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# Bush tells Kaifu troop cut won't affect stability

The Associated Press

RANCHO MIRAGE, Calif. — President Bush, opening a two-day desert summit, assured Japanese Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu on Friday that a cutback of U.S. troops in Asia will not undermine stability or security there, an official said.

The two leaders avoided discussing Japan's huge trade surplus and the growing trade tensions between the world's largest economic powers, leaving those subjects for Saturday.

"Welcome, sir," a smiling Bush said as he

shook hands with Kaifu across a conference table at a posh country club.

Despite the economic conflicts, Bush emphasized the positive in his opening remarks, noting: "There are so many areas of common interest where we have such a strong relationship with Japan."

The fact Kaifu responded to his invitation for the hastily arranged meeting was an "important display of your feelings about our relationship," Bush said.

"Certainly my inviting you here is a strong indication from me about the importance of this relationship," Bush said.

The two leaders met for an hour before gathering again for dinner at the heavily guarded estate of millionaire publisher Walter Annenberg.

Emerging from a one-on-one meeting, Bush said, "We had a very good discussion."

There was no sign of friction, although White House press secretary Marlin Fitzwater said Bush would warn the prime minister that Congress was in "very tough mood" in insisting that Japan lower barriers to U.S. goods and services.

In a statement afterward, Fitzwater said

the opening session was devoted to security issues.

The United States is considering reducing its 120,000 troops in Asia by about 10 percent. That would mean a reduction of 5,000 troops in Japan.

In addition, Washington is pressing Tokyo for a sizable increase in Japan's \$2.4 billion annual support for American troops stationed in the country.

Bush told Kaifu that the changes in the U.S. defense posture "will not affect either deterrence or stability nor its commitment to its Asian allies," Fitzwater said.

Referring to U.S. hopes that Japan will increase defense spending, Fitzwater said, "The two leaders discussed the issue of burden sharing, noting the need for suitable arrangements for balanced cost-sharing."

Fitzwater said Kaifu stressed the importance to coordinate our policies and tackle the issues from the standpoint of mutual cooperation."

Bush and Kaifu both arrived in nearby Palm Springs Los Angeles within minutes of each other and rode in from the airport together in the president's armored limousine.

# Former KGB officer tells of spy links

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Victor Ivanovich Sheynov, once KGB agent 0035, told a news conference Friday that in the late 1970s the Soviet Union had "two sources" inside the State Department able to deliver secret information on U.S. policy and negotiating positions.

Nearly a decade after the CIA arranged his disappearance from Moscow on May 15, 1980, Sheynov, 43, appeared before a news conference and for the first time told details and pieces of his story in public.

The former KGB major-and-communications and cipher expert said he was motivated by admiration for his new country and offered himself as a person able to detect the reality from the false as the Soviet Union moved closer to democratic change.

But Sheynov, an American citizen since 1985, also said he has written a book about his experiences and is looking for a publisher.

And, after a 78-minute session in which he dodged or declined to answer questions seeking specifics on Soviet espionage activities, Sheynov passed out business cards bearing the name Victor Orlov, which he has used for the last decade.

His most sensational allegation was that while on a trip to Poland in 1979, the chief of the KGB's Warsaw station showed him a cable from Yuri Andropov, then the KGB's chief, reading: "Obtain all the information possible on how to get physically close to the pope."

Sheynov said he interpreted his as a directive from Andropov, later to become the general secretary of the Soviet Communist Party, to arrange the assassination of Polish-born Pope John Paul II.

"It KGB slant, it was clearly indicated that there was only one reason to get close to a person and that was to assassinate him, kill him," he said.

"They would never say kill or assassinate directly," he said. There were gentler terms.

He said that the order was given to obtain the requested information from data already contained in the KGB's files with no outside



Times-News photo/MIKE SALSBURY

# Jerome County prisoners get their exercise

By ANITA DENNIS  
Times-News writer

JEROME — Every few days, the sheriff drops in on convicted murderer James Charboneau and tells him to put on his coat.

