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## Good morning

## Today's forecast:

Mostly sunny with west winds 10 to 15 miles an hour in the afternoon. Lows in the 30s tonight.

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## Magic Valley

## South Hills ablaze

A wind-fanned forest fire consumed 150 acres of heavy timber near Oakley before firefighters began to get it under control Tuesday.

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## Fee may go up

The cost of wastewater among other things may soon be raised by the city of Burley.

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## Early grid weekend

It's time for the annual fall teachers' conferences and that means the prep football is played across three nights this week. It starts with six games tonight.

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## Hoping for leniency

The University of Nevada-Las Vegas is hoping the NCAA infractions committee is softening in its pronouncement the Rebels can't defend their NCAA basketball title this year. They have an appeal hearing coming up Oct. 26.

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## Take out the fat

Juda Motters-High has some suggestions for taking the fat out of recipes. The Twin Falls woman also shares a recipe for splurging.

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Tina Stickers tells why tomato season is her favorite time of the year.

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## No guts, no glory

Roger Fancher's complaint that his party has abandoned him gubernatorial candidate is just another symptom of a disappointing political season, today's editorial says. Both parties have made 1990 a year of unbridled timidity.

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A railroad workers' union and the State of Idaho claim that allowing Amtrak to continue dumping raw sewage along railroad tracks is a threat to public health and safety.

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At least 120 people died when a hijacked Chinese airliner crashed into two others at Canton, apparently after it scuttled in the cockpit. One American passenger survived; another is missing.

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## Bush asks taxpayers to help out

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Bush asked taxpayers Tuesday night to support a \$50 billion package of tax incen-

... "Everyone will bear a small burden, but if we succeed, every American will have a large burden lifted," he said.

Claiming rare unity with leaders of the Democratic-controlled Congress, Bush said in a 10-minute televised speech from the Oval Office that the package was written in "eight months of blood, sweat and tears" — fears of the economic chaos that would follow if it failed to reduce the deficit.

"It is the best agreement that can be

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legislated now," Bush said.

Bush's address from the Oval Office was nationally televised, but his message was primarily aimed 16 blocks away at Congress, where an initial vote on the plan may be held as early as Thursday.

Although the package generally has support among Democrats, lawmakers from Bush's own party — particularly in the House — have balked at its tax provisions. They himself had to abandon his "no-new-taxes" pledge in the face of the growing deficit.

The Democratic and Republican leadership tonight all speak with one voice, Bush declared.

Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine, joined Bush in urging passage of the fragile package,

saying the future of the nation is

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## German ends



Waving German flags and raising fists, enthusiastic Germans celebrate unification Tuesday night at the Brandenburg Gate in Berlin.

The Associated Press

BERLIN — The two Germanys ended years of division with a blast of fireworks and the pealing of church bells Wednesday, declaring the creation of a new German nation in the heart of Europe.

Near the ruins of Hitler's castle at the city that symbolized the Cold War division of Europe, the German flag was hoisted to mark the dramatic rush to unify a Germany divided by World War II and the Communist Berlin Wall.

Rockets burst in the sky over Berlin, illuminating the wall-torn Reichstag building and the Brandenburg Gate. The plumes of smoke also lit up the upturned faces of thousands of Germans, unified in peace but divided by a political and economic divide facing a united Germany.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl, President Richard von Weizsaecker and Federal leader Willy Brandt stood in the glow of floodlights at the Reichstag and joined in singing the national anthem as a vast party occurred across the land of 8 million residents. Millions of Germans and a watching world joined the celebration by television.

Wednesday was declared a national holiday, but the Tuesday police in Steinhagen, 66 miles south of Hanover, reported 1,000 leftist protesters opposed to unification rioted through the city. Authorities said the radicals broke store windows and chanted "Never again Germany" and "Nazis out!"

In Berlin, police detained seven people who were caught with paint and gas pistols. Another man was arrested in the Kreuzberg district after a policeman was stabbed.

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## New Gem health care plan runs into trouble

By Kirk Mitchell

Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — A new state health program could be jeopardized by overly ambitious funding proposals, a county commissioner says.

