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Awaiting a surprise

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Rebekah Jones, 7, wonders who will win a frog puppet in a game of "Surprise Pops" which during the annual carnival at Bickel Elementary school in Twin Falls Friday. The event is to Adam; her sixth grade brother officiated over — raise money for school equipment.

Tax, drug bills pass as Congress adjourns

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The 100th Congress headed slowly toward adjournment early today, with the House and Senate passing a major tax bill and edging toward agreement on a multibillion-dollar attack in the war on drugs.

After a long day of negotiating, the House voted 381 late Friday night for the \$1.1 billion tax bill, sending it to the Senate, which approved it by voice vote shortly after midnight.

The massive drug bill, an election-year must for Democrats and Republicans alike, was finally taken up by the House in the early-morning hours. The House needed to finish the bill before it could go to the Senate, which was expected to approve it quickly.

When midnight approached and Congress was still at work, Senate

and House leaders placed their traditional telephone calls to President Reagan, telling him adjournment was near.

"The 100th Congress is coming to a star spangled close," Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., told the president. He was joined in the call by Senate Republican Leader Bob Dole of Kansas. House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, and Republican Leader Bob Michel of Illinois, made their call to Reagan a few minutes earlier.

Lawmakers were anxious to finish work and go home for Election Day, now only 2½ weeks away.

While negotiators worked on the separate tax and drug bills, lawmakers took to the floors of the Senate and House to bid farewells to retiring members and to pass numerous bills of lesser note. The light atop the Capitol dome burned into the night — a historic signal that Congress

was still meeting. The drug package would fight illegal drugs through law enforcement, stiffer penalties, treatment, rehabilitation, education and aid for authorities in drug-producing countries.

It would make it possible for those possessing small amounts of drugs for "recreational" use to be hit with up to \$10,000 in civil fines and, beginning next September, to face loss of student loans and other federal benefits for even a possession conviction.

Murders committed or ordered during drug-related felonies could result in imposition of a revitalized federal death penalty. Serious drug offenses would carry stiffer minimum-prison terms.

Negotiators from the House and Senate reached tentative agreement during the evening on a compromise bill whose main purpose was correcting errors in the 1986 tax over-

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O'Connor undergoes surgery

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor underwent surgery Friday for breast cancer and is expected to make a "total recovery" and be back on the bench by the end of the month, a court spokeswoman said.

Spokeswoman Toni House said the cancer was discovered "in a very early form."

The operation was performed at Georgetown University Hospital. O'Connor, 58, was appointed to the court by President Reagan in 1981 as the first and only woman Supreme Court justice in the nation's history.

She issued a brief statement that said, "The prognosis is for total recovery. I do not anticipate missing any oral arguments."

The court is in a two-week recess, due to return to the bench on Oct. 31.

"I underwent surgery for breast cancer. It was found to exist in a very early form and stage," O'Connor's statement said.

The statement did not say whether the surgery was for removal of a lump or the entire breast. There also was no further details on whether the justice will receive any form of continuing treatment.

A cancer expert, Dr. Robert S. Siegel, said her intention to return to work in just 10 days would mean "a remarkably fast recovery" and may be good news for her prognosis.

Siegel is assistant professor of medicine and director of a cancer treatment unit at George Washington University Hospital.

He was not involved in Mrs. O'Connor's case, and he was commenting generally on conditions such as hers.

Whales staying put despite new air holes

Knight-Ridder Service

BARROW, Alaska — Eskimo whalers and marine biologists Friday carved a chain of new air holes for three ice-bound gray whales, but the battered sea mammals showed little inclination to follow the holes northward toward open water.

In an effort to open more holes in the arctic ice, the Alaska National Guard began to punch a makeshift 10,000-pound cement-and-steel cone into the ice from a giant helicopter.

But in mid-afternoon, with the sun hanging low on the horizon and the wind-chill temperature hovering around 20 below zero, the whales remained just off shore, bobbing continuously for air in a

hole not much bigger than a typical living room.

It was in that hole they were first found about two weeks ago, trapped by fast-freezing ice before they could migrate south to winter feeding grounds off the California coast.

The whalers' would-be rescuers said they remained hopeful the whales could be persuaded to move into the newly created holes and slowly hopscotch their way to natural breaks in the ice four miles offshore.

From there, the whales could probably pick their way to open water about 220 miles away.

But the rescue organizers no longer held out much hope that an ice-breaking barge could be towed from Prudhoe Bay in time to help.

Marcos, wife face charges of looting treasury, fraud

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Deposed Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos and his wife, Imelda, were indicted on federal racketeering charges Friday for allegedly looting more than \$100 million from their homeland to buy art and real estate in Manhattan.

They also were charged with defrauding three lending institutions of more than \$165 million in the purchase and financing of the real estate.

"This case amounted to the Marcoses and their co-defendants using their position of trust to turn the Philippines' treasury into their own treasury," said James Fox of the FBI's New York office.

Saudi Arabian financier Adnan Khashoggi, a central figure in the secret sale of arms to Iran by the Reagan administration, also was indicted.

Under the racketeering law, the government is seeking forfeiture of all illegally obtained property and holdings, including Swiss bank accounts, for restitution to the victims — the Philippines and the U.S. banks — if approved by the U.S. attorney general.

The charges alleged that between 1972 and 1986, when they fled to the United States, the Marcoses amassed \$103 million through embezzlement, theft, bribes and kickbacks.

According to the indictment, the Marcoses illegally funneled the money through secret bank accounts in Switzerland, Hong Kong and the United States and then used the money to buy valuable New York properties, including commercial buildings at Herald Square and on

Fifth Avenue, Madison Avenue and Wall Street.

"When they decided to get a piece of the rock, that rock became real estate in Manhattan," Fox said at a news conference at the offices of U.S. Attorney Rudolph Giuliani.

"This is a plan hatched and begun in the Philippines to move massive amounts of money illegally into the United States," said Giuliani. "Then the Marcoses came to the United States and continued their illegal activities."

He said Marcos was the highest-ranking former foreign official indicted in this country.

The Marcoses' New York lawyer said President Reagan should have prevented the indictment.

President Reagan was saddened by the indictment, White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said.

Campaign charges center on TV ads for both Bush, Dukakis

By The Associated Press

Democrat Michael Dukakis charged in a tough new TV ad Friday that George Bush is airing commercials that are "full of lies and he knows it." Bush, leading in the polls, turned to a condemnation of chemical weapons.

Trailing with just 17 days remaining until the election, the Dukakis campaign unveiled its most pointed ads of the year, accusing Bush of distorting Dukakis' record on crime and defense.

The Massachusetts governor set the stage

earlier Friday when he said on network talk shows, "I've been subject to attacks and distortions" and the "American people are not happy with this campaign" because it had been too negative.

He said Bush's attack on the Massachusetts prisoner-furlough program was "cynical and very hypocritical." The Bush camp has made much of the fact that Willie Horton, a convicted murderer, escaped while on furlough, raped a Maryland woman and assaulted her fiancé.

"To play politics with that kind of human tragedy, I think, is one of the most cynical

things you can do," Dukakis said.

In one of the new TV spots, Dukakis is shown watching a Bush campaign ad depicting Dukakis riding in an armored tank. Dukakis snaps off the TV, turns to the viewers and says he is "fed up" with Bush's attacks.

"Haven't seen anything like it in 25 years of public life. George Bush's negative TV ads: distorting my record, full of lies and he knows it," Dukakis says in his own ad.

He accuses Bush of "dragging truth into the gutter" and adds: "I'm on the record for the very weapons systems his ads say I'm

against."

Sig Rogich, Bush's ad director, defended the Republican's commercials, saying, "There's nothing erroneous about any of those ads or the truth of the matter is the networks wouldn't accept them. ... We stand by everything we have in our ads."

The Republicans were on the attack, too. Bush, seeking Ohio's 23 electoral votes, said Dukakis' opposition to the space-based missile defense system, known as Star Wars, was bad for the country.

"The last thing we or our allies need at a time when ballistic missiles are proliferating

is someone who regards strategic defense as a fraud or a fantasy," he said in an address at the University of Toledo.

In the main thrust of his speech, Bush said he wants to be known as the president who helped achieve an effective ban on chemical weapons, a subject he said had gained new urgency with their recent use in the Iran-Iraq war.

He said countries guilty of chemical warfare should face "the censure of all nations," and he proposed other measures such as on-site inspection on demand of suspicious

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Watkins gets endorsement of star wars, nuke advocate

By The Associated Press

Dane Watkins, the GOP challenger in Idaho's 2nd Congressional District, picked up the endorsement of the man behind development of the hydrogen bomb on Friday as he tried to extricate himself from a fiasco over the cost of Democratic Rep. Richard Stallings' home.

Edward Teller told a group in Idaho Falls that he fully supports Watkins' bid to oust Stallings, citing the two-term incumbent's less than complete support of the Reagan administration's Strategic Defense Initiative, or Star Wars program.

Watkins, on the campaign trail, tried to fend off claims he was behind a recent at-

tempt by the Idaho College Republicans to raise ethical questions about Stallings and the price he paid for his home.

"I don't know anything about that," Watkins said. "What the College Republicans have done is not part of our campaign."

Meantime, 1st-District Rep. Larry Craig, R-Idaho, returned from Washington, D.C., to resume his re-election campaign against Democrat challenger Jeanné Givens. He planned to campaign in northern Idaho over the weekend.

Stallings also returned to Idaho after finishing up work in Congress Friday and was scheduled to campaign in Pocatello, Twin Falls, Burley and Boise over the weekend.

Teller said the national defense had been

compromised by the failure of Congress to fully support Star Wars and its deployment as quickly as possible. Stallings has voted for some research funding but has not backed the administration's proposal.

"We have representatives, like the representative from this district, Mr. Stallings, who is not supporting this defense, whereas Dane Watkins is in complete support of it," Teller said.

On Thursday, Watkins responded to College Republicans President, Bret Schvaneveldt's statement that the candidate's campaign was behind the group's recent allegations against Stallings.

The College Republicans publicized the fact that the warranty deed to Stallings'

Rexburg home states he paid \$10 end-of-the-property.

When the group was informed such statements are legal and even common on warranty deeds, including Watkins', it all first denied the Watkins campaign's involvement. But Schvaneveldt later said the candidate knew of the plan and put the College Republicans up to it.

Watkins said during a stop in Challis that he didn't know what Schvaneveldt was talking about.

"Republicans get excited in college," he said, "but they've been helpful in many respects."

Watkins, who has been touring the 2nd District in a motorhome for almost two

weeks, said he considers Stallings a personal friend. But he said the Democrat's representation over the past four years has not been good for Idaho.

He again attacked Stallings' support of the proposed American Heritage Trust Act, calling it "a land grab that will ruin rural America."

Watkins has aligned himself with the Idaho Farm Bureau's opposition to the measure, which would establish a trust fund for the federal government's acquisition of recreation land.

But a recent letter supporting Watkins' position sent out by Oscar Field, a Republican Party official from Owyhee County, angered the Farm Bureau.

Another ed budget battle looms

SUGAR CITY (AP) — The \$397.7 million in state public school aid being sought by the Board of Education in the next budget has drawn the kind of official reaction that rekindles the differences between Republican lawmakers and Democratic Gov. Cecil Andrus.

The proposed spending level for the 1989-1990 school year is already \$41.7 million higher than the current state allocation and it does not include any money for teacher pay raises. That amount, to be determined by lawmakers next winter, would come on top of the proposal.

"That amount of money is necessary for the education of our children," Andrus said Friday. But "whether we can afford to pay the bill," I don't know. I'm working on budgets now.

But Republican lawmakers present when the board adopted the ambitious spending plan in eastern Idaho on Thursday were less than enthusiastic.

House Appropriations Vice Chairman Mack Neibaum, R-Paul, said he

felt sorry for taxpayers, predicting that even under the best of circumstances the request would be cutback and a persisting drought would mean little more than the \$556 million appropriated by the state this year.

Rep. R. L. Davis, R-Rexburg, simply said he saw no reason to dramatically hike state spending just because other states are spending more by one or another standard.

That divergence of views was to a great extent responsible for last winter's bitter battle over education spending that saw the governor pare down a \$377.5 million board request to \$362 million and then Republican legislative leaders cut that another \$6 million to \$356 million. The result was a record \$37 million in supplemental property tax support for schools approved by homeowners this spring and summer.

But state Superintendent of Public Instruction Jerry Evans says he is optimistic the Legislature will be more receptive to the new approach the latest budget plan takes.

In the past, Evans said the Legis-

lature has appropriated big increases in public school funding only to feel frustrated in some of its goals because the bulk of the money has gone to increase teachers' salaries.

The new budget proposal, prepared by an education coalition, recommends a \$20 million increase for schools that would allow each school district to spend an extra \$100 per student.

But the districts must make a specific commitment on how they will improve education. That is a policy decision that must be made by the Legislature, board members said.

Evans said a survey indicates all 115 districts need more money, but they need it for different things. One district might require more for equipment and supplies, another might have high transportation costs and another may want to use any extra money to cut the number of students per teacher.

Evans said each district would be asked to make a specific commitment on how the money would be spent.

Risch challenger charges conflict

BOISE (AP) — The Democrat challenging Senate President Pro Tem James Risch contends the Boise Republican's acceptance of a \$1,000 contribution from a major gambling company conflicts with statements that he personally opposes a state lottery.

"If you're going to be personally opposed to a position, why would you take campaign contributions that are opposed to your views?" Mike Burkett said at a news conference Friday.

