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Twin Falls may get Stouffer plant

By JON KINNEY
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Stouffer Foods, a national frozen-food producer based in Solon, Ohio, is considering Twin Falls as one of four locations for a major processing plant, the president of the firm's parent company confirmed Wednesday.

The acknowledgment — from James M. Biggar, the president and chief executive officer of the Stouffer Corp. — confirmed what the Twin Falls rumor mill has been circulating for the past several weeks.

Twin Falls is competing against three

other Western cities — Grand Junction, Colo.; Springville, Utah; and Commerce, Texas — for the plant, which would make frozen food products. The company is known for its frozen crepes, dinner entrees and specialty pizzas.

Initially, it would employ approximately 300 workers, but it could expand to more than 1,000, 25 percent larger than the largest food-processing firm in the Twin Falls area, Idaho Frozen Foods.

Biggar confirmed the Utah and Colorado locations under consideration, and other sources provided the name of the Texas community.

Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce officials, who have been involved closely with attempting to bring Stouffer's to Twin Falls, said Wednesday that they believe Grand Junction is the main competitor.

Biggar would not comment on which location, if any, has the inside track. He did say a decision probably will be made within a month. "We haven't made it yet," Biggar said.

"Obviously, we have looked closely at Twin Falls, as well as the other sites," he said.

The location we pick will be for our third plant, to produce frozen, prepared foods,

Biggar said. In an interview from company headquarters:

In addition to its headquarters, Stouffer Foods Corp., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Stouffer Corp., has production facilities in Solon and Gaffney, S.C.

"Wherever we build, the plant probably will be similar to our operation in Gaffney," Biggar said.

That operation started several years ago with 300 workers, and within two years, the work force had grown to more than 1,000.

Biggar said the new plant also will start with approximately the same number of employees and probably two production

lines. But the facility would be built to accommodate rapid expansion.

"We need the plant (in the West) because of an increase in sales and to serve our large market on the West Coast," he said. Products from the plant would be shipped to the major cities of Seattle, San Francisco and Los Angeles, among others, he said.

Biggar said construction would begin sometime in 1984.

"We were impressed with Twin Falls. You are certainly in the finalia," he said.

"I can't believe the Snake River. It's just a fantastic place," said Biggar, who along with

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TF chamber sought plant

Director followed up on a tip

By JON KINNEY
Times-News writer

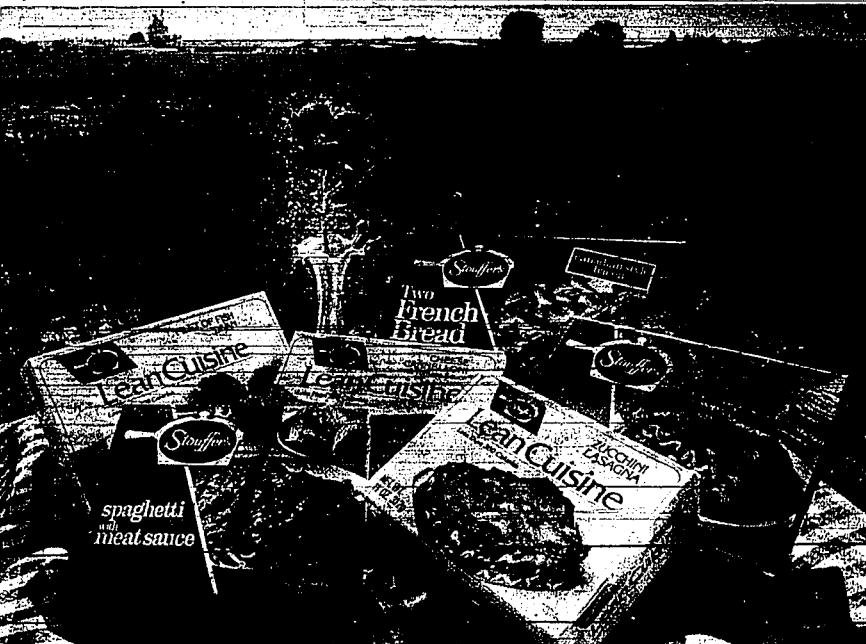
Dolton did not waste any time jumping on the tip.

The inquiry had come from the Fantaus Co., a New Jersey firm that specializes in finding plant locations for industries.

Dolton put together some statistics and called Fantaus officials. They told him his call "came just in the nick of time," getting a state to respond.

During the conversation, the man on the other end-of-the-line, an official in the Department of Economic and Community Affairs, happened to mention that his office had received an inquiry about a major food company looking for a Western location.

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A weed-infested field in the Twin Falls Industrial park may become the home for the manufacturing of Stouffer products

Corporation a big player in industry

By BOB FREUND
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Stouffer Foods Corp., which is eyeing Twin Falls, is a big food processor and a major force in American markets.

But it is only one of four divisions of its parent company, the Stouffer Corp. of Solon, Ohio.

And the Stouffer Corp. is only one of more than 190 subsidiaries around the globe owned by Nestle S.A.

The Swiss conglomerate is best known in the United States for chocolate and coffee products. But it also

produces and sells foods ranging from yogurt and cheeses to European wines and mineral water.

In the past six years, the corporation has branched into the pharmaceutical industry, particularly products connected with eye care and beauty care, such as skin-care cosmetics.

It also pioneered the use of infant milk formulas in poor developing countries, an achievement that has brought it a boycott and other protests from breastfeeding advocates in recent years.

The most recent available figures estimate Nestle S.A. sales worldwide

at \$14.7 billion yearly. It employs more than 145,000 employees, more than the population of Boise.

The Stouffer Corp. has sales of more than \$400 million yearly.

Employing 10,000 people, according to 1982 figures published in the widely used Standard & Poor's corporation index, as many as 10,000 of those employees work for Stouffer's restaurants and hotel operations.

Stouffer Foods manufactures frozen foods at two plants, one in Solon and the other at Gaffney, S.C. The dinner entrees — and other specialty frozen foods produced in

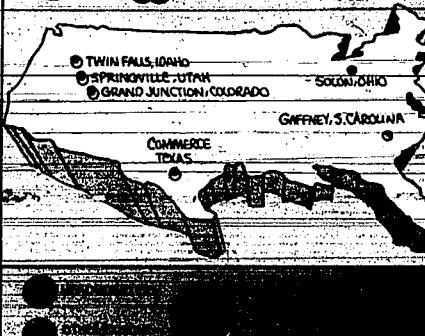
those factories have snagged a sizable chunk of off-the-shelf sales at grocery stores.

In early 1981, Stouffer brands re-entered the market after being out of the frozen-foods market.

But the addition of Lean Cuisine — Stouffer's reduced-calorie line of entrees — has secured the company's hold significantly.

"In just one year (1982), our share of the total main-dish market jumped from 33 percent to 46 percent," Stouffer Foods President Bob McGuligan said in the company's annual report to its employees.

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Home buyers get refunds

By DENIS G. GULINO
United Press International

WASHINGTON — Homeowners who paid large fees to assume an existing mortgage may be eligible for a refund, the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation said.

The Swiss conglomerate is best

known in the United States for chocolate and coffee products. But it also

charge buyers assuming a loan fee, which can vary from \$100 to \$5,000. Because Freddie Mac pays its institutions for handling the mortgages, the savings and loans are not supposed to make a profit on the fees.

Freddie Mac officials acted after news stories of savings and loan

being notified that they should re-fund any profits they made for closing assumed loans that belonged to the corporation, also known as Freddie Mac, officials said.

The corporation also has established a Washington telephone number that homeowners can call in order to request a kit that allows them to claim refunds.

Homebuyers often have agreed to take over an existing loan rather than apply for a new one because the old mortgage generally provides a lower interest rate.

To recover processing costs,

savings and loans are allowed to

charge buyers assuming a loan fee,

which can vary from \$100 to \$5,000. Because Freddie Mac pays its institutions for handling the mortgages, the savings and loans are not supposed to make a profit on the fees.

The newspaper account said the

problems largely had been ignored

by Freddie Mac despite two years of complaints.

Freddie Mac holds 1.3 million

mortgages and its executive

director, William Thomas, said he

did not know how many of those

were assumed loans or how many

overcharges there had been.

"I don't think it's going to be found to be widespread," he said.

The allegation is that this may

involve millions of dollars. That's what we intend to find out," he told a news conference.

If savings and loans balk at re-funding the overcharges, Thomas said the corporation could cut its deal with them through that institution.

He had expected the refunds to take only two weeks to complete after being found necessary, but said the evaluation process will be complicated.

"It is going to be tough," Thomas said. "We are going to have to apply all the reasoning and judgment that we have in dealing with the very diverse nature of the loans."

He said in some cases sellers of the property also could be eligible for a refund if they were forced to pay a fee during an assumption.

A spokesman for a much larger secondary lender, the Federal National Mortgage Association, also known as Fannie Mae, said no such complaints have been received.

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Local phone contracts aired, 18-day strike nearly settled

By LINDA WERFELMAN
United Press International

WASHINGTON — The Bell System and its striking unions worked against a midnight deadline Wednesday to reach agreement on local contracts and end the 18-day-old nationwide phone walkout.

Local bargaining units of some unions resolved their differences and sent members back to work. But the Communications Workers of America, which represents 325,000 of the 675,000 strikers, said members would be on strike until at least midnight.

"Our people are not going back to work until all contracts are finished," spokesman Duwayne Trecker said.

He had no immediate assessment of

the status of the talks between the 34 local CWA bargaining units and the Bell System.

"I think they'll probably run right

down to the wire," he added. "They'll probably all come in between 6 p.m. and midnight ... And I think they'll probably get them done."

American Telephone & Telegraph Co. spokesman Charles Dynes said it was "awfully hard to predict" the likely outcome of the talks, especially because of the large number of separate negotiations efforts.

"Bargainers always work pretty close to the last minute to do their job," he said. "It'll be pretty close."

He predicted the backlog of telephone installation and repair orders that resulted from the strike will be quickly cleared up when all AT&T employees are back to work.

AT&T and its two biggest customers and well be all caught up," he said.

The company and the three unions — the CWA and the smaller International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and the Telecommunications International Union — reached

agreement Sunday on a national contract. Talks continued, however, to resolve local issues.

Local Bell companies reached early agreements with a number of bargaining units across the country, including IBEW locals representing 13,632 Illinois Bell employees in the Chicago area and 23,000 New England Telephone Co. workers around Boston.

In Connecticut, 10,000 striking telephone workers represented by Local 400 of the Connecticut Union of Telephone Workers headed back to work Wednesday morning at the Southern New England Telephone Co.

Striking telephone workers also

reached an agreement in Mississippi.

The telephone workers walked out Aug. 7. Management employees took over their jobs, but customers encountered delays in operator-assisted calls and telephone installations and repairs.

Legislators watching horse panel

BOISE (UPI) — Legislators say they are poised to intervene if state officials, including Avans, "fail" in their new campaign to improve the policing of parimutuel betting and to eliminate the controversy that has engulfed Idaho's Horse Racing Commission.

The Law Enforcement department's recent entry into the drive to keep the horse-racing industry clean — and the commission out of internal trouble — is drawing cautious glances from the legislative halls.

Several key lawmakers half the agency will, but most promise to step in if excessive regulation results.

Other legislators question the propriety of the department's involvement, while one veteran committee chairman says the reorganization is worthless and the room parimutuel betting in the state.

Key features of the reorganization will include heavy involvement by Law Enforcement in administration of the commission and stepped-up investigations at the major racing tracks around Idaho.

Also, a second senior administrative post has been created at the commission. Former state Sen. Israel Merrill, D-Blackfoot, will supervise day-to-day operations and Gary Campbell will remain as executive secretary to oversee regulation of track activities.

The changes carried out with the blessing of Gov. John Evans over years of controversy surrounding the commission. The troubles included a recent embracement case that highlighted the loss of an estimated \$45,000 in commission funds over a two-year period, according to a legislative audit.

"Because of the mercurial ups and downs of the commission in the last few years, it's probably a much-needed step," said Rep. Jim Harris, R-Meridian, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, which oversees the Law Enforcement Department and the commission.

