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'WE TRULY REMEMBER'

Pearl Harbor survivor honored at Bridgeview Estates



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Pearl Harbor survivor Bill Bridges, 92, greets people with his wife of 68 years, Betty, 94, right, on Friday during a Pearl Harbor Day event at Bridgeview Estates in Twin Falls.

BY ALISON GENE SMITH
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Bill Bridges, circa 1940.

TWIN FALLS • About 60 people filled the greatroom at Bridgeview Estates on Friday afternoon for a ceremony honoring a local man who survived the attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941.

Bill Bridges, now 92, said he was knocked out of bed when the first bomb hit the USS Utah, which was next to Bridges' ship, the USS Raleigh.

Bridges was presented a certificate in honor of his service by Kay Lynn Johnson, the community liaison director at Hospice Visions.

Members of the Army National Guard's 116th Cavalry Brigade Combat Team honored Bridges by presenting him with a coin.

"We just all want to be a part," Steve Gilbert Jr., vice commander in the Twin Falls VFW, said. "We want to honor those who gave so much."

"Just look across the room and see the veterans here," Gilbert, who is also Sr. vice commander in the Marine Corps League and chaplain for the Disabled

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FRAN TANNER

Curtain Falls on a CSI Original

"The community owes a great debt of gratitude to Fran."

Jerry Beck, CSI President

BY VIRGINIA HUTCHINS
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TWIN FALLS • Fran Tanner, a member of the original College of Southern Idaho faculty and a teacher who touched thousands of lives, died Thursday evening. She was 79.



Tanner

"Fran was our performing arts program, our speech and theater program, in the early days," CSI President Jerry Beck said Friday.

Those thousands of lives included Beck's own. When the future college president was a technical instructor and trying to get better at it, he took a speech class from Tanner.

"She didn't always tell you what you wanted to hear, but she told you what you needed to hear," Beck said. "You could always count on her to try to help you be better at what you were going to do in life."

Tanner taught speech and drama at CSI for 39 years — from that first day the faculty assembled in August 1965, to her retirement as chairwoman of the communications and theater department in July 2004.

Tanner's health had deteriorated since a stroke last December, and she was receiving care at home, said cousin H. Richard Cook of Twin Falls. She seemed in good spirits at Thanksgiving dinner, he said, but went downhill quickly this week.

Please see TANNER, A4

IF YOU DO ONE THING TODAY ...

Handel's Messiah: Magic Valley Chorale, CSI Chamber Choir and Magic Valley Chamber Orchestra perform at 7:30 p.m. in the CSI Fine Arts Auditorium, Twin Falls. \$10 adults; \$8 seniors and \$5 students.

THE FORECAST

High 37°
Low 20°
Mostly Cloudy, Snow.
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27 POUNDS OF POT FOUND IN AIRPORT RENTAL CAR

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TWIN FALLS • Twin Falls police recovered 27 pounds of marijuana from a rental vehicle at Joslin Field Magic Valley Regional Airport Sunday at about 4 p.m., according to a statement from the city of Twin Falls.

Emergency dispatch received a call from Avis Rent-A-Car, which said a vehicle

was returned with a large amount of marijuana in it. When officers arrived, they found about 27 pounds of marijuana, which was vacuum sealed in one-pound baggies and placed inside a duffel bag.

The Twin Falls Police Department is investigating the case and will provide further details as they become available.



Twenty-seven pounds of marijuana were recovered in a rental vehicle at Joslin Field Magic Valley Regional Airport Sunday by Twin Falls Police.

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THE MARKET AT A GLANCE

Apple Holds Back S&P, Nasdaq; Dow Ends Higher

NEW YORK (AP) • Apple spoiled the stock market's party on Friday.

Stocks shot higher in the early morning, after the government reported that the U.S. added jobs in November. But Apple, which has been flailing in recent weeks as investors wonder how long its momentum can continue, dragged down the indexes that it's part of.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which doesn't include Apple, rose. The Standard & Poor's 500 and Nasdaq, which do, were less impressive. The S&P rose by a smaller amount, and the Nasdaq fell.

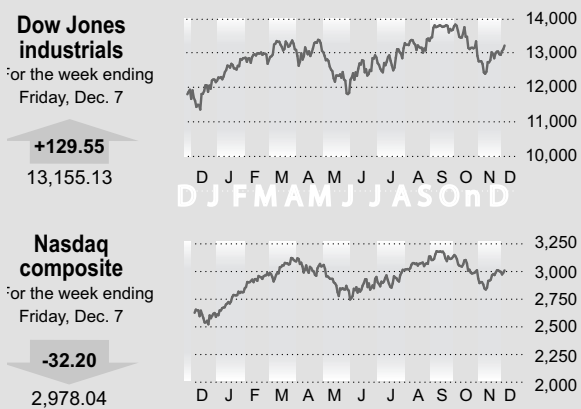
The headline numbers from the jobs report sent the market higher in early trading. The Labor Department said the U.S. added 146,000 jobs last month, more than economists had expected. The unemployment rate fell to 7.7 percent from 7.9 percent, the lowest in nearly four years.

The overall report, however, painted a more restrained view of the economy.

"If you delve into that report a little more, there are some disturbing issues," said Brian Lund, who is based in Los Angeles as executive vice president and co-founder of the online brokerage Ditto Trade.

Among them: The unemployment rate fell largely because discouraged unemployed workers stopped looking for work, which meant they were no longer counted among the unemployed. Also, the Labor Department revised previously released jobs numbers downward, saying that employers added 49,000 fewer jobs in October and September than initially estimated.

Lund also wasn't so sure about the government's statement that Hurricane Sandy "did not substantively impact" the unemployment numbers. He expected Sandy's detrimental effects to show up in jobs reports over the next couple of months, as businesses figure out their post-storm plans.



STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AlliantEgy	1.80	16	44.55	-.02	+1.0	Keycorp	.20	9	8.10	+.18	+5.4
AlliantTch	1.04f	8	62.01	-.03	+8.5	Lee Ent	...	11	1.17	-.05	+66.0
AmCasino	.50	8	20.17	+.02	+16.7	MicronT	...	...	6.44	+.03	+2.3
Aon plc	.63	18	56.60	-.21	+20.9	OfficeMax	.08	2	9.70	-.05	+13.7
BallardP h	...	...	.65	+.01	+9.8	RockTen	.90	18	64.77	+.03	+12.3
BkofAm	.04	28	10.64	+.18	+91.3	Sensient	.88	14	35.56	-.44	-6.2
ConAgra	1.00f	20	29.75	+.10	+12.7	SkyWest	.16	31	11.56	+.16	-8.2
Costco	1.10a	25	98.56	+.09	+18.3	Terady	...	13	15.84	-.06	+16.2
Diebold	1.14	12	30.80	+.22	+2.4	Tuppwr	1.44	18	65.21	+.45	+16.5
DukeEn rs	3.06	18	64.32	+.15	...	US Bancrp	.78	11	32.02	+.21	+18.4
DukeEnly	.68	...	13.50	+.14	+12.0	Valhi s	.20	16	12.06	+.04	-40.2
Fastenal	.84f	30	42.12	+.36	-3.4	WalMart	1.59	15	72.29	+.70	+21.0
Heinz	2.06	19	58.25	+.20	+7.8	WashFed	.32	13	16.18	+.08	+15.7
HewlettP	.53	...	13.94	+.11	-45.9	WellsFargo	.88	10	33.23	+.09	+20.6
HomeDp	1.16	23	64.45	+.11	+53.3	ZionBcp	.04	19	19.84	+.30	+21.9
Kdcorp	1.52	13	43.06	-.06	+1.5						

GRAINS & METALS REPORT

VALLEY BEANS
Prices are net to growers, 100 pounds, U.S. No. 1 beans, less Idaho bean tax and storage charges. Prices subject to change without notice. Producers desiring more recent price information should contact dealers.
Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture: pintos, \$35-\$38; pinks, \$40-\$42; small reds, \$40-\$42; garbanzos, \$40-\$42. Quotes current Dec. 4.

VALLEY GRAINS
Prices for wheat per bushel; mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundredweight. Prices subject to change without notice.
Barley, \$13.10; oats, \$12.40; corn, \$14.20 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangen's in Buhl. Prices current Dec. 5.
Corn, \$14.95; barley, \$13.75 (cwt); wheat, \$8 (bushel) delivered to Gooding. Prices quoted by JD Heskell. Prices current Dec. 5.

CHEESE
Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Barrels: \$1,660.00, nc; Blocks: \$1,760.00, nc

GOLD
Selected world gold prices, Friday, London morning fixing: \$1,692.00 up \$2.75.

London afternoon fixing: \$1,701.55 up \$7.25.
NY Handy & Harman: \$1,701.50 up \$7.25.
NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$1,837.62 up \$7.83.
NY Engelhard: \$1,705.04 up \$7.26.
NY Engelhard fabricated: \$1,832.92 up \$7.81.
NY Merc. gold Dec Fri \$1,704.00 up \$3.70.
NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Fri. \$1,703.00 up \$4.00.

SILVER
NEW YORK (AP) Handy & Harman silver Friday \$33.025 up \$0.025.
H&H fabricated \$39,630 up \$0.030.
The morning bullion price for silver in London \$32.850 up \$0.020.
Engelhard \$33,180 up \$0.060.
Engelhard fabricated \$39,816 up \$0.072.
NY Merc silver spot month Friday \$33.053 up \$0.014.

NONFERROUS
NEW YORK (AP) - Spot nonferrous metal prices F. Aluminum - \$0.9568 per lb. London Metal Exch. Copper - \$3.6475 NY Merc spot Fri. Copper \$3.6475 NY Merc spot Fri. Lead \$224.00 metric ton, London Metal Exch. Zinc \$0.9135 per lb. London Metal Exch. Gold \$1,701.50 Handy & Harman (only daily quote). Gold \$1,704.00 troy oz., NY Merc spot Fri. Silver \$33.025 Handy & Harman (only daily quote). Silver \$33.053 troy oz., NY Merc spot Fri. Platinum - \$1,604.00 troy oz., NY (contract). Platinum - \$1,607.00 troy oz., NY Merc spot Fri. n.q.-not quoted n.a.-not available f-revised

ASK ST. LUKES

HOLIDAY HELP TIPS

The winter season is upon us. I am 65 years old, and would like some tips on how to avoid slips and falls this season.
- Tom, Twin Falls

Answered by Brian Hall, St. Luke's Magic Valley safety officer.

One of the best ways to avoid a fall is to plan ahead whenever you leave your home. This will decrease the risk of injury. Decide your route prior to leaving. What is the best and safest route you can take to avoid falling? Take extra time in getting to your destination and don't take shortcuts to your vehicle or in getting to your destination. When we are in a hurry, that is when we are most likely to fall and hurt ourselves. It is especially important to take

more time when you are walking up stairs or ramps, which can be very slippery. Always use handrails when walking up stairs or ramps. If possible, try to stay on maintained and groomed sidewalks. Avoid walking through snowy or icy parking lots, which can have hidden dangers or bumps, causing you to trip and fall. It is also important to wear proper footwear; boots are best. Boots should have good traction and rubber soles. If you wear dress shoes at work, take them with you and put them on once you get to work. Wear boots from your vehicle to your office. Avoid carrying heavy items so you can keep your hands free to improve your balance. When we carry items and fall, we are more likely to try and save our items, and as a

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result, risk greater injury to ourselves. Always be aware of your surroundings, especially when getting out of your car. Ice and snow accumulate inside parking garages and lots, and it is not always possible to clear those areas. Hold on to your vehicle for support. Once you get inside, wipe off your boots to clear any ice or snow. A little prevention and planning is really all you

need to stay safe during this slippery season.

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Out and About



Elizabeth Spence, who works in the ICU at St. Luke's Magic Valley, decorates a tree on Tuesday for the 28th annual St. Luke's Magic Valley Festival of Trees at The Historic Ballroom in Twin Falls. The opening night gala is on Thursday and the event continues through Sunday.

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A Cold, Windy Weekend Ahead



atures this afternoon will only reach the low to mid-30s and wind gusts could be as high as 30 mph making it feel more like it is in the mid to upper 20s when you factor in the wind chill. The cold air will persist into Sunday with morning lows around 15 to 20 degrees. An area of high pressure will build in during the day giving us mostly sunny skies. Highs

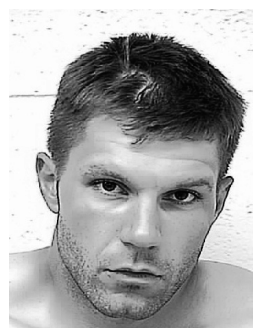
during the morning and we should see a few more light snow showers during the afternoon, evening and overnight. We are not expecting much in the way of snow with this system. For Magic Valley locations, snow amounts will be around just a coating but some areas in the South Hills could pick up a couple of inches. Temper-

will remain cold only reaching the mid-30s by the afternoon. We will remain mostly dry and seasonal Monday through Tuesday with lows in the upper 20s and highs in the low 40s. Our next chance of seeing some snow across the Magic Valley will be Wednesday into Thursday.

Brian Neudorff is the Chief Meteorologist for KMYT-TV and KTWT Fox 14. You can reach him by email at BrianNeudorff@neuhoff-media.com or call 208.733.1100 x3047.

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TWIN FALLS COUNTY

THURSDAY ARRAIGNMENTS
Daniel Dean Pinkerton, 38, Twin Falls; driving without privileges (3rd or subsequent offense), \$10,000 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial Jan. 15.
Daniel Dean Pinkerton, 38, Twin Falls; driving under the influence, \$5,000 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial Dec. 26.
Jason Michael Fennewald, 31, Twin Falls; possession of a controlled substance, own recognition release, public defender appointed, preliminary Dec. 14.
Clarence H. Meek, 50, Kimberly; felony possession of a controlled substance, \$5,000, public defender appointed, preliminary Dec. 14.
Clarence H. Meek, 50, Kim-

berly; felony; burglary, grand theft, \$5k bond, PDA, preliminary Dec. 14
Richard Ray Schlafkohl, 26, Twin Falls, possession of paraphernalia, \$100 bond, public defender appointed, pretrial Jan. 1
Andrew James Bean, 30, Twin Falls; domestic battery, own recognizance release, to hire private counsel, pretrial Jan. 15
Elizabeth Crudup, 39, Twin Falls; driving under the influence (excessive), public defender appointed, pretrial Jan. 15.
Russell Earl Ford, 34, Kimberly; driving without privileges, driving under the influence (excessive), resisting or obstructing arrest, injury to a child, public defender confirmed or continued, pretrial Dec. 18.

FRIDAY ARRAIGNMENTS
Steven Ray Sheets, 44, Twin Falls; possession of a

controlled substance with intent to deliver, \$5,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Dec. 14.
Johnny Hernandez, 20, Twin Falls; fail to purchase or invalid driver's license, open container, alcoholic beverage under 21, \$100 bond, pretrial Jan. 15
Albert James Conway, 43, Hansen; possession of a controlled substance, \$1,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Dec. 14.
Jonathan Vito Trydahl, 34, Buhl; possession of a controlled substance, \$1,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Dec. 14.
Aaron Brown, 44, Twin Falls; delivery of a controlled substance (3 counts), passion of a controlled substance with intent to deliver (2 counts), \$10,000 bond, public defender appointed,

preliminary Dec. 14
Donovan Christopher Jones, 20, Phoenix, Ariz.; aggravated battery, \$100,000 bond, private counsel, preliminary Dec. 14.
Melissa M. Straub, 37, Twin Falls; driving under the influence (excessive), bond previously posted, public defender appointed, pretrial Jan. 15.
Oscar Arechiga Suarez, 18, Twin Falls; disturbing the peace, minor consumption (2 counts), public defender appointed, pretrial Jan. 15.
Joshua Bunn, 32, Twin Falls; felony controlled substance possession with intent to deliver, \$25,000 bond, public defender appointed, preliminary Dec. 14.
Angela E. Trueblood, 32, Twin Falls; violation of a protection order, own recognition release, private counsel, pretrial Jan. 15.

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CSI CONTINUES EFFORT TO ORGANIZE PEP BAND

BY JULIE WOOTTON
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TWIN FALLS • Music instructor Scott Farkas is working to build a pep band at the College of Southern Idaho from the ground up.

Last year, CSI trustees gave approval to add the new job position — a music instructor whose job responsibilities include overseeing a pep band.

After a number of concerns were raised, the pep band — which included students and community members — was discontinued last year.

“The absence created a longing for it to return,” Farkas told CSI trustees during a Friday meeting.

As for this year, Farkas gathered students for a West African drum ensemble that’s performing at athletic events. But it’s just Phase I of efforts to bring back a pep band program.

“I think within three years, we will have the band we’ve all been dreaming of,” Farkas said.

CSI officials are looking at an all-student ensemble.

Farkas said he has been building relationships with area school districts. Some high school students, he said, don’t want to go into a music-related career field but want to keep playing their instrument.

In order to attract dedicated members, the college can currently offer a scholarship that covers 50 percent of students’ tuition costs.

Farkas said it’s a large time commitment to be at the all the rehearsals and games.

Trustee Karl Kleinkopf asked why the decision was made to have an all-student pep band without any community members.

Bragg said the issue goes a few years back. In the past, a lot of community members were involved in pep band.

But he said it was an aging and dwindling group and some members couldn’t make the time commitment to come to all the rehearsals and games.

Bragg said most CSI ensembles rely on community members and opportunities through the music department will continue to grow.

Other Business

The College of Southern Idaho’s board of trustees normally meets at 6 p.m. the third Monday of each month.

They met in special session Friday. Items on the agenda were for discussion and no action was taken.

Policy and Procedures Manual

Although most of the proposed changes are small, human resources director Monty Arrossa said there are significant changes to travel policies.

The changes cover topics such as what’s defined as local travel, what permission students need to receive in order to drive a CSI-owned vehicle and a limit on how

long drivers can spend behind the wheel.

There’s also a new campus memorial policy. Vice president of administration Mike Mason said the college is receiving more requests than in the past to put in memorials on campus.

Other policy changes include to eligibility requirements for CSI employee retirement benefits. An employee must work for at least 10 years as a full-time college employee in order to receive college-related benefits, such as discounts on tuition and to campus events.

Pristine Springs


The board heard a presentation about Pristine Springs from Vince Alberdi, a member of the Idaho Water Resource Board, and Brian Patton with the Idaho Department of Water Resources.

CSI officials have expressed interest in Pristine Springs’ geothermal resource. The college campus is heated almost entirely by geothermal energy.

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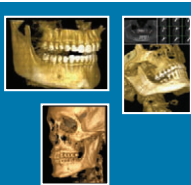
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CSI president Jerry Beck told trustees that the property also has potential for use by CSI students in programs such as agriculture.

Currently, the water board owns the Pristine Springs facility. The board took over the facility in 2008 as part of a \$26 million deal with the city of Twin Falls and the North Snake and Magic Valley groundwater districts.

SeaPac of Idaho leases the property.

Wood River Valley Projects

CSI officials have been look-

ing at possible student housing and academic programs in the Wood River Valley.

Proposals include a 20 to 40-unit student apartment complex in Ketchum, as well

as a culinary arts program in Blaine County. Details on either proposal haven’t been finalized and the board of trustees hasn’t taken action.

Type II Diabetes?

New Diabetes Report Reveals Why Your Current Method Of Treatment May Be Dangerous To You

A new free guide has just been released that reveals why Type II Diabetes continues to increase at an alarming rate. Discover why current therapy may make your condition worse.

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RAY GOFFIN CONSTRUCTION CHRISTMAS HOME OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULED TO BENEFIT TWIN FALLS ANIMAL SHELTER

Ray and Janet Goffin believe in the work that the Twin Falls Animal Shelter is doing to find homes for unwanted animals. The need for medical attention for many of the animals that end up at the shelter is a large expense for the shelter, and the proceeds from the Christmas Open House will benefit these animals.

- Saturday, Dec. 8th 1-5 p.m.
- Wild Rose Estates off of 3300 East
- For more info call Janet at 734-6849



Ray Goffin Construction and Ray and Janet Goffin would like to announce a Christmas Open House of their personal home, located at 3339 E 4050 N, to be held on Saturday, December 8th, 2012 from 1 pm – 5 pm.

The entry fee will be a minimum of \$5 per person with all proceeds going to the Twin Falls Animal Shelter.



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- Children’s Day** - Saturday, December 8, 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- Ladies’ Night** - Saturday, December 8, 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
- Family Day** - Sunday, December 9, 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

For ticket information, call 208-814-0070



Festival benefits St. Luke’s Magic Valley Health Foundation programs including Child Life and the Air St. Luke’s hangar project.

Tanner

Continued from the front page

Though she stopped coaching a couple decades ago, several Northwest speech and debate coaches posted online Friday about Tanner's legacy, said professor Chris Bragg, who chairs CSI's communications department.

As a student in 1989-91, Bragg attended CSI on a scholarship to compete on Tanner's speech team.

