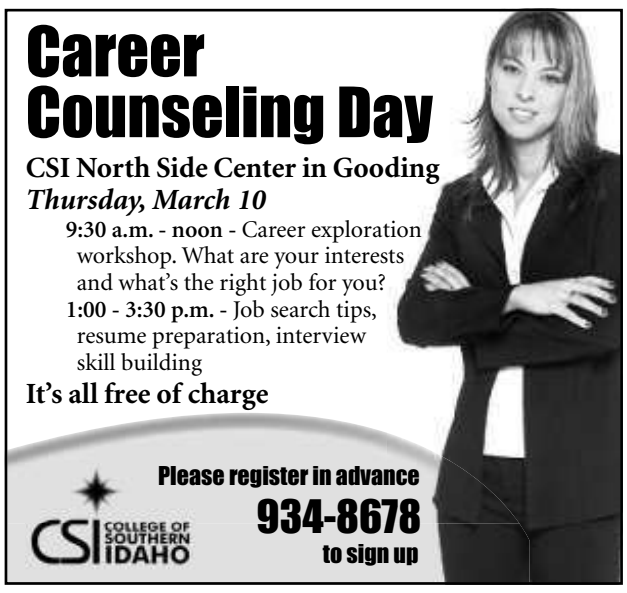
PETA says on its website that, "Mushers routinely abandon, shoot, bludgeon, or drown dogs when they become ill, don't run fast enough, or are simply unwanted."

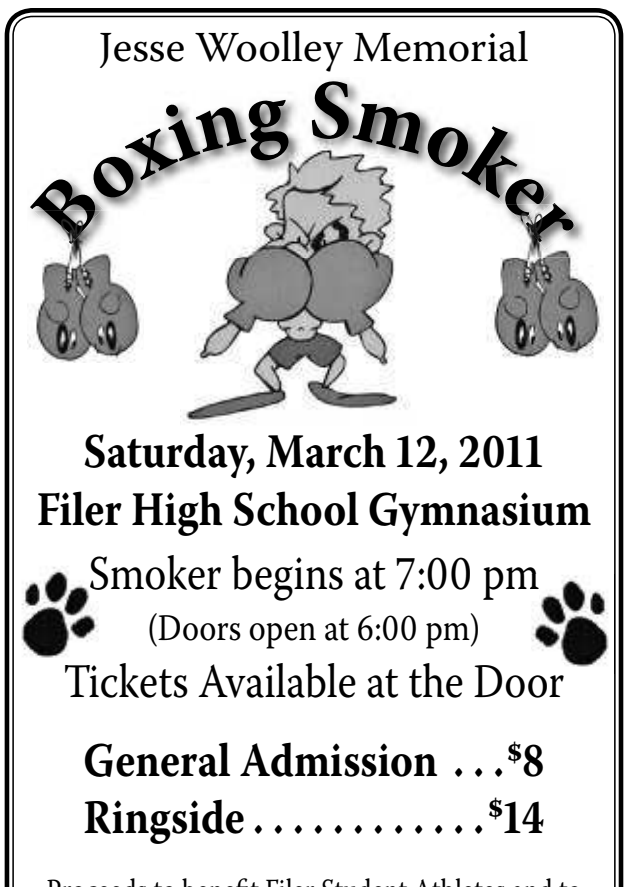
Last month, PETA said its appeal to the Transportation Security Administration resulted in the agency deciding against running a job recruitment drive during the race.

TSA defended its decision, saying officials often use geographically targeted recruitment to find new employees to work in local airports. However, the agency said it never intended the Iditarod effort to be viewed as sponsorship of the race.

Buser said PETA's claim that mushers routinely kill dogs that don't make the grade or have outlived their racing days is false. He points to his own kennel as an example of what is considered proper care of sled dogs throughout their lives. All his retired racing dogs are adopted, he said.

Iditarod musher Aliy Zirkle, who also has received the race's humanitarian care award, said in her more than 20 years of mushing she has never known of dogs being shot, bludgeoned or drowned.





NOTICES

Minidoka County
NOTICE OF ELECTION FILING DEADLINE

Pursuant to Idaho Code §34-1405, notice is hereby given for the candidate filing deadline for elections to be held on May 17, 2011. The required Declaration of Candidacy and Petition of Candidacy forms must be filed with the taxing district office listed below on or before March 18, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. Forms are available at the respective taxing district offices listed below or at the Minidoka County Clerk's Office, 715 G St, Rupert, Idaho, 83350. Individuals who run as write-in candidates must file a Declaration of Intent no later than 5:00 p.m. on the 45th day prior to the election.

Declaration of Candidacy Filing Deadline: March 18, 2011 5:00 p.m.
Election Date: May 17, 2011
Name and Address of Taxing District

HIGHWAY DISTRICT
Minidoka County Highway District
225 W 50 S, Rupert, Idaho 83350

SEWER DISTRICT
Wayside Sewer District
311 W. Rocky Lane, Heyburn, Idaho 83336

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Minidoka County Joint School District #331
633 Freemont Ave, Rupert, Idaho 83350

Patty Temple, Minidoka County Clerk

PUBLISH: March 9, 2011

N O T I C E O F L E T T I N G

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 March 29, 2011, for the work of placing a 0.15' plant mix overlay with a full width seal coat on SH-46, MP 12.517 to MP 19.78 & MP 19.78 to MP 26.24; SH-46, RR Crossing to Closure Gates, Gooding & SH-46, Closure Gates to Schooler Cr, Gooding Co, known as Idaho Project No. A011 (596) & A011(599), in **Gooding County, Key No. 11596 & 11599**.

[ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: RESIDENT 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 Idaho.

A non-refundable handling and mailing charge of FIVE DOLLARS ($5.00) plus applicable sales tax will be made for bid documents. Phone orders to (800) 732-2098 (in Idaho) or (208) 334-8430 shall be made by credit card (Visa or Mastercard). Written requests shall be made by check or money order to the Idaho Transportation Department, Attn: Revenue Operations, P. O. Box 34, Boise, ID 83731-0034.