"Because of how they treat horses and the possible drug influences, (tight regulator of the industry) is all for the better," Harris said.

"I don't think Law Enforcement belongs in there all the time, but the commission has some new faces, and maybe they need some help. I think they ought to have a strong influence this season. Then I think they'd better sit it down and find out what they're going to do in the long run," he said.

Harris and Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Roger Fairchild of Frullard said their panels will take a closer look at the commission's regulatory rules this year than in the past because of the many changes stemming from the reorganization.

Senate State Affairs Committee Chairman Wayne Yarbrough, R-Grand View, said he sees no value in the department's involvement.

"It can't be much sense in it other than to make a job for Is Merrill," Yarbrough said. "That commission doesn't need two administrators, and I can't see why the Law Enforcement Department should get mixed up in it."

And Yarbrough said it may only fuel an effort to outlaw parimutuel betting, which would in turn, wipe out the horse-racing industry.

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One of the five was identified by Speakes as Amnesto International, a human rights organization.

Edwards and Rep. Fortney Stark, D-Calif., held a news conference to release the DIA report and discuss the activities of Filipino agents in the United States.

Edwards, chairman of the civil and

constitutional rights subcommittee, said his panel has received many complaints about the continued harassment of Filipinos in the United States.

Such activities by representatives of a foreign government, he said, are obviously illegal, and our laws are not being enforced.

Stark said the DIA report "tells me the administration, if not actively supporting, is ignoring the presence of the FBI."

Edwards said he has written a letter to FBI Director William Webster asking what the FBI knows and what it is doing about Filipino agents in the United States. He said it is awaiting a reply in the Aug. 1 letter.

Dolton

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turned out the state agency had had the inquiry for about three months and "had lost it," Dolton said Wednesday. State officials said the foul-up occurred because of a heavy workload and not enough staff.

After Dolton's initial call to Fentus, he obtained incomplete information and sent it to Fentus. Subsequently, company representatives visited Twin Falls twice.

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The Fentus representatives have been followed to Twin Falls by two delegations from Stouffer's.

First came the decision-makers: James Biggar, the president of the Stouffer Corp.; Bob McGuigan, the president of Stouffer Foods Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary; and two vice presidents. They spent the better part of one day in Twin Falls and were "courted" by nine community and state officials.

The tour guides included Bill Howard, the publisher of "The Idaho Statesman," who headed a dinner party for the executives; Bill Granger, in charge of industrial relations for the Idaho Power Co.; David Porter, the director of the Department of Economic and Community Affairs; and Tom Courtney, the city manager. The next week, the Stouffer technical staff arrived. Seven additional officials, including engineers, personnel administrators and the man who will manage the new plant, assessed the city. They were here for

a day and a half, meeting with a host of city, industrial and utility officials. Their visit included a look at the area's other major employers, Idaho Frozen Foods in Twin Falls and the Tupperware Co. in Jerome.

Since that time, chamber and city officials, particularly Dolton, have been waiting and biding, as well as answering miscellaneous requests that come from Stouffer's.

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Dolton acknowledges that the other sites are good ones. However, he sees Grand Junction as providing the main competition.

"It looks like a larger Twin Falls," he says. "It's an impressive community. It could be a twin-sister to Twin Falls."

Grand Junction is a community of around 80,000, Dolton says. It has a new airport, served by four major carriers, and a renovated downtown. In fact, Twin Falls used Grand Junction's downtown redevelopment plan as a model for its own project a decade ago.

Like Twin Falls, it is an agricultural-based community.

Although the land that Stouffer's is looking at there is privately owned, it is only a mile from the freeway. Dolton sees this as one advantage for the Colorado city.

The Twin Falls site, in the chamber's industrial park, is seven miles from the interstate.

Springfield, a community of about 12,000, is 1½ miles from Provo, the home of Brigham Young University.

While also an attractive community, Dolton sees drawbacks to the Springfield site. For one, it's situated in a flood plain. "It's not what I would consider desirable."

Two, there are a couple of chemical plants nearby. "Stouffer's wants to set off by itself," he says. "They want to maintain their clean image."

Commerce, Texas, is somewhat of a mystery to Dolton at this point, although he said Wednesday that he has some information coming in the mail. It is a community of 12,000 to 20,000, he says, located near Dallas.

"We've done everything in our power," he says, to bring Stouffer's to Twin Falls. "If we don't land them, I can't think of anything we would have done differently."

"We have what they need," he says. The attributes that Dolton ticks off include: land, the 30 to 40 acres that the company needs; adequate sewage and water capacity; railroad tracks; the availability of refrigerated railcars and trucks; an ample and productive labor force; and relatively low taxes.

Dolton is openly optimistic. "They just fit into our area very well."

"If they're somewhere else, I'll be surprised and naturally want to know what happened."

Stouffer's

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Its French bread pizza line also showed a nice gain, moving from fourth to third place among pizza manufacturers.

McGuigan says the increase in the number of two-worker and single-households has boosted the demand for quality convenience foods.

The surge in business has pressed Stouffer Foods to six-day-a-week production at its existing factories. It also has limited growth in new products.

Those factors and long distribution chains to its major West Coast markets brought Stouffer's looking for a good factory site, says Mike Dolton, the executive director of the

Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce.

"They are really stretching for production, and they need service to their customers," Dolton says. The Gaffney plant is running 24 hours a day to keep up, he says.

Stouffer, which has shown strong sales in urban areas especially, has major markets in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Seattle. Its products now are being shipped from Solon, he says.

The company anticipates manufacturing and distributing its full line of 38 frozen-food products to markets throughout the West from the new plant, says Dolton, who has been dealing with Stouffer officials as the man will manage the new plant.

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Evans should grant race industry probe

The way the state Department of Law Enforcement is attempting to elbow itself into the affairs of the state racing industry may be greeted by howls of protest from some industry insiders, but we think the move is a good one, at least on a temporary basis.

The racing industry has been beset by problems for years. Internal fiscal-control procedures at the Horse Racing Commission have been sloppy. Accounts have turned up short. Last month, two jockeys at the Pocatello Turf Club were suspended for possessing electrical cattle prods at the track.

These and other problems seem to support the claim of John Rooney, state law enforcement director, that the commission alone cannot bring about the necessary changes to restore public confidence in Idaho racing.

Racing commission Chairman Russell Westerberg seems to agree with that assessment, suggesting that perhaps Gov. John Evans should put the Law Enforcement Department in a fuller monitoring role.

The picture is clouded by unclear authority. Officially, the racing commission is an arm of the Law Enforcement Department, but it also has some autonomy in its operation.

That apparently has been part of the problem right along. The commission should not be perceived as merely a promotional arm of the racing industry.

Although some industry officials may complain, we think Evans is on firm ground in letting the Law Enforcement Department help establish the commission's independence and credibility.

The authority may not need to be permanent, but Idahoans have a right to expect an end to what an Evans aide calls "the constant innuendo of illegality" against the industry.

Rooney apparently is asking for the authority to move ahead in weeding out illegal activity. We think Evans should grant it.



Letters

Some preceded the Mayflower

It must be a great joy and comfort for Bernice Ross to scan every inch of the newspaper looking for any article concerning criticism by any Hispanic. As American citizens, we, too, have that right. We don't have to agree, but to hate so hard is sad.

In her first and second letter, Bernice Ross suggests we all go back to Mexico. Mexican families have been in the western side of the United States before the Mayflower. They may have been Mexican Indians, but Mexican more or less. Also Mexicans are not the only people bearing a path to the U.S.A., so are all kinds of people of all colors and races.

Instead of having so much hate, Bernice Ross should get on her knees and thank the good Lord she has never been poor nor hungry, and pray even harder she will never need a helping hand.

So to quote her "Horrors," it could be a Hispanic—BELLE KELSEY Burley

Taxpayers hit double for class

I would like to comment on the article written by Mr. Phil Batt a couple of weeks ago, "CSI class lacks horse sense."

I can't decide if Mr. Batt is trying to be cute, witty, clever or just show how little he knows about the situation. He ends the article by saying that he does not know what this program is costing. Too bad

he didn't take the trouble to find out. Maybe it would have shown him in a different light.

He would have learned this class, or portions of it, was provided last year and is being offered again because the interest was great.

As for the cost—it is more self-supporting than many other classes in the school. There's little expense to the school, mostly lights in the Expo building and salaries for the instructors.

Also Mr. Batt, all the participants have to furnish horses, not just those taking English riding lessons.

The others required to pay for the courses. You know who is the taxpayers were furnishing the money. Just who do you think the housewife, business, hunters, ranchers and others taking the courses are? If they aren't taxpayers, I'll ride my horse backward—some of your humor. They are even paying double. When they pay taxes and when they enroll in the class.

Horses are big business in Idaho, and all the education and knowledge goes with it. Do I have to point out the money brought in by horse shows, hunters. It's all part of the game. Maybe you should stick with playing your saxophone and leave the horses to those who know what it's all about.

M. T. JEROME Jerome

BID appreciates parade help

The Business Improvement District wishes to thank all those who contributed time and effort to

the annual Downtown Pet Parade. Thanks to the co-sponsor, The Times-News. Thanks to KTLC for their loan of the PA system, First Federal Savings and Loan for their support, and McDonalds and Hydrotube for prizes.

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JIM WILLIS, BID coordinator

Twin Falls

Story helped second big week

Thank you for the article on Laughing Stock and Ravenswood in the July 29 edition of The Times-News. It was a beautiful, well-written and photographed item.

The interviewer, Debra Gillett and photographer Skye Saveson—was so thoughtful, patient and friendly. It was a joy. You helped us have a

solid-out second week. Thank you once again.

GAIL SHEEHAN

Director, Ravenswood

Ketchum

Looks don't make the news

The recent lawsuit concerning former Kansas City anchorwoman Christine Craft, who wandered because her bosses allegedly didn't like the way she looked on television, points once again to the problem of delivering the news to people by TV as opposed to newspapers.

Miss Craft retained the TV consultants hired by the station to decide that the audience wanted a woman who was more attractive and gave them "warmth and a portrait". The station executives said

it wasn't a case of looks, but ratings, that made them decide to demote her. Miss Craft sued for sexual discrimination and won \$500,000.

I'm proud to say this could have never happened in the newspaper business, because if the consultants who work for TV companies had anything to say about our looks, 95 percent of us would be out of jobs.

I can just see a media consultant going through the city room of an American newspaper.

He says to the publisher who is escorting him, "Who wrote the lead story on President Reagan this morning?"

"Susanna West. She's sitting over there. Susanna is our best reporter and won the Pulitzer Prize for her series on hunger in America last year."

"She's going to have to get a new baldy."

"Why is that?"

The public doesn't care who reads news, people

written by a woman whose hair isn't perfectly coiffed."

"You tell her. I'm not about to," the publisher says.

"Who the hell are you?"

"I'm a media consultant and I've been hired to up circulation. Have you ever thought about wearing something a little more than a hunkie-neck sweater and a tweed jacket?"

"Get lost—buster—I have a deadline."

"Please don't take it personally, but don't you think you're a little too old to be a newspaperwoman?"

"Newspaper readers prefer to read stories by younger, more attractive reporters."

"If this is gag, you got me at the wrong time. I'm trying to check out something with Henry Kissinger."

"Miss West. I'd prefer you not make that call until you change your make-up. Let's see if we can get those wrinkles out from under your eyes before you speak to Henry."



Art
Buchwald

Now you've done it. If you don't disappear in five seconds I'm going to dump this cup of coffee on that yucky Palm Beach suit you're wearing.

The publisher rushes in. "Hold it, Susanna, the man is only doing his job."

"Get him out of here before I drop the 1984 budget on his skull."

The publisher leads him away and the consultant says,

"She doesn't seem to have the warmth it takes to give the public the news about Ronald Reagan. I would replace her with someone your readers could be more comfortable with when they read about Chad. Who is that woman over there in the water cooler?"

"That's our science writer. What's wrong with her?"