"It was eye-opening," Bragg said. Tanner was a stickler for good articulation and enunciation, let nobody sit on the sidelines of a class and wouldn't let a student get away with anything but his best. "Fran was ... a very stern taskmaster."

Bragg said Tanner was known and respected nationally for readers theater — a style in which the script be-

comes a part of the performance and actors don't memorize all the lines — and she often put on readers theatre Christmas shows at CSI.

He recalled Tanner's argument with a company that published one of her books: She demanded that the extraneous apostrophe added by an editor be removed from "readers theater." It belongs to the audience, not to the interpretive readers, she insisted.

That's the kind of perfection that others recalled on Friday.

"She was one of those people that you didn't want to disappoint," Beck said, whether you were in her class or sitting with her at a table. She was proper and made you want to do the right thing, be better, take that next step.

"She was a consummate professional. She really was," said Jerry Meyerhoeffer, CSI's president emeritus. "She was

very devoted to the profession."

And her students recognized that devotion, he said. Many kept in touch with her after graduation and came back to visit.

In his days leading the college, Meyerhoeffer relied on Tanner.

"I know that Fran was one that I listened to her very much, because she had a good sense about what the college needed," Meyerhoeffer said, citing as an example her push to make speech a required subject for CSI students. "I took her very seriously."

The department that used to be only Tanner has grown to seven full-time faculty members and a number of adjuncts, Bragg said. And several of her books on speech and drama are used in colleges around the country, Cook said.

"The community," Beck



CORY MYERS - TIMES-NEWS FILE PHOTO

Fran Tanner, photographed at the time of her 2004 retirement, taught speech and drama at the College of Southern Idaho for 39 years.

said, "owes a great debt of gratitude to Fran."

Funeral services for Tanner

will be at 11 a.m. Dec. 15 at the LDS Chapel at 667 Harrison St. in Twin Falls. Viewing will

be from 6 to 8 p.m. Dec. 14 at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

Idaho Kidnapping Suspect Charged in N. Dakota Case

BISMARCK, N.D. (AP) • An Idaho kidnapping suspect with a history of violence in Montana and Pennsylvania now faces four felony charges in North Dakota, where he recently was arrested.

Mitchell Walck, 57, made his initial court appearance in Bismarck on Thursday on charges of terrorizing, unlawful entry to a motor vehicle, possession of stolen property and being a felon in possession of a firearm. South Central District Judge Sonna Anderson ordered him held without bond.

Walck requested a public defender to represent him.

Walck was arrested on Wednesday after authorities say he pulled a gun on a truck driver whose semi-trailer sleeper cab he had entered and then fled. Officers found him hiding under a tree in a mobile home park.

Walck is a suspect in a case in which Susan Smith, a 62-year-old woman from Rathdrum, Idaho, was kidnapped from her home at gunpoint on Dec. 1 and released unharmed a day later in Glendive, Mont. Officers in Rathdrum believe the kidnapper also shot at an Idaho State Police trooper who tried to make a traffic stop on Nov. 30. Authorities say the man fled and apparently hid in Smith's home for a time before forcing her into her car and taking two rifles from her home. Her car was recovered in Bismarck.

The FBI had offered a \$20,000 reward for information leading to Walck's arrest and conviction.

Walck spent more than nine years in prison for assaulting a peace officer in Powell County, Montana, in

2001, and also was convicted that year of burglary and theft, according to *The Bismarck Tribune*.

Burleigh County Assistant State's Attorney Jason Hammes said in court that Walck also has convictions for simple assault, harassment, disorderly conduct, aggravated assault and theft in Pennsylvania.

Hammes said Walck is listed on Montana's registry of sexual or violent offenders. Walck said he has never been convicted of a sexual offense and that the registry labels him a violent offender for the assault on the law officer.

The registry lists Walck as a "noncompliant registrant," and says his last known address was in Thompson Falls, Mont., near the Idaho border. Walck said in court that he doesn't have an address or job.

Bridges

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American Veterans, said.

Gilbert said he feels it is important for veterans groups to continue to teach new generations about their sacrifices.

Twin Falls Vice Mayor Don Hall spoke at the ceremony and thanked all the veterans and present service members in attendance.

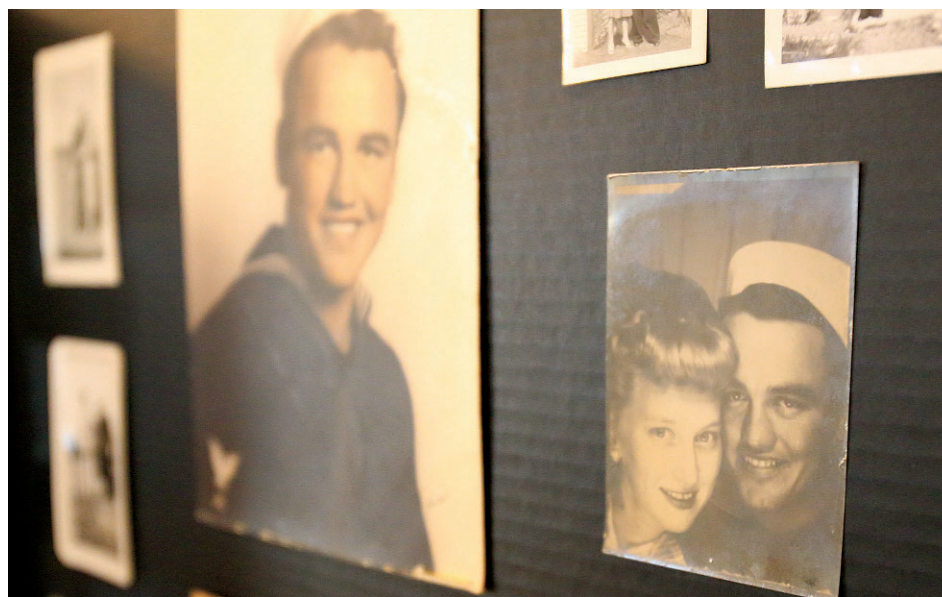
"We remember," he said. "We truly remember."

As a 21-year-old, Bridges was a seaman 1st class and the gunner's mate striker aboard the Raleigh. Since the ship just returned from having torpedo practice runs, the guns were still loaded.

"We were ready for them," he said.

Bridges' daughter, Audrey Kinch, said her family grew up knowing about her father's service and experiences at Pearl Harbor.

"It was just a part of



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Photos of Bill Bridges are seen on display.

life," she said.

Though the attack on Pearl Harbor was a significant event in her father's life, Kinch said it didn't weigh too heavily on him.

"He's grateful he survived. He had some close calls," she said. "He just felt very blessed in a lot of ways."

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Jaden Johnston, right, and Madison Tabb, both second-graders at Lighthouse Christian School, dance and sing carols on Friday at Zions Bank in Twin Falls. More than 90 students attended the event and decorated a Christmas tree with ornaments they made.

Lawmakers Urge More Grain Terminal Labor Talks

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) • Union dock workers and grain terminal owners both say they don't want any kind of work stoppage that would disrupt Northwest grain exports.

But as of late Friday, there was no contract, and no new negotiations scheduled.

The Pacific Northwest Grain Handlers Association, representing the owners of a half-dozen terminals in Oregon and Washington, set a Saturday deadline for the International Longshore and Warehouse Union to respond to the latest contract offer.

Northwest lawmakers have urged both sides to keep talking.

Union spokeswoman Jennifer Sargent says workers intend to keep moving grain, and have proposed dates for new talks.

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OTTER'S EXCHANGE CHOICE AT MERCY OF IDAHO LAWMAKERS

BOISE, Idaho (AP) • Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's decision next week on what kind of insurance exchange the state should adopt remains at the mercy of lawmakers who return to Boise on Jan. 7 for the 2013 session, Republican legislative leaders said.

Otter has until Dec. 14 to tell the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services if Idaho plans to use federal financial help to create its own online marketplace for insurance products for individuals and small businesses or let the federal government install an exchange of its own.

The exchanges are a contentious part of President Barack Obama's health insurance overhaul in places like Idaho where many GOP lawmakers in 2010 equated the package with a shift toward socialized medicine. New House Speaker Scott Bedke told The Associated Press that Otter's decision will be the subject of debate — and potential opposition — from his representatives.

There are 25 new GOP House members, and he said he has yet to ask them what they think.

"We're trying to get a feel for where everybody is at on this," Bedke said. "I don't know what it's going to look like."

While he's closely aligned

with lawmakers who favor a state-based exchange — including his newly-appointed House Health and Welfare Committee chairman, Rep. Fred Wood, R-Burley — Bedke said leadership won't be dictating a final decision.

That'll be up to the caucus, he said.

Bedke and Senate President Pro Tempore Brent Hill meet with Otter Friday to discuss the exchange dilemma.

Ahead of the meeting, Hill suggested the Republican governor should do nothing that limits legislators' room to maneuver.

"He's in the driver's seat for the moment," Hill said. But "the Legislature has got an important part to play."

Otter staffers didn't return a phone call Friday seeking comment on the outcome of the meeting.

His options include issuing an executive order to follow governor-appointed panel's Oct. 26 recommendation to adopt a state-based, nonprofit exchange run by an independent board starting in 2014. He could propose a joint venture with the federal government, like Ohio and Arkansas. And he could opt for a version run from Washington, following the lead of states including Arizona, Maine and Texas.

Idaho insurers and business groups are pushing for a

state exchange, on a variety of grounds.

Providers like Blue Cross of Idaho, Regence Blue Shield and PacificSource Health Plans fear a federal exchange would invite more intervention from Washington into currently state-regulated insurance markets. They also contend a federal exchange's policies would be costlier for customers than those from a state exchange tailored to meet Idaho residents' needs.

Already, lawmaker email inboxes are filling with these arguments.

"We have sent them several communications about our position," said Heidi Low, lobbyist for the Idaho Health Exchange Alliance, nearly 400 individuals and businesses pushing for a state-based exchange.

Rep. Robert Anderst, a new GOP lawmaker from Nampa on the receiving end of the mail, favors the concept of Idaho taking control of its own destiny, but he's not yet willing to say how he'd vote.

"There are so many questions left unanswered," Anderst said.

Idaho Republicans hoped the U.S. Supreme Court would reject the law. When that failed, they banked on GOP presidential candidate Mitt Romney winning on

Nov. 6.

Now, Wood, Bedke's confidante and committee leader, says exchange foes need to quit placing their hopes on others.

"If you don't do anything, you're, in effect, inviting the federal government to come into Idaho," he said.

Last year, Wood's legislative plan for a state exchange never got a hearing under then-House Speaker Lawrence Denney, an ardent opponent of a federal exchange.

Though Denney, R-Midvale, was deposed as the top House lawmaker Wednesday, he and others oppose the federal law, which puts Otter "between a rock and a hard place."

"There are still a lot of people that are opposed to an exchange," Denney said. "I'm sure he has to consider that."

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Judge Orders Montana Education Superintendent Recount

KALISPELL, Mont. (AP) • A Flathead County judge on Friday approved a statewide manual recount in the election for the superintendent of public instruction and told the Republican challenger to put up a \$115,000 bond by Tuesday evening to pay for it.

Attorneys for the state and Denise Juneau, the Democratic incumbent who won re-election by a narrow margin on Nov. 6, said they would appeal the order to the state Supreme Court.

Challenger Sandy Welch asked for the recount after losing to Juneau by 2,231 votes — a .48 percent margin. Candidates can request a recount if the margin of victory is one-half of 1 percent or less.

Welch applied for the recount through district court rather than the secretary of state's office after alleging voting glitches in multiple counties.

Judge Stewart Stadler gave his ruling from the bench after a hearing, saying Welch had succeeded in demonstrating probable cause for a recount.

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Supreme Court Will Hear Gay Marriage Case

WASHINGTON (AP) • The Supreme Court plunged into the contentious issue of gay marriage Friday when it agreed to take up California's ban on same-sex unions and a separate dispute about federal benefits for legally married gay couples.

The court's action gives the justices the chance to say by late June whether gay Americans have the same constitutional right to marry as heterosexuals. Several narrower paths also are open to the justices as they consider both California's voter-approved Proposition 8 and the provision of the federal Defense of Marriage Act that denies to legally married gay Americans the favorable federal tax treatment and a range of federal health and pension benefits given to heterosexual couples.

The court is embarked on what could be its most significant term involving civil rights in decades. In the area of racial discrimination, the justices already have agreed to decide cases on affirmative action in admission to college and a key part of the Voting Rights Act. The gay marriage cases probably will be argued in March and decisions in all the court's cases are likely by the end of June.

The order from the court extends a dizzying pace of change regarding gay marriage that includes rapid shifts in public opinion, President Barack Obama's endorsement in May and votes in Maine, Maryland and Washington in November to allow gay couples to marry. Same-sex couples in Washington began picking up marriage licenses on Thursday.

Yet even as gay marriage

is legal, or soon will be, in nine states — Connecticut, Iowa, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York and Vermont are the others — and the District of Columbia, it is banned by the state constitutions of 31 others. Federal courts in California have struck down the state's constitutional ban on same-sex marriage, but that ruling and thus gay unions remain on hold while the issue is being appealed.

The high court's decision to hear the federal benefit question was a virtual certainty because several lower courts struck down the provision of the 1996 law and the justices almost always step in when lower courts invalidate a federal law.

There is nothing that compelled a similar response from the court in the case over California's Proposition 8, the state constitutional ban on gay marriage that voters adopted in 2008 after the state Supreme Court ruled that gay Californians could marry. Indeed, the gay marriage supporters who prevailed in the lower courts urged the Supreme Court to stay out of the case and allow same-sex unions to resume in the nation's largest state.

Even some gay rights activists worried that it was too soon in the evolution of views toward same-sex marriage to ask the justices to intervene and declare that same-sex couples have the same right to marry as heterosexuals. But Theodore Olson, the Washington lawyer who represents Californians who sued over Proposition 8, said he will argue that there is a "fundamental constitutional right to marry for all citizens."

Michigan Ends Part of Union Tradition

LANSING, Mich. (AP) • For generations, Michigan was the ultimate labor stronghold — a state built by factory workers for whom a high school diploma and a union card were the ticket to a middle-class life.

Yet it took only hours for Republicans to tear down a key part of that tradition, the requirement that all employees in a union workplace pay dues.

The swift action was the result of a decisive governor who teamed up with a supermajority of GOP allies in the statehouse to win a prize long sought by conservatives. It also provided a window into how state governments might work in an era when they are increasingly run by a single party.

Gov. Rick Snyder, a venture capitalist and corporate executive before his success-

ful run for governor in 2010, didn't bother with political niceties this week after dropping his previous objection to dealing with the right-to-work issue. He announced his support Thursday at a news conference.

Within hours, the House and Senate had introduced and approved bills prohibiting what are known as "closed shops," where workers are required to join a

union or pay fees that are equivalent to union dues as a condition of employment.

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“When he told me this morning, I about fell off my couch. I didn’t see this coming.”

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LETTERS OF THANKS

Brian Rodig Memorial Scholarship Established for Athletes in Buhl

A special thank you to the friends of Brian Rodig:

Words cannot express our gratitude for the tremendous outpouring of love we received after our beloved Brian passed away last month. Whether through phone calls, visits, food, cards, flowers or donations, your kind thoughts, prayers and support were a great comfort to our family. We feel so blessed to live in such a caring community.

The Brian Rodig Memorial Athletic Scholarship Fund for athletes in Buhl has been established with the Buhl School foundation in Brian’s honor.

With our heartfelt thanks,

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PAYTON RODIG**

(Editor’s note: Other family members signing the letter are Brandy and TJ Wetherbee, Beverly and Vern Rodig, Kim and Linda Rodig, Pam and Randy Clark and family, Dina and Brian Tadlock and family, Debbie and Pete Parker, and Myron and Kim Parker.)

Thank You to Bridgeview Estates Rehabilitation

Thank you so much. Kudos and praises go to Bridgeview Estates Rehabilitation section for the very fine professional care received while I was there a few weeks ago.

First, the dedicated aides and nurses in Jade Court (aka The Bridge) who give their all to take the very best care possible for the patients. A No. 1 example is aide Logan. She does her utmost to please you; nurses Sonny (6 a.m. to 2 p.m. shift) and Kathrina (2 p.m. to 10 p.m. shift), what a great husband and wife team.

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Thank You for Supporting Caring and Sharing Tree Festival

As the 14th annual Caring and Sharing Tree Festival came to a close, I was reminded of the amount of generosity this community offers. The people who take time to prepare trees and Christmas items and donate them to the festival are an inspiration to me. Each of you who shares your musical talents is always a very special treat. The amazing people who support our cause by purchasing items donated, oftentimes sending the items to total strangers, tells me we live in a great place.

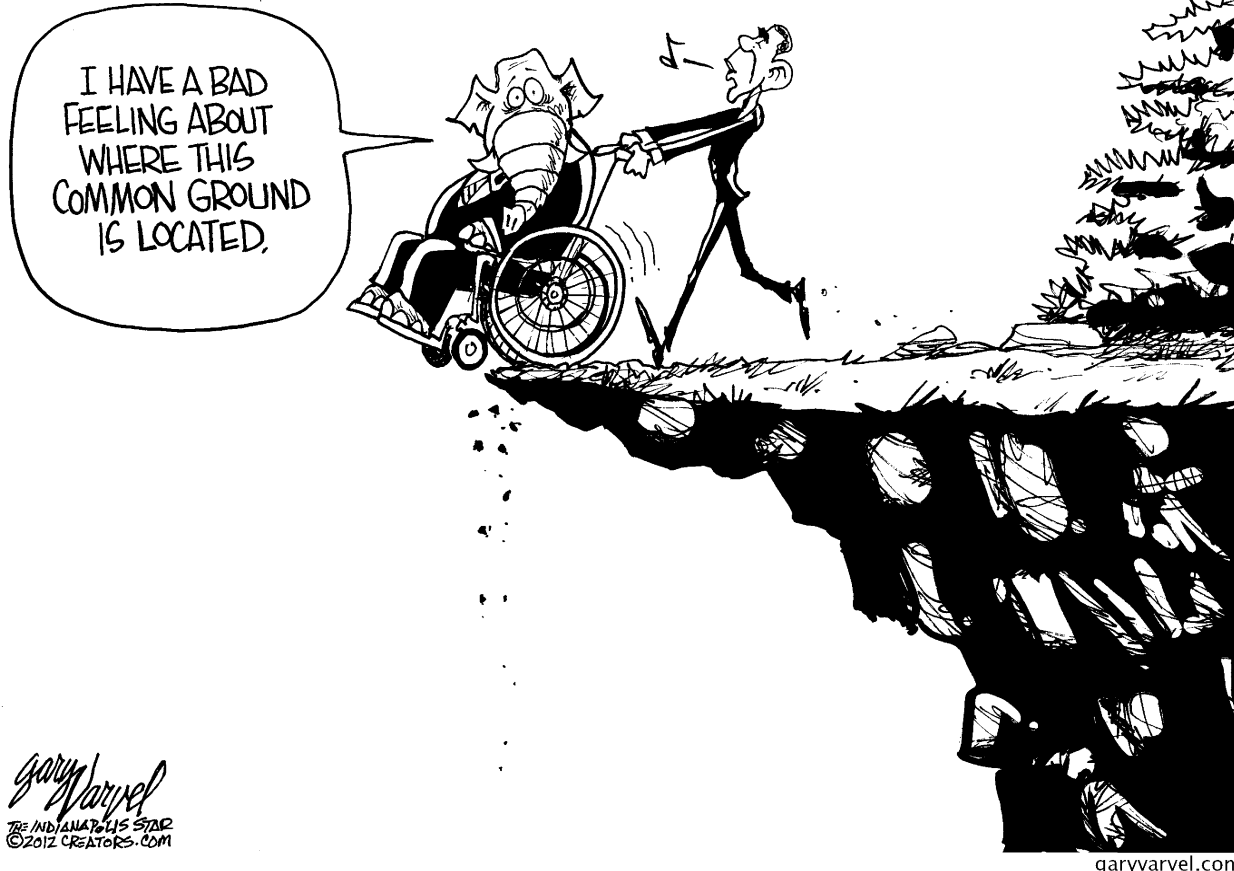
Events like this can’t happen without many volunteers that take time to help us set up and decorate the civic building. The task of delivering all the trees and Christmas items is not easy in itself.

The Rupert Rotary Club and the Kiwanis Club of Rupert have made this task seem simple. The local business community that sponsors each of the events during our four-day celebration is truly appreciated for what they are so willing to give. Even during times of financial burden, businesses step up to and help make events like this happen for all of us to enjoy.

The money raised at Caring and Sharing is used for health-related causes in Mini-Cassia. Your donations and participation have helped in many different areas, all of which make a difference in someone’s life. I admire each of you for what you do for others, and I commend you for making health in Mini-Cassia a priority.

