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Welcome home, champs! — Andrus cites costs in veto of phone bill



CSI coach Fred Trenkle displays the NJCAA basketball championship trophy during Monday's salute to the team

Throng greets Eagles

By BART JANSEN
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Hundreds of cheering fans, many dressed in school colors of yellow and black, lined the streets and filled Blue Lakes Shopping Center Mall Monday to welcome the College of Southern Idaho's championship basketball team home.

Golden Eagles players and coaches waved from open cars during a parade through downtown Twin Falls, as fans cheered the new National Junior College Athletic Association basketball champions.

"We know we were not just playing for ourselves and our parents and our team, but for all the people back here — and that's the sincere truth," said Coach Fred Trenkle in acknowledging the applause for his team.

About 500 people crowded into the mall and sprinkled applause during a 45-minute awards ceremony. Yellow-and-black balloons and streamers decorated the mall, accompanying a banner reading "Welcome Home Golden Eagles 1st in the Nation... #1 With Us."

The CSI Pep Band rallied the crowd with loud popular songs before the team's arrival. Parents hoisted small children to their shoulders for a better view of the ceremony.

Vice Mayor Mary McCluskey presented each player with a key to the city. CSI Board Chairman LeRoy Craig also honored the team.

"This is something we can all be proud of," said Craig.

Trenkle gave each player his personal plaque for the team's victory Saturday in the NJCAA tournament — the team's second national title; the first was in 1976.

Trenkle and his players told the cheering crowd the celebration was as much for them to thank the fans as the other way around.

Keith Jackson apologized to the fans for the close finish Saturday in the 69-68 win over Midland Community College, of Midland, Texas.

"We didn't mean to put you guys in such suspense," Jackson said.

Thanks were given all around to the fans supporting CSI basketball during the season.



Keith Jackson flashes the 'No. 1' sign along with a wide smile to parade spectators.

"I told them in Hutchinson this is the very best junior college basketball state in the country," Trenkle said. "We came the farthest, we brought the most people."

Trenkle brushed aside concerns about not being named coach of the year, an honor usually bestowed upon the coach of the championship team.

"No, that didn't bother me," Trenkle said.

Instead, he said the team, in looking beyond individual honors, achieved its one goal since beginning practice last August — to win the national championship.

Trenkle said the team during the past 2 years won 72 games, more than any other team in CSI's history.

Trenkle joked that during the journey back from the championships in Hutchinson, Kan., the team was eager to awaken in Idaho, and not the Land of Oz. He said Erick Newman kept repeating during the plane ride, "There's no place like Idaho."

Trenkle added that Newman "got screwed out-of" a most-valuable-player award for the series.

Newman thanked the fans who

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By Associated Press and Times-News

BOISE — Gov. Cecil Andrus vetoed the Legislature's telephone deregulation bill Monday, saying he was concerned it might price telephone service out-of-the-reach-of many people.

The deregulation bill, sponsored by Mountain Bell, allows the Public Utilities Commission to deregulate some phases of the telecommunications industry. The PUC first must make a finding that the action will not eliminate competition, and will adhere to the goal of universal, affordable service.

But Andrus said opposition is widespread. "I am not aware of a single consumer or senior citizens' group that has not expressed serious concerns about this approach," he said.

After 15 hours of hearings before the House State Affairs Committee, the deregulation bill cleared the House Feb. 25 on a 53-30 vote. In the Senate, the vote was 24-18. In the chamber did the proposal receive two-thirds approval, which is the margin necessary to override a veto.

A bill sponsored by Sen. Mary Lou Reed, D-Coeur d'Alene, would establish a telephone-rate stabilization program under the PUC. That

overriding the veto today.

Fraser was swift from opponents of the phone deregulation bill.

"Thank God," said Kimberly, real-



dent Mildred Howard, president of the Idaho State Council for Senior Citizens. "We worked very hard to defeat that for a year."

Howard's work, along with that of Idaho Fair Share and other citizens' action groups, had generated 204 calls from residents opposing the bill to 54 in support.

"That's tremendous," said John O. Stocks, executive director of Idaho Fair Share, when he received word late Monday of the governor's veto.

Stocks hailed Andrus as "a hero of the common person in Idaho."

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Parents ask to enroll AIDS victim in school

By JOHN ZILLY
Times-News correspondent

HAILEY — Parents have asked to enroll a child with AIDS in Hemingway Elementary School in Ketchum, Blaine County. School Superintendent Dave Noonan announced Monday.

Noonan, however, said that the name and age of the potential student would be withheld to protect the child's legal right to privacy. Information about the manner in which the student contracted AIDS and the child's gender is also being withheld.

Noonan said that the district would treat the case much like any other infectious disease, except for the high profile status of AIDS. He said the school district "respects the confidentiality of all infectious disease patients" within the schools.

"We look at each individual on a case-by-case basis," he said.

But the Blaine County School District attorney, Rand Peebles, said that as a result of some kids knowing and some parents talking to each other, "rumor-mongering" will probably not last very long.

According to Noonan, the decision about whether to allow the AIDS-infected student to attend classes and participate in other school activities will be made in a public meeting by the Blaine County School Board, probably by mid-April.

If the school board approves the request, the student plans to begin classes immediately.

Noonan said that he knew of no other case of a student with AIDS requesting admission to a public school in Idaho. Peebles said that, even nation-wide, the issue remains relatively undefined in the courts.

Last October, the Blaine County School Board adopted an AIDS policy which set guidelines for dealing with any student or school employee infected with AIDS. The crux of the policy involves an evaluation team which studies each AIDS victim and makes a recommendation to the school board on a case-by-case basis.

The board, however, is not bound by the team's recommendation.

The school district's policy, part of the school board's general plan for dealing with infectious diseases, defines an AIDS-infected person as one who has been diagnosed with a full case of AIDS, a person with AIDS Related Complex (ARC) or a person who carries the AIDS virus but does not yet have one of the many opportunistic diseases that identify a true case of AIDS.

Noonan declined to say which stage of the infection afflicts the student.

As required by the AIDS policy, the school district has selected an evaluation team to study this case.

The team, composed of the student's physician, the student's parents, a public health official, the school district's legal counsel and a school district health official, will make a recommendation to the board, probably next month.

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Supreme Court strikes down Utah ban on 'indecent' cable TV shows

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court on Monday tied the hands of state officials seeking to ban sexually explicit material and nudity from cable television.

By 7-2 vote, the court struck down a Utah law that prohibited "indecent" programs on cable broadcasts except during the hours of midnight to 7 a.m.

Utah officials, conceding their drive against sexually explicit material has been thwarted, said their only hope may be a change some day in the composition of the high court.

In another action, the court rejected an appeal by major league baseball players seeking a legal right to millions of dollars in

revenue from televised games. The court let stand a ruling that major league baseball's 26 team owners have a copyright on the telecasts.

Agreed to hear a Reagan administration appeal aimed at making it easier for the government to deport illegal aliens. The court said it will review a decision ordering further administrative hearings for a California man trying to avoid return to his native Ghana.

Ruled that federal judges may suspend extra prison terms a 1984 federal law requires for people who commit crimes while awaiting trial on a previous charge.

Cleared the way for prosecuting in California on child-stealing charges

of a fundamentalist Christian woman who said her son should not be living with the boy's homosexual father.

et stand a ruling from Pennsylvania that states may place strict controls on the sales and marketing practices of motion picture distributors.

To lift intact an affirmative action plan for the promotion of blacks to lieutenant in the Cincinnati Fire Department.

In the cable TV case, the court issued a one-sentence decision upholding a federal appeals court ruling. Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist and Justice Sandra Day

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Chip war escalation likely

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The Reagan administration is seeking a painless way to retaliate against Japanese trade "dumping" of semiconductors at unfairly low prices, sources said Monday.

A decision is expected Thursday, but the Japanese government strongly urged its computer chip makers on Monday to cut production by 30 percent in an attempt to head off severe U.S. action.

U.S. officials are leaning against blanket tariffs on Japanese consumer electronics products because such a step would only push up prices for imported televisions, videocassette recorders and the like, an administration source said.

More likely are penalty tariffs aimed at products where Japanese producers face intense competition and could not afford to raise prices to compensate for the tariffs, the source said.

The official agreed to discuss the matter only if granted anonymity.

Sanctions would mark a major escalation of the U.S.-Japanese trade dispute, which has been worsened by a persistent U.S. deficit in merchandise trade with Japan that reached a record \$28 billion last year.

Several top U.S. officials have accused Japan of violating an accord reached last July by allowing its chip makers to "dump" semiconductors on the world market at unfairly low prices and by failing to open the Japanese market to U.S.-made chips. Some American chip makers contend the Japanese are trying to drive them out of business, which would allow the Japanese to raise prices at will.

The Cabinet-level Economic Policy Council is scheduled to meet Thursday in Washington to decide what sanctions, if any, to take against Japanese chip makers in response to the alleged dumping.

Spring blizzard socks Kansas

By The Associated Press

A spring blizzard blew into Kansas and Oklahoma Monday, carrying blinding snow with winds up to 78 mph to the same part of the Plains where tornadoes struck the day before, slightly injuring six people.

The blizzard was blamed for two traffic deaths in Oklahoma.

In western Kansas wind-whipped snow reduced visibility to an eighth of a mile in places, closing businesses and forcing authorities to call out five National Guardsmen to carry children from schools in Garden City to a shelter. Officials could not get the children home.

Wind gusts reached 78 mph at DeWitt, Kansas, and many roads were closed in the area as visibility dropped to near zero. In Liberal, wind blew down power lines and cut electricity to a National Beef packing plant, closing the facility that employs about 2,500 workers. Classes at Fort Hays State University were called off at noon.

"We're in a blizzard. You can't see a block," William Baker, a Scott City weather watcher, said Monday.

Parts of Kansas were expected to receive 10 to 12 inches of snow before the storm ended early today. By mid-afternoon the snow measured about 6 inches at Hill City and Hays in northwestern Kansas to 4 to 4 inches at Liberal and Scott City in the southwest.

The storm weakened the Oklahoma Panhandle with 4 inches to 6 inches of snow, but the whipping winds made the amount of snow hard to measure.

Motorists were stranded from blowing snow and winds of up to nearly 60 mph, said Highway Patrol Trooper Louis Flowers. He said the storm was blamed for two traffic deaths in that state, but could not immediately provide details.

The storm, which was centered over Oklahoma, also hammered at the Texas Panhandle, producing 5 inches of snow near Amarillo. Stalled trucks forced the closure of Interstate 40 west of Amarillo.

Monday's bad weather extended to New Mexico's east-central and northeastern plains, where strong winds and blowing snow led roads and made driving hazardous.

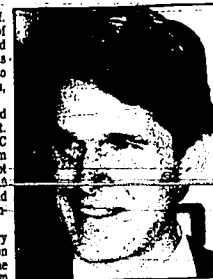
"Four to 6 inches of snow fell in central Nebraska, while rivers and creeks rose in the eastern part of the state. The threat of floods closed schools near DeWitt and in Cedar Rapids. Up to 4 inches of rain had fallen in eastern Nebraska since Sunday, and more was expected.

In Liaison, N.D., rapid snowmelt, ice jams and recent rains caused flooding that forced fewer than two dozen families from their homes. Rivers and creeks were swollen throughout south-central and southwestern North Dakota.

Rainshowers extended as far north as the Dakotas and — the upper — Mississippi Valley, — the lower — as far north as Wisconsin and southern Minnesota.

A weaker storm brought snow and gusty winds to mountain areas of California and Nevada.

Son of entertainer missing after Air Guard fighter crash



DEAN PAUL MARTIN Aboard missing Phantom

MARCH AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — Dean Paul Martin, the son of entertainer Dean Martin who carved out his own identity as an actor, was the pilot of a fighter jet believed to have crashed on a snowy mountain, officials said Monday.

Martin, 35, an Air National Guard captain, and weapons officer Capt. Ramon Ortiz were aboard the F-4 Phantom when it disappeared from radar near the top of 11,500-foot Mount San Geronimo about 10 miles after takeoff Saturday, said minutes after takeoff Saturday, said minutes after takeoff Saturday, said minutes after takeoff Saturday.

whether Martin and Ortiz, 36, could have bailed out from their bombing practice run that began at this base east of Los Angeles.

Martin's 12-year-old son, Alex, whose mother is actress Olivia Hussey, had watched his father take off, Mensik said.

Dean Martin's publicist, Warren Cowan, said he was "sure the family is devastated" and that the elder Martin would have no statement until it was determined his son had not survived.

Despite growing up in the shadow of his famous father, Martin from an early age pursued diverse hobbies, including flying, that helped him develop a separate identity. He was the eldest of Dean Martin's three children by a former wife, Jeanne.

Mensik said Martin had spent more than 400 hours piloting F-4s. He had joined the Air National Guard in 1980 and was training as pilot training in November 1981.

Student

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The team will consider, among other items, three major evaluation criteria. They will study the behavior and physical condition of the student, the expected type of interaction with other students and the risks and benefits to both the infected individual and other students at the school.

"It's a very difficult situation," Peebles said of the report. "We're trying to prepare as complete an evaluation as is humanly possible."

According to Noonan, even if the student is admitted to Hemingway Elementary School, the student will be "continuously monitored" to make sure the evaluation team's recommendation is still appropriate to the condition of the student's health.

Noonan said that the student's parents called about 10 days ago regarding admission for their child. At the Blaine County School Board meeting on March 9, the AIDS policy was discussed. At that meeting, Noonan explained the difficulty of

having an AIDS policy, since the state health department has its own policy of confidentiality, which prohibits the department from notifying school districts that a student has AIDS.

Since the parents contacted the school district, the district's policy was implemented and an evaluation team was formed.

"At this point, we have to get more information and then deal with one child's need for an education and the other children's need for safety," Noonan said.

When asked how he felt about dealing with this issue, Noonan said, "We are a public school. The great strength of American society is that we'll educate all types — no matter of race, creed, sex or whatever. This is the work that we are all about."

State Epidemiologist Charles Brokopp has said that since AIDS is believed to be transmitted solely through sexual contact or intravenously, a student suffering from AIDS poses no greater health risk than other students. He has said there is no reason to restrict a stu-

dent's attendance simply for having AIDS.

It is the opportunistic diseases which prey on AIDS patients, whose immune systems are destroyed, that present a health risk to other students, Brokopp has said. If a generally contagious disease, such as tuberculosis, infects a student with AIDS, the district could consider removing the child from school because of that disease, he has said.

Noonan said that there were plans to begin educating students about AIDS next year. However, if the student infected with AIDS is admitted to Hemingway this spring, AIDS education will begin even sooner, he said.

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Cable

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O'Connor voted to bar arguments in the case, but four votes are needed to grant such review.

Utah Attorney General David Whitman said, "I would think most legislators are going to want to wait and see what the court has to say before they do anything further."

State Sen. Paul Rogers of Utah, sponsor of the law struck down Monday, said, "The Supreme Court has spoken. The statute has been given their signals. I don't see myself or the legislature being involved in an overturn."

Bryan McDougal, a lawyer for the cable companies that challenged the law, said, "I think it (Monday's ruling) was a monumental decision for cable operators and subscribers."

The states joined Utah in urging the Supreme Court to permit regulation of indecent material on cable TV. They are Arizona, Kansas, Mississippi, Missouri, New Hampshire, New Mexico, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Washington and West Virginia.

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of the legislation to get together between legislative sessions to work on a new proposal.

Sen. Mike Crapo, R-Idaho Falls, Senate sponsor of the measure, said he disagrees with the governor on the issue of whether the bill safeguards consumers. Crapo said he felt there were many safeguards built

into the legislation. He said he is not in favor of deregulation or as little regulation as possible.

"It continues to be my opinion that senior citizens and medically indigent users should be protected from rate increases that would cause them to be unable to afford local telephone service," he said.

Andrus earlier urged the Legislature to enact some sort of rate regulation, helping low-income groups afford basic telephone service.

A "lifeline" bill has passed the House but is pending in the Senate. Crapo said he did not consider the "lifeline" bill linked to the telephone deregulation measure, but some members of the Senate may feel that way.

That bill gives \$4 per month of basic telephone costs to people over age 60 who qualify for federal energy assistance programs. Officials estimated earlier about 11,000 households would qualify statewide.

Andrus said he was concerned that under deregulation, people would lose their right to complain directly to the PUC about telephone rates, and that once deregulation was ordered, there would be no way for the state to review the action.

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Today's weather

Fair, mild, breezy through Wednesday

Twin Falls, Burley, Rupert, Jerome and Gooding: Partly cloudy this morning. Fair in the afternoon. West winds 15 to 25 mph. High 55 to 58. Tonight and Wednesday, fair. Lows mid-30s. Highs mid-50s. Canyon Pringle, Hailley and Lower Wood River Valley: Mostly sunny today. Northwest winds 10 to 15 mph. Highs in the mid-50s. Tonight and Wednesday, fair. Lows 15 to 20. Highs 45 to 50.

