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Officer named in Twin Falls shooting

Day returns to work;
judge denies Fife
bond reduction

By Eric Larsen
Times-News writer

As a Twin Falls County judge decided Friday that Lee Randall Fife was justifiably jailed on \$50,000 bond, Ada County and Twin Falls city criminal justice officials identified the police officer who shot Fife on April 5.

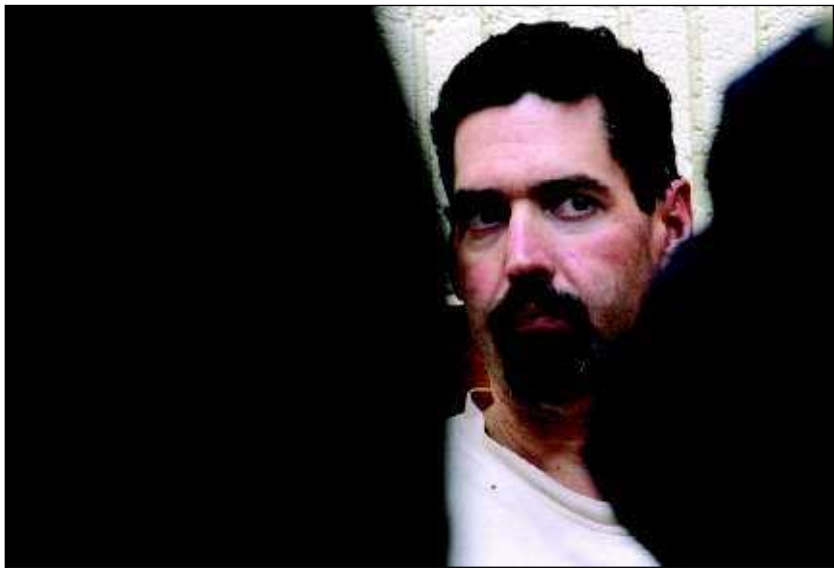
Fife, 40, is accused of attempting to ram police vehicles with his car, after Twin Falls police cornered him in a cul-

de-sac during an early morning pursuit in southeastern Twin Falls. On Friday, the Ada County Prosecutor's Office and Twin Falls Police Chief Brian Pike identified Twin Falls Police Officer Isaiah Day as the officer who shot into Fife's vehicle, striking Fife and ending the pursuit.

TFPD Capt. Matt Hicks said Day, a K9 officer who has been on the force since 2005, was placed on administrative leave after the shooting, according to department policy. Day returned to work on Monday, Hicks said.

The investigation into Day's use of force will be handled by Idaho State Police and Ada County prosecutors to avoid any potential conflicts associated with Twin Falls

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Lee Randall Fife listens during a court hearing Friday in Twin Falls. Fife remains jailed on \$50,000 bond.

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Idaho school district says layoff lottery is last resort

BLACKFOOT (AP) — A school district in eastern Idaho plans to use a lottery system as a last resort to determine layoffs, should budget cuts require leaner staffing.

The Blackfoot School District revised its policy for reductions in force this month in response to a new Idaho law that says teachers with seniority are no longer the last to go when administrators are forced to make layoffs. Public schools chief Tom Luna pushed for the change during the 2011 session and argued that districts, in response to state budget cuts, were being forced to fire some of their best and brightest teachers simply because they were the last employees hired.

Luna is including a provision to eliminate seniority as a factor during these decisions as part of his sweeping education reforms, which phase out tenure for teachers and limit their collective bargaining while shifting money for salaries in the public schools budget to fund technology upgrades and a new merit pay plan.

In Blackfoot, school district superintendent Scott Crane is working to alleviate concerns over the lottery provision in the new policy on reductions in force.

"I would like to assure the community, patrons, and educators that the draconian implications, rumors, and misinformation that the school district's reduction in force policy would be based on an indiscriminately comprehensive lottery system are ludicrous," Crane said.

The *Idaho State Journal* reported that under the revised policy, teachers on probation or with unsatisfactory performance would be among the first let go if there are budget-driven layoffs. Teachers would then be ranked, with a priority on keeping those who have multiple degrees, teaching endorsements and are ranked highly qualified in more than one subject.

And finally, if more layoffs are required to help balance the school district's budget, a lottery system would be used to determine who among the remaining pool of teachers is let go.

ALSO MAKING NEWS

Lohan ordered to jail for probation violation



A stoic Lindsay Lohan was ordered to jail Friday by a judge who ruled that Lohan violated her 2007 drunken-driving probation by wearing a gold chain out of a Venice jewelry store in January and failing to return it until she learned that detectives were preparing to serve a search warrant.

Read the story on Main 9

PEOPLE AND IDEAS



Photos by DREW NASH/Times-News

CSI celebrates 'green' building

Earth Day event wraps
up college's Green Week

By Amy Huddleston
Times-News writer

The College of Southern Idaho's Green Week ended Friday with a sustainability fair in the college's newest and most energy-efficient building.

Soft jazz tunes played outside the Health Sciences and Human Services

building to welcome community members and students in for an Earth Day celebration. The event featured a ceremony for the HSHS building, which was awarded a Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Gold award from the U.S. Green Building Council certification last year for its energy-efficient design.

CSI Instructional Dean Mark Sugden said the building's success is due to many people and ideas.

"It's a symbol to our students that we

See **GREEN**, Main 2



ABOVE: Randy Dill, left, talks with LaMar Orton at the College of Southern Idaho's Health Sciences and Human Services building Friday.

LEFT: CSI Sustainability Council members, from left, Ashley Carlson, Richard Martinez and Nic Carlson talk outside the Health Sciences and Human Services building Friday during the final day of the college's Green Week event.

TFPD tabs new patrol captain

Times-News

Twin Falls Police Chief Brian Pike has chosen the man to fill the vacancy he left in March, when he was pegged as Twin Falls' top cop.

Pike recently named Anthony Barnhart as TFPD's patrol captain, the post Pike held before he was selected to replace retiring former chief Jim Munn Jr.

Barnhart, a staff sergeant in TFPD's patrol division, has been on the force since 1995. Pike said the selection process to find the next leader of TFPD's 39-officer patrol division was competitive.

"Anthony came out No. 1," Pike said. "He represents our values and understands what we want to accomplish."

Barnhart joins fellow TFPD Capt. Matt Hicks and Bryan Krear.

Pike called Barnhart a Twin Falls stakeholder who's been

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COMING SUNDAY

Future of a forgotten people

Anticipating new lives in Idaho

In Nepal's Jhapa district, more than 7,000 miles from Idaho, a handful of Bhutanese refugees are dreaming of a life in Twin Falls. Many have never seen snow, or flown on a plane, or slept in a house with electricity and running water. They live in assigned bamboo huts and eat rations in southeast Nepal's refugee camps.

Reporter Melissa Davlin returned this month from a visit to several of the camps. Read her description of life there and meet families who hope to resettle in Twin Falls, Sunday in the *Times-News*.



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If you do one thing today

Choose from about two dozen Easter eggs hunts around the Magic Valley today (details at Magicvalley.com/calendar). One example: the annual hunt hosted by the Twin Falls Optimist Club and Twin Falls Parks and Recreation Department. It's at 10 a.m. at Twin Falls City Park, with more than 1,000 plastic eggs filled with candy in each of four age groups (2 and younger, 3-4, 5-7 and 8-10). 736-2265.

Ensign leaving, but Senate probe goes on

The Washington Post

WASHINGTON — The Senate Ethics Committee is pushing ahead with its investigation of Sen. John Ensign, R-Nev., despite his announcement that he would resign, an unusual move that legal observers said demonstrates the panel's resolve to at least issue a public rebuke.

With Ensign out of the Senate effective May 3, the committee will lose jurisdiction in the case and cannot formally charge him with wrongdoing in its 22-month investigation into Ensign's handling of the fall-out from an affair

member Johnny Isakson, R-Ga., said in a statement. The senators are traveling together through China as part of a 10-senator delegation.

Since June 2009, the committee has been reviewing Ensign's affair with Cynthia Hampton, his former political treasurer, and his decision to dismiss her and her husband, Doug Hampton, who served in his legislative office until the firings in 2008. Ensign's parents then gave a \$96,000 gift to the Hamptons, and the senator also helped Doug Hampton land lobbying work with his political supporters back in Las Vegas.

Legal experts could not think of a case in recent decades in which either the Senate or House ethics committees continued their work and issued a report after a lawmaker had left office. The Ethics Committee has several options, including releasing a short statement summarizing the case or a more detailed statement that could include allegations of violations by Ensign.



Ensign

Sex offender pleads guilty to new charge

By Gina Milligan
Times-News correspondent

BURLEY — A convicted sex offender faces more time behind bars after pleading guilty to a new charge on Thursday as part of an agreement with the state.

Kyle Daniel Day, 28, of Rupert, decided to change his plea to guilty on a rape charge earlier in the week. As part of a plea agreement with the Cassia County Prosecutor's Office, a charge of sexual battery will be dismissed.

According to court documents on Dec. 23, a probation officer sent an email to Cassia County Sheriff investigators in-

forming that Day allegedly had sexual relations with a teen at a West Main Street motel.

Day stated in court documents that he was pleading guilty because "I did do what I have been accused of doing; I had sexual relations with an underage female."

Day was convicted of felony lewd conduct with a child in 2006 and was also convicted for failing to register as a sex offender in 2008.

Also according to the plea agreement, Day will undergo a psycho-sexual evaluation and will also admit to probation violations in connection with the 2006 and 2008 cases.

Captain

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invested in the community and its well-being. Barnhart has served as a TFPD detective and as a former Twin Falls County sher-

iff's deputy.

A May 2 pinning ceremony and introduction of Barnhart in front of the Twin Falls City Council is planned, Pike said.

Minidoka Co. building wins permit

By Laurie Welch
Times-News writer

RUPERT — A Minidoka County business that allegedly did not fully disclose the full nature or value of a building constructed two years ago, and built it in a zone that did not allow its use, was granted a special-use permit Thursday by the county Planning and Zoning Commission.

Karl Studer's permit for Probst Electric, at 1 E. 200 S. near Rupert, received unanimous approval with the conditions that the business control lighting that affects its neighbors, and restrict its footprint to

the original 3 acres set out in the permit.

Studer was issued a permit in December 2008 to build a pole building valued at \$32,400. The building he built is currently valued at \$276,320.

Last September, the county's community development office advised Studer in a letter that it had observed the electrical company operating out of the building, which is not allowed in an agricultural-medium zone, and that his permit had been issued for a "pole building," but it appeared to be a commercial shop and office.

"It has impacted the value

of our property, of course," said Hazel May, who lives across the street from the business, at Thursday's meeting. "I'd rather see the old broken-down corrals over there."

May said the property is "loaded with trucks" and has nothing to do with agriculture.

Minidoka County Community Development Director Tony Morley, who was hired by the county in January to replace Paul Aston, said a hearing on the issue had been continued or postponed several times.

During the delay, the P&Z amended an ordinance that

allowed officials to grant the business a special-use permit.

Studer said Probst has operated from the location for the past couple of years. He said Aston told him during the permitting process that there wouldn't be any problems.

Probst doesn't impact the area any more than any agricultural business, Studer said.

Commissioner Dan Lloyd said no devaluation of May's property occurred, unless she had already planned to subdivide her property or it had been rezoned. He noted that value is in the eye of the beholder.

AROUND THE VALLEY

Hearing delayed for alleged smoke shop burglar

A scheduled Friday court hearing was delayed for a Twin Falls man accused of twice breaking into a Twin Falls smoke shop in an attempt to take items from it.

Caleb Faulkner, 18, is accused of twice using a truck to bash in the front door of the Smoke-N-Head shop on Washington Street earlier this month. Twin Falls police say they found him early April 10, in possession of packages belonging to the smoke shop chain's Blue Lakes Boulevard location.

Faulkner is accused of two counts of bur-

glary and two counts of malicious injury to property.

On Friday, 5th District Magistrate Judge Roger Harris granted a two-week continuance of the hearing that will determine if there is enough evidence to send Faulkner's case to district court.

Twin Falls man arrested on meth, cocaine charges

Christopher J. Roland, 38, was arrested by Twin Falls police at 11 p.m. Thursday on allegations of trafficking in methamphetamine and cocaine possession.

According to a city release, Twin Falls officers had been seeking Roland due to an outstanding warrant. He was allegedly found with several baggies of meth weighing about 47

grams, 1.4 grams of cocaine and about \$3,000 cash.

Jerome deputies locate sought-after van

Jerome County sheriff's deputies have located the minivan they believed to be involved in area property crimes.

A blue 2005 Toyota Sienna with Idaho license plates 2J 38041 was found Friday morning in the desert east of U.S. Highway 93. Deputies found a small dog inside, which they believe was without food or water for about 2 1/2 weeks. The dog was taken to a veterinary clinic for care, according to a sheriff's release.

No further details about the van or related crimes have been released.

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County prosecutors handling it. Hicks and Pike said their department is optimistic the investigation will proceed well.

"Everybody's cooperating, and we're anticipating the final result of the Ada County Prosecutor's Office investigation," Hicks said.

Also Friday, Fife made his first in-person appearance in a Twin Falls courtroom for charges related to the chase and shooting, and saw his preliminary hearing in front of 5th District Magistrate Judge Roger Harris be pushed back for three weeks at the request of his defense. Fife is charged with three felonies related to the case, for allegedly attempting to run from and ram into officers.

Shackled and wearing a

ABOUT THE CASE

Lee Randall Fife faces three felony charges for allegedly running from and threatening Twin Falls police until he was shot shortly after 1 a.m. April 5.

The charges: Attempting to elude a police officer, aggravated assault with a deadly weapon (amended from assault or battery on certain personnel), aggravated battery with a deadly weapon (amended from assault or battery on certain personnel).

The punishment: If convicted, Fife faces maximum penalties of three years in prison for eluding, five years in prison and a \$5,000 fine for aggravated assault, and 15 years' imprisonment for aggravated battery.

The shooting: On Friday, the Ada County Prosecutor's Office identified Twin Falls Police Officer Isaiah Day as the officer who shot Fife, ending the pursuit. Day was placed on administrative leave after the shooting and returned to work on April 18.

What's next: Fife's Twin Falls magistrate court preliminary hearing, which determines whether there is sufficient evidence to pursue felony charges in district court, has been delayed until 8:15 a.m. May 13. The Idaho State Police investigation into the shooting continues.

white Twin Falls County Jail T-shirt and orange jail pants, Fife said little other than, "Yes, Your Honor," in response to a trio of Harris' questions. He showed no

visible sign of injury, though his defense raised concerns about his medical treatment in the jail.

While Harris granted Fife's defense more time to

study the case, he denied a request to reduce Fife's \$50,000 bond, set during an April 11 magistrate court arraignment. With the Twin Falls Prosecutor's Office "adamantly" objecting to a bond reduction and arguing that it should increase to the original \$250,000 mark set on April 6, Harris noted his surprise that the prosecution previously agreed to the \$50,000 mark.

Harris decided Fife's bond would remain at \$50,000.

Also factoring into the denied bond reduction request is Fife's extensive criminal background, which includes five other pending criminal cases against him in Twin Falls County — among those, an insufficient funds check fraud charge he was arraigned for on Thursday.

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Green

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care about the planet and we did everything in 2010 to pass along sustainability into our future," he said. "It's Earth Day, and we are standing in a green building."

The \$21 million, 72,270-square-foot structure north of the main campus was completed in 2010 and houses a variety of programs.

Professor and emergency medical services director Gordy Kokx said the building is a joy to work in on a daily basis.

"It's a symbol of what we could do," he said. "It's good for us, but it's also an example to the community and to our students that they can live sustainable lives."

Organized by the CSI Sustainability Council, area businesses set up tables in the foyer for attendees to learn ways to green up

their lives.

Richard Martinez, 23, and his finance Ashley Carlson, 21, both serve on the council and helped organize the event. The couple is passionate about appreciating the Earth and helping people understand the urgency to start caring about the planet.

Martinez said they enjoy nature as much as possible and don't use the furnace in their home to keep energy costs low.

"It's cold, but that's what blankets are for," Carlson said.

Martinez said CSI's HSHS building is a beacon to show the community what new buildings could like in the future.

"I just think we need to appreciate what we have and care for it as much as possible," he said.

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CLARIFICATIONS

Laptop rollout unclear

How state-funded laptops will be introduced to Idaho public school classrooms was unclear in a Friday story.

Teachers will start laptop training in the coming fiscal year, and begin to get individual laptops in fall 2012. Students will begin to receive one-to-one mobile computing devices in fall 2013.

Fundraiser not formally part of Make-A-Wish

The Make-A-Wish Foundation of Idaho is not formally connected to a Texas hold'em benefit tournament planned Wednesday, as referenced in information provided the *Times-News* for Friday's Community section.

A.J. Azevedo, 11, has been undergoing cancer treatments for three years and is currently in remission. Jenna Sharp, a Twin Falls High School student council member, organized the fundraiser to send A.J. and his mother to Disney World.

Nancy Berry with the foundation said Azevedo received a Make-A-Wish wish in 2008.

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Wendell OKs park projects

By Emily Katseanes
Times-News correspondent

WENDELL — With spring’s renewed greenery, Wendell is looking at re-newing infrastructure in its parks.

Greg Williams, a long-time building contractor, has volunteered his design and ambassadorial skills to get a new concrete pad placed in Wendell’s park. Williams’ plan will construct a gradually sloping cement pad in front of the bandshell and connect it to an existing walkway.

“As you know, it’s kind of a briar patch in there,” Williams said of the current location at Thursday’s Wendell City Council meeting.

Williams has drawn up plans for the project. He’s also working with the Wendell Chamber of Commerce, which is allotting up to \$4,500, and local businesses have donated or reduced the price of materials.

Williams asked the city to help with manpower and cones to alert pedestrians during construction, which Public Works Director Bob Bailey said would be possible. Councilman Jason

Houser complimented Williams on his efforts to make the project a community effort.

“It’s great that you’re giving the businesses in the area the opportunity to do some work for the city and keeping it local, too,” Houser said.

In other park news, Jim Benson, a member of Wendell’s American Legion, asked the council for its support for changes the Legion wants to make to the South Central Idaho Veterans Memorial Park.

Benson asked the council to consider allowing the Legion to put up a brochure holder near the parking area. Benson hopes to include pamphlets about the building with memorial plaques on the far side of the park.

“What we’ve noticed is people get out, walk around and rarely get up to the building,” Benson said. “I think if we had it right up there where people park, we’d get more of them going up there to see it.”

Benson also asked the council to allow his group to purchase and place “no skateboarding” signs in the park to protect pedestals

that are being damaged by board wheels.

And he requested the city approve moving a patch of maiden grass from the middle of the park to a border area. Benson said the grass, which grows from 5 to 8 feet high, is overwhelming in its current location, but would work well along the park’s edge.

The council approved all of Benson’s requests.

Also Thursday, Mayor Brad Christopherson said the council should consider taking advantage of current road construction near Interstate 84 to lay pipe for future water needs. Construction now would set up a tunnel that could later transport water to the other side of the highway for an approximate cost of \$16,500. Waiting until the need is immediately upon the city could cost more, he said.

“If we need to get water to the other side of the freeway after, it could be hundreds of thousands of dollars to drill under,” Christopherson said.

The council agreed to discuss the idea in a special meeting after Christopherson gets firmer details.

5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS

TWIN FALLS COUNTY THURSDAY ARRAIGNMENTS
Aurelio Hernandez, 21, Twin Falls; driving without privileges (third offense), no insurance (second offense), false information provided to an officer, \$500 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial June 1.
Lee Randall Fife, 40, Twin Falls; fraud-insufficient funds check, \$50,000 bond, pretrial April 29.
Victoria Irene Bigelow, 48, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance, pretrial April 29.

FRIDAY ARRAIGNMENTS
Sandra May Norris, 57, Hansen; delivery of a controlled substance, possession with intent to deliver, \$10,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary April 29.
Joshua James Praegitzer, 18, Jerome; delivery of a controlled substance (3 counts), \$1,500 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary April 29.
Nolan Patrick McDonald, 18, Jerome; delivery of a controlled substance (2 counts), \$1,500 bond, private counsel, preliminary April 29.
Derek D. Boudreau, 20, Filer; possession of a controlled substance, walk-in arraignment, public defender appointed, preliminary April 29.

Russell Barth, 50, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance, \$2,500 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary April 29.
Christopher James Roland, 38, Twin Falls; trafficking methamphetamine, possession of a controlled substance, \$100,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary April 29.
Matthew Blake Kilfoyle, 28, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance, possession of paraphernalia, \$500 bond, public defender appointed, not-guilty plea, pretrial June 1.
Matthew Blake Kilfoyle, 28, Twin Falls; violation of no-contact order (4 counts), \$10,000 bond, public defender appoint-

ed, not-guilty plea, no-contact order, pretrial June 1.
Steven Eugene Hendriks, 41, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance, possession of paraphernalia, public defender appointed, not-guilty plea, pretrial June 1.



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Legal issues again slow Wendell wastewater

By Emily Katseanes
Times-News correspondent

Wendell City Council’s April 7 regular meeting was cancelled due to absences for personal reasons. Though there were enough members for a quorum, the meeting was postponed as none of its planned issues were time-sensitive.

A makeup meeting on April 15 saw the council discussing the future of the city’s sewer project.

The council appointed a three-member wastewater advisory committee. Fred McCloud, Danny Williamson and David Hults, with backgrounds in construction and farming, volunteered for the committee,

which will make suggestions to the council as the wastewater project proceeds.

Councilman Barry Brown expressed concern that the committee might slow down the work of engineers who were hired to do the job. But when it came time to decide, Brown was out-voted 3-1.

But the sewer project the committee hopes to be a part of might end up getting stalled.

In November, Gooding County commissioners denied an appeal of the special-use permit granted to Wendell to expand its wastewater ponds and fields. On April 15, attorney John Lothspeich told the council that two petitions

have now been filed asking a judge to review the county’s action. Though May will see opening briefs and Gooding County’s response, it could take up to four months for a decision to be handed down.

The council tabled a decision on whether to move ahead with the work before the legal issues are wrapped up. The engineering firm assisting the city, J-U-B Engineers, had wanted to proceed with the project this summer.

City Attorney Calvin Campbell — also the Gooding County prosecutor — said the city needed time to review the matter.

In other April 15 business, Gene Estes was appointed to

the library board. Estes was stepping in for former board member Pam Crawford, who resigned March 17.

Buhl to vote on supplemental levy

By Kimberly Williams-Brckett
Times-News correspondent

BUHL — The Buhl School District is gearing up for its May 17 supplemental levy election.

The district has lost 15 percent of its funding in the past three years and has had to use half of its reserves, Superintendent Byron Stutzman said at Wednesday’s Buhl School Board meeting. Another 4 percent will be cut for the 2011-12 school year. He said the \$571,903 levy will be needed to continue quality education for students without making more cuts.

Already, cuts have reduced maintenance and district office staff and counselors, trimmed teacher salaries, eliminated a math achievement teacher position and the gifted and talented program, and reduced student classroom supplies.

The one-year levy will cost about \$120 per \$100,000 of assessed property value. A primary residence assessed at \$100,000 with a \$50,000 homeowner’s exemption would pay

\$60 for the year, said board Chairman Jim Barker.

“Education is a main pillar of our community and of America,” Stutzman said. “Good schools attract people to Buhl, and we all gain economically. The schools and their grounds are community assets used by all.”

If the levy doesn’t pass, the board plans to require activity fees for students to participate in athletics and all extracurricular activities, cut two teacher positions, eliminate new language art textbooks and make other cuts.

Stutzman said funds from the levy would not go toward starting charter or alternative schools or restore teacher salaries.

“As of the coming year, state law requires that the district post on its website every check written, so voters will be able to monitor the district’s spending,” said district busi-

ness manager David Klug.

Also Wednesday:

- Popplewell Elementary School Principal Ron Anthony surveyed parents during a kindergarten enrollment meeting on their thoughts on paying tuition for full-day kindergarten classes.

Currently, the district receives state funding for half-day classes. Under the proposal, parents could pay as much as \$1,000 to \$1,500. The expansion wouldn’t be done with new levy funds.

“It was split 50-50,” said Anthony.

Despite parent concerns, tuition may cost less than child care, Anthony said.

“The jury is still out on what we’re going to do,” he said.

The board will also review Idaho Reading Indicator data scores for kindergarten, as Anthony said IRI scores at at least one Idaho school rose when parents paid tuition.

WANTED

in Cassia County

Yesenia Saldana-Gonzales

Age: 37
Description: 5 feet, 1 inch; 170 pounds; black hair, dyed red; brown eyes

Wanted for: Probation violation; \$5,000 bond

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AROUND THE STATE

IDAHO Sheriff: Hailey man named as pilot in crash

BOISE — A pilot who was killed when his single-engine, experimental aircraft crashed in western Oklahoma has been identified as a central Idaho man.

Beckham County Sheriff Scott Jay says Arthur A. Lazzarini, of Hailey was killed when his plane crashed Thursday near Elk City, Okla.

The Federal Aviation Administration says the Dahlman-Dower Tailwind W-8 left Sayre about 11:15 a.m. and disappeared from radar around noon. Jay says the FAA called and asked that his office go to the Sayre airport to see if the plane had landed there, but nothing was found. A rancher notified authorities about 1:15 p.m. that he had found a debris field and the crash site near the border between Beckham and Roger Mills counties.