I thank you so much for helping make the Caring and Sharing Tree Festival a successful event. Thank you again to each and every one of you that makes this a true community event. See you next year.

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CHEERS AND JEERS

CHEERS To the Idaho High School Activities Association Board of Directors, for voting Tuesday to pilot 6-man football in Idaho for the next three years. As small towns have shrunk, so has the opportunity for some schools to continue 11-man or even 8-man football programs. This initiative by the IHSAA will give kids the chance to participate in a character-building extracurricular activity, plus allow small towns across the state to continue their community-unity tradition of gathering to watch high school foot-

ball on Fridays.

JEERS to the rise in violent crime in the Magic Valley. This week, we asked the Twin Falls County Sheriff’s Office about cases of businesses selling alcohol to minors and got a surprising response. Staff Sgt. Perry Barnhill said the numbers are on the rise, but the sheriff’s office hasn’t had the time they would like for enforcement due to an increase in violent crime this year. We’ll revisit that comment in Wednesday’s paper as we look back at some of the big

crime stories this year and try to figure out if there’s a reason for the increase. Stay tuned.

JEERS to continued inaction on the Farm Bill. We’re dangerously close to seeing the 2012 Farm Bill become the 2013 Farm Bill. As we watch the calendar year about to change, those in the industry are starting to refer to the “Dairy Cliff.” According to an article on Farm Journal’s website Agweb.com, “if Congress fails to reach agreement on the pending 2012 farm bill, the 1949 permanent law will

kick in next month, leading to a recalculation of price support levels for a variety of commodities. The first of these will be the dairy price support program, which will see its levels adjust dramatically upward, in the range of \$40 per cwt. This is nearly quadruple the current price support level, and about double the present market price for dairy commodities.” Do you have an opinion on this? We’re working on a story for next week’s Ag section. Send an email to Andrew Weeks at aweeks@magicvalley.com.

LETTERS OF THANKS

Thank You to Supporters of 60 Hours to Fight Hunger

Wow! More than 2,000 turkeys and \$2,000 were collected this year for the 13th Annual 60 Hours to Fight Hunger.

Thousands of economically disadvantaged families were blessed with a Thanksgiving dinner by the generosity of this great community that we live in.

This event was made possible by our sponsors: Con Paulos, Neuhoff Communications, Falls Brand and Lee Family Broadcasting.

DJs Broc Johnson, Gina Jameson, James Rabe, Janaan James, Scotty Cameron, Kris Faux, Eddie Kincaid and Vern Lattin created the magic that brought individuals, businesses and organizations who donated turkeys, canned food and cash to help meet this year’s goal.

Our success was also made possible by the many volunteers, including CSI’s Women’s Softball and Rodeo Club, Canyon Ridge High School Basketball, Kimberly High School students, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Eastern Idaho Railroad, Renee Singer and One Wave.

Special thanks to the major donors of 100 or more turkeys include Con Paulos, Subway, Rob Green, Corvette Club,

Glanbia and Karl de Jong.

Our sincere gratitude to all the restaurants that provided great food for the volunteers, including Applebee’s, Tomatoes, KFC, Jaker’s, Subway, Maxie’s and Buffalo Wild Wings.

And a special thanks to KMVT and Fox 14 for the live news and weather coverage.

KEN J. ROBINETTE
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Thank You for Support of Harlem Ambassadors Game

The Twin Falls Optimist Club would like to send a special thank you to our “Home Town Hero” players and all the sponsors of the Harlem Ambassadors game at the College of Southern Idaho. The Optimist Club is able to help kids in the Magic Valley because of your support!

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Jerome Civic Club Says Thank You to Kathy Bartholomew

“The greatest thing we can do in life is to help our neighbors.” (Fred Rogers).

For anyone who enjoyed the Jerome Farmers Market out at Crossroads this summer, no doubt that quote is a good motto. As members of the Jerome Civic Club, we would like to thank the market director, Kathy Bartholomew.

She stepped over the threshold of a major project and truly made her market the success all enjoyed, whether as vendor or shopper. Demonstrating her strong community-minded heart, she allowed the Civic

Club, as a nonprofit, to be a part of the market and to benefit from the generous donations collected at the season-end Harvest Festival in October. So we especially want to thank you — our community businesses, neighbors and market visitors joining us at the Festival — who contributed to the goodwill cause. These funds will go back into the Magic Valley through our various projects and sponsorships. We feel so proud of your support and for coming to the market.

The civic club is the longest ongoing women’s club in Jerome, dating from 1909. Some of our activities over the years include supporting Girl’s State, CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates), the city library, and nonpartisan election-year candidates’ forums. If you wish to join in with our philanthropic community involvement and enjoy the fellowship of our monthly meetings, please consider yourself invited to the Jerome City Library from 1 to 3 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month, September through May. The address is 100 First Ave. E. We welcome your ideas and creativity. For further information, call 324-3073.

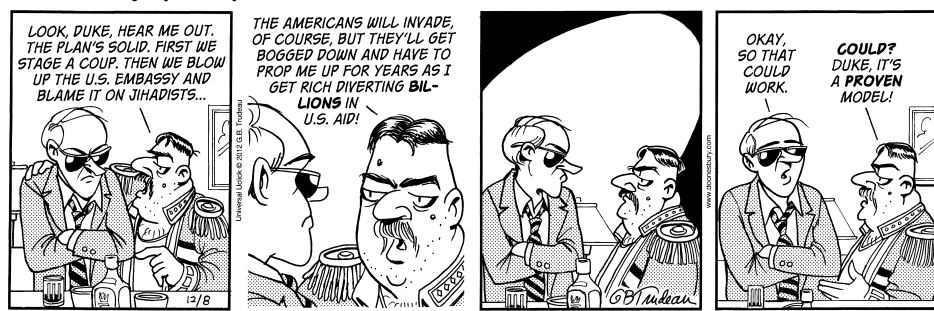
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Groups File Lawsuit over Wyo. Wolves

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP) • Environmental groups on Friday filed a third federal lawsuit challenging the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's recent move to end federal protections for wolves in Wyoming.

The Humane Society of the United States and the Fund for Animals filed the lawsuit in U.S. District Court in Washington, D.C. The groups say Wyoming's management plan classifying wolves as predators that can be shot on sight in most of the state is inadequate. They want the court to reinstate federal protections.

Two other similar lawsuits filed by environmental

groups are pending, one in the same federal court in Washington and another in federal court in Denver.

Wyoming Gov. Matt Mead has said state management is adequate to maintain set minimum wolf populations. He wants all three lawsuits moved to Wyoming.

Wyoming has committed to maintaining at least 10 breeding pairs of wolves and at least 100 individual animals outside of Yellowstone and the Wind River Indian Reservation, in the central part of the state. Wildlife managers estimated there were roughly 300 wolves outside of Yellowstone National Park, where no hunting

is allowed, when the state took over management on Oct. 1.

About 50 wolves have been killed in Wyoming since the state took over management. The state has been holding an organized hunt for wolves in a designated trophy management area bordering Yellowstone. The animals are unprotected in the rest of the state.

Ralph Henry, deputy director of litigation with The Humane Society of the United States in Washington, D.C., said Friday the groups believe the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service caved to political pressure when it accepted Wyoming's delisting plan.

Henry noted the plan is similar to one that the federal agency first accepted but then repudiated a few years ago, saying it didn't go far enough to make sure that wolves in Wyoming would maintain contact with populations in Idaho and Montana. Congress exempted wolf delisting in Idaho and Montana from legal challenges, but has extended no such protection to Wyoming.

"Fish and Wildlife Service itself previously rejected Wyoming's management plan for not managing for any form of buffer over that very minimum 10 breeding pairs and 100 wolves in the state," Henry said.

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Deal Reached over Lead-Contaminated Waste Site

HELENA, Mont. (AP) • The owner of a central Montana landfill has agreed to pay the U.S. government \$100,000 to settle a civil action over 1,600 tons of earth containing unsafe levels of lead that sat untreated and unprotected for about four years.

The settlement announced Thursday came more than three years after a federal investigation found lead levels averaging more than five times the legal limit in the waste pile at the High Plains Sanitary Landfill in Flowerree.

Roger Bridgeford, the landfill manager for owner Montana Waste Systems, said the property owner who hauled the waste to the landfill in 71 truckloads in 2005 misrepresented what it contained. The waste has since been properly treated and disposed of, Bridgeford said.

"We followed every step that the (state Department

of Environmental Quality) requires us to follow before we accept waste. We got misinformation about the waste," Bridgeford said.

The U.S. attorney's office announced the settlement with Montana Waste Systems in a court filing the day after it made its civil complaint against the company public.

Government regulators claimed the company had disposed of hazardous waste that didn't meet treatment standards, stored hazardous waste at a facility without a permit, and stored hazardous waste in a substandard waste pile.

Each charge can carry a fine of \$25,000 or more for every day the contaminated pile sat — potentially topping \$100 million in fines for that long period of time. The settlement calls for Montana Waste Systems to pay \$100,000, and the company does not admit to any wrongdoing.

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The Need of the Gospel

“Concerning [Jesus] we have much to say, and it is hard to explain, since you have become dull of hearing.” (Hebrews 5:11)



Paul Thompson
Pastor's Corner

The Christmas buzz continues to deafen humanity to the gospel. Think about this. Nearly every store you enter right now will be playing gospel driven Christmas music (at least some of the music). The gospel, being spoken in secular market places and look at the effect it has on us, very little.

He said, “Go, and tell this people, keep on listening, but do not perceive; keep on looking, but do not understand. Render the hearts of this people insensitive, their ears dull, and their eyes dim, otherwise they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts, and return and be healed.” (Isaiah 6:9-10 NASB)

How bad do we need the Gospel? Even at the age of 71, a Twin Falls man was caught shoplifting on Black Friday.

On Nov. 29, the *Times-News* reported that he stole some sheets and candy bars: Total value: \$32.54

For he who does wrong will receive the consequences of the wrong, which he has done, and that without partiality. (Col 3:25 NASB)

All of humanity is “of depraved mind and deprived of the truth” (1 Tim 6:5). All of humanity is in need of the Gospel. Why do not more people understand this great need? Because humanistic philosophies appeal to the sin nature of man the spiritual man eventually becomes “dull of hearing” (Hebrew 5:11).

As long as the church attempts to accomplish the matters of the spirit with the things of the flesh, the church should expect to reap the things of the flesh. We must be rescued from the tyranny of sin.

A.W. Tozer argues, “Sin is not only a crime that man commits against God; it is also a monster that rides humanity to exhaustion.”

Because of unrelenting, monstrous death grip sin has on humanity, we are in need of a deliverer who can rescue us from the oppression of our total depravity, our inability to do good or choose right without the aid of God. The Law of God shows that we are law breakers, always. Sin must be mastered. Death must have an executioner. Man cannot free himself from this monster. This condition of humanity requires a solution or all remain damned.

This master of sin and death must also be a native of the earth. Thus the incarnation of God was required because no mere man can do this liberating work. This is the Gospel. Thus the reason born-again believers rejoice and embrace the majestic incarnation of God (Christ.)

O God, do not remain quiet; Do not be silent and, O God, do not be still. (Psalms 83:1 NASB)

Merry Christmas!

Paul Thompson, pastor of Eastside Baptist Church in Twin Falls, may be reached at 734-7041 or paul@esbctwinfalls.com.

MISSIONARY NEWS

Beck Called to Serve Mission

BURLEY • Elder Slade Bart Beck has been called to serve a mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the New Mexico Albuquerque Mission. He will speak in sacrament meeting at 2:40 p.m. Sunday at the Star 1st Ward Chapel, and will enter the Missionary Training Center in Provo, Utah, on Wednesday.



Beck

Beck graduated from Burley High School and LDS Seminary in 2012 and has been working on the family farm since graduation. In high school, he was involved in football and FFA. He attended national competitions in FFA, where he placed second in the nation in crop production, and Student Skills Automotive, where he placed 17th in the nation. He is an Eagle Scout and the son of Bart and Danene Beck of Burley.

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.

NEXT WEEK

Puppets in Ministry

Reporter Tetona Dunlap visits the God Squad puppet and drama team in Gooding. **Next Saturday in Religion**



DREW NASH • TIMES-NEWS

North Valley Academy Charter School student Debra Bauman, back, plays cello during rehearsal for the Gooding cantata.

CANTATAS

Bringing Faiths Together to Sing the Joy of Christmas

BY TETONA DUNLAP
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BUHL • “O come, Emmanuel,” sang around 70 members of the West End Community Singers. They sat in rows Nov. 28 at the Buhl United Methodist Church, each holding a red book titled “Lead Me Back to Bethlehem.” Their voices filled the pews and rose higher and higher in unison.

Churches across the Magic Valley have rehearsed for weeks for Christmas cantatas this month that celebrate the Christmas season with songs, instruments, narrations and acting.

Never been to a cantata? Here some questions answered by music directors of four cantatas:



DREW NASH • TIMES-NEWS

Director Rick Strickland leads the choir during rehearsal for the annual Gooding community cantata Dec. 5 at the Archie D. Walker Auditorium.

What is a cantata?

“A cantata is a piece of musical creation that has various arrangements of songs, putting Scripture into music with the narration explaining the songs,” said Connie Van Kleeck, director of worship at New Life Church in Wendell.

Van Kleeck is the musical director of this year’s third annual Christmas cantata hosted by choirs from New Life Church and Living Waters Presbyterian Church in Wendell.

Rick Strickland, music director for the Gooding Community Chorale and Orchestra, described a cantata as “a collection of vocal songs.” The cantata he is directing, “A World of Christmas,” will blend choir, narration and orchestra to perform 10 songs.

“They complement each other very well,” Strickland said.

On Dec. 5, he directed a group of 80 with 60 in the orchestra and 20 in the choir. Strickland plays cello with Magic Valley Symphony and said several of his fellow musicians are playing in the cantata.

How Many Songs Are in a Cantata?

The West End Community Singers’ cantata is comprised of nine songs that tell the story of the birth of Jesus. “Lead Me Back to Bethlehem: Rediscovering the Joy, Peace, and Love of Christmas” was written by North Carolina composer Pepper Choplin.

Van Kleeck’s group is performing

“Hope of the Broken World” by Dave Clark and David T. Clydesdale, which has 11 songs.

Are Cantatas Performed By More than One Church?

and active; Dec. 15 on welcoming guests from the community; and Dec. 16 on families. Everyone welcome to any performance; after each one, refreshments served in the family center. Information: 733-4162.

In Buhl: West End Community Singers’ performances of “Lead Me Back to Bethlehem” will be at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 12 at Buhl United Methodist Church, 908 Maple St., and 3 p.m. Dec. 16 at Clover Trinity Lutheran Church, 3552 N. 1825 E. Free; donations accepted.

More Online

SEE a free gallery of more photos from the Gooding cantata. **Magicvalley.com**

WATCH a video of the West End Community Singers rehearsing their cantata “Lead Me Back to Bethlehem” at the Buhl United Methodist Church Nov. 28 in Buhl.

Members of the West End Community Singers are from various denominations — Catholic, Baptist, Mormon, Lutheran — all gathered together to perform two Christmas cantatas in Buhl.

John Ensunsa started the group in

Please see CANTATAS, R2

CHURCH NEWS

Donate Winter Items This Month

TWIN FALLS • Ascension Episcopal Church will collect gloves, scarves, hats and other warm items during December. Donations will be directed to the CSI Refugee Center and to Court Appointed Special Advocates, a volunteer program where individuals appointed by judges advocate for the safety and well-being of children.

Advent observances this week include the lighting of the second candle of Advent during worship at 8 and 10 a.m. Sunday and contemplative prayer led by Michael Johnson at 7 p.m. Thursday. "The Battle for Christmas" will be presented by Stephanie Crumrine at 9 a.m. Sunday at Ascension Cafe.

Ascension Episcopal Church is located at 371 Eastland Drive N. in Twin Falls. Regular worship and Christian education are held Sundays and Wednesdays. Information: www.episcopaltwinfalls.org or 733-1248.

Deaf Ministry Offered

BURLEY • The Mountain View Christian Center, 317 Mountain View Lane in Burley, is offering a Deaf and Hearing Impaired ministry in conjunction with its regular worship at 9 a.m. Sundays.

Anyone who knows someone who is deaf or hard of hearing is encouraged to let them know about this ministry.

Information: 678-5460.

Men Invited to Breakfast Fellowship

TWIN FALLS • Our Savior Lutheran Church, 464 Carriage Lane N. in Twin Falls, will celebrate the Second Sunday of Advent during worship at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, with Pastor Richard Samsgaard leading the service. Fellowship and refreshments will follow.

Practice for the children's Christmas program begins at 10:45 a.m. Adult Bible fellowship starts at 11 a.m.

Donations of silent auction items are on display for bidding until Dec. 16, when winners are announced. Proceeds will be used to help fund calling of a new pastor.

The children will present their Christmas program during worship at 9:30 a.m. Dec. 16.

All men are welcome to join the Men's Breakfast for fellowship and devotions at

6:30 a.m. Wednesdays at Shari's Restaurant.

The Monday Night Book Club is reading "Into the Beautiful North" by Luis Alberto Urrea. The club will meet at 7 p.m. Dec. 17. Everyone is welcome.

Information: 733-3774 or visit www.oslrf.org. Everyone is welcome.

Everyone Invited to Go Caroling

FILER • The Rev. Carol Thompson will focus on the Second Sunday of Advent for worship at 9:30 a.m. Sunday Filer United Methodist Church on the corner of Fifth and Union streets. Rachel Tilley, Grand Bethel honored queen of Job's Daughters International, will be the guest soloist.

An invitation is extended to all to go Christmas Caroling on Sunday. A bus will leave the church at 4 p.m., sing at designated care facilities or homes for about two hours, then return to the church for a variety of soups, bread and finger foods. Participants are asked to bring a goodie to share.

Information: 733-2629.

Poinsettias for Sale

TWIN FALLS • The First Presbyterian Church will celebrate the Second Sunday in Advent during worship at 10 a.m. worship Sunday. The Rev. Phil Price will speak on "Prophetic Voice," and the Hallelujah Handbells will ring "O Come, O Come Emmanuel."

A sign-up sheet will be available to order Christmas poinsettias for \$6. Deadline is Monday.

The Scotch Shop will be open after worship and Wednesday with a half-price sale on Christmas items. A \$1 bag sale will be featured Dec. 19.

Everyone is invited to join the youth for Christmas caroling at 3:45 p.m. Sunday. They will carpool to homes of members who can't be in worship during the Christmas season and return to the church for cookies and hot chocolate at 6 p.m.

The Christmas gift tag tree is in the fellowship room. Select a tag, purchase a gift, wrap it and return it to the church with tag attached no later than Dec. 16.

Donations of nonperishable food will be collected through Dec. 16. Christmas boxes will be packed Dec. 17.

The annual Presbyterian Women's Christmas Brunch will be at 10 a.m. Dec. 15 in fellowship room. The theme is

"Let Every Heart Prepare Him Room." Entertainment will be provided by the MagicChords.

Christmas Eve service will be at 8 p.m. Dec. 24 with a candlelight service. Everyone is invited.

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

Author to Hold Book Signing

TWIN FALLS • Jane Bennett Munroe will sign copies of her new book, "Too Much Blood," following the 10 a.m. worship Sunday at Twin Falls First United Methodist Church, 360 Shoshone St. E.

The United Methodist Women will hold a Christmas potluck at noon Thursday at the home of Doris Ryall, 2633 Paintbrush Drive in Twin Falls.

Information: 733-05872 or www.tffumc.com.

Public Invited to Christmas Activities

BURLEY • The First Presbyterian Church, 2100 Burton Ave. in Burley everyone to its special Christmas activities:

Christmas open house from noon to 3 p.m. Sunday at the church.

Presbyterian Women's Annual Christmas Brunch and Cookie Exchange at 10 a.m. Dec. 15.

Christmas program, "Mary Did You Know" (written and directed by Kristi Pugh), at 10:45 a.m. Dec. 16.

Christmas caroling at 3 p.m. Dec. 16, following by chili and cinnamon rolls.

Christmas Eve candlelight service, with special music by the Chancel Choir directed by Paul Pugh, at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 24.

During the Advent/Christmas season, there will be the lighting of the Advent Candle and Advent Reflections read by members of the adult Bible study.

All are welcome. Information: 678-5131.

Church to Offer Advent Dinner

BURLEY • Zion Lutheran Church will hold Advent services at 7 p.m. Wednesdays, Dec. 12 and 19 at the church on 24th Street and Miller Avenue in Burley.

The theme will be "The Angels' Message."

The church will host an Advent dinner at 6 p.m.

Dec. 19 for the community.

Students Host Live Nativity Pageant

BUHL • Clover Christian School will hold its annual Live Nativity Pageant at 6:30 p.m. Friday.

The school is trying to make viewing more comfortable this year, with outdoor heaters and a place to view the program there. Parking attendants will assist with organized parking.