Then Jerome County Sheriff Larry Gold drives Charboneau, handcuffed and wearing jail fatigues and thongs, to some remote area, then they go for a walk.

Charboneau, like every county jail

inmate in the state, is legally entitled to

five hours of outdoor exercise a week, Gold said. Because the Jerome County Jail lacks an exercise yard, Gold improvises.

Deputies chain other inmates together and lead them around the block, Gold said. Sometimes they walk to R.E. Shepherd Park to pick up garbage or rake leaves. They're taken out a few times a week, usually before 7 a.m., he said.

But Charboneau's reputation calls for special handling, the sheriff said, because he's someone in the community "highly wished

him harm."

Charboneau, 30, was sentenced to death in 1986 for the first-degree murder of his ex-wife, Marilyn Arbaugh. Her body was found at her rural Jerome ranch on July 1, 1984, shot 15 times with a .22 rifle.

Her death ended a stormy relationship in which she feared for her life and had sought police protection. Charboneau allegedly kidnapped and raped her just weeks before her death.

Charboneau's death sentence was over-

turned last fall and he is staying in the

Jerome County Jail pending resentencing in April.

Gold said Charboneau is looking for grounds to appeal and the sheriff doesn't want to give the former rodeo performer any excuse to sue the county.

The sheriff said he never tells the inmate when he's going out and he never walks Charboneau twice in the same place. Gold pointed out that he has 20 years of law enforcement experience, and he's 5 inches taller and 50 pounds heavier.

\* See EXERCISE on Page A2

# Governor admits error in letting wife join M-K

The Associated Press

BOISE — Idaho Gov. Cecil Andrus says he made a political error when he allowed his wife, Carol, to join an Idaho corporation's board of directors.

The unfortunate element about the mistake, Andrus said in an interview Thursday with the Lewiston Morning Journal, was that his wife paid the price.

"This whole thing probably can be traced back to an error in judgment and it has to be mine, not her's," Andrus said. "She did in fact make a decision going in and coming out and I didn't interfere with it. I should have seen I should have been politically astute enough not to do it."

I saw this as an opportunity for her, frankly," he continued. "If something that doesn't happen too

often to do something that was exciting and meaningful. And when I should have said, 'No, no, heavens no,' that's the wrong thing to do, I said, 'If you want to do it, go ahead and do it.' And that was an error in judgment. But that's mine. That's not hers."

Carol Andrus was named to the \$25,000-a-year post at Morrison-Knudsen Feb. 8.

But Andrus said his first clue that the move was a mistake came at his next press conference Feb. 22.

The governor was peppered with questions about a perceived conflict of interest.

"I'll admit right up front it's been brought home loud and clear that there are people in Idaho who look at her as an extension of me," he said.

To make matters worse, the governor left the state as the controversy intensified. He and his wife

\* See MISTAKE on Page A2

By MICHELLE COLE  
Times-News writer

BOISE — If Idaho's abortion opponents are so intent on having the state take the lead in pro-life legislation, Rep. Gary Robbins wants them to do it on their own dime.

Robbins, D-Twin Falls, is an outspoken pro-choice advocate. He said Friday that he plans to introduce an amendment to a Right to Life sponsored bill, prohibiting Idaho from footnoting the legal bills for a Supreme Court challenge some people say is inevitable.

"This thing is surely going to be challenged in

court—it of pregnancy.

But the Idaho Right to Life bill, which was drafted under the direction of the National Right to Life Committee of Washington, D.C., calls for Robbins' restrictions beyond those expressly authorized by Webster:

Known as HB625, the Right to Life measure prohibits abortion as a means of birth control but allows for abortion in cases of rape or incest. \* See ABORTION on Page A2

# Robbins balks at paying court fees

By MICHELLE COLE  
Times-News writer

BOISE — A bipartisan Senate coalition has headed off the first-round vote in the legislature on a \$38 million spending blueprint, rejecting efforts to raid the \$38 million earmarked for the budget reserve account.

Republican leaders supported by their Democratic counterparts mustered enough votes from their forces on Friday to derail two differ-

ent attempts to force diversion of \$10 million or more from the fund that serves as a hedge against future economic downturns to current state spending needs, especially in the area of road and bridge improvements.