But Risch responded later that he has said all along he is personally opposed to a lottery but supports his constituents' right to vote on the issue.

He received a \$1,000 contribution on Dec. 11, 1986, from GTeck Corp. of Providence, R.I. Earlier that year, Risch led an effort to put a lottery initiative on the November ballot.

The initiative passed, but later was ruled unconstitutional by the Idaho Supreme Court. That led the 1987 Legislature to pass a measure putting the lottery question on this year's general election ballot in the



JAMES RISCH Challenged on lottery stand

form of a constitutional amendment.

The GTeck contribution to Risch showed up on his end-of-the-year financial disclosure report to the Idaho secretary of state's office in 1986.

Risch said Friday that accepting the money was not inconsistent with his position on the issue, and that Burkett also has indicated he personally opposes a lottery but favors giving voters the chance to decide.

"I have also received and accepted \$1,000 from (Senate Republican Majority Leader) Mark Ricks, who is the person who led the charge against the lottery," Risch said. "We frequently take contributions from people whose positions do not necessarily agree with ours. I think people contribute based on the overall performance of a person and not how they vote on one issue."

Burkett, however, said the contribution from GTeck, which he called "one of the biggest gambling companies on the East Coast," indicated a shift in Risch's position.

As of last August, GTeck was serving 26 customers on five continents and had manufactured and provided more than 44,000 lottery and wagering sales terminals serving more than half the world's on-line lottery organizations.

Board tables ISU patent policy plan

SUGAR CITY (AP) — With a new emphasis on research, officials of Idaho State University told the state Board of Education Friday the school needs a new policy to cover patents produced by that research.

But some board members objected to the proposal, and it was withdrawn for future study.

John Hutchinson, ISU academic vice president, urged approval for the new patent policy as a way to encourage research.

Hutchinson said there was "some urgency" in establishing the new policy because some ISU researchers are working on patentable devices.

In addition, last week ISU opened its new business and technology center, which also could produce patents, he said.

Board member J. Ray Cox objected because some board members saw the policy for the first time Friday morning. "This is neither the time nor the place to consider this important matter," he said.

Cox also said the board was considering patent policy only for Idaho State, but with the state's new emphasis on research, any new policy should cover all the colleges and universities.

The proposed policy said if re-

search produced a patentable item, the first income should be used to repay the institution for the cost of research.

The inventor would receive the next \$10,000 of income. Above \$10,000, the inventor would receive 50 percent of the income, the department involved would get 25 percent and the university the last 25 percent.

Some board members talked about the policy being "liberal," but Hutchinson said it was less generous than policies at other schools. Many called for the inventor to receive the first \$50,000 of income, he said.

Risch calls for action against Murphy

BOISE (AP) — Senate President Pro Tem James Risch says the Idaho Board of Correction should take tougher action against Corrections director Al Murphy over his decision to locate "pre-release" inmates at two Boise halfway houses.

"Board members admitted this week that starting the program without their authorization was a mistake, but said the fault was not with Murphy alone and declined to take any disciplinary action.

"If I were in their position, I would

Prosecutor drops phone investigation

COEUR D'ALENE (AP) — Ada County Prosecutor Greg Bower has dropped an investigation into claims that Kootenai County Sheriff Merf Stalder made harassing telephone calls to the ex-wife of a former deputy.

Bower, who was asked by Kootenai County Prosecutor Glen Walker to investigate allegations made by Ruth Barker, said Friday that it "would not be appropriate to appoint a special prosecutor to continue the investigation."

Mrs. Barker alleged in a report to the Idaho State Police two weeks ago that Stalder made two phone calls — one obscene and the other harassing — to her on Sept. 28.

probably remove the person who made that decision," Risch said Friday at a news conference in his State-house office. "What happened here is way too serious for a hand-slapping."

But Murphy said he was felt comfortable with legislative authorization of the halfway-house program and had no doubts about his leadership of the Department of Corrections.

"The way I feel about it honestly is this: We run a good department and I've got an excellent staff and we've made some progress," Murphy said. "I'm a good director, and I feel good about that."

Risch, R-Boise, agreed with Gov. Cecil Andrus that the Corrections Board's response has been unsatisfactory. He said he was particularly upset that an inmate with a prior rape conviction was housed at the Boise Stepping Stones Ministries before parole.

Murphy has come under fire since it was disclosed last weekend that he contracted with Stepping Stones and the Salvation Army to begin housing

selected minimum-custody and community-release inmates up to four months before their parole.

The program began without public notice in early September and 13 inmates were housed at the two facilities. The Stepping Stones center closed voluntarily this week after revelations about the program, but seven inmates remain at the Salvation Army pending further Corrections Board review.

"There is much concern about what has occurred this week," Risch said. "It really subverts both the objective and the purpose of our corrections system."

Murphy told the Corrections Board on Wednesday that he considered the program justified by 1984 amendments to the state prison furlough law and by a March 24, 1988, letter from the Legislature's Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee.

He said that letter authorized money originally earmarked for housing state inmates in county jails to be spent for "facilities other than county jails."

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Fuel prices plummet, offset increases in food, clothing costs

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumer prices rose a moderate 0.3 percent in September, the smallest gain in three months, as a steep drop in gasoline costs offset higher food and clothing prices, the government reported Friday.

The increase in the Labor Department's Consumer Price Index meant consumer prices were rising at a moderate annual rate of 4.1 percent last month, down from an annual rate of 5.2 percent in August.

The most recent inflation report triggered an automatic 4.0 percent cost-of-living increase for the nation's 38.4 million Social Security recipients, the second highest boost in the last 6 1/2 years.

The increase, which will increase the average retired worker's pension by \$2 a month, will show up in January.

Economists, who had been worried about a new inflationary spiral fueled by tight labor markets and drought-driven food in-

creases, said the price slowdown in September was an encouraging sign.

"The September price report should allay a lot of the inflationary fears that were in financial markets the past few months," said David Bassett, an economist with the WEFA Group, an economic consulting firm in Bala Cynwyd, Pa.

The September report will be the last news on consumer prices released before the November election, a fact that should help George Bush, who has been citing the Reagan administration's reduction of high inflation rates as one of its biggest economic achievements.

Richard Rahn, a Bush economic adviser and chief economist of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, said that despite dire warnings to the contrary, inflation has remained remarkably steady.

"Crow, not turkey, should be on the Thanksgiving menus of the many analysts

who have been predicting accelerating inflation this year," he said.

For the first nine months of the year, inflation has been rising at an annual rate of 4.5 percent, little changed from the 4.4 percent increase for all of 1987.

Many economists believe that a significant drop in world oil prices will more than offset expected increases in food costs to hold inflation down for the rest of the year.

"We are getting some temporary luck because lower oil prices are helping to balance the effects of the drought," said David Wyss, an economist with Data Resources Inc. of Lexington, Mass.

But Wyss warned that oil prices, which have fallen sharply because of the inability of oil exporting countries to agree on production quotas, could rebound just as suddenly if the members of OPEC do reach agreement on supply limits.

The 0.3 percent overall rise in consumer

prices in September was down slightly from increases of 0.4 percent in July and August as gasoline prices fell by 1.7 percent, the biggest decline since February.

However, food prices climbed 0.8 percent and clothing costs shot up 2.2 percent. These two components accounted for 70 percent of the September price increase.

Fruit and vegetable prices led the grocery store advance, climbing by 4.5 percent, while beef prices were up 1.1 percent and poultry prices rose 1.3 percent. Analysts said those gains reflected the lingering effects from the summer's drought.

The rise in clothing costs reflected higher prices for new fall clothes. But analysts noted that a similar big boost in spring apparel prices was rolled back in later months as retailers were forced to offer steep discounts.

The drop in gasoline prices, the largest since a similar 1.7 percent fall last February, sent pump prices 27.3 percent below

their peak of March 1981. Home heating oil costs were down as well, falling by 2.1 percent. But the price of natural gas and electricity, taken together, rose 0.6 percent.

New car prices rose 0.6 percent in September, reflecting smaller-than-usual sales incentives offered to clear out unsold inventories.

The September inflation data triggered the automatic 4 percent cost-of-living increase for Social Security recipients. It will mean the average monthly benefit will rise from \$516 to \$537.

The government calculates the benefit increase based on the change in one portion of the Consumer Price Index — wages paid to urban workers — from July through September of one year to the same period of the following year.

Benefits have risen automatically with the Consumer Price Index since 1975, with the exception of six months in 1983.



Trapped California gray whale surfaces for air in one of the small breathing holes

Whale-watchers across nation watch rescue efforts in Alaska

By The Associated Press

Whale-watchers ranging from California kindergarten pupils to East Coast environmentalists are riveted by the spectacle of man struggling against time and the elements to free three whales imprisoned by thickening Arctic ice.

"It's the kitten in the tree syndrome. If a kitten gets caught, everybody gathers around to rescue it," said Patricia Warhol, director of the American Cetacean Society based in San Pedro, Calif.

"We can't do much about Japanese whale hunters, ocean pollution and gill nets. But here are three whales that maybe we can save," Ms. Warhol said in a telephone interview.

A combination of early ice and shifting winds trapped the three California gray whales two weeks ago near the northernmost tip of Alaska. Part of an endangered species, the giant mammals feed in northern waters before migrating past California to breed in the Pacific Ocean off Mexico.

These juveniles, the largest of which is 30 feet long, are like teenagers who stayed too long around the refrigerator and got caught. Rescuers hope to free them by pulverizing a path through four miles of ice.

In the meantime, television has delivered daily scenes of the struggling whales emerging to breathe every two minutes, their battered, barnacle-encrusted snouts rubbed to the bone by jagged ice.

"It's a very powerful emotional scene," said Cynthia Wilson of the

Friends of the Earth, an environmental group in Washington, D.C. "We're not dealing with a bunch of fish. This is a mammal of extraordinary intelligence that has been extraordinarily hunted and persecuted."

Their plight is a teaching tool in classes such as Cathy Garrett's kindergarten at Fremont Elementary School in San Diego, Calif.

"Little children love anything big," Ms. Garrett said. "They're very concerned about how the whales got trapped and why they need to come up to breathe. They're aware these animals have a right to live. They're fascinated by them."

"They want them to survive. They don't want them to hurt."

The drama has produced a wave of support from well-wishers, including a telephone pep talk from President Reagan to chilled rescuers. Some have suggested using explosives, rock salt and bowing balls to defeat the ice. Other tips include airlifting the whales by helicopter to open water or playing recordings of other whales to lure them to safety.

"We get calls and calls and calls," said Anne Dingall, director of ocean ecology for the environmental group Greenpeace. "A lot of people are phoning for information or to see if there's anything they can do to help."

One suggestion paid immediate dividends. Greg Ferran and Rick Skuzacek, two brothers-in-law from Lakeland, Minn., flew to Alaska at their own expense Wednesday to use their de-icing machines to enlarge the whales' air pockets.

It won them editorial praise in the

Star Tribune of Minneapolis.

"The odds may be in Mother Nature's favor, but don't discount human nature, as embodied in two stubborn Minnesotans who brought their strange de-icing machines to the rescue," the newspaper wrote Friday.

The Minnesota entrepreneurs join a remarkable cross-section of would-be saviors: Eskimo whalers, scientists, soldiers, oil company executives, environmentalists, entrepreneurs. We're rooting for the whales," the editorial said.

Omark Industries of Portland, Ore., also donated 100 feet of saw chain worth \$50 that is effective in cutting ice. Rescuers have been using chain saws and picks to chip away at ice closing in on the whales.

"The frozen theater has also attracted the eyes of the world. The whole story has been front-page news in Italy and France, where TV newscasts play the clips prominently."

But one South African whale expert was skeptical about the U.S. response to this trio of whales.

Dr. Peter Best of the South African Museum in Cape Town said in an interview published Friday that the rescue effort "is all very humanitarian and noble, but it makes nonsense out of U.S. funding for research."

"It is ironic that the U.S. government is spending probably millions to save these three, yet they have slashed the budget of the National Marine Mammal Laboratory in Seattle to such an extent that it is hardly able to function effectively."

New rules limit employer use of lie detector tests

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Labor Department issued regulations Friday barring most private employers from using polygraph or lie detector tests to screen job applicants and greatly restricting use of the devices to test present employees.

The regulations, which take effect Dec. 27, implement legislation passed by Congress and signed by President Reagan last June outlawing about 85 percent of the current use of polygraph examinations and voice stress analyzers.

The Congressional Office of Technology Assessment had estimated that 2 million polygraph examinations were conducted last year — 90 percent of them by private employers.

Under the new regulations, some 7.2 million employers nationwide will be required to put up posters next month summarizing the prohibitions and exemptions and outlining the rights of any worker asked to take a lie detector test.

Employers who keep requiring that job applicants or current employees take the tests — except for the allowed exemptions — or do not abide by other safeguards in the regulations can be fined up to \$10,000 for

each violation. The regulations also give anyone required to take the test in violation of the new law the right to sue employers in federal and state courts for relief, such as employment reinstatement, promotion and any payment of lost wages and benefits.

Exempted from protection under the ban are employees of federal, state and local governments or federal contractors engaged in national security, intelligence or top secret activities.

Also exempted from the ban are prospective employees of armored car, security-alarm and security guard firms hired to protect operations affecting health and safety, national security or money.

For example, Labor Department officials said, a bank could use graphs to screen applicants for a guard's job, but an apartment house could not.

Pharmaceutical concerns or companies manufacturing, distributing or dispensing controlled substances also can require job applicants to submit to a lie detector test, but only for those positions which would have direct access to the drugs.