"She's wearing a pantsuit. Our survey shows readers are very threatened by women reporters who wear pantsuits."

"She's a pantless reporter. I have a special line for women reporters."

"Well, you're going to have to reinstitute them if you ever hope to get your circulation up. Do you see that girl sitting at the desk over there?"

"Our film critic? What's wrong with her?"

"She's pregnant."

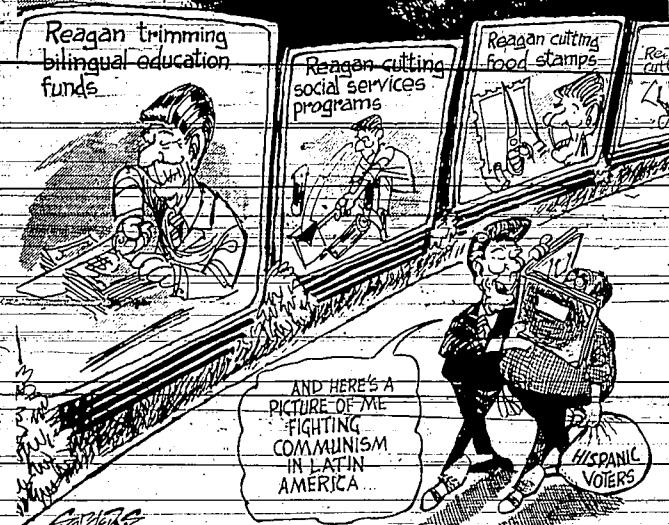
"But she isn't going to have a baby for four months."

"How do you think your subscribers would feel if they knew they were getting their movie reviews from a pregnant woman?"

"I look, why don't we just forget the whole thing. I'm not sure a media consultant is what this paper needs right now."

"It's your candy store. If you don't care about the way your women reporters look, don't come crying to me when your readers go somewhere else for their news."

Art Buchwald writes from Washington for the Los Angeles Times Syndicate.



All things considered, he'd rather have been elsewhere

SCRABBLE, Va. — I truly had not intended to spend the better part of this month in scenic Albemarle County, Va., but one dirty little chest pain led to another, and so it developed that on the afternoon of Aug. 1, I was admitted to the University of Virginia Hospital.

I see by the Statistical Abstract that 40 million persons are admitted to hospitals every year; on any given day roughly 1 million patients are lying around in those cotton shifts with the ties in back.

The experience is thus practically universal, but this experience was not universal for me. After 62 years without so much as a broken bone or a picked appendix, this was my first go at surgery. All things considered, as W.C. Fields or somebody used to say, I'd rather have been in Philadelphia.

We began by making a明智的 decision: involve a producer, an executive director, a floor director, a right grub director, two licensed cameramen and a script girl. They assemble



James
Kilpatrick

somewhere southeast of the old aorta, and after reaching agreement on plot and characters, they run a fire hose into the general area of cardiac interest. Thrive the fire hose passes a thousand gallons, more or less, of an opaque dye. The dye is released into the heart; the cameras grind away; and the resulting film is nominated for an Academy Award.

It did not strike me that my own contribution to the art of cinematography was in any way special, but the producer and director were greatly pleased. They were crying "How about that!" and "Hey, man!"

and voicing other such expressions of delight; for it transpired that the dye had revealed a 95 percent blockage of the left main artery. It is nothing at all to score a blockage of 70 or 80, but to begin the day with a 95 is like sinking a 30-foot putt for an eagle on the first hole.

The next thing I knew I was looking at the ceiling. I will now deliver my first recommendation for hospital reform: Let us do something about those empty ceilings. The patient who is rolled through five miles of hospital corridors only to be passed by a roading zone at the end of the tour, would like to see something besides ceiling tiles. Those lumpy-sprung hospital gowns also cry out for the designer's touch.

Of my surgery, the less said, the better. I am ashamed to mention it. Mine was only a triple bypass, and I have discovered that in the leagues of open heart surgery, a triple bypass is just nothing. It is like hitting .210 or finishing a golf tournament 12 over par.

The mall brings letters from total strangers wishing me well. "I had a quadruple bypass in March and am now running 12 miles a day." "I am a little old lady, 94 years of age, and I had a quintuple bypass six weeks ago."

"Tomorrow I go back to my bowling team." I had one letter from a liar who boasted that the cardiac engineers had given him six bypasses, a cloverleaf and a two-lane exit ramp.

One of my discoveries in the hospital world is fixed rackets. Some of them are called "Myers." Myers means he is a sleeping pill at 10 o'clock. "I hate to wake you up," the nurse would say. "But I have your sleeping pill." Teaching hospitals also have a big thing about listening to chests. Everybody tunes in. Nurses, medical students, interns, residents, "I think I hear a little rustling down there," says one pretty nurse. "It's mine," I tell her. "They tend to come inside toward the end of summer."

At one time patients lolled around in bed for

a few weeks after surgery, but now it is get up and walk, walk, walk. Seven times around the fifth floor equaled one mile. Nothing good can be said for those hikes.

I haven't mentioned the bill. It was for \$17,428.20, with the doctors' fees yet to come. That figures out to \$1,742.80 a day, which makes it the most expensive vacation I ever took.

I'm not knocking the experience. I have some fancy embroidery on my chest and legs. I have led 12 Kennedy's. I have smoked my last cigarette. There's no way to think the readers and editors who never travel, but I would like especially to thank a gentlewoman in Ohio. "I never knew conservatives had a heart," she wrote, "but I hope they gave you one that works."

James Kilpatrick writes his column, "A Conservative View," from Washington.

Tropical storm aimed for space center

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (UPI) — Tropical storm Barry aimed its 55 mph winds at the nation's space center Wednesday and engineers rushed to button down the space shuttle Challenger, which used to lift off next week.

Forecasters gave the storm a 46 percent chance of slamming into the area around the Kennedy Space Center by noon EDT Thursday, leaving authorities no time to get the shuttle off the launch pad even if they wished.

"We are going to be riding it out on the pad," said space agency spokesman Jim Ball. He said the shuttle is designed to withstand winds of "up to 80 mph on the launch pad. And we don't expect any more than 50 mph winds."

Ball said it would take 30 hours to get the shuttle back into the Vehicle Assembly Building.

Wednesday evening, Barry was centered near latitude 22° north and longitude 78° west, or just 150 miles east of Melbourne, Fla. It was heading toward the space center.

"We're not pinpointing it exactly. It will cover a sizable area, but it will hit somewhere during the middle or upper coast," said hurricane forecaster Paul Gerrish.

According to the National Weather Service's probability charts, the area most likely to bear the brunt of Tropical Storm Barry is Cocoa Beach, Fla., just 15 miles south of the space center.

Winds reached 55 mph by late Wednesday, but forecasters doubted the storm would grow stronger. It must have sustained surface winds of 74 mph to be classified a hurricane.

"There is a minimal possibility. It will reach

hurricane strength by landfall, but I don't see any major intensification," Gerrish said.

At the space center, officials kept a watchful eye on the storm and said said they would not attempt to move the shuttle from its ocean-side launch pad unless the storm became a hurricane.

"We are going to batten down the hatches," Ball said. "We have work crews going around the pad, picking up anything that could damage the bird."

West Palm Beach, Fort Pierce and Daytona Beach also will likely receive some of the storm's wrath, according to the probability predictions.

"If the storm continues in the same direction tonight the storm center will be near the Florida east coast Thursday morning. Winds and squalls will freshen along the coast Wednesday night and seas will increase to 2 to 4 feet above normal by morning," Gerrish said.

Federal agency sued in chemical cancer case

By Newhouse News Service

WASHINGTON — A federal health and safety agency ignored at least four internal scientific studies warning of an "increased cancer risk" to workers when it refused to impose更严厉的 controls on the chemical formaldehyde, according to a suit filed against the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Instead, OSHA in January 1982 declined to reduce formaldehyde exposure and justified its action by

citing another study that hadn't been accounted for at the time of the decision, according to documents filed in U.S. District Court here.

At the same time, according to the documents, a top OSHA health officer from mid-1981 to mid-1982 maintained monthly contact with an attorney for the Formaldehyde Institute, an organization of producers of the chemical, but had no contact with unions representing those who work with the chemical.

The suit, brought by the United Auto

Workers and the American Public Health Association, the world's largest public health organization, argues that in 57,000 workplaces around the country 1.4 million employees "face a risk of cancer and other adverse health effects" under the present government standard regulating formaldehyde.

The suit alleges that Thorne G. Auchtner, the OSHA administrator, did not rely on the "best available evidence" early last year when he refused to "impose" emergency

formaldehyde regulation sought by the UAW. The suit asks the court to order OSHA to set a stricter standard.

An OSHA spokesman, Douglas Clark, said Wednesday that "there is just no evidence then or now that an emergency exists" on formaldehyde.

According to agency documents, the suit states, Dr. Han Kang, a former OSHA scientist, predicted that 23 workers in 1,000 would be expected to develop tumors if they continued to work at the present formaldehyde limit in the workplace.

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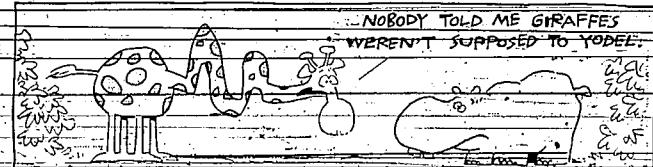
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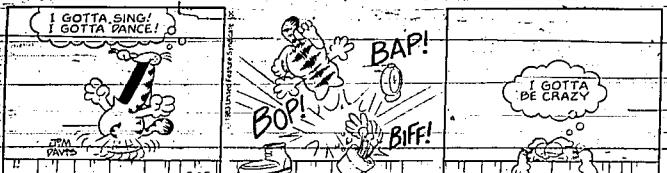
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Daily crossword



argument with an official and by tonight the matter clears itself.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Study these new plans well and be sure they don't get in the way with work you are currently doing.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Your hunches are not good particularly regarding some talent you want to express in public; go over your plan wisely.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) You have to be married not only with

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Until 5 p.m. you can have quite a difficult time trying to get others to do things you want. Your later day looks better, though, as far as fulfilling goals.

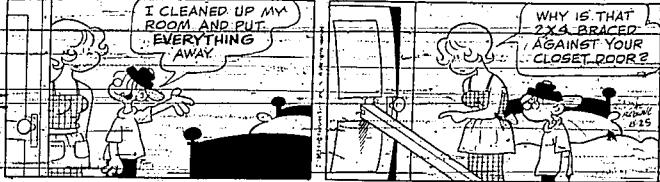
ARIES (Mar. 21 to April 19) Don't let some hurry to deter your progress in the active, outside world.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Don't be foolish and get involved in any

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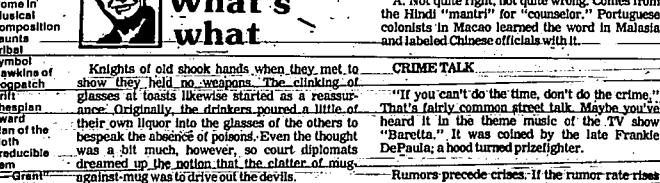


Peanuts



L.M. Boyd

What's what



Federal regulations say sellers can't charge you extra for using your credit cards, but evidently they can give you discounts for cash. What's the difference?

Takes a panda about eight hours to eat a meal, typically.

ONLY TWO TERMS

Q. The 22nd Amendment limits the President to two terms. Who started that? Has any President been limited by it?

A. The Republicans sponsored that one. Only Republican Dwight D. Eisenhower has been

affected by it so far.

Q. Settle a bet. The word "mandarin" isn't Chinese but Portuguese, right?

A. Not quite right; not quite wrong. Comes from the Hindi "mantri" for "counselor." Portuguese colonists in Macao learned the word in Malaya and labeled Chinese officials with it.

CRIME TALK.
 If you can't do the time, don't do the crime." That's fairly common street talk. Maybe you've heard it in the theme music of the TV show "Barretta." It was coined by the late Frankie DePaula; a hood turned prizefighter.