Then on a 24-15 vote, the Senate sent the bill to the House for final action and leaders believe another assault will be made on the reserve there.

In the budget committee, meanwhile, the state Hispanic Commission won its second straight increase in state support. The Joint Finance Appropriations Committee voted 13-10 to add \$2,500 for a computer and other office equipment to the commission's \$10,000 operating budget.

The extra money is intended to provide the commission the support it needs to develop an over-all plan for attacking the educational problems Idaho's Hispanic community faces.

# Senate coalition heads off diversion from reserve funds

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# Batt declines run for governor

BOISE (AP) — Veteran state lawmaker and former Republican Lt. Gov. Phil Batt blazed his longtime friendship with Andrus could not survive the campaign, and he felt a friend Cecil Andrus on Friday, accusing the Democratic chief executive of lifting himself above the people he was elected to represent.

But Batt, 62, who suffered a wrenchingly narrow defeat for governor in 1982, said he had decided not to challenge Andrus even though he is "convinced that Cecil Andrus is ripe for defeat."

"After a great deal of soul-searching, I have elected not to run," Batt told a room packed with supporters at the state Capitol. "The thought of being governor, even though a great honor, does not have an overwhelming appeal to me.... There's another world out there besides the one we have in the statehouse."

"Others can do the job equally well," Batt said. "While he would support announced primary candidates Roger Fairchild, a former State senator from Fruitland, and Boise stockbroker Milton Ethan as nominees, Batt urged Senate President Pro Tem Michael Crapo of Idaho Falls and Boise Mayor Dirk Kempthorne to consider the race.

Crapo, who had not shown any interest in governor's race to date, said he wanted to think about Batt's remarks before making any further comments, and Kempthorne considered the race at Batt's urging earlier this year before ruling it out.

In addition to enjoying his retirement from politics that began two

years ago, Batt said he was afraid his

friendship with Andrus could not

survive the campaign, and he felt a

cism, I list. I know, an Phil knows, that there aren't any of us who can't do better and be better."

"Phil and I both know that no one in public life is immune from criticism, and everyone in public life makes mistakes," the governor said in statement.

Batt, who admitted changing his mind about the race several times over the course of the last week, said there were many issues the Republic can nominate could challenge Andrus in the campaign, but the question of the governor's arrogance is "a real strong issue of the day."

"Governor Andrus has lost touch with what the people expect of him," Batt said. "His two decades of political success have seriously impaired his ability to rule impartially."

In addition to Mrs. Andrus' corporate board appointment, Batt cited the governor's refusal to admit to his office last summer critic Gary Glenn, the executive director of the Idaho Cattle Association, and the increasing evidence that government appointments are being doled out by Andrus as political rewards.

When young Governor Andrus stepped into the office 20 years ago, he would thrust and parry with his opponents. But said, "But he would remain the happy warrior throughout and give the opposition its due. Now, it's the carrot and the stick — I'll give you the carrot if you help me and, if you don't, you'll get thumped by the stick."

Batt called the ill-timed appointment of the governor's wife Carol to the Morrison-Knudsen Corp. board of directors "a glaring conflict of interest," and he contended Andrus had lost touch with the people's expectations and turned the governor's office into a partisan bastion.

Andrus took exception to some of Batt's criticism, maintaining he continues to care as much as he always did for the people of Idaho and their problems. He also pointed out that his wife's appointment to the Morrison Knudsen board was a mistake — at least partially corrected by her resignation last Sunday.

"It was an error of the heart, but it was still an error for which I take responsibility," Andrus said in a statement. "When Phil Batt offers criti-

## Acting transportation chief wants more time to sort out investigation

BOISE (AP) — Contradictory statements will tighten an investigation into whether state Highway Safety Administrator Mel Morgan improperly tried to extend sick leave to suspended Transportation Director Ken Kiebert, officials say.