Carlucci says aims missed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional opponents of U.S. arms sales to moderate Arab states don't understand American strategy and are jeopardizing hopes for securing peace in the region, Defense Secretary Frank C. Carlucci said Friday.

Such arms sales not only improve the security of friendly nations such as Saudi Arabia and Jordan but help cement relationships that provide the United States diplomatic leverage, Carlucci said.

The sales also do not threaten Israel, he said, adding the administration's critics fail to think through the implications for the Jewish state of being surrounded by Arab nations relying on non-American arms.

"Some in Washington, and on Capitol Hill in particular, have exhibited a lack of realism — indeed, a strategic confusion — about the why and wherefore of U.S.-Arab defense relationships," Carlucci said, addressing the American-Arab Affairs Council in Huntington, W. Va.

The defense secretary expressed optimism about peace prospects.

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High-speed train trip concludes tests

BOSTON (AP) — An American-built, French-designed train zipped between Boston and New York at speeds up to 110 miles per hour in a test of technology that could slash travel time and help relieve congested highways and airports.

The high-speed run Thursday concluded a year of testing by Amtrak and the Coalition of Northeast Governors.

They have been experimenting with French, Spanish, Canadian and American trains to try to cut running time substantially without expensive track improvements, said Amtrak spokesman R. Clifford Black.

Briefly

Charity lottery to be revived

LONDON (AP) — A charity organization said Friday it was reviving an abandoned national lottery to raise money for the National Health Service.

The National Hospital Trust said it has revamped the Loto UK, abandoned in May after the Director of Public Prosecutions said it might be illegal because its prize of \$352,000 was bigger than the \$11,000 maximum the law allows.

The organizers are getting around the limit by having each of the trusts 100 branches hold a lottery simultaneously on one form. Gamblers who enter all of them, at less than two cents each, will have a chance at a grand prize.

The first drawing is to be held Nov. 4. It still might be blocked by Home Secretary Douglas Hurd, who has threatened to outlaw multiple lotteries.

Laotians release bishop, priest

LONDON (AP) — Authorities in Laos have released a Roman Catholic bishop and a priest who had been imprisoned since 1980, Keston College said Friday.

The London-based college, which monitors religious affairs in communist countries, quoted reliable sources as saying that Bishop Thomas Khemphan, 63, the apostolic vicar of the diocese of Pakse in southern Laos, and a priest identified only as the Rev. Bounliep were both freed in August.

Their long-awaited release means that no Catholic priests are known to be in detention in Laos, although one priest in the capital Vientiane is reported to be under house arrest, the college said.

Somalia frees political prisoners

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — Somalia has freed politicians under house arrest apparently to mark the day the army seized power, but it warned them to "avoid troublemakers who had previously lured them into imprisonment," Radio Mogadishu reported Friday.

The state-owned radio, monitored in Nairobi, quoted President Siad Barre as saying Thursday "the politicians under house arrest are to be given full freedom."

The radio gave no reason for the releases, but Oct. 21 is a public holiday in Somalia to mark the day in 1969 when Barre seized power in a military coup and established a socialist state.

Youths complain of brutality

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Police are investigating claims by four black youths that they were held for 36 hours in a small cage for police dogs.

Peter Gastrow, an anti-apartheid member of Parliament, said Friday that a police commander had assured him the charges would be investigated thoroughly.

The youths have submitted affidavits to police in Natal Province alleging they were kept in a cage of wire and corrugated metal at a police camp near Pinetown after being taken into custody Oct. 9.

Rafting accident claims 4 lives

AUBENAS, France (AP) — A rafting accident on the Ardecche River killed four Dutch youths Friday, police said.

The raft, which had 14 people aboard, overturned near Pont de Boyzan, about nine miles northwest of Aubenas. Four others were reported injured.

Police said all aboard the raft were Dutch.

Israeli warplanes blast bases in retaliation

SIDON, Lebanon (AP) — Waves of Israeli warplanes blasted Palestinian and pro-Iranian guerrilla bases in south Lebanon on Friday and killed 15 people to avenge seven Israeli soldiers who died in a suicide car bombing.



Rescuers help air-attack survivor in Bekaa Valley following strike by Israeli warplanes to avenge suicide bombing

In Beirut, Shiite Moslem kidnapers holding at least two American hostages threatened to punish their captives in retaliation for the Israeli air strike.

Police said 35 people also were wounded in the half-hour Israeli attack, including civilians in a clinic. They said 12 Israeli fighter-bombers and two helicopter gunships made seven bombing runs.

The main targets of the attack were training bases and ammunition dumps of the Iranian-backed Hezbollah and the Palestine Liberation Organization near the port city of Sidon and the Bekaa Valley town of Mashgara.

Sidon, provincial capital of south Lebanon, is 25 miles south of Beirut. Mashgara, which faces the forward lines of the Syrian army, is 16 miles east of Sidon.

The fundamentalist Shiite Moslem Hezbollah, or Party of God, claimed

killed and 15 wounded around Sidon and that seven were killed and 20 wounded in Mashgara.

The jets scored direct hits on a Hezbollah ammunition depot near the Palestinian refugee camp of Mich Mieh on the outskirts of Sidon and set it ablaze, the spokesman said.

Two of the rockets slammed into a Hezbollah clinic attached to its main base in Mashgara, and two Lebanese physicians and three nurses were injured, the spokesman said.

"Most of the wounded in Mashgara were civilians at the clinic," he said.

Sheik Mohammed Hussein Fadlallah, Hezbollah's spiritual guide, said the air raid targeted the clinic.

"Our mujahedeen (holy warriors) strike at soldiers and they strike at civilians. Our arm is longer than Israel's," Fadlallah said in a sermon at a south Beirut mosque crowded with Shiites.

Hezbollah is an umbrella group for Shiite militants believed holding most of the nine Americans and five other foreign hostages in Lebanon.

Wednesday's threat to the hostages came in typewritten statements in Arabic.

responsibility for Wednesday's car bombing, which also wounded eight Israeli soldiers and two Lebanese women.

The air raid was Israel's 16th into Lebanon this year. A police spokesman said on condition of anonymity that eight people were

Kidnappers threaten 2 American hostages

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Shiite Moslem kidnapers on Friday threatened to harm two American hostages to retaliate for Israeli air attacks on Palestinian and pro-Iranian guerrilla bases in Lebanon.

The instant photo showed Anderson, 40, chief Middle East correspondent for The Associated Press, wearing a Commodore Hotel T-shirt and a bushy beard and mustache. He looked straight into the camera without his glasses.

The 29th statement began with several verses from the Koran, Islam's holy book, and deplored Israel's air attack as a "challenge to the will of our oppressed people."

"Committing this stupidity and this attack shall not pass without a punishment," said a typewritten statement in Arabic signed by Islamic Jihad; the pro-Iranian faction holding American journalist Terry A. Anderson and educator Thomas Sutherland.

The typewritten Arabic statement was delivered to the independent Beirut newspaper An-Nahar hours after the attack. An authenticating color picture of Anderson was delivered to the Reuters news agency with a copy of the statement.

It accused the U.S. administration of giving Israel advance approval to attack Palestinian and Hezbollah guerrillas in Lebanon. The pro-Iranian Hezbollah, or Party of God, had claimed responsibility for the suicide bombing.

The criminal American must realize it will not get away with what it has done, especially in connection with the hostages we hold, so that will be a lesson to whoever strikes at the dignity and glory of our people and mujahedeen (holy fighters)," it said.

Sheik Fadlallah, considered to be Hezbollah's spiritual leader, said he would do his best to protect the hostages.

The statement praised the Shiite Moslem suicide car bomber who killed seven Israeli soldiers

and wounded eight soldiers and two Lebanese women in Israel's self-declared security zone in south Lebanon on Wednesday. That attack prompted Israel's retaliatory air strike, which killed 15 people and wounded 35 in south Lebanon on Friday.

Kremlin lifts travel ban against Sakharov

MOSCOW (AP) — Andrei D. Sakharov, who spent eight years in exile in his own country for human rights campaigning, said Friday the Kremlin has approved his first foreign trip — a journey to the United States next month.

The lifting of the travel ban against the 67-year-old father of the Soviet dissident movement marked another reversal in Kremlin policy by President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, who has liberalized Soviet society on many fronts.

It also could set an uncomfortable precedent. Hundreds of citizens have been denied permission to travel abroad on grounds they know state secrets.

Sakharov, a physicist, had been denied permission to travel on grounds he had access to sensitive

information while working on the Soviet hydrogen bomb in the 1950s.

He has spoken out repeatedly for free emigration and protested the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan in 1979. For his human rights activities, he was awarded the 1975 Nobel Peace Prize.

He was exiled to the closed city of Gorky in 1980 and released under Gorbachev's administration in December 1986.

Sakharov said authorities have agreed "in principle" to let him travel to the United States, but have not yet issued travel documents.

"This question was raised by the authorities of the foundation and presented to decision-makers, and now it has received a positive response," he said.

"I consider that the positive re-

sponse making my trip possible stems from the very big changes in our country during the last few years," Sakharov told a news conference.

He said he plans to attend a meeting in Washington of a philanthropic group called the International Foundation for the Survival and Development of Humanity.

The U.S. State Department welcomed the Soviet decision but urged Moscow to give the same permission to all Soviets wishing to travel abroad.

"Soviet use of alleged knowledge of state secrets to deny many other Soviet citizens the right to travel abroad is deplorable and inconsistent with Soviet commitments under the Helsinki Accords," said spokesman Charles Redman.



ANDREI D. SAKHAROV May visit United States

Soviets may extradite war criminal

FRANKFURT, West Germany (AP) — A former U.S. resident convicted by a Soviet court of World War II atrocities could be extradited to the Soviet Union if it waives the death penalty, a West German official said Friday.

A Soviet Embassy spokesman told a West German television network that the Kremlin may request the extradition of Boleslav Moikovskis from West Germany.

The question of whether to extradite Moikovskis, 84, comes as Chancellor Helmut Kohl prepares to travel to Moscow next week for talks with President Mikhail S. Gorbachev.

The Soviet Union in 1965 sentenced Moikovskis to death in absentia for his role in burning down a village and killing civilians as a pro-Nazi police commander in his native country of Latvia.

West Germany has no death penalty, and would probably not agree to extradite Moikovskis to a

country where the death sentence awaits him, a justice official said Friday.

"But an extradition could theoretically be possible if, for example, the Soviet Union agreed to withhold the death penalty in this case," said Dortmund Prosecutor Klaus Schecht in a telephone interview.

Moikovskis is being held in a West German prison while authorities investigate the shooting deaths of at least 130 men, women and children in the Latvian village of Audrine during World War II.

"Moikovskis would well face a criminal trial here," Schecht said, but he said he could not estimate how long investigations would take.

Schecht writes out of Dortmund's war crimes prosecution office, which is responsible for the Munster district where Moikovskis was taken into custody Wednesday.

Pinochet ousts 9 of 16 Cabinet members

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP) — President Augusto Pinochet replaced nine members of his 16-man Cabinet, including his powerful interior minister, in a shakeup Friday prompted by the voters' rejection of his proposed new term.

In a surprise announcement 15 minutes before a scheduled swearing-in ceremony for new government members, a government spokesman said that Interior Minister Sergio

Fernandez was among those being replaced. The political opposition had called for his ouster.

Earlier in the day, the spokesman had said Fernandez was confirmed as interior minister. There was no explanation for the last-minute reversal.

The new ministers' identities were not to be made public until the ceremony, at the government palace.

Pinochet, the 72-year-old army

commander, and Fernandez have rejected any reforms to the country's 1980 constitution, which the opposition maintains must be amended to ensure democracy in the future.

All 16 government ministers stepped down Thursday to allow Pinochet to adjust policy after his Oct. 5 defeat in a referendum on extending his rule to 1997.

The new Cabinet is Pinochet's 40th since he seized power in a bloody 1973 coup that toppled the elected leftist government of President Salvador Allende and ended a long tradition of democratic rule. Allende, a Marxist, died in the coup.

According to the announcement, Cabinet members confirmed in their posts included retired navy Adm. Patricio Carvajal of defense, Herman Buchi of finance and army Gen. Manuel Concha of economy.

It said Pinochet also planned to swear in a new secretary-general of the presidency, a Cabinet-level post, to replace army Gen. Sergio Valen-

zuela.

The replaced Cabinet members included Foreign Minister Ricardo Garcia and Orlando Poblete, the government secretary-general, according to the announcement.

Fernandez and Poblete oversaw Pinochet's campaign for the Oct. 5 referendum. It was rejected by a margin of more than 800,000 votes, or 55 percent, to 43 percent with the remaining two percent voided.

An open election is planned for December 1989 to pick a successor.

While several legal experts say Pinochet cannot succeed himself, he has not ruled out being a candidate.

Pinochet was said to be furious with some Cabinet members, including Fernandez and Poblete, accusing them of "tricking" him into believing he would win the referendum.

Poblete allegedly altered the results of a government-conducted polls two days before the ballot to give the impression Pinochet was leading.

Greek cruise ship sinks; students feared trapped

PIRAEUS, Greece (AP) — A Greek cruise ship carrying 475 British students and teachers collided with a freighter and sank near shore Friday, officials said. Two Greek seamen were killed and some students were feared trapped underwater, although most were rescued.

Small boats picked up the panicked high school students who jumped or fell into the water from the Jupiter, a 6,300-ton cruise ship, as it sank less than a mile from Piraeus harbor, said an official with the Merchant Marine Ministry.