Education funding protections become law

BOISE — Legislation to temporarily restore funding protections for school districts with enrollment declines will become law without the governor’s signature.

Gov. C.L. “Butch Otter’s education adviser, Roger Brown, told the Spokesman-Review the governor “wasn’t crazy about” a provision in the bill to give districts with enrollment declines 97 percent of last year’s funding — allowing teachers to keep their jobs for one more year.

Public schools chief Tom Luna eliminated the funding protections in his education reforms, which were backed by Otter and signed into law last month. Luna’s legislation included a 10 percent severance provision for teachers who are laid off because their district has fewer students.

A last-minute bill that cleared the 2011 session dumped the severance, but restored a bulk of the funding protections for one year.

Dems name 3 to redistricting commission

BOISE — The state Democratic Party’s leaders announced their three representatives who will help draw up Idaho’s political boundaries over the next few months.

They named Allen Andersen of Pocatello, Julie Kane of Lapwai and George Moses of Boise. Andersen is a former high school teacher and state lawmaker, Kane is a top lawyer for the Nez Perce tribe and Moses was an aide for California Congressman Robert Leggett who works as a union political coordinator.

Idaho Republicans haven’t named their three representatives publicly. The six-person redistricting commission starts in June to redraw Idaho’s 35 state legislative districts based on the 2010 U.S. Census.

Police take two into custody after robbery

BOISE — Boise Police officers drew their guns and took two people into custody after a robbery of the Key Bank branch on Overland Road.

The robbery happened at just after 9 a.m. on Friday morning.

Only minutes later, officers spotted a man inside a vehicle with Nevada license plates who matched the suspect’s description: White hair, white beard, with a navy blue sweat shirt and a baseball cap.

Officers then stopped the vehicle at gunpoint. The two men found in the car are being questioned, and officers say they have evidence that they believe links at least one of the men to the robbery.

Eagle man arraigned in child abuse case

BOISE — A southern Idaho man has been arraigned on charges that he abused his two teenage children before having them committed to prevent them from reporting it

A preliminary hearing for the 55-year-old Eagle attorney was set

Friday in Ada County for May 13. AP is not identifying the Idaho man to protect the identities of the children. The AP does not name victims of alleged sexual abuse. The man faces two felony charges of injury to a child. He faces up to 10 years in prison and up to a \$50,000 fine.

Prosecutors say the man physically, sexually and mentally abused his 15-year-old daughter and 14-year-old son before admitting them to a mental health facility to prevent them from sharing information with investigators looking into the case.

— The Associated Press

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April 23 Easter Vigil with Baptism - 7:00 pm
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St. Thomas Church - Sun Valley
201 Sun Valley Road, Sun Valley, ID 83353
208-726-5349

April 17 Palm Sunday Service - 8:00 & 9:30 am
April 18 Godspell: The Movie and Dinner - 5:00 pm
April 20 Healing Service - 1:00 pm & Labyrinth Walk – Noon – 4:00 pm
April 21 Maundy Thursday Service - 7:30 pm
April 22 Good Friday Liturgy w/ choir- 7:30 pm
April 23 Easter Vigil - 7:30 pm - Reception following
April 24 Easter Celebration w/Holy Communion 8:00 & 10:00 am
Egg Hunt during 10:00 am service

Emmanuel Church - Hailey
101 South 2nd Avenue, Hailey, ID 83333
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April 17 Palm Sunday Service - 8:00 and 9:45 am
April 20 Wednesday Evening Prayer, Soup Supper and Class – 6:00 pm
April 21 Maundy Thursday Service – 7:00 pm
April 22 Good Friday Liturgy – 7:00 pm
April 23 Holy Saturday Liturgy – 10:00 am - Easter Vigil – 8:00 pm
April 24 Easter Celebration w/Holy Communion – 8:00 & 10:00 am
Easter Brunch – 9:00 am - Egg Hunt after 10:00 am service

Church of the Ascension - Twin Falls
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April 17 Palm Sunday - One Service Only at 9:00 am
April 20 Wednesday - Communion Service 7:00 am & 12:15 pm
Labyrinth & Tenebrae Service - 7:00 pm
April 21 Maundy Thursday Service - 7:00 pm - Child Care Available
April 22 Good Friday Stations of the Cross - 12:15 pm
April 23 Easter Vigil - 8:30 pm
Reception Following - Child Care Available
April 24 Easter Celebration w/ Holy Communion - 8:00 & 10:00 am
Egg Hunt after the 10:00 am service

Grace Church - Glenns Ferry
102 East Cleveland, Glenns Ferry, ID 83623
208-366-7425

April 17 Palm Sunday Service – 10:00 am
April 22 Good Friday Liturgy – 4:00 pm
April 24 Easter Celebration w/Holy Communion – 10:00 am

Calvary Church - Jerome
201 South Adams, Jerome, ID 83338
204-324-8964

April 17 Palm Sunday Morning Prayer Service – 11:00 am
April 20 Wednesday Soup Supper and Study – 6:00 pm
April 24 Easter Celebration w/Holy Communion – 11:00 am

Christ Church - Shoshone
104 West B, Shoshone ID, 83352
208-886-2617

April 17 Palm Sunday Service – 9:00 am
April 21 Maundy Thursday Service – 7:00 pm
April 24 Easter Celebration w/Holy Communion – 9:00 am


Trinity Church - Gooding
125 7th Avenue West, Gooding, ID 83330
208-934-4749

April 17 Palm Sunday Service with Baptisms – 11:00 am
April 24 Easter Celebration w/Holy Communion – 11:00 am

Holy Trinity Church - Buhl
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April 17 Palm Sunday Service - 10:00 am
April 21 Maundy Thursday Service - 6:00 pm
April 22 Good Friday Liturgy - 6:00 pm
April 24 Easter Celebration w/ Holy Communion - 10:00 am

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Mine rescue faces more challenges

MULLAN (AP) — Rescuers have blasted through 163 feet of solid rock in an effort to find an Idaho silver miner who has been missing since a cave-in last week, Hecla Mining Co. said Friday.

But the company says the most difficult work is still to come, as they advance into possibly more treacherous conditions.

Workers still have about 57 feet to go before they reach a void inside a collapsed tunnel where they hope Larry Marek, 53, will be found more than a mile deep in the Lucky Friday Mine.

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Hecla has decided not to start digging on a second rescue tunnel, to prevent interference with stability monitoring on the current excavation effort.

The collapse happened last Friday. Rescuers have had no contact with Marek since.

Army releases soldier charged with killing Afghan civilians

The Associated Press

SEATTLE — One of five soldiers charged with killing Afghan civilians for sport was released from Army custody on Friday and placed on electronic monitoring pending his court-martial.

Spc. Michael Wagnon, 30, of Las Vegas, will be assigned to a different unit at Joint Base Lewis-McChord south of Seattle, but it remained unclear what his daily duties will be.

He has been in custody for about 11 months, after investigators alleged that he had joined the others in conspiring to kill three Afghan civilians in Kandahar province last year.

“He had tears in his eyes,” said his attorney, Colby Vokey. “The first thing he said was, ‘I can’t wait to spend the night at home with my wife and my kids.’”

One of the soldiers, Spc. Jeremy Morlock, of Wasilla, Alaska, has given statements describing a plot he claimed was led by Staff Sgt. Calvin Gibbs, of Billings, Mont., to murder civilians for fun while on patrol. The claims are some of the most gruesome war-crimes allegations to emerge from the U.S. war in Afghanistan.

Morlock claimed that Wagnon joined Gibbs in the second of the three killings in February 2010, but little or no evidence has emerged publicly to corroborate that Wagnon intended to kill a civilian. During that shooting, prosecutors say, Gibbs killed a civilian and planted an AK-47 by his body to make him appear to be a combatant.

Wagnon acknowledged shooting at the victim after he heard gunfire, but said he was simply coming to the aid of a fellow soldier and maintained he knew nothing about any murder plot.

Gibbs insists all of the killings were justified.

An Army investigator who reviewed evidence against Wagnon recommended that murder and conspiracy charges against him be dropped, but officials declined to do so. His court-martial is set for June 13.

Wagnon also faces a charge of conspiracy to commit aggravated assault because he was present when others in his unit, including Gibbs, allegedly fired toward unarmed farmers in a field.

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10 a.m. – Worship with Chancel Choir and Hallelujah Handbells

Maundy Thursday Service
7 p.m. – Worship with hand washing and Communion in the Chapel on the first floor of the Christian Education Bldg.

Good Friday Service
7 p.m. We will Worship at Our Savior Lutheran Church along with Ascension Episcopal Church.

Easter Egg Hunt and Festival
Saturday, 11 a.m. – Church Courtyard

Easter Sunday Worship - 10 a.m.
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Beetle Bailey

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SORRY I'M LATE. I HAD TO SHAVE.

BIG DEAL! YOU JUST SHAVED YOUR CHIN. I HAD TO SHAVE ALL OVER MY BODY!

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WUPS! TOO MUCH INFORMATION...

Blondie

By Dean Young & Stan Drake

WHY DO YOU DO SO MUCH CHANNEL-SURFING, DEAR?

ARE YOU KIDDING? IT'S IMPORTANT!

I NEED TO KNOW WHAT I'M NOT MISSING

Dilbert

By Scott Adams

THE COMMITTEE DECIDED THAT THE FILE NAMING CONVENTION WILL START WITH THE DATE, IN THE ORDER OF MONTH, YEAR, DAY...

... THEN A SPACE, THEN THE TEMPERATURE AT THE AIRPORT, AND THE HAT SIZE OF THE NEAREST SQUIRREL.

TO BE PERFECTLY HONEST, IT WAS A LONG MEETING AND WE PROBABLY DIDN'T DO OUR BEST WORK TOWARD THE END.

The Elderberries

By Phil Frank and Joe Troise

"Do you think we'll ever be more than friends?" he asked...

"Honey," she answered, "I'm just here to take your order, but let's revisit your question after your tip."

For Better or For Worse

By Lynn Johnston

CAREFUL, CAREFUL - NOT TOO FAST, ELIZABETH!

LOOK, HONEY, THE KIDS ARE COLORING EASTER EGGS!

AND ANYTHING ELSE THEY CAN LAY THEIR HANDS ON!

Frank and Ernest

By Bob Thaves

PIZZA PALAZZO

RELAX --- IT'S ONLY THE POST OFFICE THAT'S THINKING OF STOPPING SATURDAY DELIVERY!

Garfield

By Jim Davis

I'M FEELING DOWN

THEN PUT A SMILE ON THAT FACE, MR. MOPEY PANTS!

DO YOU KNOW THERE'S A SOCK ON THE ROOF?

I BELIEVE I DO

Hagar the Horrible

By Chris Browne

NEXT TIME YOU'RE ASKED TO BRING SOMETHING TO A DINNER PARTY...

...DON'T OFFER TO BRING THE SOUP!

Hi and Lois

By Chance Browne

I'M THE YOUNGEST PERSON ON THE BLOCK.

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YOU ARE THE MOST WORTHLESS...

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THANK YOU!

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I'M NOT GORGEOUS. NOT MUCH SHAPE, ONE MY BUST TO ADHESIVE TAPE. NOT A HOTTIE, NOT A HONEY. BUT HERE'S MY BEAUTY:

I'M PRETTY FUNNY

Classic Peanuts

By Charles M. Schulz

I DON'T UNDERSTAND YOU..

YOU CAN'T JUST WALK INTO SOMEONE'S KITCHEN, AND START DRINKING ROOT BEER!

WHAT IF THEY DON'T WANT YOU? IT'S NOT AS IF YOU WERE INVITED! THERE ARE SOME THINGS YOU JUST DON'T DO!

WAS HE TALKING TO ME?

Pearls Before Swine

By Stephan Pastis

YOU ENTER THIS WORLD ALONE. YOU LEAVE THIS WORLD ALONE.

BUT IN BETWEEN WE'VE GOT DONUTS!!

IN BETWEEN, WE'VE GOT MORONS.

MMMMMMM... EXISTENCE GOOOOOOOOD.

Pickles

By Brian Crane

NELSON, I COULDN'T HELP BUT NOTICE THAT THE BATHROOM SINK IS FULL OF WARM WATER AND WORMS.

YOU WOULDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THAT, WOULD YOU?

YEAH. THOSE ARE MY WORMS.

IT'S COLD OUTSIDE SO I MADE THEM A HOT TUB.

OF COURSE YOU DID.

Rose is Rose

By Pat Brady

PACKAGE, MRS. GUMBO!

THANK YOU!

I'M SURE YOU HAVE MORE DELIVERIES TO MAKE...

SO I'D LIKE TO APOLOGIZE FOR THROWING YOU OFF SCHEDULE.

CLAW SNAGS ARE PART OF MY JOB!

MINE TOO!

Non Sequitur

By Wiley

NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL A WORTHY CAUSE

WILL STOP SENDING YOU FRIEND REQUESTS FOR \$

Dennis the Menace

By Hank Ketcham

"So, WHERE DO YOU KEEP THE TREES THAT MONEY GROWS ON?"

The Wizard of Id

By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart

I CAN'T FIND ANYTHING WRONG WITH YOU

TRY LIVING UNDER THE SAME ROOF WITH HIM FOR TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

Zits

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Are two lights enough?

Q *Is it illegal to not have your license plate illuminated at night?*

— John

A The easy answer in Idaho is no. In fact, the only requirement with equipment in Idaho is that all of the required equipment is in working condition. (Like at least two brake lights — more on that next.)

Q *I have a bet with a buddy about this question for you. There are some vehicles that have a brake light in or on the rear window as well as on the taillights. Do all the brake lights have to be working to avoid getting a ticket? My answer was no but my buddy said yes. Did I make money?*

— Angel

A You get the money. But sadly, I'm going to have to charge you with gambling, so that money won't be with you for long — and it can't be used to pay

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the fine, either. Turn yourself into your local authority and remember that even if you passed "Go," you don't get to collect the money.

The code we are talking about is Idaho Code 49-919, which states that any motor vehicle shall be equipped with stop lamps on the rear of the vehicle. If you can remember back to school days you'll recall that putting an "s" on the end of a word makes it plural, which we know means more than one. That makes two stop lamps the minimum requirement to avoid violating this law.

I know some of you are going to tell me that I got this one wrong because of Idaho Code 49-908, but that code only refers to the selling of a vehicle. It does not mean that you only have

to have one brake light, it just means that if you were to sell a vehicle it must have at least one brake light working. It also talks about not being able to sell a vehicle that does not have working turn signals. If the vehicle was manufactured before 1954, then this law would not apply.

Officer down

Please put these officers, killed in the line of duty, and their families in your prayers. God bless these heroes.

• Deputy Sherri Jones, Bowie County Sheriff, Texas.

• Officer Eric Zapata, Kalamazoo Department of Public Safety, Mich.

They fought the good fight, now may they rest in peace.

See you next week. Email your questions to police-mandan@yahoo.com.

Dan Bristol is the Heyburn chief of police.

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Courtesy photo

Preston earned the Star Student Award this winter at the Southern Idaho Learning Center in Twin Falls. The center described him as a very positive student who comes to class ready to learn and participate. His reading survey improved from 62 percent to 94 percent.

BRIDGE NEWS

Results in Rupert

The BJ Duplicate Bridge Club in Rupert has announced its recent results of play.

April 12:

North-South: 1. Riley Burton and Edna Pierson, 2. Bill Goodman and Chuck Hunter, 3. Lila Buman and Marian Snow, 4. Peggy Hackley and Shirley Tschannen.

East-West: 1. Marlene Temple and Shirley Harris, 2. Sheila Hubsmith and Mildred Wolf, 3. Dee and Jane Keicher, 4. Vera Mai and Nanette Woodland.

April 19:

North-South: 1. Sue Skinner and Edna Pierson, 2. David Stoker and Shirley Tschannen, 3. Bill Goodman and Vera Mai, 4. Dot Creason and Jackie Brown.

East-West: 1. Marlene Temple and Shirley Harris, 2. Gary and Barbara Carney, 3. Mildred Wolf and Sheila Hubsmith, 4. Leo Moore and Dee Keicher.

Games are held at 1 p.m. Tuesdays at the Rupert Elks. For partners and more information: Steve Sams, 878-7691, or Vera Mai, 436-4163.

Gooding results

Gooding Duplicate Bridge has released its re-

sults for April 8.

1. David Stoker and Riley Burton, 2. Kathie Boian and Beverly Reed, 3. Al Poynter and Veeta Roberts, 4. Edna Pierson and Sue Skinner.

Duplicate Bridge is played at 1 p.m. Fridays at the Gooding Senior Center, 308 Senior Ave. For more information: Kathy Rooney, 934-9732.

Questioning shingles vaccine

DEAR DR. GOTT: I just took the shingles vaccine at a local drugstore. I filled out papers but nowhere did it mention that anyone who had a history of cancer should not take the vaccine. Please advise.

DEAR DR. GOTT: In your recent column, you said that the shingles vaccine should not be given to former cancer patients. I am in remission from large B cell non-Hodgkin's lymphoma. I have Wegener's granulomatosis, which although in remission, is still there. The Wegener's is the reason that a shingles vaccine is recommended. I will be having CD19 level blood testing before any vaccination, but with my history, should I still have the vaccine?

DEAR DR. GOTT: I read your recent article regarding the shingles vaccine with much interest. My doctor recommended the vaccine for me; however, I am reluctant to get it. My concern is that I understand the vaccine is formulated with live virus and my white blood count is below normal. Neither my doctor nor a pharmacist was able to comment on this.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I read your article that the shingles vaccine is not right for everyone. I am 65 now and I had ovarian cancer 25 years ago with chemotherapy on weekends once a month for a year. Your article said I shouldn't have the vaccine because I had cancer. Does this hold true for me even though I had cancer so long ago? Also, I can't remember if I had chickenpox. Please advise.

DEAR READERS: Thank you all for writing. When I wrote this article, I acquired

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Dr. Peter Gott**



the information from reputable sources, including the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention that specifically indicates people with a weakened immune system because of HIV/AIDS or another disease that affects the immune system, treatment with drugs that affect the immune system, cancer treatment such as radiation or chemotherapy, a history of cancer affecting the bone marrow or lymphatic system such as leukemia or lymphoma, and women who are or might be pregnant should not get the vaccine.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration mirrors this and states conditions such as cancer of the lymph, bone or blood and those with a weakened immune system caused by treatments such as radiation should not be immunized.

Drugs.com indicates if a person has leukemia or lymphoma (or other cancer affecting bone marrow) or a weakened immune system caused by disease or by receiving medication such as steroids or chemotherapy, they should not take the vaccine.

The Mayo Clinic indicates the vaccine isn't recommended if a person has a weakened immune system due to HIV/AIDS, lymphoma or leukemia or is receiving immune system-suppressing drugs such as steroids, radiation or chemotherapy and more.

The website www.Zostavax.com indicates that patients should not get the vaccine if they have a weakened immune system.

MedlinePlus indicates a person who has a weakened immune system because of treatment with drugs that affect the immune system such as prolonged use of high-dose steroids, cancer treatment such as radiation or chemotherapy, cancer affecting the bone marrow or lymphatic system such as leukemia or lymphoma should not get the vaccine.

Therefore, I stand by my original March statement that indicated there are some people who should not receive the vaccine. However, that said, I defer to each reader's oncologist, hematologist or other specialists who may have a different view on the subject. Thank you all for writing.

Dr. Peter H. Gott is a retired physician and the author of several books.

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Gooding hosts child screening

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Infant-toddler screenings will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. for children 3 years old and younger.

If you know a child who is 6 years old or younger who may have individual needs that result from disabilities or developmental delays, and who is not enrolled in a school program, call Beth Cram or Mary Walker at Gooding Elementary School, 934-4941, for an appointment.

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Buffet:
Prime Rib
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OPINION

QUOTE

“We are going to make sure that no one is taking advantage of the American people for their own short-term gain.”
— President Barack Obama, warning against fraud or manipulation of oil prices

A regional jail? That’s an idea worth exploring

CHEERS: To Twin Falls and Gooding counties, for taking steps to cooperate building a regional jail.

The Twin Falls County Jail is overcrowded and the Gooding lockup is so outdated that it requires double the manpower to handle security. A jointly operated jail in Wendell could help solve both counties’ problems.

Representatives of the two counties will meet again soon to discuss cost estimates.

Jerome County — which has an aging lockup that could be closed by the county’s insurer at any time — has been part of the discussion in the past, but still plans to go ahead



with a bond issue election this year for its own jail. Three previous attempts have failed at the polls.

We wish Jerome County would consider becoming part of a regional effort. A stockade in Wendell would be just 10 minutes away from Jerome.

In any case, a serious discussion of a regional jail is overdue — and welcome.

JEERS: Not that the Legislature left it with much choice, but we’re disappointed that the State Board of Education this week raised Idaho college tuition sharply for the third time in three years.

Tuition is going up 8.4 percent at the University of Idaho, 7 percent each at Idaho State University and Lewis-Clark State College, and 5 percent at Boise State University. In March, the College of Southern Idaho trustees raised tuition by \$5 per credit for next year.

Since the beginning the Great

Recession, the Legislature has essentially used state dollars elsewhere and balanced on the budget on the backs of college students and their parents. Lawmakers are pricing some Idaho students out of a college education.

That can’t continue.

CHEERS: To the city of Jerome, for considering adopting a single-stream recycling system.

A single-stream system allows residents to recycle with little or no sorting. Twin Falls, which adopted such a system in January, saw a dramatic increase in the amount of recycling.

In March, the average Twin Falls

household put 26.5 pounds of material into recycling bins. Before the program, the average for March 2010 was 4.8 pounds.

In Jerome, under a seven-year contract, recycling would cost residents \$3.80 a month, or \$4.70 if they opted for a RecycleBank program that gives customers coupons for deals at various businesses. For a 10-year contract, the per-household cost is estimated at \$3.50 a month, or \$4.40 with the RecycleBank program.

The Jerome City Council may put the question to voters in November. In any case, it’s a smart step forward for the community.

LETTERS OF THANKS

M.V. Lions thanks businesses, members

The Valley Lions Club would like to thank the following business and club members who donated to our annual charter party raffle.

Smith’s Food King of Twin Falls, Black Oil, Community Hardware of Murtaugh, Heavenly Bites, Douglas Farm Store, Don and Marilyn McBride, Bob and Wilma Sellers, Neil and Deannie Cross, Jim and Kathy Grant, Rose Crider, Diane Hohnhorst, Carma and Larry Hamby, Dorothy Mitchell, Debbie Stone.

Thanks so much. The event was a great success.

**NEIL CROSS
ROSE CRIDER
WILMA SELLERS
Valley Lions Club
Twin Falls**

Donations provide camping trips

The Dreams Come True Camp for Kids fundraiser, which was held March 26 at the Log Tavern, was a complete success. We would like to thank the following businesses and individuals who contributed merchandise to the auction:

Sportsman’s Warehouse, D&B Supply, General Builders Supply, Cal’s Log Tavern, Frank-Lin Distillers, EZ Money Pawn, Cactus Petes, Falls Brand Meats, “Fritz,” Stan, “Red Dog” “Peck” and Wayne.

We would also like to thank all of the volunteers and everyone who attended to support the cause. Without you all, we would not be able to provide camping and hunting trips to the disadvantaged!

Thank you!
**DON JESSER
ANTTA JESSER
Dreams Come True
Camp for Kids
Twin Falls**

Donations make dinner a success

The Jerome Senior Center held a prime rib dinner on Feb. 26.

We would like to thank Farmers National Bank for donating the funds to purchase the prime rib and we would also like to thank the Northside ID Chapter of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans for

matching funds.

The center made \$2,600 that went to support our Home Delivered Meal Program. We were very blessed by the countless volunteers who made this happen and that we are surrounded by a supportive community.

**KRISTINE SHELTON
Director, Senior Center
Jerome**

Girl Scouts thank leaders, volunteers

The Girl Scouts of Silver Sage Council would like to recognize all of its dedicated troop leaders and volunteers in the Magic Valley. Your commitment is helping build the next generation of leaders who are making the world a better place. We thank you for sharing your time, talents and treasures to support local Girl Scouts. You are appreciated!

**KATY KULESA
Membership manager
Girl Scouts of Silver Sage
Council
Twin Falls**

Rosenau’s shows excellent service

There is a time to weep and a time to laugh; a time to mourn and a time to dance. Even with the heartache and broken dreams in our world right now, love and care are still alive. A song of hope will always find its way into our hearts, and we will dance. There is a time for everything under heaven.

On Dec. 22, 2010, my mom passed on to be with my dad in heaven. The care my mom received from a funeral home and crematory cannot be overlooked. Rosenau’s (owners Kevin and Kim) surpassed the highest integrity, compassion, accountability, respect and Christian excellence at the end of my mom’s circle of life. It’s awesome to know there are funeral and crematory homes that cannot be surpassed.

Thank you, Kevin and Kim. God will look down on you and say well done.

With deepest of respect and blessed Easter to one and all.

**CASSANDRA PHARIS-BLAKLEY
Filer**

It’s time to raise the ‘T’ word

We will not be able to control our budget deficits without raising taxes. That simple reality has brought us to a moment of truth in American politics. President Obama’s speech Wednesday lived up to that moment, and now Democrats and Republicans in Congress must take a similar stand.