Acting transportation chief George Neumayer has indicated he will need more time to sort out the truth in the shakeup of the agency. Transportation Board Member Phil Batt said Friday:

"The board will meet in a special session Wednesday to discuss the time sheet coding" for Kiebert, Transportation spokesman Jeff Straten said Friday. "Wednesday was the earliest we could get all the board members back in town."

Morgan has been accused of overstepping his bounds by pushing for sick leave funds for Kiebert, who was suspended without pay in December after being charged with sexually abusing his daughter.

**UI students vote on renewing food service contract**

MOSCOW (AP) — Students at the University of Idaho will vote March 14 on whether the school should renew its food service contract with Marion Corp. for the coming fiscal year.

Last month, the student senate declined to schedule a student advisory vote on the issue.

But supporters of the referendum have gathered 1,060 signatures of students on petitions calling for a referendum, said Kristin Goodman, election board chairwoman for the Associated Students of the University of Idaho.

That's more than 10 percent of the student body and enough to force a referendum on the issue, she said.

Neumayer was given until Friday afternoon to either announce his findings, or give a status report, Straten said.

Deputations were taken from employees and board members, including Batt, the Wilder Republican said.

There were some contradictory statements involved and (Neumayer) said he would have to seek legal counsel to sort it all out, said Batt, who declined to say who contradicted whom.

In his Friday announcement, he would not run for governor, Batt said it was not a good time for him to drop out of the transportation board.

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## Panel endorses liquor license plan

BOISE (AP) — Liquor licenses now sometimes selling for more than \$400,000 to retailers on a virtually endless waiting list could be easier to get but worth less in Idaho if bills endorsed by a House panel become law.

Counties currently have no such authority, and the only retailers able legally sell liquor by the drink outside cities are those specifically approved by the Legislature.

The state quota system limits the number of licenses cities can issue to one per 1,500 people. The change, which would let counties decide whether to issue liquor licenses within their jurisdiction,

would allow cities to keep the quota, discard it or change it to any level local officials want.

Supporters contend the measures would help Idaho's tourism industry while promoting local control and ending an upward spiral of resale prices for liquor licenses.

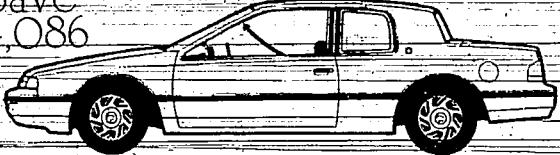
"It has to stop," said Rep. Emerson Smock, R-Rainier, who sponsored both bills. "The state issues these liquor licenses as a privilege, and people take them and kind of abuse the privilege."

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## Enrile would run if cleared

**MANILA, Philippines (AP)** — Sen. Juan Ponce Enrile announced from jail Friday that he intends to run for president in 1992 if he is cleared of criminal charges related to the December coup attempt against Corazon Aquino.

Enrile has been in custody since Tuesday when he was charged with "rebellion with murder" in connection with the sixth and most serious attempt to overthrow President Aquino.

He said he will accept the presidential challenge if the opposition Nationalist Party, of which he is the secretary-general, nominates him, and if he is acquitted of the charges.

Mrs. Aquino's popularity remains high among many Filipinos, but the constitution bars the president from seeking a second term.

Also Friday, hotel owner Rebecca Panfilio and his wife Erlinda, who were charged Tuesday with Enrile, surrendered to the National Bureau of Investigation, officials said.

Enrile and the Panfilio couple were among seven people so far indicted in the Dec. 1-9 coup attempt.

One of the seven, who remains at large, is cashiered Lt. Col. Gregorio "Gringo" Honasan, Enrile's former chief security officer. Honasan was August 1987 military against Mrs. Aquino.

The Panfilios were allegedly at Enrile's home on Dec. 1, when witnesses claimed they saw Honasan and about 100 rebel soldiers also at the senator's residence.

## Soviet party may relinquish oversight role

**MOSCOW (AP)** — The Communist Party Central Committee will meet March 11 to consider new party rules that drop the requirement for party officials to monitor administrators of virtually every factory and institution, it was reported Friday.

Communist Party leaders in February agreed to give up their monopoly on power, and compete in a multiparty system. But reformers say the change will be ineffective unless the party also abolishes its committees in virtually every factory and institution in the country.