The official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said 64 people, including 30 students, were hospitalized with slight injuries and shock. He said two Greek seamen died.

Merchant Marine Minister Evangelos Yannopoulos said in a statement that the Italian freighter was to blame and that its skipper, Capt. Flavio Caminale, was being held on manslaughter charges.

Five hours after the disaster, it

was still not clear whether any of the 415 students and 60 teachers aboard the Jupiter were missing.

A British Embassy official said on condition of anonymity that "for the time being, we don't know of any missing passengers, but we can't be sure that nobody's missing."

However, Spyros Mavrikis, another spokesman for Epirotiki Lines, said he had no reports of any students missing.

Margaret Jones of Schools Abroad, which organized the 8-day educational cruise for students from 30 different schools, said, "We are still collecting names because people are scattered at different hospitals, but we haven't any reports of students missing."

SIGNS

The City of Twin Falls Street Department is asking the public for assistance to try and stop the vandalism of signs. The department has replaced 75 signs in the last three weeks at the taxpayers expense. These signs are for public information and safety.

If you see or have seen anyone tampering, destroying or damaging street signs, please notify Twin Falls Police Department at 733-0860 or Twin Falls Street Dept at 736-2226.

Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Soviets appoint diplomat to new post

MOSCOW (AP) — Alexander A. Bessmertnykh, the deputy foreign minister responsible for relations with North America, has been promoted to first deputy, the official news agency Tass reported Friday.

Bessmertnykh, 54, will be one of Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze's two top assistants.

He replaces Yuli Vorontsov, who was named ambassador to Afghanistan in a surprise move last

week. Such an assignment was very unusual for a top diplomat, but the Soviet Union is in the process of withdrawing 100,000 troops from Afghanistan and recently pledged nearly \$800 million in aid.

Bessmertnykh previously had been an aide to Anatoly Dobrynin when he was ambassador to Washington, and also served as an aide to Shevardnadze's predecessor, Andrei A. Gromyko.

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Jones speaks against lottery

By ANNETTE CARY
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Attorney General Jim Jones brought his anti-lottery, anti-gambling message to an approving crowd of about 250 in Twin Falls Friday evening.

A vote for House Joint Resolution 3 on the Nov. 8 ballot is not a vote for a state lottery, he said at a forum sponsored by the anti-lottery group Consider. It's a vote for virtually unrestricted, big-stakes charitable gambling and a vote for unrestricted gambling on Indian reservations, he said.



"That charitable gambling doesn't mean church Bingo or service club punch boards, he said. While technically illegal, those small-stakes events where money clearly goes to charity will continue whether the lottery passes or not.

"Law enforcement has better things to do," he said. "We're talking about things that mean high-stakes gambling."

Like the sort of games that have made charitable gaming a \$200 million a year business in North Dakota, he said, stressing the much smaller amount that actually was kept by charities.

"If we pass this there will be more charities than we can deal with," he said. "We will be a very charitable and benevolent state. Some of those charities will look very strange."

In most states, charitable gambling starts small — with bingo, a lottery and punch boards — but they get requests to allow blackjack and poker and professional sports betting, Jones said.

"It's not a bunch of slickies from Nevada, but the Petunia Society and other people that you know — every good and worthwhile organization in the state coming to the Legislature," he said.

• See LOTTERY on Page A7

Higer believes in sending a message

By CRAIG LINCOLN
Times-News writer

BURLEY — Nathan Higer surprised a Jerome County prosecutor in 1986.

The Fifth District magistrate judge ignored Prosecutor Mark Gause's recommendation to order probation for a Hazelton couple guilty of misdemeanor injury to a child. Higer sentenced Gary and Rosemarie Staten to the maximum punishment of six months in jail.

Higer's sentence pleased sheriff's deputies and other Jerome County residents angry over Gause's reducing original felony charges in a plea bargain. The couple was first charged with involuntary manslaughter after their 11-month-old child died of malnutrition and bronchial pneumonia.

Gause survived a recall attempt spurred by his actions in the case, and later resigned for a job in the private sector.

The Cassia County judge says he believes in sending a message to the public with his sentences. It's called "retention."

"Not necessarily to that particular individual, but to the general public so they know this is what's going to happen to them if they commit this particular crime," Higer said.

Higer, a judge since 1977, is running for retention in the Nov. 8 election. That means Cassia County voters can either keep him on the bench or open the seat for a new appointment.

Magic Valley lawyers answering a Times-News judicial survey about seven magistrate judges running for



NATHAN HIGER
Cassia magistrate

retention gave Higer a B-plus average. Lawyers rated him strongest in keeping caseload moving and weakest in making sound rulings.

"I've always tried to rule promptly," he said. "There are only a few cases where a ruling has taken more than two weeks."

Of the 5th District magistrates running for retention this fall, Higer has one of the best records of reducing the number of cases taking longer than court recommendations. In 1986, the Idaho Supreme Court adopted time-limit recommendations for each type of case handled by Idaho's judiciary.

On May 31, 1986, Higer had 113 cases that were outside those recommendations. In August of this year, only 25 of Higer's cases were lasting longer than the court's time

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Age: 44.
Education: Bachelor's degree, University of Washington, 1966. Juris doctor, University of Washington Law School, 1969.
Legal experience: Attorney for Idaho Department of Water Resources; deputy prosecutor for Gem County; public defender for Gem County; private practice, Higer & Higer, Emmett, associate, Moffatt, Thomas, Barrett & Blanton, Boise; magistrate judge since 1977.
Activities: Golf, duplicate bridge, fishing.
Salary: \$52,920.

standards.

When Higer gets a periodical report from the Idaho Supreme Court's administrative computer on his cases, he pulls out the cases marked as taking longer than recommended and takes action.

"I just pay more attention to the caseload," he said.

Higer, who said he focused on mediation and resolution of cases even as an attorney, said he has no overriding goal as a judge.

"I'm not sure you're in a position you can accomplish something," he said. "You're there to make a decision."

Magistrates are 'the workhorse of the judiciary'

By CRAIG LINCOLN
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — When Joe Public goes to court, he's most likely will deal with a magistrate judge.

"They probably have 90 percent of the exposure to the public," said 5th District Administrative Judge Phillip Becker. The public comes in contact with the magistrate and the clerks working in that department more than they do District Court.

The tables will be turned Nov. 8, when voters will issue verdicts on seven Magic Valley magistrates who are running for retention. A simple yes-or-no vote will either retain each magistrate or open his seat for a new appointment.

In the 5th Judicial District, magistrate judges handle traffic tickets, adoptions, probates, small claims, small civil cases, divorces, other domestic relations cases and all misdemeanor criminal cases including driving under the influence charges. They also screen all felony criminal charges.

In 1987, 46,412 cases were filed before the

district's 11 magistrate judges. In contrast, 1,404 cases were filed in District Court with its six judges.

"They're really the workhorse of the judiciary," said 5th District Judge Daniel Hurlbutt. "They're really on the front lines, they're the ones who come in contact with more and a wider variety of the public than the other judges."

Idaho's courts are administered and supervised by the Idaho Supreme Court, under what is called a "unified" court system. The state has seven judicial districts, with a district and magistrate division in each.

Magistrate judges hear the less-serious cases. Each judicial district can decide how to assign cases, although there are broad guidelines.

"The only people we don't see first are in civil cases over \$10,000," said Barry Wood, Lincoln County magistrate judge. "We're the front line, really kind of the hands-on people's court."

Magistrate judges are appointed to office, stand guard for retention election every four years. A magistrate judge must face his first

retention ballot after he serves 18 months.

Since retention elections for magistrate judges started in 1974, only three magistrates have been voted out of office, according to an Idaho Supreme Court publication. The average "yes" vote has been 76 percent.

If a magistrate judge is voted out of office, he will serve out his unexpired term. A 5th District magistrates commission, composed of the county commission chairman from each county, three mayors and two people appointed by the governor, will choose a new magistrate.

"The magistrate commission would start advertising throughout the entire state for applicants and the new magistrate would be selected and ready to take over the day after the present magistrate leaves office," Becker said.

Although the system minimizes the contact between politics and the judiciary, some lawyers responding to a Times-News judicial survey were critical of the system.

One lawyer, commenting anonymously, said he "mainly trusts" that some magistrates simply couldn't make it in private practice. With \$50,000 salaries, these magistrate

judges probably will keep their jobs for 20 to 30 years, the lawyer said.

"The current retention election system means they spend a lifetime on the bench," the lawyer said.

He offered two solutions: Limit magistrates to eight consecutive years on the bench; and open up the elections so a lawyer could run against a sitting magistrate.

"Most magistrates would be scared sick of this as they would probably lose if a real lawyer ran against them," the attorney said.

"The magistrate system should be open to political election processes," another lawyer said. "These are not federal judges — unless this system is changed there will be only a slight turnover in judges."

But Hurlbutt said the system as he perceives it was designed to bring more into a judicial selection process. The magistrate system was modeled after a pattern developed in Missouri.

The Missouri system allows judges to run against their record, instead of against a challenger who may campaign against one unpopular decision, Hurlbutt said.

Judicial report card

5th District Magistrate Judge Nathan Higer

Overall grade: **B+** Number of responses: **43**
GPA: **3.17**

Understands complex legal issues	B+	3.16
Keeps up with current law	B+	3.27
Rulings are sound	B	2.86
Rulings are not based on public opinion or whether they will be overturned	B	3.05
Judicial temperament/courtesy	B+	3.33
Preparedness and diligence	B+	3.25
Keeps case flow moving, makes rulings promptly	B+	3.48
Keeps courtroom proceedings moving quickly but fairly	B+	3.33
Free of bias (religious, racial, sexual, ethnic) in decisions	B	3.12
Shows no favoritism or conflict of interest in making decisions	B	3.05
Politically independent	B	3.02
Shows integrity and courage	B	3.14

Source: Times-News judicial survey

CASELOAD

Disposed	Pending
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	113	75	45	25

Source: Idaho Supreme Court and Philip Becker, Administrative District Judge

Egusquiza wants 'open-door' policy

By KIRK MITCHELL
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Initiating a monthly county meeting and building a solid channel of communication with employees would be high on Democrat Day Egusquiza's priority list if elected commissioner.

"My philosophy in dealing with people centers on listening to employees and residents, researching the issues and communicating the results of the research back to the affected individuals," Egusquiza said in an interview this week. "This is a true open-door philosophy."

Egusquiza is running against Republican incumbent Jim Fraley for a four-year \$22,170-a-year term as a county commissioner.

One of her goals, she said, is to reverse what she calls an antagonistic relationship among commissioners, employees and residents.

Night-time meetings with published agendas would give people who work during the day a chance to attend and would inform people about important county issues.

She would favor using space vacated by the sheriff's department when the new jail is completed for a public meeting room, Egusquiza said.

"The commission chambers are big enough to accommodate only three to five visitors, and the raised desks in commission chambers give employees and the public the impression that they are addressing a throne, she said.

Incidents, whose self-confidence is already teetering, are confronted by the intimidating throne image and then must speak into a microphone, Egusquiza said. Such hearings should be conducted in an informal



DAY EGUSQUIZA
Challenges incumbent

setting where commissioners and individuals can look at each other on equal footing, she said.

County meetings should be conducted using parliamentary procedure, not like the shouting match that took place recently when about 30 people packed the chambers to protest "the placement of precinct polling places, she said.

"It's a simple process," she said. "She said the all-Republican commission's custom of making all its decisions unanimously inhibits innovation."

Diversity is where fresh ideas come from, Egusquiza said. "I would be worried if commissioners agree on everything."

Interaction with employees must be done with mutual respect, she said. "You can't demand respect, you

Name: Day Egusquiza.
Age: 32.
Education: Graduated Glenns Ferry High School. College sophomore taking classes at College of Southern Idaho and Lewis-Clark State College.
Occupation: Reimbursement specialist. Public service and civic experience: Fifteen years fiscal, budget and management experience, including seven years with Magic Valley Regional Medical Center where she worked with indigents. Head Start volunteer for five years, foster parent for four years, active in Mormon church activities, United Way worker, involved with elderly.

have to command respect," Egusquiza said.

"For that to occur, commissioners would need to be visible doing their jobs and implementing the same cost-cutting measures in their office as they ask of other departments."

"They will know even before I come to office that this is a different kind of management than has been in there for several years," Egusquiza said. "Believing in other people is contagious."

One idea for gaining respect would be to implement a more stringent

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Fraley places emphasis on integrity

By KIRK MITCHELL
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Honesty and his desire to keep Twin Falls County open, friendly are reasons to keep County Commissioner Jim Fraley in office, Fraley says.

"I've never lied to anyone about anything," Fraley said in an interview this week. "People that know me know I am trustworthy and that I will do what I say I will."

The Republican commissioner is running against Democrat Day Egusquiza for a four-year second term in his \$22,170-a-year seat.

During Fraley's 19-year painting career, people have left him alone in houses and businesses because they knew he would not betray their trust, he said.

He will continue to carry that integrity over to his job as county commissioner, he said.

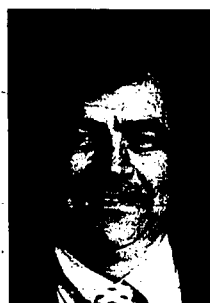
"When someone questions my integrity I get very upset," Fraley said. "Because I know I didn't do anything to deserve it."

He said building a relationship of trust with news reporters is something both he and the media need to work on.

"Sometimes we get a mental block when a reporter is in the room," Fraley said.