About 25 students will participate in the program, along with some live animals. Pre-program entertainment will be provided by Jeana Kottraba and Steve Hadley. Snacks will be served in the gym.

Clover Christian School is at 3652 N. 1825 E. of Buhl.

Information: 326-5298.

Public Invited to Sing and Eat

GOODING • Do you like to sing carols and/or eat chili?

The three churches of the High Desert Cooperative Ministries (Methodist churches in Richfield, Shoshone and Gooding) are each hosting Christmas caroling hayrides followed by chili eating.

The events will be at 4 p.m. Dec. 15 in Shoshone, 3:30 p.m. Dec. 16 in Richfield and 4:30 p.m. Dec. 23 in Gooding.

All are welcome. Information: www.highdesertministries.com.

Make Plans to Attend Holiday Concert

TWIN FALLS • The Magic Valley Jubilee will present their fifth annual holiday spectacular Christmas concert at 7 p.m. Dec. 15 at the Roper Auditorium at Twin Falls High School.

The program features the 21-member Jubilee band, plus dancers from the Magic Valley School of Performing Arts-Dance 150. A saxophone quartet will play traditional Christmas songs in the foyer.

Tickets (available at the door) are \$5 per person and \$15 for a family.

Christmas Puppet Show

GOODING • The God Squad Puppet/Drama team will present its Christmas show, "Believe," at 6 p.m. Dec. 16 at the Gooding First Christian

Church, 334 Fourth Ave. W. "Believe" features several new Christmas songs as well as old favorites and combines elements of puppetry with black-light effects, some human drama and a few surprises all designed to encourage us to remember the real reason for Christmas, the birth of Jesus Christ.

Admission is free, but freewill offerings will be accepted to help support the team's summer ministry trip.

All are invited. Information: 934-4542.

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Cantatas

Continued from Religion 1

1983 in Castleford. "It's hard; Castleford is not that big, and you end up with a choir with eight people," Ensunsa said. "And during Christmastime everyone wants a choir."

So Ensunsa said the solution was to get everyone together and form one big choir, around 25 people, with the Castleford Baptist Church and the United Methodist Church in Castleford. Ensunsa served as the director for a couple of years until his friend Gary Heidel took over in 1989.

"Gary came back and took it to a whole new level," Ensunsa said.

Heidel has two master's degrees in chorale conducting and voice from the University of Idaho.

"It's just a good group of people; they like to sing Christmas music and it's wonderful to work with them," Heidel said. "We have just about everything — Baptist, Nazarene, Mennon-

ite — it's a really good mix."

In addition to the singing and narration, the Buhl group will be accompanied by six instruments.

"Everyone loves to sing, it brings people from different faiths together for that common cause," Ensunsa said.

Strickland said the Gooding cantata has been performed for 10 years. It started at the United Methodist Church in Gooding and as people from towns such as Shoshone, Hagerman and Wendell started to join it grew in size and denominations and faiths.

How is a Cantata Different than a Choir Performance?

"It ties it all together; you can take a group and sing a bunch of hymns to put you in the Christmas spirit, but this tells a story," Ensunsa said.

Darrin Whitaker, musical director of Bethel Temple Apostolic Church's cantata, said the message of a cantata is

emphasized by the music and reaches out to people's hearts.

What Story Do Cantatas Tell?

Three years ago Van Kleec directed a cantata called "Come to the Manager," which she said was more of a traditional Christmas story. She said this year's cantata, "Hope of the Broken World," is about why Christ came and how he was the hope of the world and is even today.

Bethel Temple's cantata, "Noel, Jesus is Born," is about the birth of Jesus and the three wise men who are looking for him, Whitaker said. Besides a choir, this

cantata has a cast of characters like the three wise men, King Herod and a shepherd.

"The choir is the main portion of the cantata, with the cast acting out scenes," Whitaker said.

How Many Cantatas Are There?

Heidel said hundreds of cantatas have been written.

"Bach wrote a Christmas cantata," Heidel said. "There were cantatas before Bach!"

He said publishers send him new cantatas every year, but the most famous was composer George Frideric Handel's "Messiah," written in 1742.

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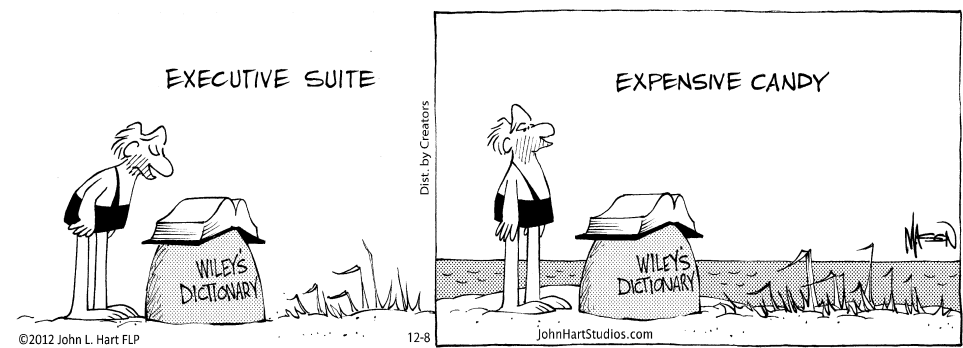
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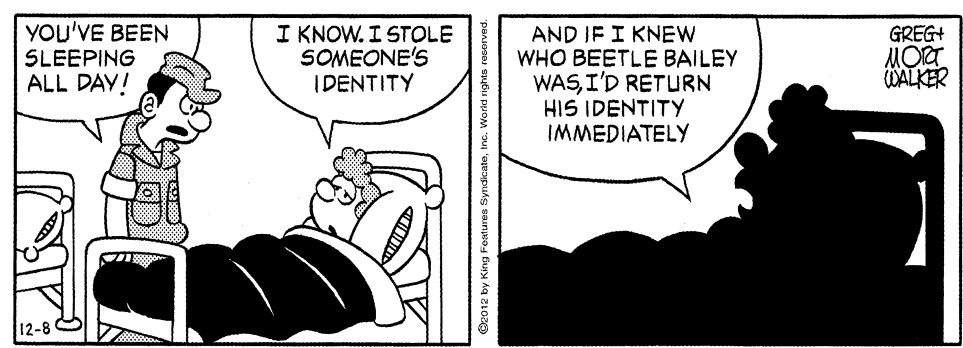
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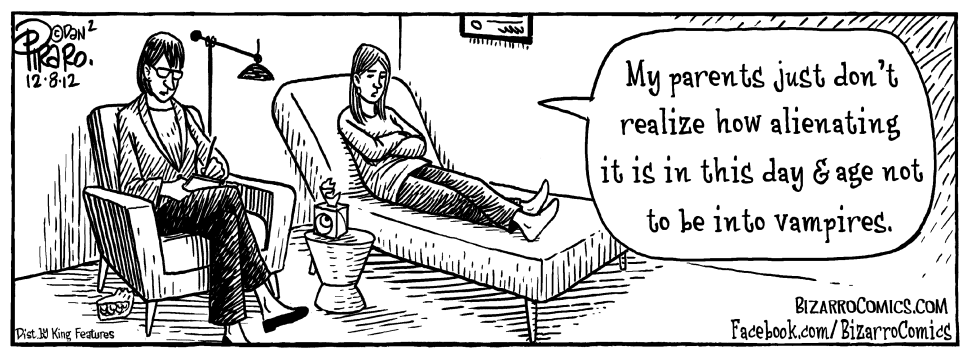
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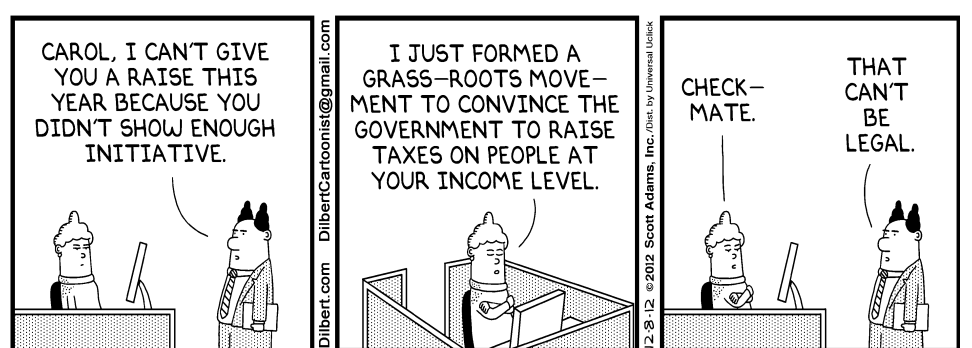
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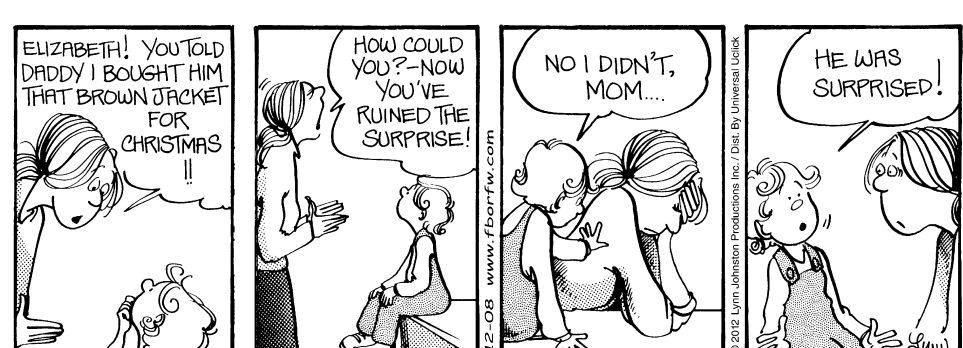
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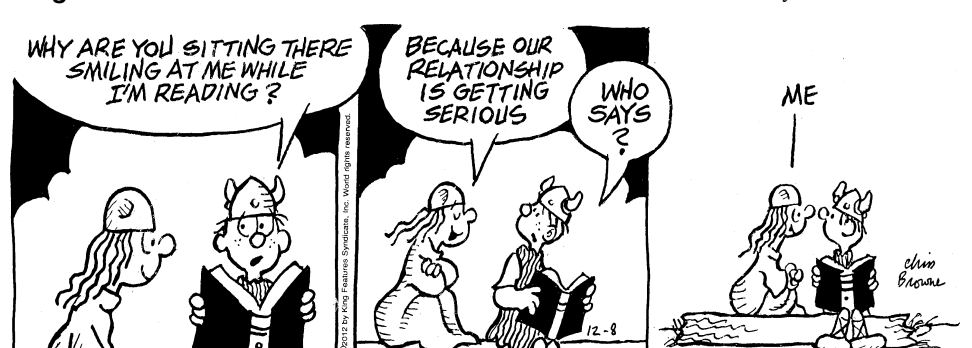
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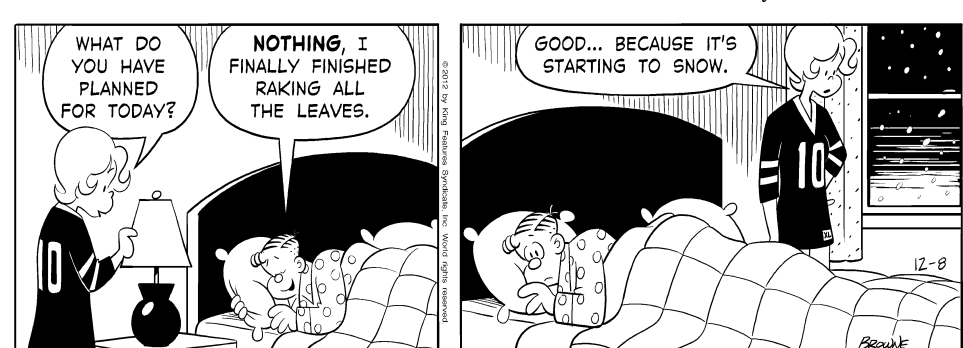
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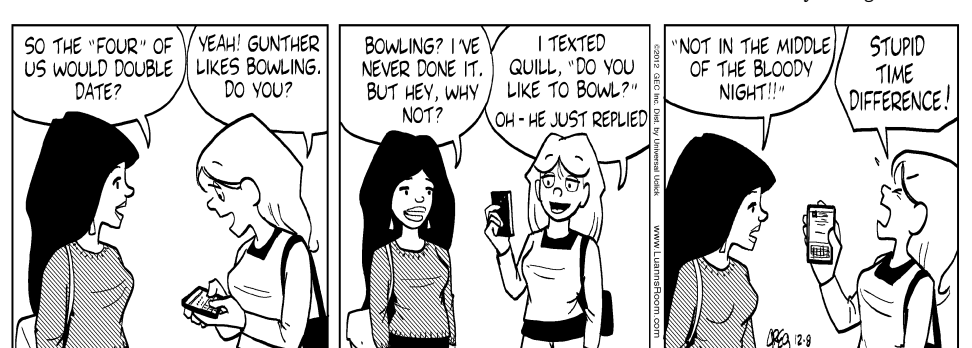
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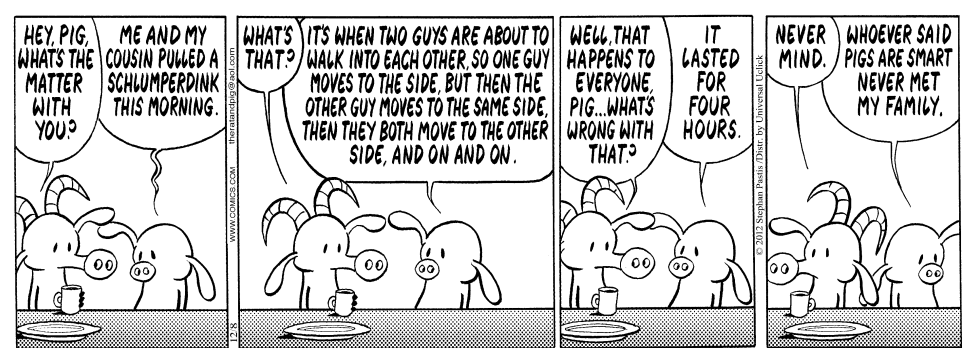
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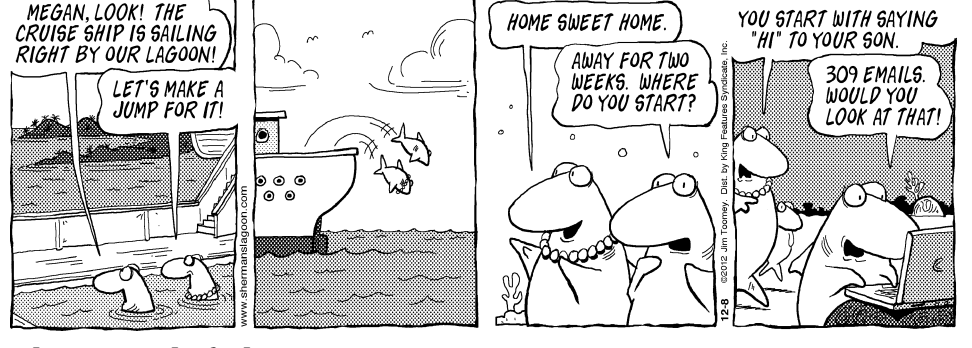
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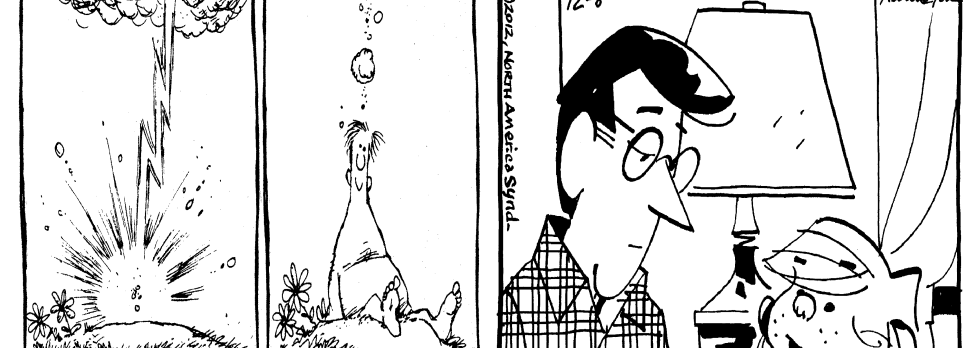
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OBITUARIES

SERVICES

Albert David Christensen of Orem, Utah, funeral at 10 a.m. today at the LDS Stake Center, 60 E. 1600 N. in Orem, Utah; visitation from 9 to 10 a.m. today at the church; interment at 3 p.m. today at the Downey Cemetery in Downey, Idaho.

Jane King of Murtaugh, funeral at 10 a.m. today at the Murtaugh LDS Church; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the church (Rosenau Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Doris (Durfee) Gibbons of Rexburg and formerly of Gooding, funeral at 11 a.m. today at the Gooding LDS 1st Ward Church, 1228 Main St. in Gooding; visitation from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. today at the church (Flamm Funeral Home in Rexburg).

Beaudine L. 'Skeet' Donaldson of Gooding, celebration of life at 11 a.m. today at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

Edith Smith Bywater of Huber Heights, Ohio, and formerly of Brigham City, Utah, and the Mini-Cassia area, funeral at 1 p.m. today at the Brigham City LDS 20th Ward Chapel, 650 Anderson Drive; visitation from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. today at the church (Gillies Funeral Chapel in Brigham City, Utah).

Maureen Hulet Rappleye of Twin Falls, funeral at 2 p.m. today at the Twin Falls LDS 6th Ward Chapel, 667 Harrison St. in Twin Falls; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the church (Farnsworth Mortuary in Jerome).

Ruth Marie Guthrie Campbell Frehner of Twin Falls, memorial service at 2 p.m. today at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 2628 Whispering Pine in Twin Falls (Serenity Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

Frances K. Dennis of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. Monday at Farmer Funeral Chapel, 130 Ninth Ave. N. in Buhl.

Lavon Pratt Hill of Jerome, graveside service at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the Lava Hot Springs Cemetery in Lava Hot Springs; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at the Cornelison Funeral Home, 431 N. 15th Ave. in Pocatello.

Jennifer Lynn (Holmes) Hansen of Moscow and formerly of Twin Falls and Hagerman, memorial service at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Trinity Lutheran Church, 1300 Lyvecker Road in Pullman, Wash.

DEATH NOTICES

Fran Tanner

TWIN FALLS • Dr. Fran Tanner, 79, of Twin Falls, died Thursday, Dec. 6, 2012, at her home.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 15, at the LDS Chapel, 667 Harrison St. in Twin Falls; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 14, at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

Richard Tundag Sr.

RUPERT • Richard Tundag Sr., 65, of Rupert, died Wednesday, Dec. 5, 2012, in Salt Lake City, Utah.

The funeral will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, Dec. 10, at the Mountain View Christian Center, 317 Mountain View Lane in Burley; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 9, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley and 9 to 9:45 a.m. Monday at the church; private family burial at a later date.

Robert Hillman

TWIN FALLS • Robert "Bob" S. Hillman, 72, of Twin Falls, died Thursday, Dec. 6, 2012, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls.

Arrangements will be announced by Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

John Arano

WENDELL • John Robert Arano, 83, of Wendell, died Thursday, Dec. 6, 2012, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Wendell Chapel.

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This undated photo released by the the Rhode Island Judiciary shows former state Supreme Court Chief Justice Joseph R. Weisberger, who died on Friday.

FORMER RHODE ISLAND TOP COURT CHIEF JUSTICE WEISBERGER DIES

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP)

Retired state Supreme Court Chief Justice Joseph R. Weisberger, who served the judiciary for 56 years and is credited with restoring public faith in the state court system after scandal, died Friday. He was 92.

Court spokesman Craig Berke confirmed Weisberger's death but said he didn't know the cause. Weisberger, who lived in East Providence, stayed active with the courts after his retirement and had done mediations for the high court until the spring, Berke said.

Gov. Lincoln Chafee issued a statement praising Weisberger for his honorable service.

"Justice Weisberger was so widely admired and respected because he embodied all that the state's highest court should be: deliberative, fair, scholarly, and seeking always and above all else clarity, justice, and truth," Chafee said.

Current Supreme Court Chief Justice Paul A. Suttell said Weisberger's legacy was carved into the state's legal community.

A graduate of Brown University and Harvard Law School, Weisberger interrupted his undergraduate studies in 1941 to join the Navy, where he served in the Pacific. When he returned, he finished at Brown, then went on to Harvard. He served briefly in the state Senate, then became a judge in 1956 at age 35.

He worked his way up to the high court, becoming

an associate justice in 1978. He was named acting chief in 1993, after Supreme Court Chief Justice Thomas Fay pleaded guilty to misusing court funds and resigned.

Fay took over in 1986 after his predecessor, Joseph Bevilacqua, resigned amid impeachment proceedings in the General Assembly, during which it was alleged he had ties to organized crime and used court employees for personal errands.