Dated March 1, 2011
TOM COLE, P.E.
Chief Engineer

PUBLISH: March 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, 2011

INVITATION TO BID

ALL sealed Bids must be received by **5:00 P.M. MDT, on March 24, 2011. ALL** Sealed Bids will be opened at **11:00 A.M. MDT**, on **March 25, 2011** at the Idaho Transportation Department, Supply Services Purchasing Unit located at 3311 West State Street, Boise, Idaho. Bidders and other interested parties are invited to be present at the bid opening. The purpose of this ITB is to solicit sealed bids to establish a contract between Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) and a Contractor for the design and construction of a fabric covered sand storage shed at 53 E. Baseline, Rupert, Minidoka County, Idaho in accordance with the plans and Special Provisions contained in ITD **Requisition K-072070.**

The Idaho Transportation Department reserves the right to reject all bids or to accept the bid deemed best for the State of Idaho.

Dated this 25th day of February, 2011
JASON WILLIAMSON
PURCHASING UNIT
IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

Copies of Bid Packets, including Bid Results and Plan Holders List, may be obtained by visiting our web site at: http://itd.idaho.gov or by contacting your local Plan Room.

PUBLISH: March 7 - 11, 2011

Jerome County, Idaho
NOTICE OF ELECTION FILING DEADLINE

Pursuant to I.C. Section 34-1405, notice is hereby given for the candidate filing deadline for elections to be held on May 17, 2011. The required Declaration of Candidacy and Petition of Candidacy forms must be filed with the taxing district office listed below on or before March 18, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. Forms are available at the respective taxing district offices listed below or at the Jerome County Clerk's Office, 300 North Lincoln, Rm 301, Jerome, Idaho. Individuals who run as write-in candidates must file a Declaration of Intent no later than 5:00 p.m. on the 45th day prior to the election. Withdrawal of Candidacy must be filed with the Clerk of the taxing district no later than 5:00 p.m. on the 45th day prior to the election.

Declaration of Candidacy Filing Deadline: March 18, 2011 5:00 p.m.
Election Date: May 17, 2011

Valley School Dist. #262
882 Valley Road South
Hazelton, ID 83335
Trustee Election

Jerome Jt. School Dist. #261
125 4th Ave West
Jerome, ID 83338
Trustee Election

Shoshone Jt. School Dist. #321
61 East Highway 24
Shoshone, ID 83352
Trustee Election

Jerome Highway Dist.
30 North 100 West
Jerome, ID 83338
Commissioner Election

Minidoka Jt. School Dist. #331
633 Fremont Ave
Rupert, ID 83350
Trustee Election

Michelle Emerson, Jerome County Clerk

PUBLISH: March 9, 2011

ADVERTISEMENT FOR SALE OF TENANTS PERSONAL PROPERTY

A2J Enterprises, LLC, 1773 Highland Ave. E., Twin Falls, Idaho will sell to auction service or dispose of, as we deem necessary after March 18, 2011 the contents belonging to:

MIKE NELSON, last known address: Box 2655 Twin Falls, ID 83303-2655. Contents: Tools, furniture, washer/dryer, refrig, misc items.

BILL BERKS, last known address: 533 N Main St., Kimberly, ID 83341. Contents: Small motorcycle, tools, furniture, misc. items.

CINDY & JARED SCHOEPP, last known address: Box 551, Gooding, ID 83330. Contents: Beds, chairs, dressers, misc. items.

JENNIFER EVAN, last known address: 408 Nevada, Gooding, ID 83330. Contents: Entertainment Center, chair, clothes, misc. items.

BRENDA BUTTERFIELD, last known address: 1390 Shoestring Rd., Gooding, ID 83330. Contents: Couch, chair, stroller, misc. items.

ANNA NEREILL, last known address: Box 629, Hagerman, ID 83332. Contents: Beds, crib, lawn mower, TV, table, fishing poles, misc. items.

PUBLISH: March 2 and 9, 2011

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
TRANSPORTATION BUS COMPOUND DRAINAGE PROJECT

The Board of Trustees of Joint School District No. 331 Minidoka, Cassia, Jerome and Lincoln Counties, Idaho, hereby announces that sealed bids will be received for construction of drainage basins and grading at TRANSPORTATION BUS COMPOUND IN RUPERT, IDAHO, on Thursday, March 17th, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. local prevailing time, at the Minidoka County School District Office, 633 Fremont Avenue, Rupert, Idaho 83350. Contractors wishing to submit bids must hold a current Public Works Contractors License, commensurate with the size of contract and submit with his bid, a bid bond, cashiers check, or certified check for 5% of the total bid amount, including any add alternates with the bid, made payable to Minidoka County Schools. Proposals will be opened and publicly read at the above place, time and date.

A description of the work of this project can be summarized to include excavation and grading work. Licensed general contractors may obtain drawings and specifications from the Owner, Minidoka County School District Maintenance Department, Theo Schut at (208) 436-1254 or at 1018 "D" Street, Rupert, Id 83350.

A pre-bid conference/walk through will be held at the project site on Wednesday, March 9th, 2011 beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Minidoka County School district Maintenance Department located at 1018 "D" Street Rupert, Idaho. **Attendance is highly suggested.**

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject or to select any portion thereof any or all Bids, to waive any technicality, and to reject non-conforming, non-responsive, or conditional Bids. No bid may be withdrawn after the bid opening unless the awarding of the bid is delayed for a period exceeding sixty (60) days.