Commissioners are sometimes hesitant about speaking up in a meeting because they are afraid that every little thing they say, "maybe a bad idea," is going to be reported.

Disputing claims that commissioners operate on a "group-think" basis and rarely assert differing opinions, Fraley said there have been many times that he has disagreed with other commissioners.



JIM FRALEY
Incumbent commissioner

However, in an effort to "show a united front," when commissioners record their actions, it is as a single commission decision. That is typical of all government agencies, he said.

He said he does not believe it is necessary to maintain a dissenting opinion in the minutes.

"I don't know if we've ever had something that someone has been that adamant about," Fraley said.

Continuing to develop as a person and commissioner is important, he said.

Fraley said he is enrolled in business and management courses at Lewis-Clark State College in an effort to hone his managerial and business skills.

"We deal with a \$7 million budget," he said. "I need all the experience I can get."

He said he is an avid family man

Name: James Franklin Fraley.
Age: 45.
Education: Graduated from Kimberly High School. Is a sophomore in college, taking business management classes at College of Southern Idaho and Lewis-Clark State College.
Occupation: County commissioner.
Public Service and Civic Experience: County commissioner for two years. Member of Idaho State Jail Inspection Committee, Idaho State Recodification Committee, Idaho Association of Counties, Twin Falls Rotary, Twin Falls School Board, Bureau of Health in nursing services at Senior Center.

and churchgoer, having held positions at the First Church of the Nazarene on the church board, urban committee and a youth group.

He said one of his attributes is his ability to listen to people, understand their concerns and do something for them.

Among his accomplishments has been an increased emphasis on get-

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Religion

Reagan benefits public theology

NEW YORK (AP) — In the twilight of President Reagan's administration, he hasn't pulled off most of his social programs dear to the religious right, but he's made them practically a political staple.

American Jewish Committee writes in the Christian Century that Reagan is clearly the dominant American theologian of the 1980s.

He will find our strength, our hope and our true happiness in prayer and the Lord's will.

Reagan told the youths: "I would like somebody to entertain an atheist at dinner and serve the most gourmet, perfect dinner that has ever been served, and then at the end of the meal, ask that atheist if he believes there's a cook."

He said 4,000 abortions a day must stop.

Adventist celebrates 70th

TWIN FALLS — The Twin Falls Seventh-day Adventist Church will celebrate 70 years of service on Oct. 29. The church began when two pastors came to town in 1918 to hold a series of meetings in the old Idaho Theater.

before the end of the year. In 1927, however, the school reopened in a home on Kimberly Road, then later moved to a basement on Third and Falls. In 1949 a school was built on Third Avenue and was named the Magic Valley Adventist School.

Catholic center to hold open house

BOISE — An open house will be held from 1-3 p.m. Sunday at the new Diocesan Catholic Center at 303 Federal Way.

Care was taken to make the building, which was built in 1922 and remodeled in 1968, accessible to the handicapped.

Bishop Sylvester Treinen will bless the 15,500 square foot building, formerly owned by Mutual of New York, at 1 p.m.

A chapel in the basement, dedicated under the name of "Our Lady of Grace of Idaho," was decorated and furnished under direction of Father Thomas Faucher of Boise.

Church services

- AMAZING GRACE FELLOWSHIP
TWIN FALLS — Sunday school for all ages will begin at 10 a.m. Services will be held at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
BAPTIST
FILER — Sunday school for all ages will begin at 10 a.m. Coffee hour will be held at 10:30 a.m.

- CHRISTIAN
TWIN FALLS — Sunday school and marriage class will begin at 9:45 a.m. at Community Christian Church.
LUTHERAN
EDEN — Sunday school and adult Bible class will be held at 9:45 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran.
PENTECOSTAL
TWIN FALLS — Sunday school will be held at 10 a.m. at Bebel Temple.
PRESBYTERIAN
HAZELTON — Sunday school for all ages begins at 10 a.m.

Mormons offer scriptures on tape

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — The Mormon Church has produced a new set of narrated Book of Mormon audio-cassette tapes for a significantly lower price than commercial recordings of the same scriptural.

own scriptural tapes was in keeping with the continuing emphasis placed on the Book of Mormon by the church's president, Ezra Taft Benson.

Church news

- KIMBERLY/MURTAUGH — Children age nursery through sixth grade will Trick or Treat for UNICEF at 4:30 p.m. Oct. 30.
TWIN FALLS — A four-part film series, "Who Switched the Price Tags?" by Tony Campolo will be presented by the Twin Falls Church of the Nazarene.
BUIH — The Kings Witnesses, a gospel group from Nampa, will present a program of music in the 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday services.

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Teller stumps for Republicans

GARDEN CITY (AP) — One of the creators of the first atomic bomb says the way to world peace is through a strong defense, such as the "Star Wars" system.

Edward Teller is a nuclear scientist who took part in the Manhattan Project to develop the first atomic bomb. Speaking to the Idaho Stanford Club Thursday, Teller also stumped for national and state Republican candidates.

"George Bush has an entirely unfair advantage over his opponent. He is informed (about nuclear issues). That is not because the infor-

mation is secret, but because his competitor is informed by the press and that distinguishes his interest in facts," he said.

He said Idahoans should vote for Republican congressional candidate Dane Watkins, who supports the strategic defense initiative, or "Star Wars" system, and nuclear energy projects. He said Rep. Richard Stallings, D-Idaho, votes the "wrong way" on those issues.

Teller said the first stage of the SDI system should be deployed in five years. It would destroy Soviet nuclear weapons outside the earth's

atmosphere.

Developers said the first phase of SDI will cost \$69 billion instead of their first estimate of \$150 billion, he said.

The nation's regulations have made nuclear energy safer and cleaner than other energy sources, such as coal, he said.

"In the United States, there has never been one person killed in a nuclear power accident. I know of no other energy industries with such a record," he said.

In the Soviet Union's Chernobyl accident of 1986, 31 people died.

State has collected \$50,000 for drunk driver auto ignition

BOISE (AP) — An estimated \$50,000 has been collected statewide since July 1 from fees assessed by courts to help cover the cost of devices to stop convicted drunken drivers from starting their cars after drinking, says State Sen. C.A. "Skip" Smyser.

The Parma Republican chairs a legislative committee that got a report Friday on the state Department of Transportation's progress in developing rules and regulations on the ignition interlock devices.

Smyser said Chief Deputy Attorney General Pat Kole has reported the \$15 fee authorized by the 1988 Legislature for all drunken-driving convictions has added up to about \$50,000 in the first 3 1/2 months since it was implemented.

The money, held in funds administered by each county, will be used to help indigent offenders pay for the ignition interlock breath analyzers the last Legislature authorized judges to begin using as a sentencing alternative in drunken-driving cases.

Pat Raino, grants-contracts officer for the Department

of Transportation's Office of Highway Safety, told the committee the devices will cost about \$35 per month to lease, plus a \$160 to \$225 installation charge.

Mrs. Raino said the devices, which are expected to be available in Idaho sometime next year, would prevent vehicles from being started if a breath test of the driver indicates a blood-alcohol level above the maximum set by the sentencing judge.

Since a blood-alcohol level of 0.1 percent is considered legally drunk in Idaho, she said no device could be set to block ignition at a level higher than 0.09. However, some ignition interlock manufacturers design their equipment to accept a level higher than 0.05.

Smyser said the level currently is left up to judges' discretion, but that the Legislature might consider setting a mandatory maximum of 0.05 percent.

Mrs. Raino said the ignition interlocks would be installed inside the car and include a tube and mouthpiece that the driver would have to breathe into before starting the car.

Moscow school superintendent quits

MOSCOW (AP) — Moscow School District Superintendent Aletia Fasolino will resign Dec. 9, after a "ladies and gentlemen's agreement" was reached with the Moscow School Board in a closed meeting.

The board cast a unanimous vote in open session later Wednesday to seal the arrangement worked out between Mrs. Fasolino and the trustees. The district agreed to pay her \$53,500 salary for a full year, plus 15 additional leave days and insurance benefits, Trustee Robert Dwell said.

"I'm going because I've fulfilled my commitment to this district. I've been

here for the good times and the bad times. I've not used this district as a stepping stone for my career," Mrs. Fasolino said.

With a public perception of problems between the board and the superintendent, it was time for a change, said Suzanne Scripser, school board president.

"I know from my point of view, it's been actual," not just perceived difficulties, Ms. Scripser said.

Conflict between Mrs. Fasolino and the board surfaced in February when her contract was not renewed for three years, as it had before. By not extending the contract, the effect

was a vote of "no confidence," she argued in hiring an attorney to negotiate with the district.

She also recently claimed female administrators in the district were shortchanged in position and salary by the board.

An acting superintendent will be chosen from the district, which will begin the process of finding a permanent administrator.

Both Ms. Scripser and Dwell said the change in leadership should improve the chances to pass a bond levy to remodel and to enlarge school buildings.

Kamiah requests Indian tax break repeal

LEWISTON (AP) — The Kamiah Chamber of Commerce has asked its counterpart in Lewiston, to support the repeal of certain tax breaks for Indian businesses on the Nez Perce Reservation.

Jim Emmert, owner of The Station, a Kamiah gas stop and convenience store, said non-Indian merchants there are losing because of sales and tobacco tax exemptions al-

lowed tribal businesses.

"If you can escape paying 5 percent sales tax at the tribal store, where would you buy your groceries?" Emmert asked the Lewiston Chamber's legislative affairs committee.

Using federal funds, the tribe built a large store in Kamiah in 1984, said Emmert, who is the equal rights. Last year, his business lost \$10,000 to the Indian competitors.

"Head-to-head competition is the name of the game in the American free enterprise system," he said. "But to lose because the state of Idaho gives a particular group a 5 percent pricing advantage is unfair."

Emmert said at least two stores report losses of \$1,000 a week in cigarette sales and he worries the grocery exemptions could be carried through to other businesses.

Utah's Fort Douglas may shut down after 126 years

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — A federal commission studying America's military bases may be playing a final "Taps" for Fort Douglas, and politicians say they finally may be ready to surrender the 126-year post without a fight.

Members of Utah's congressional delegation consider the picturesque fort and its Civil War-era buildings a likely candidate in the Pentagon's quest to close about two dozen military bases around the country.

Fort Douglas is one of three bases cited by critics as contributing little to national defense. Others are Fort Monroe, Va., and Fort Sheridan, Ill.

The state congressional delegation and Gov. Norm Bangerter say they'll go along if the Pentagon can demonstrate closure would save money.

Their acquiescence would have been unthinkable a decade ago, but

closure today would cost the Salt Lake area only a fraction of the 414 civilian jobs the fort provides. And the University of Utah is eager to absorb 112 buildings the Army declares them surplus, officials say.

"Our concern is that they operate from accurate data," said Democratic Rep. Wayne Owens, whose 2nd District includes the fort. "If data is accurate and there's no indication of unfairness, then I don't know what I can do. You can't be for closing down everybody else's things and not be willing to look at your own."

Nestled in foothills between Salt Lake City and the Wasatch Mountains, Fort Douglas was built in 1862 to protect stagecoach routes from Indian attack. It was named, at President Lincoln's suggestion, after his Illinois rival, Sen. Stephen A. Douglas, who had died the year before.

Cowboys on Everest will not fly home on military airplanes

PINEDALE, Wyo. (AP) — Members of the Cowboys on Everest have abandoned plans to return to Wyoming on military airplanes because of the cost and inconvenience involved, according to an expedition spokesman.

Instead, the climbers will return from Tibet via commercial flights, said Mary Skinner, wife of expedition leader Courtney Skinner.

Last week the expedition gave up on its hopes of scaling the world's highest peak after about 50 days of battling high winds and bitter cold temperatures.

Before departing Tibet, Skinner said, the group will attempt to sell some of its used equipment in the Tibetan capital of Lhasa to defray some of the cost of transporting the gear back to the United States.

The group is expected to reach San Francisco next Friday.

Before the expedition can leave China, said Skinner, it must negotiate a "final settlement" with the Chinese Mountaineering Association on what fees the Wyoming group owes for services and equipment provided within the People's Republic of China.

With respect to the group's transportation, Skinner said assistance promised from the Wyoming Air National Guard never materialized because the Guard was not directed to make the flight.

Expedition members understood the Air Guard would be instructed to transport the 30 climbers and their equipment back to Pinedale from Travis Air Force Base near San Francisco.

Pilot dies in N. Utah light aircraft crash

BEAR LAKE, Utah (AP) — The pilot of a light aircraft was killed when the plane crashed near northern Utah's Bear Lake, the Rich County Sheriff's Office said.

John A. Hellstrom, 67, was alone in the plane, said Sheriff Dan Cockayne.

Hellstrom was going from Salt Lake City to his summer cabin at South Eden when the plane, a twin-

engine Aerostar PA-60, crashed at 3:31 p.m. Thursday on the southeastern end of the lake near Eden Ranch, said a dispatcher, who asked not to be identified.

She said she could give no further details about the crash. The Federal Aviation Administration and the National Transportation and Safety Board were investigating.