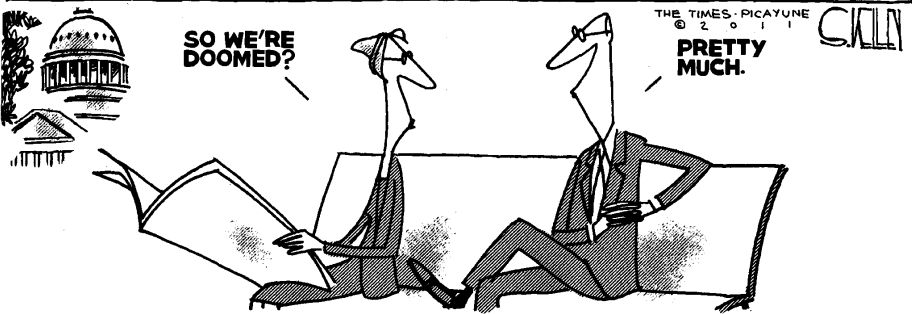
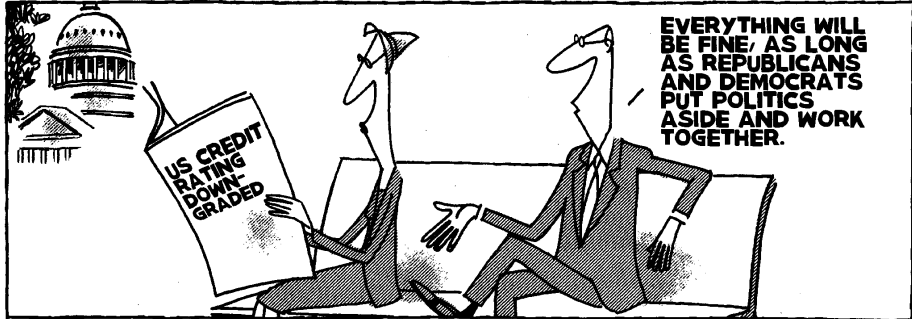


Walter Mondale

Many have described my 1984 presidential campaign promise to raise taxes as exemplifying the folly of proposing tax hikes during an election. Although the rebounding economy and improving job picture that year probably had more to do with President Ronald Reagan’s reelection than my pledge did, there are certainly political lessons for anyone considering tax increases today. In particular, avoid generalities, and clearly link taxes to addressing concrete national needs.

Taxes reveal who we are as a people and what we value. Polls consistently show that majorities of Americans are willing to pay taxes and even have them increased when the revenues are devoted to their priorities, such as education, health care and deficit reduction. The public’s support is greatest for raising taxes on the affluent, but it extends to hikes tied to popular programs such as Social Security and Medicare.

Moreover, Americans are not fans of tax cuts when pitted against other priorities. Republicans know this: During the battle over President George W. Bush’s 2001 tax cuts, the talking points for then-Treasury Secretary Paul O’Neill leaked out. Revealingly, they warned him to “make clear that there are no



trade-offs” because “the public prefers spending on things like health care and education over cutting taxes.” If you watch carefully, you will see some Republicans today practicing the same dance steps, weaving and ducking in the face of unavoidable and cruel trade-offs.

I told the truth in 1984. “The American people will have to pay Mr. Reagan’s bills,” I said in my acceptance speech at the Democratic National Convention in San Francisco. “The budget will be squeezed. Taxes will go up. . . . It must be done. Mr. Reagan will raise taxes, and so will I. He won’t tell you. I just did.”

I lost the election, but I won the debate. Reagan ended up increasing taxes in 1984, 1985, 1986 and 1987 to mend the budget and tax systems.

Elections since 1984 have demonstrated that favoring higher taxes to pay for specific priorities can be a winning political formula. Bill Clinton and Barack Obama both prevailed with well-executed and honest proposals to raise taxes for concrete purposes that Americans favored.

It makes sense to seize today’s bipartisan support for

cutting tax exemptions as a way to increase revenue. I also believe that we must eliminate Bush’s tax cuts for the rich. Where is the decency in cutting taxes for those making tens of millions while middle America struggles? This is a fight over fairness that Americans can understand.

Republicans are not risk-free in the tax debate. GOP politicians promise to reduce the deficit, but the indisputable record of Bush shows that his first priority was cutting taxes for the super-rich, even when that brought higher deficits. This record has bred distrust among the conservative base, including tea party sympathizers. One of Reagan’s domestic policy advisers, Bruce Bartlett, wrote a book in 2006 titled “Impostor,” decrying Bush’s phoniness on deficits and spending. Talking about shrinking deficits while cutting taxes for the the wealthiest does not attract conservative populists or swing voters.

I am worried about claims by some Republicans — such as Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, House Budget Committee Chairman Paul Ryan and the many who echo their words — that

taxes are too high. Here are the facts: Tax rates are at their lowest in decades, and revenue has fallen to a 40-year low as a percentage of our gross domestic product, according to the Congressional Budget Office.

I am troubled by cuts in infrastructure investments, which enjoy support from business and labor as a source of jobs and future economic prosperity. I am ashamed that America leads affluent democracies in the number of people (including children) who live in poverty. I am perplexed by the shortsightedness of reducing support for smart, hard-working college students. And where is our decency when we cut back on medical care for the ill?

These are neither humane nor necessary choices. We are better than that. We can and must restore fiscal discipline while showing mercy and justice for the most vulnerable.

Walter F. Mondale served as senator from Minnesota from 1964 to 1976 and U.S. vice president from 1977 to 1981. He was the Democratic presidential nominee in 1984. He wrote this commentary for The Washington Post.

LETTERS OF THANKS

Fun, games at pool’s ‘Midnight Madness’

On Friday, March 25, our family attended “Midnight Madness” at the Twin Falls City pool. There were fun games and activities for all ages. John Pauley and his staff worked very hard to provide this worthwhile event for the community.

Thanks, John and crew, for an evening of laughter and family fun. I hope more people take advantage of your

great programs at the pool and at the other YMCA facilities in Twin Falls, a great place to live.

**CONNIE WRIGHT
Twin Falls**

Clark gives thanks for support

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my appreciation to all the individuals, organizations, friends and family who have given their unwavering support. Those speci-

cally I would like to thanks for their extended contributions are:

“The Miracle Committee” Brothers in Blue, consisting of Nampa Police Department, Caldwell Police Department, Canyon County Sheriff’s Office; FPO Fund, “Officer Down” Treasure Valley FOP No. 11; Boise Police Department,, IBPO “512 Fund” Local 486; Boise Police Honor Guard; state of Idaho FOP Lodge; Members Idaho State Police; Ada County

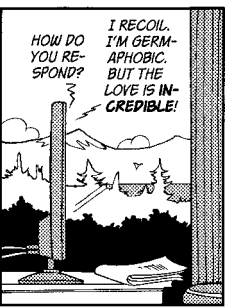
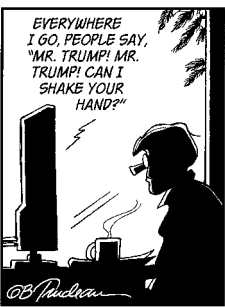
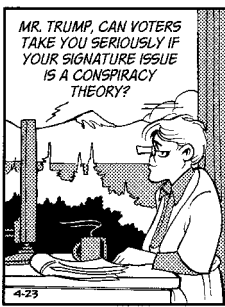
Sheriff’s Office; Meridian Police Department; Garden City Police Department; city of Jerome Police Department; SIRCOMM; Jerome City Council; Jerome County Sheriff’s Office; Jerome Rural Fire Department.

Thanks to all those sending cards, posters, flowers and various goodies. It’s been a long painful road, but I have hope that we’re on the downhill side.

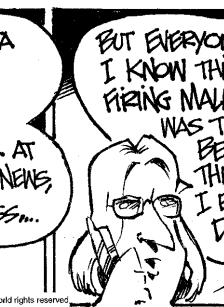
**DENNIS CLARK
Jerome**

THE LIGHTER SIDE OF POLITICS

Doonesbury



Mallard Fillmore



By Bruce Tinsley

Storm hurts several at St. Louis airport

By Jim Salter
Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — An apparent tornado tore through a section of St. Louis' Lambert Field on Friday, lifting the roof off a concourse, injuring several people and forcing the airport's closure.

Planes were diverted to other locations as emergency crews probed the debris for more wounded. Mayor Francis Slay said Lambert would be shut down "indefinitely."

The storm lifted the roof off Concourse C and sent plate glass flying everywhere. Four people were taken to the hospital with minor injuries after glass shattered as the storm hit, airport spokesman Jeff Lea said. An unspecified number of others were treated at the scene for cuts blamed on flying glass.

"We have all hands on deck here," Slay said, noting that responders have included a cadre of workers from the city and county. "This is something we're putting a lot of attention to."

Passengers from at least two planes were stranded briefly on the Lambert tarmac because of debris but were later taken away by buses. An Air National Guard facility at the airport was reportedly damaged.

Pieces of twisted metal lay outside the terminal, the remains of a fierce line of storms that struck central and eastern Missouri. Unconfirmed tornadoes were reported in several counties in the St. Louis area, and thousands lost power.

In the suburbs of Maryland Heights and New Melle, storms caused damage to several dozen homes.



AP photo
U.S. Sen. John McCain, standing before a pre-Gadhafi Libyan flag, talks during a news conference Friday in Benghazi, Libya.

McCain visits Libya, calls for more arms, training for rebels

By Sebastian Abbot and Ben Hubbard
Associated Press

BENGHAZI, Libya — U.S. Sen. John McCain called for increased military support for Libya's rebels Friday, including weapons, training and stepped-up airstrikes, in a full-throated endorsement of the opposition in its fight to oust Moammar Gadhafi.

In the Libyan capital, meanwhile, a senior official said government troops would step back and allow local armed tribesmen to deal with rebels in the besieged city of Misrata.

The action came a day after the U.S. began flying armed drones to bolster NATO airstrikes, and having the tribesmen take up the fight could make it harder for the Predators to distinguish them from Misrata's civilians or the rebels.

Early Saturday, loud booms were heard in Tripoli, apparently from NATO airstrikes.

Reporters were taken to an unpaved plot next to Gadhafi's sprawling Bab Aziziyeh residential compound in Tripoli. They were shown two craters, appar-

ently from missiles that had pierced through thick layers of reinforced concrete, laying bare what looked like a bunker system. Eight narrow military-issue metal crates were stacked next to one of the craters.

About two dozen Gadhafi supporters arrived at the scene, waving green flags in support of the Libyan leader.

McCain, the top Republican on the Senate Armed Services Committee, said the United States and other nations should recognize the opposition's political leadership as the "legitimate voice of the Libyan people." The White House disagreed, saying it was for the Libyan people to decide who their leaders are.

McCain also called the rebels "patriots" with no links to al-Qaida, in contrast to what some critics have suggested, and added they should receive Gadhafi assets that were frozen by other countries.

The chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff, Adm. Mike Mullen, said in Iraq that although the timing was hard to predict, the eventual ouster of Gadhafi and his family from power "is certain."



AP file photo
Rep. Michele Bachmann, R-Minn. addresses an Americans for Prosperity 'Cut Spending Now,' rally April 6 on Capitol Hill in Washington. Shown a copy of Obama's birth certificate during a recent interview, Bachmann said: 'Well, then, that should settle it.'

'Birther' claims force GOP leaders to take a stand

Poll: Two-thirds of adult Republicans have doubts about Obama citizenship

By Charles Babington
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — It's the conspiracy theory that won't go away. And it's forcing Republican officials and presidential contenders to pick sides: Do they think Barack Obama was born outside the United States and disqualified to be president?

As the Republican candidates tiptoe through the mine field, Democrats are watching. They hope the debate will fire up their liberal base and perhaps tie the eventual GOP nominee to fringe beliefs that swing voters will reject.

In recent days several prominent Republicans have distanced themselves, with varying degrees of emphasis, from the false claim that Obama was born in a foreign country. But with a new poll showing that two-thirds of adult Republicans either embrace the claim or are open to it, nearly all these GOP leaders are not calling for a broader effort to stamp out the allegations.

"It's a real challenge for the Republican Party and virtually every Republican candidate for president," contends Democratic pollster Geoff Garin. If it's not handled well, he said, all-important independent voters might see Republicans as extreme or irrelevant.

Many Americans consider claims of Obama's foreign birth to be preposterous, unworthy of serious debate. Yet the "birther" issue threatens to overshadow the early stages of the GOP effort to choose a presidential nominee for 2012. Real estate mogul Donald Trump has stirred the pot lately, repeatedly saying Obama should provide his original birth certificate.

From a political standpoint, it's impossible to dismiss the matter as conspiratorial fantasy, akin to, say, claims that the 1969 moon landing was staged. In the latest New York Times-CBS News poll, 45 percent of adult Republicans said they



Trump



Brewer

believe Obama was born in another country, and 22 percent said they don't know. One-third of Republicans said they believe the president is native born.

The same poll a year ago found considerably less suspicion among Republicans. A plurality of GOP adults then said Obama was U.S.-born, and 32 percent said they believed he was foreign-born.

In the latest poll, about half of all independents said Obama was born in the United States. The other independents were about evenly split between those saying he is foreign-born, and those saying they don't know.

Ten percent of Democrats said Obama was born overseas, and 9 percent were unsure.

Obama's birth certificate indicates he was born in Hawaii in 1961. Newspaper birth announcements at the time reported the birth, and news organizations' investigations have rebutted the birthers' claims. The Constitution says a president must be a "natural born citizen."

Trump's leap to the top tier of potential GOP presidential contenders in recent polls has frustrated party leaders who'd like the birthplace issue to go away.

The House's top Republicans — Speaker John Boehner and Majority Leader Eric Cantor — say they are satisfied that Obama was born in Hawaii. But they have declined to criticize those who state otherwise, and Boehner has said it's not his job to tell Americans what to think.

Trump, meanwhile, keeps fueling the fire. Even though many people doubt he will run for president, he has forced other Republicans to take stands.

Former Massachusetts

Gov. Mitt Romney and former Sen. Rick Santorum of Pennsylvania have been the most direct in rejecting the birthers' claims. "I believe the president was born in the United States," Romney told CNBC.

Santorum has no doubt that Obama was born in Hawaii, and he "believes this debate distracts us from the real issues," said his spokeswoman, Virginia Davis.

Mississippi Gov. Haley Barbour accepts the president's word about his birthplace, his staff said.

Former Minnesota Gov. Tim Pawlenty told an Iowa audience, "I'm not one to question the authenticity of Barack Obama's birth certificate." He added a little jab: "When you look at his policies, I do question what planet he's from."

When ABC's George Stephanopoulos showed a copy of Obama's birth certificate to Rep. Michele Bachmann of Minnesota, who was ambivalent at first, she said: "Well, then, that should settle it. ... I take the president at his word."

Former vice presidential nominee Sarah Palin gave mixed signals in a recent Fox News appearance. She praised Trump for "paying for researchers" to dig into claims of Obama's foreign birth. But she added, "I think that he was born in Hawaii because there was a birth announcement put in the newspaper."

Former Arkansas Gov. Mike Huckabee has dismissed claims that Obama is foreign-born, calling them a distraction. But on a February radio show, Huckabee referred to Obama "having grown up in Kenya," the birthplace of the president's father.

Obama grew up in Hawaii and Indonesia. A spokesman said Huckabee's statement was simply a mistake.

The issue has spread to several states where Republican-controlled legislatures have introduced or passed bills requiring presidential candidates, and sometimes others, to prove their citizenship. Arizona Gov. Jan Brewer, a Republican, recently vetoed such a bill, calling it "a bridge too far."

DEATH NOTICES

Nadine Turcotte

GOODING — Nadine E. Young Turcotte, 87, of Gooding, died Thursday, April 21, 2011, at Bennett Hills Care Center in Gooding.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 26, at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Gooding; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m., with rosary at 7 p.m., Monday, April 25, at Demaray Funeral Service Gooding Chapel.

Thomas Howarth

BURLEY — Thomas W. Howarth, 74, of Burley, died Thursday, April 21, 2011, at the Cassia Regional Medical Center.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 27, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 26, and one hour before the funeral Wednesday at the funeral home.

Mary E. Gorton

JEROME — Mary E. Gorton, 82, of Jerome, died Wednesday, April 20, 2011, in Twin Falls.

Arrangements will be announced by Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome.

SERVICES

Joan Tanner Shrum of Glenns Ferry, funeral at 10:30 a.m. today at the Glenns Ferry High School (Rost Funeral Home McMurtrey Chapel in Mountain Home).

Wanda Willis Stivers of Twin Falls, family graveside service at 11 a.m. today at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Clair Leroy Jesse of Twin Falls, graveside service at 11 a.m. today at the Paul Pine Chapel in the Paul Cemetery (Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel).

Ula Keller Cutler of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the LDS Church, 847 Eastland Drive N. in Twin Falls (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Cleave C. Lloyd of Hagerman, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the LDS Church in Hagerman (Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl).

Leo Burt VanEvery of Modesto, Calif., and formerly of Rupert, graveside service at 11:30 a.m. today at the Rupert Cemetery; memorial service at 12:30 p.m. today at the Seventh-day Adventist Church, 1250 21st St. in Heyburn (Hansen Mortuary Rupert Chapel).

Loys K. Weigle of Jerome, memorial service at 10 a.m. today at the Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome.

Bonnie Jean Craner Brackenbury of Murtaugh, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the mortuary.

Stanley John Miller of Twin Falls, memorial service at 2 p.m. today at Rose-nau Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

Lacey Renee Siebert of Jackpot, Nev., celebration of life at 2 p.m. today at the Jackpot Community Church in Jackpot, Nev.

Chauncey William Platts Jr. of Burley, funeral at 2 p.m. today at Burley LDS 2nd and 4th Ward Church, 515 E. 16th St.; visitation from 1 to 1:45 p.m. today at the church (Rasmussen Funeral Home).

Marvin Robert Shipp of Gooding, memorial service at 4 p.m. today at the Jehovah's Witness Kingdom Hall in Wendell (Demaray Funeral Service Gooding Chapel).

Judge gives Lohan 120 days jail for probation violation in alleged theft

Los Angeles Times

LOS ANGELES — A stoic Lindsay Lohan was ordered to jail Friday on a probation violation connected to the alleged theft of a necklace but also scored a victory as a judge reduced the charge from a felony to a misdemeanor.

Superior Court Judge Stephanie Sautner ruled that Lohan violated her 2007 drunken driving probation by wearing a gold chain out of a Venice jewelry store in January and failing to return it until she learned that detectives were preparing to serve a search warrant.

Sautner gave her 120 days in jail, plus 480 hours of community service. Lohan was impassive as Sheriff's



AP photo
Lindsay Lohan arrives for a preliminary hearing at LAX Courthouse, Friday in Los Angeles.

deputies led her out of a Los Angeles courtroom following an afternoon of testimony.

Defense attorney Shawn Holley immediately sought

to post the \$75,000 bail and filed an appeal of Sautner's decision.

Lohan was being processed at the Century Regional Detention Center in Lynwood late Friday but could be released on bail as early as midnight, authorities said.

The actress would remain free until her June 3 trial but will be required to begin fulfilling her community service by working 120 hours at the Los Angeles County Morgue and 360 hours at the Downtown Women's Shelter in L.A.'s Skid Row, the judge ruled.

The judge said a violation of probation was a lower evidentiary standard than the "beyond a reasonable doubt" required at trial.

First lady's plane flew closer to big jet than first reported

By Joan Lowy
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A plane carrying first lady Michelle Obama this week came even closer to a big military cargo jet than previously reported, the National Transportation Safety Board said Friday.

The distance between the two planes closed to 2.94 miles before air traffic controllers at Andrews Air Force Base outside Washington directed the first lady's plane to abort a landing, the board said in a statement. The Federal Aviation Administration had previously said there was more than three miles between the planes, and had ordered controllers' supervisors to oversee

flights carrying the first lady and the vice president. A supervisor was already required to monitor flights with President Barack Obama on board.

Obama's plane, a Boeing 737, was considerably smaller than the 200-ton C17 ahead of it. Federal regulations require five miles between planes to avoid dangerous wake turbulence when the plane in the lead is significantly larger than the one trailing.

The planes were lined up for their landing approach into Andrews by a controller at a regional radar facility in Warrenton, Va., the board said. The planes were already too close when controllers at Andrews took over.

BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Partly cloudy. High 55.

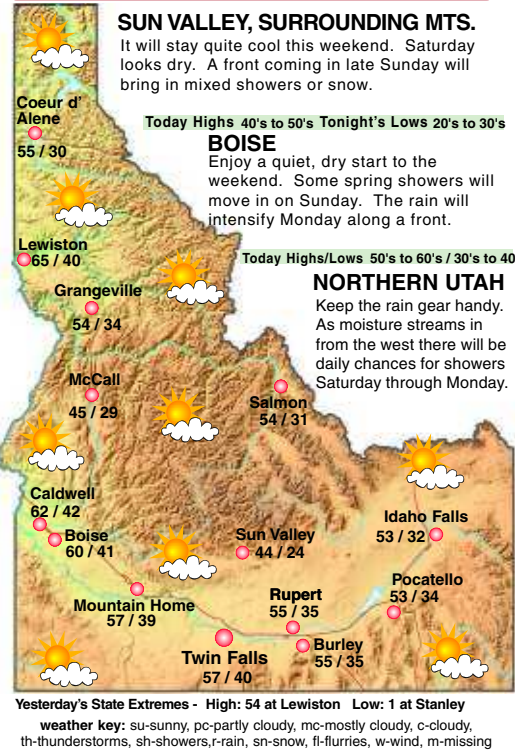
Tonight: Scattered clouds. Low 35.

Tomorrow: Partly cloudy, scattered showers. High 57.

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| Yesterday's Low 26° | Month to Date 0.86" |
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| Record Low 19° in 2008 | Avg. Water Year to Date 6.44" |

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TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

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| Partly cloudy | Scattered clouds | Partly cloudy, scattered showers | Rain showers | Mostly cloudy, sprinkles of rain | Mostly cloudy, rain showers |
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ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

| Temperature | Precipitation | Humidity | Barometric Pressure | Sunrise and Sunset |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---|--------------------------|--|
| Yesterday's High 50° | Yesterday's 0.00" | Yesterday's High 71% | 5 pm Yesterday 30.13 in. | Today Sunrise: 6:44 AM Sunset: 8:29 PM |
| Yesterday's Low 27° | Month to Date 1.17" | Yesterday's Low 29% | | Sunday Sunrise: 6:43 AM Sunset: 8:30 PM |
| Normal High / Low 60° / 36° | Avg. Month to Date 0.72" | Today's Forecast Avg. 58% | | Monday Sunrise: 6:41 AM Sunset: 8:31 PM |
| Record High 82° in 1969 | Water Year to Date 9.27" | | | Tuesday Sunrise: 6:40 AM Sunset: 8:32 PM |
| Record Low 19° in 2008 | Avg. Water Year to Date 7.22" | A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30 | | Wednesday Sunrise: 6:40 AM Sunset: 8:33 PM |

Moon Phases



REGIONAL FORECAST

| City | Today | Tomorrow | Monday |
|--------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Boise | Hi 40 Lo 41 | Hi 57 Lo 38 | Hi 55 Lo 38 |
| Bonnors Ferry | 55 30 | pc 61 36 | sh 53 36 |
| Burley | 55 35 | pc 57 34 | sh 54 34 |
| Challis | 55 33 | pc 61 31 | sh 52 31 |
| Coeur d'Alene | 55 30 | pc 59 36 | sh 49 36 |
| Elko, NV | 53 31 | sh 55 33 | sh 53 33 |
| Eugene, OR | 63 42 | sh 58 45 | r 54 45 |
| Gooding | 54 39 | pc 56 36 | sh 54 36 |
| Grangeville | 47 28 | ls 46 30 | mx 44 30 |
| Hagerman | 60 40 | pc 60 37 | sh 58 37 |
| Hailey | 51 30 | pc 50 31 | ls 48 31 |
| Idaho Falls | 53 32 | pc 56 32 | mx 51 32 |
| Kalispell, MT | 50 29 | pc 56 33 | mc 50 33 |
| Lewiston | 65 40 | su 66 45 | sh 58 45 |
| Malad City | 52 32 | pc 51 35 | sh 53 35 |
| Malta | 53 33 | pc 56 33 | sh 50 33 |
| McCall | 45 29 | pc 40 27 | sh 39 27 |
| Missoula, MT | 54 30 | pc 58 34 | sh 51 34 |
| Pocatello | 53 34 | pc 54 35 | mx 49 35 |
| Portland, OR | 69 44 | pc 59 45 | r 54 45 |
| Rupert | 55 35 | pc 57 35 | sh 54 35 |
| Rexburg | 51 31 | pc 54 31 | mx 48 31 |
| Richland, WA | 63 39 | pc 61 43 | r 59 43 |
| Rogerson | 44 32 | ls 46 31 | ls 45 31 |
| Salmon | 54 31 | pc 57 33 | sh 50 33 |
| Salt Lake City, UT | 54 39 | sh 56 42 | sh 57 42 |
| Spokane, WA | 59 33 | pc 61 38 | sh 52 38 |
| Stanley | 45 21 | pc 42 23 | sh 39 23 |
| Sun Valley | 44 24 | pc 41 25 | ls 40 25 |
| Yellowstone, MT | 38 8 | pc 37 15 | mc 36 15 |

Moonrise and Moonset

| Today | Moonrise: 1:50 AM | Moonset: 11:23 AM |
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| Sunday | Moonrise: 2:28 AM | Moonset: 12:28 PM |
| Monday | Moonrise: 3:00 AM | Moonset: 1:31 PM |