Michelle DeLuna,District Treasurer

PUBLISH: March 2 and 9, 2011

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING SUPERVISOR

The Times-News is seeking a high-energy and enthusiastic classified advertising supervisor with strong interpersonal skills and who possesses an entrepreneurial spirit. The successful candidate will have real estate, automotive and/or recruitment advertising sales experience and will demonstrate the ability to effectively manage, lead, and generate revenue growth for recruitment, real estate, auction, and service directory categories.

Primary responsibilities include growing the number of recruitment, real estate and commercial classified customers as well as making the Times-News and www.magicvalley.com THE PLACE for buyers and sellers of household and miscellaneous items to connect. The Classified Supervisor will be responsible for exceeding print and online classified advertising revenue goals and will collaborate with the Advertising Director to develop and implement sales strategies to exceed goals. They will recruit, train, coach and manage a first class, diverse and talented classified department.

Requirements:
- Previous sales management experience.
- Knowledge of marketing and competitive media.
- Must be a decisive problem-solver and possess strong written and verbal communication skills.
- Serve on one or more community boards/activities.
- Computer skills including proficiency in Microsoft Word, Excel & PowerPoint.
- College degree or equivalent experience

We want to talk to people who have confidence in media companies, understand the power of effective advertising and approach challenges with a high level of enthusiasm that rubs off on those around them. This is a solid marketplace with opportunity for revenue growth.

DISTRICT MANAGER

Times-News has a full time opening for an ambitious, team oriented leader to join a fast paced Circulation department. This position will involve growing circulation and readership by maintaining superior customer service and supervising contracted delivery positions. The successful candidate must have strong leadership and training skills, good organizational, communication, and problem solving skills, as well as previous experience in a team environment. Top applicant must be a self-starter and possess the ability to multi-task. Computer skills, reliable vehicle and valid driver's license are required. Applicants must be able to work flexible hours.

ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH REPORTER

It will be your job to take in, make sense of and report on the issues that define our region. A wide range of regional and national environmental stories play out on the ground in south-central Idaho, from water fights to endangered species and energy policy. It is also home to a diverse, growing rural health care system in the midst of adapting to meet local needs and state and federal reforms. You will be tasked with staying ahead of developments across a large section of Idaho and divining what deserves coverage, with a focus on what matters to local residents.

Twin Falls is the largest community in south-central Idaho — locally known as the Magic Valley. About 40,000 people live in Twin Falls, which is located between the world-renowned Sun Valley resort to the north and vast open deserts to the south. It is surrounded by smaller communities that rely on the Times-News for local news and information.

The Times-News is the region's largest and longest-running newspaper. It is operated on the belief that good journalism can empower small communities. Please visit our website: http://www.magicvalley.com.

Qualifications: At least a bachelor's degree, with previous experience with newspapers and websites a plus. You must have an inquisitive mind, be personable, and have a strong sense of accountability. Be as much at home perusing government documents as you are visiting with sheep ranchers and conservationists out in the desert. You must provide your own transportation and have a valid driver's license and auto insurance.

Submit a cover letter, resume and three writing samples online.

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"We're all strongly motivated and it shows in our work."
Nick Coltrain,
Reporter

Apply online at
http://www.magicvalley.com/workhere by March 18, 2011.

The Times-News offers exciting career opportunities and competitive pay.
Our industry-leading benefits package includes a 401(k) plan, paid vacation and sick leave, and medical, dental, vision, disability and life insurance plans.

We are a drug-free workplace and all applicants considered for employment must pass a post-offer drug screen and criminal background check prior to commencing employment.

NOTICES NOTICES

NOTICE OF LETTING

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[ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: RESIDENT ENGINEER ***SCOT STACEY*** AT (208) 544-7901.]

Plans, specifications, form of contract, proposal forms, and other information may be obtained at the office of the Idaho Transportation Department, Boise, Idaho, and are on file for examination at the office of the District Engineer at Shoshone Idaho.

A non-refundable handling and mailing charge of FIVE DOLLARS ($5.00) plus applicable sales tax will be made for bid documents. Phone orders to (800) 732-2098 (in Idaho) or (208) 334-8430 shall be made by credit card (Visa or Mastercard). Written requests shall be made by check or money order to the Idaho Transportation Department, Attn: Revenue Operations, P. O. Box 34, Boise, ID 83731-0034.

Dated March 2, 2011
TOM COLE, P.E.
Chief Engineer

PUBLISH: March 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Parcel No. RPT0381000002BA Title Order No. NWT006512 TS No. 10-0086269 The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, In the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street, Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301, on 06/20/2011 at 11:00 am, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 10/31/2006 as Instrument Number 2006-027691, and executed by **MONA MENDONCA, AND JASON MENDONCA,** WIFE AND HUSBAND AS JOINT TENANTS, as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., as Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Twin Falls County, state of Idaho: THE WEST 81 FEET OF THE EAST 111 FEET OF LOT 2 OF BREMER'S SECOND FAIRWAY SUBDIVISION, TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED IN BOOK 5 OF PLATS, PAGE 22. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, **607 PIERCE STREET, TWIN FALLS, ID 83301-4025** is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 11/01/2008 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 11.250% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is $117,851.34, plus interest, costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations thereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and /or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. DATED: 02/07/2011 Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 80028-1821 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Melody Dewald ASAP# 3906466