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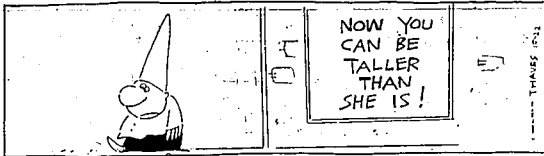
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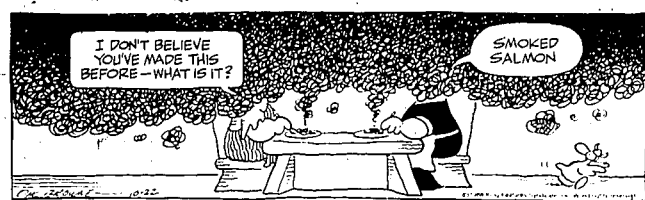
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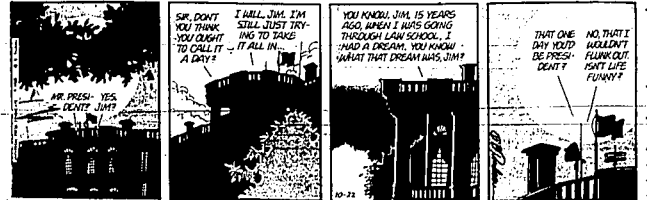
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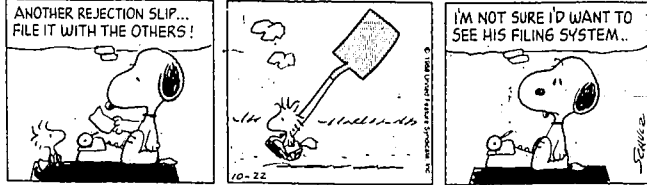
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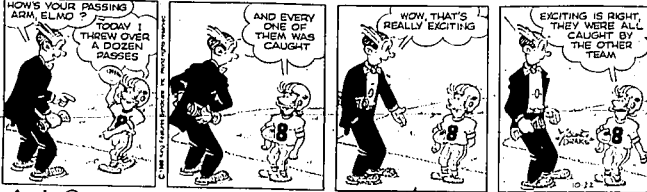
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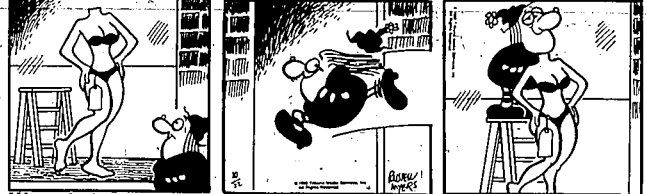
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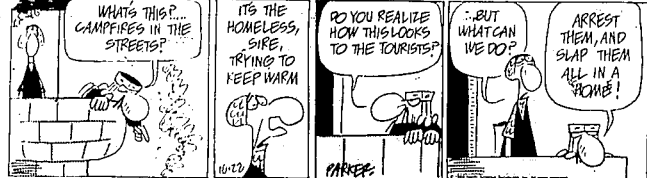
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ARIES (March 21 to April 19): Analyze carefully any investment; that seems too good to be true; it is. Inspirations to improve health and work are fruitful.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21): Be careful on the highway early in the morning. Luck is not with you. Those in authority are pleasantly disposed toward you.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21): Today is not a good day to fund your hopes and dreams or lend money to co-workers. Money can come through an artistic endeavor.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21): Be careful of your overemotional reaction to those in charge. It will tend to spoil your fun. A profitable real estate investment presents itself.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22): Don't let people take advantage of your oversympathetic nature. Your keen powers of analysis help you understand your mates goals.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22): Your friends seem quite confused about their goals in life. They learn a great deal from your advice. You can profit from a message.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21): Emotional rather than critical analysis of facts from others about your abilities will cause trouble with superiors today.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21): The morning is not a good time to

travel unless you have no luggage to lose. A letter from afar brings you back to your roots.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): It would be best not to invest any money this morning. It is better to pay attention to dreams that tell you of changing investments.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19): This is still not the time to try to do anything to change conditions at work. Sidesstep someone who wants to waste your time and energy.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20): Finalize events decisively, and let others in on your new game plan so that you can avoid plunging once more into long-term negotiations.

Cher describes relationship with man who is 18 years younger

CHICAGO (AP) — Academy Award-winning actress Cher says the beginning of her relationship with her 24-year-old boyfriend two years ago provoked anxiety.

"I felt I was starting to fall into a pattern of being only with younger guys," said the 42-year-old actress and singer. "I thought that was maybe a fault or a weakness, something detrimental in my character. Now I don't know that it's not and I don't know that it care."

The star of "Moonstruck" said she does not feel she is a pioneer for women because of her relationships with younger men, but she added:

"I'm really happy to give women the courage to do the thing they might want to do. ... If they need someone to go before them I'm happy to help."

"But I'm certainly not the first one who's been with younger men — Thelma Houston, Sarah Bernhardt — there've been lots of women before

me," she said in an interview in the December issue of Playboy magazine.

Country star helps woman with jail bond

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Country music star Little Jimmy Dickens and his wife won the praises of Gov. Ned McWherter for posting \$2,500 bond so an indigent woman could be released from jail.

McWherter, in a letter to the couple, cited their "compassion and kindness" for enabling Lydia Roberts to get out of jail in Manchester.

The couple posted her bond Oct. 12 after reading news accounts about her. Ms. Roberts, a divorcee and mother of two, was jailed for writing two worthless checks totaling \$2,106. She had spent 99 days in jail.

"I always knew we had the best people in the world right here in Tennessee," McWherter said.

Dickens is a Grand Ole Opry star

and member of the Country Music Hall of Fame.

Princess chats with hardened criminals

NEWPORT, England (AP) — Princess Anne visited top-security Parkhurst prison on the Isle of Wight off England's south coast Friday and chatted with some of Britain's most hardened criminals.

The 38-year-old daughter of Queen Elizabeth II spent nearly two hours at the prison visiting the hospital, meeting prison guards and chatting to some of the men in C wing, a special unit which holds 15 long-term and disruptive prisoners.

One prisoner gave the princess, a chess board he had made for her.

"Someone must have told you I'm on a high-protein cheese diet, and it's very handy," she said.

"It was a very relaxed tour and some very difficult prisoners wanted to bar-and-talk-to-her," said Reginald Withers, the prison's governor.



CHER Worried at first

was accused of trying to murder. The New York Times reported Friday. "Sotbath's—lips—are—sealed," but mention its Oct. 28 and 29 sale entitled "Property from a Private Collection" to any serious dealer or collector and the reaction will immediately be nods or winks," the Times said.

"We have been asked by the consignee not to identify them," said Diana Levitt, spokeswoman for the auction house.



PRINCESS ANNE Visits prison

Von Bulow has been living in Europe since he was acquitted in 1985 in a retrial of charges that he twice tried to murder his wife with insulin injections. Mrs. von Bulow remains in an irreversible coma.

The offerings, which Sotheby's predicts will bring between \$6 million and \$7.5 million, reportedly include furnishings from Clarendon Court,

the von Bulows' mansion in Newport, R.I., and pieces from their Manhattan apartment.

Celebrity buffet in L.A. aids skid row mission

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Skid Row's Los Angeles Mission has a little more money in the bank thanks to a celebrity benefit buffet at the home of best-selling author Sidney Sheldon, who had actor Kirk Douglas as a co-host.

"I feel strongly that, since I've been born in abject poverty, since I've been in the Bowery in New York looking for a meal, that the work that the Los Angeles Mission is doing to help the homeless is something that we have to support," Douglas, 72, said Thursday.

The guest list included Sidney Sheldon, Judy Smith, Zsa Zsa Gabor and Red Buttons.

Douglas detailed his struggle with poverty in his recently published autobiography, "The Ragman's Son." Sheldon's books include "The Other Side of Midnight" and "Windmills of the Gods."

No immediate figure was available on how much money was raised.

Man guilty of DUI a total of 33 times

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — A man with 33 drunken driving convictions and free on bond pending appeal of four others has been released on bond after being arrested once again for drunken driving, officials say.

"I have never, never, ever had anybody with a record even approaching that," said attorney Earle R. Purser, who represented Otis Donald Wadford at a hearing in September.

Wadford, 52, was arrested Monday and released after he posted \$1,000 bond in Wake County District Court.

He was free on a previous bond pending his appeal of four drunken driving convictions last month. The News and Observer of Raleigh reported.

Bond can be denied only in first-degree murder cases in which the death penalty is being sought.

"Maybe it's time we look at the law and consider some sort of revision to protect the public," said Wake District Attorney C. Colon Willoughby Jr. "Maybe public safety outweighs the individual's right to be free pending his case being litigated" in instances other than murder cases.

Wadford pleaded guilty Sept. 8 to four charges each of driving while impaired and driving while his license was permanently revoked, plus assorted other traffic charges. He

was sentenced to four years in prison under a plea agreement negotiated by Purser.

But the next day, Wadford appealed the charges to which he had pleaded guilty. That made him eligible for release on bond pending a new trial.

He was released before either Purser or the prosecutor, Zesley Haislip Jr., knew he had appealed. Purser says he won't represent Wadford again.

Prosecutors generally are not notified immediately of a defendant's appeal on misdemeanor convictions. Haislip said. He said that if he had known, he would have asked that bond be raised.

On Monday, Wadford was charged again.

Magistrate Sonny Garner set Wadford's bond at \$1,000. Wadford posted bond and was again released.

Garner said he was aware of only one or two drunken driving convictions on Wadford's record when he set the bond because the magistrate's office did not have access to computerized criminal histories after 5 p.m.

Garner said that, based on his information, the bond was appropriate. Wadford has a trial date of Nov. 22 on the latest charges.

Marathon trial took almost 4 years' time

BELLELEVILLE, Ill. (AP) — It's been a year since one of the nation's longest trials ended after nearly four years and thousands of pages of transcripts — all over less than a teaspoon of dioxin in a 19,000-gallon chemical spill.

"It's just good to see your kids and family on a regular basis," said David Snively, an attorney for Monsanto Co.

Jury Barbara McCann, who was dismissed from the jury just 45 minutes before it got the case, said she is still bitter about spending more than three years on the panel only to be told she wouldn't be able to see it through to the end.

"Just this past week, I was thinking about it again," said Mrs. McCann, 50, representing the colleagues who decided the marathon case, Kem or Monsanto, one year ago Saturday.

"I'll bother me. I hold a grudge," said the mother of five who works as a sales clerk. "And I still get teary eyed when I think about it — and I will for years."

Judge Richard Goldenhersh of St. Clair County dismissed her from the jury on Aug. 26, 1987, citing a conflict of interest.

The jury deliberated for 38 days before deciding on Oct. 22 that St. Louis-based Monsanto owed more than \$16 million to 65 people in Sturgeon, Mo., because of a chemical spill in 1979 during a train derailment.

The panel awarded the plaintiffs \$16.2 million as punitive damages, but gave 63 of them only \$1 for compensatory damages. It awarded two plaintiffs \$14,500 each to compensate them for property damage.

The litigants said they were sickened when the train derailed in Sturgeon and a 19,000-gallon load of wood preservative containing less than a teaspoonful of dioxin spilled along the tracks.

During the trial, Monsanto contended the amount of dioxin was too small to cause fatigue, headaches, joint pains, high blood pressure, nose and eye irritation — symptoms the plaintiffs claimed they had.

Dioxin, an unwanted byproduct created during the manufacture

of some herbicides and pesticides, is known to cause brain, heart and genetic damage in laboratory animals. The health risk to humans remains subject to debate.

The case, which generated 113,000 pages of court records alone, is on appeal, said Snively. Attorneys on both sides agreed it would take another year, possibly two, before the case is settled.

Like Mrs. McCann of Caseyville, Snively breathed a sigh of relief that at least the trial phase was over.

The length of the trial was "physically tough on everybody — the stress, the fatigue," he said. "After it's over, everybody tends to gain a little bit of weight."

Jerome Seigfried of Mexico, Mo., who represented the plaintiffs with attorney Rex Carr of Belleville, called his participation "a very interesting experience."

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Social Security benefits hike to add \$21 to pensions for retired

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's 38.4 million Social Security recipients can count on a 4 percent increase in their benefits starting next January that will boost the average retired worker's pension by \$21 a month, the government announced Friday.

The increase, the second largest in 6 1/2 years, will mean the typical benefit payment will go from \$516 to \$537 per month.

Offsetting the good news on benefit increases was a \$7.10 hike in Medicare premiums, which will rise to \$31.90 a month starting in January. They are deducted directly from the monthly benefits.

The exact size of the increase became official Friday when the Labor Department announced the latest change in the Consumer Price Index.

Since 1975, Social Security benefits have risen automatically each year with the CPI with the exception of six months in 1983 that were skipped to help bail the system out of a crisis.

The 4 percent increase, which will show up in the Jan. 3 benefit checks, followed a 4.2 percent increase which took effect last January. The two increases were the largest since a 7.4 percent rise in July 1982, back

when high inflation rates translated into bigger cost-of-living hikes.

Social Security officials said the maximum monthly benefit for a worker retiring in 1988 at age 65 will rise \$61, from \$838 to \$899.

The 4.5 million recipients of Supplemental Security Income, a welfare program for the aged, blind or disabled, also will get a 4 percent increase in their benefit payments.

The maximum federal SSI payment will rise by \$14, from \$354 to \$368, for an individual, and by \$21, from \$532 to \$553, for a poor couple.

The change in Social Security benefits is calculated by taking increases in the CPI for urban wage earners for the July-September period, compared with the same period in the previous year.

The agency gave the following examples of how the 4.0 percent increase will affect average monthly benefits:

- All retired workers, up \$21, from \$516 to \$537.
- Aged couple, both getting benefits, up \$38, from \$883 to \$921.
- Widowed mother and two children, up \$42, from \$1,070 to \$1,112.

—Disabled worker, spouse and children, up \$41, from \$902 to \$943.