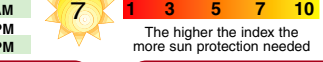
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| Baltimore | 68 59 | th 77 57 |
| Birmingham | 84 60 | pc 85 62 |
| Boston | 51 48 | r 65 48 |
| Charlotte, NC | 78 66 | pc 80 66 |
| Chicago | 63 45 | th 65 44 |
| Cleveland | 70 48 | th 59 46 |
| Denver | 50 34 | sh 62 36 |
| Des Moines | 57 40 | pc 58 46 |
| Detroit | 65 47 | sh 57 43 |
| El Paso | 88 58 | pc 85 57 |
| Fairbanks | 47 28 | pc 48 31 |
| Fargo | 52 35 | pc 58 37 |
| Honolulu | 87 71 | pc 86 70 |
| Indianapolis | 69 53 | sh 67 53 |
| Jacksonville | 87 68 | pc 85 67 |
| Kansas City | 63 46 | pc 58 51 |
| Las Vegas | 81 62 | pc 81 61 |
| Little Rock | 83 64 | th 82 66 |
| Los Angeles | 69 57 | pc 87 57 |
| Memphis | 83 68 | pc 84 70 |
| Miami | 84 75 | pc 85 75 |
| Milwaukee | 56 40 | pc 53 42 |
| Nashville | 64 64 | th 85 64 |
| New Orleans | 86 72 | sh 85 70 |
| New York | 60 52 | r 68 52 |
| Oklahoma City | 68 56 | th 71 63 |
| Omaha | 58 39 | mc 57 45 |

CANADIAN FORECAST

| City | Today | Tomorrow |
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| Calgary | Hi 46 Lo 26 | Hi 52 Lo 30 |
| Edmonton | 45 30 | ls 52 33 |
| Kelowna | 48 24 | pc 50 31 |
| Lethbridge | 50 31 | ls 56 33 |
| Regina | 49 33 | ls 56 36 |
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| Toronto | 52 39 | pc 48 40 |
| Vancouver | 52 44 | pc 51 44 |
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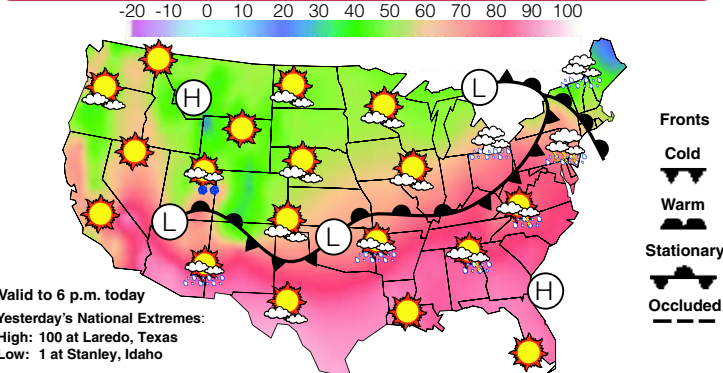


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WORLD FORECAST

| City | Today | Tomorrow |
|----------------|-------------|----------|
| Acapulco | Hi 86 Lo 74 | pc 85 72 |
| Athens | 61 54 | pc 63 55 |
| Auckland | 68 62 | sh 64 56 |
| Bangkok | 95 79 | th 95 80 |
| Beijing | 72 44 | pc 74 49 |
| Berlin | 71 48 | pc 70 44 |
| Buenos Aires | 64 44 | pc 68 45 |
| Cairo | 80 51 | pc 83 49 |
| Dhahran | 89 76 | pc 86 75 |
| Hong Kong | 62 40 | sh 61 37 |
| Jerusalem | 75 71 | pc 76 72 |
| Johannesburg | 65 50 | sh 69 49 |
| Kuwait City | 94 74 | sh 88 73 |
| London | 77 49 | th 73 44 |
| Mexico City | 80 49 | sh 82 50 |
| Moscow | 57 37 | sh 57 36 |
| Nairobi | 75 52 | sh 76 54 |
| Oslo | 63 44 | pc 61 41 |
| Paris | 76 51 | th 77 51 |
| Prague | 71 45 | sh 68 41 |
| Rio de Janeiro | 82 68 | pc 84 67 |
| Rome | 66 53 | pc 67 53 |
| Santiago | 76 42 | pc 79 42 |
| Seoul | 59 34 | sh 62 44 |
| Sydney | 71 55 | sh 69 59 |
| Tel Aviv | 66 62 | sh 66 62 |
| Tokyo | 69 48 | pc 67 43 |
| Vienna | 74 42 | pc 74 44 |
| Warsaw | 67 44 | sh 66 44 |
| Winnipeg | 53 31 | sh 57 38 |
| Zurich | 63 39 | sh 56 36 |

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



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GREGG MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY
Life is about not knowing, having to change, taking the moment and making the best of it without knowing what's going to happen next. Delicious ambiguity.

Gilda Radner

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A protester shouts slogans as he burns a poster of Syrian President Bashar Assad during a demonstration Friday in front of the Syrian embassy in Nicosia, Cyprus. AP photo

Dozens killed in bloodiest day of Syrian uprising

The Associated Press

BEIRUT — Syrian security forces fired bullets and tear gas Friday at tens of thousands of protesters across the country, killing at least 75 people in the bloodiest day of the monthlong uprising and signaling that the authoritarian regime was prepared to turn more ruthless to put down the revolt against President Bashar Assad.

Among the dead were a 70-year-old man and two boys ages 7 and 10, Amnesty International said. In the southern town of Izraa, a man ran carrying the body of a young boy, whose hair was matted with blood from a gaping wound on his head, as another child wept and shouted, "My brother!" Footage of the scene was posted on the protest movement's main Facebook page.

In other towns, protesters scattered for cover from sniper bullets, then dragged corpses through the streets. Mobile phone images showed the bodies lined up on the floor inside buildings.

The rallies, most marching out from mosques after Friday's noon Muslim prayers, erupted in towns and cities stretching along the breadth of the country, including in at least two suburbs of the capital, Damascus.

The death toll was likely to rise, raising fears that there will be an explosion of violence Saturday as relatives bury their dead in funerals that in the past have turned into new protests. Ammar Qurabi, head of Syria's National Organization for Human Rights, said another 20 people were missing.

Friday's toll was double that of the previous deadliest day of the uprising, on April 8, when 37 were killed around the country. The heavier crackdown came after Assad warned a week ago that any further unrest would be considered "sabotage" after he made the gesture of lifting long-hated emergency laws, a step he ratified on Thursday.

It was a clear sign that regime was prepared to escalate an already bloody response, with nearly 300 already dead in more than five weeks. Previously, Assad has mixed the crackdown with gestures of reform in a failed attempt to deflate the protests.

The bloodshed so far has only served to invigorate protesters whose demands have snowballed from modest reforms to the downfall of the 40-year Assad family dynasty. Each Friday, growing numbers of people in multiple cities have taken to the streets despite the near cer-

tainty that they would come under swift attack from security forces and shadowy pro-government gunmen known as "shabiha."

"Bullets started flying over our heads like heavy rain," said one witness in Izraa, where police opened fire on protesters marching in front of the mayor's office. The town is located in southern Daraa province where the uprising kicked off in mid-March.

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Pope talks about suffering during Good Friday TV show

The Associated Press

VATICAN CITY — Pope Benedict XVI consoled a 7-year-old Japanese girl, reassured a mother about her ailing son's soul and advised a Muslim woman that dialogue was the way to peace in Ivory Coast.

In a push to engage the world online, the pontiff fielded their questions during an unusual Good Friday appearance on Italian TV. It was hardly a casual or spontaneous chat: Seven questions were selected from thousands that poured in via RAI television's website, and Benedict recorded his answers last week.

He seemed a bit stiff, sitting all alone in a big white chair behind his desk inside the Apostolic Palace as an unseen interviewer read out the letters to him.

But the teacher and pastor in the 84-year-old Benedict came through as he fielded the questions, which all dealt with suffering and Jesus' death, which Christians recall on Good Friday, and his resurrection, celebrated on Easter Sunday.

The first question came from young Elena, who asked the pope why she felt so afraid after Japan's earthquake shook her house and killed so many children.

"Why do children have to be so sad?" the girl asked. "I'm asking the pope, who speaks with God, to explain it to me."

Speaking simply as if Elena were right there, Benedict responded that he too wondered why so many innocent people suffer, but that she should take heart in knowing that Jesus had suffered too.

"You can be sure that in

the world, in the universe, there are many people who are with you, thinking of you, doing what they can for you to help you," Benedict said.

"Be assured, we are with you, with all the Japanese children who are suffering."

He then turned to a question from an Italian mother, Maria Teresa, who worried about her son, Francesco, who has been in a vegetative state since Easter 2009. She asked if Francesco's soul still remained.

"He feels the presence of love," Benedict told her, praising her for keeping her vigil as a "true act of love."

"I encourage you, therefore, to carry on, to know that you are giving a great service to humanity with this sign of faith, with this sign of respect for life, with this love for a wounded body and a suffering soul," he said.

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Beautiful house



Keri Jo Weber, of Dietrich, weeds in the tulip beds along a wall of the Twin Falls Temple on Tuesday. 'We always like to see it look nice,' she says.

Volunteers step up to maintain LDS temple grounds

By Andrew Weeks
Times-News writer

"That wind's picking up," Afton Van Tassell said before reaching for another weed to pull.

It was a cold wind that, after a while, seemed to bite through the clothing. But Van Tassell, of Dietrich, and the four other people doing yard work at the temple Tuesday morning didn't seem to mind. They were working for the Lord, which, if anything, warmed their hearts.

"I love to do work for the Lord," Van Tassell said, noting that she appreciates having a temple in the Magic Valley. Helping to care for it is one way for her to show her appreciation.

The Twin Falls Temple of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints is maintained, both inside and out, by members of the church. Six days a week, from 8 a.m. to about noon, four to 12 volunteers — and sometimes more — come to the temple to pull weeds, prune bushes, plant flowers and perform any number of other landscaping tasks.

Volunteers don't have to have a temple recommend to work on the grounds, like they do to be able to go inside the temple. On occasion, even non-members join in the effort to help beautify the property.

Dave Lockwood, of the Kimberly 1st Ward, was called by the temple presidency to serve as landscape chairman. He oversees the volunteers, who, once at the temple, begin their day with prayer and instruction about what needs to be done that morning. The grounds are divided into six sections; each section is worked on once a week.

As an array of bright, multi-colored flowers danced in the wind Tuesday, volunteers methodically moved through that day's section, keeping a watchful eye for anything that might need their attention. Weeding is something that always needs to be done, Lockwood said.

The volunteers were greeted with blue skies and sunshine, but it was the cold wind that perhaps kept others from coming, he said. The temple serves people in 16 different stakes. Members from as far away as Carey come to work on the grounds.

The immaculate grounds not only are pleasant for temple visitors, the workers said, but represents the Mormon church as being a good community member.

"It's a privilege (to volunteer) and we like to be good neighbors," said Keri Jo Weber. Like Van Tassell, she is a member of the Dietrich Branch. "We always like to see it look nice."

The Twin Falls Temple is a prototype, Lockwood said, of how the church is moving toward a more member-based network of caring for its buildings. Grounds at the Boise Temple currently are maintained by a professional landscaping business, he said, but more and more buildings are relying on members.

Serving at the temple helps give volunteers a sense of ownership, Lockwood said.

"It gives people the opportunity to be on the temple grounds," he said, noting that for him it's a spiritually-refreshing place to be. "And it gives them the opportunity to serve and the ability to make it look beautiful. Everyone who works here has ownership. They drive by and see how beautiful it looks and it makes them want to come back."

To Mormons, the temple is the holiest place on Earth, wherein they believe husbands and wives



Photos by ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Dennis Crawford, a member of the Twin Falls Temple Landscape Committee, works at the temple Tuesday morning. After working as a professional pruner for 35 years, he says volunteering at the temple, which he does at least twice a week, is a way for him to help others learn a new skill.



MORE ONLINE



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can be married not just until death do them part, but for eternity. Proxy baptism for those who have died and other work, called "ordinances," also are performed in the temple.

Like the Old Testament prophet Ezra, Mormons rejoice in the effort to "beautify the house of the Lord. ..." (Ezra 7:27.)

Volunteers don't have to have any specific landscaping skills to work on the grounds, but those

who do, such as Dennis Crawford, often lend a hand.

Crawford, of the Twin Falls 14th Ward, worked as a professional pruner for 35 years. He said serving at the temple, which he does at least twice a week, is a way for him to help others learn a new skill.

"It's my opportunity to show people how to prune correctly," he said, which they can then apply in their own yards. "I feel like I've been prepared for this very calling. ... I've been pruning for half my life."

For everyone on the grounds Tuesday, cold wind notwithstanding, it was a memorable

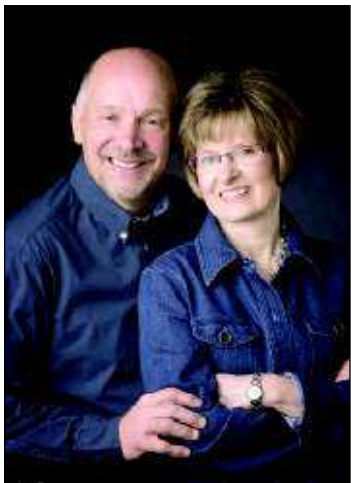
experience.

Larry Alvarez, of the Burley 11th Ward, originally planned to serve inside the temple but was asked to devote his time outside. Whether inside or out, he said, it gives him the chance to feel the Lord's spirit.

Pleasant-looking grounds add to the atmosphere that helps to welcome that spirit, Lockwood said.

"It's the most beautiful plot of land in the Magic Valley and we want it to stand out and shine," he said.

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Rev. Jerry Kester and his wife, Sharon

To lead and to bless

Nazarene pastor appointed to district superintendent

By Andrew Weeks
Times-News writer

It's not easy uprooting an oak tree.

Just ask the Rev. Jerry Kester, pastor of Twin Falls Church of the Nazarene, who will be leaving the church and the community early next month.

Kester, 56, will be moving to Olympia, Wash., where he has been appointed as the district superintendent of the Washington Pacific District of the Church of the Nazarene.

He said the appointment comes to him with mixed feelings.

"It's a nice thing to be chosen," he said. "But I am oak-tree deep in Twin Falls. It's hard to leave."

As district superintendent, Kester will have oversight of 87 Nazarene churches and their pastors in western Washington. Some of the things he'll be responsible for include pastoral reviews, helping congregations select new pastors from time to time, and visiting a different congregation every Sunday.

"There's a lot of traveling involved," he said.

See **KESTER**, Religion 3

OPEN HOUSE

Community members and friends may extend their thanks and well wishes to the Rev. Jerry Kester at an open house from 2 to 4 p.m. May 1 at the Community Life Center of the Twin Falls Church of the Nazarene, 1231 Washington St. N., Twin Falls. Information: 733-6610.

Kimberly LDS man called as Area Seventy

By Andrew Weeks
Times-News writer

You might know him as a dentist, but now he's an area church authority.

Don't worry, though. Kent Allen will still be able to fill your cavities.

Allen, 58, of Kimberly, has been called to serve as an Area Seventy for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Unlike the church's general authorities, Allen will not give up his profession, relocate or attend to full-time ministry. He will, however, See **ALLEN**, Religion 2



Allen

CHURCH NEWS

Hagerman Christian Center hosts free concert

A free community concert will be presented at 5 p.m. today at the Hagerman Christian Center, 2750 S. 900 E. in Hagerman.

Featured performers are the Homeland Harmony Quartet, Praise Inc. and pianist Zack Swain.

Information: 837-6140 or 280-0352.

Lighthouse Fellowship holds family celebration

Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, 960 Eastland Drive, Twin Falls, will hold a family Easter celebration for kids and their families at 10 a.m. today.

Stories, skits, high energy music, an Easter egg hunt and more — and it's all free!

A Resurrection service will be held at 6 p.m. tonight and at 9 and 11 a.m. Sunday. Pastor Greg Fadness will share the message, "New Bodies." The celebration will include worship by Lighthouse Rising.

Information: 737-4667. Everyone is welcome.

Ascension Episcopal Church concludes Holy Week

Ascension Episcopal Church concludes Holy Week with the observance of the Easter Vigil and Choral Eucharist beginning at 8:30 p.m. today. A festive reception will follow the evening service. Child care will be provided from 8:15 p.m.

On Easter Morning, Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 8 a.m. Youth Christian Education and Ascension Café will not meet. Wiggle Worship begins at 9:10 a.m. At 10 a.m., the Choral Eucharist service will include the Flowering of the Cross. The congregation is invited to bring flowers from home with thanksgivings in their lives. Child care will be available at 9:45 a.m. An Easter coffee hour will follow the service, as well as an Easter egg hunt for the children.

Services will be held at 7 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. Wednesday. Bible study and knitting group also meet Wednesdays.

Ascension Episcopal Church is located at 371 Eastland Drive N. in Twin Falls.

Information: www.ascension.episcopalidaho.org or 733-1248.

Smutnys host Presbyterian service, breakfast

A Sunrise Easter Service and continental breakfast will begin at 6 a.m. Sunday at Al and Jo Smutny's home,

3350 N. 3200 E. in Twin Falls). Rick and Mary Kuhn will sing and play the guitar.

Worship at 10 a.m. will be at the First Presbyterian Church, 209 Fifth Ave. N. in Twin Falls, with the Rev. Phil Price speaking on "Jesus' Resurrection: Is There Hope?" A brass ensemble with Skila Jennings and George Halsell on trumpet and Melanie Halsell and Jerry Green on trombone will accompany the opening and ending hymns. The Hallelujah Handbells will ring "Resonances and Allelulas" and the Chancel Choir will sing "Resurrection Victory."

Everyone is invited to fellowship after worship.

Easter Lilies will be delivered to shut-ins by the church deacons.

Information: www.twinfallsfpc.org or 733-7023.

Church of the Brethren serves Easter breakfast

An Easter Sunrise Service will begin at 6:30 a.m. Sunday on the front lawn of the Church of the Brethren, 461 Filer Ave. W. in Twin Falls.

An Easter breakfast will be served at 9:30 a.m., followed by morning worship at 11 a.m.

The public is invited. Information: Pastors Mark or Kathryn, 733-3789.

Church holds sunrise service

Celebration of Easter at the First Christian Church, 601 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls, will begin at 8 a.m. with a Sunrise Service in the rose garden on Shoshone Street across from the church.

An Easter breakfast prepared and served by Scout Troop 65 will follow at 8:30 a.m. at the church.

Sunday school classes for all ages begin at 9:30 a.m., and worship will be at 10:50 a.m.

Hollister church plans Easter events

Easter Sunday events at the Hollister Community Presbyterian Church begin with breakfast prepared and served by the men at 9:30 a.m.

The Rev. Myron Glatz of Twin Falls will speak for worship at 11 a.m. An Easter egg hunt for the children will follow worship.

Everyone is welcome. The church is located at 2461 Central Ave. in Hollister.

Methodists announce Easter services

"Why I Believe in the Resurrection" will be explained by the Rev. Philip Airhart for worship at 10 a.m. Sunday in the sanctuary of First United Methodist Church, 360 Shoshone St. E. in Twin Falls.

The chancel choir will sing "We Will Glorify" and "Because He Lives."

The children will hunt Easter eggs after worship.

A farewell reception for Edna Kuiken Frank will be held at 11:15 a.m. Sunday. The Community Sunrise Service will be at 7 a.m. Sunday at Shoshone Falls Park. Breakfast will be served from 7:30 to 10 a.m. Sunday at the church.

A "May Day" tea party will be held at 3 p.m. April 30. This special event is for women and girls of all ages; those attending are invited to wear hats, gloves and beads. Jan Mittleider will be the guest speaker. Cost is \$3 per person. Tickets are available in the church office and must be purchased in advance.

Information: 733-5872 or www.tffumc.com.

Baptist choir performs Easter program

An Easter program, "Good News: Man Risen From the Dead" will be performed by the adult and children's choir at 11 a.m. Sunday at the Jerome Bible Baptist Church, 132 Second Ave. E. in Jerome.

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and an evening service starts at 6 p.m.

Kimberly choir reprises Easter cantata

Due to the overwhelming response, the sacred Easter cantata, "Beside Still Waters," will be performed again for the community. Come watch an inspiring slide show of more than 140 paintings depicting the life and death of Jesus Christ as you listen to beautiful music sung by a choir of 70 directed by Carolee Remington and accompanied by Marie Hansen.

Paintings and music come from a variety of well-known artists and composers of many different faiths. Several soloists from the Magic Valley community will be featured along with an instrumental ensemble.

Program starts at 7 p.m. Sunday at the Kimberly LDS Stake Center, 3857 N. 3500 E. Admission is free; the public is invited.

Presbyterian men plan sausage supper, sale

The Presbyterian men will host their annual German Sausage Supper and Sausage Sale from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Friday at First Presbyterian Church, 2100 Burton Ave. in Burley.

The menu will include eggs, hash browns, biscuits and sausage gravy. A freewill donation is requested. All proceeds go for special projects in the community.

Declo church hosts family history workshop

The Declo Stake of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints is holding a Community Family History Workshop on April 30 at the stake center, 213 W. Main St. in Declo.

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m.; classes start at 10 a.m. and continue until 3 p.m. A light lunch will be available at noon.

The event is for anyone who is interested in learning more about family history research. This is a non-denominational function. Anyone of any religion or community is invited to come learn more about doing family history and research and where to look for information.

For a listing of classes and teachers and for handouts, visit declofhc.blogspot.com. Dress is casual but appropriate for the church building (i.e., no shorts or halter tops, etc.).

Puppet team to present show

The God Squad puppet team will present its 13th annual spring show at 6:30 p.m. April 30 and May 1 at the Gooding First Christian Church, 334 Fourth Ave. W. in Gooding.

The program, "I Will Follow Him," will feature music, puppets, humor, drama, fun and fellowship, but most importantly, the team will share why "we choose to follow Jesus today and every day."

The God Squad consists of junior and senior high school students, young adults and several adult volunteers ministering to all ages through music, drama, humor and personal testimony.

Directed by Debbie Morris and assisted by Kathy Lehr, this year's team includes Debra Bauman, Kacie Bauman, Jackie Bellamy, Liz Bellamy, Becca Flick, Ben Fredericksen, Emma Fredericksen, Mikayla Hagen, Colton Mink, Walker Mink, Max Peterson, Corrie Pierson, Crystal Thatcher, Jeff Nichols, Riley Nichols, Salena Mink, Malana Vincent and Julia Rose.

Refreshments will be served after the concert. Admission is free, but freewill offerings will be taken to help the God Squad with expenses for summer ministry trips, supplies and future ministries.

Everyone is welcome. Information: 934-4542 or 308-1620.

The Times-News welcomes news of church events. Send information to Ellen Thomason at ellen@magicvalley.com. Deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication on the Saturday religion page.

MISSIONARY

Elder Garrett L. Mackay has been called to serve a mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the California San Diego Mission. He will enter the Missionary Training Center in Provo, Utah, on May 4.

Mackay graduated from Minico High School in 2010 and attended Brigham Young University-Idaho for two semesters. He is an Eagle Scout and recipient of the Duty to God Award. He is the son of Layne and Barbara Mackay of Rupert and is in the Rupert 5th ward.

To submit information



about missionaries, contact Ellen Thomason at 735-3266, or send email to ellen@magicvalley.com. Deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication on the Saturday religion page.

Allen

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do a lot of traveling across southern Idaho.

"It's certainly a humbling thing to be considered for a calling of this nature," Allen said. "But I must say, I was humbled when I received other callings."

Most recently, Allen served for nearly eight years as president of the Kimberly Stake. On Sunday, Allen will be released and members will receive a new stake presidency.

Allen, who with a partner owns Pheasant Cove Dental in Kimberly and Silver Creek Dental in Jerome, said he's pleased that his new calling will still allow him to live, work, and serve in the community. He and his wife, Renee, have been here since 1981.

After serving in the church's Italy South Mission (now Italy Rome Mission), Allen attended Ricks College, where he met Renee. He then attended Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah, and the University of the Pacific School of Dentistry in San Francisco. Allen, originally from Salmon, then moved his family back to Idaho to open his practice. He and Renee have four children and four grandchildren.

Of the calling of Seventy, Allen said it is "a humble calling of serving, teaching, the sharing and testifying."

In the Old Testament, the Lord commanded Moses to "Gather unto me seventy men of the elders of Israel, whom thou knowest to be the elders of the people, ... and bring them unto the

tabernacle of the congregation, that they may stand there with thee." (Numbers 11:16.)

The appointment of Seventy was reinstituted after the church was organized in the 1830s, Allen said. Their purpose, he said, "is to strengthen the church, the local units, by strengthening individuals and families in their resolve to live good lives and be disciples of Jesus Christ."

The Seventy, like the church as a whole, "promotes the values of good living, strong family values, and proclaim Jesus Christ and his role as our Redeemer and Savior," Allen said. "It's a missionary effort; we want to reach out to whomever wants to learn about our faith."

Renee said she's happy about her husband's new calling, partly because she can be his travel companion.

"We should have more time together because I'm able to travel with him on some occasions," she said. "That's very good."

Allen said he's met a number of good, devout people in the Magic Valley, both inside and outside the church, and looks forward to continuing to work with them.

"I'm very pleased to be able to have an influence or role in this area," he said. "I know all the stake presidents. They're wonderful men, and the people of the Magic Valley, both in the faith and in other faiths, are just wonderful. It's endearing to be able to stay here."