Northern Nevada and Utah: Partly cloudy today. Mostly fair Wednesday. Highs upper 40s to low 50s. Lows upper 30s to low 40s.

Nevada — Partly cloudy today with a chance of a few snow or rain showers in the east. Partly cloudy tonight. Fair west Wednesday and partly cloudy rest. Lows tonight upper, upper in upper 30s. Highs today 45 to low 50s and Wednesday 45 to 55 east and mid-50s to low 60s west.

Synopsis: Monday afternoon, skies were partly cloudy in northern Idaho and southeast Idaho. Mostly cloudy conditions were noted in the southwest.

Twin Falls and vicinity both reported snow showers at mid-afternoon. Snow showers were also observed over west of the mountains south of the Snake River.

Mid-afternoon temperatures Monday were mostly in the 40s and 50s. Boise and Mountain Home were the warm spots with 52 degrees, while Hailley had the coldest with only 35. Afternoon winds were in the 5 to 10 mph range statewide.

The highest temperature in Idaho Monday was 40 degrees at Hagerman, while Delta registered the state's low of 4 degrees.

The pollen count in Twin Falls Monday was 15 particles per cubic meter of air. The extended outlook for Southern Idaho — Thursday through Saturday, chance of showers in the western portion Thursday, moving to the eastern portion Friday. Clearing in the western portion Friday. Fair Saturday, Windy Friday and Saturday. Highs from 45 to 55. Lows from 25 to 35, cooling to the 20s Saturday.

Elsewhere in the nation, Monday's high temperature was 86 degrees at McAllen, Texas, and the low was 4 below zero at Yellowstone Park, Wyo.

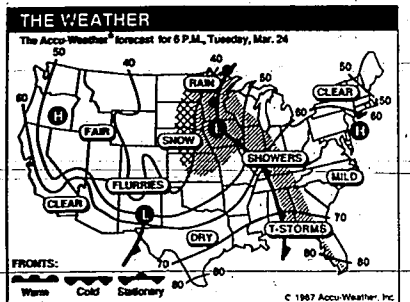


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Champs

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Evidence studied in Idaho Falls slaying



IDAHO FALLS (AP) — Evidence from the shooting death of an Idaho Falls school teacher will be studied at the state crime laboratory in Boise to determine whether it was related to two other eastern Idaho slayings in the previous three weeks, officials said.

Bonneville County Sheriff Richard Ackerman said he was waiting for results of tests on slugs taken from the body of Susan Michelbacher, 34, which were being flown from Pocatello to Boise to be examined along with slugs from the two earlier homicides in Idaho Falls and Blackfoot.

Mrs. Michelbacher was reported missing Thursday and her body was found Saturday morning in a sage and lava field seven miles west of Idaho Falls. The Eagle Rock Junior High School special education teacher had been shot, but Ackerman said officials could not tell how many times or by what kind of gun. The body was taken undisturbed to a Pocatello forensic pathology laboratory.

Mrs. Michelbacher's death was the third homicide in eastern Idaho since Feb. 27. On that night, Stacy Baldwin, 21, Blackfoot, was shot, apparently after being taken from the Blackfoot convenience store where she worked. Nolan Haddon, 20, Blackfoot, was shot at an Idaho Falls convenience store the night of March 16, and died the following morning.

"It looks like we've got a real bad man out there," said acting police chief Marvin Campbell. "It puts a lot of pressure on us."

He said the department hasn't beefed up its patrols, only shifted its tactics. "I can't put on 100 men to watch every convenience store and grocery store," he said. Heavier patrols at night would have made no difference in Mrs. Michelbacher's case, because she was abducted in daylight, he said.

Her abduction and murder, added to the two earlier slayings, have sent a shiver of fear through the area.

"I think it's a frightening experience to have someone loose in the community who is a brutal killer," Idaho Falls Mayor Tom Campbell said. "I think until the killer is caught, no one's mind will be at ease."

He urged all women to lock their cars at home and when they go out, to check their back seats before climbing in, and to carry flashlights at night.

At the Albertson's food store in Idaho Falls where Mrs. Michelbacher apparently was abducted, workers were nervous, said Steve Neiders, assistant manager.

"A lot who show up early in the morning or go home late are apprehensive," he said. "We're advising the 'buddy system' so no one leaves by themselves."

At Eagle Rock Junior High, students and faculty expressed shock and grief on the first day of class since Mrs. Michelbacher was slain.

Major stumbling block: Andrus Budget Director Martin Peterson indicated the governor would probably build a one-time money back into his 1989 budget when he develops it next year.

Meanwhile, the Senate sent the first piece of that new budget to Andrus for his signature. The bill, approved on a 38-3 vote, allocates \$3.4 million for 1988 operations of the attorney general's office, about half the money coming from general tax receipts.

The spending plan earmarks \$54,000 to raise the pay of deputy attorneys general to reduce their flight to private practice and another \$60,000 for a consumer protection division, which Attorney General Jim Jones has been seeking for years.

Makes technical changes in tax law on multistate partnerships and income.

HB86 (Transportation and Defense) — Allows antique car owners to obtain special license plates for \$10 fee.

HB184 (Transportation and Defense) — Increases driver's license fee by \$1.50 to finance emergency medical services.

HB325 (Appropriations) — Allocates \$4 million for 1988 operations of the state auditor's office.

HB326 (Appropriations) — Allocates \$1.5 million for 1988 operations of the Department of Finance.

HB354 (Appropriations) — Appropriates \$8.52 million for Division of Vocational Rehabilitation for fiscal year 1988.

HB355 (Appropriations) — Appropriates \$32.2 million for State Library Board for fiscal year 1988.

HB356 (Appropriations) — Appropriates \$584,300 for medical education programs, \$220,900 for dental education programs and \$50,000 for family residency programs for fiscal year 1988.

HB358 (Education) — Prohibits consumption of alcoholic beverages in a school building when that building has been authorized for other public purposes.

SCR123 (State Affairs) — Commemorates the 200th anniversary of the U.S. Constitution.

SB1234 (Finance) — Allocates \$5.3 million for 1988 expenditures from the Permanent Building Fund.

SB1235 (Finance) — Allocates \$1.3 million for 1988 operations of the state Historical Society.

HB219 (Business) — Enacts Idaho Liability Risk Retention Act.

HB123 (Business) — Includes unearned premiums with cover claims in Idaho Insurance Guaranty Association Act.

HB166 (Agricultural Affairs) — Includes pea screenings in commercial feed definition.

HB225 (Health and Welfare) — Requires nonresident chiropractors to practice in another state for five years before receiving an Idaho license by endorsement.

HB312 (Appropriations) — Allocates \$3.4 million for 1988 operations of the Attorney General's office.

HB313 (Appropriations) — Allocates \$100,000 for 1988 operations of the Central Commission.

HB318 (Appropriations) — Allocates \$3.2 million for 1988 operations of self-governing agencies.

HB134 (Judiciary, Rules and Administration) — Revises powers and duties of the Peace Officers Standards and Training Council.

HB119 (Judiciary, Rules and Administration) — Clarifies use of search warrants.

HB177 (Judiciary, Rules and Administration) — Prohibits temporary driving permits to DUI violators who have had driver's license suspended for other reasons.

HB213 (Judiciary, Rules and Administration) — Ensures deposit of fees from withheld judgments into the Victims Compensation Fund.

HB37 (Resources and Conservation) — Makes hunting on posted private land without permission a misdemeanor.

HB152 (Local Government) — Allows release of a portion of a parcel under a local improvement district assessment lien.

HB192 (Local Government) — Allows appointment of five-to-seven-member fair boards with staggered terms in counties.

HB207 (Local Government) — Sets requirement for signatures of city consolidation petitions.

HB214 (Local Government) — Clarifies dates of collection and audits for property taxes.

HB265 (Revenue and Taxation) —

Requires minimum of 30 days for notice of a sale under a deed of trust following a stay.

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Why not simplify demographic terms?

Ah, it's tough keeping up with all these demographic trends. Why, we just got used to Yuppies when it turned into a negative term. You know, with all their emphasis on conspicuous consumption and all.

The Idaho version, we guess, is Hiccies, for "Hiding in the Country," as one local columnist used to call them. You know the type: cross-country skis in the garage next to the maroon Bronco II, two kids at Sawtooth Elementary, etc.

Now we have (are you ready for this?) the Dink phenomenon. That's short for "Double Income, No Kids," a type which has been around for a while but simply wasn't identified as such.

They used to be called "childless couples" or "postponed parents," and the implication was that they weren't too happy about the absence of small voices around the kitchen table.

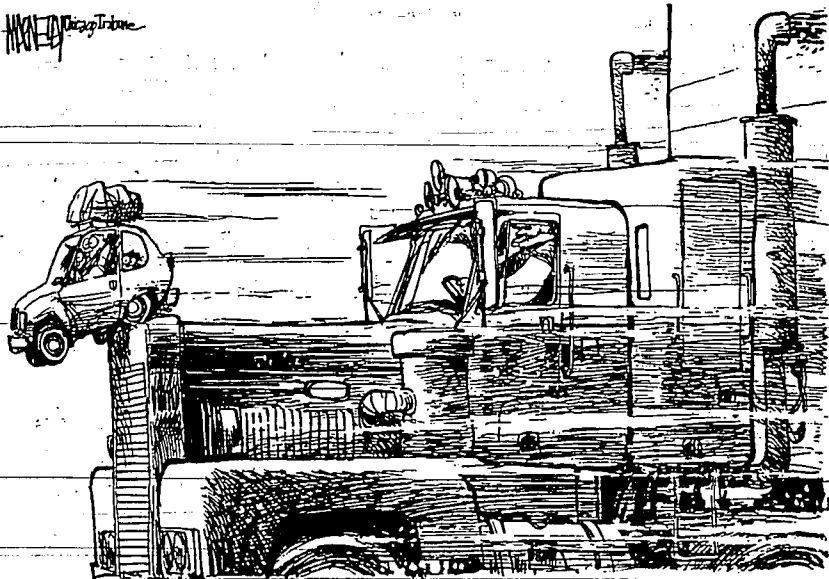
Not any more. Now they're trendy. Dinks, we are told, come in all ages, income levels and locations. They spend a lot of time out and about, mostly sampling the cuisine at sidewalk cafes.

Without the cost of children to weigh them down, they're traveling constantly, and usually to exotic places overseas. No weekend trips to downtown Buhl for these folks. Their two incomes makes them prime targets for what the marketers call "high discretionary income" pitches. That means expensive toys they really don't need, or even want.

You can see where all this is leading. Next, the demographers will explore Sinks ("Single income, no kids"); Zinks ("Zero income, no kids"); Silks ("Single income with kids"); and Finks. (Double income couples who fink out and have kids.)

We have a modest proposal. Why not call them simply "Couples" and "Families"? Those two terms ought to cover about everyone, at least the ones the demographers are interested in.

Meanwhile, we're too busy figuring out how to make ends meet, get the kids to school, and make some repairs on the house. Don't tell the teen-agers about this. They'll start calling us "Dips."



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Letters

Media showed lack of respect

Was President Reagan badgered?
—Millions viewed President Reagan's last news conference. There seemed to be an intent to downgrade the president of the United States and/or the office. To question and slash at the handling of the Contra affair and not encourage future development of all foreign and domestic affairs is a breach of democratic etiquette and the lack of mutual respect he has shown.

To illustrate what it looked like — a flock of large mice talking to a small cat, or should it be a flock of small mice and a big cat — taking a feather out of his cap and putting one in theirs was indicated. Which ever turns you on.

When the Tower Commission report discloses President Reagan's intent was to be inhuman in his handling of any foreign or domestic problem, then many of us will join the news media.

To be critical of him, to follow him as he tried to leave the timed conference and continue to question are all a breach of respect for his office. The final result is the background as he left.

"Are you going back to your reading?" — was plainly cynical. Elect a saint for president of the United States next time, if you think foreign and domestic affairs will be straightened.

KEN SHEW
Twin Falls

Listen to the young people

Many persons have become incensed with me for suggesting that, we as a society, mislead our youth, proved to be less than caring, untrusting, war-like and money-hungry. But, with children and all young people I am a listener and this what I heard:

"Oh beautiful
For polluted skies
For dirty waves of grain
For purple mountain magpies
Above the unfurled plagues
America, America,
God sheds his waste on thee
And crowns thy good with brotherhood

From sea to oily sea." (5th grader)

This child attends Sunday school and his child and her peer group see evil, and report evil. By the time they are teen-agers they have internalized enough to decide to take themselves out, because in spite of what they know, everybody around them is seemingly saying "Golly gee, everything is hunky-dory."

MARGE CHUPA
Twin Falls

Getting nervous over red skies

They're real pretty, these new license plates. All red, white and blue. Seems good and patriotic.

Something bothers me though. What is this red haze that's hanging over the trees and mountains? Could this be the harbinger of some nasty little nuclear happening?

Seems to me our highly revered politicians weren't thinking much when they accepted this design. Must've had hangers that day.

Personally, I don't care for red skies, makes me nervous.

A.G. CHILDS
Buhl

Learn to recognize the radical

Conservative and radical conservative. A lot of people don't realize it, but there is a great difference in some conservatives. Yes, a true conservative realizes that he can't spend more money than he takes in and keep things in balance. So, therefore, he keeps his income growing to match his rise in costs. But the radical conservative wants to cut taxes on all levels in order to reduce spending to a minimum. He doesn't really realize the effects that are soon to follow.

So let's take a look at what happens when the radical takes power.

For the first two or three years, things run pretty smoothly, and the radical is a hero to the people. No new taxes, minimum cost of living. But soon the money reserves begin to run out.

When there's no revenue coming in, as a rule

cities, counties and local government are the first to suffer. They have to start a series of cut-backs usually city services such as fire dept., police dept., city services and county services pay the cost first.

Non-essential services are the first to be eliminated. The education system, without the added income to meet the rising cost soon faces serious problems. Local city and county governments soon have to start a series of layoffs, creating or adding to the unemployment system. When the layoffs come, street repair is at a minimum, leaving potholes and not much maintenance creating a lot of poor streets to travel on.

The counties suffer a pretty similar fate. Some of the county roads even revert to gravel roads. Instead of progress, we begin to regress. Now when the radical gets in power on a federal level, pretty much the same thing happens. Except in this case the poor, the elderly, low income, the veterans are usually the first to suffer. The radical conservative will punish his own people and call himself a conservative.

Now when this system that he has created, begins to collapse, he realized the only way out is to raise taxes. Now the radical only knows one way to raise taxes, via the property tax. Th

Now by this time the radical has helped create a very high unemployment system. So the state must raise taxes again to maintain services and create jobs. When all of these things happen the farmers, labor, working people in general are the first ones the radical blames. He'll never take any of the blame on himself.

Now if all this sounds familiar, well, it should. If this radical conservative seems like someone you know, you probably do. Yes, these things are occurring right here in our cities, counties, states, and across the nation. The radical conservative has created high unemployment, street people, damaged our standard of living, lowered wages, and racial hatred.

We the people must learn to recognize the radical conservative and not vote him in power.

DONALD MCMURRIAN
Twin Falls



Letters/ Wilderness needs no defense — it needs more defenders

Kostmayer due our thanks

Attempting to give statutory protection to wilderness areas in Idaho has always caused bitter controversy. Idahoans owe a big thanks to Rep. Peter Kostmayer of Pennsylvania, for recently introducing the "Idaho Wilderness Act of 1987." This bill calls for adding 42 new wilderness areas in Idaho, unprotected locally in the Smoky Mountains, Pioneer Mountains, Boulder White Cloud Mountains, and the group of roadless areas known as the Sawtooth Complex.

Why should an Eastern congressman care about Idaho's magnificent remaining wildlands? There are many reasons, but unquestionably the most important is the significance of these 36 million acres of unroaded national forest lands remaining in Idaho is unparalleled in any other state outside of Alaska.

Idaho still has over 25 separate areas of 100,000 acres or more that are still unroaded and unprotected locally in the Smoky Mountains, Pioneer Mountains, Boulder White Cloud Mountains, and the group of roadless areas known as the Sawtooth Complex.

This year could be the final battle to determine how much of Idaho's remaining wilderness should be saved. In that battle, take heed of what we still have in Idaho, and what our quality of life means to you, to our economy and to our land's magnificent wildlands. Remember Ed Abby's advice: Wilderness needs no defense — it needs more defenders.

Only aroused public opinion can save the best that's left of Idaho's natural wilderness. But to win overwhelming public support, the question must be put to the people in its proper form. The issue is not how much additional wilderness should we create; the issue is how much of Idaho's existing wilderness should we save?