In a related decision, the ruling bureau of the Communist Party of Lithuania decided to suspend the activities of party members in the affairs of the Interior Ministry, KGB, customs, Ministry of Justice, prosecutor's office, courts, and the economic inspection department, the Interfax service of Radio Moscow reported.

The Lithuanian Communists broke off from the national party in December. They have led the way on a number of key reforms.

The national party leaders also will prepare for the March 12 opening of the Congress of People's Deputies.

## Soviet Union ready to join police group

**MOSCOW (AP)** — The Soviet Union is ready to join Interpol at its next congress later this year, Interior Minister Vadim Bakatin said Friday to the official news agency Tass.

Interpol is the International Criminal Police Organization, a worldwide clearinghouse for law enforcement officials to trade information on international criminals. It particularly focuses on narcotics, smuggling, counterfeiting and forgery.

The Soviet Union is experiencing a dramatic upsurge in crime as reforms permit businesses and individuals to accumulate large amounts of cash.

## Party changes tune

**PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (AP)** — A Communist Party leader declared Friday that his party now supported democracy and opposed any attempts to restore its former monopoly on power.

Communist Party First Secretary Vasil Mohorita said the party was willing to play the role of a constructive opposition if, as expected, it loses in free elections scheduled for June 8.

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## Briefly

### Bush claims progress in war on drugs

SANTA ANA, Calif. (AP) — President Bush on Friday claimed progress in the war on drugs, saying "the days of the drug lords are numbered" and asking TV producers to help portray the destructive potential of narcotics.

Bush compared anti-drug efforts to nations casting out oppressive governments, saying, "people across America are casting off the oppression of drugs."

"Week by week, day by day, millions of Americans in thousands of towns are standing up to make the same courageous choice: drug-free neighborhoods, drug-free schools, drug-free kids," he told several thousand school children at a rally sponsored by Orange County's "Drug Use Is Life Abuse" program.



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### Astronauts finish last full day in orbit

Cape CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Atlantis astronauts, silent to the world because of their military mission, had a last full day in orbit Friday to complete their hush-hush work before they must prepare for a Sunday landing.

NASA said Atlantis is scheduled to land Sunday at Edwards Air Force Base, and a spokesman said this means the five-member, all-military crew probably will spend most of Saturday packing up for the return to Earth.

No information was released about the crew's activities in orbit, but Jeff Carr, a spokesman at the Johnson Space Center, said that if the Atlantis crew follows shuttle mission routine, then Friday was the final full day to complete the secret objectives.

### Congress pangs health coverage plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — A bipartisan commission recommended Friday an ambitious \$66 billion plan for providing health care coverage to nearly all Americans. It immediately drew criticism from Congress and some of its own members for failing to recommend a way to pay for it.

The U.S. Bipartisan Commission on Comprehensive Health Care voted to send Congress proposals to provide universal health insurance phased in over five years, and a proposal to ensure long-term health care to Americans.

The divided panel voted 8 to 7 on the plan to achieve universal access. Its vote was 11 to 4 on a plan for long-term care.

"We can't offer easy answers, but we can offer a challenge to this country," said Sen. Jay Rockefeller, D-W. Va., chairman of the panel.

### Retired judge to investigate favoritism

WASHINGTON (AP) — A retired federal judge was appointed independent counsel Friday to investigate allegations that former Housing Secretary Samuel R. Pierce Jr. illegally showed political favoritism to housing developers.

Arlin M. Adams, 68, a Philadelphia lawyer who served for 17 years on the 3rd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, was appointed to investigate the allegations against Pierce and former aides at the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The appointment was made by a special three-judge panel following last month's request by Attorney General Dick Thornburgh.

Adams was given jurisdiction to investigate whether Pierce or other HUD employees had "committed the crime of conspiracy to defraud the United States or any other federal crimes" in the administration of the department's Moderate Rehabilitation Program from 1984 through 1988.

### Mild quake shakes southern Illinois

CENTRALIA, Ill. (AP) — A mild earthquake shook people awake early Friday, generating dozens of calls to authorities but no reports of damage or serious injuries.