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CHURCH BRIEFS

Muslim rioters burn homes, churches

KADUNA, Nigeria — The mobs poured into the streets by the thousands in this dusty city separating Nigeria's Muslim north and Christian south, armed with machetes and poison-tipped arrows to unleash their rage after the oil-rich nation's presidential election.

Muslim rioters burned homes, churches and police stations in Kaduna after results showed Nigeria's Christian leader beat his closest Muslim opponent in Saturday's vote. Reprisal attacks by Christians began almost immediately, with one mob allegedly tearing a home apart to look for a Quran to prove the occupants were Muslims before setting the building ablaze.

The rioting in Kaduna and elsewhere across Nigeria's north left charred bodies in the streets and showed the deep divisions in Africa's most populous nation, as politics mesh with religious and ethnic identity in the country of 150 million people.

While curfews now stand in many areas, it remains unlikely the unrest will be soothed before the nation's gubernatorial elections next Tuesday — meaning even more attacks could threaten this young democracy.

Egypt Islamists defiant over Christian governor

CAIRO — Protesters led by hardline Islamists in southern Egypt are holding their ground, saying they won't end their campaign of civil disobedience until the government removes a newly appointed Coptic Christian governor.

The protesters, many from the ultraconservative Salafi trend of Islam, have sat on train tracks, taken over government buildings and blocked main roads in the southern city of Qena, insisting the new governor won't properly implement Islamic law.

Attempts by the newly appointed interior minister, who hails from the same area, to defuse the crisis Monday were rebuffed and protesters insisted their sit-in, which began Friday, would continue.

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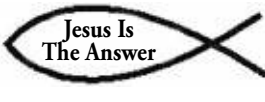
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Easter with Senor Ming

To tell you the truth, I've never really understood the whole Easter Bunny thing.

Don't get me wrong. I understand Easter. I understand what it represents, both theologically and culturally. I even understand that many have chosen to remove its religious implications and celebrate it simply as a rite of spring (including — brace yourself — “spring spheres” instead of Easter eggs. I kid you not.)

What I don't understand is what any of that has to do with an oversized male rabbit that lays multi-colored chicken eggs.

VALUE
SPEAK



Joseph Walker

Which is why I've always been a little Grinch-ish when this time of year rolls around. I'm all for celebrating Easter, but I believe the only good Easter Bunny is in a nice rabbit stew.

With a multi-colored egg salad on the side, of course.

As you might expect, I'm the only one in the family who feels this way. My children were always big on Easter's benevolent bunny. Of course, they would've been big on an Easter Maggot if it brought them cheap plastic toys and chocolate. My wife Anita is an Easter enabler, filling the house with enough cute lep-orine decorations to give Beatrix Potter a bunny buzz.

I'll never forget the year Anita went even more hare-brained than usual, purchasing no fewer than three new decorative bunnies to help us celebrate the season. Her favorite that year was an 18-inch-tall pile of pink fluffiness with a purple vest and bow tie and a smile that reminded me of Jack Nicholson in “The Shining.” When you squeezed its hand it bounced up and down and sang: “Easter Bunny ... Easter Bunny ... Easter Bunny ... Easter Bunny ... goes hop, hop, hop.” Then it laughed a sadistic, Caribbean voo-doo-master laugh. Then it sang “hop, hop, hop” again.

At least, I'm pretty sure that's what it sang. It was kind of hard to tell. If you listened closely as this rabbit sang, you could hear a little Spanish and a little Chinese in its accent. Throw in that Caribbean laugh and it was the United Nations of singing, dancing mechanical Easter toys.

Where, oh where is the Security Council when you need them?

Anita used to chuckle every time she heard Senor Ming (as I decided to call him) sing. Our then-pre-teenagers Elizabeth and Jon tried to imitate his dance moves (if “Star Search” had had a “Best Imitation of a Mechanical Dancing Bunny” competition, they would have dominated). And our grandchildren went nuts over this thing. They loved to play with it. They loved to carry it around. But mostly they loved to make it sing — and they didn't seem to have any trouble understanding the words — but then, they didn't speak English very well then, either.

My personal opinion was Senor Ming couldn't hold a candle — scented or otherwise — to our plush Christmas moose that sings “Grandma Got Run Over by a Reindeer.” But that was beside the point. That year, Senor Ming suddenly became an important part of our family Easter tradition. And now in 2011, with our children now all grown and gone, Easter around our house still consists of colored eggs, chocolate bunnies, jelly beans and — “hop, hop, hop.”

And that's just as it should be, I guess. Holiday traditions are important. They bind generations together with tinsel, tissue paper and plastic grass. But traditions aren't necessarily static. Just as our families grow and change and evolve, our family holiday traditions can and should be dynamic. There is room at the holiday table for both the longstanding and the fairly new. The important thing isn't how long we've shared them — just that we've shared them. And enjoyed them. And celebrated them. Together.

Whether or not we understand them.

Hop, hop, hop.

Joseph Walker is a freelance writer from American Fork, Utah.

Penitents nailed to crosses in annual Filipino ritual

By Bullit Marquez
Associated Press writer

SAN PEDRO CUTUD, Philippines — At least 24 Filipinos were nailed to crosses to re-enact Jesus Christ's suffering in a Good Friday rite rejected by Catholic church leaders but witnessed by throngs of believers and thousands of tourists.

Ruben Enaje, a 50-year-old sign painter, screamed in pain as villagers dressed as Roman centurions hammered four-inch stainless steel nails through his palms and set him aloft on a cross under a brutal sun for a few minutes in San Pedro Cutud village in Pampanga province.

Twenty-three other Filipino men were nailed to crosses in the rice-growing province, officials said.

It was Enaje's 25th crucifixion. He said surviving nearly unscathed when he fell from a three-story building in 1985 prompted him to undergo the annual ordeal. Aside from thanking God, Enaje now prays for more painting jobs.

“Not a bone in my body was broken when I fell from that building,” Enaje said. “It was a miracle.”

“Now, I'm praying for good health and more clients,” Enaje told The Associated Press.

Ahead of the cross nailings, throngs of penitents walked several miles through village streets and beat their bare backs with sharp bamboo sticks and pieces of wood, sometimes splashing spectators with blood. Some participants opened cuts in the penitents' backs using broken glass to ensure the ritual was sufficiently bloody.

The gory spectacle reflects the Philippines' unique brand of Catholicism, which merges church traditions with folk



AP photos

Several Filipinos were nailed to wooden crosses Friday to reenact Jesus Christ's suffering in an annual rite that has been rejected by Catholic church leaders but draws thousands of tourists on Good Friday at Cutud village in northern Philippines.



Filipino devotee Domingo Cunanan has a nail driven through his palm as he takes part in a reenactment of the crucifixion of Jesus Christ on Good Friday at San Juan village in northern Philippines

superstitions. Many of the mostly impoverished penitents undergo the ritual to atone for sins, pray for the sick or a better life and give thanks for what they believe were God-given miracles.

The most number of crucifixions were staged beside a rice field in San Pedro Cutud, where 15 men were nailed to crosses three at a time on a dusty mound as more than 30,000 people, including three European ambassadors, watched and snapped pictures. An ambulance stood by and more than 20 tourists fainted or became dizzy in the heat, officials said.

Amid the festive air — villagers peddled bottled water, food and religious items everywhere — police and marshals kept order. Some displayed banners with a reminder: “Silence please and take care of your belongings.”

Pampanga Bishop Pablo Virgilio David said the bloody rites reflect the church's failure to fully ed-

“When I'm up there on the cross, I feel very close to God.”

— Ruben Enaje, who was nailed to a cross Friday

ucate many Filipinos on Christian tenets.

Enaje and the other penitents said the church should respect their belief.

“When I'm up there on the cross, I feel very close to God,” Enaje said. “We grew up with this tradition and nothing can stop us.”

Red Cross officials urged devotees to consider other forms of penance, including donating blood, and expressed concern over possible health problems such as infection, heat stroke, blood loss and even death from the beating.

San Pedro Cutud village leader Remigio dela Cruz said no penitent has experienced any major health problem since the cross nailings began there in the 1950s. The nails are soaked in alcohol for as long as a year and then sprinkled with holy water before use, he said.

Kester

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Though he is excited about his new responsibilities, he's saddened that he will not be part of the more intimate associations with church members such as at baptisms, marriages, and funerals like he's been as pastor.

“I think everybody wants their life to have influence,” Kester said, noting that his goal for his new position is to have “the greatest influence for Christ that I can have for churches and pastors and people in the region.”

The district's general board contacted him March 2 to see if it could put him on the list in the search for a new district superintendent, he said. Five weeks later he was notified that he'd been chosen.

As for the Twin Falls congregation, the search for a new pastor has already begun, said administrative assistant Connie Englar.

“I have always loved this community, and the community has loved me back.”

— Rev. Jerry Kester

The district superintendent for the Intermountain District, which includes Twin Falls, is Stephen Borg-er.

Over the past 17 years since he was named pastor, Kester has made a name for himself in the Magic Valley, where friends both inside and outside the church are many.

“We will be missing a great pastor, leader, shepherd, friend,” Englar said.

Mike Feward, pastor of Kimberly Church of the Nazarene, has known Kester for several years.

“There's a lot of grieving going on,” Feward said. “This is a great loss for his church especially, but to the community, not having him here.... In terms of him being elected, I think it shows something about his leadership, his ability to work with people.”

“Wow,” Feward said about Kester's community involvement. “He's done so much.”

Kester said one of the things he's most pleased with during his tenure in Twin Falls is church growth. When he started in 1994, church attendance was around 250. But last year Sunday attendance averaged around 700, he said. In Kester fashion, he doesn't credit only himself for the accomplishment but said the church's leadership team and others have helped to grow the congregation.

“There are children that I dedicated who are now juniors in high school,” he said, referring to how fast time has gone by since he first became pastor.

Kester and his wife, Sharon, have two grown children.

“I have always loved this community, and the community has loved me back. And I have loved this church, and the church has loved me back,” he said. “It's just hard to leave. Seriously, it's like uprooting an oak tree.”

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RELIGION LETTERS

What God says, He means

Here's a brief response to an article from April 9 wherein the leader of a group has written a book espousing a “salvation for all” message.

Belief in what God says throughout His message to humans, the Bible, is the foundation of life eternal or punishment eternal as described dependent on the life conduct and final condition of all humanity at the end of each individual's life. What he says about God's love is true. That is His nature and it's why God expects and requires particular lifestyle and obedience to His commands given to His creation, man. I John makes this evident. Throughout the Bible one can find the contexts and themes of God's abiding love stitched inseparably together with His justice and demands of a pure life inasmuch as humans can live such lives.

God is love, He is pure, just and He “cannot” dwell with evil in any form. He does not “want” anyone to be lost and He gave His Son's life at the cross to redeem mankind and prove His desire for all to have eternal life. He also does not change regarding obedience; James 1:16-18.

The question is not of God's love but of man loving God and being willing to give up a life of nonconformance to God's will. We are not and cannot be perfect as mortals. However, it is the effort to be so that makes the

difference as far as eternal destiny is concerned. God will not accept into heaven any who rejected the grace given at the cross. If God was willing to abide with sin, He would not be the just and holy God.

God created heaven and hell to separate evil from righteousness. God's gift is life for all. Mankind decides for self whether or not to accept His gift.

STAN HURD
Wendell

Shamanism not an authentic religion

I am appalled that you would dignify the occult practice of shamanism by making it the headline article in the Religion section last Saturday. Your treatment of the subject implies that it is an authentic religion and a valid and useful healing art. It nowhere mentions its potential dangers. Nowhere does the reporter even mention that it is anti-Christian and makes use of ancient

witchcraft practices.

Eric Barger of Take A Stand! Ministries (www.ericbarger.com) wrote to me that faith healers, including witch doctors, may actually help or heal people, in the short term, but the real question is by what kind of spirit a person is being helped. “Satan loves to counterfeit the works of God and will manipulate situations for his benefit whenever given the opportunity. Just because someone may find help or even healing through the use of the occult does not justify the source of such help or healing.”

Allaboutspirituality.org/shamanism is one of many sites that warn of the dangers of employing such occult practices as altered states of consciousness, channeling (contacting spirits of the dead) and use of animal spirit guides.

That researcher says those treated with shamanistic approaches are easily drawn into deeper, darker

occult practices. “Shamanism opens a door to possession by evil spirits and other forms of occult bondage. These rituals can lead to intense physical pain and afflictions, temporary insanity, emotional depression, and powerful spiritual torment. The spirit world is very real, both Godly and demonic. All spirits are one or the other!”

The Bible states in Deuteronomy 18:10-12, “Let no one be found among you who ... practices divination or sorcery, interprets omens, engages in witchcraft ... or who is a medium or spiritualist or who consults the dead. Anyone who does these things is detestable to the Lord.”

DONNA ERICKSON
Twin Falls

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BUSINESS

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The changing face of funerals



Serenity Funeral Chapel owner Heidi Heil works on renovating the building next to her current loca-tion in order to expand her business Wednesday after-noon in Twin Falls.

Serenity Funeral Chapel expands services, facility

By Blair Koch
Times-News writer

With free-spirited baby boomers nearing retirement and ultimately, death, many funerals of the future will contrast from the liturgies of today.

Heidi Heil, owner and mortician of Serenity Funeral chapel is preparing for that wave of change today.

In a matter of weeks, Heil will be ready to offer “living funerals,” a service growing in popularity around the country.

Heil describes a living funeral as a celebration of life given for terminally ill, or advanced-age loved ones.

“With this concept, the person gets to experience the beautiful tributes that are often given at funerals,” Heil said. “The deceased don’t get to experience the fond memories and never get to hear the adoration, life stories and may not understand how important they are in the live’s around them. With a living funeral, people get to experience that love.”

Heil said such experiences offer an opportunity to help them come to terms with their life ending.

“These celebrations are completely personalized and the living have a say in how their event will go, who is invited,” Heil said. “I’m just offering my skills as an event planner and giving them the facility to use.”

Upon death, Heil said it’s per-



Serenity Funeral Chapel owner Heidi Heil is currently renovating this new addition to the business.

fectly understandable that the living may want another memorial service.

“The living funeral doesn’t need to replace a traditional funeral. It’s simply another option in an industry that is changing as the tastes and culture of the people change,” Heil said.

She admits that not all people will chose living funerals over a traditional memorial and burial but expects her service will fill a growing niche.

“Young people especially are moving away from religion and the services that go with that,” Heil said. “This isn’t for everyone but everything I do is forward-thinking and outside of the box.”

With a market needing served, Heil said its inevitable that other funeral chapels will hop on board.

“If I don’t do this, someone else will, so I might as well take the bull by the horns,” Heil said.

The cost of a living funeral depends on the services requested. Typically, cremation costs about \$1,500 and burial packages run about \$5,000. Memorial service fees vary.

Heil has been preparing for this her entire professional life.

A year ago, Heil purchased the building next to her Twin Falls chapel, at 502 2nd Ave. North in Twin Falls, which she purchased in 2006.

Together, both buildings, originally built as homes, cost her \$210,000 and her total investment of \$370,000 has gone into remodeling each structure and general business costs.

Heil’s mother, Marcella Heil, invested in the business and is half-owner.

Heil has long known that she would be a mortician. She found solace in caring for the farm animals or pets that died while growing up on a farm. The experiences forged her future by the time Heil was a teenager.

After high school, Heil graduated from mortuary school in 1997, became licensed in Idaho in 1999 and worked at several area funeral chapels before going into business for herself in 2004.

Steve Gordon, current president of the Idaho Funeral Directors Association and mortician with Alden-Waggoner Funeral Chapel in Boise, said living funerals, or celebrations of life and living tributes, is one of many changes within the industry.

Green funerals, are also becoming more popular.

Green funerals are centered around the idea of not using chemicals and being buried in bio-degradable caskets.

Bodies must be buried in specially designated and regulated “green cemeteries.”

So far, Idaho doesn’t yet have a green cemetery but Gordon anticipates that it will in the near future.

What ever the future of funerals in the Magic Valley, Heil said she’s here to stay.

“I want to help people face the finality of life with grace and on their own terms,” Heil said.

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PRIVACY CONCERNS

Apple Inc. slammed over iPhone, iPad location tracking

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Privacy watchdogs are demanding answers from Apple Inc. about why iPhones and iPads are secretly collecting location data on users — records that cellular service providers routinely keep but require a court order to disgorge.

It’s not clear if other smartphones and tablet computers are logging such information on their users. And this week’s revelation that the Apple devices do wasn’t even new — some security experts began warning about the issue a year ago.

But the worry prompted by a report from researchers Alasdair Allan and Pete Warden at a technology conference in Santa Clara raises questions about how much privacy you implicitly surrender by carrying around a smartphone. It also raises the issue of smartphone makers’ responsibility to protect sensitive data that flows through their devices.

Much of the concern about the iPhone and iPad tracking stems from the fact the computers are logging users’ physical coordinates without users knowing it — and that the information is then stored in an unencrypted form that would be easy for a hacker or a suspicious spouse or a law enforcement officer to find without a warrant.

Researchers emphasize that there’s no evidence that Apple itself has access to this data. The data apparently stays on the device itself, and computers the data is backed up to. Apple didn’t respond to a request for comment by The Associated Press.

Tracking is a normal part of owning a cellphone. What’s done with that data, though, is where the controversy lies.

A central question in this controversy is whether a smartphone should act merely as a conduit of location data to service providers and approved applications — or as a more active participant by storing the data itself, to make location-based applications run more smoothly or help better target mobile ads or any number of other uses.

Location data is some of the most valuable information a mobile phone can provide, since it can tell advertisers not only where someone’s been, but also where they might be going — and what they might be inclined to buy when they get there.

Allan and Warden said the location coordinates and time stamps in the Apple devices aren’t always exact, but appear in a file that typically contains about a year’s worth of data that when taken together provide a detailed view of users’ travels.

“We’re not sure why Apple is gathering this data, but it’s clearly intentional, as the database is being restored across backups, and even device migrations,” they wrote in a blog posting announcing the research.

Allan said in an email to the AP that he and Warden haven’t looked at how other smartphones behave in this regard, but added there’s suspicion that phones that run Google Inc.’s Android software might behave in a similar way and is being investigated.

Google did not respond to a request for comment.

BLAME GAME

BP, Gulf spill partners sue each other

MIAMI (AP) — After being hammered for a year over the Gulf of Mexico oil spill, BP is going on the offensive with multibillion-dollar lawsuits seeking to shift at least part of the blame to those who owned the ill-fated rig or designed a failed safety device or supplied cement that didn’t hold.

Those companies — Transocean, Cameron International and Halliburton — each filed lawsuits of their own, and it will now be up to the courts to divvy up fault.

BP, which has rebounded remarkably in the year since the April 20, 2010, disaster, will face an uphill battle in trying to shed the albatross of the Gulf oil spill. The lawsuits filed late Wednesday were likely just opening salvos in what’s expected to

become lengthy negotiations over assigning responsibility and, more importantly, liability. And experts said the companies in the end will most likely reach deals to divide the responsibility and costs.

But the perception that the companies were seeking to dodge blame did not sit well with many of those most affected by the worst offshore oil spill in U.S. history.

“On this end, they haven’t taken care of us. I don’t care who gets the blame,” said Melissa Lacoste, working Thursday at her brother’s shrimp business in Theriot, La., and voicing a familiar complaint about the slow process for getting compensated for spill-related losses. “I think it’s all of them.”

And Darryl Malek-Wiley, a field organizer for the Sierra Club, called BP’s lawsuits a public relations ploy.

In its lawsuits, BP sued rig-owner Transocean for more than \$40 billion because “every single safety system and device and well control procedure” failed on the Deepwater Horizon rig.

Because it more or less matches what BP estimates will be its entire liability for paying claims and cleaning up in the wake of the spill. However, its ultimate liability could be even higher, especially if its officials are found to be criminally negligent in pending trials and investigations.

BP commented that Cameron, maker of the blowout preventer that failed to do its job, produced an “unreasonably dangerous product.” And it said

Resort founder wants bankruptcy case tossed

BILLINGS, Mont. (AP) — Attorneys for Yellowstone Club founder Tim Blixseth have asked a federal judge to dismiss a forced bankruptcy petition that was based on the real estate baron’s unpaid tax bills in three states.

A hearing in the case is scheduled for Friday in U.S. Bankruptcy Court in Nevada.

Court documents show California and Idaho withdrew from the case Wednesday after Blixseth paid \$1.9 million in back taxes. Montana tax authorities contend Blixseth still owes \$57 million.

The hearing Friday will focus on whether the case should be moved to another state. A trust holding most of Blixseth’s assets is registered in Nevada, but a judge has



Blixseth

questioned if it is the appropriate venue.

Blixseth, who developed the millionaires-only Yellowstone Club in Montana and then gave it up to former wife Edra during their divorce, wants the bankruptcy case thrown out.

He had challenged Montana’s tax claim before the state Tax Appeal Board. That case was still pending when Montana officials initiated the bankruptcy petition against him, which could force Blixseth to liquidate his assets if it succeeds.

Blixseth’s attorneys contend Montana’s Department of Revenue filed the Nevada bankruptcy petition in bad faith as a way to “skip over” the tax appeal board proceedings and proceed straight to collecting the \$57 million.

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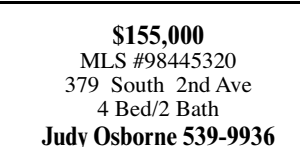
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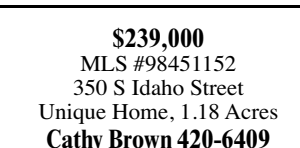
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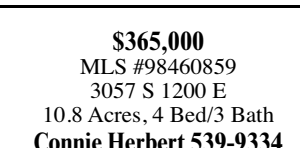
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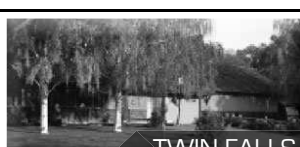
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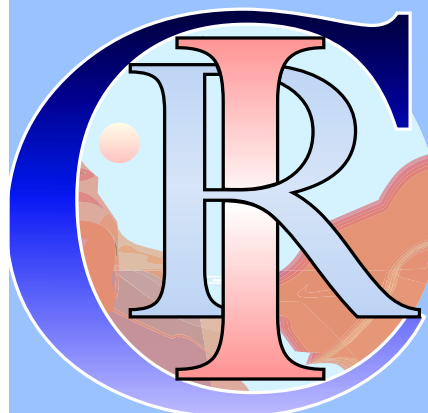
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115 8th Ave North- Very Nice Stately Older Charming Home with Huge Living & Dining Rooms. All Upgrades: siding, windows, counters, tile floors. Raised wooden deck, double garage. A BEAUTY!! MLS# 98463566 **Call Ray Sabala 539-3321**

\$128,400

JEROME

\$123,000

KIMBERLY



Seller Has Just Reduced The Price! Check out this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home close to Jerome High School. Maintenance free exterior and deck, mature landscape, and RV parking. Contact Debra Preece today @ 420-0476. MLS# 98463123 **Call Debra Preece 420-0476**



KIMBERLY CUTIE!! EXCEPTIONALLY WELL CARED FOR HOME on low traffic street. 3 bedroom with newer vinyl windows, paint and all brick exterior. MLS# 98461880 **Call Gayle Anderson 308-8224**

\$119,900

TWIN FALLS

\$112,000

WENDELL



849 MONROE ST- A MUST SEE. 2 Bedroom on Main Level, + Awesome Master Suite Upstairs, Double Garage, Private Backyard. Close to CSI. Submit Offer. MLS# 98442603 **Call Ray Sabala 539-3321**



3487 S 2000 E- 3 Acre Acreage with nice setting surrounded with trees & canal lateral running through South Boundary. 3 Bedroom / 12'x36' Enclosed Porch / Garage / Shop / Pole Corral. MLS# 98438798 **Call Ray Sabala 539-3321**

\$89,000

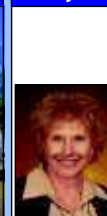
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TWIN FALLS



710 W. MAIN CIRCLE- A Super Buy if you like comfortable living space. 5 bedrooms, egress window in basement, off street parking. Only \$42/Square Foot! MLS# 98458956 **Call Ray Sabala 539-3321**



Great Location, Great Price This cute cottage has been reduced for quick sale! Fenced yard, updated kitchen and finished basement. Take a look and make us an offer! Call Donna 420-4504. MLS# 98462775 **Call Donna Bach 420-4504**

Garage Sales

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GOODING Friday (4/22) and Saturday (4/23), 8 a.m.-3 p.m. **MOVING SALE.** Camping gear, household appls, etc. No early birds!
2106 California Street

JEROME Friday & Saturday, 8am-7 Full living room/kitchen furniture, kitchen cabinets, clothes, toys, stuffed animals, lots of misc.
532 18th Ave. East

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JEROME SAT ONLY, 9-3. Horse tack sale: 3 nice saddles, lots of tack (household stuff, too!). **CASH ONLY!** 420-5568.
Jerome Storage Units
(Hwy 93, 2 miles north of Flying J)

SHOSHONE April 22-29, 10-4pm. Moving Sale. Whole household for sale. **Call 208-595-1137.**
117 W. 4th Street

TWIN FALLS Fri & Sat. 9-dusk. Moving sale! Kitchen table, washer & dryer, lots of baby clothes & other things.
735 Alpha Circle

TWIN FALLS Sat 8-1. 4 family sale, Pier 1 TV cabinet, cherry jewelry chest, Tiffany lamp, gemstone globes, furniture, washer, stroller, cookware, Corelle dishes, Ninja Blender, Yankee & Gold Canyon candles, silk plants, luggage, bed frame, Disney movies, hundreds of quality toys, name brand girls clothing 4T-10. Boys newborn-6. Patio swing, NFL blankets, new Norelco razor, fragrance & beauty items, household supplies & lots more.
1892 Pahsimeroi Circle (off Bitterroot)

TWIN FALLS Friday 8am-6pm. Saturday 8am-3pm. Huge yard sale to benefit the Dierkes Beach Make Over Project. Items too numerous to list. If you would like to donate items call 732-8337.
Toy Town 1236 Blue Lakes

TWIN FALLS May 7, 8am-8pm. Huge Indoor Yard Sale/Flea Market. Book your table today. Tables \$40 and up. **734-5084 530 Shoshone W.**

TWIN FALLS Sat. 8am. Multifamily Sale. Tools, camping equipment, furniture, kids & adult clothes, toys, horse tack, books, house/yard décor, electronics, lots more.
1124 Skyline Dr (off of Falls E)

TWIN FALLS Saturday 8-4. Something for everyone. Furniture, clothing, collectibles, toys, household goods, decor, treadmill, and anything I can dig up by Saturday!
2381 Julie Lane

TWIN FALLS Saturday April 23rd, 7am-2pm. **SHOP/GARAGE SALE** Antiques, furniture, clothing, helmets, race suits, mini chopper, miscellaneous
2515 Warren Ave.