PUBLISH: February 16, 23, March 2 and 9, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee's Sale No. 02-OC-103233 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC, the duly appointed Successor Trustee, will on May 11, 2011, at the hour of 03:00 PM, of said day, FRONT STEPS OF THE GOODING COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 624 MAIN STREET, GOODING, ID, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real and personal property (hereafter referred to collectively as the "Property"), situated in the County of GOODING, State of Idaho, to-wit: LOTS 19, 20 AND 21 IN BLOCK 129, GOODING 2ND ADDITION TO THE CITY OF GOODING, GOODING COUNTY, IDAHO, AS THE SAME IS PLATTED IN THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced Property but, for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 of Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of **1325 CALIFORNIA STREET, GOODING, ID 83330,** 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 **OSVALDO BENEVIDES,** A MARRIED MAN, as Grantor, to LAND TITLE & ESCROW, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR MERITAGE MORTGAGE, as Beneficiary, dated 4/11/2006, recorded 4/14/2006, under Instrument No. 215856, Mortgage records of GOODING County, IDAHO, the beneficial interest in which is presently held by U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated as of August 1, 2006 MASTR Asset Backed Securities Trust 2006-HE3 Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates Series 2006-HE3. 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 4/11/2006, THE MONTHLY PAYMENT WHICH BECAME DUE ON 8/1/2010 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT MONTHLY PAYMENTS, PLUS LATE CHARGES AND OTHER COSTS AND FEES AS SET FORTH. Amount due as of January 4, 2011 Delinquent Payments from August 01, 2010 6 payments at $660.83 each $3,964.98 (08-01-10 through 01-04-11) Late Charges: $54.90 Beneficiary Advances: $596.50 Suspense Credit: $0.00 TOTAL: $4,616.38 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 $60,843.52, together with interest thereon at 9.999% per annum from 7/1/2010, 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: 1/4/2011. PIONEER TITLE OF ADA COUNTY DBA PIONEER LENDER TRUSTEE SERVICES, LLC Trustee By: Kara Lansberry, Assistant Trustee Officer c/o REGIONAL TRUSTEE SERVICES CORPORATION 616 1st Avenue, Suite 500 Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: (206) 340-2550 Sale Information: http://www.rtrustee.com ASAP# 3880376

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NOTICE

Wendell School District #232 in conjunction with Starr Corporation and the Idaho Public Works Licensing Program will present a free licensing seminar to all interested contractors on March 14, 2011. The seminar will be held at 7:00 pm at the Wendell High School Library. Any unlicensed contractors who are interested in bidding the upcoming Wendell Elementary School project are encouraged to attend.

PUBLISH: March 9 and 10, 2011

INVITATION TO BID

ALL sealed Bids must be received by **5:00 P.M. MDT, on March 24, 2011. ALL** Sealed Bids will be opened at **11:00 A.M. MDT,** on **March 25, 2011** at the Idaho Transportation Department, Supply Services Purchasing Unit located at 3311 West State Street, Boise, Idaho. Bidders and other interested parties are invited to be present at the bid opening. The purpose of this ITB is to solicit sealed bids to establish a contract between Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) and a Contractor for the design and construction of a fabric covered sand storage shed at 1500 West Main Street, Buhl, Twin Falls County, Idaho in accordance with the plans and Special Provisions contained in ITD **Requisition K-072080.**

The Idaho Transportation Department reserves the right to reject all bids or to accept the bid deemed best for the State of Idaho.

Dated this 25th day of February, 2011
JASON WILLIAMSON
PURCHASING UNIT
IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

Copies of Bid Packets, including Bid Results and Plan Holders List, may be obtained by visiting our web site at: http://itd.idaho.gov or by contacting your local Plan Room.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Actions planned and taken by your government are contained in public notices. They are part of your right to know and to be informed of what your government is doing. As self-government charges all citizens to be informed, this newspaper urges every citizen to read and study these notices. We advise those citizens who seek further information to exercise their right to access public records and public meetings.

IMPORTANT

Please address all legal advertising to:

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Loan No.: 0109927525 T.S. No.: 10-10682-6 . On 07/01/2011 at 11:00 am (recognized local time), In the lobby of Land Title & Escrow, 1411 Fillmore Street., Suite 600 Twin Falls, ID 83301. In the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, Fidelity National Title Insurance Company as successor Trustee on behalf of WELLS FARGO BANK NA will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 3 IN BLOCK 4 OF KIMBERLY MEADOWS SUBDIVISION NUMBER 2, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN BOOK 21 OF PLATS AT PAGE (6), OFFICIAL RECORDS OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, IDAHO The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: **431 CAYUSE CREEK DRIVE, KIMBERLY, 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: **ROGER L. KROBOTH,** A MARRIED PERSON, AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, As grantors, To: PIONEER TITLE COMPANY , As Trustee, for the benefit and security of WELLS FARGO BANK NA, As Beneficiary, dated 10/13/2009, recorded 10/16/2009, as Instrument No. 2009-023359, of the records 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 10/13/2009, The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of $1,092.08, due per month from 06/01/2010 , 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 $161,707.35, plus accrued interest at the rate of 5.00000% per annum from 05/01/2010. 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: March 2, 2011 By: Fidelity National Title Insurance Company 1920 Main Street, Suite 1120, Irvine, CA 92614 949-252-4900 Juan Enriquez SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.lpsasap.com AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION please call 714-730-2727 ASAP# 3932218

PUBLISH: March 9, 16, 23 and 30, 2011

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Loan No.: 0080836398 T.S. No.: 10-12693-6 On 06/24/2011 at 11:00 AM (recognized local time), In the front lobby of Land Title & Escrow located at 237 N. Lincoln, Jerome, ID 83338 @ 10:00AM In the County of Jerome, State of Idaho, Fidelity National Title Insurance Company as successor Trustee on behalf of Wells Fargo Bank, NA will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Jerome, State of Idaho, and described as follows: LOT 7 IN BLOCK 4 OF STONEY RIDGE SUBDIVISION NO. 1, JEROME COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED OCTOBER 13, 2006 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 2066327, AS THE SAME IS PLATTED IN THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY. The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of: **926 22ND AVENUE EAST, JEROME, 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: **TRENTON MCROBERTS AND SHAUNA MCROBERTS,** HUSBAND AND WIFE, As grantors, To: PIONEER TITLE COMPANY , As Trustee, for the benefit and security of Wells Fargo Bank, NA, As Beneficiary, dated 10/31/2007, recorded 10/31/2007, as Instrument No. 2076614, of the records of Jerome 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 10/31/2007. The monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds (if applicable) of $949.91, 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 $133,888.39, plus accrued interest at the rate of 5.12500% 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: February 23, 2011 By: Fidelity National Title Insurance Company 1920 Main Street, Suite 1120, Irvine. CA 92614 714-508-5100 Juan Enriquez SALE INFORMATICS CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.lpsasap.com AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION please call 714-730-2727 ASAP# 3924842

PUBLISH: March 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2011

LEGAL NOTICE

Pursuant to IDAPA 13.01.03.100.01, I authorize public fishing in the waters owned by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game as identified and posted by hatchery managers. This authorization is for **Free Fishing Day only, on June 11, 2011**, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Normal limits and tackle restrictions shall apply unless special restrictions are posted.