The tremor, centered about 10 miles south of Vandalia, struck at 1:02 a.m. and registered 3.4 on the Richter scale, said Waverly Person, a geophysicist with the U.S. Geological Survey's National Earthquake Information Center in Golden, Colo.

A quake of magnitude 3.5 on the Richter scale can cause slight damage.

Southern Illinois rests on several fault lines, including the New Madrid Fault, which generated one of the most powerful earthquakes in U.S. history — measuring an estimated 8.3 on the Richter scale — near New Madrid, Mo., in the early 1800s.

### Committee investigates GOP senator

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Ethics Committee is investigating 11 paid appearances by Sen. Durenberger to determine whether he violated outside income limits in 1983-86, according to a letter from the panel released Friday.

The letter to the Minnesota Republican, required under the panel's rules, provided additional details of its investigation into Durenberger's controversial book contract and other dealings.

For instance, the panel had not previously disclosed how many paid book promotion appearances by Durenberger were under investigation. Other newly released information provided details on travel reimbursement, a campaign check possibly converted to personal use, book promotion speeches in the U.S. Capitol and gifts of limousine service.

### Ex-model pleads no contest to charge

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The ex-model who helped the FBI arrest Washington, D.C., Mayor Marion Barry on a drug charge pleaded no contest to drunken driving Friday and was sentenced to three years probation and fined \$927.

Hazel Diane Moore, 38, of Burbank, known while modeling as Rasheeda Moore, was not at the Van Nuys court. Defense attorney Ron Lewis entered the plea for her, said Ted Goldstein, a city attorney's office spokesman.

## Panels criticize Navy's Iowa explosion probe

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional panels on Friday strongly criticized the Navy for declaring that Gunnery Sgt. Dale Clayton Hartwig probably set off the USS Iowa explosion, faulting both the investigation and the conclusion's excess of certitude.

The Navy's determination of a cause for the explosion that claimed the lives of 47 crewmen, including Hartwig, last April "is based on evidence inadequate to support the conclusion," the congressional panels concluded in a 48-page report.

The two groups within the House Armed Services Committee — the Investigations Subcommittee and Defense Policy Panel — cited what lawmakers said were four major flaws in the Navy inquiry: the structure of the investigation, technical tests, police work and psychological analysis.

The Navy, in releasing its report last September, concluded that Hartwig "most likely" caused the explosion by inserting some type of detonator between bags of gunpowder in

one of the ship's 16-inch guns.

Navy officials acknowledged at the time that their evidence was circumstantial since all the witnesses, including Hartwig, were killed in the blast in the battleship's gun turret No. 2.

Navy spokesman Cmdr. Mark Baker, questioned about the congressional criticism, said Friday, "We stand by our original report."

The new report, "USS Iowa Tragedy: An Investigative Failure," summarizes many of the complaints House members raised last December during three days of hearings into the battleship explosion.

At the time, Rep. Nicholas Mavroudis, D-Mass., contended the Navy irresponsibly rushed to judgment.

The Massachusetts congressman, in a statement issued with the report's release, said the "only thing more tragic than the death of the 47 young seamen last April was the Navy's failure to conduct a proper investigation of the event."

The congressional report faulted

the Navy for conducting a one-man inquiry and never upgrading to a board of investigators when it became clear that the explosion cause might have been criminal, not technical.

In addition, it wasn't until May 8, nearly three weeks after the blast, that the Naval Investigative Service focused on the possibility of a criminal act, the report said.

At this time, NIS was faced with a contaminated crime scene, no chain of custody, for evidence and a virtual inability to conduct a proper criminal inquiry from an evidentiary standpoint," the report said.

Referring to extraordinary measures used to remove the projectile that was lodged in the gun barrel after the explosion, the report said, "Although this was to become the most crucial physical evidence, it was contaminated during the process."

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The congressional report also questioned the Navy's selective use of information from the FBI.