Rumors precede crises. If the rumor rate rises rapidly, it's not unreasonable to suspect something big is going down. So says Dr. Ralph Rosnow, a Temple University professor. If that sounds a little obvious, hold on: that is a wave of rumors really does tend to be followed up by large happenings; rumors do signify.

If your vitamin bottle, "desiccated liver," sounds better than "dried liver," but desiccated means dried, nothing more.

Within the takers, phenobarbital goes on jailing for about four days, I'm told.

Well-led soldiers never march in cadence across bridges.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Go after what you need of a personal nature since there can be a delay in your career work. Gain the support of a friend.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY...he or she will be one of those naturally gifted young people who can easily tell when others are in trouble and will do much to try to assist them; so you had better start the education along lines of humanitarian work.

Daily Horoscope

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) An argument between your mate and a close friend can be settled nicely by you. Socialize at home this evening.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to April 19) Don't let some hurry to deter your progress in the active, outside world.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Don't be foolish and get involved in any

Ecology movement 'father,' 100, dies

HARBORSIDE, Maine (UPI) — Scott Nearing, political radical and back-to-nature advocate often called the father of the modern ecology movement, died Wednesday in his home overlooking Penobscot Bay. He was 100.

A prolific author, Nearing published his most popular book, "Living the Good Life," in 1954 about the home he and his wife built by hand in the backwoods of Vermont. It was republished in 1976, a second printing so popular it sparked a parade of thousands of people to the Nearing's home.

"I am old, old man. I think there is great importance to life, but I don't want to live longer than my ability to serve," Nearing said earlier this month in a UPI interview. "What good would life be without death? Death is as much a part of life as birth," he said.

No service will be held for Nearing. His ashes will be spread around the grounds of his home.

Nearing turned 100 on Aug. 5, an event that was celebrated by



SCOTT NEARING
Gained note asterisks

neighborhood children.

"It was a very special day," Helen, his wife of 33 years, said. "They came from all over to visit. The kids had banners and they sang songs." They

had a cake with one giant candle on it to mark the passage of one century.

His books included: "Civilization and Beyond," "Learning from Nature," "The Story of a Radical Childhood," "Autobiography," "Man's Search For The Good Life," and "Conscience of a Radical."

Nearing grew up working in Pennsylvania coal mines and lumber camps. He left the mines to study in college, staying on as a teacher for a time. But his teaching career was destined to be short and troubled.

When at age 25 he co-authored the first of his more than 50 books, he set his feet on a long path of criticism and opposition. His activities were strongly opposed by his superiors at the University of Pennsylvania.

His dismissal in 1915 created a furor in the national press and brought strenuous debate about freedom of speech. Nonetheless, Penn would not rehire him.

Nearing tried again, becoming political science professor at the University of Toledo. He was fired 18 months later because of his opposition

to World War I.

He moved to New York and in 1918 ran unsuccessfully for Congress on the Socialist ticket against Fiorello La Guardia.

He wrote "The Great Madness," an anti-war book that led to his prosecution by the federal government for "attempting to cause insubordination and malice." Representing himself, he used the trial as a stage for spreading Socialist ideas and was acquitted.

In time, Nearing became disgusted with socialism and joined the Communist Party. When he wrote a book disagreeing with Lenin, the party expelled him.

In 1922, at age 49, Nearing moved to a rundown farm in Vermont. Over the next 20 years, Nearing and his wife built by hand nine stone buildings and three of wood.

They became vegetarians and grew 80 percent of their food. They sold maple sugar to raise the little cash they needed.

CHICAGO (UPI) — Chili may be out as an entree in future fundraisers for Windy City politicians.

The city is being sued for \$50,000 by a woman who claims she slipped on some spilled chili oil on the sidewalk and fell at a fundraising dinner for former Mayor Jane Byrne last September.

Doris Hunter said she dislocated her shoulder in the night's "spill,"

her suit contends paper plates so small that people were dropping their food on the floor. It also said there were not enough tables and chairs to enable people to eat without spilling their food.

The suit also said the room was too crowded and messy.

Chili spill sparks suit

MARY BICKNELL (UPI) — In human nature was shattered, yet restored within minutes because an impromptu posse pursued and caught the man suspected of snatching her purse.

"I was really surprised that so many people would help me," she said after the incident. "They just ran after him and caught him."

Police said Pickney was walking outside a store Tuesday when a man rushed up and took her handbag from her shoulder.

Another woman who saw the robbery and the bag screamed for help.

Joseph Dunsavage, 22, Sacramento, was booked on a charge of robbery.

A delighted Pickney said she got her purse back with all of her belongings intact. "I had all kinds of help," she said.

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Divers fail to lift Monitor anchor

HATTERAS, N.C. (UPI) — An attempt to raise the 1,300-pound anchor of the Civil War ironclad USS Monitor from 200 feet of water in the Atlantic failed Wednesday.

Divers prepared for another try if the weather remained favorable.

Dr. Nancy Foster, director of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's marine sanctuary program, said diver Craig Caddigan, working out of a 22-foot research submarine, used an underwater torch to cut the four-prong anchor from the

anchor chain and an air bag attached to the anchor was inflated at mid-morning.

"Something happened that kept the bag from rising," Dr. Foster said. "We don't know why it didn't come up."

She said Caddigan and others on the sub were unable to see the anchor because of sediment in the water.

"In fact, they are calling it zero visibility," she said.

Divers hooked a bridle and an air bag to the anchor Monday but were

prevented from raising it Tuesday because of inclement weather and high seas that forced the research vessel R.V. Johnson to move inshore from the Monitor site, which is located about 15 miles southeast of Cape Hatteras.

Says moderated early Wednesday and the Johnson returned to the site. The five-day expedition, the first in four years, ends Thursday because the Johnson is scheduled to pick up the anchor is scheduled to pick up another scientific party.

The anchor would be the first large piece of the Monitor to be recovered. Researchers tentatively plan to recover the ship's gun turret in 1985.

Scholarship comes to life

DALLAS (UPI) — An episode of the "Dallas" television series has prompted creation of a special scholarship at Southern Methodist University.

Officials said a fictitious "Jock Ewing Memorial Scholarship," granted to SMU during the plot of "Dallas" generated so many inquiries to the school that producers of the program decided to establish a genuine scholarship.

The scholarship was intended as a plot device last season on "Dallas" to

help the Ewing widow, Miss Ellie, come to grips with her husband's death.

The school received numerous letters inquiring about the grant and SMU President Donald Shields invited Lorimar Productions, the producers of "Dallas," to follow through.

Lee Rich, president of Lorimar, responded with \$2,500 to establish the Lorimar Scholarship, to be awarded each fall to a student of television, film or communications who shows promise and financial need.

Subject of photo needs care funds

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Florence Thompson, who was a migrant farm worker made famous in Dorthea Lange's photograph symbolizing the Great Depression, needs money for hospital care.

Mrs. Thompson is now 79 and fighting cancer. Her 10 children are fighting to raise enough money to give her good care, it was reported Wednesday.

Mrs. Thompson's 56-year-old son, who lives in Santa Cruz, Calif., told the Los Angeles Times the family is not able to manage the \$1,400-a-week expenses of his mother's struggle with cancer, heart trouble and the effects of a stroke.

They put it near the coop housing the guinea fowl — small African fowl which are commonly domesticated in Britain.

"It quieted the birds like magic," she said.

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Libyan tanks closing on French troops

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Rebels blast railway bridges

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (UPI) — Escalating their economic sabotage campaign, leftist rebels exploded charges on two railroad bridges, one for the second time in a week, military officials said Wednesday.

A military spokesman in San Salvador said rebels late Tuesday attacked a bridge named El Burro, 42 miles southeast of San Salvador in San Vicente province. Guerrillas also exploded charges on two railroad

The guerrillas also exploded charge on a second bridge that crosses over the Aculatame River and is located 18 miles north of the capital, the spokesman said.

NDJAMENA, Chad (UPI) — Rebels, backed by Libyan tanks, advanced on positions held by government and French troops Wednesday in a fierce movement aimed at capturing settlements in eastern and western Chad, officials said.

A rebel tank and infantry column left the northeastern town of Fadoud and headed south toward Oum Chalouba, less than 40 miles from the main French and government base at Abéché. Information Minister

Soumaila Mahamat said. The new rebel thrust on the eastern front was matched by the advance of another Libya-backed column toward the settlement of Koro Toro, in the west, Mahamat said.

Koro Toro, little more than a crossroads in the desert, is located 200 miles from Oum Chalouba, across the border in Salal, just 250 miles north of the capital, Ndjamen.

French and government troops have been shoring up a west-to-east

defense line roughly situated along the 15th parallel to thwart an anticipated drive by the rebels, who control most of northern Chad, toward Ndjamena.

Mahamat denied reports by Western diplomats that government

rebels had crossed into Libya. "The information minister said the rebels, backing deposed President Goukouni Weddeye's attempts to oust pro-Western President Hissein Habré, were using Soviet-made T-62 and T-72 tanks and armoured personnel carriers," he said.

"They have no site that those two locations (Salal and Oum Chalouba) may be threatened in a few days," Mahamat said.

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Twin Falls

Witness doesn't show for sex-abuse hearing

By MARTY TRILHAASE
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — The prosecution in the child sex-abuse case against former Twin Falls veterinarian Charles Manners suffered a setback Wednesday when a major witness failed to appear for a key hearing.

The absence of the witness — the 9-year-old girl that Manners is accused of abusing in Twin Falls during a three-week period in June — sidetracked a Fifth District Magistrate Court preliminary hearing. The hearing was called to determine if Manners should be held for trial on a five-count felony complaint.

The hearing was marked by lawyers' attempts to keep it out of the public eye. Manners' lawyers, Greg Fuller and Jim Messervy, exercised their right under Idaho law to exclude the press and public.

And deputy prosecutor Dennis Voorhees unsuccessfully sought a court ruling to warn all states against talking about the hearing to the press.

Judge Charles Brumbach also took under advisement a defense motion to dismiss the case. Fuller contends Idaho's law defining lewd and lascivious conduct with a minor is unconstitutional because it results in a recent federal court decision.

No date for a new hearing has been set, but Voorhees says he will continue with the case.

"The case is at a pause, and we intend to take some time in developing more of a rapport with our witnesses and go to hearing at the next earliest opportunity," Voorhees says.

Manners, who also faces prosecution on a similar charge involving the alleged victim's

10-year-old sister in Bannock County, is free on \$30,000 bond.

The girl's mother is alleged to have prevented the key testimony Wednesday. According to lawyers in the case, Diane Warner, an investigator with the state Department of Health and Welfare, testified that the mother was responsible for the girl's absence.

So far, no sanctions against the mother have been sought. No civil penalties can be assessed since the girl was not subpoenaed to appear Wednesday. But it's a crime for a person to dissuade a material witness from testifying.

Prosecutors also have the option of questioning the girl to ensure her testimony.

But Voorhees declined to pursue his plans. "There are a variety of mechanisms available to make witness availability consistent with the best interests of the victim,"

he intended to use every and any one necessary.

"In every case dealing with sexual abuse to a minor, the best interest of the minor has to be continually respected, and there is a point, undefinable, when the prosecution defers to the mental health of the child. We're not there yet."

Wednesday's hearing found lawyers taking seemingly inconsistent stands on First Amendment issues.

When Messervy moved to close the hearing, arguing that the subsequent publicity would be detrimental to Manners' opportunity for a fair trial and to the victims, Voorhees objected.

"You know what the statute says as well as I do," Voorhees responded, quoting the language of the law. "Do I have any discretion?"

Voorhees can't say.

Later, when Voorhees asked Brumbach for a ruling, the judge said he could tell reporters what he said in open court.

"I think there's something in order just based on the facts," Fuller said. "There's a lot of things as to what may or may not be appropriate in the hearing as to what's certain to be appropriate."

But Voorhees countered that he's been hearing also pretrial motions from the defense, which he has not ruled on.

"I think it's appropriate to restrain plaintiffs from doing things that are inappropriate."

damaged unknowingly Many acres hit

By The Times-News

TWIN FALLS — A large portion of officials have estimated that 10,000 acres of Twin Falls County cropland were damaged by hail during the first week of August.