I say this country is big enough to leave Idaho's wildlands alone, a place for those many people who, from time to time, feel the need to get away from it all. A place for

our wildlife and a place for the future.

Otherwise, we'll turn this country into something we only remember.

The facts are on our side. Convincing answers exist to every objection raised by the enemies of wilderness, unfortunately at this time the political deck is stacked against us.

So follow outdoorsmen, hunters, fishermen, and wildlands supporters, make 1987 the year that Idaho came together, to protect by wilderness designation, the very parts of Idaho we all enjoy the most. And thank you Congressman Kostmayer for your far-sighted support in sponsoring the "Idaho Wilderness Act of 1987." Now Congress, pass it.

TOM POMEROY
Ketchum

Was Dallas treated fairly?

Now that Claude Dallas is back "home," I wish to state my views on mixed feelings. For the year that Idaho came together, to protect by wilderness designation, the very parts of Idaho we all enjoy the most. And thank you Congressman Kostmayer for your far-sighted support in sponsoring the "Idaho Wilderness Act of 1987." Now Congress, pass it.

Perhaps no one could tell just what actuality happened when these men and Dallas came face to face, all armed.

If Dallas felt that his life was endangered, I believe he was justified in protecting himself. I do not approve of the method he used at the time.

Now I want to do some comparing. Let us give thought to the woman who was driving while intoxicated, so drunk the appearance could not see two children standing along the road. That woman was supposed to be an intelligent professional person. She killed those two children. What did the law do to her? Did she get a 30-year sentence?

Was Claude Dallas' so-called crime worse than what the drunken slob did? Those children had no way of defending themselves. Claude Dallas did have the means to defend himself.

Now, my question is, was justice done in each of these cases? Both of these crimes were committed in the state of Idaho, not too many months apart.

What would you have done if you had been in Claude's place? I certainly do not know what I would have done. No one knows until the time comes.

KEN JONES
Buhl

Wage cut would hurt area

As an employee of Independent Meat Co., my view of the wage dispute varies immensely from my employer's.

For the past four years I have been a loyal employee of the company and will continue to do so. I absolutely believe in the company's right to profit. I realize we must maintain a high level of productivity to insure profits for the company. In the past I have been rewarded for suggestion of the year for productivity. I also share a position on a committee, approved by the company, to review productivity and safety suggestions.

My feelings are that the automatic and immediate 15 percent wage decrease imposed by the company will show a negative effect on the company, the employees and result in continued adverse market conditions for the entire Magic Valley. The immediate effect on employees will be thousands of dollars per year in spendable income per employee. There are already employees that qualify for food stamp assistance from the state. We now have a company that is not contributing to the valley, however has created a new burden for valley farmers that are already loaded down with excess taxes.

If the company is unable to pay quality help at this time, how will it afford the expense of retaining new help?

The company has said the wage reduction is necessary to compete in the market and to pay for more modern equipment, however

the equipment was committed to before the wage reduction. Is the company saying that the employees must pay for prior commitments by the company? In fact the entire Magic Valley will be paying the expense.

The management of Independent Meat has previously issued a challenge to the employees, do it our way or be replaced by other help.

Perhaps the employees would consider this if the management would come clean and lower their standard of living as they have expected of us.

DAR WHEELER
Hansen

More for teachers won't help

At this time of year every one at the Boise State Capitol is explaining how badly we need more money for schools, roads and etc. Also, all of our elected representatives are getting a chance to vote according to the promises made prior to last November.

Summarized in a 18-page report in the October 1986 edition of Economic Inquiry, a journal published by the Western Economic Association, a study found that teacher unions raise the cost of public schools by as much as 15 percent while doing little or nothing to actually improve learning.

Funded by the National Institute of Education, researchers at the University of Oregon's Center for Educational Policy and Management compiled data from studies of 200 elementary schools and 893 high schools across the nation and came to these conclusions:

• Per-pupil spending is 7 percent to 15 percent higher in unionized school districts than in non-unionized districts.

• Un-unionized teachers are paid about 17 percent more than non-union teachers.

• As far as higher pay translating into higher achievement levels among students, the researchers found that:

• Students taught by union teachers do not score measurably higher on either reading or mathematics tests.

• Dropout rates are about the same in unionized and non-unionized school districts.

"The union effect on cost... is borne primarily by taxpayers, with little or no effect on average student achievement," the researchers said.

While not discounting the value of rewarding teacher performance or the need to attract better teachers to improve our nation's schools, the report's inescapable conclusion is that simply paying educators higher salaries is little more than an expensive lesson.

FRANK KING
Twin Falls

Politics needs teen-agers

I feel that young teen-agers, or just young adults should get involved in politics during their teen-ager years. They need to learn about politics for their future at their age so they can correct and learn from their mistakes while it is still age.

Teen-agers should prepare themselves for politics so then they'll know how to prepare for their future life. Involvement in politics can help teen-agers and young adults by showing what road to take, whether to go out and find a decent job, or just be an old bum and be a dirty, stinky ditch-digger. We ought to involve the young people in more activities. That's why we should gather up as many young people as we can to form an organization for "The Young Democrats."

This would help the teen-agers of the Magic Valley to get to know more people and should also help each other and their own lives. I believe the young and old people could help us out to get this organization put together.

DAVE MCCLAVE
Twin Falls

Man with explosives shot dead

HUTCHINSON, Kan. (AP) — A man who came to the Reno County Courthouse with explosives strapped to his body was shot dead Monday as he walked away from the building after a 30-minute standoff, authorities said.

J.D. Jennings, 32, of Nickerson, was scheduled for trial Monday on a charge of resisting arrest stemming from an incident involving his landlord, authorities said. The courthouse was evacuated after Jennings told two detectives who confronted him at the door that he had a bomb.

Tim Chambers, county prosecuting attorney, said that as Jennings tried to leave about 11 a.m., a police officer across the street on a store roof shot and killed him.

"I think the matter was handled very professionally and I don't think it could have been done any other way," said Chambers. He said the decision to shoot Jennings was made by himself, Sheriff Jim Fountain and Police Chief Jack Heidebrecht.

Goetz jury selection starts

NEW YORK (AP) — Jury selection began Monday for the attempted murder trial of subway gunman Bernhard Goetz, who suggested that would-be criminals should face the same risk of being attacked as their intended victims.

"When a person walks down the street... there's a possibility that they're going to be killed, maimed or robbed," Goetz told reporters outside the courthouse. Criminals should face the same risk, he said — "That's a chance they should take."

The jury will have to decide whether Goetz, a 33-year-old electronics specialist, was justified in using his unlicensed .38-caliber pistol to shoot four youths on a subway train on Dec. 22, 1984. Goetz, who claims he was beaten in a previous mugging, says he started firing because he felt the four were about to rob him. The youths claimed they were panhandling money to play video games when they asked him for \$5.

Reagan hit on UNICEF policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration was sharply criticized at a congressional hearing Monday for asking a big cut in the U.S. contribution to the United Nations Children's Fund.

Congress appropriated \$51 million for UNICEF for the current fiscal year. The administration has asked \$30 million for the year beginning Oct. 1 and is seeking cuts in its aid to other voluntary U.N. bodies.

"The size of the UNICEF item in the account means that UNICEF has had to share in the required reductions, despite the positive impact of its programs," Alan L. Keyes, assistant secretary of state for international organizations, told a House appropriations subcommittee.

President praises SDI progress

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan said Monday that "remarkable progress" has been made in the last four years toward developing a "Star Wars" anti-missile system, but he offered no hint of when it might be ready for deployment.

Thinking scientists who have worked on the program and members of Congress who supported it, Reagan said, "all humanity can begin to look forward to a new era of security when the burden of nuclear terror is lifted from its shoulders."

The president made his comments in a written statement released on the fourth anniversary of his 1982 speech unveiling the program, known formally as the Strategic Defense Initiative or SDI.

The program envisions using space-based lasers and other high-technology weapons to shoot down missiles before they can strike the United States.

Investigators to interview Ghorbanifar

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional investigators will travel to Paris to interview Iranian mid-dictator Ghorbanifar this weekend as part of their probe into the Iran-Contra affair, sources said Monday.

These sources said no decision has yet been made whether to ask Ghorbanifar to testify in public when hearings into the controversy begin later this spring.

"He may well be called to testify," said one official, speaking on condition he not be identified by name. But he added that investigators must also determine whether they believe Ghorbanifar is telling the truth.

Ghorbanifar played a key role in bringing Americans, Israelis and Iranian officials together for a series of contacts that resulted in the sale of U.S. arms and he presumably could provide valuable information to congressional investigators.

But American officials have long held doubts about his veracity.

In an interview published Monday in The Washington Times, Ghorbanifar criticized the Tower commission report on the Iran-Contra affair and said both the CIA and former National Security Adviser Robert McFarlane mishandled efforts to bring the release of American hostages being held in Lebanon.

Also this week, Senate attorneys are expected to file formal court papers asking that former Maj. Gen. Richard Secord be held in civil contempt. Secord has refused to comply with an order to have foreign bank accounts linked to the affair.

In other Iran-Contra developments:

- State Department officials, citing White House concern, bypassed normal procedures in 1985 to bail out a financially strapped company that was aiding the Nicaraguan Contras, according to a department memo obtained by The Associated Press.
- Albert Hakim, an Iranian-American businessman who helped arrange the Iranian arms deals, was ordered by a federal judge Monday to testify before the Senate panel investigating the Iran-Contra affair. Congressional investigators had voted earlier to grant Hakim limited immunity from prosecution in an effort to compel him to tell what he may know about Swiss bank accounts linked to the affair.

Filibuster vote defeated

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate refused Monday night to end a filibuster blocking consideration of legislation to force the Reagan administration to account for millions of dollars in public and private aid to the Nicaraguan Contras.

The vote was 46 to 42 to start off debate, with the total in favor far short of the three-fifths of the Senate required.

Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd had said before the vote he saw little chance of immediate success but that he might try again on Monday.

The West Virginia Democrat said that debating the issue now would help to establish a record that could result in a congressional decision to end the entire Contra-aid program later this year.

The vote followed a brief debate in which Contra supporters, apparently confident of the outcome, did not speak.

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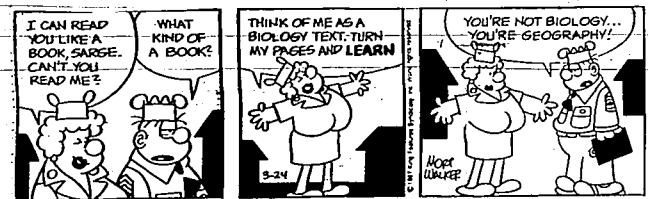
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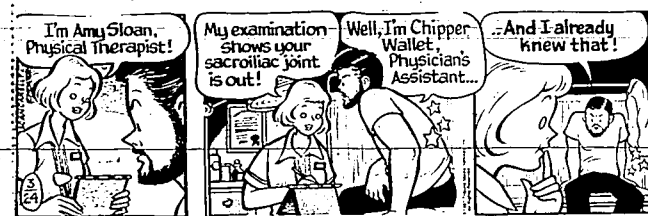
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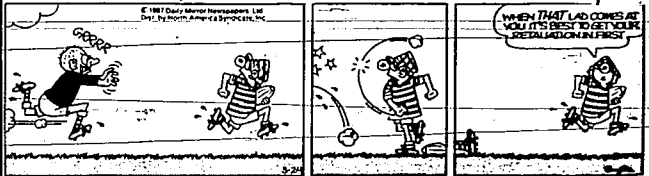
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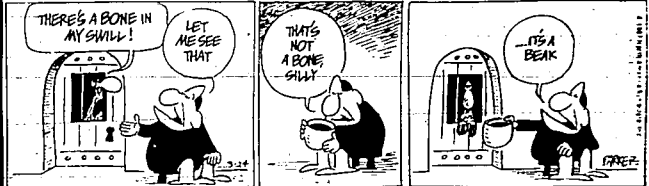
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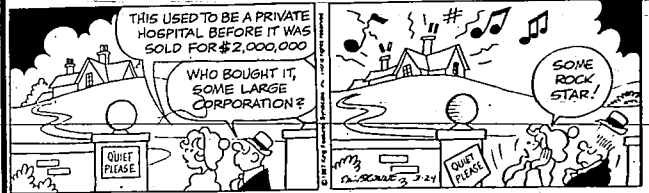
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Scorpio (October 23 to November 21): Be direct and practical in answering any communications you receive. Make your abode more exciting.

Sagittarius (November 22 to December 21): Be sure to study where you are giving monetarily and make any revisions that may be needed.

Capricorn (December 22 to January 20): Decide what you most want of a practical nature. Be with the one you love as long as you can.

Aquarius (January 21 to February 19): Dig your feet into practical interests and stop daydreaming. Be with your mate for a good time tonight.

Pisces (February 20 to March 20): Get in touch with a friend who has a fine idea for your advancement. Enjoy romance with the one you love.

If Your Child Is Born To-Day, he or she will be one of those delightful young persons who will handle practical affairs well and should attend some business college—stress organization. Let your good-looking progeny enjoy the athletics he, or she, likes, thus keeping the body as fit as the mind.

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Daily Horoscope

Bakker says hostile takeover effort prompted resignation



JIM BAKKER
Wanted to make wife jealous

Bakker revealed Thursday that he had been blackmailed over a sexual encounter seven years ago. But he said Monday that the takeover attempt and not the blackmail plot was the reason he turned his 300,000-member charismatic ministry over to Moral Majority leader Jerry Falwell, a Baptist fundamentalist.

During a segment of the PTL program recorded at the Palm Springs, Calif., home of Bakker and his wife, Tammy, Bakker said that unriveling the sexual encounter and blowing it out of proportion, was to have been the first step of the takeover plot.

"In talking with the attorneys, in talking with our advisors, they advised us that the only way to save PTL from this hostile takeover was for Jim Bakker to resign," said Bakker.

Bakker, who also has submitted his resignation as a pentecostal minister, said PTL attorneys have obtained documents detailing the alleged takeover plot by a "well-known individual."

The unidentified man "literally called and warned people of the very hour they planned the destruction and (told them) not to come to PTL and be there when it was to fall," said Bakker, who spent 13 years a \$172 million empire out of PTL, which stands for "Praise the Lord" and "People that Love."

The next phase of the takeover plan was to manipulate church leaders by "putting into their hands" the accusations.

"They made a mistake. They contacted too many honest ministers," Bakker said, and "the plan was revealed to us."

New York lawyer Roy Grutman, who represents Bakker, said in a telephone interview that Falwell, a fundamentalist Baptist, was one of

the "honest ministers" referred to by Bakker. Grutman declined to identify the leader of the alleged takeover attempt, saying only that it was another evangelist.

The Charlotte Observer, in reporting about the Bakkers' resignations, revealed the sexual encounter and the blackmail.

"I can't believe a newspaper has the right to bring something up that was seven years old and totally settled between you and me, a husband and wife problem," Mrs. Bakker said. "I think that's so sad."

"The marriage seminars (at PTL) were started as a result of the hurt in our marriage and the fact that God brought our marriage back together. The people know that. This shouldn't be any news to them."

Bakker said the sexual encounter was an attempt to make his wife jealous.

"Tammy and I were having difficulty in our marriage, and I got some idea in my hurt that I could

make Tammy jealous and somehow win her back to my love," he said. "I made a mistake. It was wrong."

"If I cannot receive forgiveness and redemption, then the message I have preached all my life just simply is not true."

Two weeks ago, Bakker disclosed that his wife was being treated for drug dependency. Falwell said she was at the Betty Ford Center.

Other religious figures called for accountability among television fund-raisers.

"I hear cross-country constant criticisms of the apparent wealth of some of these people, the money that comes in," the Rev. Charles Bergstrom, director of the office for governmental affairs for the Lutheran Council, said Monday on "Good Morning America."



Oral Roberts embraces Florida millionaire Jerry Collins

Oral Roberts gets check for ministry

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Evangelist Oral Roberts' ministry received \$1.3 million Monday from a Florida millionaire. Ministry officials would not say if it was enough to meet the \$8 million goal Roberts said God ordered him to reach by March 31 or die.

Orlando dog race track owner Jerry Collins said he intended the check to meet Roberts' goal. Ministry officials said last week the year-long drive to fund medical missionary scholarships for Oral Roberts University students was about \$1 million short.

"It's a disgrace to let a few thousand, a million dollars stand in the way," Collins told an audience of about 300 people at ORU Monday.

The ministry's spokeswoman, Jan Dargatz, had previously refused to say if the \$1.3 million reached the goal. On Monday, her telephone was answered by a recording saying she neither Roberts nor his son Richard would be available for comment until after March 31.

On his television program aired nationwide Monday, Roberts' son, Richard, said the ministry's supporters should redouble their efforts to meet its objectives.

Collins was scheduled to appear on the "Richard Roberts Live" program but ministry officials said a microwave failure interfered.