—All disabled workers, up \$20, from \$509 to \$529.

The Social Security Administration also announced that the maximum amount of wages subject to the payroll tax will climb from the current \$45,000 to \$48,000 in 1989.

The wage base, the amount subject to the tax, has gone up every year since 1971.

The latest change means the maximum annual Social Security tax paid by high income workers will rise by \$25.30 to \$3,604.80. Employers pay the same sum.

Lending to Soviets given OK

WASHINGTON (AP) — A sharp increase in lines of credit extended by U.S. allies to the Soviet Union will not harm Western security as long as any resulting loans are made at market rates and do not enhance Soviet military capability, the State Department said Friday.

The United States does not oppose commercial lending at market rates aimed at supporting an expansion of non-strategic trade with the Soviet Union, department spokesman Charles Redman said.

"The U.S. does strongly oppose the notion of subsidized loans to the Soviet Union," he added.

Redman said that if and when the new lines of credit are drawn on during the next several years, "we would expect that whatever lending actually transpires will be consistent" with the allied consensus against subsidizing loans to the Soviet Union.



I. KING JORDAN
Wants fight to continue.

Gallaudet installs its 1st deaf president

WASHINGTON (AP) — Seven months after being wracked by student demonstrations, Gallaudet University on Friday officially installed Dr. I. King Jordan as the first deaf president in the history of the nation's only university for the hearing impaired.

Today Gallaudet is not simply installing its eighth president, Jordan told about 2,500 faculty, staff and students crammed into the school's gym. "We are recognizing the right of every disabled person to have unlimited goals and expectations."

Jordan, 45, was named president of the 124-year-old university last March after a tumultuous week of protests in which students and faculty banded together to protest the selection of Elisabeth Ann Zinser, a hearing woman, over Jordan and another deaf finalist.

The incident grew from an isolated campus protest to an international forum on deaf rights, with members of Congress and several presidential candidates calling for selection of a deaf leader for the school. Ms. Zinser later stepped aside, and Jordan was selected.

In his inaugural address, Jordan said the school should use the energies generated that week to continue lobbying for the rights of the hearing impaired around the world.

"Gallaudet must become a working model for open access everywhere," Jordan said. "Take the

events of last March to your hearts and your hands to make the world responsive to deaf people."

Sen. Tom Harkin, D-Iowa, whose brother is deaf, delivered part of his remarks—in sign language—which drew appreciative cheers from the audience. He called those who struggled for selection of a deaf leader "my heroes," and told an anecdote about how far the story of Jordan's selection had spread:

"Last summer, I was in Europe, and a group of deaf students wanted to know about the president," Harkin said. "They weren't interested in Ronald Reagan. They wanted to hear about Dr. Jordan."

Lawrence Newman, president of the National Association of the Deaf,

told the crowd that Jordan's installation "marks the emancipation of deaf people from the shackles of limitations."

Jordan, a 1973 Gallaudet graduate who earned a masters and doctorate degrees in psychology from the University of Tennessee, had served as dean of Gallaudet's School of Arts and Sciences before being selected as president.

Many of the speakers took time to relieve the heady feeling from the week in which Ms. Zinser was replaced and Philip W. Braven, a deaf person, was chosen to replace Jane Bassett Spilman, a hearing woman, as chair of the school's board of trustees. But Braven and Jordan concentrated on work yet to come.

A New York Times account in Friday's edition said commercial banks in West Germany, France, Britain, Italy and Japan have signaled their intention to lend more than \$9 billion to Moscow's Bank for Foreign Economic Affairs.

It said total new lending to the Soviet Union during the three-year period from 1985-87 was \$8 billion.

But Redman pointed out that the recent transactions involve "multi-year lines of credit, not actual loans."

"It's by no means clear at this point that such lines of credit would lead to a real increase in Soviet borrowing over the next few years though, it is possible they might," he said.

Redman said the allied consensus on the issue was expressed most recently at the May economic summit.

It was agreed that East-West economic relations can be expanded "so long as the commercial basis is sound, they are conducted within the basic principles and rules of the international trade and payments system and are consistent with security interests of each of our countries."

Redman said the allies have agreed specifically to lend only at market rates to the Soviet Union.

The Times account said the lines of credit to the Kremlin have caused deep divisions within the administration and the Congress.

House passes ban on sales of lawn darts

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House passed legislation on Friday ordering the government to ban the sale of lawn darts, a game that is blamed for the deaths of three children and injuries to thousands of others.

On a 304-51 vote, the lawmakers approved a bill ordering the Consumer Product Safety Commission to prohibit sale of the darts within 60 days unless it determines that the game cannot cause puncture wounds.

The darts currently must carry warning labels stating that the game is not for children. They also can be sold only in sporting goods departments, and not in toy stores or toy departments.

Last year, however, the Consumer Product Safety Commission said that none of the 21 models of lawn darts complied with those regulations.

Three children have died from lawn dart injuries in the last eight years and several have been blinded. An estimated 6,100 people have been treated for injuries from the game, of which 81 percent were children under the age of 15.

The commission already is considering banning the darts.

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Sports in brief

Ricks College beats CSI in volleyball

TWIN FALLS — The Northern Division Region 1B postseason volleyball picture clouded a bit Friday when Ricks College defeated the College of Southern Idaho here, 15-8, 9-15, 15-11, 15-11.

NNC puts together compensation

NAMPA (AP) — Northwest Nazarene College officials have been putting together a financial package to compensate former assistant basketball coach Norm Parrish, fired last week because he was an active Mormon.

3 tied for Pensacola Open lead

GULF BREEZE, Fla. (AP) — Mark Hayes, Scott Hoch and John Cook tied for the second-round lead at 9-under par 135 Friday in the \$400,000 Pensacola Open.

Oakley

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Widmier picked off a Pickett pass and ran 40 yards to the Oakley 15 yard line.

Wendell

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wanted was a blitz on every play. Gooding did come close to scoring in the first half, once getting to the end zone on the Wendell 21 only to miss the field goal attempt.

Jerome

sizable John Gourley gain, then set up a first and goal on the 8 and the legs of Allen Enns. Rufter found Baumgartner for the touchdown one play later and Augustine Guzman kicked the first of four conversions for a 7-0 lead.

Volley

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Down 1-10 in Game 3, Dietrich squandered five side-out opportunities before rallying to within two points, at 8-10.

Boise

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ability to make the big defensive play kept Twin Falls off the scoreboard in all but the second quarter.

Byrum, the latter shooting a 64, the lowest score of the tournament and the lowest of his career on the PGA Tour. Dan Pohl, Howard Twitty and Ray Stewart were two strokes behind the leaders at 137.

Ore-Ida bike race will go to valley

BOISE — For the first time, there will be a Magic Valley leg to the annual Ore-Ida Women's Challenge bicycle race next fall. Race organizers say they will add a stage that will take racers 45 miles from Bliss to Twin Falls on U.S. Highway 30, with a quest of the mountain climb and sprints through Hagerman and Buhl.

James wins 3 in racing barrel racing

TWIN FALLS — Julie James was a triple winner and Jackie Neal and Nevada Freeman won two events apiece at the Magic Valley Barrel Racing Association jackpot held last weekend at the College of Southern Idaho Indoor Arena. James won the intermediate barrel racing, intermediate goat tying and open pole bending, while Neal took the peewee barrel racing and the peewee pole bending. Freeman won senior goat tying and open goat tying.

Raft River beats Mackay, 28-20

Prep roundup
MACKAY — Despite the loss of quarterback Cam Bell in the second quarter, the Raft River Trojans defeated the Mackay Miners 28-20 Friday night in the Magic Valley Conference season finale for both teams.

Shoshone 25 Hansen 0

SHOSHONE — Shoshone broke a four-game losing streak here Friday night with a 25-0 Magic Valley Conference shutout of Hansen in both teams' season finales. Defensive plays set up all four of the Indians' touchdowns.

Madison 29 Minico 13

RUPERT — Madison's Bobcats handed the Minico Spartans their eighth straight loss Friday on a 29-13 Gem State Conference pounding.

Mountain Home 35 Burley 12

BURLEY — Burley finished its football season 0-9 here Friday night with a 35-12 South-Central Idaho Conference loss at the hands of Mountain Home.

Walsh Conference

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Includes entries for Idaho State, Washington State, Oregon State, and others.

NCAA Division I Football

Table with 3 columns: Team, Opponent, Score. Includes matchups like Michigan vs. Notre Dame, Texas vs. Ohio State.

World Series

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Shows Game 2 results: Los Angeles vs. St. Louis.

Series records

Table with 2 columns: Team, Record. Lists win/loss records for various MLB teams.

Individual hitting

Table with 2 columns: Player, Team, Stats. Lists top hitters like Joe Judge, Cecil Fielder.

Club hitting

Table with 2 columns: Team, Stats. Shows batting averages and other stats for MLB teams.

Club pitching

Table with 2 columns: Team, Stats. Shows ERA, wins, and losses for MLB pitchers.

Scores and Stats

Large table with 3 columns: Sport, Team, Score. Lists scores for Baseball, Basketball, Football, Hockey, etc.

Football Preps

Table with 2 columns: Team, Opponent, Score. Lists prep game results.

NHL box scores

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score, Goals. Lists NHL game results.

Basketball NBA preseason

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Lists NBA preseason game results.

Free agents

Table with 2 columns: Player, Team. Lists free agent signings.

American League

Table with 2 columns: Team, Stats. Shows team statistics for the American League.

Western Conference

Table with 2 columns: Team, Stats. Shows team statistics for the Western Conference.

Ice hockey NHL standings

Table with 2 columns: Team, Points. Lists NHL team standings.

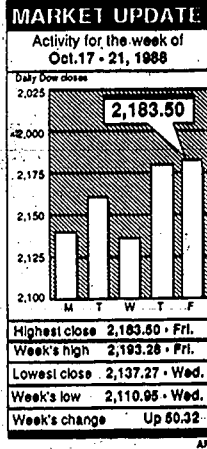
Market reaches another post-crash high

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The stock market edged up Friday, reaching another post-crash high despite some resistance from sellers after its recent gains. The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks rose 2.31 to 2,183.50, setting a 1988 high for the third time this week. For the week, the average chalked up a net gain of \$20.32 points.

But some observers question whether this is a sustainable positive force for the market, noting that it draws speculative buying in the hope of short-term gains rather than long-term investment money. Brokers also said the market in general was weighed down by disappointing earnings reports from Digital Equipment, a prominent technology company.

Digital, which said sales of its high-end computer systems were below expectations, dropped 4 1/2 to 8 1/2 in active trading. In addition, interest rates rose moderately in credit-market activity, leaving stocks without support from the bond market. RJR Nabisco slipped back 1/4 to 170 1/8 on profit-taking after the stock's 2 1/2-point jump Thursday, when the company said it was considering a management buyout at about \$75 a share.



Marriott faces legal, public relation crisis

WASHINGTON — Bethesda, Md.-based Marriott Corp. this week found itself staring at a legal and public relations crisis as dozens of airline passengers reported taking sick after eating the company's food. As of Thursday, health officials in Minneapolis had confirmed 12 cases of shigellosis, an intestinal problem that causes fever and severe diarrhea for several days. More than 150 unconfirmed cases, including several involving members of the Minnesota Vikings football team, are being investigated.

Washington Post — was unable to fly as a result of this poisoning, Franciosa said. Marriott officials meanwhile, have taken relatively high profile in the past week to answer media inquiries and cooperate with the health department's investigation. The company dispatched a corporate spokesman and a team of food-safety experts to the Minneapolis kitchen that prepared the suspect food and has been testing workers at the site for the bacteria. None of the workers tested so far has shown traces of the bacterium, said Al Rankin, Marriott's vice president of corporate relations.

Leveraged buyouts move to center of Wall Street

Washington Post

WASHINGTON — The announcement this week of a possible \$17 billion leveraged buyout of RJR Nabisco Inc. is the latest and most dramatic example yet of how the technique known by the acronym LBO has moved from the fringe to the center of Wall Street takeover activity. In a typical LBO, the management of a public company borrows funds, pledging the firm's stock or assets as collateral. The executives use the money to buy the company, then pay off the debt through cash generated by the company's operations and through sales of unwanted divisions. One of the reasons for the technique's popularity is that, in the short run, everyone involved in the LBO process winds up making big money.

One of the major questions raised by the RJR proposal and other LBOs is why management and its partners, rather than the company's stockholders, should realize the financial benefits that might arise through asset sales and other financial maneuvers. There are immediate gains for stockholders, however, in an LBO transaction. They receive a hefty premium above the recent trading price of their shares. Commercial and investment banks also profit, earning hundreds of millions of dollars in fees for arranging and financing the transaction. Sources said that if Shearson Lehman Hutton Inc. finances the record RJR deal, in part through the sale of high-yielding 'junk bonds,' the firm could make hundreds of millions of dollars in financing fees alone.

The financial returns that top management has earned through LBOs in the 1980s have encouraged the continuing spree of deals. Among the most famous examples is the estimated \$3.3 billion in pretax profits that then-Metromedia chairman John Kluge and his partners made within about two years of buying that company for \$1.2 billion in 1984. The RJR Nabisco deal is attractive to top management because the price of the company's stock has been depressed by the fear of legal liability and more consumer lawsuits hanging over the tobacco business. But as part of the proposed acquisition, management and its partners also would gain control over Nabisco's non tobacco food businesses — at a bargain price. On their own, these strong consumer franchises would command hefty values that have not been reflected in the price of the overall company's stock.