Local agency heads within the U.S. Department of Agriculture, meeting at the Twin Falls County Emergency Board, made that estimate Wednesday as part of a "final" damage report. The report has been forwarded to the state emergency board, which will decide if federal emergency should be declared.

Such a countywide declaration, which would entitle farmers to a 70 percent low-interest loan through the Farmers Home Administration, appears unlikely at this point, according to the state director of the agricultural stabilization and conservation Service, who serves as chairman of the state emergency committee.

More likely, a smaller adjustment in the Fmha's plan to provide low-interest loans to farmers whose crop losses top 30 percent.

On Tuesday, the Twin Falls County commissioners initiated a procedure by declaring a state of emergency. That came one day earlier than expected Wednesday, but are due back home by the end of the week, according to the latest reports.

The litigation has touched on such issues as jail staffing, access to the courts, mail and telephone service, access to a library and legal literature, reading material, religion, visitation, medical care, food, educational opportunities, solitary confinement and segregation of inmates groups.

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Court rulings require overhaul of county jails

By MARTY TRILHAASE
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Two decades of federal court decisions will affect county jails in much the same way that a similar series of court decisions have affected police work.

Just as court rulings have required a massive retraining of police officers, these mandates will mean an expensive overhaul of county jails and their procedures.

That was the message provided Wednesday to local officials representing virtually every aspect of the criminal justice system in Twin Falls County.

Jail experts, under the auspices of the

National Institute of Corrections, outlined the case for a new jail in Twin Falls County, as well as a step-by-step planning process that they say is needed to avoid problems with a new facility.

None of this should come as a major surprise to the 40 to 50 officials who attended the session. Among the group were the heads of law-enforcement agencies in the county, judges, county officials, legislators and representatives of the two major political parties.

For years, Sheriff Jim Munn has been warning that his 72-year-old jail is vulnerable to inmate-initiated civil rights lawsuits, and reiteration security and safety hazards. His calls for a new facility got a boost earlier this year

when a citizen committee concluded that the old jail is inadequate for modern-day use.

However, that conclusion did not answer the personnel question: How do we pay for a new jail? But jail supporters hope sessions such as Wednesday's NIC planning seminar will help sell the case for a new jail to the voters, who may be asked to pass a bond issue.

Until the early 1960s, the judiciary viewed jail conditions with a laissez-faire attitude and an eye to the separation-of-powers doctrine.

All that changed as the courts increasingly have recognized the civil rights of inmates.

Armed with a 10-year-old lawmark ruling

constitutional rights.

At the same time, mushrooming jail populations have strained jail resources across the country to the breaking point. Approximately one out of seven federal court cases now involves a Boulder, Colo., sheriff, Brad Leach, said Wednesday.

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Suit might force fall elections

By The Times-News

RUPERT — Police say the three runaway youths suspected of ransacking and burning a rural Norland "farmhouse" over the weekend were in Gooding County about a 1.m. Wednesday.

They may have caught a ride on the Interstate at about that time, authorities say.

The Gooding County Sheriff's Department found the boys' stolen getaway auto near Tuttle, in fact, Sheriff Robert Ajia said. It was about three-quarters of a mile from his Haigler-area home and about a quarter of a mile from I-84.

He said it was found by a sheriff's deputy at 1:35 a.m.; the engine was still warm to the touch. Persons passing the area at 12:30 a.m. said the vehicle was not there at that time.

However, the police did not find any of the six to eight

guns reportedly taken by the boys from the same house.

Aja said police are searching the area for the trio, who left the Idaho Youth Ranch during the weekend. But since they abandoned the car so close to the Interstate, they easily could have caught a ride, he said, and is a long way from Idaho by now.

Still missing are a 16-year-old from Twin Falls, a 15-year-old from Pocatello and a 12-year-old from Coeur d'Alene.

Meanwhile, a companion, who was burned when the house was set afire, was still resting in critical but stable condition in the University of Utah's burn center, an official at the Idaho Youth Ranch said.

That boy, a 16-year-old from Burley, had recovered enough to speak to relatives Wednesday. He suffered serious burns over 50 percent of his body.

The Jerald Schenk family, who lived in the home, had left on a camping vacation a few hours before the fire occurred. The family still had not been located Wednesday, but are due back home by the end of the week, according to the latest reports.

Rupert Mayor Bill Whitton said a citizen has donated a house for the Schenks and their three children to use temporarily. Contributions to benefit funds for the family — at the Rupert branches of the Idaho First National Bank and First Security Bank of Idaho — also are being taken. And some fund-raising events are being organized to help the homeless family, Whitton said.

The small community of Norland will hold an auction and other fund-raising activities Saturday. A local tavern, the Ace of Clubs bar, is sponsoring the event.

Damage estimates ranged from \$100,000 to \$1 million.

• 4,000 acres of sugar beets were affected, with damage ranging between 10 and 100 percent.

• 3,500 acres of field crops damaged ranged from 10 to 100 percent.

• 4,200 acres of beans damaged ranged from 10 to 100 percent.

• 6,500 acres of grain damaged ranged from 10 to 100 percent.

• Between 20 and 40 percent of the 15,000 acres of sugar beets damaged ranged from 10 to 100 percent.

• A total monetary loss is not yet available Wednesday, but the latest report estimates that 50,000 farmers suffered some loss in the stampede, says Kent Kirk, the Twin Falls County ASCS director.

"We probably will be appealing if the damage is greater than what we've estimated."

"About 90 percent is doing repair jobs, but it's that other 10 percent that gives you that high," it gets you," Kirk says.

Research, he says, is just trying to understand your surroundings. What makes it exciting is that there is always something new to understand.

"Any researcher that runs out of things to do doesn't belong in research."

The five northern Idaho residents, who along with Benewah County officials filed the suit, are seeking a fundamental restructuring of legislative districts that would do away with many existing districts.

They claim that the current plan, drawn in 1982, violates the state constitution by creating legislative districts that cut across county lines. To remedy this situation, they want the state to redraw district lines.

And if possible, they want the state to hold a special fall election, which would give the voters a chance to elect officials from the redrawn districts.

The Idaho Attorney General's Office admits the current plan may not comply with the state constitution. It argues that the plan is in full compliance with the U.S. Constitution. And the U.S. Constitution says, deputy attorney general Ken McClure, takes precedence over the state constitution.

First District Court Judge Dan Cogswell says he will decide by Sept. 1 whether the plan is legal. If he agrees, he will rule that it is illegal, he will draw a new plan, either drawn by himself or one submitted by the plaintiff, or he will ask the Legislature to draw a new plan.

Scientist helps hemophiliacs fight other illness

By PAT MARCANTONIO
Times-News writer

BURL — When he was a freshman in college, former Buhl resident Gary Dolana knew he wanted to work in science.

He got his wish. For many years, he and a team of other scientists completed the development of a heat treatment that reduces the risk of hemophiliacs getting hepatitis.

The 47-year-old researcher is back home this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dolana of Buhl.

For 10 years, Dolana has worked for Hyland Laboratories in Glendale, Calif. One of the company's products is Hemophil T, used in the treatment of hemophilia, a defect where the blood does not clot.

Hemophilia is made from human plasma or the fluid part of blood. The plasma contains a protein necessary for clotting.

The problem with using the protein was industry-wide, he says. Despite screening procedures and stringent controls, not all the signs of viral hepatitis in donated blood could be detected.

Dolana says it makes him feel good that he has been able to help others.

Seven years ago, Dolana began working on the company's project to study the problem. He and his staff studied viruses.

For the researchers, there were preliminary stumbling blocks. The hepatitis virus could not be grown in a culture dish for study. Instead, they had to use other viruses in a heating procedure that would reduce the hepatitis risk, but not kill the needed protein, he says.

Dolana would not explain the details about what his and the other researchers found because his company is in the process of getting a patent for his heat treatment.

But he says the results of the work have been successful, and the heat-treated substance has been licensed in the United States and Germany.

Dolana says it makes him feel good that he has been able to help others.

While still a student, he worked as a janitor in the lab of what was then the Twin Falls Hospital. After college, he worked in the university environmental biology research laboratory and later for a Utah company studying viruses transmitted by animals.

When he first started working at the lab, he became a specialist as a virologist.

Experiments, viruses, cultures and microscopes are all part of his job, which is research. A researcher's work can be tedious, result in dead ends or last long hours, he says.

"Some experiments can take months, then several days. We were there (working on the new treatment) nearly 24 hours a day on occasion."

"Mostly, however, this job is exciting and rewarding," he says.

"About 90 percent is doing repair jobs, but it's that other 10 percent that gives you that high," it gets you," Kirk says.



GARY DOLANA
Attained childhood dream

Magic Valley



Beacon Bean manager Tom Morrison stands in front of Gooding plant expansion project

As harvest season grinds

Bean-packaging plant becomes reality

By LUCY OSBORNE
Times-News correspondent

GOODING — The dust, in spite of recent rains, drifts around the busy hills of Hysters carrying loads of packaged beans and popcorn to waiting trucks. Samples are being taken from a farmer's truck for moisture content. The sounds of electric drills and hammers compete with the Union Pacific Railroad trains for the casual observer's attention.

The fall harvest season, with long hours and an ever-watchful eye to the sky, has begun in Gooding County.

And Beacon Bean Co., long the hub of all this activity, is adding a new dimension to the rapid pace of the season with construction of an expansive 25,000-square-foot building.

The all-state processing and packaging plant is being constructed by Renfro Industrial Construction Co.

The ultramodern facility will be equipped with the most up-to-date equipment available to handle a full line of 17 varieties of dry beans, says Tom Morrison, manager of Beacon Bean for the past 29 years.

In addition, Beacon packages and warehouses rice, popcorn, split-peas, lentils and pearl barley, with the majority of the dry beans originating in Gooding County, although Morrison buys from all over the Magic Valley.

If you see a grain truck going down the road, they're usually hauling beans for us, says Morrison.

After packaging, distribution is made all over the Northwest, Pacific Coast, and South into Utah and Arizona, he says.

"Bullish" on the bean industry in Idaho, Morrison says the quality of Idaho beans is still demanded in West Coast markets over other areas—and that California dealers prefer Idaho's prime beans.

Morrison says he expects to employ from 30 to 35 people during peak times, including office personnel. He says employee turnover is minimal with some of the major staff having been around for 10 to 17 years.

Morrison says the expansion is needed because our other facilities were inadequate. We needed additional space. I hope to continue to be a contributing factor in the bean industry of southern Idaho.

Morrison adds that he wanted the new facility to be located in Gooding because "Gooding has been good to me and my family. It is the top spot of the valley, accessible to transportation, labor and supplies."

As Morrison takes, a congenial office staff works efficiently around him. A bean grower stops in to chat and the construction workers keep him company.

Amidst the hustling business atmosphere, the soft-spoken Morrison says, "We've lost a grand deal in this country, but if the metropolitan communities could see what happened in rural America we could pull forward again."

"We've always had a belief the best we have is rural America, where values hold true; it's a man's

work is still his responsibility to his friends and neighbors, and is dependent upon them," he says.

"I feel in Gooding, that my customers would help me and give their all if I ever needed it, and they have proved this to me. I genuinely love Gooding."

The clock says 5 p.m. but the activity around the Beacon Bean Co. continues.

Morrison came to Gooding from Denver, Colo. The Iowa-born Morrison first viewed the town after a World War II troop train and it was love at first sight, he says.

When the managerial opportunity came at Beacon Bean in 1954, there was "no hesitation," says Morrison. So with a bachelor of science degree from Colorado State University and two years of experience in the bean business, he came to Gooding.

Beacon Bean has continuously served the Gooding area as a market place and storage for beans and grains since 1942.

And under Morrison's guidance, its name has become well known throughout the country.

Morrison served two terms on the Idaho Bean Commission and also two terms on the National Dry Bean Commission, an appointed office that represents the bean industry on a national level and is past president of Western Bean Dealers, no

Idaho association.