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OPEN HOUSE • 10-11:30 AM

2456 E 3820 N Glass Wing Dr. FILER
WOW! Come and see what your money can buy for this great 4 bedroom, 2 bath newly constructed home. MLS#98432597 Host Aaron Walker 404-9495
\$151,900

Directions: 1/4 mile West of the intersection of 3800 N & 2500 E, on the N side of 3800 N FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 11-1 PM

921 Morningside Drive, Twin Falls
3 bedroom, 1 bath home with 2 car garage and nice size yard. MLS#98450851
Host Michelle Carpenter 410-1836
\$92,000

Directions: From Addison go South on Morningside Drive, FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 12-1:30 PM

1176 Starfire, Twin Falls
Complete Remodel! 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. Great price! MLS#98455200
Host Aaron Walker 404-9495
\$109,900

Directions: From N College Rd go South on Starfire Street, FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 1-3 PM

553 Eastland Drive, Twin Falls
Beautifully landscaped 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home with lots of parking space. MLS#98462860
Host Jann Hutchison 731-8891
\$138,000

Directions: On Eastland Drive across from O'Leary Jr High, FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 1-3 PM

1161 Starfire St. Twin Falls
Awesome 4 bedroom, 2 3/4 bath family home with lots of parking for all of your toys and mature landscaping. A must see! MLS#98449799
Host Faye Emerson 420-9237
\$161,800

Directions: Washington North, West on Ridgeview, North on Starfire, FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 1-3 PM

3710 N 2481 E, Twin Falls
4 bedrooms, 3 baths. Acreage home-Large kitchen, hardwood floors, bonus room. MLS#98450329
Host: Walt Hess 410-2525
\$235,000

Directions: West on HWY 30 to 2500 E turn South to Bushwood Estates FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 1-3 PM

670 Sunrise Blvd. N Twin Falls
Great all brick 4 bedroom, 3 bath home in Sawtooth School Dist. Family room in basement. MLS#98458545
Host Pat Labrum 420-8714
\$190,000

Directions: From Falls Ave. turn south on Sunrise FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 1-3 PM

551 Lincoln Street, Twin Falls
2 bedrooms, 3 baths. Charming cottage-Spiral staircase-2 car garage. MLS#98450787
Host Jim Bails 404-4806
\$99,000

Directions: From Blue Lakes Blvd go west on Fair Ave then north on Lincoln FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 1:30-3:30 PM

182 Lincoln Street, Twin Falls
Wonderful 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath vintage home with updates & newer appliances. MLS#98445530
Host Dorothy Geist 280-1087
\$172,900

Directions: Off of Addison in 1st block of Lincoln St. FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 3:30-5:30 PM

1990 Sherry Drive, Twin Falls
Beautifully updated 3 bed, 2 bath home with all new stainless steel appliances & much more. A must see! MLS#98453735
Host Faye Emerson 420-9237
\$135,000

Directions: Addison Ave. E turn South on Sunrise Blvd. and West on Sherry FOLLOW SIGNS

HUD Homes

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\$36,000 • MLS# 98461914

400 & 404 13th Ave. North, Buhl
1 bed, 1 bath, 960 Square Feet Extra large lot, large living and dining rooms



\$59,200 • MLS# 98454217

103 Ramsey, Filer
3 Bedroom, 1 bath, 960 sq. feet Vinyl siding, RV parking, deck



\$30,800 • MLS# 98455700

322 4th Ave. West, Jerome
1 bed, 1 bath, 820 sq. feet Fenced lot, alley access, partial basement



\$95,200 • MLS# 98454918

917 21st Ave. East, Jerome
3 Bedroom, 2 bath, 1156 sq. feet 2 year old home, vaulted ceilings



\$63,900 • MLS# 98458728

848 19th Ave. East, Jerome
3 Bed, 1 bath, 1020 sq. feet Large lot, New large deck



\$39,600 • MLS# 98458530

503 N. Birch Street, Shoshone
2 bed, 1 bath, 978 sq. feet Wood floors, hobby shop



\$108,000 • MLS# 98455916

216 Borch Ave. West, Twin Falls
3 bed, 2 bath, 1912 sq. feet Separate living/family rooms, brick



\$92,400 • MLS# 98453853

873 Mountain View Drive, Twin Falls
3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2201 sq. feet Northeast area, large rec. room



\$77,600 • MLS# 98457216

378 Harrison, Twin Falls
4 bed, 1 bath, 1332 sq. feet Next to park, 2 story, detached garage



\$80,800 • MLS# 98457916

720 Sunrise Blvd N., Twin Falls
3 bed, 1.5 bath, 1161 sq. feet Swimming pool, Sawtooth School District



\$99,000 • MLS#98460824

633 Cedarbrook Drive, Twin Falls
3 bed, 2 bath, 1252 square feet Vinyl exterior, laminate flooring



\$40,500 • MLS# 98461741

620 4th Ave. North, Twin Falls
2 bed, 1 bath, 795 square feet Cute Cottage, Across from Lincoln School



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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.

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LEGAL ADVERTISING

The Times-News

PO Box 548

Twin Falls, Idaho

83303-0548

email to

legals@magicvalley.com

Deadline for legal ads: 3 days prior to publication, noon on Wednesday for Sunday, noon on Thursday for Monday, noon on Friday for Tuesday and Wednesday, noon on Monday for Thursday and noon on Tuesday for Friday and Saturday. Holiday deadlines may vary. If you have any questions call Ruby, legal clerk, at 208-735-3324.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

101 Lost and Found

FOUND Black Lab cross east from O'Leary to Elizabeth. Large male, tan collar, no tags. **420-1091**

FOUND Chocolate Lab near Curry Crossing. Call to identify **208-308-3090**.



LOST Cat in the Canyoncrest area Wed 4/20. Male, brown tabby, flea collar, has chip. **Contact Don 944-4306.**

LOST Mar 2008 accidentally donated to Valley House embroidery roll w/thread. Reward. **509-697-6993**

LOST Shih Tzu/Pointer out past Murtaugh. White, has a pink collar. If found call **423-5153 or 404-1087.**

LOST Terrier/Pit Bull mix by Carriage Lane. Black w/white chest, female, answers to Suzy. **731-4610**

104 Personals

DUI? Consider trial rather than plea agreement. Ask your legal counsel about all CIVIL penalties and total DMV fees for Driver's License reinstatement. I am NOT an attorney, nor is this advertisement a solicitation. Paid for by Scott Andrus, Twin Falls.

IF YOU WITNESSED the incident in which a male private citizen was accosted by a Region 4 ISP lieutenant in Smiths on April 11 between 4:30 & 4:45pm please call Sam at 208-751-6464.

106 Special Notices

AL-ANON Meetings for the family & friends of alcoholics & addicts. Tuesdays-7:00pm at 450 E 27th St. Burley United Methodist Church **Contact Lila at 208-650-9067.**

AL-ANON offers understanding, help, and hope to the families and friends of problem drinkers. In Twin Falls there are two meetings each week in The First Presbyterian Church Building, 209 5th Ave N on Wednesdays at 7:30pm and Fridays at 12 noon.
Hotline: 1-866-592-3198
Website: www.al-anon-idaho.org

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Burley Mtgs-N/S-1321 Oakley #9
Saturday, 12 noon.
Sunday, 2pm Spanish Speaking.
Monday-Thursday, 8pm.
Rupert Mtgs-N/S-6th & I Street
Monday, 8pm & Friday, 8pm.
Paul, 2220 E. Ellis-Weds., 12 noon
Call 208-670-4313

BIRTHDAY PHOTOS

Have you forgotten to pickup your birthday photos? We have some photos we are sure you don't want us to toss. These can be picked up at The Times-News Classified Dept.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY
Friday, 6pm Dinner. 7pm group.
Burley Christian Center, 317 W 27th
208-312-2987

CHOICES FOR RECOVERY
Monday, 4-5:30pm
Minidoka Memorial Hospital
1218 8th St., Rupert. **431-3741**

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ROAD 2 RECOVERY
Tues, 7:00-8:30pm. 1044 E. Main, Burley **208-670-2578**

TOPS CLUB

ID# 374 Rupert Thursday, 9:30am. 410 East 3rd, Rupert.

436-6037 or 679-3518

ID# 256 Burley Thursday, 5:15-7pm 725 Minidoka Ave, Burley.

678-5959 or 678-2622

ID# 388 Malta Wednesday, 5:15pm 2025 S. Hwy 81, Malta.

208-645-2438

ID# 0048 Jerome Thursday, 9:30am Jerome Public Library.

208-324-6693

ID #0003 Twin Falls, Weds, 4:30pm Church of Christ, 2002 Filer Ave. E., Twin Falls. 208-734-2641

Visions of Hope Grief Support Group held each Thursday from 5-6pm at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home. For more info please call **735-0121.**

107 Pregnancy Alternatives

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

108 Professional Services

Bankruptcy & Debt Counseling
Free 1/2 hr consultation. Competitive Rates. We are a debt relief agency. We help people file for bankruptcy relief under the bankruptcy code. **May, Browning & May 208-731-7180**

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

0113 Child Care Services

PEEK-A-BOO CHILDCARE has openings for all shifts. ICCP accepted. Located in Filer. **308-9339**

EMPLOYMENT

200 Work Wanted

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

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For line ads
Tues. - Sat. - 1 p.m.
the day before.
For Sun. & Mon.
2 p.m. Friday.

Today is Saturday, April 23, the 113th day of 2011. There are 252 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight:
On April 23, 1616, English poet and dramatist William Shakespeare, 52, died on what has been traditionally regarded as the anniversary of his birth in 1564.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:
In 1789, President-elect George Washington moved into the first executive mansion, the Franklin House, in New York.

In 1791, the 15th president of the United States, James Buchanan, was born in Franklin County, Pa.

In 1896, the Vitascoper system for projecting movies onto a screen was publicly demonstrated in New York City.

In 1910, former President Theodore Roosevelt delivered his famous "Man in the Arena" speech at the Sorbonne in Paris.

In 1940, about 200 people died in the Rhythm Night Club Fire in Natchez, Miss.

In 1954, Hank Aaron of the Milwaukee Braves hit the first of his record 755 major-league home runs, in a game against the St. Louis Cardinals. (The Braves won, 7-5.)

In 1961, Judy Garland performed her legendary concert at New York's Carnegie Hall.

In 1968, student protesters began occupying buildings on the campus of Columbia University in New York; police put down the protests a week later.

In 1969, Sirhan Sirhan was sentenced to death for assassinating New York Sen. Robert F. Kennedy. (The sentence was later reduced to life imprisonment.)

In 1985, the Coca-Cola Co. announced it was changing the secret flavor formula for Coke (negative public reaction forced the company to resume selling the original version).

Ten years ago: USS Greenville Commander Scott Waddle was given a letter of reprimand as punishment for a submarine collision that killed nine people aboard a Japanese fishing vessel off Hawaii.

Five years ago: Osama bin Laden issued new threats in an audiotape broadcast on Arab television and accused the United States and Europe of supporting a "Zionist" war on Islam by cutting off funds to the Hamas-led Palestinian government.

One year ago: Arizona Gov. Jan Brewer signed the nation's toughest illegal immigration law, saying "decades of inaction and misguided policy" had created a "dangerous and unacceptable situation"; opponents said the law would encourage discrimination against Hispanics. The Coast Guard suspended a three-day search for 11 workers missing since an explosion rocked the Deepwater Horizon oil platform in the Gulf of Mexico.

200 Work Wanted

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

202 Clerical

CLERICAL
FT position available. **Data Entry/Processing** with some outside sales. Must have computer knowledge. Exp with outside sales a plus. **Call 208-733-2128 to schedule an interview.**

204 Drivers

DRIVER
3-5 years experience. Loader & side dump only. **Call 208-324-9256 lv msg.**

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

DRIVERS
OTR Drivers w/2 yrs exp., Idaho residency, good driving record, knowledge of logs & DOT regulations. .35/mile. Full benefits after 90 days. **Call 208-324-3515 or apply at 45 S. 200 E. Jerome.**

205 Education

EDUCATION
Immanuel Lutheran Child Development Center is hiring **Part-Time Employment.** Please send your resumes to **cde@immanueltf.org** or contact **Tara Kelly at 734-3420**

EDUCATION
Speech-Language Pathologist
Full-time opening for a speech-language pathologist for the Elko County School District, Elko, Nevada.
Contact Susan Lawrence 775-753-8646, applications on-line at www.elko.k12.nv.us

206 Farm

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

207 General

GENERAL
FT Spray Tech. Must be licensed and have some landscaping/ sprinkler experience, pay DOE. **Apply with resume 155 Bluelakes Blvd N, Twin Falls**

GENERAL
School Bus Attendant Wanted **Western States Bus Call 208-733-8003**

HAIR STYLIST
Current Opening for **Stylist** PT/FT in very busy salon.
•Hourly wage \$7.50-\$12
•Bonuses/ Commissions
•Paid Vacation
•Paid Holidays
•Medical/Dental plans
•All clientèle provided!
Call 208-308-2518 Sara
Leave name & number for confidential interview

SPRAY APPLICATORS
 **All Seasons Landscaping**
All Seasons Landscaping is looking for professional applicators to support our horticultural division. Must have or the ability to obtain LS, OH, OI categories. We are seeking applicators that are serious about green and weed free lawns. The positions are for immediate openings in our division. Visit us online at www.allseasons.info to fill out an application. Or email resumes: bsullivan@allseasons.info or moosting@allseasons.info

208 Hospitality

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

211 Medical

AESTHETICIAN
Experienced **Aesthetician** needed for a Medical Spa position. BBL/IPL and Laser experience is a plus. Must be upbeat, professional and customer oriented. **Please call 208-878-7721**

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MEDICAL
A Promise of Hope Hospice is looking for a **FT Case Manager RN** for hospice care. **Please call 208-219-1097**

217 Skilled

CONSTRUCTION
Experienced Cement Finishers and Form Setters. **Call 208-324-9256 lv msg.**

MECHANIC
Exp'd Service Technician/Mobile Service Tech to work in Full service diesel & heavy equipment maintenance facility. **A. Scott Jackson Trucking P.O Box 56 Jerome, ID 83338 or 208-324-3004**

MECHANIC
Experienced Diesel Mechanic to work in Full service diesel & heavy equipment maintenance facility **A. Scott Jackson Trucking P.O Box 56 Jerome, ID 83338 or 208-324-3004**

SKILLED
CDL/Loader Operator FT. Must have sales exp. Pay DOE. **Apply with resume at 155 Bluelakes Blvd N, Twin Falls**

SKILLED
Experienced **Forklift Operator**, able to work 12 hour shifts, **Apply in person 826 S 1700 E in Eden or at www.standleehay.com**

SKILLED
Heavy Equipment Operators needed. Experience in operating excavators, scrapers & graders. **A. Scott Jackson Trucking P.O Box 56 Jerome, ID 83338 or 208-324-3004**

SKILLED
High Mark Construction, located in Elko Nevada, is seeking **Equipment Operator** experienced in operating dozers and scrapers. Candidates must pass a pre-employment drug test and must submit a copy of their DMV Driving Record with their employment application. **To obtain application visit www.highmarkconst.net or fax resume to 775-777-7442. For any further information please contact our office at 775-753-0986**

EDUCATION

401 School Instruction

CLASSIFIEDS
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PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE
Big profits usually mean big risks. Before you do business with a company, check it out with the Better Business Bureau. For free information about avoiding investment scams, write to the Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D.C. 20580 or call the National Fraud Information Center 1-800-876-7060

AGRICULTURE

701 Livestock/Poultry

CONNECT WITH CUSTOMERS WHO NEED YOUR SERVICE
Advertise in the Business & Service Directory 733-0931 ext. 2

GOATS Boys \$35. Girls \$45. Young nanny w/twins & young red Billy. No horns. **733-1217 or 539-1674**

HEIFERS 14-15 months old. 2 Black Angus bulls, no papers. **208-934-4036 or 539-4036**

HEREFORD BULL Polled A.I. son of SHF Progress P20 80# BW safe for heifers. **208-308-4083**

702 Dairy Cattle and Supplies

HOLSTEIN Springer Heifers (30) from ABS Genetics. Pick from 50, \$1550. **Call Hill at 208-316-2501 or 536-6620.**

703 Horse and Tack

EQUINE
Paul Struchen • Trimming
We can handle all your trimming needs. 30 years experience. **734-3976 or 358-3976**

HORSE SHOEING & TRIMMING
Montana State Graduate w/experience. Serving the Magic Valley area. **Dan Davis 208-670-1868**

QH (2) Western Pleasure/English bred, 5 yr old & 7 yr old. Great youth/amateur horses. Call Don DePew **208-308-8753** for details.

STOCK SADDLES Western/English 1 older Foss ladies/youth, 1 Ben Terrel, 1 Stubben forward seat English. English bridles & accessories. All excellent condition. Call Don DePew **208-308-8753.**

703 Horse and Tack

SADDLE for sale. Last homemade saddle by Flip McDonald. Only serious inquires only. **208-678-3186**

Whiteperformancehorses.com \$575/month. **208-670-0398.** Training discounts & show incentives

704 Pets and Pet Supplies

¼ BORDER COLLIE ¼ AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD, 3 males, 1 female, farm/ranch home only. \$25 each. S. of Rupert. **312-0399**

AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD (Red Mini) Puppies for sale. Had first shots & are ready for good homes. 1 male & 3 females. **208-731-4500.**

BLACK LAB Puppies, AKC, papers, 8 weeks old, shots, dewclawed, 4 females. Ready to go! **431-0831**

BLOODHOUND purebred puppies. 4 males and 4 females. \$375. **539-6971 or 358-4228.**

BORDER COLLIE puppies out of working parents. Different markings/colors. Ready to go. \$150. Elko, NV **775-397-5792**

BUNNIES Satin-X. 4-H, born 03/17. Bucks & Does \$15. **208-732-5430**

CHOCOLATE LAB pups AKC, exc temperament, hunting lines, family pets, 1st vac, dewormed, dewclaws removed, 12 wks, 2 females \$350, 2 males \$300. **208-702-2075**

COCKER SPANIEL AKC Beautiful puppies for Easter. Red & white, brown & white, cinnamon. \$300 each. Visa/Master cards accepted. **324-2064 or 404-8518**

DOG BOX by Owens, alum 2 hole, side & rear vent systems, locking doors & dual top storage w/rubber mats, 38" W x 45" L x 29" H. Fits a med size or larger pickup, 2 years old, exc cond. Pd \$925, Sell \$600. **208-312-1447 or 208-532-4168**

DOG OBEDIENCE
All levels, all ages. Starts 04/25/11 **Call 208-644-WOOF (9663)**


ENGLISH BULLDOG Puppies for sale. Exceptional bloodlines, temperament & conformation, \$2000. **www.fourpawsbedandbath.com 208-431-0248 or 208-438-4444**

FOUND Border Collie or Australian Shepherd, male, docked tail, black/white, longer fur. **303-359-5548**


JUST IN TIME for Easter or Mother's Day! Shih Tzu puppies, born 2/25. AKC registered, first shots. \$300 to \$350 Cash. Tricolored, nice markings, sweet & lovable. **Call 208-678-2127 (home) or 805-377-1362 (cell).**

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At last year’s Gold Coast Tournament the field reached four spades in today’s deal, generally on an attacking club lead. Declarer wins and immediately plays three rounds of hearts. What should East do?

At one table East pitched a diamond; Steven Burgess threw his club and advanced dummy’s spade four. When East played low, so did declarer! Contract made, but the defenders could have prevailed by playing either a high or medium trump.

At another table the winning defense of ruffing with the spade jack was found. Declarer could overruff and go to dummy with a diamond to play a top heart. But East could pitch his diamond and retain control. The position transposes into the same variations as at Burgess’ table.

What if East had ruffed trick three low? Declarer overruffs, crosses to a top diamond, and leads a master heart. If East ruffs with the 10, declarer overruffs and crosses to a diamond to lead the fifth heart and pitch his club. If East ruffs high, declarer pitches a club, losing just three trumps total. Best is for East to pitch a diamond on the heart. Declarer throws his club away and leads a trump from dummy, which East wins to return a club. Declarer must ruff with the eight or nine, then lead a diamond.

Now when East ruffs and returns a club, declarer ruffs low in hand and overruffs in dummy. The lead of the master heart lets South discard his last diamond for a trump coup at trick 12.

NORTH

04-23-A

♥ 7 4

♦ K J 10 3 2

♠ A K 5 2

♣ A 6

WEST

♥ —

♥ 8 6 5 4

♦ 10 8 4 3

♣ K J 10 4 3

EAST

♠ A K J 10 3

♥ 9 7

♦ 9 6

♣ Q 8 5 2

SOUTH

♥ Q 9 8 6 5 2

♠ A Q

♦ Q J 7

♣ 9 7

Vulnerable: East- West
Dealer: South

The bidding:

| | | | |
|-------|------|-------|----------|
| South | West | North | East |
| 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ | All pass |

Opening lead: Club jack

BID WITH THE ACES

04-23-B

South holds:

♥ 7 4

♦ K J 10 3 2

♠ A K 5 2

♣ A 6

| | | | |
|-------|------|-------|------|
| South | West | North | East |
| 1 ♥ | 1 NT | Pass | 2 ♣ |
| ? | | | |

ANSWER: Although West may hold diamonds, he might also have club support, and your side might be able to compete in either red suit. As basketball coach Jimmy Valvano said, “Don’t give up, don’t ever give up!” Compete with two diamonds and keep the auction going. You’ll be surprised at how many good things can happen.

For details of Bobby Wolff’s autobiography, “The Lone Wolff,” contact kaby19072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, e-mail him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com.

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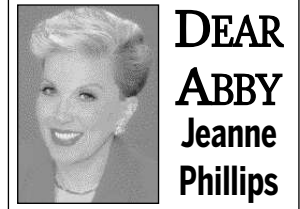
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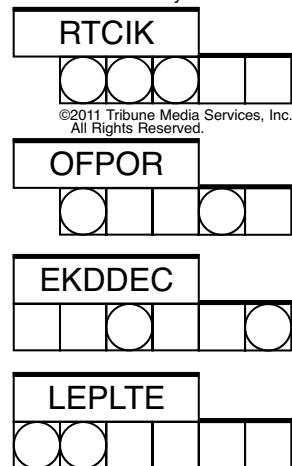
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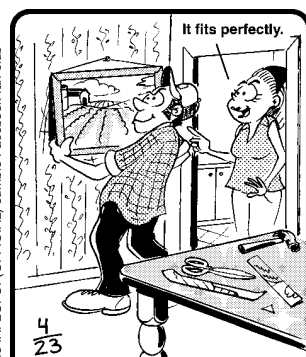
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Jeraldine Saunders

ARIES (March 21-April 19): The only absolutes in life are death and taxes. If someone offers you an opportunity that you feel you just can't pass up, take a pass. Your finances are fine just the way they are and there's no need for change.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Opposites don't always attract. Sometimes common interests are the key to a budding relationship. Look for someone who may share your fancies in more ways than one and take the time to get acquainted.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Ideas are great, but they don't get you anywhere unless you act upon them. Quit dragging your feet and do what you can to make big dreams become reality. Heart-to-heart discussions can bring surprises.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): There's no greater satisfaction than that of a job well done. You'll find that much-needed rest and relaxation will be that much sweeter if your desk is cleared of responsibilities. Do not compete with others.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Keep your eyes on the prize. With taxes out of the way, now you can set your sights on elevating your status. Plan ahead for financial security and do those little chores that will set helpful wheels in motion.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You don't know what you've got until it's gone. Take time to appreciate the good things in your life. Friends and family should be taken aside and told just how much they mean to you. Take nothing for granted.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You live more, you learn more. Settle into a comfort zone through holiday routines and rituals. That gathering of family may be marred by some argumentativeness. Keep the peace and act as the mediator.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You can do anything if you set your mind to it. Determination is a key asset in a successful undertaking. Make sure you have all the facts straight — or an unforeseen detail could sink your ship.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A battle is won or lost in the preparation. Prepare to take a break from people who think inside the box or refuse to be flexible. Enjoy a sense of adventure and explore the way the "other half" lives.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Accept what you can't change with good grace. You can be overly competitive and aggressive especially when your desires are at stake. Family gatherings might challenge your diplomacy.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Watch the world around you. Look at the people you encounter and observe their passions and habits. You may find that someone close to you has an exciting new idea to share or romantic notions.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Don't be vanquished by a bark with no bite. Don't let anyone stand in your way or discourage you from a worthwhile objective. Finances are a hot topic best left on the back burner or handled with kid gloves.