Oral Roberts was speaking from the campus prayer tower when the failure occurred, cutting him off mid-sentence. The program continued from the studio and the elder Roberts did not make another appearance.

Fire-damaged torahs buried

WESTWOOD, Mass. (AP) — Three torahs damaged in a fire that destroyed the town's only synagogue were given an emotional farewell in a burial service attended by more than 200 people.

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Christian entertainer arrested

WASHINGTON (AP) — Christian entertainer Patti Thompson was arrested Monday while singing and protesting outside the Soviet Embassy while, a block away, the brother of a Soviet cancer victim staged his own demonstration.

Mrs. Thompson, a gospel singer from Franklin, Tenn., was handcuffed and jailed after unfolding a banner calling for the release of Jewish dissidents Vladimir and Masha Stepak and other "refuseniks," Soviet Jews who are denied permission to emigrate.

A few hundred yards away, Leon Charny, of Needham, Mass., stood at a corner and held a sign asking the Soviet government to let his brother, Benjamin, receive cancer treatment outside their homeland.

"I think the silent majority, whoever that is, has been silent much too long," Mrs. Thompson told reporters before she began singing and held up a banner.

A District of Columbia ordinance prohibits displaying protest signs within 500 feet of any foreign embassy.

The singer said she was prepared to be ar-

rested, "if that's what it takes," and called her protest a Christian act of conscience.

"If you want to protest, you have to do it 500 feet away," Police Sgt. D.R. Exom told her as she began singing Stepak's name repeatedly.

"I thank you for your kindness to me, but I cannot do that," she replied and started to sing again. Police then cuffed her hands behind her back and led her to a waiting van.

Mrs. Thompson has recorded 15 albums, was a featured soloist on Oral Roberts' religious television broadcasts for eight

years, and once was married to Roberts' son.

She now is married to author John W. Thompson, who has been active in efforts to win release of Soviet Jews and others refused Soviet exit visas.


She was taken to a precinct station where she could be released after posting \$50 bond, said Officer B.B. Young of the police department's public information office.

Charny said he hoped his quiet protest would prompt the Soviets to release his brother.

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Idaho bankers oppose farm mediation bill

By JANE ROBINSON
Times-News writer

BOISE — Idaho bankers are kicking and screaming about a proposed farmer mediation bill for no good reason, say their counterparts in Iowa.

"It has worked better than anyone thought," said Neal Coover, president of Farmers Bank in Afton, Iowa.

Idaho's bill, pending in the Senate, would force bankers and farmers to sit down with a mediator to explore alternatives to foreclosure. It allows a farmer to waive his prerogative to mediation within 21 days.

The bill was patterned after an Iowa bill approved last year.

Idaho's bankers oppose the legislation, saying it will delay foreclosure and dry up credit. They also oppose the mandatory pro-

vision that forces bankers to the table, but not a farmer in trouble.

Lawmakers backing the bill last week charged that bankers have successfully delayed helping both themselves and farmers by helping to stall the measure.

Bankers have been successful in getting changes drafted that would set up a mediation system through the Attorney General's Office, instead of through the Department of Agriculture.

However, Bernie Jensen, lobbyist for Idaho Banking Association, said that even with the changes, "I suspect bankers are not going to like it."

Concerns in Idaho are not unique. Iowa's bankers expressed similar fears last year before Iowa's measure became law, said Conover, legislative chairman of the Iowa Bank-

ing Association.

"Very few bankers favored it as a positive response to the farm economy," Coover said Monday, during a phone interview.

Now, with Iowa's Farmer-Creditor Mediation Service averaging 500 cases a month, Coover said Iowa's bankers have gone from acceptance to "actively supporting it."

"Mediation does not save anyone. I want to make that clear," Coover said. "But it does create an environment of discussion."

Ironically, both Idaho and Iowa agriculture officials have said the barrier to talking is usually not the lender, but the farmer on the verge of losing everything.

Idaho bankers have questioned why farmers would fear voluntary mediation efforts.

"Sometimes, the farmer wrongly assumes that any talks with a banker will be confrontational," Coover said. "This sets up a

format with a third party negotiator where we can find the middle ground."

Liz Binger, assistant director of the Iowa Farmer-Creditor Mediation Service, said farmers ignored a voluntary program in Iowa.

"Farmers are too proud to admit failure," Binger said. "A mandatory program forces the issue."

Of the 4,830 mediation requests by creditors since last May, Iowa farmers participated in only 40 percent.

Of the 2,200 farmers who participated, Binger said, resolutions were found for 1,600 farmers, including filing for bankruptcy.

In Idaho 51 farmers filed for Chapter 12 bankruptcy last year, and another 200 "are on the horizon," agriculture officials said.

Iowa officials estimated Idaho would get

2,000 requests for mediation in the first year, if Idaho's bill passes.

But that's a big "if." With less than 2 weeks to go, the bill has not made it out of the Senate, even though it shares some bipartisan support.

And once through the Senate, it must still go to the House for action.

Despite the time crunch, the bill's prime movers and shakers, Sen. John Peavey, D-Carey, and Sen. Laird Noh, R-Kimberly, are optimistic about its chances.

"If it gets over to the House, it has a very good chance," Peavey said Monday.

Noh said the measure "has generated a considerable amount of support," aside from bankers.

"It's perceived as a high-priority item, and I think it may get out," he said.



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Two police officers look over the automobile that was demolished early Monday morning in a car-train collision in Hansen that injured three persons

Three Hansen residents injured in car-train collision

By BONNIE BAIRD JONES
Times-News writer

HANSEN — Three Hansen residents were injured and their automobile was demolished early Monday morning in a car-train collision in Hansen.

Hansen Police Chief Earl Knutsen said the vehicle was driven by Debbie Chavez, 21, of Hansen. She and her two passengers, Donna Chavez, 24, and Rickie Freil, 28, also of Hansen, were taken by ambulance to Magic Valley Regional Medical Center in Twin Falls.

The Twin Falls Sheriff's Department reported that the

driver was later released, but Donna Chavez was hospitalized with a knee injury. Freil underwent surgery Monday afternoon for facial fractures.

Knutsen said the car was traveling north and the Union Pacific train was westbound at 40 mph when the accident occurred, about 7:30 a.m. The Sheriff's Department received the call at 7:38 a.m. The accident took place on the railroad crossing on Main Street in Hansen, just off U.S. Highway 30, east of Dav's Market intersection.

Knutsen said the driver of the car told him she did not see the train and did not hear a warning whistle.

"However, we have since established that the train did

sound its whistle on approaching the intersection, but we aren't sure how far from the intersection the whistle was blown," Knutsen said.

He said the two engineers and conductor on the train escaped injury and there was only slight damage to the front of the train.

The vehicle was not dragged by the train after the collision, Knutsen said. It was struck on the right rear quarter-panel and thrown about 130 feet from the tracks.

Knutsen said the accident is still under investigation and no citations have been issued.

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Minico patrons to vote on levy

Will fund cost of plant maintenance

By ADELL HARVEY
Times-News correspondent

RUPERT Minidoka School District patrons will vote on a plant facility levy today that would raise \$455,633 for each of the next 10 years.

Audrey Neiwirth, school board clerk and treasurer, emphasized that this is simply a renewal of a levy which has been in effect since 1948.

"It won't raise taxes one dime," she said. The levy costs taxpayers about \$1.07 for every \$1,000 of taxable, assessed market value.

While the levy requires a two-thirds majority, Neiwirth pointed out that the patrons have passed the 10-year levy each time it has come up.

"It's a necessity for the district for building maintenance and bus costs," she said. "The regular school levy just carries enough funding for salaries and small items."

No voter registration is required, but voters must sign an elector's oath of residence at the polls. Persons who have resided in the district for 30 days and are over 18 years old are eligible to vote.

The polls will be open from noon until 8 p.m. today. Nine polling places will be open, including Acaching Elementary Schools, West Minico Junior High, and Minico High School. Voters in Lincoln County may vote at the Cecil Terry residence; the Juan Irigoyen home is the polling place for Cassia residents; and Jerome County voters will go to the John Ottman home.

Missing Rupert Cemetery records create mix-ups, anger

BOISE (AP) — The trees that once surrounded the grave of Jody McGill still stand at the Rupert Cemetery, but McGill isn't buried there anymore.

The Rupert native died in 1982 in an automobile accident at age 23. Three years later, the day after Thanksgiving 1985, the headlines were uprooted; the sod dug up and his coffin taken by hearse to the cemetery in Paul, six miles away.

The reason: The cemetery mistakenly had sold them the plot, which already was committed to someone else, because cemetery records had disappeared.

The memory still angers Jody's parents, Johnny and Marilyn McGill.

"The last place in God's world you should have a problem is in a cemetery," Mrs.

McGill said. "It is the most unbelievable mess you could imagine."

The McGills say theirs is one of a dozen such cases in the past few years in the Rupert Cemetery. Mix-ups still occur, they say.

"There is still a big problem down here that no one is taking care of," said Greer Copeland, 28, who found the missing records in May. "They've got a heck of a problem to correct."

The cemetery board chairman William Moeller disagreed. "Maybe four or five" bodies were moved, and no duplicate sale of lots has occurred for at least a year, he said.

"Everyone is happy now," Moeller said. "Everything is completely settled."

But the cemetery still is the talk of the Magic Valley farming town. The talk has led to rumors that some bodies were buried on top of others. Moeller denied that.

"Not in my time (as chairman) has anything like that happened. Everything was done according to the law," Moeller said.

The McGills said Moeller told them in August 1984 that their son's body had to be moved because the deed for the lot had been sold before Jody's burial.

They refused to consent to a move, so the Cemetery Board took them to court. A judge ordered them to allow Jody's coffin to be moved.

Other sad stories emerged later. Claude Bowman, 59, said his wife of five years was

buried in January 1985 and then moved by cemetery officials to another section in August 1986.

He too was told the lot had been sold before he had purchased it. But Bowman said he was not contacted the day his wife was moved, as cemetery officials had promised.

"I'm quite upset, but what can you do?" he said. "I dragged my feet as much as I could. You eat the sour stuff and move on."

Moeller blamed the problem on poor management by a former cemetery sexton, who has since left.

"He didn't record enough things that he should have," Moeller said. A Rupert accounting firm now keeps records for the cemetery on a computer.

The mystery may have been solved by Copeland, manager of Eastend Electric in Rupert.

Copeland said he was cleaning his office in May when he found a book containing more than 3,000 names of people who had acquired deeds for the cemetery. A secretary at the office had brought it with her by mistake from her former job with the cemetery, he said.

The discovery had special importance for Copeland. He said his grandfather bought a plot in the cemetery 15 years ago. But when he died last year, the plot already was occupied. His grandfather was buried elsewhere in the cemetery.

In all cases, the cemetery paid the expense of moving the coffins, Mr. McGill said.

Kimberly to hire more teachers

By LYNDA BOODY
Times-News correspondent

KIMBERLY — The Kimberly School District will have the equivalent of nearly three more teachers next year.

The district will hire at least one more teacher and increase the hours of part-time employees to offer more to high-school students and to help cope with a large grade school class. The additional hours are contingent upon state funding, however.

One new teacher is planned for the third grade. The elementary school presently has three third-grade classes, but according to School Superintendent Richard Bauscher, the current enrollment of second-grade children will require an additional third-grade teacher next year.

"The additional class will allow us to meet state requirements for numbers of children in the classroom," Bauscher said, during

the board's meeting Thursday night. The state limits the number of first, second and third grade students in a class to 30.

The school also plans to increase the junior high and high school librarian's hours by two class periods. This will give the secondary school two full-time librarians.

Four periods of guidance counseling, three periods of secondary guidance and psychology will be added, also. Bauscher said the additional counseling hours will be used to concentrate on career guidance for secondary students.

One period of office occupations and a period of debate are also planned additions. These two additions are designed for high school seniors who will be required to attend all seven class periods beginning with the 1987-88 school year, because of new State Board of Education requirements.

The high school and junior high

began pre-registration last week, which will be completed by April 3.

"The pre-registration forms are due on the day of parent-teacher conferences, which will allow parental input on class selections," Bauscher said. School administrators plan to use the pre-registration forms to develop next year's curriculum.

In other business:

- PTO co-presidents Joy Beard and Janet Carlson reported on the pancake supper sponsored earlier this month by the Kimberly Parent-Teacher-Student Organization. The supper grossed \$1,463.
- A total of \$1,062 will be divided between the schools to purchase supplies, Beard said. The PTO board will determine what purchases may be made with the funds.
- In the past, funds raised by the PTO have been used to purchase items such as "wrestling mats" and

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Glenns Ferry to upgrade EMT service; discusses airstrip paving

By LAURA BELLEGANTE
Times-News correspondent

GLENN'S FERRY — The Glenns Ferry City Council backed up its commitment to provide quality emergency medical services, and it discussed paving the Glenns Ferry airstrip at its meeting last week.

The council voted to send three of the present EMT staff to trauma training at St. Alphonsus Regional Medical Center in Boise.

"This is one of the first extensive trainings we've had available in our area," said Sue Byrd, emergency medical technician coordinator.

The trauma training covers head and spine injuries, chest damages,

burns and patient assessment. The 2½-day training session will cost \$75 per person.

Mayor Dayle Messery cited the importance of regularly upgrading training.

"We have the service, and we want to keep it working well," he said.

On the matter of the airstrip, Robert Schamber, chairman of the Airport Development Committee, reported on progress.

In the process of leveling and packing the surface, a clay bog foot section at the center of the airstrip. The area has been a persistent low spot and has tended to retain water.

The committee believed that it

would be a poor base material for the proposed paved surface and that area is being excavated and replaced with gravel from the pit on the airport property southwest of the city.

Friday, Schamber received confirmation of money for the paving project from the Idaho Department of Transportation. This makes the paving portion of the project "look very good right now," Schamber said.

The asphalt will cost about \$9,870. Labor will cost an estimated \$17,000 more, but is expected to come mostly from donations from private industry and a possible grant.

In other business:

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Briefly

Robbins named to committee

WASHINGTON, D.C. — State Rep. Gary Robbins, R-Dietrich, was named as a member of the Agriculture, Food Policy and Rural Development Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures.

The Committee is one of 10 standing committees of NCSL's State-Federal Assembly. The SFA is NCSL's policy-making body and sets the agenda for the conference's lobbying efforts before Congress, the White House and federal agencies.

The SFA meets three times a year to meet with federal officials and develop recommendations on a wide range of national issues that affect state-federal relations. Issues high on the committee's agenda this year include the Farm Credit System, possible changes in farm programs and groundwater.

Robbins represents the state's 22nd District. "Serving on the Agriculture, Food Policy and Rural Development Committee will allow me to voice the concerns of state legislators nationwide and those of specific interest to our state," Robbins said.

"Many federal actions have serious consequences on the states and we are able to have an impact on these issues through the SFA and NCSL. I look forward to working with my colleagues from throughout the country on critical issues throughout the year."

NCSL represents the nation's 50 state legislatures. NCSL has three basic objectives: to improve the quality and effectiveness of state legislatures; to foster interstate communication and cooperation; and to assure state legislatures a strong, cohesive voice in the federal system.

Shooting hurts Minidoka man

MINIDOKA — Miguel Rodriguez Jr., of Minidoka, probably won't be going to bed with his gun anymore.

Minidoka County officers said Rodriguez was in bed, at his residence on Cherry Street, Friday morning with a .22-caliber pistol. He was handling the driver's window when he was shot.

"I was discharged, sending a bullet through his left hand — just under the index finger. The young man was taken to the Minidoka Memorial Hospital in Rupert by his father, Miguel Rodriguez Sr., and was treated for the injury. Hospital officials said he was not in the hospital Monday and was apparently treated and released. His age was not available.

Armed robber steals pizza

TWIN FALLS — An armed robber with a taste for pizza was being sought by Twin Falls police Monday. Someone called Domino's about 1 a.m. Saturday and ordered a pizza to be delivered to 252 Sycamore St.

When Melinda Hevel from Domino's tried to deliver the pizza, she could find no such house number. She phoned the pizzeria to verify the address and the managers called the number left with the order. They were told that the customer had seen the delivery vehicle pass their house and, if the driver would return to the neighborhood, they would meet her in the street.

When Hevel, of Flier, returned to the area she saw the porch light at 245 Sycamore turned off and on.

She stopped and went to the door, but was told by the resident that no pizza had been ordered and there was no such address as 252 Sycamore.

As she was left with the pizza, she told police, a man appeared in the yard, armed with a baseball bat and demanded the pizza.

She said she handed over the \$15.45 pizza, and asked the residents of 245 Sycamore, who came out to see what was happening, to call the police.

When police arrived, the armed robber and pizza had disappeared.