In the community, his involvement has included two terms on the Gooding school board and a term as Rotary president, plus numerous committee works.

Ground water upsets sewers

By DAVE LEWIS
Times-News writer

RUPERT — What a health official terms a "serious health problem" at the edge of Rupert's city limits is being looked at by city officials.

High subsurface water in the Wiley Craven subdivision on the city's south limits is responsible for drain field failures, backed up sewers, open sewers with exposed raw sewage and restricted water use, South Central Health District Director Doug Laumann told the Rupert City Council in a letter last month.

The problem threatens the water quality in the wells in the subdivision and a family blames the condition for causing a long series of illnesses that has affected it.

Laumann says the only long-term solution to the problem is for the city to annex the 12 remaining lots of the 14-lot subdivision and provide city water and sewer.

The problem surfaced for the second time in two years when Laumann presented the council—the letter outlining the problems and his concerns for the subdivision.

In the letter, Laumann states the residents of the area "face serious health hazards" because of the problem.

Laumann says flood irrigation on agricultural lands in southern Minidoka County causes the surface water to rise and shortens the life of drain fields.

The problem is not unique to the Wiley Craven subdivision, but has been a problem there for a number of years, he says.

Laumann says, if property owners replace failed drain fields, the new fields also will fail.

Residents are renewing efforts for annexation and the city, says Mayor Bill Whitton, seems agreeable if the subdivision is brought in under the city's conditions.

When residents petitioned the city for annexation two years ago, the city chose not to annex because some of the residents did not like the city's annexation terms.

Whitton says some residents wanted the water and sewer service without annexation. However, the city for the subdivision.

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Mothers shouldn't wave while driving

I think mothers driving cars have every reason in the world not to wave to friends passing by on the road.

Usually, we mothers have a couple of kids fighting in the back of the station wagon and the baby is trying to crawl out of the car seat.

Besides this, we mothers are thinking about what to fix for dinner, the grocery list, I know there's five items, what is the fifth?—and how much money needs to be put in the checking account to cover the last overdrawn item.

But inevitably a friend will walk up to you on the sidewalk and say, "Hello, Stupick. Didn't you see me wave?"

" Didn't you see the kids?" I often feel like replying. But usually it's a mumble excuse. And as I've already noted, mothers have lots of legitimate excuses.

What I'd like to know, though, is why don't some of the farmers and ranchers around here wave? Usually, it's a lone male in a pickup driving down the road.

There's so and so, I think to myself, I'll just wave hello. Midway in my wave so and so roars past, leaving me in a cloud of dust.

Oh, not all farmers are non-wavers, but it's the few that make the rest look bad. And some of the

farmers/ranchers have pretty good excuses involving a CD in their vehicle and they're busy talking to "Good Buddy" or the wife back at the house.

Others have a lot on their mind, like what crop to raise next year, when to sell the calves and, more importantly, how to make enough money to pay back the Δ 's.

I think ego has something to do with it. Even though my husband and I both know the neighboring rancher passing by in his car, he'll always wave to Dale when we're together but never to me alone!

And I've noticed the wave produced varies with the rank of the farmer/rancher. If the waver is a small farmer and just starting out, he'll smile big and wave full hand.

If he owns a medium-sized ranch (500-1,000 acres) plus cattle, he'll have his hands on the steering wheel and wave just his index finger. If he's a big farmer, he won't wave at all, he'll smile big and wave full hand.

And if he's so big he knows Jack Simplot personally, even if you honked the horn, he'd just your flashers and waved, you'd be lucky to see a smile from him.

My husband says farmers and ranchers are really friendly, warm people. He obviously has bias, but I think he's right.

I guess Simplot just has a few close friends in our neighborhood.

Cities, counties plan budgets, review tax-income forecast

Sun Valley seeks optional tax

By DAVE LEWIS
Times-News writer

SUN VALLEY — Sun Valley's proposed budget is up-by-5 percent and heavily-dependent on a local option tax that goes to the public next month.

Tentative expenditures for fiscal year 1983-84 are set at nearly \$1.5 million up from \$1.42 million last year.

The Sun Valley water and sewer district also has set a slightly higher budget for the coming year — from \$2.88 million last year to a proposed \$2.94 million this year.

The budget includes rate increases for both water and sewer fees and major capital expenses for improvements to the sewer treatment plant, shared with the city of Ketchum, including an additional well.

The city and the water and sewer district have separate budgets, but share administrative facilities and some personnel.

Hearings on the two budgets are set for Sept. 7 with the water and sewer district holding its hearing at 9:30 a.m. and the city presenting its budget at 4 p.m.

City Administrator Jack Brown says the city's proposed budget is actually 17 percent less than last year, except it includes expenditures for taking over the administration of the Ketchum-Sun Valley Transit System from Ketchum.

Administrative costs for the system include \$317,442 that will come through the U.S. Department of Transportation Urban Mass Transit Authority. The city will contribute another \$50,000 to the system.

Brown says Sun Valley is taking

over the transit system because Ketchum officials no longer wanted to handle the responsibility.

The system is operated by the Boise School Bus Co., Boise, under contract with the two cities.

Otherwise, the general operating expenditures will drop from \$1.34 million to \$1.11 million, Brown says.

The decrease comes from a sharp drop in the budget for the city's fire department which built a new fire station in Elk River.

The fire department's allocation dropped from \$41,350 to \$15,400.

The decrease also is due to the fact no new fire-fighting equipment will be needed during the coming year.

The city's budget proposal includes revenues from the city's 5 percent local option tax, which makes up 42 percent of the budget, Brown says.

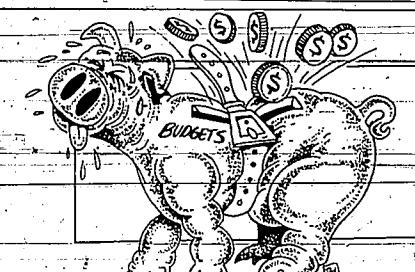
That tax, which the city charges against the price of hotel rooms and alcohol by the drink, is being challenged by the Sun Valley Company in the courts and at the polls in November.

Ketchum faces the same challenge from local hotel, motel and bar owners. However, officials from both cities say they will attempt to have the tax approved for another five years.

The budget also includes a 5 percent increase in property taxes, which Brown says is necessary because of drops in the city's building permit and interest revenues.

An increase in budget is proposed for three Sun Valley departments, while five departments, including the fire department have lower budget proposals than last year.

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Lincoln County freezes wages

SHOSHONE — Wages have been frozen for Lincoln County employees this year.

Meeting this week, the Lincoln County Commission agreed that employees and elected officials' wages across the board for the 1983-84 fiscal year would not be increased.

The commission, citing current economic conditions, said funds were just not available to grant salary raises.

Elected officials will continue to be paid at current annual levels: assessor, \$14,500; treasurer, \$14,500; sheriff, clerk and prosecutor, \$15,000 each; coroner, \$600; and county commissioners, \$4,872.

The total proposed budget of \$804,119 was approved and a public hearing on the proposal set for 10 a.m. Sept. 8 at the Lincoln County Courthouse.

The commission, citing current economic conditions, said funds were just not available to grant salary raises.

The additional revenue will be used in the sanitation department with a proposed budget of \$31,496 up from last year's \$24,000.

The entire \$484,774 budget will be discussed at a public hearing Sept. 6 at 8 p.m. in Shoshone.

County budget up 12.8 percent

By DAVE LEWIS
Times-News writer

HAILEY — Although trimmed as much as possible, the Blaine County budget for fiscal 1983-84 tentatively has been set at \$4.4 million, a 12.8 percent increase over this year's budget.

That increase, however, reflects

money from state and federal sources that will go to the road and bridge department and to the Friedman Memorial Airport in Hailey.

The budget also includes pay raises of about 5 percent for county employees and a healthy increase in the indigent fund.

Most departments are facing modest increases in their budgets. However, the Blaine County Community Education program had its support from the county cut in half.

The community education program, normally \$20,000 per year, has been reduced to \$10,000.

Started in 1979, the program has offered classes to county residents, including college credit classes.

During the current fiscal year, the county contributed \$10,000 to the program, which has an enrollment of about 750 adults each year.

A public hearing on the proposed budget is scheduled at 1 p.m. Sept. 6 in the Blaine County Courthouse.

Corwin says the county has set aside \$28,600 for charity and indigent funds for the coming year.

Last year, several lawsuits were brought against the county for payment of large medical bills of several indigent individuals and families. The county refused to pay some of the bills and some lawsuits are still active.

However, last winter, the Idaho Legislature passed a bill allowing an increase in a county's indigency fund to fall outside the county's five percent budgetary increase limitation.

Corwin says the most significant aspect of the budget is the most significant change in the county's budget.

The county will contribute \$32,000 to the Star Bridge on Broadhead Road,

which was damaged by some of the biggest winter floods ever in the Big Wood River in late spring. The rest of the funds for the replacement come from state and federal sources.

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Clydesdales parade around Rupert

RUPERT The big, brawny Clydesdales stopped through Rupert and clogged the streets Wednesday.

Mayor Bill Whitton said the team of huge horses, which is the beer's best-known promotion, attracted an estimated 20,000 people to the area around the city park.

"There were better than 5,000 there when they announced them," he said.

"People just kept coming in all day."

from all over the valley."

He said the famed horse team pulled its 60-ton wagon, delivery wagon, around the square all day and made a special side trip to Minidoka County Memorial Hospital.

The appearance was sponsored by the Southern Idaho Distributing Co. of Twin Falls.

No beer was for sale. Even the two dozen traveling representatives from Budweiser drank cola, Whitton said.

Sewage

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will not agree to those terms, the mayor adds.

The mood of the residents in the area appears to be changing.

"Jack Attnip says he opposed the annexation proposal made by the city about two years ago, but now is ready to accept the proposal."

"I'm hoping that they do it," Attnip says of the annexation.

Attnip says he originally opposed annexation because of higher city taxes. The lots in the subdivision are larger than most city lots, ranging from one acre up, and the taxes would be higher, he says.

However, he now thinks the trade-off is worth it to get rid of the sewer problems.

"Attnip's lot is on the east end of the subdivision, on 100 South road east of Meridian Road, and is not as affected by the problem as the residents on the

west end."

Jacqueline Walk owns the lot and house on the west end of the unnnamed lots. Her daughter and son-in-law, Barney and Jennie Reed, and her two grandchildren live in the house.

Walk says the Reeds will not use their well water and have resorted to hauling water and have rented a portable outhouse to use as a toilet. Their clothes are washed in well water, but the wash water is emitted into the ground.

Walk says the family attributes a long series of illnesses in the family to the water and sewage problem. These illnesses include colds, stomach aches and diarrhea, she says.

Laumann does not directly attribute the illnesses to the problem, but the assumption is a logical one to make and he says he does not rule it out.

Because of the problem, Walk is pushing annexation, as she did when the city made its last proposal. She's

not worried about higher taxes.

"Even if they are higher, it's better than having them sick all the time," she says.

Laumann tested the wells in the subdivision and found some with a high amount of nitrates. Nitrates are a measure of the possible presence of organic matter, in this case possible sewage, in the well water.

He says the highest nitrate level measured was 10 parts per million, and that a level of 10 parts per million is considered dangerous.

However, sporadic testing of the wells does not necessarily give an indication of a well's possible contamination. Laumann says there may be times when a well has a higher nitrate count than at the time of testing. It's a hit and miss situation, he says.

"The city cannot give the residents any immediate assistance, even if the subdivision is annexed right away."

Budget

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Administrative costs will rise 9 percent — to \$251,700 from \$230,950; police department expenditures will go up 3 percent — to \$300,200 from \$223,400; and the roads and grounds department increases 9 percent — to \$62,600 from \$58,500.

Departments that show a decrease in the proposed budget include dog control, which is set at \$19,900 down from \$26,500; the building department, down 2 percent — to \$48,200 from \$47,000; and the planning and zoning department, down 7 percent to \$26,600 from \$28,500.

The city's legislative efforts are set to increase 8 percent — to \$33,000 from \$30,600.