Additionally pursuant to IDAPA 13.01.03.100.01, I authorize limited special fishing opportunities in the waters owned by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game as identified and posted by hatchery managers for senior, youth, disabled and educational groups. These special fishing opportunities shall be at the discretion of the hatchery managers and shall not exceed one day in length. Normal take and tackle restrictions shall apply unless special restrictions are posted.

Copies of Order 11-18 are available at the Idaho Department of Fish and Game headquarters, 600 South Walnut, P.O. Box 25, Boise, Idaho 83707.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 2011.
IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
/s/Cal Groen, Director

PUBLISH: March 9 and 10, 2011

College of Southern Idaho Invitation to Bid
Three separate bid packages (2) Mobile Trailers, Trailer Retrofit, & (2) Sprinter Vans

1. (2) Two Mobile Training Trailers

Sealed bids for the College of Southern Idaho to purchase trailers to be used for mobile training will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 23, 2011, in the office of the Vice President of Administration in the Taylor Administration Building, 315 Falls Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301 and then publicly opened. The equipment being bid consists of (2) two custom trailers to be used for mobile welding and renewable energy training. Bids must be sent or delivered to the above address on or before the above listed date and time to be accepted. The outside of the envelope should clearly indicate "SEALED BID ENCLOSED: TRAILERS". For complete bid specifications, procedures, bid forms and additional information contact Terry Patterson at the College of Southern Idaho, PO Box 1238, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-1238, by email tpatterson@csi.edu or by telephone 208-732-6402.

2. Renewable Energy Mobile Training Trailer Customization

Sealed proposals with bids for the College of Southern Idaho to enter into an agreement to customize a renewable energy training trailer will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 23, 2011, in the office of the Vice President of Administration in the Taylor Administration Building, 315 Falls Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301 and then publicly opened. This request for proposals and bids includes the procurement and installation of renewable energy components including solar panels, generator, small wind turbine, and the finishing of a trailer that is being constructed separately from this project. The completed project will be a turnkey mobile training system.

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3. (2) Two Twelve Passenger Sprinter Vans

Sealed bids for the College of Southern Idaho to purchase (2) two Sprinter 2500 Vans will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 23, 2011, in the office of the Vice President of Administration in the Taylor Administration Building, 315 Falls Avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301 and then publicly opened. The Vans being bid consists of two Sprinter 2500 Vans or better to be used for student transportation. Bids must be sent or delivered to the above address on or before the above listed date and time to be accepted. The outside of the envelope should clearly indicate "SEALED BID ENCLOSED: SPRINTER VANS". For complete bid specifications, procedures, bid forms and additional information contact Jeff Harmon at the College of Southern Idaho, PO Box 1238, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-1238, by email jharmon@csi.edu or by telephone 208-732-6210.

The College reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any formalities and to accept the bid deemed to be in the best interest of the College.

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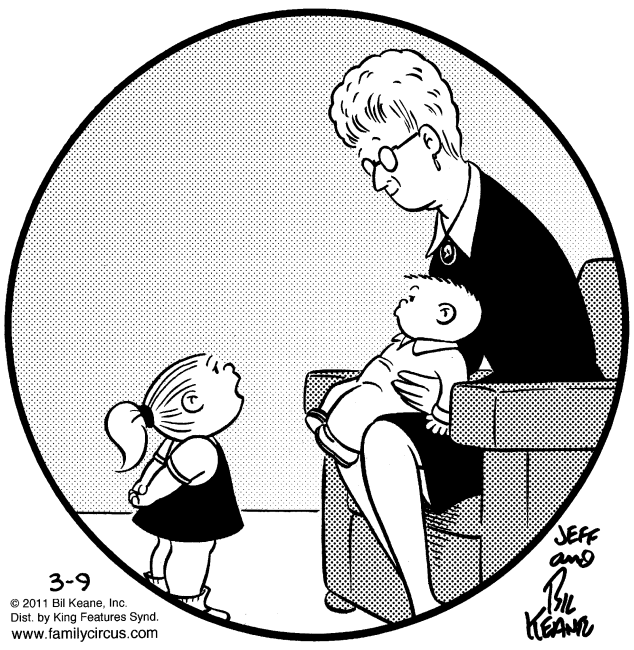
THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"Grandma, have we known each other for a long time?"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

101 Lost and Found

FOUND Yellow Lab, found on Silver Beach & Settlers Way on 03/03. **775-225-3005 (local resident)**

HELP FIND TWO THIEVES
Help me find the thieves who broke into my Camas County farmhouse in mid January. They stole a side by side, double barrel 410 shotgun, a red Honda Generator, electric air compressor, numerous cordless Craftsman battery power tools [reciprocating saw, drill, jig saw, and skill saw]. The batteries were numbered on the bottom 1, 2 & 3. If you know the thieves please call the Camas County Sheriff **208-764-2261**. Thanks S. Graham

LOST Black Lab, missing out by Magic Valley Ranch. Answers to Romo, has white paws, white around his mouth, white above eyebrows and fully black. Family misses him. **Call 208-539-3800.**

LOST Chihuahua, 6 month old black/white male, on March 5th in Gooding. Holly at **208-358-1260.**

LOST German Shorthair in Jerome. Female, brown head, white/brown body, orange collar. "Josie" **208-324-9628**

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LOST Camera at Robert Stuart after the 7th grade game on Fri. March 4th. Reward. **Call 948-0005.**

MISSING German Shepherd 5 mi south,1 mi west of Kimberly. Lg, tan, 2 yr old, neutered male, red collar. $300 reward. **539-7804.**

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104 Personals

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LONELY man is wanting to meet with a single gal from Jerome area only, in 40's or 50's for date & relationship & maybe marriage. To come & talk with me, send letter to 404 East Ave E, Jerome, 83338.