Femling chosen Blaine sheriff

HAILEY — The Blaine County Commissioners announced Monday morning that Walt Femling, a former Ketchum police sergeant, is their choice to fill the sheriff's vacancy in the county.

Femling, 30, was named to the position and immediately sworn into office to succeed Dennis Haynes, who resigned recently to accept a job in the private sector.

Femling was one of three applicants selected by the Blaine County Republican Central Committee and recommended to the county commissioners for a final decision. The two others were Sun Valley Police Capt. Jack Stoneback and Bellevue Marshal Winston Gray. Haynes had recommended his chief deputy, Eugene Ramsey.

Car purchase trial to begin

TWIN FALLS — A civil trial is scheduled to start in 5th District Court in Twin Falls today for a doctor accused of failing to pay for a \$25,000 car that was purchased Dec. 6, 1985 from a Boise automobile dealer.

The First Security Bank of Idaho wants to collect the \$25,000. It and the bank signed an agreement with the bank for financing the new car. The complaint says Scholes was to have paid \$800 per month for 12 months, with an \$18,000 "balloon" payment in January 1987. The bank charges that Scholes has made no payments.

Scholes contended in earlier court proceedings that he did not buy the car, which was not described, and that his name was forged on the contract.

Two vandalism cases reported

TWIN FALLS — Two instances of vandalism proved costly to property owners in Twin Falls during the weekend. Reports Monday showed that Jule Larjos, of 359 Falls Ave. W., reported \$400 damage to his home Saturday. He told police someone attempted to break into his house by prying open the garage door.

The attempt failed, but the door was severely damaged. Damage estimated at \$500 was reported Sunday by Jamie Lynn Sisson, of Buhl. Sisson's vehicle was parked at Blue Lakes Boulevard and Heyburn Street in Twin Falls when someone, wielding a sledge hammer, broke out the rear window and right side windows. Officers said the hammer was left in the car, along with blood spots indicating the vandal had been injured by the broken glass. Nothing was taken from the vehicle.

Castleford mulls valedictorian plan

DIANE SCHORZMAN Times-News correspondent

CASTLEFORD — The Castleford School Board reviewed a proposed policy change in the district's method of choosing its valedictorian and salutatorian at its meeting last week.

The new policy would require graduating seniors to have 14 to 16 credits in certain academic classes. "The new policy would make students who wanted to be valedictorian and salutatorian take more classes their senior year, even if next year's budget we plan to reduce the deficit by \$18,000 and by the following year wipe it out."

Also at the meeting, vocational agriculture instructor Andy Wiseman discussed a change in his curriculum with the board. Wiseman's new program would require students to take Ag 1 for a full year, because it is a prerequisite for all other agriculture classes. However, Ag 2, 3 and 4 would be listed as semester units.

Wiseman said the new schedule would better meet the vo-ag students' needs and would allow greater access to the vo-ag program. The new schedule met with the approval of the board, and it will be used next year.

In other business, it was noted that trustee positions in Zones 1 and 2 come open for election on May 19. \$4,000 under income, which will go toward reducing our deficit. Assumed.

Teacher

Continued from Page B1 basketball hoops. The PTSD is also planning to sponsor an Art Show/Auction on April 6. Artist Gary Stone has donated one of his works to the fund-raiser. Excess school items will be sold, as usual.

The school board voted to extend Bauser's contract for another year. Since he has a three-year contract, that extends it until June 30, 1990. The board also voted to retain all 35 tenured teachers. The resignation of Librarian Joan Schawyer, effective at the end of the school year, was accepted.

EMT

Continued from Page B1 A city beautification project proposed by the chamber of commerce was discussed by Harry W. Knox Jr. Using artistic renderings, he described a landscaped area including a "welcome" sign to be placed at the northwest corner of Banrock and First streets.

This would not replace a city services directory now on the site, he said. The chamber requested cooperation from the city in getting water to the site for the landscaping and in hauling fill and decorative rock for the project.

The council agreed to provide the assistance, encouraging development of a similar site at the eastern entrance to the community. "Services available information signs need to be brought up to date along the freeway, also," the mayor said.

City Maintenance Supervisor Butch Anderson reported that the Canyon Creek bridge has been completed and opened to traffic. "Messery quashed rumors that the recently visited Mormon Church building was available to the city for a token fee. He said that the building was offered to the city and two other church groups for \$50,000 — a figure \$100,000 less than the commercial asking price.

Messery said his goal, however, was "to keep the city at debt-free as possible and to not vacate the city center."

Obituaries



John R. Loder

TWIN FALLS — John R. Loder, 32, of Pocatello, and formerly of Twin Falls, died Saturday, March 21, in Boise as the result of an automobile accident.

Born April 22, 1954, in Auburn, Calif., he moved to Twin Falls in 1961. He graduated from Twin Falls High School in 1972 and from Idaho State University in Pocatello in 1983.

He served four years in the Navy, where he was an electrician's mate 2nd class on the USS Sacramento at the time of his discharge. He was employed by Idaho Power Co. as a foreman of a relay technician gang at the time of his death.

Mr. Loder was a professional guitarist and composer, and had written for the Maxwell Hotel and with his wife, the former Cheryl Mueller.

Surviving are: his wife of Pocatello, his parents, Harvey and Dorothy Loder, both of Twin Falls; two sisters, Judith Kirby and Kim Friedrich, both of Boise; and a brother, Bruce Loder of Pocatello.

A memorial service will be held today at 7:30 p.m. in Manning's Funeral Home in Pocatello. A memorial service also will be held at the Episcopal Church in Twin Falls at 5 p.m. Thursday. Cremation took place in Boise.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the Shriners Crippled Children's Hospital in Salt Lake City.

Nina Peart Pack

PAUL — Nina Peart Pack, 79, of Paul, died Sunday at her home after a lingering illness.

Born April 25, 1907, in Lewiston, Utah. She spent her early life in the Logan, Utah, area. She worked at a ladies millinery shop in Salt Lake City. She married Fred Pack, Nov. 6, 1927, in the Salt Lake City LDS temple. She made her home in Paul, where she and her husband operated a dairy and where she resided most of her married life.

Mrs. Pack was a member of the Daughters of Utah Pioneers for many years, and was active in the LDS Church, serving in numerous capacities in the various organizations.

Surviving are: her husband of Paul; four daughters, Pearl Platts of Boise, Delma Greener and Joyce Lund, both of Paul, and Gloria Tegen of Pocatello; two sisters, Martha Brown of Rome, Pa., and Glove Nelson of Preston; 18 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, two brothers and two sisters.

The funeral will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. in the Paul LDS Stake Center, with Bishop Jay H. Smith officiating. Burial will be in Rupert Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Payne Chapel in Burley today from 6 to 8 p.m. and at the church on Wednesday one hour prior to the time of the service.

Christian L. Hansen

EDEN — Christian L. Hansen, 80, of Eden, died Saturday, March 21, in the Evergreen Manor.

Born Sept. 6, 1906, in Utah, he was a veteran of World War II and later worked as a painter. He married Clara Hardy Dec. 25, 1943, in Lunderburg County, Va. She died in 1977.

Mr. Hansen was a member of the LDS Church. Surviving are: a son, Marlon Hansen of Eden; four grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

A private family service will be held. Burial will be in Redwood Memorial Estates in Salt Lake City.

Services

BURLEY — The funeral for Ray G. Schmidt, 71, of Burley, who died Thursday, will be held today at 2 p.m. in the Burley 4th Ward LDS Chapel. Burial will be in Pleasant View Cemetery, with military graveside rites. Friends may call at the church one hour prior to the time of the service. McCulloch's in Burley is in charge of arrangements.

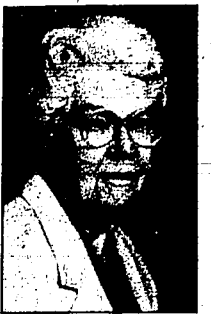
TWIN FALLS — The funeral for William M. Custer Jr., 64, of Twin Falls, who died Thursday, will be held today at 2 p.m. in the White Mortuary Chapel. Burial will be in Twin Falls Cemetery.

HEYBURN — The funeral for Alexander Gerlach, 74, of Pocatello, and formerly of Heyburn, who died Friday, will be conducted at 2 p.m. today in the Paul Congregational Church. Burial will be in Redwood Memorial Estates in Salt Lake City.

Hospitals

MAGIC VALLEY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER Admitted Jamie Dean Webb of Twin Falls; Mrs. Brent Griffin of Rupert; Jeremy Roberts of Kimberly; Mrs. Ralph Rulifson and Ralph Rulifson III, both of Amarillo, Texas; Jack Theobald, Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson and George VanHozer, all of Jerome; Diana Thomas of Filer and Kael McDeDe Post of Wendell.

Released Mrs. Matthew Fowler and daughter, Mrs. A. W. Franis, Joyce Harrison, Mrs. Eford Whaley and Shirley Bell, all of Twin Falls; Paul E. Burns, George Jones, Bray Smith and Mrs. Brent Griffin and daughter, all of Rupert; Mrs. Jerry Coulson and daughter of Kimberly; Mrs. J.R. Dixon, Jacqueline Mahan and Mrs. Mahesh Patel, all of Buhl; William Harbison of Hagerman; and Jeff Hartman of Jerome.



Mary D. Ghring

TWIN FALLS — Mary D. Ghring, 81, of Twin Falls, died Sunday, March 22, in Magic Valley Regional Medical Center.

Born May 24, 1905, in Byron, Neb., she moved with her family to the Clover tract in 1915. She married Theodore Ghring Dec. 22, 1925, in Clover. They resided in Clover until moving south of Twin Falls in 1960. They moved to Jerome in 1972 and to Twin Falls in 1980.

She was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church, the Lutheran Women's Missionary League at Clover, Jerome and Twin Falls, and was a charter member of the Magic Valley Memorial Hospital Guild.

Surviving are: her husband of Twin Falls; a son, Leo Ghring of Clover and Daniel Ghring of Anaheim, Calif.; two daughters, Dorothy Patterson of Twin Falls and Garnet Osterman of Portland; 14 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; three brothers; and four sisters. She was preceded in death by one adult son, Ralph Ghring, five infant children, and a brother.

The funeral will be held Friday at 3 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church, with Pastor Arthur Crosmer officiating. Burial will be in Clover Lutheran Cemetery.

Friends may call at the White Mortuary Chapel in Twin Falls Wednesday from 5 to 8 p.m., and on Thursday from 3 to 6 p.m.

The family suggests memorial contributions to the Good Shepherd Home of the West or the Immanuel Christian Life Center.

Leonard 'Bill' Parr

WENDELL — Leonard "Bill" Parr, 62, of Wendell, died Monday, March 23, in St. Benedict's Family Medical Center in Jerome after a sudden illness.

The arrangements are pending and will be announced by Demary's Wendell Chapel.

Annie May Streu

TWIN FALLS — Annie May Streu, 77, of Twin Falls, died Monday morning in Magic Valley Regional Medical Center.

Born Sept. 11, 1909, in Elko, Nev., she married David May Streu, Feb. 19, 1925. They were later divorced. She married Harry Streu at Kemmerer, Wyo., in 1932, and they lived in Utah until moving to Kimberly in 1962. Mr. Streu died in 1967.

She was a member of the Rebekah Lodge, and an Canton and LEA, within the lodge was a member of three branches of the Odd Fellows Lodge, and a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are: a son, Thomas Mas of Boise; three daughters, Katherine Hinton of Kimberly, Betty Thompson of Twin Falls and Bertha Hendricks of Hubbard, Ore.; 18 grandchildren; and numerous great- and great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a sister, five brothers and a grandchild. A graveside service will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Auldrest Memorial Park in Ogden.

Friends may call at the Chapel of Flowers in Ogden today from 6 to 8 p.m., and on Wednesday from 10 a.m. until noon.

Local arrangements were under direction of the White Mortuary.

Cleats Fletcher

FAIRFIELD — Cleats Fletcher, 84, of Fairfield, died Sunday, March 22, in the Holy Cross.

Born June 1, 1902, in Soldier, he attended schools in Soldier and Caldwell. She married Worth Fletcher May 18, 1925, in Caldwell. They lived in Shoshone, then moved to Fairfield in 1956.

Surviving are: two sons, Melvin Fletcher of Fairfield and Larry Fletcher of Wendell; two daughters, Barbara Prock of Fairfield and Eula Lader of Seattle; 14 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, three sisters and four brothers.

The service will be held Wednesday at 10 a.m. in the Fairfield Community Church, with the Rev. Richard Valnes officiating. Burial will be in Mountain View Cemetery in Fairfield.

Friends may call at Demary's Gooding Chapel today from 4 to 7 p.m.

Richard Krahn

GLENN'S FERRY — Richard Krahn, 83, of Glenn's Ferry, died Saturday, March 21, at a Mountain Home retirement center.

Born May 13, 1902, in Wausau, Wis., he moved to Fairfield with his parents in 1908. He married Emily Frances Lynch Feb. 15, 1916, in Cascade. He worked for the Brown Tie Lumber Co. in McCall for many years. They moved to Glenn's Ferry in 1966. Mrs. Krahn died Feb. 3, 1983.

Mr. Krahn was a member of the Glenn's Ferry Three Island Senior Citizens. Surviving are: two brothers, Edward Krahn of Fairfield and Fred Krahn of New Meadows.

The funeral will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in Humphreys Funeral Chapel in Glenn's Ferry, with the Rev. Richard Valnes officiating. Burial will be in Glenn Rest Cemetery in Glenn's Ferry.

Alfred B. 'Al' Calkins

GOODING — Alfred B. "Al" Calkins, 77, of Chehalis, Wash., and formerly of Gooding, died March 7 in an Olympia hospital.

Born May 11, 1909, in Hansen, he moved to Chehalis from Gooding 50 years ago. He worked for Darigold Industries for 35 years, until retiring in 1972.

Mr. Calkins, a member of the United Methodist Church, belonged to the Lewis-Pacific Drymen's Association for 45 years, the Chehalis Eagles, and was a life member of the Centralia-Chehalis Elks 2435.

Surviving are: his wife, Iola, whom he married Feb. 3, 1929; a daughter, Janice L. Gibson of Centralia; two sons, Dale W. and Leland R. Calkins, both of Chehalis; two sisters, Anna Hixson of Lehi, Ore., and Mildred Mester of Yuma, Ariz.; a brother, Abe Calkins of Gooding; eight grandchildren; and a great-grandson. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Shirley A. Huntington, in 1980.

The service and burial were held in Chehalis.

Eugene Ball

FILER — Eugene Ball, 62, of Filer, died Sunday morning, March 22, in Magic Valley Regional Medical Center after a short illness.

Born Jan. 19, 1925, in Buhl, he married Dorothy M. "Dottie" Phillips Nov. 8, 1945, in Elkton, Md. He served in the Navy during World War II, and was a carpenter most of his life, retiring in 1965.

He was a past member of the Twin Falls Elks Lodge. Surviving are: his wife of Filer; two sons, John E. Ball of Boise and Ronald G. Ball of Seattle; a daughter, Barbara Hill of Terrence; his mother, Myrtle Shriver of Jerome; four grandchildren; a brother, Chester Ball of Twin Falls; and a sister, Helen Gilmore of Hagerman. He was preceded in death by his father, Elmer Ball.

A graveside service will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in Sunset Memorial Park, with the Rev. John Wood officiating. Military rites will be under the direction of the Magic Valley Area Veterans and Auxiliary.

Friends may call at the White Mortuary in Twin Falls today from 3 to 6 p.m.

The family suggests memorial contributions to the Veterans of Foreign Wars or the Heart Association, and may be left at the mortuary.

TWIN FALLS

The funeral for William F. "Doc" Greiner, 90, of Twin Falls, who died Saturday, will be held today at 1 p.m. in the Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls. Masonic rites will be under the direction of Twin Falls Lodge 45 AF&AM. Burial will be in Hagerman Cemetery. The family suggests memorials to the Shriners' Hospital in Salt Lake City.

HAGERMAN — The funeral for John "Dick" Wellard, 51, of Hagerman, who died Friday, will be held in the Hagerman LDS Church today at 2 p.m. Burial will follow in Wendell Cemetery. Friends may call at the church from noon until the time of the service. Demary's Gooding Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Deaths Daughters to Mr. and Mrs. Brent Griffin of Rupert and to Diana Thomas and Michael Davis, both of Filer, and a son to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Thompson of Jerome.

CASSIA MEMORIAL

Admitted Vance Miller of Burley; Tyson Drew, Kevin Fralry and Darlene Breeding, all of Heyburn; Cyds Stimpson of Deelo; and Mary Braeger of Paul.

Released

Chelsea Dexter, Antonia Reason and Dorothy Crawford, all of Burley. Darlene Breeding of Heyburn.

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Can't understand the IRS's plain English? You're not alone

The Flesch test rates IRS Code as impossible

By Newsday

"Readability" isn't entirely subjective. Tests purport to measure it precisely. Indeed, under New York law, many kinds of insurance policies cannot be sold unless they have passed the Flesch test.