Weisberger told The Associated Press during an interview in 2001 that he faced a daunting challenge when he was first named to the job. The court's budget had been slashed by 4 percent and the legislature had lost confidence in the system.

"My objective was to restore confidence and stability in the court," he said. "It was difficult; the strain and stress were noticeable."

He was permanently appointed to the job in 1995. When he retired at age 80, Weisberger spoke with nostalgia about his time in the court system.

"I wish I could live this whole career over," he said. "I wouldn't change much."

He said he looked forward to cutting back his schedule, but he continued to do mediation work.

House Speaker Gordon Fox, an attorney, said Friday that Weisberger was respected and admired by all in the legal community.

"His integrity was without question, and his knowledge of the law was unparalleled," Fox said.

Daughter Receives Medals for Father Killed in Vietnam

BY MARTIN KIDSTON

The Missoulian

Col. Donald Singer received orders in April 1966 to Southeast Asia, where he was placed among an elite group of pilots chosen to fly jets armed with a top-secret weapons system.

The young aviator left his wife and four children at Barksdale Air Force Base in Louisiana, including his 10-year-old daughter. Four months later, the girl answered a knock at the door; a man in uniform bearing news no military family wants to hear.

"I answered the door and it was an officer — a guy in uniform," Susan Singer-Vincent said this week. "He asked for my mother. She came to the door and she knew what it was for. My mother was crying, and the guy kept looking at me. I remember that."

With a tri-folded flag tucked under her arm, Singer-Vincent accepted her father's service medals posthumously on Friday at a ceremony held in Missoula. It was also Pearl Harbor Day and Singer-Vincent's birthday.

Sen. Jon Tester, D-Mont., acquired the medals, doing what Singer-Vincent had been trying to do for years but without success. Tester read the story of Col. Singer's valor into the congressional record before passing the medals and ribbons to Singer-Vincent and her two daughters.

Singer was assigned as a B-52 electronics warfare officer at Barksdale AFB when he was tapped to fly the F-105F. Operating under code name "Wild Weasel," the jets were deployed to attack North Vietnamese surface-to-air missile batteries.

The pilot commanding the 1966 mission was Lt. Col. Joe Brand. When their F-105 went down in August, both pilots were seen ejecting by other pilots in the squadron. Brand dispatched a single-voice transmission saying he'd survived the ejection and landing.

Yet no radio calls were received from Singer, and no

further contact was made with Brand after his first transmission. The Air Force declared both men missing in action and considered the possibility they had become prisoners of war.

And so began Singer-Vincent's ache of not knowing her father's fate. The family was instructed not to discuss the MIA status of their father and husband. Yet families under similar circumstances began to speak with one other, and support groups formed.

On Christmas Day 1969, Ross Perot's organization, United We Stand, flew Elizabeth Singer and her four children to Paris to demand information from the North Vietnamese peace delegation. Singer-Vincent said her mother became deeply involved in the National POW/MIA Wives Organization. She campaigned for an accurate accounting of American MIAs and for better treatment of POWs.

The years rolled by and Singer-Vincent grew up without her father, wondering his fate. She attended college at the University of Montana and was in Jesse Hall when the phone rang in 1977. The family learned that Col. Singer's parachute never fully opened when he ejected. He was buried in North Vietnam, not far from where he was shot down. Lt. Col. Brand, she said, was likely found and shot by the North Vietnamese.

When the Wall That Heals arrived in Missoula this year, Singer-Vincent visited the half-scale Vietnam memorial at the UM campus. She spoke to several vets who were also there, and one of them helped her enlist Tester's help.

She and her daughters held the long-sought awards on Friday. They included a Purple Heart and a Bronze Service Star for national defense, along with service in Vietnam. There was an Air Force Commendation Medal, a Presidential Unit Citation, and a Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with a palm ribbon.

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World War II Plane Recovered from Lake Michigan

WAUKEGAN, Ill. (AP) • A World War-II era plane has been recovered from the bottom of Lake Michigan, where it has been for nearly 70 years.

The plane crashed during aircraft-carrier training near Waukegan on Dec. 28, 1944. The FM-2 "Wildcat" fighter went down in about 200 feet of water in an accident blamed on engine failure. Crews recovered it Friday.

The Naval Aviation Museum Foundation sponsored the recovery. The foundation wants it to eventually go on display in the Chicago area.

More than 17,000 pilots completed the training in Lake Michigan. That included World War II pilot and future president, George H. Bush.

The aircraft carriers used for the training docked at Chicago's Navy Pier. The pilots flew from Glenview Naval Air Station in Glenview.



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A diver monitors a World War II-era aircraft on Friday in Waukegan, Ill., as crews lift it onto shore during its recovery from the bottom of Lake Michigan, where it has been for nearly 70 years.

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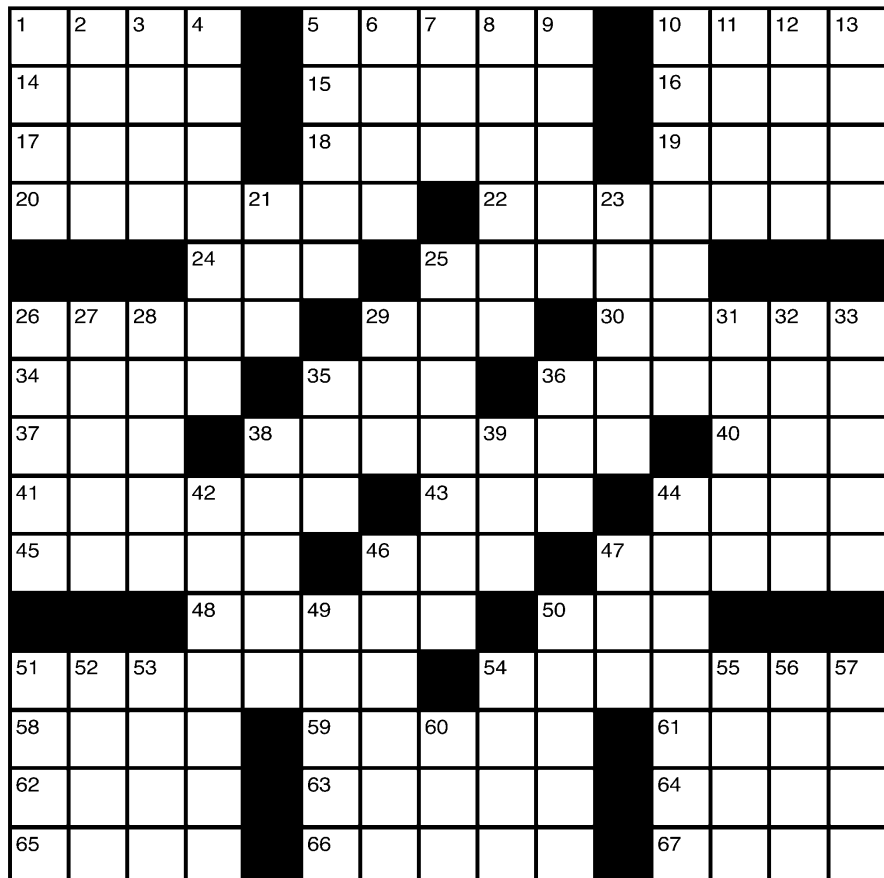
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 - 5 Lopsided
 - 10 Fundamentals
 - 14 Tiny land in the sea
 - 15 Lowest point
 - 16 Swat
 - 17 Long-running quarrel
 - 18 Hand protector
 - 19 Wild feline
 - 20 Haphazard; unpredictable
 - 22 Spookiest
 - 24 Even score
 - 25 Car racer Al ___
 - 26 Mexican Indian
 - 29 Mornings, for short
 - 30 Chooses
 - 34 Deuce or joker
 - 35 Afternoon rest
 - 36 Old & forgetful
 - 37 Hurry
 - 38 In name only
 - 40 Pass away
 - 41 Rubber end of a pencil
 - 43 Traitor
 - 44 Give to a borrower
 - 45 Arrange
 - 46 Look at
 - 47 Attracts; tempts
 - 48 ___ about; praises wildly
 - 50 1/60 of a min.
 - 51 Actor ___ Sheen
 - 54 Spotted cat
 - 58 Part of the ear
 - 59 Largest city in Nebraska
 - 61 American Beauty, e.g.
 - 62 Region
 - 63 Allowed by law
 - 64 Fastener that gets hammered
 - 65 Shopper's destination
 - 66 Skillful
 - 67 Mild cheese



Created by Jacqueline E. Mathews 12/8/12

- DOWN**
- 1 Small flute
 - 2 ___-friendly; easy to learn
 - 3 Run one's words together
 - 4 Gave Valium to
 - 5 Ms. Dickinson
 - 6 Powder
 - 7 Wedding words
 - 8 ___ up; energizes
 - 9 Pines & palms
 - 10 Common pain pill
 - 11 Melancholy
 - 12 Rotating pieces
 - 13 Argument
 - 21 Facial twitch
 - 23 Fight off
 - 25 Baseball officials
 - 26 Muscle cramps
 - 27 African nation
 - 28 "Trick or ___!"
 - 29 Milne's initials
 - 31 Apple drink
 - 32 Actor Kevin
 - 33 Kernels
 - 35 Conjunction
 - 36 Made a lap
 - 38 Katmandu's nation

- Friday's Puzzle Solved**
- 3 Run one's words together
 4 Gave Valium to
 5 Ms. Dickinson
 6 Powder
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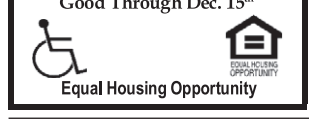
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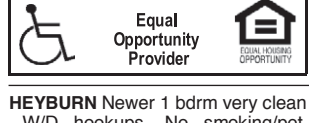
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The three bears came back from the duplicate club, and as they came through the door, Goldilocks could see that a free and frank exchange of views had been taking place. Tactfully, she waited until Papa Bear had a large glass of mead in front of him before asking how the game had gone.

In response, he produced the following 52-card diagram:

Against four hearts the defense led the spade jack, then 10, ruffed. Papa Bear drew trump, then took the diamond finesse and complained about his bad luck — he would have made if trumps had been 3-3 or he could have played the diamond suit for three tricks without loss.

When Goldilocks consoled him for his bad luck, Mama chimed in that she thought she had been even unluckier. She ruffed the second spade and immediately played the diamond ace and a diamond to the jack. Meantime, West won and played a third diamond, ruffed by East. There was still a club to lose.

At this point Baby Bear, who had been hopping up and down trying to get a word in edgewise, told Goldilocks how he had played the hand. He had pitched a club on the second spade, then ruffed the third spade, and had crossed to the heart ace to lead a diamond to the jack at once. Now he was safe, since he could ruff the fourth spade in dummy and cross to his club ace to draw trump.

NORTH 12-8-A
 ♠ 9 8 5
 ♥ A 6
 ♦ A 7 6 4
 ♣ K 8 5 2

WEST
 ♠ J 10 6 4
 ♥ 8 4
 ♦ Q 10 9
 ♣ J 10 9 4

EAST
 ♠ A K Q 7 2
 ♥ 10 9 3 2
 ♦ 8 2
 ♣ Q 7

SOUTH
 ♠ 3
 ♥ K Q J 7 5
 ♦ K J 5 3
 ♣ A 6 3

Vulnerable: North-South
 Dealer: West

The bidding:
 South West North East
 Pass Pass Pass 1 ♠
 2♥ 3♠* 4♥ All pass
 *Pre-emptive

Opening lead: Spade jack

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12-8-B

South holds:
 ♠ 3
 ♥ K Q J 7 5
 ♦ K J 5 3
 ♣ A 6 3

South West North East
 2♥ Pass 1♠ Pass
 ? ? 3♦ Pass

ANSWER: Tempting as it might be to use Blackwood, you are a long way short of a decent slam if partner has a minimum hand. A simple raise to four diamonds is irreproachable; you should also be able to bid four clubs as a cue-bid for diamonds. (If you had hearts and clubs you would just bid three no-trump now.) Either way, if partner does not cooperate, you can settle for five diamonds.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolff," contact kay19072@aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, email him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com.

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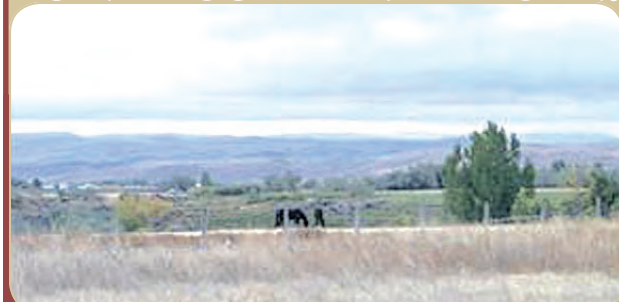
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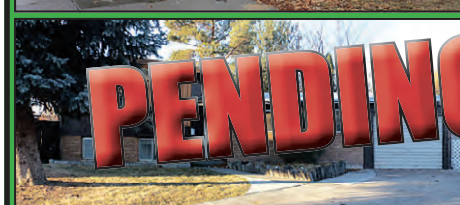
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244 Mountain View East, JEROME
 Great 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with lots of sq. footage in Big Little Ranches, plus sunroom & work area. MLS#98503854
 Host Kathy Partridge 420-0064
\$249,500

Directions: Hwy 93, left on Golf Course Rd, right into Big Little Ranches to Silver Beach, north on Mtn. View FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 12-2 PM

488 Hunter Avenue, Twin Falls
 Perfect family home! Bring the kids! MLS#98508297
 Host Jamie McDowell 320-2233
\$141,500

Directions: From Park Avenue, turn south on Harrison, west on Hunter FOLLOW SIGNS



OPEN HOUSE • 1-3 PM

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 6 bedrooms, 2 baths, updated with appliances. MLS#98508290
 Host Michelle Carpenter 410-1836
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Directions: Between Filer and Addison on Madison FOLLOW SIGNS

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NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE

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NOTICES

101 Lost and Found

LOST Red Heeler between Rupert & Paul. 3 mos old, mostly white with red ears, blue collar. **208-431-1481**

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 3 meetings each week in The First Presbyterian Church Building, 209 5th Ave N on Mondays at 12 noon & Weds 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 & 1 Street Monday, Thursday, 8pm.
Paul, 2220 E. Ellis-Weds., 12 noon Call **208-670-4313**

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**

CRYSTAL METH ANONYMOUS
 Monday & Friday, 6:30pm.
 109 E. Main, Burley.
878-CLUB or 312-4590

Family Support Group Meetings
Twin Falls: Thursday, 7-8:30pm at Canyon Ridge HS Seminary Bldg., 1470 Park View Dr.
 Phone-in Groups: 1-877-453-7266 ID# 0702

LDS Addiction Recovery Program
BURLEY: Friday, 7:00-8:30pm at the Burley West Stake Center, 2420 Park Ave.

TWIN FALLS: Wed., 7:00-8:30pm at the Twin Falls HS Seminary Bldg., 457 Maurice St. North.
 Phone-in Groups: 1-877-453-7266 ID# 0702

Live & Let Live 12-Step Meeting
 Opened Freedom Hall
 171 Blue Lakes Blvd S., Twin Falls
 Meetings Daily Noon-1pm.
 Sunday-Thursday 7-8pm
Call John 208-420-1400

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
 Sunday-11am-12:30pm
 Sunday-7pm
 Monday-Ladies only, 6-7:30pm
 Monday-8pm
 Tuesday-7pm
 Wednesday-7-8:30pm
 Thursday-7pm
 Friday-7pm
 Saturday-7pm
220 East Ellis, Paul
 Saturday-9pm
1230 J St., Heyburn
MCANA Meeting info
208-438-4935

OSTOMY SUPPORT GROUP
 Meeting 2nd Tuesday of every month 7-9pm at St. Luke's new hospital in the Oak #1 Conference Room.
801 Poleline Road W, Twin Falls
Carolyn 208-420-9101 or Carol 208-423-5447

OVERCOMERS OUTREACH
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Get In The Habit!
Read the Classifieds Every Day

106 Special Notices

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OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS
12 Step - Twin Falls Group
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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., 208-734-2641
ID #0395 Twin Falls Tues, 8:30am, 1338 N. College Rd (in the Library)

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202 Clerical

CLERICAL
 Ag-Business seeking FT secretary. Responsibilities include, but not limited to: Data, Excel & QB entries. Cattle/Ag related background a plus!
Email resume to: millenkampcattle@gmail.com

204 Drivers

DRIVER
Feed Truck Driver. Malta location. **Call Shawn at 208-731-0895**

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

205 Education

EDUCATION
 Kimberly School District needs a substitute school bus driver. Application and job description at www.kimberly.edu or by calling Cathy at 423-4170 x3308.

206 Farm

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Today is Saturday, Dec. 8, the 343rd day of 2012. There are 23 days left in the year. The Jewish Festival of Lights, Hanukkah, begins at sunset.

Today's Highlight:
On Dec. 8, 1941, the United States entered World War II as Congress declared war against Japan, a day after the attack on Pearl Harbor.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this date:
In 1776, during the Revolutionary War, Gen. George Washington's retreating army crossed the Delaware River from New Jersey into Pennsylvania.

In 1854, Pope Pius IX proclaimed the Catholic dogma of the Immaculate Conception, which holds that Mary, the mother of Jesus, was free of original sin from the moment of her own conception.

In 1886, the American Federation of Labor was founded in Columbus, Ohio.

In 1914, "Watch Your Step," the first musical revue to feature a score composed entirely by Irving Berlin, opened in New York.

In 1949, the Chinese Nationalist government moved from the Chinese mainland to Formosa as the Communists pressed their attacks.

In 1961, a fire at Hartford Hospital in Connecticut resulted in 16 deaths. The Beach Boys' first single, "Surfin'," was released.

In 1962, the first session of the Second Vatican Council was formally adjourned. Typographers went on a 114-day strike against four New York City newspapers.

In 1972, a United Airlines Boeing 737 crashed while attempting to land at Chicago-Midway Airport, killing 43 of the 61 people on board, as well as two people on the ground; among the passengers who died were Dorothy Hunt, wife of Watergate conspirator E. Howard Hunt, U.S. Rep. George W. Collins, D-Ill., and CBS News correspondent Michele Clark.

In 1980, rock star John Lennon was shot to death outside his New York City apartment building by an apparently deranged fan.

In 1982, a man demanding an end to nuclear weapons held the Washington Monument hostage, threatening to blow it up with explosives he claimed were inside a van. (After a 10-hour standoff, Norman D. Mayer was shot dead by police; it turned out there were no explosives.)

In 1987, President Ronald Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev signed a treaty at the White House calling for destruction of intermediate-range nuclear missiles.

In 1992, Americans got to see live television coverage of U.S. troops landing on the beaches of Somalia as Operation Restore Hope began (because of the time difference, it was early Dec. 9 in Somalia).

Ten years ago: Iraq's massive dossier detailing its chemical, biological and nuclear programs arrived in New York; the U.N. Security Council agreed to give full copies to the United States and the four other permanent council members: Britain, France, Russia and China.

Five years ago: The Justice Department and CIA announced a joint inquiry into the spy agency's destruction of videotapes of interrogations of two suspected terrorists. Talk show host Oprah Winfrey publicly endorsed Barack Obama for president during appearances in Des Moines and Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Skiers, fire-eaters and an ice sculptor joined in worldwide demonstrations to draw attention to global warming. Florida quarterback Tim Tebow became the first sophomore to win the Heisman Trophy.

One year ago: Former MF Global CEO Jon Corzine was called before Congress to explain the collapse of the securities firm just over a month earlier; Corzine told the House Agriculture Committee he didn't know what happened to an estimated \$1.2 billion in missing clients' money. The 161-day NBA lockout ended when owners and players ratified the new collective bargaining agreement.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

101 Lost and Found

FOUND mens wedding band inscribed "Charlie and Waynette" at Filer ponds. **208-420-2568**

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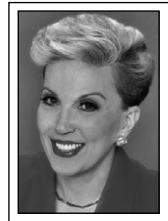
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DEAR ABBY: I am a 41-year-old female working on my associate's degree in paralegal studies. Most people I know tell me I'm attractive, and I do get some second looks from men, but there is one thing I think — although I'm not sure — that scares them away. I am disabled.

I dress well, am an average weight for my height, independent-minded, although not quite independent physically. I get around on crutches.

I live with my parents. I enjoy and participate in physical



DEAR ABBY
Jeanne Phillips

activities. I don't have a lot of friends, which is fine with me, but I do have a number of special ones. I try to make the best of my disability, and everyone I know, even strangers, tell me I do well and admire me for my courage and strength.

I should be happy with that, but sometimes it bothers me that I haven't found one man who can see past whatever it is that keeps them from liking me. I know a number of grumpy, unhappy, ungrateful women who abuse the men in their lives, and sometimes I can't help but wonder at how "blind" their partners are.