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202 Clerical

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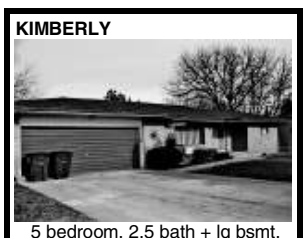

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With no dummy entry to the diamonds and all the missing black-suit honors marked with West, it looks bad. But there is a way out: Play a second diamond to the ace, then a third diamond, discarding your last heart! What you have done is created a heart stopper in dummy. If the opponents want to play hearts, dummy is going to take a trick in the suit.

In practice East won the diamond king and shifted to a club ducked to West's queen. West didn't have much choice, so he did his best by playing the ace and a heart, putting dummy on play. Dummy's two remaining diamonds were cashed, and now everyone was down to four cards. Dummy had the jack-doubleton of both black suits; West, the guarded king of both black suits; and South, the ace-doubleton in clubs and the A-Q of spades. South now played the ace and a second club, giving up a trick to West's king, but took his eighth and ninth tricks with the A-Q of spades.

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03-9-A

NORTH
♠ J 4
♥ 10 8 3
♦ A J 10 9 8
♣ J 6 5

WEST
♠ K 9 5
♥ A 9 7 6 5 4 2
♦ —
♣ K Q 7

EAST
♠ 10 8 7 3
♥ J
♦ K 7 6 5 4 3
♣ 10 2

SOUTH
♠ A Q 6 2
♥ K Q
♦ Q 2
♣ A 9 8 4 3

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: West

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
Dbl.	2 ♥	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	All pass		

Opening lead: Heart six

BID WITH THE ACES

03-9-B

South holds:
♠ 10 8 7 3
♥ J
♦ K 7 6 5 4 3
♣ 10 2

South	West	North	East
	1 ♥	Dbl.	Pass
?			

ANSWER: The most likely game for your side is four spades, but you have no reason to assume this is not a partscore deal. To maximize your chances of getting to the best contract and bid your suits in the right order, respond two diamonds and plan to bid spades at your next turn. Bear in mind that with your singleton heart, someone is pretty sure to reintroduce hearts.

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Today's Highlight:

On March 9, 1861, the Confederate Congress, meeting in Montgomery, Ala., authorized the issuing of paper currency, in the form of interest-bearing notes, which were initially printed by a New York firm, the National Bank Note Co.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:

In 1661, Cardinal Jules Mazarin, the chief minister of France, died, leaving King Louis XIV in full control.

In 1796, the future emperor of the French, Napoleon Bonaparte, married Josephine de Beauharnais. (The couple later divorced.)

In 1862, during the Civil War, the ironclads USS Monitor and CSS Virginia (formerly USS Merrimac) clashed for five hours to a draw at Hampton Roads, Va.

In 1916, Mexican raiders led by Pancho Villa attacked Columbus, N.M., killing 18 Americans.

In 1932, Eamon de Valera was appointed head of government of the Irish Free State.

In 1945, during World War II, U.S. B-29 bombers launched incendiary bomb attacks against Japan, resulting in an estimated 100,000 deaths.

In 1954, CBS newsman Edward R. Murrow critically reviewed Wisconsin Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's anti-Communism campaign on "See It Now."

In 1964, the Supreme Court, in New York Times Co. v. Sullivan, ruled that public officials who charged they'd been libeled by news reports could not recover damages unless they proved actual malice on the part of the news organization.

In 1977, about a dozen armed Hanafi Muslims invaded three buildings in Washington, D.C., killing one person and taking more than 130 hostages. (The siege ended two days later.)

In 1981, Dan Rather made his debut as principal anchorman of "The CBS Evening News."

Ten years ago: A judge in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., sentenced 14-year-old Lionel Tate to life in prison for killing 6-year-old Tiffany Eunick. (Tate's first-degree murder conviction and sentence were overturned; he pleaded guilty to second-degree murder and received a new sentence of probation, but later pleaded no contest to robbing a pizza delivery man, receiving concurrent 10-year sentences for the robbery and parole violation.) Attorney James St. Clair, who'd represented President Richard M. Nixon at the height of the Watergate scandal, died in Westwood, Mass., at age 80.

Five years ago: Bowing to ferocious opposition in Congress, a Dubai-owned company, DP World, relinquished its quest to take over operations at U.S. ports. John Profumo, the former British Cabinet minister whose affair with a prostitute rocked Britain in 1963, died in London at age 91.

One year ago: Vice President Joe Biden, visiting Israel, condemned an Israeli plan to build hundreds of homes in east Jerusalem. Former television producer Robert "Joe" Halderman pleaded guilty in New York to attempted grand larceny for trying to blackmail talk show host David Letterman. (Halderman was sentenced to six months in jail; he actually served four months.) Doris "Granny D" Haddock, a New Hampshire woman who'd walked across the country at age 89 to promote campaign finance reform, died at age 100.