In the test, "zero means practically unreadable" and "100 is child's play," Rudolf Flesch wrote.

Flesch said the typical auto-insurance policy scored only 10 — college graduate level. The IRS Code was minus 6; the Wall Street Journal, 43; typical magazine ads, 82; and comics, 92.

Flesch, who died last year, was an expert in translating legalese into plain English. His 1952 book, "Why Johnny Can't Read — And What You Can Do About It," has sold more than half a million copies, according to Harper & Row.

Still, there are flaws in the Flesch test, which measures average sentence length in words and average word length in syllables. For example, "Sam is sad" would score no higher in "readability" than the same sentence spelled backward, "Das si mas."

By HENRY GILGOLF
Newsday

Seeking to make its bill clearer, New York Telephone asked some customers to evaluate the one it sends out now — the one that goes on for page after page referring to "A" calls and "E" calls and the "federal transfer surcharge."

The customers obliged: "... designed by idiots," said one Manhattan customer.

"... extremely complicated," said someone from Buffalo.

"... too long," said another customer from Manhattan.

A telephone bill that is hard to read is only part of the problem. Despite an aggressive campaign for plain language — a campaign waged for a decade by lawmakers, regulators and consumer advocates — gobbledygook endures. Consumers still must put up with complicated and cumbersome tax forms, contracts, bills and notices.

Clearly, the campaign has had its

successes. Over the years, it has encouraged or even forced private companies and public agencies to make many documents easier to understand.

The shorter, simpler "W-4A" form is a case in point. The Internal Revenue Service approved the form this month as an alternative to the widely despised new W-4. That form — or, more precisely, the bewildering worksheet for it — had "created a national uproar," in the words of Kenneth Morris, executive vice president of Siegel & Gale, a firm that helped the IRS simplify other forms.

Under a New York State law passed in 1978, plain language is required in written agreements for property, service or borrowing involving sums up to \$50,000. The law states that the agreements must be "clear and coherent," the words must have "common and every day meanings" and each section must be "appropriately divided and captioned."

As a result of laws and rules like

that one, many documents, such as loan agreements and apartment leases, have changed for the better. Ten years ago as a lawyer, you would look at legal documents and they were just indecipherable," said Christopher FitzPatrick, deputy commissioner in the New York City Department of Consumer Affairs.

"Now they are the exception rather than the rule."

Consumer contracts are "still complex but they're infinitely more readable," said Stephen Mindell, a consumer-law expert.

Six years after the plain-language law took effect, the attorney general and Dollar Rent-A-Car Systems Inc. settled charges that the contract used by the firm's licensees in New York was "virtually unreadable for the average consumer." Without admitting wrongdoing, the company agreed in 1984 to advise its outlets to use a new rental form, and the corporation paid \$4,000 in costs to the state.

"In my opinion," said Henry Caruso, the president of the company, "the contracts we've had are readable and understandable. They read it in all the other states of the union."

Before the revisions, the contract began,

"The lessor (identified on page two here) (hereinafter 'DOLLAR') hereby rents to CUSTOMER named on page two the motor vehicle

described on page two...

With the revisions, the first paragraph began: "We have rented this vehicle to you. ... Despite improvements like that, officials say arcane terms still turn up in contracts — sometimes in statements mandated by government — and even the most locked documents may not tell a consumer enough to make an informed choice.

Also, enforcement is divided among different agencies and appears to be uneven.

What, then, has the movement to plain language accomplished, and what are its limits? Some examples: — Telephone Bills: "If you don't understand your bill," said Richard Kessel, head of the state Consumer Protection Board, "you don't read the bill. If you don't read the bill, you stand a chance of being overcharged."

New York Telephone Co. bills pose an unusual challenge, said Lisa Rosenblum, head of the division of consumer services of the Public Service Commission. The agency that ordered gas and electric utilities to reword their bills has so far only suggested that the telephone company do so.

"The information is much more complex, and there are more variables," Rosenblum said. A company task force is working to have a new bill in use by year's end.

Doctors' speech may be as bad as their writing

DEAR ABBY: I must take issue with your reply to "Color-Blind" — she wrote about an acquaintance of hers who had taken her to the emergency hospital and demanded a while American doctor.



Abigail VanBuren
Dear Abby

You called that woman a bigot and a racist. Abby, I think you were wrong. With the recent influx of foreign doctors, I'm sure all that woman wanted was a doctor she could communicate with. I think you were wrong. With the recent influx of foreign doctors, I'm sure all that woman wanted was a doctor she could communicate with. I think you were wrong.

With wedding invitation time near, how should we deal with relatives and friends who say, "We will come to the wedding, but our son wants to bring his girlfriend," and so-and-so's daughter won't come unless she can bring her boyfriend — she'll be bored to tears without him. Another friend told us that they will be having friends visiting from out of town on that date, so please include them.

One smiling doctor even jokingly said to me, "Your 2-year-old speak more better English than me."

Abby, we are cutting corners as it is to the point of omitting some people who probably expect to be invited. We are already in over our heads, so how do we answer these supposedly intelligent and well-mannered people? Thank you.

—NORACIST
DEAR NO RACIST: You did indeed. And very well. I can understand why a person would insist on having a doctor who could speak English clearly — but what does color have to do with it?

DEAR MRS. D.: Simply say that

you are unable to add even one more person to your guest list. You are under no obligation to provide a reason, so respond with conviction and no apologies.

DEAR ABBY: A friend-at-work kept telling me about a young lady he thought I should take out. I finally called her and invited her out for dinner. We are both mature adults — mid-30s.

Well, I selected a very nice (expensive) restaurant, and after we each had a cocktail, the next thing I knew, this lady had one of her shoes off and she started "stroking" my leg with her shoelace foot!

What was she trying to tell me?

tempered, but after living alone for 30 years, he has acquired some habits that are driving me right to the wall.

He slurps his coffee. I don't mean just a noisy sip; it sounds like he's trying to suck up the ocean!

This morning I asked him nicely not to spit into the wastebasket basket. He needs the rent, and he's a nice old fellow otherwise.

Anything you can suggest to make me more tolerant will be greatly appreciated. I wouldn't hurt his feelings for the world.

—UP THE WALL

DEAR JOHNNY: Maybe her feet hurt, or she was angling for a foothold on a more intimate relationship — strictly under the table, of course.

DEAR UP: Slurping his coffee is an unconscious habit, and unless you call his attention to it, he will never know that it irritates you. Tell him, nicely. But spitting in the wastebasket is more than an annoyance — it's a health hazard. Be firm about both, but doubly firm about the latter.

DEAR MRS. D.: Simply say that

Valley happenings

Gem and hobby show planned

WENDELL — The North Side Gem and Hobby Club's 17th annual Gem and Hobby Show will be held at the Wendell High School old gym Saturday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Adults will be asked for a donation of 75 cents, but children under 12 will not be charged if they are with an adult. Door prizes will be drawn each hour.

Queen contestants are sought

JEROME — The Jerome County Mounted Sheriff's Posse is seeking posse queen contestants. Girls must be 18 and must have their own horse. Any interested contestants may contact the president, Kent Green, at 324-3145 or the secretary, Bonnie Rock, at 324-3431.

Coalition presents workshop

TWIN FALLS — A workshop for parents whose children receive special services in the public schools will be held Saturday in the College of Southern Idaho Shields Building, Room 106, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The workshop is presented by Idaho's Coalition of Advocates for the Disabled. An interpreter for the hearing impaired will be provided. For more information call Lorna Irwin at 324-7544.

Home and garden show is set

RUPERT — The Rupert Chamber of Commerce will sponsor its third annual Home and Garden Show

at the Burley West Western Inn Friday from noon to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. There is no admission charge.

Hansen to hold conferences

HANSEN — The Hansen School District will hold parent/teacher conferences Monday for all grade levels. There will be an afternoon session from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. and an evening session from 6 to 8 p.m.

4-H members learn leadership

TWIN FALLS — The University of Idaho Cooperative Extension Service will hold a workshop Saturday for teenage 4-H members from 9:30 a.m. to noon in the Twin Falls County Extension Office meeting room, 634 Addison Ave., Twin Falls. Teen leadership will be discussed, and preregistration is required. For more information call a county extension office or the Twin Falls County 4-H office, 734-9590.

Teen-agers will be 4-H topic

TWIN FALLS — Wilma Southwick, 4-H program assistant, will be conducting a workshop called "Teens, the Pot of Gold at the End of the Rainbow," Saturday from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in the Twin Falls County Extension Office meeting room, 634 Addison Ave., Twin Falls. The program is for all adult 4-H leaders working with teen-agers. Preregistration is required. For more information contact a county extension office or the Twin Falls County 4-H office at 734-9590.

Legal health needs check

NEW YORK (AP) — In addition to regular medical check-ups, have you considered undergoing a legal check-up?

According to attorney Armond Budish in Family Circle magazine, it is just as important to recognize the early symptoms of legal distress as it is to detect the warning signs of physical illness.

Budish says there are nine categories covering the most common legal ailments. These are: divorce; home purchase-sale; employment; physical injury; bankruptcy; wills; power of attorney; Medicaid; and taxes. What many don't realize, he says, is that even the friendliest divorce or simple real estate transaction could contain pitfalls that could lead to years of litigation if an attorney is not protecting your rights.

Weddings

Nussbaum-Mikesell

TWIN FALLS — Kaleen Nussbaum became the bride of Michael J. Mikesell Dec. 12 at the First Presbyterian Church in Twin Falls.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Nussbaum, Twin Falls, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mikesell of Idaho Falls.

The Rev. Robert Van Nest officiated, and Mrs. Robert Van Nest was organist.

Denise Fullmer, Twin Falls, was matron of honor. Best man was Paul Johnson, Martinez, Calif.

Carolyn Beams, Twin Falls, attended the guestbook, and Lonette Bruette, Twin Falls, was candle-lighter.

Following the ceremony a reception was held. Penny Johnson, Twin Falls, and Bruette served.

Following a trip to San Diego, the couple resides in Los Angeles, Calif., where the bridegroom is employed by Sierra Energy Systems.



Kaleen and Michael Mikesell

Jerome posse needs members.

JEROME — The Jerome County Mounted Sheriff's Posse is seeking new members.

The posse rides in precision drills and parades and needs for practice Thursday nights at the Jerome County Fairgrounds. The next meeting will be April 2, when the group will meet at the arena with

forsees. If the weather is bad, the meeting will be held in the Jerome Armory at the fairgrounds.

Any interested people are welcome to attend the meeting or can call the president, Kent Green, at 324-3145 or the secretary, Bonnie Rock, at 324-3431.

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Briefly

Brandt resigns party position

BONN, West Germany (AP) — Willy Brandt, former chancellor, winner of the Nobel Peace Prize and one of the towering figures of postwar Europe, resigned Monday as chairman of the opposition Social Democrats amid an uproar over his choosing a Greek woman as party spokeswoman.

Brandt, 73, led the party for nearly 23 years, and the resignation ends his long tenure at the peak of West German politics.

Social Democratic spokesmen said the board later nominated Hans-Jochen Vogel, leader of the party faction in Parliament, to succeed Brandt. They said Vogel almost certainly will be chosen as new party leader at a special congress on June 16. Brandt will serve as acting chairman until then.

The board's vote was 32-1, with one abstention, a spokesman said.

Saarland state Gov. Oskar Lafontaine, the other top candidate for the job, is expected to become deputy chairman, the spokesman said.

Avalanche kills seven skiers

BLUE RIVER, British Columbia (AP) — An avalanche swept down a mountain Monday morning, killing seven members of a ski party that had been brought to the remote area by helicopter, authorities said.

The bodies were recovered Monday afternoon and were being taken to Clearwater, said Constable Terry Wilde of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

No identities were released pending positive identification and notification of relatives, he said.

Twelve people, including a guide, had been on a tour run by Mike Wegle Helicopter Sking, according to another RCMP spokesman in Clearwater, about 60 miles south of this tiny community.

Blue River is about 280 miles northwest of Vancouver in east-central British Columbia, near the eastern boundary of Wells Gray Provincial Park. The ski area is accessible only by helicopter.

U.S. hit for slow arms talks

GENEVA (AP) — The chief Soviet negotiator at U.S.-Soviet talks on nuclear testing said Monday the discussions made no progress because the United States continued to refuse to discuss a nuclear test ban.

The envoy, Andronik Petrosyants, in a statement published by the Soviet news agency Tass in Geneva, said he regretted there had been no progress "owing to the U.S. side's posture."

The talks recessed Friday and are to resume May 18. The U.S. delegation issued a statement Friday calling the talks positive.

Tass quoted Petrosyants as saying the U.S. delegation "is not demonstrating the political will to put an end to nuclear testing and is trying to replace 'full-scale talks with a discussion of just one issue.'"

Eight people stabbed in India

CALCUTTA, India (AP) — Eight people were stabbed to death Monday in a crucial election in the southern state of Kerala and about 220 others were wounded in election violence there and in two other states, police and the United News of India reported.

The three contests — in southernmost Kerala, northernmost Kashmir and West Bengal — are considered a vital test for Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, who campaigned vigorously for his Congress Party's candidates.

Vote-counting begins today, and most results were expected by tonight.

India, the world's largest democracy with 780 million people, consists of 24 states and eight territories.

Plan offered on Pakistan aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — Declaring Pakistan is on the threshold of developing nuclear weapons, Sen. John Glenn, D-Ohio, proposed Monday a formula for cutting off U.S. military aid if the Pakistani government actually obtains a bomb or continues to produce weapons-grade nuclear material.

A Reagan administration official, Assistant Secretary of State Richard Murphy, said he would study the idea.

But he said that in light of U.S. interests in the region it might prove a counterproductive initiative, especially if Pakistani officials reacted by "taking exception to being publicly leaned on by the U.S. government."

Gadhafi: Terrorism to continue

TRIPOLI, Libya (AP) — Terrorist attacks will continue in Western European countries until those nations change their policies in the Middle East and Africa, Libyan leader Col. Moammar Gadhafi was quoted as saying Monday.

The Libyan news agency JANA said Gadhafi, speaking at a conference on terrorism, also said the United States "should be laid siege to as a terrorist state by all the people the world over." JANA, in its report monitored in Rome, reported Gadhafi accused the United States, Britain and France of "state-sponsored terrorism against liberation movements."

Referring specifically to France, Gadhafi said France would be subjected to terrorism "as long as it practices state-sponsored terrorism against its colonies," and he listed Chad, Martinique, Mayotte and Reunion.

Car bomb injures 12 in West Germany

RHEINDAHLEM, West Germany (AP) — A car bomb exploded Monday night at the British army and air force headquarters in West Germany and at least 12 people were injured, West German police said.

Police spokesmen said none of the injuries appeared life-threatening.

The bomb went off at 10:30 p.m. in a vehicle parked outside an officers' mess at the British Army of the Rhine and Royal Air Force headquarters in Rheindahlen, said Lt. Colonel Terry Turner, spokesman at the Rheindahlen base, told The Associated Press in a telephone interview early Tuesday.

He said West German and British military police were on the scene and that emergency services were attending to the casualties.

Peter Kneppers, a West German police spokesman in the nearby city of Moenchengladbach, said there was no immediate claim of responsibility.

Kneppers said that 12 people were admitted to local hospitals and that none were in a life-threatening condition.

Another Moenchengladbach police investigator, speaking on condition of anonymity, identified the injured as two German women and the rest British soldiers or German base employees.

British military officials released no details on casualties.

Kneppers said the force of the blast blew out windows in buildings in a radius of several hundred yards. The blast was heard over 4 miles away from the base, police said.

The police investigator said an anonymous caller had telephoned a West German news agency office in Duesseldorf, 18 miles east of Rheindahlen, and said in broken English that a bomb would soon explode.

But agency staff could not understand anything else the caller said before the phone was hung up, the police official said.

Moenchengladbach police said investigators believed a second bomb might have been left on the Rheindahlen base and police were combing an area cordoned off in a one-mile radius. British base spokesmen refused comment.

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Tavner said about 7,000 military members and their dependents live on the Rheindahlen base, the site of the 2nd Tactical Allied Air Force and the Northern Army Group.

The Rheindahlen base is located about 18 miles west of Duesseldorf and six miles west of Moenchengladbach in northern West Germany, near the Dutch border.

Kneppers said public access to the officers' mess hall had been unrestricted in contrast to other areas of the Rheindahlen base. Police quickly sealed the area off after the blast, he said.

The explosion occurred hours after British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher visited the West German capital of Bonn for talks with Chancellor Helmut Kohl. Mrs. Thatcher had returned to London by the time the explosion occurred.