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1 Irritate

5 Like a twang

10 Raise

14 Concept

15 Run and wed

16 Competent

17 Outer garment

18 Charge that places blame

20 One of Santa's little helpers

21 Fir or banyan

22 Assail; hem in

23 Nonsense

25 "For __ a Jolly Good Fellow"

26 Drunk

28 Cake maker's mixture

31 Uses a towel

32 Frets; worries

34 Curved bone

36 Mischief-makers

37 Not hopeful, as a situation

38 Word after Scotch or duct

39 "__ whiz!"

40 Sixteen ounces

41 One who gets just his feet wet

42 Helping with the dishes

44 Ali's sport

45 Last part

46 Souvenir; memento

47 Seaweeds

50 Unable to hear

51 Part of a blackjack

54 Office meeting areas

57 Smallest bit of an element

58 Wicked

59 Own up

60 Bacterium

61 Opposite of acknowledge

62 Encounters

63 Small whirlpool

DOWN

1 Uncle Ben's product

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2 False deity

3 Bug that sucks plant juices

4 Have a meal

5 Got closer to

6 Narrow street

7 White fish

8 Hairy as an __

9 Lower limb

10 Most recent

11 Heron's cousin

12 Floating sheet of ice

13 Canvas shelter

19 Helps in crime

21 Foot digits

24 Small bills

25 Bird of prey

26 Single gulp

27 Like a three-minute egg

28 Rosary piece

29 Did away with

30 Become mature, as fruit

32 Hit hard

33 Half of a score

35 Mass detached from a glacier

37 James __; 007

38 Cab

40 Longed

41 Lobo

43 Annually

44 Animals

46 Send in, as one's payment

47 Not up yet

48 Hate's opposite

49 Make progress

50 Capitol roof's feature, often

52 Drape puller

53 TV show award

55 Male sheep

56 "__ to Billy Joe"

57 Grow old

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RYAN HOWE/Times-News
Jerome pitcher Colby Argyle delivers a pitch against Minico Friday at Minico High School.



Jerome softball holds off Minico

By Ryan Howe
Times-News writer

RUPERT — The Jerome softball team let its foot off the gas pedal a little too early and almost paid the price against Minico on Friday.

The Tigers hung on for a 6-4 win after staving off the Spartans' seventh-inning rally.

"We're still having trouble finishing games," said Jerome coach Adam Reynolds. "We're a young team, we didn't have a senior on the field there. We need to start learning how to finish, especially this late in the season or it's going to come back and bite us."

Colby Argyle pitched a solid game for Jerome, allowing no earned runs on four hits through the first six innings. But she walked the leadoff batter in the seventh and the Spartans started to string together some hits, highlighted by Tiffany Joyce's two-run double.

Minico's Samantha McGhie drove in another run to make it 6-4, but Argyle delivered a strikeout to end the rally and preserve the win.

"If we start out strong, we don't end up strong because we know we're ahead and we feel like we don't need to work as hard," said Jerome's Crystal Luna. "Then it

seems like if we start off really weak, we end up bringing it at the end. We stayed pretty strong today, it was just that last inning that got to us. I think we relied on Colby a little more and we shouldn't have. We should have been able to back her up better."

Luna was 3-for-4 with a double and an RBI while Taylor Molt was 2-for-3 with an RBI. Argyle had an RBI and also drew a bases-loaded walk to score another run for the Tigers.

"When we go up against a team, we look at how their pitcher is going to be," Luna said. "We work on knowing what we have to do once we get into the box. Our batting has

gotten a lot better, it's just the fielding that we need to stay up with."

For Minico, Joyce hit 3-for-4 and McGhie was 2-for-4 with two RBIs.

"They're fighters," Minico coach David Joyce said of his team. "They're working hard. We've just got to get our hitting down. It's all confidence, they need to believe they can hit."

Jerome (8-6) hosts Minico (3-11) for a doubleheader today.

Jerome 6, Minico 4
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Colby Argyle and Jenna Seamons; Hanna Munns and Tiffany Joyce. W: Argyle. L: Munns.
Extra-base hits - 2B: Jerome, Crystal Luna; Minico, Joyce. 3B: Minico, Munns.

TAKING DOWN NO. 1



ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

College of Southern Idaho outfielder Andre Ashton (5) celebrates with teammates Friday after scoring a run against Salt Lake at Skip Walker Field.

Golden Eagles split with top-ranked Salt Lake CC

By David Bashore
Times-News writer

It's tough to get greedy against the No. 1 team in the nation, but the College of Southern Idaho baseball team really should have won twice on Friday.

That was the sentiment after the Golden Eagle bullpen blew a late lead, allowing five eighth-inning runs to give top-ranked Salt Lake Community College a 7-4 win in the nightcap of a doubleheader, after CSI shut out the Bruins 1-0 in Game 1.

Chris Kerns held Salt Lake (41-5, 26-4 Scenic West) in check after a two-run first inning, and he exited with a 4-2 lead in the seventh after running out of gas on the

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mound. Tyler Duffin, who has struggled to get outs recently, was summoned and finished the inning but couldn't get out of the eighth — Salt Lake plated all five runs with two outs.

Two singles got one run in and set up two runners for Mitch Manning, who tripled off Parker Webster's glove deep in the right-field corner to put the Bruins ahead to stay. That chased Duffin, and Tyler Vavra allowed another hit before finally getting out of the inning.

"It's too bad for Tyler. That looked like it was going to be a perfect spot for him to go in, and he just didn't get the job done. There's no other way to put it," said CSI coach Boomer Walker. "You have to give them credit, they don't have many bad at-bats and they don't swing out of the strike zone very often. They just put pressure on you and eventually it caught up with us there at the end."

The Eagles (26-16, 18-12) got one run in the bottom of the first after Chase Harris' RBI double, then worked another across in the fifth. Parker Webster's bases-loaded ground ball netted two runs when Salt Lake could only get the out at sec-

ond and Harris followed Parker Morin around to score as the Bruins tried to cut down Webster at first.

Kendal Maier and Andrew Freter, occupying the bottom two spots in CSI's lineup, each went 2-for-4. Freter played a solid defensive game at third base as well, earning Walker's individual praise for his all-around performance.

Freter, who normally platoons at designated hitter, was in the field due to shortstop Ryan Cooperstone's absence because of back spasms. Normal third baseman Blake Lively slid over to shortstop and will likely do the same today.

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Vandals wrap up spring practice with scrimmage

Times-News

There's good news and bad news about Idaho's offensive line as the Vandals wrap up spring practice with today's 11 a.m. (MST) Silver and Gold Scrimmage.

The good: New offensive line coach John McDonell has done a great job with his unit.

"That's gone fantastic," said Idaho head coach Robb Akey. "They've responded great to him (and) he's responded great to them. I really think Coach McDonell and that group have come together really well."

The bad: Idaho's offensive front has been hindered with numerous nicks and bumps throughout the spring as it tries to protect senior quarterback Brian Reader.

But Akey sees a silver lining to the shuffling on the O-line.

"We got a lot of youngsters, inexperienced guys, a lot of reps this spring," he said. "You're building your future, you're building your depth as well. We really did

a great job of making the most out of it."

The offensive line wasn't the only unit to suffer the injury bug. Senior safety Thaad Thompson, who was expected to vie for a starting job, will likely miss the 2011 season with a knee injury.

But the defense overall has stayed healthy and will likely have the upper hand in today's scrimmage, according to Akey.

As the Vandals wrap up spring and look ahead to their Sept. 1 season-opener against Bowling Green, Akey said the 15 spring practice sessions yielded several positives.

"The goal we talked about at the beginning of the spring — getting better fundamentally — we achieved," he said. "We got better. We gained some ground."

"Our defense got to operate as a whole. They were able to come together. I don't know if we gained as much ground on offense but I know everybody who was practicing got better."

Silver and gold scrimmage

When: 11 a.m. (MDT)
Where: Practice field east of Kibbie Dome
Admission: Free



CSI's Mitch Bruneel commits to Utah State

By Mike Christensen
Times-News writer

Life has been pretty good lately for Mitch Bruneel.

He helped the College of Southern Idaho men's basketball team to the NJCAA national championship in March, got engaged to Miss Idaho Kylie Koford last weekend and committed to play for Utah State University on Thursday.

"I'm excited. Everything I ever wanted," said Bruneel, who made his commitment public on Friday.

The 6-foot-5 forward averaged 10.0 points and 5.2 rebounds as a freshman at CSI. He'll be a sophomore next season for the Aggies, where he's expected to step right in and make an impact.

"They actually see me in a huge role," said Bruneel of the Aggies, who lost the bulk of their rotation at guard and on the wing. Bruneel said he'll play small forward for Utah State, which also boasts Twin Falls High School graduate Brady Jardine at power forward.

Bruneel took an unofficial visit to USU's Logan, Utah, campus on Tuesday and liked what he saw. He'll take an official visit next week, but plans to sign as soon as the paperwork arrives at his home in Eagle.

"When I went down there it just felt right," he said. "I like the environment and they always have a huge crowd."

Bruneel played at Eagle High School where he was named Idaho's Gatorade Player of the Year in 2008. He served a two-year LDS Church mission in the Philippines, returning last October to join CSI's program. He called his season at CSI "a great experience" that prepared him well for the next level.

"It's a system that fits good for him," said CSI head coach Steve Gosar. "... It's a good level for him to be successful at."



Bruneel



Jerome's bats come alive in win over Minico

By Stephen Meyers
Times-News writer

JEROME — The Great Basin Conference might want to watch out — Jerome has found a way to score runs.

The Tigers jumped on the Spartans early to spot Jordy Garrard a big lead and the senior pitched his best game of the year to beat Minico 9-4 Friday.

"This conference is probably a five-team race. Twin's not over powering. Minico's not overpowering. We're getting there offensively. That's really what was hurting us earlier in the year, we had a hard time scoring five runs and today we swung the bat well and scored some runs," said Jerome coach Tom Bobrowski. "It's going to be a good battle in this conference the rest of the season."

Jerome (10-6, 6-4 GBC) swung the bat hot early, scoring six runs in the first inning. Kevin Bos smacked a two-run double, A.J. Rierden scored after drawing a walk and Zak Thibault came

around to score after getting hit by a pitch. The Tigers also took advantage of two Minico errors to reach base. "It was nice to take advantage of those mistakes. Earlier in the year, we wouldn't keep the pedal to the floor in those situations. We took what they gave us and then held on," Bobrowski said.

The six-run cushion is just what Garrard needed to settle in and stymie Minico's lineup. He allowed only six hits — all singles — and just one of his runs was earned, as the Spartans



Garrard

scored two runs in the second on throwing errors by the Tigers.

"Getting that big lead definitely helped me. I wasn't as tight on the mound and just pitched," Garrard said. "Everything

was working for me, finally. I've had some rough outings this year, but I felt good today."

His roughest inning came in the third, as the Spartans ripped off four straight singles, including RBI hits from Shay Chandler and Dakota Rupard.

Garrard allowed only four more base runners the rest of the game, finishing with six strikeouts.

"He did a fantastic job. That was probably his best outing of the year," Bobrowski said.

Jerome padded its lead as

Brett Mitchell hit an RBI double in the third. Garrard added a sacrifice fly in the fifth to score Tanner Holyoak, who ripped a double to the wall and Riley Parrish hit a pinch-hit single to score Rierden.

"I like how every guy has a role and can contribute. This team is fun that way," said Bobrowski. "We don't have any superstars, we just don't. It's a true team effort."

Jerome will play Minico (12-5, 7-3) twice more today in Rupert with a doubleheader beginning at noon.

"It's always good to beat these guys in anything, no matter what it is," Garrard said. "We look forward to the games (today)."

Jerome 9, Minico 4
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Shay Chandler and Dakota Rupard; Jordy Garrard and Zach Thibault. W: Garrard. L: Chandler.
Extra-base hits - 2B: Jerome, Kevin Bos, Brett Mitchell, A.J. Rierden.

RMCS drivers battle at MVS tonight

Linda Brittsan
Times-News correspondent



Anxious to get a new season rolling, Rocky Mountain Challenge Series drivers will take the track for a 75-lap main-event race tonight at Magic Valley Speedway in Twin Falls.

With the top 20 qualifiers inverted at the starting line, battles in RMCS main-event races are especially interesting. A unique point system awarding three points for every position gained increases the intensity of the contest as drivers try to maneuver their way to the front of the field to accumulate points.

Defending RMCS champion Steve Jones knows how far these points go toward the series title. He will take on a pack of competitors that includes local veteran drivers John Newhouse, Bruce Quale and Lonnie Lowder.

The Quale's Electronics Hornets will also make their MVS debut for the 2011 season.

As a follow-up to last week's main event, the pressure will be on once again in the Mr. Gas Late Models Series. Last Saturday's race delivered a nail-biter as Bobby Latham III and Jeff Pohlman sparred for the win in the final laps.

Action also continues in the NASCAR Whelen All-American Weekly Racing Series for the Budweiser Super Stocks, Project Filter Street Stocks, TV-goldandsilver Thunderdogs and Quale's Electronics Jr. Stingers.

Additionally, Magic Valley Pipe and Steel will sponsor an Easter Egg Hunt for kids. Gates open at 4 p.m. Green flag racing begins at 6 p.m.

MVS POINT STANDINGS

Mr. Gas Late Models: 1. Bobby Latham III 20, 2. (tie) Jeff Pohlman and Tony Ackerland 18, 4. TJ Woodhall 15, 5. Enquire Conteras III 8.

Budweiser Super Stocks: 1. Daniel Shirley 19, 2. Kris McKean 15, 3. Steve Edens 13, 4. (tie) Casey Pehrson and Allen Williams 9.

Project Filter Street Stocks: 1. Kendall Woll 28, 2. Chase Carraway 18, 3. (tie) Spencer Meyer and Craig Nuthak 16, 5. John Newell 10.

Brennan's Carpet Pony Stocks: 1. Todd Audet 17, 2. Jerry Slocum 6, 3. Robbie Hyde 3.

Quale's Electronics Pro Hornets: 1. Scott Gilligan 20, 2. Bob Gilligan 9, 3. Jeff Peck 5, 4. Kris McKean 4.

Quale's Jr. Stingers: 1. Jason Quale 18, 2. Brenden Radabaugh 12, 3. (tie) Alyssa Pearson and KC Gillogly 10, 5. Jay McDonald 3.



AP photo

Los Angeles Lakers forward Pau Gasol reacts after scoring against the New Orleans Hornets during the second half of Game 3 of a first-round NBA playoff series in New Orleans on Friday.

Bryant, Gasol lead Lakers past Hornets

NEW ORLEANS — Kobe Bryant scored 30 points, Pau Gasol snapped out of his playoff funk with 17 points and 10 rebounds, and the Los Angeles Lakers took control of their first-round playoff series with a 100-86 victory over the New Orleans Hornets on Friday night.

Andrew Bynum added 14 points and 11 rebounds and Lamar Odom had 13 points for the two-time defending champs, who took the lead for good when Ron Artest made a layup as he was fouled to make it 13-10.

The victory gave the Lakers a 2-1 lead in the best-of-seven series, with Game 4 in New Orleans on Sunday.

Chris Paul had 22 points and eight assist for the Hornets, who managed to stay within single digits for long stretches of the game but never truly threatened to take the lead.

CELTICS 113, KNICKS 96

NEW YORK — Paul Pierce scored 38 points, Ray Allen added 32, and Rajon Rondo had a Celtics' playoff-record 20 assists in his triple-double as Boston beat New York 113-96 on Friday night to take a 3-0 in their first-round playoff series.

Rondo had 15 points and 11 rebounds for the Celtics, who pulled out two close games in Boston but never trailed in this one, dominating the first playoff game at Madison Square Garden in seven years. They will go for the sweep

Sunday afternoon.

Carmelo Anthony had 15 points and 11 rebounds but shot 4 for 16 for the Knicks.

Chauncey Billups was sidelined again with a knee injury and Amare Stoudemire was limited by back spasms and was 2 for 8 for seven points.

Allen was 8 for 11 behind the arc and is 15 for 20 in the series. Pierce was 6 of 8 from 3-point range.

HAWKS 88, MAGIC 84

ATLANTA — Jamal Crawford banked in a 3-pointer with 5.7 seconds left to cap a brilliant second half and lead Atlanta to a 2-1 lead in their Eastern Conference playoff series.

Zaza Pachulia of Atlanta and Jason Richardson of Orlando were ejected with 2:22 remaining after a confrontation under the basket. The teams swapped the lead four times after that near-brawl until Al Horford put the Hawks ahead for good with 46.6 seconds remaining.

But Crawford, who scored 18 of his 23 points after half-time, hit the biggest shot of all. With the shot clock winding down, he put up a jumper over Jameer Nelson that struck high on the backboard and went in.

Game 4 is Sunday night. The Magic pulled ahead for the final time on Brandon Bass' jumper with 1:01 remaining. Horford then put the Hawks ahead to stay.

— The Associated Press

CSI softball sweeps North Idaho

Times-News

Message sent.

The 14th-ranked College of Southern Idaho softball team left no doubt as to the best JUCO team in Idaho, controlling from beginning to end in a doubleheader sweep of visiting North Idaho College on Friday, 8-5 and 9-1.

On a day where the Golden Eagles (36-14, 30-7 Scenic West) honored seven sophomores playing in their final home series, all seven showed up at the plate in a big way and gave plenty of run support for two freshman pitchers.

"It's always kind of interesting. Some groups handle it really well and other groups it takes them a couple of innings to recover," said CSI coach

Nick Baumert, whose team is now 6-0 against NIC this season. "It's a testament to our sophomores and what they've done this year and last year that they were able to stay focused throughout the day and put in some good work."

CSI jumped on North Idaho (28-23, 21-19), scoring three runs in the first inning of Game 1 on the strength of doubles from sophomores Jessica Albertson, Kelsey Bryant and Lyndi Miller. Sophomore Latieshia Webster doubled, homered and drove in four in the win. Jyl Eckstein allowed five runs but only six hits.

Jessi Duncan was one pitch from perfection in Game 2, allowing only a solo homer to

Alyssa Erickson in the run-rule victory. Erickson was North Idaho's only baserunner, and Duncan struck out six.

Again it was the sophomores leading the way as Marina Groenewegen homered twice and drove in four runs, Marie Williams hit a key two-run triple and Mikkel Griffin mopped up proceedings with an RBI single to end the game early.

Freshman Alyana Watson also went 3-for-3 for CSI, which will close the home portion of its season today with another doubleheader against North Idaho, starting at noon.

There's another side element for CSI to deal with, as the team will sign autographs

as part of the "Read Like an Eagle" program. But it's not going to deter from the team's focus if Baumert has anything to say about it.

"I think it's just kind of continuing what we did today," he said. "It's important that you protect your home field and that's what we'll try and do."

Game 1
No. 14 CSI 8, North Idaho 5
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Jenifer Rosie, Jocelynn Probert (3) and Shelby Gonzales. Jyl Eckstein and Lyndi Miller. W: Eckstein. L: Rosie. 2B: NIC, Desirae Timoco. CSI, Jessica Albertson, Kelsey Bryant, 2. Lyndi Miller, Latieshia Webster, Mikkel Griffin. HR: NIC, KaSara Wise; CSI, Webster.

Game 2
CSI 9, North Idaho 1, five innings
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Blake Meredith, Jocelynn Probert (1), Jenifer Rosie (5) and Shelby Gonzales. Jessi Duncan and Kelsie Webster. W: Duncan. L: Meredith. Extra-base hits - 2B: CSI, Alyana Watson. 3B: CSI, Marie Williams. HR: NIC, Alyssa Erickson. CSI, Marina Groenewegen 2.

Bruin baseball blanks Wood River

Times-News

The Twin Falls baseball team used timely defense and offense to beat Wood River 8-0 in Hailey on Friday.

Zayne Slotten tossed five scoreless innings and John Hohnhorst threw the final two to complete the shutout. Cody McBride and Cy Sneed doubled for the Bruins (14-3, 8-2 Great Basin), who moved half a game ahead of Burley (7-2) and a game up on Minico (7-3) in the conference standings.

Zach Israel went 4-for-4 for Wood River, which had eight hits but hit into a couple of key double plays to let the Bruins off the hook.

The two teams play a doubleheader in Twin Falls today at 11 a.m.

Twin Falls 8, Wood River 0
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Zayne Slotten, John Hohnhorst (6) and Jayson Welker. Zach Israel, Parrish (4) and Connor Braatz. W: Slotten. L: Israel. Extra-base hits - 2B: Twin Falls, Cy Sneed, Cody McBride.

BURLEY 9, CANYON RIDGE 5
Jake Mills struck out seven and had two RBIs to lead Burley over Canyon Ridge 9-5 Friday in the Great Basin Conference matchup.

Mills smacked a double and a triple and Taylor Carson also hit a home run for the Bobcats, who won the game by scoring four runs in the ninth inning.

Canyon Ridge tied the game at 4-4 in the sixth inning on RBIs from Caleb Price and Nic Magee.

Canyon Ridge (5-11, 0-10 GBC) travels to Burley today for a doubleheader with the

BULLDAWGS HOLD SEASON OPENER

The Magic Valley Bulldawgs semi-pro football team will host the Utah Renegades at 6 p.m. today at Jerome High School. The game is the Bulldawgs' season-opener. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for ages 12-18. Children under 12 are admitted free.

surging Bobcats.

Burley 9, Canyon Ridge 5, nine innings
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Canyon Ridge 001 003 010 - 5 9 1
Jake Mills and Kody Moon. Garrett Basham and John Cron (9). Scott Speer. W: Mills. L: Basham. Extra-base hits - 2B: Burley, Mills, Spencer Rice. Canyon Ridge. Speer. 3B: Burley, Mills. Canyon Ridge, Jacob Newton. HR: Burley, Taylor Carson.

WENDELL 8, BUHL 1
Nolan Stouder struck out nine, leading Wendell to an 8-1 win over Buhl Friday.

The pitcher handled the top of the Indians' lineup, with five of his strikeouts coming against Buhl's top four hitters.

The Trojans benefited from three Buhl errors leading to six runs. Wendell's Jacob Rocha and Stouder each hit doubles. Brody McClain and Todd Loveless each had doubles for Buhl, which left eight runners on base.

"Stouder threw a good game and we had some costly errors at the wrong time," said Buhl coach Brady Swallow. "We didn't take care of our pitching and just didn't do the little things right."

Buhl (4-9, 1-1 Sawtooth Central) hosts SCIC foe Filer today for a doubleheader beginning at 10 a.m.

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Nolan Stouder and Taylor Peterson; Hunter Littlefair and Benny Benkula. W: Stouder. L: Littlefair. A: Stouder and Peterson. Extra-base hits - 2B: Wendell, Stouder and Rocha.

Buhl, Brody McClain, Todd Loveless.

Softball
CANYON RIDGE 14, BURLEY 4, SIX INNINGS
Canyon Ridge took advantage of 11 errors and five walks issued by Burley to win a Great Basin Conference game 14-4 on Friday at Burley.

Pitcher Lauren Shotwell earned the win.

The same two teams meet for a doubleheader today at Canyon Ridge.

Canyon Ridge 14, Burley 4, six innings
Canyon Ridge 003 452 - 14 7 3
Burley 000 031 - 4 3 1
Lauren Shotwell and Karyl Hudedson; Blauer, Garcia (5) and Ramirez. W: Shotwell. L: Blauer. Extra-base hits - 2B: Canyon Ridge, Emma Stephens, Courtney Cunningham, Kimberly Bellingier.

TWIN FALLS 7, WOOD RIVER 4
Madisen Traveller hit a three-run home run in the third inning as Twin Falls beat Wood River 7-4.

Jaquelyn Corr struck out nine and gave up only two hits to get the win for the Bruins, who moved to 8-2 in Great Basin Conference play.

The two teams meet for a doubleheader at 11 a.m. today in Hailey.

Twin Falls 7, Wood River 4
Wood River 300 010 0 - 4 2 5
Twin Falls 401 200 x - 7 5 0
Ali Levy and Taylor Gove. Jacquelyn Corr and Brylee Barlett. Extra-base hits - 2B: Wood River, Josie Dawson; Twin Falls, Madisen Traveller. HR: Twin Falls, Traveller.

Filer 11, Declo 1, five innings
Filer 100 00 - 1 1 5
Declo 410 42 - 11 14 1
Brynlee Breshears and Chancey Knopp. Taylor Barlogi and Katie Williams. W: Barlogi. L: Breshears. Extra-base hits - 2B: Filer, Allie Hull, Barlogi. 3B: Declo, Knopp. Filer, Williams, Moriah Boone 2. HR: Filer, Cassidy Ferrell.

Tennis

MINICO TENNIS THUMPS GOODING
The Minico tennis team won all but two matches against Gooding on Friday.

The match of the day was in boys doubles, as Angel Garcia and Rico Mendez of Gooding came from behind to defeat Keane Kloepper and Ben Korth 6-7 (4), 6-2, 7-5.