I am not desperate. I like my alone time. But it's a big, beautiful world out there, and I'd like to share it with someone.

— AT A LOSS IN OHIO

DEAR AT A LOSS: You need to widen your circle of acquaintances. Once you have completed your studies and have more time, make it your business to join local and state groups associated with your profession. While some people may be put off by your disability, not everyone will be. Many people with physical disabilities have romantic lives and good marriages to partners who see past their disabilities and recognize all of the things they CAN do.

P.S. I know I have said this before, but you should also consider volunteering some of your time to a cause that interests you because it's a great way to meet people.

DEAR ABBY: Last night I received a call from my almost-5-year-old granddaughter asking me for Santa Claus' phone number. It seems she is very angry at her daddy for calling her a brat because she wouldn't give him a hug. She wants to tattle on her daddy to Santa.

Her parents are not together. Her daddy's involvement has been only within the last year. She seemed very upset about the incident, and I want to make sure "Santa" gives her a good answer. I asked her to write a letter instead of phoning Santa to give me time for an answer. Did I do the right thing?

— GRANDMA T., PACIFIC GROVE, CALIF.

DEAR GRANDMA T.: Yes. Once your granddaughter has written the letter to Santa you may find that she no longer dwells on what happened. However, if she continues to look for a reply, "Santa's" response should be that her daddy was hurt when she refused to give him a hug because daddies need love just as little girls do. But name-calling is wrong, no matter how old you are, and he shouldn't have called her a brat — which is why he'll be getting a lump of coal in his stocking at Christmas.

TO MY JEWISH READERS: The eight days of Hanukkah begin at sundown. (I cannot believe how early it has fallen this year.) Happy Hanukkah, everyone. A joyous Festival of Lights to all of you!

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

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Twin Falls, ID 83301

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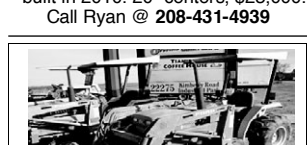
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705 Farm Equipment

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816 Miscellaneous

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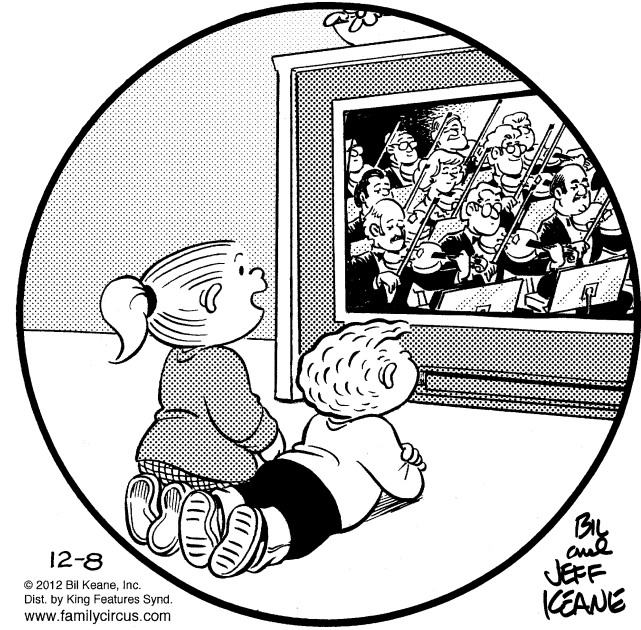
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By Dave Green

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5	7	6	3	8	1	4	2	9
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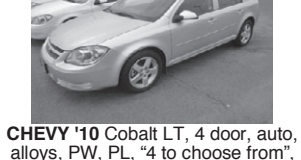
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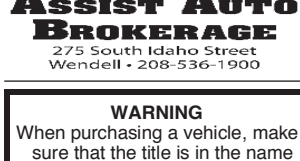
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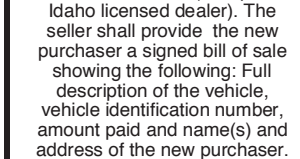
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CSI (97)
Alford 5-7 3-4 12, Reid 3-9 2-5 9, Storey 8-11 3-4 21, Ritchie 1-1 0-0 2, Reader 6-10 1-7 13, Paige 5-13 1-2 14, Johnson 1-4 2-2 5, Esume 1-1 0-8 2, Newman 3-12 5-6 11, Rosette 1-2 1-2 3, Michineau 0-3 5-6 5. Totals 34-73 21-41 97.
Halftime: CSI 49, TVCC 25. 3-point goals: TVCC 2-10 (Fletcher 0-3, Willis 0-1, Campbell 1-2, Livingston 1-2, Mattox 0-2); CSI 8-17 (Reid 2-5, Storey 2-3, Paige 3-4, Johnson 1-2, Rosette 0-1, Michineau 0-2). Rebounds: TVCC 27 (Willis 7), CSI 58 (Newman 16). Assists: TVCC 7 (Fletcher 3); CSI 21 (Paige 7). Turnovers: TVCC 25, CSI 18. Team fouls: TVCC 25, CSI 21.

CSI Men Blow Out Treasure Valley

NICK RULAND
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TWIN FALLS • Despite exhibiting its normal dominance over an inferior opponent, the College of Southern Idaho men's basketball team's 97-57 win against Treasure Valley Community College (Ore.) was subtly amiss.



The Golden Eagles (10-2) were coldly efficient on both ends of the court, once again creating a bevy of turnovers, snagging long rebounds and turning them into easy points. There were dunks by Montigo Alford, Jaysean Paige and Juwan Newman, and the typical suffocating perimeter defense buoyed at times with multiple rotations to the 3-point line. There were offensive rebounds and penetration by the three guards — Alford, Kareem Storey and Sebastian Michineau.

But in its first contest since losing forward Jon Pulsifer for the season to knee surgery, there was a certain helpful haphazardness, controlled chaos, missing from a game in which the Golden Eagles were a point a minute better than their foe.

"We are going to miss what Jon (brought)," point guard Kareem Storey said. "He is 6-foot-2 but he played like he is 6-foot-10. He would rebound like a big man, finish like a big man and get out on the break like a guard."

Despite coach Steve Gosar and his team's collective lamentations of the loss of perhaps the team's most effective per-minute role player off the bench, CSI has plenty of guys who can replicate at least some of the plays Pulsifer made — though they're unlikely to spend as much time sliding across the hardwood.

On Friday, it was Darius Johnson. The swingman, arguably the most versatile wing for CSI, was actually unimpressive by statistical measures. He tallied just one steal and four points.

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Memorial at SLU Honors Rick Majerus Page S2.

NBA Roundup: Gay Leads Grizzlies Past Hornets Page S3.

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College Report Information Requested. The Times-News is looking for information on former area high school athletes competing in fall sports at the collegiate level. Please email information to sports@magicvalley.com no later than Dec. 12 for inclusion in the fall college report, which will be published Dec. 15-16. Information must be independently verifiable to be included in the report.

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Jerome's Savannah Lott (11) is defended by Burley's AnnGee Wayment during their girls basketball game Friday at Jerome High School.

DEFENSE KEYS BURLEY'S WIN AT JEROME

BY RYAN HOWE
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JEROME • Seven different Burley players scored and the Bobcats won the rebounding margin, but all coach Roger Caresia wanted to talk about after his team's 38-21 road victory over Jerome on Friday was defense.

And for good reason. Burley held Jerome to one point in the first quarter, two points in the third, and five in the fourth. The Bobcats forced the Tigers into 21 turnovers and 16 percent shooting from the field.

"Our defense was fantastic," Caresia said. "We've been preaching to the girls since the first of practice, if we want to get where we want to go, we have to play defense. I think we've got some girls who are starting to buy into that."

Burley, which won its fourth game in a row, improved to 7-2 overall and is tied for first place in the Great Basin Conference with Twin Falls at 3-0.

Burley junior Chelsea Baker led all scorers with 10 points, and senior Aubrie Vale followed with eight. Freshman Kortney Hutchison — all 5-foot-5 of her — grabbed a game-high

Burley 38, Jerome 21

Burley	11	14	8	5	-38
Jerome	1	13	2	5	-21
BURLEY (38)					
Hutchison 3, Robins 2, Vale 8, Wayment 6, Baker 10, Carpenter 2, Bowers 7. Totals 11 12-18 38.					
JEROME (21)					
Grove 3, Prategitzer 4, Green 7, Kelley 2, Bright 5. Totals 5 9-14 21.					
3-point goals: Burley 4 (Baker 2, Vale, Wayment), Jerome 2 (Grove, Green). Total fouls: Burley 16, Jerome 19. Fouled out: Green. Technical fouls: Burley, bench.					

seven rebounds. Jerome (5-3, 2-1), which ended its five-game winning streak, matched its lowest scoring output of the season.

"Our toughness got challenged tonight," said Jerome coach Scott Burton. "We got punched in the mouth and we rolled over. Our effort wasn't there tonight. You've got to give a lot of credit to Burley, they D'ed us up and they wanted it more than we did."

The Bobcats were aggressive from the get-go and jumped out to a double-digit lead in the first quarter.

"It was a physical game, so it makes the offense not very smooth," said

Please see **BURLEY, S2**

What Future Awaits for Femme Football Phenomena?

I'm a news junkie. While I generally consider this a good thing, it does mean I have a penchant to spend a lot of time chewing on bad news and giving myself unnecessary anxiety imagining my loved ones in similar scenarios. I can't help it. My brain insists on inserting my cast of characters into the world's movies.

To offset that tendency, I try to ruminate on positive stories when I can. Recently I've been pondering Sam Gordon, the peewee football player whose highlight reel proves she more than competes with the boys. In fact, the video her father compiled and posted to YouTube proves she blows them out of the water.

Thanks to Miss Gordon, young ladies itching to play football have a plucky new

Rachel Gattuso
The Female Perspective



role model. Her story has been featured on Good Morning America, has surfaced in USA Today and the Huffington Post, and she was even interviewed on SportsCenter. Most notably, she's now the first female football player to grace the famous orange Wheaties box.

This young lady is a brilliant footballer. In case you haven't seen the video, she both dishes out and takes the tackles, breaks from the pack as if on wheels and is no stranger to the end zone. Sister has one speed: fast forward.

Please see **GATTUSO, S4**

CSI Volleyball Signs Borah Standout

BY DAVID BASHORE
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TWIN FALLS • The College of Southern Idaho has secured its first piece for the defense of its national volleyball championship.

The Golden Eagles signed Borah High School standout Jaidyn Blanchfield to an NJCAA National Letter of Intent, CSI coach Heidi Cartisser confirmed Friday.

At 5-foot-10 but with exceptional jumping ability, Blanchfield may be reminiscent of another CSI middle blocker, redshirt Kaylee Holmstead. Blanchfield can play outside or in the middle, Cartisser said Friday.

Blanchfield was a double-double machine at Borah, hitting a triple-double of 12 kills, 10 blocks and 15 digs in August against

Capital, according to Borah's volleyball website. She was named first-team all-Southern Idaho Conference last month, though the Lions didn't make the state tournament.

Blanchfield is the fifth player CSI has in the projected fold for next season. The other four are current freshmen Braiden Johnston and Milica Zmiric, as well as Alexandria Johnson and Alyssa Povey, who both redshirted this season. Holmstead has a year of junior college eligibility remaining but is not expected to return.





RYAN HOWE/TIMES-NEWS

Burley's Brooke Bowers takes the ball to the hoop during the Bobcats' 38-21 Great Basin Conference win against Jerome Friday at Jerome High School.

Burley

Continued from Sports 1

Caresia. "Everybody is holding off screens and it was a bump and grind."

Jerome didn't catch a break until it began matching Burley's physical play. Once they did, the Tigers rattled off a 10-0 run to cut their deficit to two with 1:45 left in the second quarter.

But Burley responded with a quick 9-0 rally to finish the half, capped by AnnGee Wayment's half-court buzzer beater to give

the Bobcats an 11-point halftime advantage.

"That felt pretty good to turn to the Jerome fans, not going to lie," Wayment said.

After the break, Burley continued to grind away defensively, limiting the Tigers to seven second-half points.

"This will test the character of our girls, to see how they respond," Burton said.

Both teams have non-conference contests up next, as Burley travels to Skyline on Tuesday and Jerome hosts Elko, Nev., on Wednesday.

LOCAL ROUNDUP

TIMES-NEWS

TWIN FALLS • The Twin Falls girls basketball team has won more than it's lost for the first time this season.

Playing a tough out of conference schedule put the Bruins in an early hole, but Friday's 49-35 win over Minico moved them to 4-3 on the year and, more importantly, 3-0 in the Great Basin Conference.

Mikayla Harris scored 13 points for Twin Falls, while Kaitlyn Merritt scored 12 and Haley Hutchinson added 10. Minico was led by 10 points from Rebecca Child.

The Bruins are next in action when they host Jerome on Dec. 18.

TWIN FALLS 49, MINICO 35

Minico	10	5	10	10	-35
Twin Falls	14	12	8	15	-49

MINICO (35)
Mendoza 2, Bailey 8, Noble 2, Binahgm 2, Preat 3, Child 10, May 8. Totals 17 0-3 35.

TWIN FALLS (49)
Meyenhoefter 2, Merritt 12, Robertson 4, Hutchinson 10, Swafford 1, Harr 7, Harris 13. Totals 18 10-18 49.
3-point goals: Minico 1 (Preat); Twin Falls 3 (Merritt 2, Harr). Total fouls: Minico 16, Twin Falls 4. Fouled out: Slusser.

CANYON RIDGE 50, WOOD RIVER 42

HAILEY • Zoe Strauss scored 17 and Canyon Ridge outlasted Wood River down the stretch.

Sydney Tidwell scored a game-high 21 while Ciceley Peavey added 10 for the Wolverines (1-7, 0-3 Great Basin). They visit Kimberly on Tuesday.

Canyon Ridge	4	18	10	18	-50
Wood River	9	8	11	14	-42

CANYON RIDGE (50)
Strauss 17, Sagers 7, Packham 7, Miller 6, King 5, Coleman 4, Joslin 2, Stenger 2. Totals 18 13-19 50.

WOOD RIVER (42)
Tidwell 21, Belloli 7, Peavey 10, Andrade 4. Totals 14 12-22 42.

3-point goals: Canyon Ridge 1 (Strauss); Wood River 1 (Belloli). Total fouls: Canyon Ridge 19, Wood River 19. Fouled out: none.
1-7, 0-3, at Kimberly on Tuesday.

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN 57, SHO-BAN 49

JACKPOT, Nev. • Brooklyn Vander Stelt had 13 points and 15 rebounds as Lighthouse Christian won the first-round game at a tournament in Jackpot.

Mikayla Albers scored 12 points and had six rebounds for the Lions (1-2), who play for the tournament title this afternoon.

Sho-Ban	14	4	15	16	-49
Lighthouse Christian	16	20	8	13	-57

SHO-BAN (49)
Tapi 2, Savannah 10, Courtney 20, Kyree 4, Jawana 4, Angel 5, Alisha 4. Totals unavailable.

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (57)
Barker 1, van Vliet 9, Priddy 9, Griffith 8, Vander Stelt 13, Bekrov 5, Albers 12. Totals 22 13-16 57.
3-point goals: none. Total fouls: Sho-Ban 24, Lighthouse Christian 11. Fouled out: Kyree, Liv, Angel.

BUHL 38, VALLEY 26

BUHL • Kali Archibald

scored 12 and Buhl rode a big first half to the win.

The Indians (2-6) led 21-7 at the half and cruised home from there.

Buhl hosts Minico today.

Valley	4	3	10	9	-26
Buhl	13	8	4	13	-38

VALLEY
Buschhorn 8, Mussmann 2, Henry 4, Elorietta 8, Benavidez 4. Totals 9 8-24 26.

BUHL
Archibald 12, Bowman 5, Bohling 3, A. Morse 5, N. Morse 9, Amoth 2, Lively 2. Totals 12 8-13 38.
3-point goals: Buhl 2 (Bowman, A. Morse). Total fouls: Valley 16, Buhl 20. Fouled out: Lively.

HAGERMAN 57, RAFT RIVER 22

HAGERMAN • Larissa Knight had a balanced all-around game with a team-high 16 points, five steals and five assists for the 8-0 Pirates.

Megan Bean was also in double figures with 15 points followed by Aly Sauer with 11. Lauren Schumann led the Trojans with eight points.

Raft River hosts Grace tonight. Hagerman is at Gooding on Tuesday.

Raft River	1	3	5	13	-22
Hagerman	6	17	27	7	-57

RAFT RIVER (22)
Adams 6, Hitt 6, Schumann 8, Whittaker 2. Totals 8 6-11 22.

HAGERMAN (57)
White 6, Knight 16, Owsley 4, Bean 15, Regnier 5, Sauer 11. Totals 19 9-15 57.
3-point goals: Hagerman 10 (Knight 3, Bean 3, White 2, Sauer 2). Total fouls: Raft River 13; Hagerman 10. Fouled out: none.

CAREY 46, OAKLEY 22

CAREY • Jaide Parke and Morgan Parke combined for 33 of the 46 points scored by the Panthers.

Jaide Parke scored a team-high 19, with Morgan Parke tossing in 14. For the Hornets, Gretchen Hale had seven points.

Carey (4-3) hosts Challis tonight. Oakley is at Declo on Monday.

Oakley	6	2	10	4	-22
Carey	15	17	9	5	-46

OAKLEY (22)
Martin 4, Palmer 5, Critchfield 2, Hale 7, Lind 2, Cranney 2. Totals 10 2-8 22.

CAREY (46)
J. Parke 19, Rivera 5, Koudelka 2, Zarate 5, Cenarrusa 1, M. Parke 14. Totals 18 3-4 46.
3-point goals: Carey 7 (J. Parke 5, Rivera, Zarate). Total fouls: Oakley 10, Carey 10. Fouled out: none.

GLENNS FERRY 47, WENDELL 41

GLENNS FERRY • Karli McHone led the Pilots in the win with 30 points, including five 3-pointers.

Hannah Lancaster scored a team-high 21 points for Wendell.

Wendell is at Buhl on Tuesday. Glenns Ferry (4-2) hosts Hagerman on Thursday.

Boys Basketball SHELLEY 58, JEROME 53

SHELLEY • Jerome senior

Eric Gratzter had 17 points and nine boards, and Simon Espinoza chipped in 14 in the loss to the Russets.

"We felt like we did a nice job on (McKay) Cannon, who is headed to Weber State, limiting him to only 10 points," said Jerome coach Joe Messick.

Jerome (2-1) travels to Mountain Home on Tuesday.

Jerome	9	13	15	16	-53
Shelley	18	15	9	16	-58

JEROME (53)
Smith 7, Thomas 5, Silver 4, Gratzter 17, Espinoza 14, Hope 6. Totals 19 10-14 53.

SHELLEY (58)
Fredrickson 14, Schmitt 4, G. Nelson 14, Leckington 7, C. Cannon 2, T. Nelson 7, M. Cannon 10. Totals 17 16-22 58.
3-point goals: Jerome 5 (Espinoza 4, Thomas); Shelley 8 (Fredrickson 2, G. Nelson 2, Leckington 2, M. Cannon 2). Total fouls: Jerome 19; Shelley 13. Fouled out: Smith.

CAREY 60, OAKLEY 50

CAREY • Jordan Dilworth and Nate Adamson both scored 16 to lead Carey to the win.

Sheldon Hansen and Francisco Gamino both had 10 for the Panthers (2-2), who outscored Oakley in every quarter.

Trey Elquist had 16 points to lead Oakley, while Gerrit Wybenga had 12.

Carey visits Butte County on Tuesday.

Oakley	12	10	15	13	-50
Carey	13	13	18	16	-60

OAKLEY (50)
Elquist 16, Alves 3, Marchant 10, Andrew 3, Wybenga 12, Sagers 6. Totals 20 6-16 50.

CAREY (60)
Dilworth 16, Hansen 10, Adamson 16, Whitworth 6, Baird 2, Gamino 10. Totals 24 9-17 60.
3-point goals: Oakley 4 (Elquist 2, Alves, Andrew); Carey 3 (Hansen 2, Dilworth). Total fouls: Oakley 18, Carey 17. Fouled out: Wybenga.

KIMBERLY 45, CANYON RIDGE 40

KIMBERLY • Riley Carlton scored 16 as Kimberly picked up its first win of the season.

Cody Gates scored a game-high 20 for Canyon Ridge, which went just 7-for-21 from the foul line.

Kimberly (1-4) hosts Gooding next Friday.

Canyon Ridge	7	14	6	13	-40
Kimberly	17	6	6	16	-45

CANYON RIDGE (40)
Burke 3, Bastian 3, Bishop 5, Gates 20, Summers 3, Sims 2, Teske 6. Totals 16 7-21 40.

KIMBERLY (45)
Carlton 16, Nebeker 2, Cress 9, HoChee 5, Hatch 4, Ray 7, Lentz 2. Totals 13 16-20 45.
3-point goals: Canyon Ridge 1 (Gates); Kimberly 3 (Carlton 3). Total fouls: Canyon Ridge 24, Kimberly 24. Fouled out: Gates.