The service asked the FBI to corroborate the findings of the Navy's technical team regarding the timing device. But when the FBI was unable to back up that finding, the Navy did not use the report, deemed it inconclusive and told the FBI that additional tests were unnecessary, the congressional report said.

## Research Council wants risks studied before Mars mission

WASHINGTON (AP) — Before carrying out President Bush's proposal for a base on the Moon and a manned mission to Mars, the space agency needs to study new technologies and eliminate "unacceptable risks to the crew," the National Research Council said Friday.

In a report requested by Vice President Dan Quayle, the council said the exploration plan by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration "addresses a reasonable set of technological and strategic approaches, but not all of the technically credible approaches have been analyzed."

The council, an arm of the congressionally chartered National Academy of Sciences, also said:

• Operation of a U.S. space station by the late 1990's as scheduled is a "reasonable assumption," but present plans for the station are not adequate for a Moon-Mars mission.

The station "may not be the most appropriate staging base for the Moon and Mars," or two stations may be needed.

• Nuclear power "eventually will be essential" for the Moon and Mars bases. Also, nuclear propulsion of spacecraft, included by NASA as an option, should be tested. "The use of nuclear technology in space faces formidable barriers of public acceptance, however, especially if employed in Earth orbit. Therefore, issues of safety are paramount in research and development."

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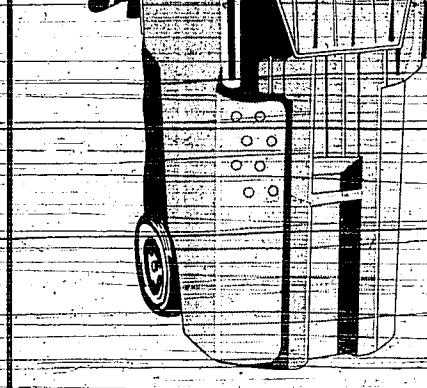
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## Religion

### Church news

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**TWIN FALLS** — Two seminars on alcohol and drug issues will be held Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church, Fourth Avenue East and Shoshone Street in Twin Falls.

"Alcoholism and Chemical Dependency" is the day-time seminar from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. The \$15 fee includes lunch. Topics for this seminar include "Chemical Health Issues in the Church," "Causes, Symptoms and Progression of Addiction," "Families in the Web of Addiction," "Intervention Techniques," and "Treatment and Recovery Resources."

The evening seminar from 7 to 9 p.m. is focused on prevention, "Preparing for the Drug (Free) Years." It's a parenting class that will help those attending learn how to help prevent drug use by their children. Cost for the evening seminar is \$2 per person or \$5 per family.

Registration may be made by calling the church at 733-5872. The Rev. Bob D. McNeil, executive director of the Oregon Council on Alcohol Problems, will lead both seminars.

McNeil has worked nearly eight years as a chemical-health education specialist helping individuals, families and communities gain increased informed awareness regarding addiction and co-dependency issues. He is the father of a recovering drug addict and has learned from experience that only when family members stop enabling is there a chance for addicts to begin recovery.

**SHOSHONE** — The United Methodist Women of Shoshone will be serving Lenten lunches each Friday from March 9 until April 13. Lunches will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the church basement. The menu will include clam chowder, a variety of homemade breads, jam and cookies for \$2.50 per person. The public is invited for lunch at the Community United Methodist Church.

**TWIN FALLS** — National Lutheran Education Week will be celebrated the first week of March. Lutheran churches of the Magic Valley will meet for an evening of activities Sunday at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, 2055 Filet Ave., in Twin Falls.

The evening will begin at 6 p.m. with a buffet-style dinner provided by the area churches. The program will include Dr. Clifford Horn, professor in the Religion Department of Concordia College in Portland, Ore., plus recognition of students and leaders and entertainment by Magic Valley children who are involved in the Lutheran Educational System.

All those interested in Lutheran education are invited to attend. There will be an offering taken, with all proceeds going to the Scholarship Fund. It is a goal that, with the help of local Aid Association for Lutherans insurance branches, the fund will become a \$10,000 endowment and an incentive for Magic Valley youth towards ministry in professional church work.