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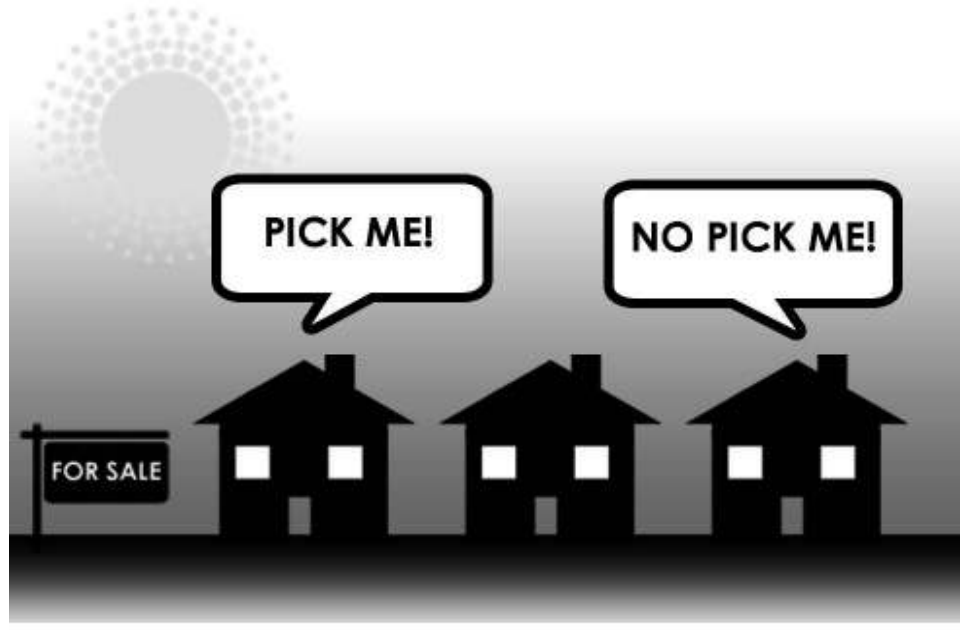

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I find the idea of being intimate with her husband appealing, but I have never "been with" a woman and I don't think I want to be. It seems to me the most prudent approach would be to pass on this opportunity, but how do I do it without offending or causing embarrassment for one of my neighbors?

— CAUGHT IN THE FIREWORKS, HOUSTON

DEAR CAUGHT: Does this neighbor know your sexual orientation? If the answer is no, just thank her and tell her you're not into threesomes. Because it has taken you so long to give her an answer, she probably won't be surprised that a liaison is not your cup of tea. However, if she does know, tell her with a wink: "Thanks for the offer — I'm not into threesomes. But you can send Tim over anytime."

DEAR ABBY
Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: After 30 years of marriage, my husband is more interested in watching politics on TV than interacting with me. We are, by mutual consent, no longer intimate — but he totally ignores me. He will talk to anyone who looks his way, but he doesn't talk to me.

His idea of doing something together is driving around the countryside for four hours looking at the scenery. He'll lie on the couch and watch TV or read while I'm a few feet away and not say more than a dozen words to me all day.

I can't do this much longer. What do you suggest?

— NEGLECTED WIFE IN GREENVILLE, S.C.

DEAR NEGLECTED WIFE: Perhaps you should spend less time with your husband. Couples who spend a lot of time together can find conversation difficult because they have nothing fresh to bring to it.

Do some things with female friends so you won't feel so shut in and isolated. This way you will have more experiences you can discuss. Also schedule some diversions you can enjoy together that don't involve conversation. How about a movie or a play, or a volunteer activity you can both be involved in? If this doesn't help, then consider counseling.

DEAR ABBY: I don't understand why people need others to take sides in an argument. If someone is upset and wants to cut someone out of his/her life, why does that person expect family and friends to do the same — even if the disagreement had nothing to do with them? Some of them lie to force the issue. I just don't understand — especially because we're talking about adults.

— PUZZLED IN COON RAPIDS, MINN.

DEAR PUZZLED: They do it to punish (and isolate) the person they're mad at. However, if you make plain to the manipulator — because that's what the person is — that you will not be dragged into the middle of something that's not your business, you'll be better off.

P.S. What makes you think that all adults ACT like adults? Surely I'm not the only person who has seen a grown-up behave like a 5-year-old.

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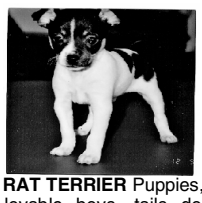

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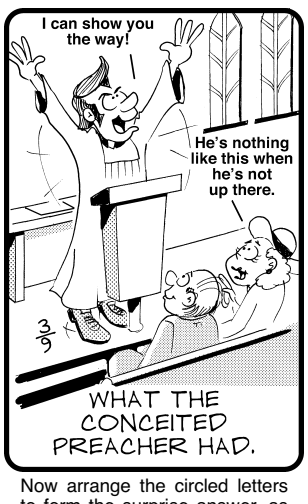

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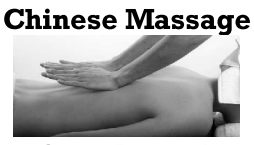

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HOROSCOPE
Jeraldine Saunders

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Don't let your love life become just another daily routine. Keep the sparks burning or they may flicker out. Don't become so familiar with your significant other that you omit simple things like "please" and "thank you."