SHO-BAN 66, LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN 54

JACKPOT, Nev. • Luc Fadness and Erick Helman each had 11 points and Ridge Reid followed with 10 in the Lions loss to the Chiefs in a Jackpot tournament.

Lighthouse Christian will play for third place today.

Sho-Ban	19	6	24	17	-66
Lighthouse Christian	14	12	17	17	-54

SHO-BAN (66)
Bache 2, Graves 20, Edmo 13, Jake 2, Samora 18, Silk 11. Totals 30 1-7 66.

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (54)
Bosma 3, Fadness 11, Aardema 2, Helman 11, Reid 10, Firth 3, Lee 2. Totals 21 8-14 54.
3-point goals: Sho-Ban 5 (Samora 3, Graves, Silk); Lighthouse Christian 4 (Helman 2, Berndt, Bosma). Total fouls: Sho-Ban 9, Lighthouse Christian 11. Fouled out: none.

HANSEN 52, MURTAUGH 36

HANSEN • Seth Williams was the leading scorer for the Huskies with 18 points in the win. Devon Fitzsimmons backed that up with 11 points, 13 rebounds and six assists.

Murtaugh senior Troy Baynes led all players with 24 points.

Hansen (1-3) hosts Dietrich tonight. Murtaugh is at Jackpot on Thursday.

Murtaugh	8	11	11	6	-36
Hansen	15	12	15	10	-52

MURTAUGH (36)
Miranda 5, T. Baynes 24, K. Baynes 7. Totals 14 4-3 36.

HANSEN (52)
Stimpson 4, Williams 18, Fitzsimmons 11, Arevalo 6, Denney 2, Lasso 5, Urie 6. Totals 23 4-11 52.
3-point goals: Murtaugh 4 (T. Baynes 3, Miranda); Hansen 2 (Williams, Lasso). Total fouls: Murtaugh 7; Hansen 8. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: Hansen, bench.

GOODING 54, WENDELL 45

WENDELL • Carter Flora scored a game-high 23 points in the Senators' win over the Trojans.

Taylor Kimmes tossed in 15 for Gooding, while Alex Swainston led Wendell (0-2) with 13 points.

Wendell hosts Glenns Ferry tonight. Gooding is at Hagerman on Wednesday.

Gooding	13	10	11	20	-54
Wendell	15	16	4	10	-45

GOODING (54)
Boeger 5, Rison 4, Kast 2, Kimmes 15, Flora 23, Arkood 5. Totals 20 14-24 54.

WENDELL (45)
Hope 3, Egbert 7, Villagomez 3, Bowers 2, Vander Hult 4, Swainston 13, Rocha 2, Lancaster 5, Sandoval 6. Totals 16 4-8 45.
3-point goals: Wendell 9 (Egbert 3, Swainston 3, Villagomez, Hope, Lancaster). Total fouls: Gooding 12; Wendell 19. Fouled out: none.

Wrestling

Declo 58, Jackson 27
Declo 43, Madison 39
Declo 59,
Blackfoot JV 28
Declo 45,
Bonnevile JV 39
Individual bouts not reported.

Bowling

BOYS
Canyon Ridge 13, Burley 0
High bowler: Quaintance (CR) 229.

Canyon Ridge 12, Minico 1
High bowler: Quaintance (CR) 229.

GIRLS
Burley 13, Canyon Ridge 0
High bowler: Kiara (B) 187.

Minico 13, Canyon Ridge 0
High bowler: Wolker (M) 185.

CSI Men

Continued from Sports 1

"He did a lot of things that won't show up in the box score," Gosar said.

The kinds of plays Pulfifer, an extra possession-creator, would often make. While Pulfifer was beginning to show up big on the score sheet — he had 31 points and 17 rebounds in his second to last game — Johnson was making heady plays through much of the (somewhat) competitive portions of the contest. Johnson's advance passing, and ability to pivot the team from defense to offense was key.

"He and Kareem were big for us tonight," Gosar said.

With Alford nursing a sore heel that has limited his practice time, Storey continued his upward trend, spiking the line graph with his best game of the season with 21 points on just 11 shots, while tossing

out four dimes. Gaining the trust of the coaching staff to run the offense, Storey showed why he was once a coveted guard coming out of Baltimore, knocking down threes while getting into the lane and spinning off a series of one-handed no-look passes. The key: just two turnovers.

The only downside to the win was free throw-shooting, as the Golden Eagles went 21-41 from the stripe. Centers Billy Reader and Kennedy Esume were a combined 1-15.

"I take a lot of pride in that, and we are disappointed," Reader. "But yeah, if there was any game to miss some that would be it."

Gosar indicated that there would be extra suicides waiting for the most conspicuous free throw missing culprits on Monday.

CSI will play Peninsula College tonight.

Utah State's Berger Hopes to Play Again

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SALT LAKE CITY • A Utah State basketball player who nearly died after collapsing during practice Tuesday said he should be able to play again.

Danny Berger collapsed during practice in Logan and fell into cardiac arrest. The team's trainer revived him using a defibrillator.

Doctors have inserted a tiny defibrillator in his chest in case his heart stops again. Because of that, his left arm must stay in a sling for three weeks. After that, doctors say he should be cleared to play again.

"If everything goes right, it seems like I'll have a full recovery," the 22-year-old Berger said Friday during a press conference.

Tests show that playing basketball shouldn't be a problem for Berger, whose heart has two to three extra beats, said Dr. Jared Brunch of the Intermountain Medical Center. When he does play again, doctors will be monitoring the heart remotely via the defibrillator.

Berger will be released from the hospital today and

plans to go to Utah State's night game against Western Oregon.

Berger was upgraded Thursday to "fair" condition and moved out of the intensive care unit at a Salt Lake City area hospital. He has been in critical condition since being flown there by helicopter Tuesday.

This was the first time Berger has spoken to the media since the collapse.

Utah State basketball coach Stew Morrill also spoke for the first time Friday, saying his visits with Berger have been emotional.

"I'm an old bird. I don't know if I'm a tough old bird, but I'm definitely an old bird and things like this are hard. The fact that he's doing so much better has made it bearable. It's emotional," Morrill said.

Morrill discussed those visits as his team prepared to play Saturday against Western Oregon — the Aggies' first game since Berger collapsed. Longtime Utah State assistant athletic trainer Mike Williams is credited with saving Berger's life after he went into cardiac arrest.

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ST. LOUIS • Kwamain Mitchell recalled the first time Rick Majerus visited his home, trying to recruit him to Saint Louis. Mitchell's mother made a big meal and after a plate Mitchell was full.

Majerus wasn't, took a look at Mitchell and said, "With that body you can eat three or four more plates."

Hundreds of people turned out at Chaifetz Pavilion on the SLU campus Friday to honor the Billikens basketball coach who died Dec. 1 of heart failure at the age of 64. He was remembered fondly, with speakers describing him as funny but passionate, exacting but caring, and a coaching genius who got the best out of his players both on and off the court.

Large photographs near the front showed the rotund coach surrounded by young men a foot taller, working the sidelines, seated on a stool patiently teaching attentive players. Dozens of plays drawn up by Majerus, scribbled in marker on white paper, encircled the room, a practice gym where Majerus spent countless hours passing on his basketball knowledge.

Interim coach Jim Crews, whose team is 5-3 so far this

Memorial at SLU Honors Rick Majerus



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A photo of Saint Louis University men's basketball coach Rick Majerus with his players sits in front of mourners during a memorial service the coach, Friday, in St. Louis.

season, said Majerus has made a mark that has resonated through the sport.

"His fingerprint is all over college basketball," Crews said. "Everywhere you go, there he is."

Majerus demanded effort both in the classroom and on the court. Two of his SLU players, Brian Conklin and Kevin Lisch, were academic all-Americans.

His success on the court was impressive, too — a 517-216 record in 25 seasons, just one of which had a losing record. He had 15 20-win seasons and two 30-win sea-

sons. He led Utah to the 1998 NCAA finals and took 12 teams to the NCAA tournament, winning at least one game in all but one of those appearances.

Milwaukee-born Majerus played on the freshman team at Marquette and got his coaching start as an assistant under Al McGuire in 1971. He was head coach at Marquette from 1983-86, Ball State from 1987-89, Utah from 1989-2004 and, after a few years working as an ESPN commentator, Saint Louis for the past five seasons.

His biggest success was at

Utah: A 323-95 record with 10 conference championships in 13 seasons. Three of his Utah players were first-round NBA draft picks.

At SLU, Majerus turned around a program in a decade-long decline. He brought in players from outside the U.S. and got the most out of overlooked prospects, his teams known for their gritty defense. Majerus was 95-69 and led the Billikens to the third round of the NCAA tourney last season, the team's first appearance in the tournament since 2000.

SCOREBOARD

Odds NCAA FOOTBALL

Table with columns: Today, FAVORITE, OPEN TODAY, Q/U, UNDERDOG. Lists various football games and odds.

NCAA BASKETBALL

Table with columns: FAVORITE, LINE, UNDERDOG. Lists various basketball games and lines.

BOXING

Table with columns: FAVORITE, LINE, UNDERDOG, LINE. Lists boxing matches and odds.

Basketball NBA STANDINGS

Table with columns: EASTERN, ATLANTIC, CENTRAL, WESTERN, SOUTHWEST, NORTHWEST, PACIFIC. Lists NBA team standings.

THUNDER 114, LAKERS 108

L.A. LAKERS (108) World Peace 13-4-8, Jamison 4-11-12-9, Howard 9-17-27-33, Duhon 5-8-0-14, Bryant 11-24-9-10-35, Morris 0-3-0-0-0, Hill 1-4-0-2, Meeks 4-8-7-8-17, Ebanks 0-3-0-0-0. Totals 36-84-25-110.

BULLS 108, PISTONS 104

Chicago (108) Deng 6-15-3-16, Boozer 12-19-0-24, Noah 12-19-6-7-30, Beinnelli 6-13-22-16, Hinrich 4-5-3-4-13, Robinson 1-8-0-0-2, Gibson 12-2-2-4, Butler 11-1-2-3. Totals 43-82-17-21-108.

DETROIT 104

Prince 4-8-2-13, Maxwell 25-2-4-6, Monroe 6-13-12-13, Singler 1-6-0-0-2, Knight 6-1-6-7-21, Stuckey 7-12-8-24, Drummond 3-3-1-2-7, Maggette 1-2-1-2-3, Villanueva 6-9-0-15. Totals 36-70-24-31-104.

CHICAGO 108

Chicago 26 24 28 30 - 108 Detroit 30 25 19 30 - 104 3-Point Goals—Chicago 5-14 (39.3%), Beinnelli 2-6 (33.3%), Robinson 3-3 (75.0%), Villanueva 3-5 (60.0%), Stuckey 2-3 (66.7%), Maggette 0-1 (0.0%), Foulred Out—None.

CAVALIERS 73, TIMBERWOLVES 91

CLEVELAND (73) Gee 7-12-0-16, Thompson 3-7-0-0-6, Varejao 2-10-0-4, Pargo 2-9-1-25, Gibson 2-7-0-5, Zeller 2-6-1-15, Sloan 4-11-12-10, Miles 5-12-1-13, Jones 0-1-0-2, Casspi 2-6-0-0-5, Samurcay 1-2-2-2, Walton 0-2-0-0-0. Totals 30-87-6-9-73.

MINNESOTA 91

Kirilenko 4-5-0-0-8, Love 10-19-14-18-36, Pekovic 0-3-4-4-4, Rihour 6-12-0-12, Lee 1-5-4-6-2, Siemianski 0-3-0-0-0, Shved 3-8-1-3-7, Howard 1-4-0-0-2, Barea 3-5-2-2-10, Cunningham 2-6-2-6, Totals 30-70-27-35-91.

CLEVELAND 73

Cleveland 16 21 20 16 - 73 Pistons 19 22 25 91 - 91 3-Point Goals—Cleveland 7-24 (Miles 2-5, Gee 2-6, Sloan 1-2, Casspi 1-3, Gibson 1-4, Walton 0-2, Pargo 0-2), Minnesota 4-19 (Barea 2-3, Shved 0-4, Foulred Out—None. Rebounds—Cleveland 49 (Varejao 4), Minnesota 18 (Rihour 7). Total Fouls—Cleveland 24, Minnesota 17. A—17-42 (22/20).

76ERS 95, CELTICS 94

BOSTON (94) Pierce 9-24-8-12-27, Bass 0-1-2-2-2, Garnett 7-11-3-14-17, Rondo 2-4-0-0-2, Rivers 7-12-11-4, Wilcox 2-3-0-0-4, Lee 2-4-0-0-5, Sullinger 0-2-0-0-0, Green 6-12-4-4-19. Totals 35-81-18-25-94.

PHILADELPHIA (95)

Thurmond 10-26-4-26, Thyoung 7-18-3-17, Allen 2-5-4-4-8, Holiday 7-18-12-15, Richardson 5-13-3-13, Moultrie 0-3-0-0-0, Wright 0-5-2-2-2, Hawes 5-10-0-10, Wilkins 11-2-4-4. Totals 37-99-19-26-95.

BOSTON 94

Philadelphia 28 22 20 19 - 94 Philadelphia 28 22 20 19 - 95 3-Point Goals—Boston 6-22 (Green 3-5, Lee 1-2, Terry 1, Pierce 1-8), Philadelphia 2-11 (Turner 2-3, Wright 0-3, Richardson 0-5), Foulred Out—Holiday, Rebounds—Boston 6-2 (Rondo 1-3), Philadelphia 6-0 (Thyoung 1-2, Assists—Boston 24 (Rondo 14), Philadelphia 19 (Turner 5). Total Fouls—Boston 23, Philadelphia 26. Technicals—Philadelphia defensive three second. A—17-42 (20/32).

GRIZZLIES 96, HORNETS 89

MEMPHIS (96) Gay 10-18-6-28, Randolph 7-13-1-15, Gasol 5-11-33-13, Miller 1-1-2-7, Allen 4-1-0-6, Arthur 1-2-0-2, Ellington 0-2-2-2, Bayless 12-2-2-5, Spengler 11-0-0-2, Ponderick 6-6-0-1-6. Totals 36-72-16-22-96.

NEW ORLEANS (89)

Henry 4-6-3-4-12, Anderson 5-13-2-15, Lopez 1-6-0-0-2, Vasquez 2-6-0-0-1, Mason 3-4-0-0-8, Rivers 7-13-0-15, Roberts 6-7-0-2-13, Thomas 0-0-0-0-0, Smith 7-14-0-0-14, Miller 1-2-2-4. Totals 35-81-8-9.

MEMPHIS 92, PACERS 89

NEW ORLEANS 17 22 27 25 - 96 Memphis 17 22 27 25 - 96 3-Point Goals—Memphis 8-17 (Ponderick 4-4, Gay 2-5, Bayless 1-1, Conley 1-4, Randolph 0-1, Ellington 0-2), New Orleans 8-16 (Anderson 3-7, Mason 2-3, Roberts 1-1, Henry 1-0, Rivers 1-2, Miller 0-2), Foulred Out—None. Rebounds—Memphis 48 (Gasol 9), New Orleans 36 (Smith 5). Assists—Memphis 23 (Conley 9), New Orleans 22 (Vasquez 8). Total Fouls—Memphis 17, New Orleans 16. A—13-698 (17/88).

TODAY'S SCHEDULE:

Table with columns: COLLEGE MEN'S BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S BASKETBALL, HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL, COLLEGE FOOTBALL, ON TV, BOXING. Lists various sports events and times.

Fools—Houston 14, San Antonio 10, A-18-581 (18/77).

BOBCATS 93, BUCKS 108

CHARLOTTE (93) Kidd-Gilchrist 4-4-3-6-11, Mullens 3-4-0-0-6, Hayward 0-4-1-2-1, Walker 8-13-0-1-16, Taylor 10-2-2-4, Byombo 17-0-2-2, Gordon 3-9-2-2-8, Sessions 2-6-4-4-8, Henderson 6-10-6-7-19, Diop 3-4-0-0-6, Williams 3-4-0-3-8, Warrick 2-6-0-4-4. Totals 38-82-19-23.

MILWAUKEE (108)

Daniels 7-11-18, Sanders 4-8-0-0-8, Udoh 1-4-4-4-6, Jennings 5-16-4-5-15, Ellis 3-11-7-9-13, Lamb 3-6-0-0-6, Ilyasova 17-2-2-2, Mbah a Moute 3-6-3-9-5, Daltrow 2-4-0-4, Gooden 0-4-2-2-2, Pryzbilla 0-0-0-0-0, Harris 2-4-0-4, Henson 13-0-2-2, Totals 38-94-26-32-108.

CHARLOTTE 93

Charlotte 20 20 21 32 - 93 Milwaukee 20 21 28 22 - 108 3-Point Goals—Charlotte 13-33 (Williams 2-2, Henderson 1-1, Walker 0-1, Gordon 0-4, Taylor 0-5), Milwaukee 6-14 (Daniels 3-3, Ilyasova 2-3, Jennings 1-5, Lamb 0-1, Ellis 0-1, Gooden 0-1), Foulred Out—None. Rebounds—Charlotte 55 (Kidd-Gilchrist 11), Milwaukee 66 (Ilyasova 12), Assists—Charlotte 19 (Walker 6), Milwaukee 20 (Jennings 8). Total Fouls—Charlotte 23, Milwaukee 17. Technicals—Charlotte defensive three second. Flagrant Fouls—Haywood, A—13-71 (18/77).

WARRIORS 109, NETS 102

GOLDEN STATE (109) Barnes 2-5-2-2-6, Lopez 12-24-2-2-30, Ezeli 0-4-0-0-0, Curry 10-19-3-3-28, Thompson 5-11-0-13, Biedrinis 0-0-0-0-0, Jack 7-12-0-1-5, Jenkins 2-4-0-0-4, Green 3-9-0-0-6, Bazemore 0-0-0-0-0, Landry 3-4-1-7. Totals 46-90-81-109.

BROOKLYN (102)

Wallace 3-18-1-3, Humphries 13-22-4, Blatche 8-13-4-9-22, Williams 8-22-5-6-23, Johnson 12-23-4-4-32, Telesnoff 0-2-0-0, Stackhouse 2-7-0-5, Bogans 0-1-0-0-0, Watson 2-5-0-0-6, Evans 1-1-0-0-2, Childress 0-1-0-0-0, Brooks 0-1-0-0-0. Totals 37-87-17-23-102.

GOLDEN STATE 109

Brooklyn 31 32 19 20 - 102 Golden State 24 31 29 25 - 109 3-Point Goals—Golden State 9-19 (Curry 5-9, Thompson 3-7, Jack 1-1, Barnes 0-1, Ezeli 0-1), Brooklyn 11-33 (Johnson 4-9, Watson 2-3, Williams 2-0, Blatche 1-1, Wallace 1-3), Stackhouse 1-4, Telesnoff 0-1, Bogans 0-1, Childress 0-1, Foulred Out—None. Rebounds—Golden State 47 (Lee 15), Brooklyn 55 (Blatche 15), Assists—Golden State 24 (Jack 8), Brooklyn 23 (Williams 8). Total Fouls—Golden State 21, Brooklyn 13. Technicals—Curry, Golden State defensive three second. A—17-42 (17/22).

HAWKS 104, WIZARDS 95

WASHINGTON (95) Wallace 3-18-1-3, Singleton 3-7-1-2-7, Okafor 3-5-0-6-6, Price 2-6-0-0-6, Beal 5-12-2-2-4, Morrow 2-3-0-0-5, Jenkins 4-5-0-0-4, Livingston 0-1-0-0-0, Seraphin 9-16-1-2-12, Martin 3-6-0-0-8, Barron 0-0-0-0-0, Otis 3-7-9-16-20-95.

ATLANTA (104)

Stevenson 5-11-0-15, Smith 9-20-4-7-23, Horford 7-11-0-14, Teague 8-22-3-19, Harris 5-11-3-4-15, Williams 4-5-0-0-9, Paez 1-2-2-4, Morrow 2-3-0-0-5, Jenkins 4-5-0-0-4. Totals 41-82-19-10-104.

Washington 19 22 30 24 - 95 Atlanta 31 23 26 24 - 104 3-Point Goals—Washington 7-16 (Martin 2-3, Beal 2-4, Price 2-5, Webster 1-2, Crawford 0-2), Atlanta 10-26 (Stevenson 5-11, Harris 2-3, Williams 1-1, Morrow 1-1, Smith 1-2, Paez 0-1), Foulred Out—None. Rebounds—Washington 40 (Seraphin 7), Atlanta 58 (Smith 15), Assists—Washington 22 (Teague 6), Atlanta 23 (Teague, Harris 6), Total Fouls—Washington 17, Atlanta 19. A—13-067 (18/29).