Carter denounces Iran explanation on Waite

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP) — Former President Jimmy Carter described as "hideous" an Iranian report Monday that Terry Waite, the Anglican Church envoy missing in Lebanon, was a spy for the United States.

Tehran radio said Waite, who disappeared in Beirut Jan. 20 while trying to negotiate the release of American hostages, was being held by the Revolutionary Justice Organization. Later in the day, it said that the organization denied it.

The radio's initial report said Revolutionary Justice accused Waite of spying for the United States.

"That's ridiculous. I can say that much," Carter told reporters at the Sheraton Hotel in Damascus after he returned from a day-long sightseeing tour of the Mediterranean port of Aleppo.

"There's no truth to that at all," Carter said of the spy charge. When asked whether he had discussed Waite's disappearance during talks

with Syrian President Hafiz Assad on Sunday, he said "I'll have a press conference tomorrow (Tuesday). I'll discuss some of the things that are appropriate. But not today."

Waite, Archbishop of Canterbury Robert Runcie's envoy, disappeared in west Beirut after he left his hotel apparently to meet with members of Islamic Jihad, or Islamic Holy War, to negotiate on behalf of U.S. hostages Terry Anderson and Thomas Sutherland.

No group has admitted holding Waite since he disappeared.

When Carter arrived in Damascus on Saturday, he said he would discuss the fate of eight Americans held hostage in neighboring Lebanon. He said he would urge Assad's government to use its influence to free them.

Carter refused to say if the hostage issue arose during his two meetings with Assad. But he described the talks as very interesting and broad-ranging.

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Eagles even '87 mark with twinbill sweep of Utah Valley

By STEVE CRUMP
Times-News sports editor

TWIN FALLS — The degree of College of Southern Idaho baseball Coach Jim Walker's satisfaction or displeasure with his ballclub is usually measurable by the length of time it spends in the dugout following its ball games.

The Eagles got to home early Monday. CSI backed the four-hitting slug of David Carter with 10 hits in the opener, then nailed down Tony Mortenson's four-bitter in the nightcap with 11 hits of its own to sweep Utah Valley College 5-1 and 6-1 in a non-conference double-header.

"Consistency," said Walker of his his team's improvement from a 2-5 start. "We're playing with a lot more consistency and confidence than we were two weeks ago. We took our licks in Arizona (an eight-game road swing last week), but we hit CSI as a team down there. We're playing better defense, we're hitting the ball and we're getting outstanding pitching. You know, people expect us to win every game," Walker continued. "That's just not going to happen here any more than it's going to happen in the big leagues. But we're getting better, and if we can continue to do that we'll be all right."

The Eagles, now 7-7 for the season, will host the Wolverines for two more games today at noon at Frontier Field. Monday's games were the start of a 17-day, 18-game homestand that will continue with double-headers against Dixie College on Friday and Saturday.

After allowing an unearned run in the first inning of the opener, Carter gave the

Wolverines next to nothing. The lanky sophomore right hander permitted just one more Utah Valley runner past first base, that in the fifth inning.

CSI, meanwhile, pushed across single runs in each of the first three innings. In the first, Eric Kophs singled, went to second when Shawn Whalen walked and scored on Chris Hanks' single. In the second, base hits by Dave McQuivey and Billy Satterfield and walks to Kophs and Whalen accounted for another run, and in the third Kirk Slater singled, advanced on an error and scored on Errol Shirer's single.

The Eagles put the game away with single runs in the fifth and sixth. In the fifth, Slater doubled and scored on Shirer's single and in the sixth Whalen doubled and scored on Hanks' double.

In the nightcap, Mortenson — a left-

hander who had an injury plagued freshman year last season — threw his best game in a CSI uniform, striking out six and allowing just six Wolverines on base. Only one of those runners got past first, that on Randy Willstead's towering home run to right field with two out and none aboard in the sixth.

For its part, CSI scored twice in the third after Satterfield led off with a double, advanced on a single by Shirer and scored on a fielder's choice that put Kophs on first. Kophs in turn went to second on Whalen's single and scored on Slater's single.

In the fourth, McQuivey got aboard on a single, stole second and scored on an error. The Eagles made it 6-0 with three runs in the fifth, starting with back-to-back doubles by Whalen and Hanks. The first run scored on a stolen base and a throwing er-

ror by the catcher and the second on Ryan Brown's single. Moe, who had walked and advanced to third on Brown's single, scored on a wild pitch.

Right-fielder Slater, one of only two CSI sophomore outfielders, led the Eagles at the plate Monday, getting five hits in seven at-bats.

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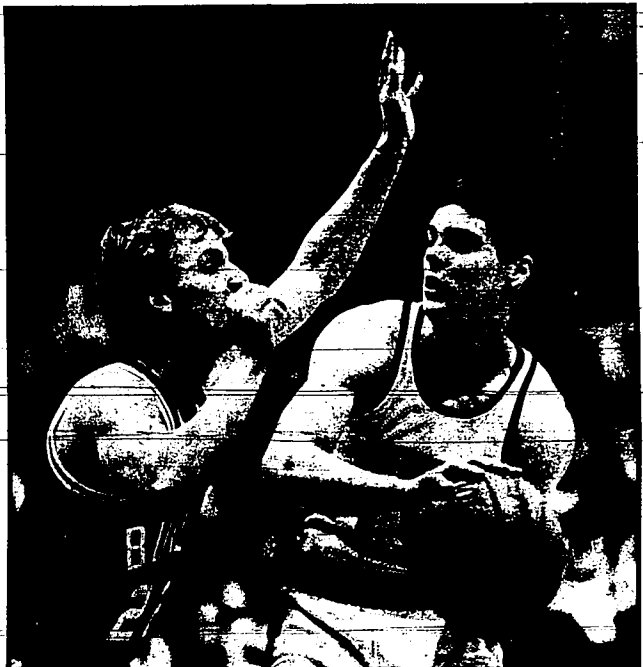
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East all-stars topple the West at both ends of doubleheader



West's Mike Welch of Jerome looks to pass ball around Burley's Kirt Melling, of the East

Neither contest close down the stretch

By LARRY HOVEY
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — A game plan against embarrassment worked very well for the Magic Valley East all-stars as they swatted down the taller and favored West 76-63 in the annual season boys' basketball finale.

"But it wasn't a good plan for the West girls who dropped a lopsided 77-42 decision to the East in the first game of the doubleheader that was sponsored by the Fourth District Coaches Association.

Actually, the only one on the East who voiced the possibility of a West runaway was East Coach Norm Cook of Dietrich and he told about it in a joking manner afterward.

"Before the game I talked to them about not getting ourselves embarrassed and they all told me 'don't worry about it, it's not going to happen,'" he said with a laugh.

From the outset the smaller Eastern team swarmed the West defensively, plucked up all the loose balls and probably held a good advantage in rebounding as well. The West, which should have had a red

Magic Valley All-Stars

face by halftime, did scramble back into the game in the late third quarter by trimming a one-time 19-point deficit to seven. But the East simply steadied again and moved away.

"I thought a couple of things helped us," said Cook. "We shot the ball in the paint a lot. We weren't looking for three-pointers although we ran a couple of plays for (Burley's) Kirt Melling and (Kimberly's) Tim Shaw. Then (Shoshone's) Kelly Duffin was able to nullify them inside pretty well and (Burley's) David Budge did a good job on (Jerome's) Tom Fleming."

"We felt we would have an edge in quickness and we played to that, too," said Cook.

West Coach Ben Allen paid tribute to the mental outlook the East brought into the game.

"They just took it to us. They came out a little more ready to play," he said.

"We didn't play at a very good tempo at any time all night, and our big kids did not have very good nights. They hurried everything," Allen concluded.

The East took advantage of a long West drought to pile up a big first-half lead. After Jerome's Mike Welch hit a jumper to close the East advantage to 11-9, the West offense dried up completely.

Russion Hale of Oakley hit five quick points to join with Duffin and Bruce Bowers of Richfield in pushing the cushion to 22-9 early in the second quarter before Fleming took the West off nine three minutes into the period.

But just as quickly, Shaw's three-point and field goals by Budge and Shoshone's George Shimer expanded the margin to 29-11.

While the West continued its fitful performance, the East moved to its biggest lead at 41-22 in the third quarter. Gooding's Todd Kimmes and John Lot of Castleford ended the period with points and Wendell's Jim Prince opened the fourth with a



East guard Leslee Warr soars to basket over Glenns Ferry's Barb Johaneck, of the West

West goal to make it 57-50. The seemed to set the stage for a good finish — but looks were deceiving.

Melling replied with his three-pointer and a two-pointer and Duffin got inside for two more points to offset another Prince field goal and push the margin back to 13 points.

The West never challenged again. Things were over much more quickly in the girls' game where the East had the favorite's role and quickly established it.

With Kimberly's Audra Urie hitting five points, the East jumped in front 9-0 and never trailed. However,

with Glenns Ferry's Barb Johaneck getting four points, the West stayed within five after the first eight minutes.

It remained fairly close until the midpoint of the second quarter when the East took over completely.

Holding a 23-16 edge, the East picked up two field goals each from Pat O'Maley of Shoshone and Hel-tie DeLong of Burley plus points from Minto's Rose Stuart and Kimberly's Cindy Holcomb. With 1:59 left in the second, the West had sprung into a doubling at 33-16.

By halftime that expanded to 38-19 and the East simply and steadily

pushed farther away through the second half.

East Girls 77, West Girls 42

East Boys 76, West Boys 63

Nebraska, not known as a basketball school, in NIT 'Final Four'

By JOHN VALENTI
Newsday

NEW YORK — For years, it has been known as the land of football, corn, harsh winters and Mutual of Omaha's Wild Kingdom. So how can it be explained that the University of Nebraska, home to the best-known product from the state, still is playing basketball at this time of the year?

"Hard to believe," said Danny Nee, the Brooklyn-born coach in his first-year at Cornhuskers have appeared in just one NCAA tournament game, a first-round loss to Western Kentucky last season. Though expected or not, Nebraska is one of four teams scheduled to play in semifinal games NIT — seven tournaments, five in the 1980s

in the National Invitation Tournament Tuesday night at the Madison Square Garden. Arkansas-Little Rock (26-6) meets LaSalle (19-12), followed by Nebraska (20-11) versus Southern Mississippi (21-11). The winners meet for the title Thursday.

None of the teams is recognizable, although LaSalle won the NIT in 1952 and the National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament in 1954 with Tom Gola, and none is expected to draw more than a modest crowd to the Garden. But Nebraska? The team and from the school administration thought, said Nee, a teammate of Kareem Abdul-Jabbar at Power Memorial High School in New York. "But we have everything here we need to build this program into a national power. I know that it is hard to believe, because when you think of

also is because Nee knows how to get his teams to win. He proved to be a motivator as an assistant at Notre Dame and as a head coach at Ohio University, where he took a losing team in the two years turned it into a winner. He had four 20-win seasons in six years at Ohio and compiled a 107-67 record; his teams twice won the Mid-American Conference title for berths in the NCAA tournament.

"Our success has come quicker than I thought," said Nee, a teammate of Kareem Abdul-Jabbar at Power Memorial High School in New York. "But we have everything here we need to build this program into a national power. I know that it is hard to believe, because when you think of

Nebraska you don't think of basketball. But if I didn't think it was possible, I never would have taken the job."

A thumbnail look at Nebraska as it heads into the NIT "Final Four" against Southern Mississippi tonight in Lincoln. The other semifinal features La Salle at Arkansas-Little Rock.

Nebraska — Three players score in double figures: Forward Bernard Day averages 12.5 points and 5.8 rebounds, while forward Derrick Vick averages 10.8 points and 5.7 boards.

Guard Brian Carr averages 12.1 points and 4.3 assists. But Coach Danny Nee said, "The way we play defense, I'm sure. Southern Mississippi is going to score a lot of points. We're a bunch of tall, slow white guys."

Woes continue for Southwest Conference

NCAA alleges violations from new Texas coach

By JACK KEEVER
The Associated Press

AUSTIN — The NCAA has sent a letter to the University of Texas alleging football rules violations in 19 categories over a seven-year period, some of them involving David McWilliams, a former assistant and now head coach.

McWilliams, hired in December from Texas Tech to succeed fired coach Fred Akers, admitted Monday he made mistakes as an assistant and "was wrong in doing it."

The NCAA has been investigating the Longhorns' football program since September 1985, according to Texas President William Cunningham and Knox Nunnally, a Houston lawyer hired by the university to conduct an internal investigation.

Each category listed in the NCAA's letter of "Official Inquiry," which covers a period from 1980 to 1986, contains one or more allegations of rule violations, Nunnally said.

The allegations include loans and gifts of small amounts of cash to athletes, the loan of automobiles, the employment of a prospective recruit by a Texas alum while the athlete still was in high school, free auto transportation between an athlete's home and his future employer's business, and entertainment cash in excess of that allowed by NCAA rules for athletes who host recruits during visits to the campus, Nunnally said.

The NCAA also contends that extra benefits were provided to athletes in the form of meals, free dental and legal services, and the sale of complimentary football tickets in violation of NCAA rules.

Athletic Director DeLoss Dodd on Monday characterized the listed violations as minor.

The Texas program "has without the scrutiny of this extensive internal and external investigation and has emerged with no major blemish," he said.

McWilliams, 44, is mentioned with others as providing cash for athletes or arranging for athletes to receive money, some of which was repaid.

The NCAA also said McWilliams and others arranged for athletes to receive free use of automobiles and that McWilliams loaned his car to athletes on two occasions — once to drive another athlete to class and another time to conduct personal business.

"On one instance, I did loan an athlete a small amount of money to go home," McWilliams said at a news conference. "On another instance, an athlete who had flunked out of school was not able to get his transcript to try to transfer to another school — I did help him... and I did loan my car for a period of 20-25 minutes to an athlete for some personal business."

Asked if he considered the acts serious, McWilliams said, "They were certainly serious because they're wrong. Certainly I made a mistake on those things, and I was wrong in doing it... I apologize to the University of Texas, its alumni and anyone else I caused this embarrassment to."

Before the news conference, Cunningham told the University Council he was pleased to apologize to students, faculty and staff at UT and the public "for any violations of the NCAA rules that may have occurred in the football program."

"At the University of Texas at Austin, the violation of rules is simply unacceptable," he said.

Cunningham said he met Monday with Dadds, McWilliams and assistant athletic directors and football coaches.

"My message was and is a simple and direct one: Anyone who knowingly violates NCAA rules, or who is involved in a coverup of NCAA violations, will be terminated from the university," Cunningham said.

Dadds said, "I don't think there will be anyone terminated who's on the staff at this time."

The university received the letter from the NCAA on Friday and released it Monday. Nunnally said Texas' response should be filed by April 13.

Texas officials will meet with the NCAA Committee on Infractions during its April 24-27 meeting at Hilton Head, S.C., and should receive the committee's decision on punishment within a month of that meeting, he said.

Texas would have the option of accepting the decision or appealing to the NCAA Council.

The allegations follow disclosures that players at Southern Methodist University received cash payments from a booster club fund and that some officials — including Gov. Bill Clements, then chairman of SMU's Board of Governors — decided to continue the payments even after SMU was placed on its sixth probation in 1985.

On Feb. 25, the NCAA instituted the first use of the "death penalty" by suspending SMU's football program for 1987 and limiting the Mustangs to seven road games in 1988.

SMU sorority members sold sex to grid recruits, Lone Star station reports

DALLAS (AP) — Boosters paid sorority women to have sex with Southern Methodist football recruits and hired other students to take tests for athletes, KLIF radio reported Monday.

Broadcaster Norm Hitzges quoted unidentified sources as saying two sorority members initially were paid \$400 a weekend to have sex with football prospects.

Those reports are the latest in the pay-for-players scandal that resulted in the NCAA banning football at SMU for 1987.

The number of women grew to "another six, eight, 10 girls involved" over a period of years, Hitzges said on his morning sports show.

The women allegedly lured the athletes with the promise of more sex if they signed at SMU, and tried to get information about what other schools were offering them, Hitzges said.

The organizer of the sex-for-athletes scheme has "long since left school," Hitzges said, and now works for a Dallas law firm. But Hitzges said the sexual favors plan, which started in 1979-80, resumed in 1982 with more women involved.

Hitzges said his information came from one key source and that the story was verified by other sources, whom he did not name.

In addition to the money, Hitzges said, the women received extra gifts, including a Mercedes-Benz car, the use of a fur coat one year and a booster's credit card.

He said other students were recruited by boosters and paid to take tests, stand exams and write papers for athletes.

The broadcaster also alleged that secretaries in various professional offices were paid to change the grades of football players before they were sent to the registrar's office, and that most professors were not aware of the grade-fixing changes.

Reports of grade-cheating and payments to women for sex with athletes surfaced last week when SMU officials acknowledged they were investigating "unfounded rumors" from an anonymous tipster.