Boys: Minico 5 Gooding 1
Girls: Minico 5, Gooding 1
Boys singles: Eric VanEvery, Minico, def. Kevin Ramirez 6-0, 6-0. Matt Harper, Minico, def. Ivan Garcia 6-2, 6-4. Br. Sanford, Minico, def. Jarod Fugus 6-0, 6-2.
Boys doubles: Angel Garcia and Rico Mendez, Gooding, def. Keane Kloepper and Ben Korth 6-7 (4), 6-2, 7-5. Cameron Jackson and Toni Lopez, Minico, def. Danny Mendez and Roberto Zamora 6-2, 6-1.
Girls singles: Monica Farfan, Minico def. Meghan Hurd by forfeit. Ciene Nino, Gooding, def. Jenna Ahern 6-2, 6-3. Lori Rasmussen, Minico, def. Emily Floyd 6-2, 6-0.
Girls doubles: Chelsi Phillips and Bailey Staley, Minico, def. Lindsay Nelson and Mariella Gavina 6-3, 6-4. KeAndra Harris and Amber Long, Minico, def. Danielle McCleod and Melissa Young 6-1, 6-0.
Mixed doubles: Kim Barnes and Isaiah Little, Minico, def. Cora Liu and Trey Simms 6-4, 6-0. Samantha Halverson and Truman Peterson, Minico, def. Danielle Mendez and Jesse Contrain 6-0, 6-0.

CSI baseball

Continued from Sports 1

Paul Schaak, normally the Eagles' third or fourth starter, got the ball in Game 1 and

CSI's Kerns signs with LCSC

Tandem transfers are all the rage, apparently.

College of Southern Idaho pitcher Chris Kerns confirmed Friday his signing of a letter of intent to pitch at Lewis-Clark State College beginning next season.

"I remember watching them as a kid, and watching the (NAIA) World Series," said Kerns. "It's an exciting opportunity."

Kerns will join CSI reliever Tyler Duffin in Lewiston. Duffin signed during the early period. Parker Morin and Ryan Cooperstone, another CSI duo, are headed to Utah.

As of Friday, Kerns has a 3-2 record with two saves and a 2.54 ERA in 39 innings pitched.

The Warriors are a perennial NAIA Division I baseball power and are annual hosts of the NAIA World Series. Kerns cited a large opportunity to be watched by scouts as a factor in his decision.

"They get as many scouts as Washington, Washington State and some of the (NCAA) Division I schools," he said. "That was a huge deal to me. Hopefully after LC I can have a chance to play pro ball."

— David Bashore, Times-News writer

stymied Salt Lake for six innings, allowing two hits.

"I just wanted to throw strikes, and make sure I didn't beat myself," said Schaak. "They hit the ball right at guys, and we made plays. I can't say much more than I'm happy — it's nice to throw that well against the top-ranked team in the nation."

Schaak moved in line for the win when Andre Ashton scored on Lively's fifth-inning single, which was misplayed in the outfield. Brandon Petite nailed down the save in the seventh, working around a

leadoff double.

With the results CSI has strongly solidified its third-place position, leading Southern Nevada by six games with 10 to play. But the Eagles trail second-place Salt Lake by eight. Western Nevada moved a game ahead of the Bruins by sweeping Southern Nevada in their doubleheader.

CSI and Salt Lake play another doubleheader at noon today, CSI's final home games of the season. The team's 12 sophomores — Duffin, Kerns, Petite, Vavra, Lively, Cooper-

stone, Parker Morin, Trey Mohammed, Michael Renner, Travis Huber, Caleb Olson, and Vinny Giron — will be honored before play begins.

Game 1
CSI 1, No. 1 Salt Lake 0
Salt Lake 000 000 0 - 0 3 2
CSI 000 010 x - 1 4 0
Adam Gunn and Mitch Manning. Paul Schaak, Brandon Petite (7) and Parker Morin. W: Schaak. L: Gunn. SV: Petite. Extra-base hits - 2B: Salt Lake, Dominique Taylor.

Game 2
Salt Lake 7, CSI 4
Salt Lake 200 000 050 - 7 10 4
CSI 100 012 000 - 4 7 1
Tyson Memmott, Tanner Banks (6), Jordan Hager (8) and Mitch Manning. Chris Kerns, Tyler Duffin (7), Tyler Vavra (8), Cody White (9) and Parker Morin. W: Banks. L: Duffin. SV: Hager. Extra-base hits - 2B: Salt Lake, Eddie Alvarez. CSI, Chase Harris, Kendal Maier. 3B: Salt Lake, Manning.



College of Southern Idaho sophomore Blake Lively (6) fields the ball during the third inning of their first game with Salt Lake Community College on Friday in Twin Falls.

ASHLEY SMITH/Times-News

Donald leads Heritage, closes in on No. 1

HILTON HEAD ISLAND, S.C. — Luke Donald moved a step closer to the No. 1 ranking Friday, shooting a 6-under 65 on Friday to take the lead halfway through The Heritage.

Donald is ranked third now, behind No. 1 Martin Kaymer and No. 2 Lee Westwood. However, Donald would jump to the top with a win at Harbour Town, no matter how Westwood fares this weekend at the Indonesian Masters.

Westwood had a one-stroke lead Saturday in Jakarta after the completion of the suspended second round. Kaymer isn't playing this week.

The 33-year-old Donald hasn't let talk of No. 1 distract him through two rounds, finishing at 10-under 132 for a one-shot edge over first-round leader Garrett Willis (69).

Masters runner-up Jason Day (65), defending champion Jim Furyk (66), Camilo Villegas (68) and Chad Campbell (69) were 8 under. Ben Crane (66) and Ian Poulter (66) were three strokes behind Donald.

Donald was the highest



AP photo

Luke Donald watches his drive from the No. 16 tee during the second round of The Heritage golf tournament in Hilton Head Island, S.C., Friday. Donald is 10-under for the first two rounds of the tournament.

ranked of seven players in the world's top 20 competing at what could be the last Heritage. The PGA Tour fixture is seeking a title sponsor, something tour and event officials say is essential to maintaining its place on the schedule for 2012.

KITE, MORGAN LEAD LEGENDS OF GOLF

SAVANNAH, Ga. — Tom Kite and Gil Morgan shot a 10-under 62 in better-ball play for a share of the first-round lead with Ted Schulz

and Gary Hallberg in the Champions Tour's Legends of Golf.

Kite and Morgan birdied their first five holes, while Schulz and Hallberg shot a 30 on the back nine at The Club at Savannah Harbor, an island layout in the Savannah River.

The teams of Scott Hoch and Kenny Perry, Hal Sutton and Larry Mize, David Frost and Michael Allen, and Sandy Lyle and Peter Senior opened with 63s.

Defending champions Mark O'Meara and Nick Price had a 64. Tom Lehman, a two-time winner this year, teamed with Corey Pavin to also shot a 64. John Cook, coming off his second victory of the year last week at TPC Tampa Bay, and Joey Sindelar had a 65. Cook played the final 14 holes alone after Sindelar hurt his back.

WESTWOOD IN FRONT AT INDOONESIAN MASTERS

JAKARTA, Indonesia — English star Lee Westwood birdied the final hole for a 6-under 66 and a one-stroke lead Saturday after the completion of the suspended second round of the Indonesian Masters.

The second-ranked Westwood had two holes left when the round was suspended Friday because of thunder and lightning at Royale Jakarta Golf Club. Westwood had a 10-under total in the Asian Tour event.

Westwood will reclaim the top spot in the world from Martin Kaymer with a victory if Luke Donald fails to win The Heritage.

— The Associated Press

SPORTS IN BRIEF

NFL: No deadline for when games would be canceled

NEW YORK — The NFL hasn't set a deadline for when games would be canceled without a collective bargaining agreement.

"We don't have a date by which the season is lost, or a date by which we have to move from 16 games to some other (number)," Eric Grubman, the league's executive vice president for business operations, said Friday at a meeting with Associated Press Sports Editors. "Our intentions are to play a full season, and we will pull every lever that we can within the flexibility we have or can identify to make that happen."

Even during the lockout, Grubman said, the NFL and teams are working so they will be ready to start the season quickly once a deal is reached.

"We have to be able to figure out: When you turn the key, is the gas going to flow?" he said. "Is everything going to work?"

The 2011 schedule released Tuesday has games beginning Sept. 8, but includes some room to maneuver. The NFL could still squeeze in 16 games with a delayed start by eliminating bye weeks and the week between the conference championships and the Super Bowl. The league also has a deal with host Indianapolis to potentially hold the Super Bowl a week later, stemming from the earlier possibility of playing an 18-game regular season.

BYU's Davies likely to play after code violation

SALT LAKE CITY — Forward Brandon Davies expects to suit up next season for BYU despite missing this year's NCAA tournament run for violating the university's honor code.

Carri Jenkins, a university spokesperson, said Friday that Davies voluntarily withdrew from school after completing his winter semester finals but is working with the dean of students to meet conditions so he'll be eligible to return for the fall semester.

If he meets those conditions, Jenkins said the expectations are the 6-foot-9 Davies will return for his junior year.

Davies' honor code violation involved premarital sex. He acknowledged the violation when it became known to school officials. BYU has not commented on how it became aware of the violation.

Davies issued a statement released by BYU saying he looked forward to continuing his education at BYU and playing basketball.

"There's a pretty long list of people that I'd like to thank who are helping me through this difficult time," Davies said in the statement. "It's been very hard emotionally but thanks to the love and support of many, I'll be able to get through it. There's a plan in place, and I intend to follow through and return to BYU in the fall. I'm looking forward to coming back to school to continue my education and getting back on the court."

Davies started 26 of 29 games before his March 1 dismissal. He was the team's second-leading scorer (11.1 points) behind star point guard Jimmer Fredette and was leading the team in rebounds (6.2).

Jim Larranaga leaves George Mason for Miami

CORAL GABLES, Fla. — Jim Larranaga has taken the Miami Hurricanes' basketball job after 14 years at George Mason, including an improbable run to the Final Four in 2006.

Larranaga called George Mason athletic director Tom O'Connor on Friday morning to say he accepted Miami's offer. Larranaga met with his George Mason players, then flew to Miami for a news conference.

The 61-year-old coach said he took the Miami job because of the chance to coach in the Atlantic Coast Conference, which he considers the best basketball league in the country.

"I am very excited to be here," he shouted with a grin at the start of his news conference. "It's kind of like the last piece in a coaching career to finalize what I hope to be about."

Buffalo Sabres beat Philadelphia Flyers in overtime, take 3-2 series lead

PHILADELPHIA — Tyler Ennis scored off a rebound 5:31 into overtime Friday night to give the Buffalo Sabres a 4-3 victory over the Philadelphia Flyers and a 3-2 lead in the first-round series.

Mike Webber fired a slapper that knocked off Michael Leighton's pad. Ennis swooped in from the right side and scored his second goal of the game.

Game 6 is Sunday in Buffalo.

— The Associated Press



AP photo

Florida Marlins pitcher Anibal Sanchez throws during Friday's game against the Colorado Rockies in Miami.

Florida Marlins' Anibal Sanchez just misses no-no

MIAMI — Anibal Sanchez held the Colorado Rockies hitless Friday night until Dexter Fowler led off the ninth inning with a broken-bat single. Sanchez then got the final three outs for a one-hitter and the Marlins won 4-1.

Sanchez (1-1) had a career-high nine strikeouts, and the run off him was unearned. He threw a no-hitter for Florida as a rookie in 2006, and his one-hitter was the second this season. Dan Haren of the Los Angeles Angels had one in a 2-0 victory over Cleveland on April 12.

METS 4, DIAMONDBACKS 1

NEW YORK — Ike Davis hit a two-run homer and Mike Pelfrey had his first effective start of the season to lead the New York Mets to a come-from-behind victory over the Arizona Diamondbacks.

Shut down by Joe Saunders for six-plus innings, Davis hit a drive to straight-away center field off Esmerling Vasquez (0-1) that appeared to hit above the orange line on the black wall.

DODGERS 12, CUBS 2

CHICAGO — Juan Uribe hit a two-run homer, Andre Ethier extended his major league-best hitting streak to 19 games and the surging Los Angeles Dodgers beat the Chicago Cubs.

Uribe also had a run-scoring single in the Dodgers' six-run third inning and a sacrifice fly in the sixth, giving him nine RBIs in his last three games and 12 this year. Pinch-hitter Marcus Thames added a two-run drive in the ninth as Los Angeles set a season high for runs and hits (14).

BREWERS 14, ASTROS 7

MILWAUKEE — Ryan

Braun hit a go-ahead three-run homer in his first game since signing a \$105 million, five-year contract extension to lift the Milwaukee Brewers over the Houston Astros 14-7 on Friday night.

Milwaukee scored in every inning but the first and eighth. Brewers ace Yovani Gallardo hit a solo home run off starter Nelson Figueroa (0-3) and Carlos Gomez added a three-run shot in the seventh.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RANGERS 11, ROYALS 6

ARLINGTON, Texas — Mike Napoli, Ian Kinsler and David Murphy were among five Rangers with homers.

Kinsler's two-out solo shot in the fourth put the Rangers ahead for good after the Royals tied it with five runs in the top half.

Murphy's two-run blast in the fifth made it 8-5, and Adrian Beltre went deep with the bases empty in the sixth to give Texas a four-run cushion.

TIGERS 9, WHITE SOX 3

DETROIT — Justin Verlander pitched seven impressive innings through a misty rain, and Ryan Raburn drove in four runs.

Verlander (2-2) allowed four hits, including two home runs by Carlos Quentin and another by Paul Konerko. He finished with eight strikeouts — including the 1,000th of his career — and no walks.

BLUE JAYS 6, RAYS 4, 11 INNINGS

TORONTO — John McDonald hit a two-run homer in the bottom of the 11th inning.

McDonald connected for his first home run of the season against Rays right-hander Adam Russell (1-1).

— The Associated Press

YOUR SPORTS



Courtesy photo

Rapids U15 girls win tourney

The Twin Falls Rapids U15 girls soccer team took first place at the PVSC Spring Classic soccer tournament April 16-17 in Pocatello. Pictured, from left, front row: Kylie Greenawald, Kylie Hicks, Carolyn Hernandez, Yessenia Martinez, Savannah Barker, Maddie Watkins and Sarah Walker; back row: Assistant coach Garrett Karl, Ashley Cox, Natalie Barton, Allison Simmons, Peyton Karl, Hannah Greenawald, Mehli Marcellus, Rebecca Behrens, Aushuli Lindsey, Sabrina Tarchione, assistant coach Callae Marcellus and coach Sasha Pavolovic.



Courtesy photo

Rapids U12 girls win tourney

The Twin Falls Rapids U12 girls soccer team took first place at the PVSC Spring Classic soccer tournament April 16-17 in Pocatello. Pictured, from left, front row: Caitlyn Trammell, Jealsy Simons, Valencia Smith, Clarissa Henderson, Katie Clark; second row: Maddi Hinojos, Tiana Thueson, Madison Glascock, Quinn Guterman, Phoebe Valdez, Chayse Avalos and Ellie Jackson; back row: Coaches Robert Garcia and Tracy Clark.

Bowling scores

BOWLADROME, TWIN FALLS
MONDAY MIXED FOLLIES
MEN'S SERIES: Kevin Hamblin 627, Rocky Reece 616, Rick Koeling 605, Joe McClure 591.
MEN'S GAMES: Rocky Reece 236, Ed Duttry 236, Kevin Hamblin 224, Rick Koeling 213, Joe McClure 213.
LADIES SERIES: Michele Seckel 511, Lorenia Rodriguez 509, RaeNae Reece 508, Kathy McClure 506.
LADIES GAMES: Michele Seckel 192, RaeNae Reece 191, Kathy McClure 188, Lorenia Rodriguez 182.
LATECOMERS
SERIES: Charlene Anderson 566, Linda Vining 549, Barb Aslett 524, Terry Keegan 502.
GAMES: Charlene Anderson 227, Barb Aslett 213, Linda Vining 204, Mona Neill 190, Mary Jo Padre 190.
CSI-TUESDAY
MEN'S SERIES: Joshua Groves 608, Joshua Burkhardt 586, Ben Ware 466, Garren Spinato 459.
MEN'S GAMES: Joshua Burkhardt 223, Joshua Groves 586, Richard Schmid 190, Garren Spinato 178.
LADIES SERIES: Kiali Nelson 478, Samantha Anderson 373, Tara Muir 373, Jesusa Hernandez 350.
LADIES GAMES: Kiali Nelson 197, Tara Muir 153, Samantha Anderson 131, Jesusa Hernandez 126, Lillian Avila 126.
TUESDAY MAJORS
BOYS' SERIES: Anthony Vest 640, Anthony Brady 623, Tyler Black 547, Steven Maher 538.
BOYS' GAMES: Anthony Brady 238, Anthony Vest 226, Steven Maher 226, Tyler Black 203.
GIRLS' SERIES: Kotti Jo Moses 615, Jessica Jenkins 506, Paige Maher 480, Megan McClister 410.
GIRLS' GAMES: Kotti Jo Moses 234, Paige Maher 192, Jessica Jenkins 175, Paige Maher 163.
CONSOLIDATED
SERIES: Ian DeVries 714, Mark Breske 706, Randy Gentry 704, Matt Olson 703.
GAMES: Matt Olson 179, Randy Gentry 269, Nate Jones 267, Jene Prudent 266.
MAGIC VALLEY SENIORS
MEN'S SERIES: Duke Stimpson 489, Del McGuire 469, Gary Hartruff 446, Cy Bullers 431.
MEN'S GAMES: Duke Stimpson 190, Cy Bullers 185, Gary Hartruff 181, Ken Cameron 159, Del McGuire 159.
LADIES SERIES: Tina Holland 526, Shirley Kunsman 446, Barbara Frith 427, Jeannine Bennett 418.
LADIES GAMES: Tina Holland 191, Jean McGuire 180, Shirley Kunsman 161, Betty Taylor 154.
LADIES CLASSIC
SERIES: Cindy Garrett 563, Michele Seckel 527, Judy Cook 526, Betty Wentworth 510.
LADIES GAMES: Betty Wentworth 215, Michele Seckel 207, Cindy Garrett 199, Judy Cook 197.
CSA THURSDAY
MEN'S SERIES: Ross Arellano 433, Kalen Smith 420, Juan Gomez 416, Filiberto Martinez 413.
MEN'S GAMES: Ross Arellano 166, Kalen Smith 164, Filiberto Martinez 161, Juan Gomez 155.
LADIES SERIES: Cheyenne Castillo 357, Lonna Williams-Beem 332, Christina Miranda 324.
LADIES GAMES: Cheyenne Castillo 145, Christina Miranda 132, Lonna Williams-Beem 129, Jennifer Furman 111.
MOOSE
MEN'S SERIES: Tony Brass 730, Cobey Magee 728, Joshua Groves 665, Ray Turpin 651.
MEN'S GAMES: Tony Brass 278, Cobey Magee 257, Joshua Groves 246, Cory Moore 237.
LADIES SERIES: Julie Shull 504, Leanna Magee 503, Stephanie Evans 495, Kim Leazer 482.
LADIES GAMES: Leanna Magee 203, Stephanie Evans 195, Julie Shull 181.
MAGIC BOWL - TWIN FALLS
SUNDAY ROLLERS
MEN'S SERIES: Zach Black 718, Kyle Mason 661, Harvey McCoy 653, R.D. Adema 568.
MEN'S GAMES: Zach Black 258, Harvey McCoy 245, Kyle Mason 224, R.D. Adema 223.
LADIES SERIES: Amanda Crider 589, Brenda Staley 568, Kim Dreisigacker 556, Ida Countryman 493.
LADIES GAMES: Amanda Crider 213, Kim Dreisigacker 195, Branda Staley 192.
50 PLUS SENIORS
MEN'S SERIES: Chelcie Eager 684, Maurice Fuller 627, Tom Smith 621, Roy Couch 611.
MEN'S GAMES: John McCandless 247, Chelcie Eager 245, Ed Chappell 244, Maurice Fuller 230.
LADIES SERIES: Barbara Smith 595, Linda Vining 564, Gloria Harder 549, Dixie Eager 502.
LADIES GAMES: Barbara Smith 223, Linda Vining 214, Gloria Harder 203, Dixie Eager 202.
THURSDAY NIGHT MIXED
MEN'S SERIES: Buddy Bryant 739, Jim Howard 717, Bryan Price 660, Zach Black 647.
MEN'S GAMES: Buddy Bryant 279, Jim Howard 268, Bryan Price 256, Zach Black 248.
LADIES SERIES: Cindy Price 594, Stephanie White 564, Beverly O'Connor 564, Tawnia Bryant 557.
LADIES GAMES: Stephanie White 225, Cindy Price 232, Beverly O'Connor 205, Tawnia Bryant 194.
EARLY FRIDAY MIXED
MEN'S SERIES: Jared Ashmead 647, Jody Bryant 646, Tim Justice 620, Mike Goodson 586.
MEN'S GAMES: Jody Bryant 245, Jared Ashmead 238, Mike Goodson 225, Tim Justice 219.
LADIES SERIES: Tawnia Bryant 485, Diana Rebollozo 473.
LADIES GAMES: Tawnia Bryant 289, Diana Rebollozo 200, Julie Shaffer 190, LaDonna Moise 169.
SUNSET BOWL - BUHL
PINBUSTERS
SERIES: Karl Mejezchleba 728, Cliff Rediker 639, Arrik Wagner 267, Karl Mejezchleba 259.
MASON TROPHY
SERIES: Verna Kodesh 504.
GAMES: Dixie Schroeder 191.
SUNSET SENIORS
MEN'S SERIES: Charlie Hill 546, Don Huff 544.
MEN'S GAMES: Charlie Hill 192, Don Huff 191.
LADIES SERIES: Lois Tomlinson 497, Verna Kodesh 470.
LADIES GAMES: Verna Kodesh 222, Lois Tomlinson 209.
LUCKY STRIKERS
SERIES: Darla McCallister 517, Beverly Rodig 517.
GAMES: Beverly Rodig 193, Marjorie Mink 188.
SPARE PAIRS
MEN'S SERIES: Dirk McCallister 656.
MEN'S GAMES: Dirk McCallister 244.
LADIES SERIES: Lois Tomlinson 606.
LADIES GAMES: Lois Tomlinson 225.
STARLINE
MEN'S SERIES: Dustin McCallister 742.
MEN'S GAMES: Dustin McCallister 256, Robbie Maxfield 256.
LADIES SERIES: Victoria Clary 532.
LADIES GAMES: Meri Maxfield 196.
MONDAY YABA
BOYS' SERIES: Bradley Webb 483.
BOYS' GAMES: Bradley Webb 184.
GIRLS' SERIES: Bryn Madison 326.
GIRLS' GAMES: Lynzee Schaeffer 139.
MONDAY MARAUDERS
SERIES: Lori Parish 513, Derry Smith 508, Diane Strobelberg 484, Tula Debois 469.
GAMES: Derry Smith 189, Edna Renz 180, Diane Strobelberg 170.
LADIES TRIOS
SERIES: Kim Davis 535, Georgia Szchutzy 520, Kris Jones 497, Tara Podunovich 478.
GAMES: Tara Podunovich 200, Kim Davis 195, Tabatha Zollinger 176, Donna Oliver 174.
NEW CLASSIC TRO
SERIES: Justin Studer 1032, Logan Parish 931, Delbert Bennett 877, Byron Hager 875.
GAMES: Justin Studer 300, Delbert Bennett 265, Logan Parish 256, Rusty Holm 242.
TUESDAY MIXED
MEN'S SERIES: Tyson Hirsch 767, Bob Bywater 734, Shon Bywater 624, Byron Hager 620.
MEN'S GAMES: Tyson Hirsch 279, Bob Bywater 257, Gene Smith 232, Byron Hager 220.
LADIES SERIES: Annette Hirsch 568, Tiffany Hager 564, Stacy Hieb 558, Kristie Johnston 506.
LADIES GAMES: Annette Hirsch 201, Cheyann Blauer 200, Tiffany Hager 194, Kristie Johnston 190.
RAILROADERS
SERIES: Kris Jones 591, Tammy Rains 565, Kym Son 541, Shanna Deleon 480.
GAMES: Kym Son 213, Kris Jones 203, Tammy Rains 195, Marty Smith 187.
WEDNESDAY MIXED
MEN'S SERIES: Tyson Hirsch 687, Justin Studer 654, Thom Stimpson 650, Rodney Crow 606.
MEN'S GAMES: Justin Studer 279, Thom Stimpson 263, Tyson Hirsch 248, Rodney Crow 217.
LADIES SERIES: Alexis Studer 510, Annette Hirsch 501, Susan Fowler 487, Bobbi Crow 450.
LADIES GAMES: Alexis Studer 195, Annette Hirsch 193, Susan Fowler 192, Bobbi Crow 182.
MAJORS
SERIES: Bob Bywater 768, Justin Studer 717, Shon Bywater 669, Darrin Carter 654.
GAMES: Bob Bywater 290, Justin Studer 254, Shon Bywater 246, Larry Tomlinaga 236.
PINHEADS
BOYS' SERIES: Mhason Stimpson 454, Quintyn Roberts 419, Stetson Heuston 395, Karrison Hollins 393.
BOYS' GAMES: Quintyn Roberts 187, Mhason Stimpson 178, Karrison Hollins 152, Stetson Heuston 140.
GIRLS' SERIES: Bridget Albertson 508, Kiera Hieb 467, Cheyenne Powers 384, Dominique Powers 357.
GIRLS' GAMES: Kiera Hieb 183, Bridget Albertson 180, Dominique Powers 163, Cheyenne Powers 146.

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