Food makers nourish buyout-hungry companies

Washington Post

WASHINGTON — The people who make Oreo cookies want to go private in a leveraged buyout. The company behind Jell-O, Oscar Mayer hot dogs and Post cereal wants to buy Kraft cheese. Budget Gourmet frozen dinners and Tombstone Pizza. And the British company that makes Apollo dog food wants to devour the Pillsbury dough boy. Nourished by Wall Street's sudden conviction that the stocks of cookie bakeries and frozen-food makers are undervalued, takeover mania has hit the \$240-billion U.S. food industry. Thursday, the management of RJR Nabisco Inc. proposed taking that tobacco and food company private in a leveraged buyout, hard on the heels of Philip Morris Cos.' hostile takeover offer for Kraft Inc.

den Inc. and Ralston Purina Co. may be gobbled up, and there may be big changes in the products that consumers find on supermarket shelves. What is clear from the past few days is that size is not an issue," said Nomie Ghee, an analyst with Goldman, Sachs & Co. Inc. "The industry is consolidating." Of the dozen most profitable food companies, at least six — according to analysts — are potential targets for acquisition. While some major firms like Kellogg Co., H.J. Heinz Co. and Campbell Soup Co. are probably uncatchable because of the large percentage of their stock controlled by family members or foundations, others ranging from Sara Lee Corp. to Quaker Oats Co. share a number of characteristics that make them attractive to investors. The first is stock price. There's an enormous gap between present value of public stocks and private market value," said Robert Renek, an analyst with Renek, Levy & Co. Inc. His estimates, for example, put the "real" value of Borden's stock, which closed Thursday at \$59.93 — at \$72.

The second attraction is lucrative and well-known brand names. Ever since Procter & Gamble Co.'s multimillion-dollar failure several years ago to penetrate the cookie market, the food industry has focused on acquisition and expansion of existing product lines to generate growth. "What companies are doing is taking all the accumulated value in both recognition and image in a well-known brand and placing a dollar value on it to the expectation that they can make them more valuable," said John Lister, an industry consultant with Lister, Butler Inc. in New York. One of the incentives behind tak-

ing RJR Nabisco private, for example, may be that the management, team feels that Nabisco's prize Oreo cookie line is an under-exploited asset. "Oreo is a very valuable brand," said Lister. "They probably go beyond the cookie shelf and into the ice cream case." This kind of product line diversification has disadvantages. It seriously discourages product innovation," said Al Ries, a New York marketing consultant. "Companies are convinced that the only way to go is to milk an existing brand name instead of coming up with something new." Nonetheless, the lure of breakfast cereals and crackers with untapped marketing potential may be enough, say analysts, to turn the interest of acquirers to even some of the most expensive of targets.

Marriott faces legal, public relation crisis

WASHINGTON — Bethesda, Md.-based Marriott Corp. this week found itself staring at a legal and public relations crisis as dozens of airline passengers reported taking sick after eating the company's food. As of Thursday, health officials in Minneapolis had confirmed 12 cases of shigellosis, an intestinal problem that causes fever and severe diarrhea for several days. More than 150 unconfirmed cases, including several involving members of the Minnesota Vikings football team, are being investigated.

Washington Post — was unable to fly as a result of this poisoning, Franciosa said. Marriott officials meanwhile, have taken relatively high profile in the past week to answer media inquiries and cooperate with the health department's investigation. The company dispatched a corporate spokesman and a team of food-safety experts to the Minneapolis kitchen that prepared the suspect food and has been testing workers at the site for the bacteria. None of the workers tested so far has shown traces of the bacterium, said Al Rankin, Marriott's vice president of corporate relations. By addressing the problem, Marriott could avert long-term damage to its business and its reputation, according to a number of crisis-management professionals — consultants who advise or study companies facing public relations problems as a result of labor or financial difficulties. "From my reading, this is potentially quite damaging to Marriott because it's been in the media, and the public is reading about it," said Gerald C. Meyers, the former chairman and chief executive officer of American Motors Corp., who now teaches crisis management at Carnegie-Mellon University in Pittsburgh. "If they're not careful, I suspect this could lead to a lot of credibility problems." As with Johnson & Johnson in the wake of the Tylenol poisonings and Ashland Oil after an oil spill last year, companies in the midst of a crisis should be completely open with the media, even if their lawyers advise caution, Meyers said. He even recommends that American companies adopt the Japanese method of issuing a public apology to those who've been injured. "The most serious mistake is to march behind the lawyers," he said. "If you do that, you march with them right off a cliff. The market is the court of public opinion." If you lose there, you lose everything.

New York Stock Exchange table containing columns for NYSE (AP) - Friday national price for New York Stock Exchange issues, PE Ratio Last Change, and a grid of stock symbols and prices.

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Markets

Japanese fear U.S. may press for lower auto quota ceiling

Knight-Ridder Service
Japanese officials worry that the Reagan administration may press for continuation of "voluntary" restraints on automobile exports to the United States...

The Reagan administration has not asked the Japanese to extend the quota. As for the future, she said, "it depends on who's going to be here."

In the first half of this fiscal year, for instance, U.S. sales of Toyotas and Mazdas have remained even with last year. But sales by Honda Motor Co. dropped 37 percent and those of Nissan Motor Co. fell a whopping 44.9 percent in the same time frame.

Industry leaders who favor continuation of the export restraints argue that the problem should be considered in the context of continuing U.S.-Japan trade frictions as a whole and not simply as a matter of auto shipments.

Trade ministry officials explained earlier this week that the drop in auto exports was inevitable in view of increased production by Japanese auto manufacturers at U.S. plants and the rise of the yen, which tends to erode the competitive strength of Japanese exports.

Japanese automakers believe that the United Auto Workers would like the quota reduced to 1.7 million units annually.

Utah Power earnings skyrocket 20%

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Decreased operating costs and record electrical service demands have combined to propel Utah Power & Light Co. to a more than 20-percent increase in earnings for the first three quarters when compared to the first nine months of 1987.

UTPL spokesman Dave Mead said earnings for the period ending Sept. 30 were \$25.58 million, or \$2.25 per share, on operating revenues of \$777.22 million. For the first three quarters of last year, earnings were \$105.25 million, or \$1.73 per share, on operating revenues of \$740.78 million.

Mead said revenues were up 3 percent in residential service, 3 percent in commercial and 18 percent in industrial and irrigation for the year ending Sept. 30. He credited an early summer heat spell that boosted air conditioning demand, and a slight increase of 3,800 new ratepayers in customer growth.

Moore Financial reports 3rd quarter earnings, thanks to economy boost

BOISE (AP) — Buoyed by the Northwest's improving economy, the holding company of Idaho's largest bank has reported record third-quarter earnings.

Moore Financial Group said Thursday it earned \$7 million during the three months ending Sept. 30. Moore's profits were 51 percent higher than the same quarter of 1987. It is the parent company of Idaho First National Bank.

quarter decreased to \$47 million and total new loans went up 9 percent. The economies of the states we serve continue to improve as the West benefits from population growth, a buoyed dollar value and strong import-export activity with the Pacific Rim countries, said Daniel Nelson, chairman and chief executive officer.

Livestock futures

Table with columns: CATTLE, HOGS, FEEDER CATTLE, Sheep, Goats, and various grades of livestock with price changes.

Chicago grain

Table with columns: Corn, Soybeans, Wheat, and other grain types with price changes.

Metal prices

Table listing prices for various metals like Aluminum, Copper, Lead, Zinc, Silver, and Gold.

Grain futures

Table listing futures for Corn, Soybeans, and Wheat with prices and changes.

Produce

Table listing prices for various fruits and vegetables like Apples, Oranges, and Beans.

Valley beans

Table listing prices for different grades of Valley beans.

Western grain

Table listing prices for Western grain like Durum, Hard Red Winter, and Soft Red Winter wheat.

Denver beans

Table listing prices for Denver beans of various grades.

Livestock

Table listing prices for various types of livestock including calves, yearlings, and stags.

Commodities

Table listing prices for commodities like Crude Oil, Natural Gas, and other energy sources.

Most actives

Table listing the most active stocks on the NYSE and NASDAQ.

Gold futures

Table listing prices for gold futures contracts.

Local interest stock quotations

Table listing local stock prices for companies like Albertsons, Blu Chip, and others.

Closing commodity futures

Table listing closing prices for various commodity futures.

Sugar futures

Table listing prices for sugar futures.

Corn

Text advertisement for Corn, mentioning 'NOW BEING PURCHASED BY' and contact information for Jerome, Idaho.

Potatoes

Text advertisement for Potatoes, mentioning 'Thurman's potato prices' and 'Ideal for the upper valley'.

Wall Auctioneers

Text advertisement for Wall Auctioneers, listing 'MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1988' and 'SALE TIME: 11:30 A.M.'.

Real Estate

Text advertisement for Real Estate, mentioning '3 ACRES WITH 1650 TRAILER AND SHOP' and 'SOLD AND CLOSED BY ROBERT JOKER REALTY'.

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Real estate advertisement for '3 ACRES WITH 1650 TRAILER AND SHOP' and 'SOLD AND CLOSED BY ROBERT JOKER REALTY'.

Advertisement for 'LARGE ITEMS' including 'Brown Registered Morgan Stud, 16 years old, broods to ride & pack'.

Advertisement for 'MISCELLANEOUS' items including 'Wood Cuts, Stoves, Hand Tools, etc.'.

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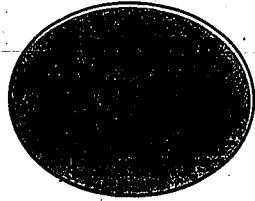
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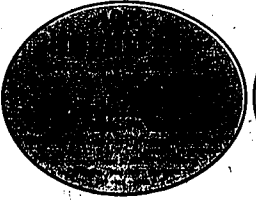


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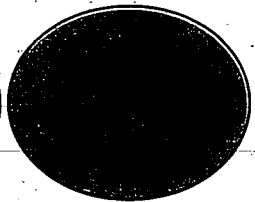


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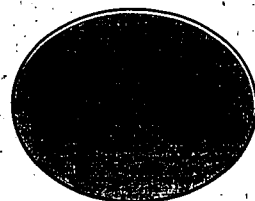
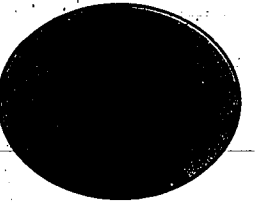


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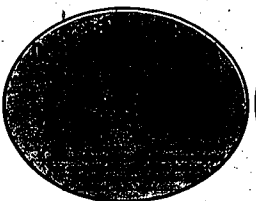
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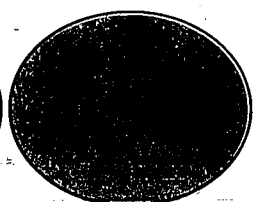


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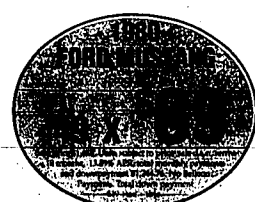
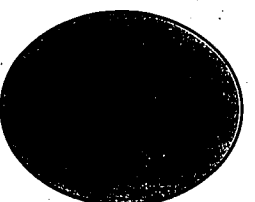


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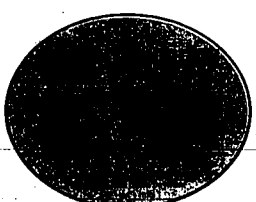
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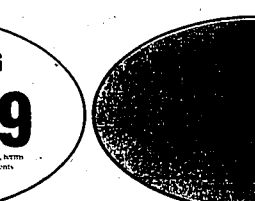


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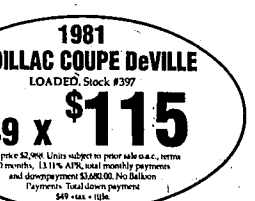


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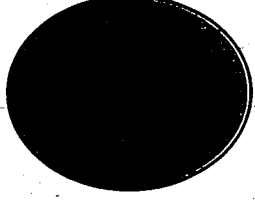
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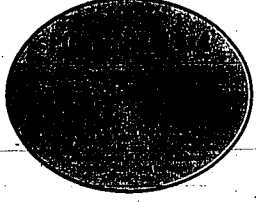


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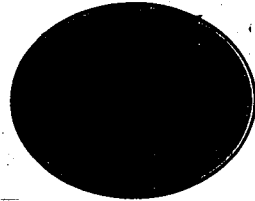
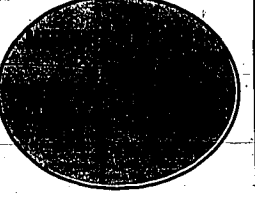


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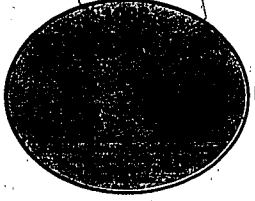
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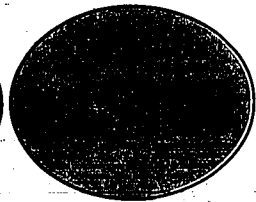


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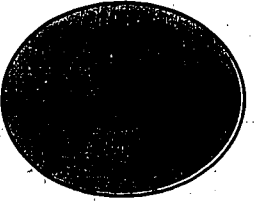


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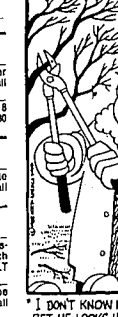
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Weaner pigs, \$25, \$43-47.00. 100- Sheep & Goats

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For sale: Weight bench and weights, new condition...

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