**TWIN FALLS** — The First Baptist Church of Twin Falls will be receiving its "America for Christ" offering from March 4 through March 25. March 25 is designated as "America for Christ" Sunday. This Home Mission offering is used to help Christian centers in inner cities, Indian ministries, campus ministries, outreach programs and to start new churches.

**TWIN FALLS** — "Ladies' Night Out" will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the First Assembly of God Church, 189 N. Locut in Twin Falls. Rev. Rhoades will minister in music and share a special message. All ladies are invited to attend this fun and inspiring evening. Child care is provided.

**HEYBURN** — The "Heyburn-Pacesetters" will present the worship service at 11 a.m. today at the Heyburn Seventh-day Adventist Church located two miles east of the Burley Mall on Alfresco Road.

The "Heyburn-Pacesetters" is a group of local young people who are members of the Pathfinders, a national organization of young people age 10 and older. The organization is similar in activities, goals, etc., to the Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Inc. and is open to both boys and girls. The local club is directed by Cindi Holman of Rupert.

Sabbath School begins at 9:20 a.m. today with classes for all ages. The services will conclude with a fellowship potluck at 12:30 p.m. For more information, call Cindi Holman at 436-0661.

## Hispanics defecting to 'sects' concerns bishops

**SAN FRANCISCO** (AP) —

Conceding publicly that thousands of Hispanics are being lured away by rival religions, Roman Catholic Bishop Ricardo Chavez, director of Diocese urged the faithful to Hispanic affairs for the back with tactics that include door-to-door visits by "zealous" Catholics.

A statement issued Wednesday by the Catholic Church in the past decade.

The 30 bishops of northwestern Mexico and California was unusual in that it named specific churches of "proselytism," which it and strongly criticized their defined as the "use of unfair and anti-Catholic

The statement accused the other churches of "proselytizing" sects" and coercive practices and methods. It said the "proselytizing sects" attempt to increase membership "at any cost" and use pressure to convince individuals to leave their

religion for another.

These tactics include "psychological and economic pressure," manipulation of historical and biblical data and constant warnings to potential converts that the end of the world is near.

The sects hinder ecumenical moves, especially when some recruiters insist the former Catholics "must be rebaptized when they become members of another

Christian group," said the statement, adding that "worldwide ecumenical dialogue reached agreement that baptism cannot be repeated."

The bishops said the claims about baptism have an "anti-Catholic spirit behind them."

"Many Hispanic individuals, families and communities have experienced painful divisions, isolation and alienation" because of such tactics, the bishops said.



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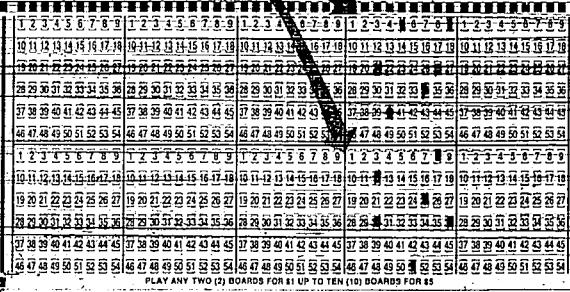
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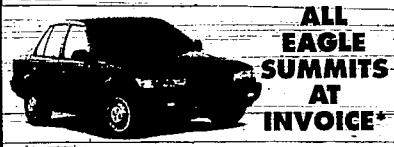
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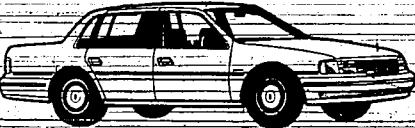
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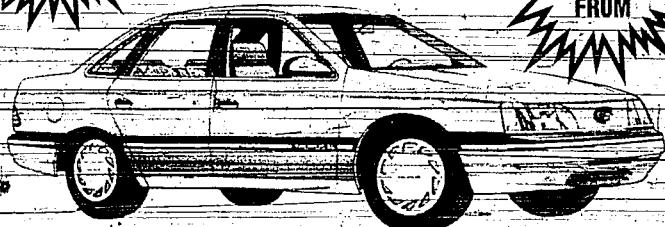
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