Areas where expenditures will remain the same are the city's contributions to the transit system, \$30,000; support to Morris Community Hospital, \$50,000; and ambulance support, \$30,000.

For the Water and Sewer District, the most dramatic change will come in the form of rate increases for water and sewer services.

These increases are to help pay for the bond debt the city has for improving the Ketchum sewer treatment plant, which Slur Valley and Ketchum jointly own.

Brown says the monthly water fee is

proposed to increase \$2 — from \$6.70

to \$8.70. The sewer fee increase is

even higher — from \$10 to \$13.10.

Originally, the city expected the revenue to retire the bond to come from increases in the water and sewer connection fees from new construction.

The city needs 80 new hookups each year to pay the debt, however. Brown says last year the city issued only 20 new building permits.

Capital improvements are the largest part of the water and sewer district's budget. These include a new well (\$120,000), design and construction of the Ketchum sewer plant (\$1.5 million), building maintenance (\$250,000), a new reservoir (\$175,000), new water lines (\$121,000) and other improvements (totalling \$125,000) that will cost the district \$1.79.

elections, 2.3 percent increase; planning and zoning, 1.5 percent increase; prosecuting attorney, 2.1 percent increase; and sheriff's office, 3 percent increase.

The Blaine County Medical Center, which the county had to bail out of a tough financial crisis during the cur-

rent fiscal year, is expected to be self-supporting in the coming year.

The airport's budget is set at \$771,000, a 10 percent increase from the current year. However, most of the increase will come from federal sources.

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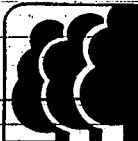
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4-H'ers learn about nature, friendship in Sawtooth camp

By VICKIE DRAPER

Times-News correspondent

KIMBERLY — Imagine yourself standing at the edge of a mountain meadow carpeted with green grasses spiced with brightly-colored flowers.

The majestic pines stand upward to the hills, covered with more pines, then on upward to craggy mountain tops dotted with snow. The blue of the sky spreads a protecting blanket over the entire magnificent scene.

Now imagine this same pastoral scene levitated by 150 excited children between the ages of 9 and 12, accompanied by 20 teenagers and adults, all eager to have a good time while they learn more about nature and making friends.

This is the scene that captured my eyes on first arriving to take part in a 4-H camp held earlier this month.

The setting, with lodge and cabins, are located in the heart of the Sawtooths, 18 miles north of Kellogg.

When I first arrived at the 4-H office to begin the adventure, I saw a bunch of excited, appreciative boys and girls, with some mothers looking just as appreciative as the children they were sending off.

I had been included in the planning of the activities for camp and knew caretakers had been chosen to give the campers the best. I knew, too, there would still be a few surprises left during the week-long session.

About 14 teen-age 4-H'ers would be responsible for keeping track of the children on a minute-to-minute basis.

It was up to six female caretakers, including myself, two male assistants,

and the supervisor, Wilma Southwick, to keep the children busy and to provide them with good experiences.

A registered nurse was on 24-hour call to aid in the health department and four cooks were on hand to feed the campers.

Great emphasis was placed on singing during the camp, from breakfast in the morning to around the campfire each night.

The crazier the song, the more the kids enjoyed it. A favorite was: "I like bananas—coconuts and grapes," repeated twice, followed by "That's why they call me Tarzan and the Apes!"

Lights went out at 10:30 but invariably a single needed something, and there were usually a few homesick campers, as I had feared.

Daytime was too busy to be home-

Classed were held to help the young campers learn more about nature and how to cope in the outdoors. The most popular class seemed to be archery.

Several different craft projects were available for the children to choose from. Some youngsters participated in one project, others in all of them.

Autograph books were made, the young campers using objects from nature, and cameras, macramé and weaving were among the offerings.

And, of course, camp wouldn't be complete without swimming.

For some reason, each day around 2 p.m. the sky would darken over the lodge and it would rain heavily. About 15 to 20 minutes later, the sky would

clear, leaving the forest fresh and clean.

A dance was held the second night. "I'm not going to dance, why do we have to go to that?" could be heard in repeated forms as groups of youngsters made their way toward the campfire.

When the music began, counselors tried, with much success, to get the kids to dance.

But then the Bunny Hop was put on the record player and the ice was broken. By the end of dance time, the floor was crowded. The dance turned out to be so popular it had to be repeated the following night after the skits were completed.

It was refreshing to hear complaints of different kinds the last night of camp—"I don't want to go home," could now be heard. "I won't be able to see my new friends!"

Most rewarding of all was to see the growth of the children.

One young girl in particular surprised me. She was homesick and ill most of the time at camp. One day about two weeks after we returned, I heard her talking with a group of 4-H'ers.

"Did you see John at the dance?" she asked enthusiastically, referring to a boy whom she had seen before.

This is the goal of 4-H camp—to provide experiences to help youth grow so they may effectively face the future.

The whole camp experience is best summed up in a song we sang around the campfire: "Friends—I will be friends with you; think of you—yes, very friendly. And when another day is through, I'll still be friends with you."

'Dog Days' come to Hailey

HAILEY — The "Dog Days of August" are coming to Blaine County.

Activities for the Sunday event include two polo matches and an auction to help finance the Animal Hospice program in Blaine County.

Members of the hospice board have planned the "Dog Days of August" to also include dinner, dancing and entertainment.

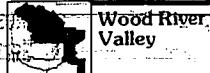
The polo game begins at noon at the Broadford Polo Club grounds of lower Broadford Road in Bellevue. Playing will be the Broadford squad against the Wood River club in the Bow-wow League and the Jackson, Wyo., and the Eugene, Ore., teams in the second division.

The auction will immediately follow the last chukka at about 3 p.m. All events are at the Polo grounds. The items up-for-bid have been donated by major business firms in Blaine County and include a doggie backpack for the hiker who likes to take his dog along, and a duck plucker for some hunter's convenience. Some of the surplus animals from the hospice will also be offered at auction.

Paintings, donated by many local artists as well as New York artist Mary Rotham, will be auctioned along with other types of art.

This will be followed by dinner, dancing and entertainment. Music will be furnished by the Pinto Bennett players, known as one of Idaho's best country western groups.

Committee members say the cost of participation is tax deductible.



Wood River
Valley

said, is working with senior citizens in rest homes and giving them an opportunity to enjoy the association with animals.

One day each week, volunteers take some of the animals to nursing homes where residents and animals both have an opportunity for attention and communication, she said.

Tickets for entry to the polo grounds are \$10 and are available at the Sun Valley Animal Clinic, Trail Creek Executive Services, Sawtooth Animal Clinic and the Smug.

Further information is available from Lynn Stallard at 726-3845 and Donna West at 728-4445.

Animal Rescues is a non-profit animal shelter with the goal of caring for abandoned and lost or surplus animals until homes can be found.

"We try to place all of our animals, rather than kill them as do most shelters," West said.

"Not only that, but we attempt to find good homes that are suitable to the specific animal and prospective owner."

The hospice began several years ago and now occupies a modern building where a landscaping project is currently under way.

"Cost of keeping the animals requires constant replenishing of funds," committee members say.

The hospice also provides an educational program through the schools on animal care and responsibility, spaying and neutering services, plus promotional programs on animals.

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Commission scans proposal for financing sewer system

By BONNIE BAIRD JONES
Times-News writer

JEROME — Copies of a proposed resolution to create a local improvement district to finance and build a sewer and water project on South Lincoln Street in Jerome were presented county commissioners this week.

Commission Chairman Carl Butler said no action has been taken on the proposed resolution pending an opportunity to study and discuss it.

He said the commission will probably vote on the measure Monday if approved, the district will be formed and the sewer and water lines extended west of Jerome as far as Interstate 84.

A Monday public hearing on the proposed district brought out several opponents of the plan on the basis of cost to property owners.

Each property owner is to be assessed \$1,000 plus \$133 per acre of land. The payment will be stretched over 30 years unless property owners wish to make a full payment at the start of the project.

4-H livestock at local county fair prompts high bids during auction

By BONNIE BAIRD JONES
Times-News writer

JEROME — Meat prices skyrocketed in Jerome this past week, but there were no complaints especially from the buyers.

Beef sold for as high as \$1.40 a pound — live weight on the hoof — while lamb went for \$7.75 per pound and pork sold at \$3.30.

The reason was the community support given the annual Jerome County fat stock sale for prize-winning 4-H and FFA county fair projects.

Jerome County Extension Agent Robert Ohlensehlen said prices were up from last year and new buyers were bidding for the quality animals offered by the young producers.

The grand champion beef was sold by Merle Braun and purchased for \$1.40 per pound by Countrieside and



North Side

should be charged \$1,040 for sewer hookups and \$790 for water hookups.

Martens said the figures were arrived at by averaging the total local share of the project costs on the ultimate number of hookups likely.

The later fees to be charged through land development could be used to reduce the annual payments of the initial landowners, Martens explained.

"I think this is reasonable. It is a lot less than a business or individual would pay to drill a well and install a septic tank," Martens said.

Buter said his only concern would be for those current landowners who "put their money up front now" and would then be responsible for any reduced payments over the 30-year period for the LID bonds.

Farmers paying their full bill now would be saving interest, Martens said, but would probably come out about even.

Commissioners approved the change, saying there would be no need for additional public hearings since the change is a benefit to the property owners.

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Jerome selects home economist

JEROME — Barbara Morales of Rupert is the new Jerome County Extension home economist. It was announced at the Jerome County Commission meeting earlier this week.

Morales has been freelancing as a

home economist for the past several months and working as a 4-H aide in Minidoka County.

Jerome County Agent Robert Ohlensehlen told commissioners Morales will join the extension service staff immediately, but will be commuting from Rupert until the family is able to locate in Jerome.

Jerome County has been without a home economist since the resignation last spring of Fay Aanerud.

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3 Decorator pillows were \$12, then 4.99	2.99
9 Ball towels velvete were \$10, then 6.99	3.49
6 Terry bath towels were \$20, then 7.99	3.99
4 Plastic shower curtains were \$26, 6.99	3.99
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5 Decor pillows were \$15.99, then 7.99	4.99
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Bighorn roundup

Employees of the Arizona Game and Fish Department and helpers, straddle bighorn sheep, caught in a trap net for transplanted

purposes. Officials say the net method is better for the sheep than chasing them with helicopters and using tranquilizer darts. Remote-

control net drops originated in Colorado and Nevada.

Acid rain begins to draw more concern

By DIANNE DUMANOSKI
Independent Press Service

BOSTON — For the past several years, the politics of acid rain has been dominated by a stand-off between the Northeast and the Midwest.

The Northeast is suffering damage to its lakes and possibly to its forests from acid rain; the Midwest burns high-sulfur coal in many of its power plants. The sulfur pollution emitted from the tall stacks of these power plants travels eastward on the pre-vailing winds, fueling acid rain hundreds of miles away.

By unfortunate coincidence, the downwind areas in the Northeast receiving the worst acid rain are also the most vulnerable to damage because their soils and bedrock are out in natural buffering materials. Much of the Midwest, on the other hand, is rich in limestone and therefore well protected against many kinds of acid-rain damage.

These simple facts of geology and geography have been at the root of the political stalemate. The Midwest is being asked to pay for expensive control technology to stop pollution that is a major cause of its damage somewhere else.

A significant shift has been taking place in the acid-rain debate, one that could speed congressional action and neutralize some Midwest opposition to acid-rain controls.

Now ideas are surfacing. They include:

— The possibility of a national acid-rain bill, rather than one involving only the 31 states east of the Mississippi;

— Provisions that would protect Midwest mining jobs and high-sulfur coal markets by requiring utilities to install pollution-control devices instead of switching to lower-sulfur coal;

— The alternative proposal, Glenn advanced might be regarded as a result of political expediency (acid

rain is a hot issue in New Hampshire, where the first presidential primary takes place), he did try to point toward an approach that would address the concerns of both the Northeast and the Midwest.

In order to protect Midwestern jobs and the Midwest coal market, he advocated a control program to reduce sulfur-dioxide emissions by 10 million tons through the use of pollution-control technologies.