Footbal NFL STANDINGS

Table with columns: AMERICAN, EAST, SOUTH, NORTH, WEST. Lists NFL team standings.

WEST

Table with columns: W, L, T, Pct, PF, PA. Lists NFL team records.

EAST

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SOUTH

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Sam Houston State at Montana State GOLF

3:30 a.m. TGC — European PGA Tour, Nelson Mandela Championship, third round 1:30 p.m.

TGC — Ladies European Tour, Dubai Ladies Masters, final round (same-day tape) 2 p.m.

NBC — Franklin Templeton Shootout, second round 6 p.m.

TGC — PGA Tour Australasia, Australian Open, final round 11 p.m.

TGC — Asian Tour, Thailand Championship, final round 7:30 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL 10 a.m.

CBS — Arkansas at Michigan ESPN2 — Portland at Kentucky 11 a.m.

ROOT SPORTS NW — TCU at Tulsa 7:30 p.m.

Twin Falls Christian at Treasure Valley 5 p.m.

Twin Falls at Filer 7:30 p.m.

Dietrich at Hansen Grace at Raft River Glenns Ferry at Wendell Minico at Hillcrest 9:30 a.m.

Twin Falls Christian at Treasure Valley 6 p.m.

Grace at Raft River 6:30 p.m.

Challis at Carey 7:30 p.m.

Minico at Buhl Shoshone at Gooding 9 a.m.

Declo at North Fremont Duels, Ashton Gooding, Oakley, Twin Rivers, Dietrich at Marsh Valley Tournament, Arimo Jerome, Minico, Twin Falls, Wood River at Buck's Bags Duels, Boise 6 p.m.

ESPN — Wisconsin at Marquette NBCSN — N. Iowa at George Mason 6 p.m.

ESPN2 — Arizona at Clemson NBCSN — Villanova at Penn 7 p.m.

ROOT SPORTS NW — Valparaiso at New Mexico 8 p.m.

ESPN2 — Illinois at Gonzaga MIXED MARTIAL ARTS 6 p.m.

FOX — UFC, welterweights, Mike Swick (15-4-0) vs. Matt Brown (17-11-0); welterweights, B.J. Penn (16-8-2) vs. Rory MacDonald (13-1-0); light heavyweights, Mauricio Rua (21-6-0) vs. Alexander Gustafsson (14-1-0); champion Benson Henderson (16-2-0) vs. Nate Diaz (16-7-0), for lightweight title NBA BASKETBALL 6 p.m.

WGN — New York at Chicago Las Vegas Bowl Boise State (10-2) vs. Washington (7-5), 1:30 p.m.(ESPN) Monday, Dec. 24 Hawaii Bowl At Honolulu SMU (6-6) vs. Fresno State (9-3), 6 p.m.(ESPN) Wednesday, Dec. 26 Little Caesars Pizza Bowl At Detroit Central Michigan (6-6) vs. Western Kentucky (7-5), 5:30 p.m.(ESPN) Thursday, Dec. 27 Military Bowl At Washington Bowling Green (8-4) vs. San Jose State (10-2), 1 p.m.(ESPN) Berk Bowls At Charlotte, N.C. Duke (6-6) vs. Cincinnati (9-3), 4:30 p.m.(ESPN) Holiday Bowl At San Diego Baylor (7-5) vs. UCLA (9-4), 7:45 p.m.(ESPN) Friday, Dec. 28 Independence Bowl At St. Louis Louisiana-Monroe (8-4) vs. Ohio (8-4), Noon(ESPN) Russell Athletic Bowl At Orlando, Fla. Virginia Tech (6-6) vs. Rutgers (3-3), 1:30 p.m.(ESPN) Meineke Car Care Bowl At Houston Arkansas (6-6) vs. Texas Tech (7-5), 7 p.m.(ESPN) Saturday, Dec. 29 Armed Forces Bowl At Fort Worth, Texas Rice (6-6) vs. Air Force (6-6), 9:45 a.m.(ESPN) Right Hunger Bowl At San Francisco Arizona (7-5) vs. Navy (7-4), 1:15 p.m.(ESPN2) PinStripe Bowl At New York Syracuse (7-5) vs. West Virginia (7-5), 1:15 p.m.(ESPN) Alamo Bowl At San Antonio Texas (6-6) vs. Oregon State (9-3), 4:45 p.m.(ESPN) Buffalo Wild Wings Bowl At Tempe, Ariz. Michigan State (6-6) vs. TCU (7-5), 8:15 p.m.(ESPN) Monday, Dec. 31 Music City Bowl At Nashville, Tenn. Vanderbilt (8-4) vs. N.C. State (7-5), 10 a.m.(ESPN) Sun Bowl At El Paso, Texas Georgia Tech (6-7) vs. Southern Cal (7-5), Noon(CBS) Liberty Bowl At Memphis, Tenn. Iowa State (6-6) vs. Tulsa (10-3), 1:30 p.m.(ESPN) Chick-fil-A Bowl At Jacksonville, Fla. Mississippi State (8-4) vs. Northwestern (9-3), 10 a.m.(ESPN2) Capital One Bowl At Orlando, Fla. Georgia (10-2) vs. Nebraska (10-3), 11 a.m.(ABC) Outback Bowl At Tampa, Fla. South Carolina (10-2) vs. Michigan (8-4), 11 a.m.(ESPN) Rose Bowl At Pasadena, Calif. Stanford (11-2) vs. Wisconsin (8-5), 3 p.m.(ESPN) Orange Bowl At Miami Northern Illinois (12-1) vs. Florida State (11-2), 6:30 p.m.(ESPN) Wednesday, Jan. 2 Sugar Bowl At New Orleans Florida (11-1) vs. Louisville (10-2), 6:30 p.m.(ESPN) Thursday, Jan. 3 Fiesta Bowl At Glendale, Ariz. Kansas State (11-1) vs. Oregon (11-1), 6:30 p.m.(ESPN) Friday, Jan. 4 Cotton Bowl At Arlington, Texas Texas A&M (10-2) vs. Oklahoma (10-2), 6 p.m.(FOX) Saturday, Jan. 5 BBVA Compass Bowl At Birmingham, Ala. Pittsburgh (6-6) vs. Mississippi (6-6), 11 a.m.(ESPN) Sunday, Jan. 6 Sun Bowl at Colorado at San Francisco at Miami Notre Dame (12-0) vs. Alabama (12-1), 6:30 p.m.(ESPN) Monday, Jan. 7 BCS National Championship At Miami Boston Red Sox—Acquired RHP Graham Godfrey from Oakland to complete an earlier trade and assigned him to Pawtucket (IL). KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Named Terry Bradshaw minor league hitting coordinator, Jose Castro minor league assistant hitting coordinator, Matt Thompson minor league bunting and baserunning coordinator, Larry Carter pitching coach for Omaha (PCL), Jim Brower pitching coach for

NBA ROUNDUP

Rudy Gay Leads Grizzlies Past Hornets, 96-89

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NEW ORLEANS • Rudy Gay tied a season high with 28 points and the Memphis Grizzlies maintained their NBA-best winning percentage with their second-straight victory, 96-89 over the struggling New Orleans Hornets on Friday night.

New Orleans put up resistance, though, despite losing for the 11th time in 13 games, and Memphis needed Gay's 3 with 2:10 left to get some breathing room.

JAZZ 131, RAPTORS 99 SALT LAKE CITY • Paul Millsap scored 20 points, Enes Kanter had 18 in his first career start and the Utah Jazz hit 13 3-pointers to rout the Toronto Raptors 131-99 on Friday night.

76ERS 95, CELTICS 94, OT PHILADELPHIA • Evan Turner had 26 points and 10 rebounds and Thaddeus Young added 17 points and 12 rebounds to lead Philadelphia past Boston in overtime.

NUGGETS 92, PACERS 89 INDIANAPOLIS • Andre Miller scored eight of his 15 points during a late 10-0 spurt, sending the Denver Nuggets to a 92-89 victory over the Indiana Pacers on Friday night.

BULLS 108, PISTONS 104 AUBURN HILLS, Mich. • Joakim Noah had career highs of 30 points and 23 rebounds, to help Chicago beat Detroit for the 16th straight time.

At Mobile, Ala. North vs. South, TBA (NFLN)

Ski Report IDAHO

Pomerelle — Plan to Open 12/08 Sun Valley — Fri 5:21 am powder machine groomed 11-51 base 48 of 75 trails 7 of 19 lifts, 64% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Alta — Fri 8:29 am 1 new variable machine groomed 25-34 base 110 of 116 trails 95% open, 6 of 11 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9:15a-4:30p. Sat/Sun: 9:15a-4:30p. Beaver Mountain — Plan to Open 12/20 Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Brighton — Fri 8:38 am variable machine groomed 36-40 base 52 of 66 trails, 79% open 6 of 7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Canyons — Fri 8:00 am 1 new packed powder machine groomed 17-23 base 8 of 182 trails 30% open, 3 of 19 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Deer Valley — Plan to Open 12/08 Mon-Fri: 9a-4:15p. Sat/Sun: 9a-5:15p. Park City — Fri 5:12 am packed powder machine groomed 21-21 base 13 of 116 trails 40% open, 5 of 16 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Powder Mountain — Fri 8:48 am packed powder 16-26 base 10 of 134 trails 8% open, 1 of 7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p. Sat/Sun: 9a-9p. Snowbird — Fri 5:50 am packed powder machine groomed 20-20 base 5 of 104 trails, 5% open 2 miles, 25 acres, 3 of 9 lifts, sm Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Snowbird — Fri 8:51 am 1 new variable 26-31 base 36 of 85 trails 43% open, 4 of 13 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-5p. Sat/Sun: 9a-5p. Solitude — Fri 8:58 am 1 new variable 24-31 base 54 of 65 trails 84% open, 7 of 8 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Sundance — Plan to Open 12/14 sm Mon, Wed-Fri: 9a-9p. Tue: 9a-4:30p. Sat: 9a-9p. Sun: 9a-4:30p. Wolf Mountain — Fri 9:00 am variable machine groomed 12-12 base 2 of 22 trails 10% open, 1 of 4 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p. Sat/Sun: 9a-9p.

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Grand Targhee — Fri 6:17 am packed powder 56-56 base 72 of 76 trails 95% open, 2000 acres, 5 of 5 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Jackson Hole — Fri 6:40 am 2-5 new powder machine groomed 41-52 base 31 of 116 trails, 40% open, 1000 acres, 5 of 15 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p. Grand Targhee XC — Fri 6:30 am powder machine groomed 12-453 base 5 of 5 trails Mon-Fri: 9a-4p. Sat/Sun: 9a-4p.

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BURLEY/RUPERT FORECAST

Today: Light snow. High 34.

Tonight: Mostly cloudy. Low 17.

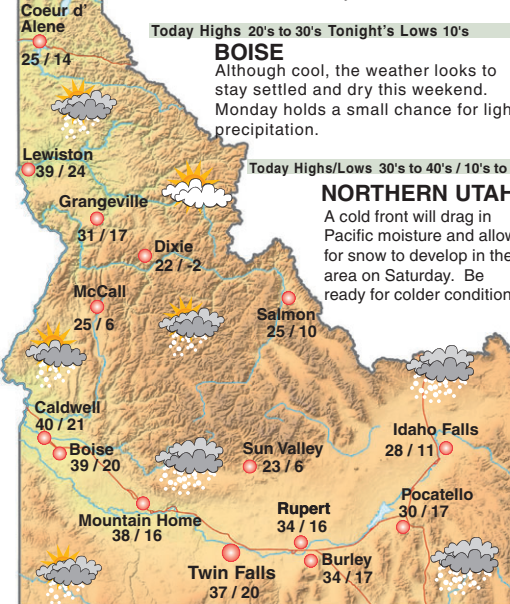
Tomorrow: Light snow showers. High 30.

ALMANAC - BURLEY

Temperature		Precipitation	
Yesterday's High	42°	Yesterday's	0.00"
Yesterday's Low	30°	Month to Date	1.68"
Normal High / Low	38° / 22°	Avg. Month to Date	0.25"
Record High	58° in 1981	Water Year to Date	3.15"
Record Low	-1° in 1951	Avg. Water Year to Date	1.97"

IDAHO'S FORECAST

SUN VALLEY, SURROUNDING MTS.
Dress for the elements and be ready for winter driving conditions this weekend. Expect additional snow on Saturday.



TWIN FALLS FIVE-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Mostly cloudy, snow showers	Mostly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Mostly cloudy	Partly cloudy	Partly cloudy, rain and snow showers
High 37°	Low 20°	33° / 22°	43° / 29°	42° / 28°	40° / 24°

ALMANAC - TWIN FALLS

Temperature		Precipitation		Humidity		Barometric Pressure		Sunrise and Sunset	
Yesterday's High	44°	Yesterday's	Trace	Yesterday's High	75%	5 pm Yesterday	30.00 in.	Today	Sunrise: 7:56 AM
Yesterday's Low	31°	Month to Date	1.75"	Yesterday's Low	44%			Sunday	Sunrise: 7:56 AM
Normal High / Low	40° / 22°	Avg. Month to Date	0.32"	Today's Forecast Avg.	69%			Monday	Sunrise: 7:57 AM
Record High	60° in 1987	Water Year to Date	2.83"					Tuesday	Sunrise: 7:58 AM
Record Low	3° in 2005	Avg. Water Year to Date	2.32"	A water year runs from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30				Wednesday	Sunrise: 7:58 AM

REGIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow	Monday
Boise	39 20	ls 36 23	ls 31 23
Bonnerville	39 19	ls 28 24	ls 32 24
Burley	34 17	ls 30 20	ls 38 20
Challis	24 8	ls 22 12	pc 30 12
Coeur d'Alene	25 14	ls 27 25	ls 32 25
Elko, NV	39 13	ls 30 13	pc 39 13
Eugene, OR	46 35	pc 45 40	r 50 40
Gooding	36 20	ls 31 21	pc 39 21
Grace	25 12	ls 23 12	pc 30 12
Hagerman	41 20	ls 35 22	pc 43 22
Lewiston	31 11	ls 26 16	pc 33 16
Idaho Falls	28 11	ls 28 15	pc 32 15
Kalispell, MT	27 7	ls 24 12	ls 31 12
Jerome	35 19	ls 31 21	pc 40 21
Malad City	32 16	ls 28 19	pc 34 19
Malta	29 16	ls 27 19	ls 35 19
McCall	25 6	ls 22 14	pc 28 14
Missoula, MT	27 11	ls 25 18	pc 30 18
Pocatello	30 17	ls 28 21	pc 36 21
Portland, OR	44 34	sh 44 40	r 48 40
Rupert	34 16	pc 30 18	ls 38 18
Rexburg	24 11	ls 24 14	pc 28 14
Richland, WA	41 27	sh 38 30	pc 38 30
Riggins	26 14	ls 24 18	ls 33 18
Salmon	25 10	ls 24 13	pc 32 13
Salt Lake City, UT	39 24	ls 31 23	pc 38 23
Spokane, WA	32 21	pc 31 26	ls 37 26
Stanley	21 2	ls 20 8	pc 28 8
Sun Valley	23 6	ls 19 9	pc 25 9
Yellowstone, MT	9 10	ls 8 2	pc 18 2

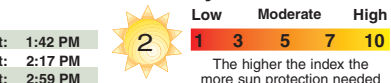
NATIONAL FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Atlanta	68 54	mc 71 55
Atlantic City	59 50	r 57 53
Baltimore	60 44	fg 50 45
Billings	24 4	ls 27 15
Birmingham	70 57	th 72 58
Boston	49 40	r 50 38
Charleston, SC	71 56	pc 73 60
Charleston, WV	65 50	sh 63 55
Chicago	44 37	mc 44 31
Cleveland	49 36	r 51 44
Denver	42 12	pc 22 6
Des Moines	44 33	mc 33 12
Detroit	41 34	r 46 37
El Paso	69 47	pc 63 37
Fairbanks	-3 -3	pc 1 -2
Fargo	33 10	ls 10 -4
Honolulu	77 68	sh 77 68
Houston	82 64	sh 80 49
Indianapolis	51 43	sh 55 38
Jacksonville	77 61	pc 78 61
Kansas City	53 39	pc 42 20
Las Vegas	65 45	pc 57 43
Little Rock	65 56	th 72 42
Los Angeles	70 50	pc 73 50
Memphis	65 58	th 72 43
Miami	78 69	sh 81 72
Milwaukee	40 36	pc 41 26
Nashville	66 55	th 73 50
New Orleans	75 57	pc 76 61
New York	56 43	sh 49 47
Oklahoma City	58 42	pc 48 23
Omaha	47 30	mc 30 12

CANADIAN FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Calgary	9 -1	ls 21 16
Cranbrook	18 -1	ls 14 7
Edmonton	5 -8	pc 28 19
Kelowna	20 7	ls 21 15
Lethbridge	15 11	pc 26 21
Regina	3 -9	pc 4 4

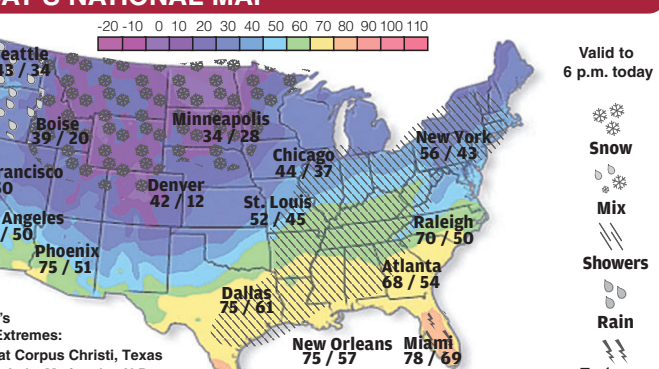
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WORLD FORECAST

City	Today	Tomorrow
Boise	45 28	0.00"
Challis	37 25	0.00"
Coeur d'Alene	39 34	0.18"
Idaho Falls	35 28	0.00"
Jerome	41 28	0.00"
Lewiston	45 36	Trace
Lowell	36 33	0.31"
Malta City	n/a	n/a
Malta	n/a	n/a
Pocatello	39 31	0.01"
Rexburg	34 27	0.00"
Salmon	32 27	0.00"
Stanley	30 21	0.00"
Sun Valley	35 13	0.00"

TODAY'S NATIONAL MAP



Weather Report
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BRETT MIDDLEKAUFF'S QUOTE OF THE DAY
"Be careful the environment you choose for it will shape you; be careful the friends you choose for you will become like them."
W. Clement Stone



Gattuso

Continued from Sports 1

Every time I watch it I smile. What a role model for other young ladies who want to play but aren't sure if they can or should; who aren't sure they want to take on the battle that comes with entering what's typically perceived as a man's sport.

In overdrive, my mind went into the realm of the hypothetical. Though I know Miss Gordon plans to return to soccer shortly, what if she or some femme football phenomenon like her decided she wanted to make it her career?

Where does she go from peewee football? Thanks to trail blazers before her she has a real possibility to play high school football with the boys and even a chance to play college ball. Not that it'd be a cake walk, but it's possible. Assuming this lady football player continues to excel, where does she turn if she wants to make it her career?

My mind jumped immediately to the Lingerie Football League.

Oh, you weren't aware lingerie had a place in football?

I stumbled upon this league during a channel surfing session some time ago. The Lingerie Football League is full-contact football (though the field is shorter, they play seven on seven, and square off in two 17-minute halves) played by talented and skilled women. But as the name implies, they're not wearing a lot of clothing, which begs the question of what the viewers are really tuning in to watch.

That being said, I don't doubt the women of the Lingerie Football League love the game. Nor do I think the Lingerie Football League's legitimacy is the issue. The issue is that when thinking through the progression of a female athlete's opportunities to play professional football, it was the only league I knew of.

Turns out there are pro women's teams that play fully clothed, though. The Independent Women's Football League enables women to fulfill pro football aspirations but they lose the opportunity to show up male counterparts. Plus, unless I somehow missed their rise to popularity, these teams don't have the following as that of the National Football League.

Basically, a talented female who wants to make football her career gets two choices: play under the radar or play in underwear.

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As a friend of mine offered, part of the reason many Americans haven't embraced women's professional football as wholeheartedly as men's football could be because we don't

have a strong culture of youth leagues.

I think it's safe to say football as a sport doesn't attract female players like soccer or tennis do. The follow-up question to that is why? Is

the perception that young ladies are unwilling to get rough (though players like Sam Gordon help dispel

that) still hanging tough or is it because there is just a general lack of interest for the sport across the gender?

In no way am suggesting that the uphill climb of Miss Gordon and those like her is fruitless. That would be silly.

My hope is that Miss Gordon's performance and presence will encourage others to the sport so that women who endeavor to

play professionally have a stronger fan base to look forward to (and one that doesn't fixate on their clothing — or lack thereof).

So regardless of her eventual return to soccer, Sam Gordon is doing the sport and her fellow female athletes a great service. In my book, that makes her the most valuable player I've seen in a long time.

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