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Keep the home fires burning. Set aside some extra time to spend with your loved ones. A simple dinner at home could seem like a gala event if you spend it with someone you care about and exert extra effort.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Know your enemy. If you find yourself with the wrong crowd, you could be in for a confrontation. Stick with those whom you know and trust today. Your day will run smoothly if you keep the mood light.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Home is where the heart is. Keep apprised of the goings on in your household — and if there are problems, take the time to discuss them and search for solutions. Let your wisdom be your strength and share it with your loved ones.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Weave a tapestry of romance. You and a loved one are in perfect sync and able to achieve cosmic bliss. Let your affable nature come through for you; diffuse a tense situation through kindness and understanding.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Plot the next move. If you anticipate the next task before you are asked to do it, you will be that much ahead of the game. Going the extra mile at work on your own initiative is likely to earn you raves.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Give peace a chance. Avoid confrontation at all costs, even if it means making a personal sacrifice. You'll get your way regardless of what happens — and you'll look that much better if you keep your cool.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Don't let the pressure get to you, especially if the pressure is only in your head. Go at your own pace and don't get bogged down worrying about the so-called competition. A good friend can help clear your head.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Roll with the punches. Someone may create conflict, but you can win the day by keeping your cool and lulling them into complacency with gentle persuasion. Don't let the little things bother you.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Check the books. It is likely that you have made an error — but, surprisingly, the error works in your favor. You are finally able to reap a few dividends and hold your head up high. Hold off on entering agreements.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): The lightbulb can't choose what type of moths it attracts. Nor can you choose which companions will be drawn to your charms. Be discerning in the partners you choose; not everyone is a good match.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Family time is quality time. Enjoy harmony and bliss your experience with loved ones today. Use inner guidance to appraise new acquaintances, as you will be easily able to discern who is trustworthy and sincere.

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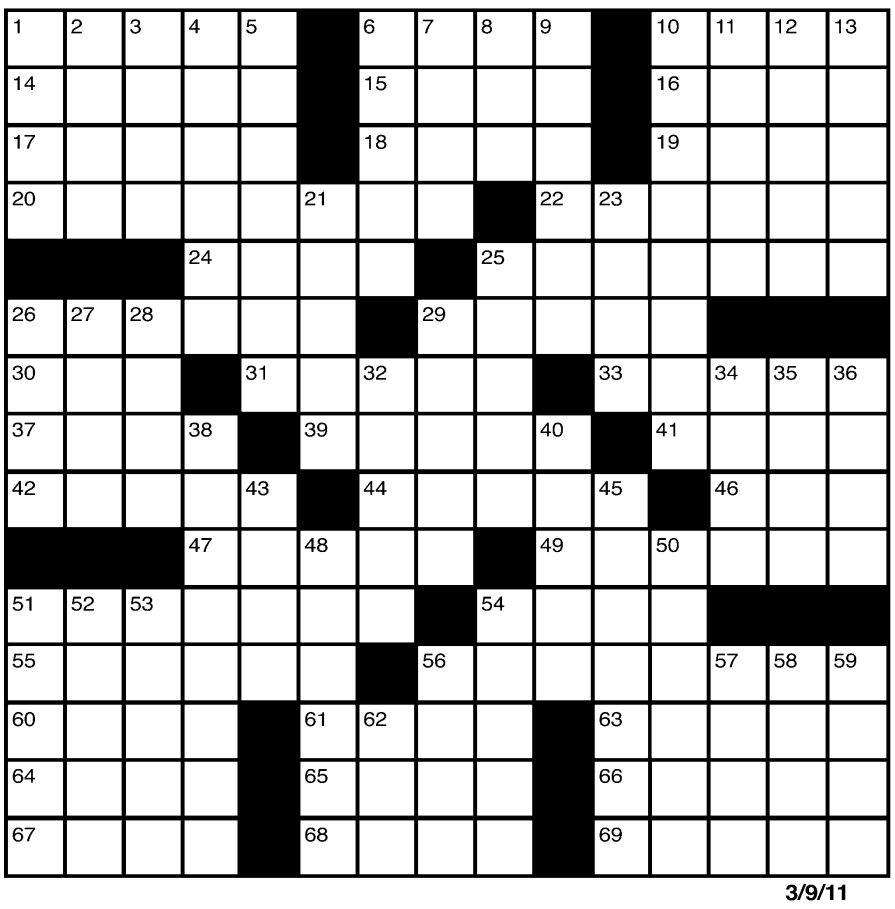

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8 Upper limb
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10 Woodwind instrument
11 Basset or Afghan
12 See eye to eye
13 Peruses
21 Musical drama
23 Takes advantage of
25 Coffin platforms
26 Digital Versatile __; DVD
27 Skin problem
28 Ring, as a bell
29 Glances over
32 Like a copycat
34 Parched
35 Popular flower
36 Night twinkler
38 Joy
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43 Leave out
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50 Of a pre-Easter church season
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Tuesday's Puzzle Solved

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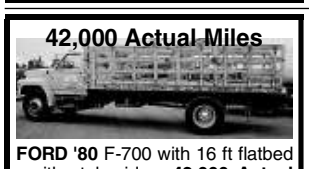

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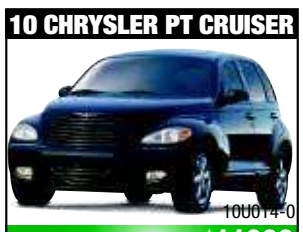					
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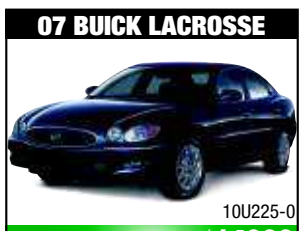		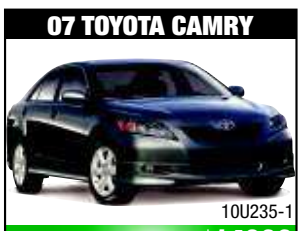			
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Answer to previous puzzle

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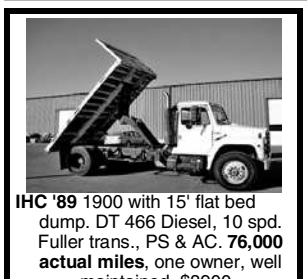

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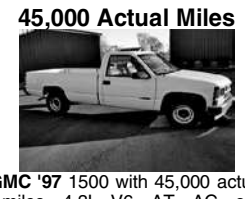

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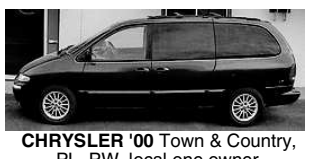

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