"The crux of the acid-rain cleanup problem," Glenn continued, "has always been the cost of cleanup and who should bear it. I firmly believe that the problem should not be seen as pitting the Midwest against the Northeast or as coal plants versus other fossil fuel plants."

(Some proposed acid-rain-control programs would place the costs of controls predominantly on the industrial Midwest, which is already suffering from excessive unemployment. More jobs would be lost as a result.)

Instead, Glenn endorsed a funding method outlined by a Congressional Research Service report that requested — the imposition of a 3 mills per kilowatt-hour (a mill equals one-tenth of 1 cent) tax on electricity sales from fossil-fuel-fired power plants in the 31 states in the Eastern United States. The money would go into a superfund that would pay the capital costs of pollution-control technologies.

Environmentalists who have calculated the cost estimate the average residential customer would pay an extra \$1.20 a month for electricity.

Glenn's staff is now at work on legislation that will embody the ideas contained in this April speech.

In the House, a subcommittee on health and environment is also at

work on legislation that would take a new approach toward paying for acid-rain controls. But Rep. Henry Waxman (D-Calif.), whose district includes Los Angeles, which is suffering from severely acidic fog, favors a bill that would encompass the contiguous 48 states. Advocates of this approach point to the growing evidence of acid-rain damage outside the Northeast and to the political difficulties involved in getting a bill through a 50-state Congress.

"It's hard to justify a 31-state approach that would require stringent controls in Kansas City, Mo., but not in Kansas City, Kan.," said one aide. However, political strategists argue that a 48-state acid-rain control bill may present other, equally difficult problems.

Waxman's subcommittee is also looking at ways for spreading the cost through a trust fund and for preventing the loss of jobs, according to a staff member. It is hoped that such an approach will allow Midwestern moderates to support acid-rain legislation.

The concept of cost sharing and a national approach has also been embraced by Gov. Michael Dukakis, who has been working actively to overcome the polarization between the Midwest and New England.

Two weeks ago, Massachusetts Lt. Gov. John Kerry and the head of the state Division of Environmental Quality Engineering, Anthony Celeste, met with Ohio Gov. Anthony Celeste. "There's been a lot of finger-pointing," said Kerry, "but that has not produced a solution." Celeste, Kerry said, expressed interest in working with Massachusetts on the acid-rain problem.

Cancer-plagued fish show up across land

Nature is trying to tell us something.

CNN, the television network, has done an in-depth series on cancer in fish. This study revealed that many of the lakes and streams in the eastern U.S. are troubled with fish that have cancer.

The study pointed out that salmon have been caught off the coast of Oregon with forms of cancer.

Now Congress has called for an investigation to begin next month. Teams of experts have been hired to appear before committees and elected officials are focusing at the mouth.

The study started in Wyoming where a lake was netted and it showed that 75 percent of the fish in this lake had the disease. This particular lake was the dumping ground for a copper mine in the area and, it is assumed, these toxic wastes have caused the problem. The incidence of cancer in humans in this area is also much higher than the national average, pointing out the chain of consumption.

District Four of the Idaho Wildlife Federation will host the 19th annual meeting of the state group in Sun Valley April 13-15, 1984.

All state and federal agencies usually have reports and the speakers and forums will provide those interested with information on the conditions of not only our wildlife but the conservation efforts of agency and individuals.

This is an excellent group that draws representatives from all parts of Idaho.

Your help is needed in the planning of this gathering. If you have the time and are willing to give it, please call Les Hazen at 733-9601 or Don Zuck at 733-4760.

While we still have our fishing in Idaho, I will attempt to give you some suggestions on where to go.

Fish Creek Reservoir has been doing very well. "My two grandsons and I caught our limit of 10 to 14-inch fish in only a few hours. We had one bite after one bite across the line," was one answer to my usual question of "How did you do?"

The Big Bend area of Sun Valley has been excellent for fishing. Most of the fish are small but if you like to eat pan-fried fish right from the stream to the fire, this is your place.

Frau and I had excellent success on the Snake River below Hagerman. The area is called "Big Bend." Most of this area could be called the same name. Just watch for the areas where you have a back flow.

Frau was using worms and cut bait while I found large pattern files were very effective. Most of the fish you catch will be size with an occasional lunker.

Because the river is very rocky in this stretch, you will lose a lot of tackle. So go prepared if you like the bottom fishing.

"We caught over 50 fish in one day's fishing," was the report from Mountain View Reservoir on the Idaho-Nevada border. You will need an Indian tribe fishing permit. Must tell you though, the fish will be mossy tasting this time of the year from my past experiences in this area. This is a float tuber's heaven. The only drawback is the wind that comes up almost daily.

- My calls regarding how Magic Reservoir is doing were met with shrugging shoulders and one suggestion: "Get a hold of Lloyd Kelley."

Lloyd stays at West Magic during most of the summer, and it anyone can catch fish, my informants tell me, it has to be Lloyd Kelley.

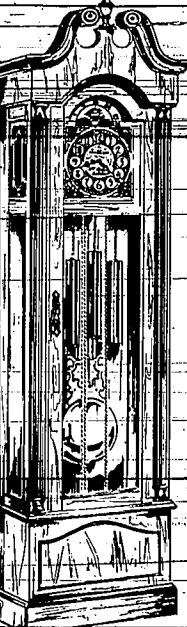
The nighttime cat fishing has been great at Muriel Lake. Most of the devotees do not even wet a line until dark.

The bait is the usual worms and/or various stink baits.

Without Harschberger, Twin Falls, has pointed out that strawberry jello mixed with cornmeal and flour and rolled into round balls is a nice catfish bait.

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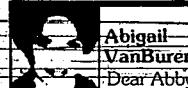
DEAR ABBY: I have four children ranging in age from 5 months to 10 years. With school out, I've had my hands full taking care of them.

We are one of the few families who have a swimming pool. How do I deal with all the kids who come over wanting to swim? I don't want to be rude, but I don't want to be a lifeguard and responsible director either. Some days I can handle a couple of extra kids, and some days I can't.

Also, they want to help themselves to snacks, and I can't afford to feed the whole neighborhood. Every day I have kids coming to my door or climbing over the fence if we are in the pool. If I let them swim once, they think they have a standing invitation to come every day.

Is there a tactful way to handle this?

DEAR SUSAN: Putting "tactical aside for a moment, let's talk "legal." Your pool is the law would call "an attractive nuisance," and it is



**Abigail
VanBuren**

Dear Abby,

your responsibility to have a fence that will keep kids out. Talk to a lawyer about this, and your insurance agent, too.

Then have a clear understanding with the children and their parents about when they may swim in your pool. Adult neighbors whose children enjoy your pool should be willing to alternate as lifeguards.

DEAR ABBY: I read in July's Reader's Digest that Burt Reynolds gets \$4,877.69 an hour. How can I get in touch with him? I have the money and I'd like to meet him.

ELAINE IN E. PALM BEACH: Dear ELAINE: If you have a part

to offer Burt, contact his agent.

DEAR ABBY: As the working divorced mother of a future bride, I invited the parents of the bride to my home for a cocktail party in order to meet them for the first time. We went to consider trouble and expense to make everything perfect.

At 1:30 p.m. my son and his fiancee arrived after having spent the day with their parents at their summer cottage about five miles away. The bride said she hoped I wasn't expecting her parents that evening — that her mother wasn't sure which night they had been invited for. Then she mumbled something about "no phone at the cottage," which was supposed to excuse their pot calling to check the

date or say they couldn't make it.

Now I feel so hurt and insulted I don't care if I never meet these people but I don't want to hurt the boy's feelings.

What should I do?

DEAR NO NAME IN MAINE: I realize you can't easily overlook the rudeness, thoughtlessness or whatever caused their show of bad manners; but the interest of a good relationship with your son and his future wife, make no mention of it.

(Every teen-ager should know the truth about drugs, sex and how to be happy. For Abby's booklet, send \$2 and a long, stamped, (37 cents), self-addressed envelope to Abby Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 38223, Hollywood, Calif. 90023.)

By PATRICIA McCORMACK
UPI Health Editor

Prevent blindness...when you recommend eye guard for kids ages who play soccer, racket sports and hockey to don eye guards before hitting the playing ground. The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends this fall newsletter for families, "Your Child's Health."

Eye guards should be worn during sports activity, including football, basketball, baseball, tennis, golf, soccer, etc.

The society estimates the injuries occur on school playgrounds and in schools each year.

First-year students in sports wear prescription glasses should buy sports' prescription eye guards available from most opticals. Others should buy polycarbonate plastic glasses he said cost from \$20 to \$30.

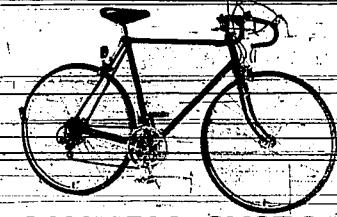
The academy said eye guards are new standards for all sport eye guards. Although less than 50 percent of racket sports players would be prevented by eye guards capable of withstanding the impact of a ball hit at 80 miles per hour, racketball hit at 50 miles per hour.

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Valley happenings

School-supply sale set

TWIN FALLS: The Lincoln Elementary School PTA will hold a supply sale from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday and from 9:30 to 9:30 a.m. and 3 to 4 p.m. next Monday through Wednesday, Aug. 29-31.

Officers of the organization for this coming year are: Linda Ford, president; Laura Crawford, vice president; Connie McIntyre, second vice president; Rita Woodall, secretary; and Bev Leedom, treasurer.

Committee chairmen are Linda Meyer, room mother; Nancy Bucher, Mary Reis and Dixie Henderson, carnival; Joan Leff, publicity; Linda Trainor, membership; Linda Pettenger and Joan Sanderson, ice cream and cake auction; Judy Studebaker, T-shirt sales; and Laura Crawford, legislative.

Singles to hold tournament

TWIN FALLS: Magic Valley Christian Singles will hold a potluck dinner and volleyball tournament at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at the Free Will Baptist Church, 757 Washington St.

Participants are asked to bring a covered dish and table service. Dessert will be furnished. For further information call 734-9158, 543-8093 or 436-6062.

Grange plans ice cream social

JEROME: — The Sugar Loaf Grange of Jerome will hold an ice cream social from 4 to 9 p.m. Sunday at the home of Jenny and Ralph Kohnhoff. They live nine miles east and one-quarter mile north from the center of Jerome. Everyone is welcome.

Canning kitchen to open

JEROME: — The Jerome Canning Kitchen will be open Mondays and Saturdays beginning Aug. 29.

Because of the phone strike no telephone is available at the kitchen, located at 325 Date St., next to the Jerome County Fairgrounds. Appointments may be made at the kitchen from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Mondays or Saturday by calling Mrs. Wesley Jones, 324-2139.

THEOS to meet at Filer

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I have always followed the practice of eating liver once a week because of its beneficial effects. Now I am told I have pernicious anemia.

My first question is why would I develop anemia since I have eaten liver regularly? My second question is why can't I just eat more liver and avoid the shots?

DEAR DR. LAMB — Much of what you have been told is true. In fact, Dr. George Whipple discovered that you could feed raw beef liver to dogs with pernicious anemia and it would help B-12 shots.

Still later it was discovered that large amounts of liver also helped humans with this problem. Pernicious anemia was a fatal disease until these discoveries were made about 1920.

It is still true that many patients will improve if they are given massive amounts of liver by mouth but the rest of the puzzle was found in the stomach.

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(One of a series of articles published in the Times-News to inform the public about the practice of scientific chiropractic, written by Dr. Ludwig C. Lohwehr, Main West Chiropractic Clinic, 717 Main Street, W., Twin Falls, 83301, 757-5522.)

Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

A B-12 deficiency causes much more than anemia. You need B-12 to fight off Pernicious Anemia, which I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me, "The Times-News," newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am a 47-year-old female. For the last five years I have had a breaking out on my nose.

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days. Then, if I quit taking it, I break out again in about a week. I hate to be dependent on any medicine, although I only take one every other day.

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