Hitzges said sex-for-players and the grade-fixing became known to Gov. Bill Clements and other members of the SMU Board of Governors, which Clements chaired before stepping down in January for his inauguration.

Last Friday, Clements said, "I categorically deny any knowledge whatsoever of such practices. I abhor the idea of these kinds of activities if they exist."

Contacted again today, Clements said, "It is absolutely untrue."

Hitzges said the sex-for-players and grade-fixing schemes were discussed in 1985 at Clements' house at the same time Clements and some board members made the decision to continue illicit payments to athletes.

KLIF also quoted sources as saying that former Athletic Director Bob Hiltch was paid \$500,000 and former Coach Bobby Bowden was paid \$375,000 when they resigned last December. They stepped down in the wake of the NCAA investigation.

A family member at Collins home said he was not available for comment.

All-SWC quarterback tells Aggies he's turning pro

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Texas A&M quarterback Kevin Murray said he would forego his final year of college eligibility and make himself available for this spring's National Football League draft.

Murray, twice consensus All-Southwest Conference quarterback, led the Aggies to conference championships and Cotton Bowl appearances the past two seasons.

He had indicated earlier in the

year he would return for his final year of eligibility. That would have been his fifth year, since he was granted an extra year to compensate for a season-ending injury in an early non-conference game in 1984.

"Kevin has given us four good years, and he deserves the opportunity to move on to new challenges," A&M Coach Jackie Sherrill said Monday. "I respect his decision, and, in fact, I respect

him as a person more all the time."

Sherrill and Murray said the decision was prompted by Murray's reassessment of his draft prospects and to eliminate uncertainty as the Aggies begin spring practice.

"After talking with my family and I've decided it is in my best interest to go ahead and pursue my professional career at this time,"

Sherrill said Monday in making his intentions known. "My Aggie heart tells me to stay at A&M and play another year, but logic tells me that I should move on and test myself in the pro ranks."

"Obviously, I would be pleased to have had Kevin quarterbacking again this fall — since he is one of the best, if not the best quarterback ever to play in this conference — but I have told him all along that he needs to think of his future and decide what's best for Kevin Murray," Sherrill said.

Valenzuela throwing with midseason form

By The Associated Press

Fernando Valenzuela was in midseason form as Los Angeles reliever Brian Holton blanked Houston on three hits over six innings, and Mike Scioscia's suicide-squeeze bunt with one out in the bottom of the ninth lifted the Dodgers to a 2-1 exhibition victory over the Astros.

Scioscia's bunt single off Larry Anderson scored pinch-runner Mike Devereaux from third base as the Dodgers overcame a 1-0 deficit after seven innings.

After Valenzuela left, outfielder Paul Householder hit his second home run of the spring off Los Angeles reliever Brian Holton in the seventh.

The Dodgers led the score in the eighth when Alex Trevino walked and eventually scored on pinch-hitter Bill Madlock's single off Anderson.

Houston starter Manny Hernandez blanked the Dodgers over the first five innings, allowing two hits and striking out four, and reliever Rocky Childers pitched two scoreless innings.

Prater's Rangers 0
In Bradenton, Sid Bream and Barry Bonds hit solo home runs to help Pittsburgh beat Texas. Bream led off the seventh with his homer to right field off

Spring training

Pitcher Ron Meridith. Bonds fanned with a solo homer in the eighth inning.

St. Louis Cardinals. Steve Radez 2
In Tampa, Steve Lake drove in three runs with a pair of singles and Jack Clark hit a two-run homer as St. Louis beat Cincinnati. Lake and Ozzie Smith each had three hits to pace the Cardinals' 16-hit attack. The Cardinals improved to 13-3 and snapped the Reds' six-game winning streak.

Blue Jays 6, Tigers 2
In Duncedin, Rob Ducey and Jesse Barfield drove in two runs each and John Cerutti pitched five innings of three-hit ball as Toronto defeated Detroit. Larry Herndon and Darrell Evans hit solo homers for the Tigers.

Indians 8, Mariners 4
In Tucson, Rick Dempsey and Mel Hall homered and Ken Schrom allowed one run over six innings to lead Cleveland over Seattle.

Phillies 6, Mets 2
In St. Petersburg, Sid Fernandez pitched five scoreless innings and Gary Carter had three hits and three runs but led in as New York defeated Philadelphia. Fernandez allowed four

hits, walked three batters, and struck out four in his most impressive outing this spring. The left-hander also singled in a run in the fourth.

Expos 9, Yankees 5
In West-Palm-Beach, Montreal rookie Casey Candaele went 4-for-5, drove in two runs and scored twice as the Expos took advantage of six New York errors for seven unearned runs in a 9-5 exhibition victory over the Yankees. New York's Bobby Meacham, Mike Pagliarulo and Dan Pasqua made two errors each.

Tommy John, allowed seven runs and 12 hits in 1 1/3 innings, but only one run was earned.

White Sox 7, Royals 2
In Fort-Myers, Joe Cowley struck out seven in seven innings and led Kansas City to five hits in pitching Chicago to its victory. Steve Balboni's second-inning homer, his third of the spring, was the only run off Cowley.

Brewers 13, A's 8
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fourth and had an RBI single in the sixth.

Angels 6, Cubs 5
In Palm Springs, pinch-hitter Devon White's single with one out in the 10th inning scored George Hendrick from second base to give California its victory over Chicago. White singled left with one out with a single off loser Ed Lynch and was forced on Hendrick's grounder. Drew Hall relieved Lynch and walked Mark McLemore before White grounded his single into right.

Orioles 10, Red Sox 7
In Miami, Chris Padgett hit Baltimore ahead to stay with two-run single during an eight-run seventh inning rally that included three bases-loaded walks as the Orioles defeated Boston. The Orioles had four hits and six walks off Josia Manzanillo and Tom Bolton before veteran Joe Sambilo came in to record the first out of the inning. Jim Rice hit a three-run homer in the first for the Red Sox.

Twins 6, Astros 3
In Kismistee, Mark Davidson hit a three-run homer in the seventh inning to power Minnesota over Houston. The Twins scored a run in the first inning on a double by Chris Pizarro in a run-scoring single by Gary Gaetti. Minnesota added two runs in the fifth on a pair of throwing errors by Houston first baseman Phil Garner.

Met balks at fine

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — The offseason problems the New York Mets hoped to leave behind continued to spill over into spring training Monday when Danny Strawberry admitted he was under \$1,000 in back taxes.

Strawberry was back in right field Monday for the Mets' game against Philadelphia, one day after having left camp for 14 hours to protest the fine.

Strawberry, currently in separation proceedings with wife Lisa, missed Saturday's scheduled workout because of "personal reasons." Johnson docked him \$500, and when Strawberry disputed the fine and said he would not practice Sunday, the manager told him "to please go home" and added a \$1,000 fine.

"I'm going to pay the \$500 fine, but I don't know about the \$1,000," Strawberry said Monday. "I had no idea I'd be fined for leaving camp Sunday. After all, I did come back. I wouldn't have left if I knew it was going to be a \$1,000 fine."

"The manager expects a lot of it, and we don't see eye-to-eye on things," he said. "The time has come. I just wish he'd give me a break now and then. He's stubborn and I'm stubborn, but if somebody's going to give in it will probably be me because I'm the player and he's the manager."

Malone, Griffith score 53 between them as Jazz handle Denver

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Karl Malone scored 33 points and Darrell Griffith added 20 as the Utah Jazz held off a Denver Nuggets 122-118 in NBA action Monday night.

Utah led throughout the game and a stuff shot by Malone gave the Jazz their biggest lead of the game at 60-44 with 9:00 left in the first half. Malone scored 24 points in the first half but was shot down by Denver's Blair Detmold's 114-110 victory over the Houston Rockets and lit the Pistons within one-half game of first-place Atlanta in the NBA's Central Division.

Meanwhile, Denver, led by Darrell Walker and Alex English, chipped away at Utah's lead. With 6:22 left in the game, English sank a pair of free throws to pull the Nuggets within 107-106 but they never caught up.

NBA Roundup

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Dallas 103, Philly 100

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Rolando Blackman scored 38 points Monday night as the Dallas Mavericks won in Philadelphia for the first time ever, defeating the 76ers 103-100.

The Mavericks led 98-93 on two free throws by Blackman with two minutes remaining, but Steve Collier then hit a jump shot and David Wingate's steal and layup with 51 seconds to go cut the Dallas lead to 98-97.

Blackman made a 13-footer with 33 seconds remaining and his two free throws 15-94 on a 20-foot jumper by John Long with 25:08 to play.

Indiana 101, Wash. 92

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Steve Stipanovich scored 27 points and Chuck Person helped key a 13-2 spurt in the fourth quarter as the Indiana Pacers defeated the Washington Bullets 101-92 in an NBA game Monday night.

With the score tied and 6:13 remaining, Indiana got consecutive baskets from Perry Seiver and Person again to take an 88-82 lead with 4:22 to play. Washington's Ennis Whitley hit a 15-foot jumper to cut the lead to four points but the Pacers scored the next seven points and led 95-84 on a 20-foot jumper by John Long with 25:08 to play.

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Scores and Stats

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NBA standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Los Angeles	19	15	.559
San Antonio	19	15	.559
Phoenix	18	16	.529
Portland	17	17	.500
Utah	17	17	.500
Denver	16	18	.471
San Diego	16	18	.471
Seattle	16	18	.471
Golden State	15	19	.441
Washington	15	19	.441
Atlanta	14	20	.412
Philadelphia	14	20	.412
Chicago	14	20	.412
Memphis	13	21	.382
Portland	13	21	.382
San Jose	13	21	.382
Los Angeles	12	22	.353
Phoenix	12	22	.353
San Antonio	12	22	.353
Golden State	11	23	.324
Seattle	11	23	.324
Washington	11	23	.324
Portland	11	23	.324
San Diego	11	23	.324
Atlanta	10	24	.294
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Seattle	10	24	.294
Washington	10	24	.294
Portland	10	24	.294
San Diego	10	24	.294
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Chicago	9	25	.265
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Golden State	8	26	.235
Seattle	8	26	.235
Washington	8	26	.235
Portland	8	26	.235
San Diego	8	26	.235
Atlanta	7	27	.206
Chicago	7	27	.206
Philadelphia	7	27	.206
Los Angeles	7	27	.206
San Antonio	7	27	.206
Phoenix	7	27	.206
Golden State	7	27	.206
Seattle	7	27	.206
Washington	7	27	.206
Portland	7	27	.206
San Diego	7	27	.206
Atlanta	6	28	.177
Chicago	6	28	.177
Philadelphia	6	28	.177
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Players for sale

Pioneer League owner offers ballclub members as longshot investment opportunities

By BRUCE SAYLER
The Associated Press

Pioneer League baseball

BUTTE, Mont. — Although a Butte horse track is still in the talking stages, a tempting bet, for the right money, is available to anyone who delights in playing the long shot.

For about \$1,500, Miles Wolff, president and owner of the Butte Copper Kings Pioneer League baseball franchise, is willing to sell you a player.

And, if that player pans out to become a major league prospect, you can pocket the profit.

Utica (N.Y.) roster (New York-Penn League), and he was a pretty good player. After the season, I sold him to the Detroit Tigers for \$5,000 — so, I broke even and made a little bit on the deal."

Wolff said the approach is fairly new in professional baseball, and innovative enough to have warranted front page attention on the business section of the Sunday Philadelphia Inquirer.

The way it works is that the Copper Kings, rejuvenated this year as a co-independent club not affiliated with any major league baseball organization, will hold spring training before the Pioneer

League season begins in June. It hopes to have some players who are under contract to a major league team and will fill the remaining roster spots by unsigned players, known as independents. Investors can watch the independents work out this spring, discuss the players' prospects with the manager and then choose a player or players for sponsorship. "What it is, is paying the salary of a player for the summer," Wolff said. "The players will be earning \$500 to \$600 a month, so that's where the \$1,500 figure came from."

At the end of the season, the investor can keep the entire amount. Wolff admitted the idea is "a long shot." But, he also noted that Salt Lake City, which has won the Pioneer League championship the past two seasons and is a fully independent franchise, sold 11 players to major league organizations after last year. "That is an extraordinarily high number," Wolff said. "I think the most you could expect would be to sell one or two off of a 22-to-25-man roster."

"I wouldn't advise anyone who didn't have a lot of loose cash to take the chance," Wolff said.

Idaho coaches share award

BOISE (AP) — Idaho State basketball Coach Jim Boutin, Boise State basketball Coach Bobby Dye, Northern Arizona indoor track and field Coach Ron Mann and Montana wrestling Coach Steve Bliss have been named the Big Sky Conference winter coaches of the year.



Winter coaches of year

League Commissioner Ron Stephenson said Boutin and Dye share the basketball coach of the year award. It was first time coaches have tied for the honor since the 1977-78 season when former Montana coach Jim Brandenburg and former Weber State coach Neil McCarthy shared the award.

The awards are selected in a vote of the Big Sky's athletic directors.

Boutin, in his second year as head basketball coach at Idaho State, guided the Bengals to the league championship by winning the Big Sky tournament in Flagstaff, Ariz. ISU represented the league in the NCAA tournament, but was defeated in the first round by top-ranked Nevada-Las Vegas.

It was Idaho State's first Big Sky title and NCAA berth since the 1977 season. Boutin is 30-28 in his two seasons at Idaho State, and 13-15 in Big Sky games. He is 367-201, or 64.6, in 20 seasons as a head coach at four-year institutions. It was Boutin's first coach of the year award.

Dye, who just completed his fourth season as head coach at Boise State, guided his team to a 22-3 overall record, including 10-4



ISU COACH JIM BOUTIN
1st Bengal title in 10 years

In the Big Sky to finish second in the final regular-season standings.

The Broncos advanced to the second round of the National Invitation Tournament with a victory over Utah before losing on the road to Washington in the school's first appearance in the NIT.

Boise State was picked to finish last both by the Big Sky media and coaches in pre-season polls. At 65-50 or 56.5, Dye now has the best winning percentage of any Boise State basketball coach since the institution began competing as a four-year school in 1958. His overall college record for 14 years of coaching is 225-138, or 61.9. It's Dye's first Big Sky coach of the year award.

Mann lead Northern Arizona to the team title at the recent Big Sky indoor track and field championships in Pocatello.

The Lumberjacks became the first team in Big Sky history to win two league indoor titles by



BSU COACH BOBBY DYE
Best winning percentage

scoring 110 team points to outdistance host Idaho State for the title. In his fifth season as the leader of the Lumberjack track program, Mann has won five coach of the year honors.

Mann also was named the Big Sky's cross country coach of the year last fall, guiding the NAU harriers to the conference and NCAA District VII titles. He also has won two coach of the year honors in outdoor track and another in cross country.

Bliss, in his sixth season as the head coach of the Montana wrestling program, guided the Grizzlies to their first Big Sky title. Montana scored 92.25 points to edge two-time defending champion Boise State.

Montana wrestlers won four individual Big Sky titles, advancing all four to the NCAA tournament. The coach of the year honor was the first for Bliss.

Anderson mulling Final Four trip

RIGBY, Idaho (AP) — After a season that saw his own team play travel to New Orleans to attend a script reminiscent of the movie "Hoosiers," Rigby High School coach Elliot Anderson got a chance to help out the real Indiana Hoosiers at NCAA basketball's Final Four next weekend.

Anderson, a fishing and hunting companion of Indiana coach Bobby Knight and assistant coach Kohn

his Hoosiers, but never has attended a Final Four.

Earlier this month, Anderson's Rigby Trojans won the Idaho A-1 boys basketball tournament in their first year at that level after taking six A-2 state trophies in nine years. That makes Rigby the first team in Idaho history to win a state championship in one bracket and then step up a class the next year and win again.

Anderson said Sunday that he was not yet sure if he would be able to go to Louisiana because of commitments at home, but will make a decision in a day or two.

He said he has traveled to Indiana in the past to work with Knight and

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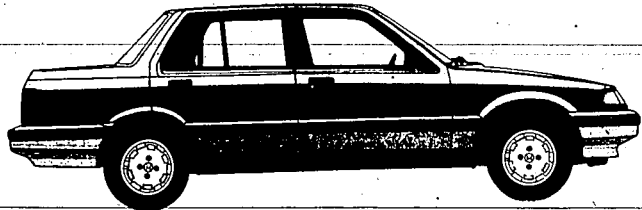
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♦A 8
♣6 4 2

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: West
The bidding:
West North East South
1♣ 1♦ 1♠ 1♥
Pass Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: Club queen

BID WITH THE ACES

South holds:
3-3-A
♦A Q J
♥9 8
♦Q 9 3
♣Q J 5 7 3

North South
1♥ 2♣
2♦ ?

ANSWER: Three no-trump. A bid of two no-trump, while strongly invitational, might be passed. Jump to game, it should have a good play.

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