"The numbers are confusing now," said Twin Falls County Commissioner Marvin Hoenemann.

Beginning next July, the state will pay medical indigent bills with general tax revenues, eliminating the nonresidential medical burden that had been falling for years on

county government through local property owners.

But proposed changes in the indigent health care program would increase the overall cost from the \$13-million the county plans to put into it to as much as \$30 million.

"If they fund it, I think the care will be better," Hoenemann said. "They will be taking care of nonacute emergency care but not general health care."

The problem, however, is money.

"I don't know whether they can afford that kind of program," Hoenemann said.

One proposal, called Idaho Medicaid assistance Program, sailed through the Legislature last March without a single dissenting vote.

If it was every politician's Holy Grail, Property owners get \$12-million in tax relief. Hospitals and doctors are assured payment. And those who cannot afford health care get it.

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"Health care is a matter of money — it

## Buhl dairy scoops up profit on its leftover milk fat

By Mark Kind

Times-News writer

BUEHL — Health-conscious consumers are on a low-fat buying craze and major dairy companies are trying a cow about how to combat it by selling half-a-million dollars a month by selling the fat for less than it costs to remove it from the milk, he said Tuesday.

"As we take more fat out of our products, which consumers are wanting more and more, you have to find a place to put it — which we don't," William D. Hendley, president and chief operating officer of submu-

ltiple business units in Idaho, told the Associated Press.

With losing half-a-million dollars a month by selling the fat for less than it costs to remove it from the milk, he said Tuesday.

Bueler's smaller community dairy found a profitable way to get rid of the excess fat — gourmet ice cream. Sales were up 25 percent for Smith-Dairy's 14 percent butterfat ice cream this year; owner Ormond Smith said.

"If I didn't sell ice cream, I would have a

problem," he said.

Dan Foods, based in Franklin Park, Ill., produces about 4.4 billion pounds of fat monthly and is selling it at a loss while looking for some other way to use it.

The largest U.S. dairy, Borden Inc. of New York, faces similar problems, although it keeps no detailed records of the amount of money lost this way, Jim McKinley, manager of financial communications, told the AP.

"It's a problem that affects the entire dairy industry," McKinley said. "Sales of

low-fat products have been increasing at a higher rate than other products."

Skim and low-fat milk sales accounted for about 40 percent of the market 10 years ago, but now comprise about 60 percent, industry analysts said.

"I sell 15 bundles of 2 percent milk for every one bottle of regular milk," Smith said. Three decades ago, only one bottle in 20 sold contained 2 percent milk.

In 1958, when consumers first began buying 2 percent milk, Smith pointed

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## Souter gains high court seat; 9 Demos vote 'no'

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Senate voted 90-9 Tuesday to confirm the nomination of Judge David H. Souter to the Supreme Court. The only dissenting votes came from liberals who fear he will oppose abortion rights.

The New Hampshire senator approved the nomination 22 months after it was first proposed as President Bush's Supreme Court nominee to the high court.

It was too late to put him on the court for the start of its session this week, but age 51, he probably participated in the rulings well into the next century.

The Supreme Court announced that Souter would be sworn in as the 11th Justice of the Supreme Court on Oct. 1.

At the White House, presidential spokesman Martin Flattner said, "We think Judge Souter will watch Bush out the door." Obviously pleased that Congress confirmed the nomination, Flattner said, "We think Judge

Souter will be an outstanding justice for many years."

Souter's swearing-in ceremony was held in the Senate chamber in Concord, N.H.

At nine voting against Souter were Democratic Sen. Alan Simpson of Wyoming, independent Sen. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, and Sen. John Heinz of Pennsylvania.

He just earned the kind of person whom broad-based coalitions need to win the Supreme Court, Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, said.

Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Sam Ervin, D-N.C., said the confirmation began

last Friday, overwhelming approval of the resolution praising President Bush's actions in the Persian Gulf and supporting continued deployment of U.S. troops to drive Iraqi aggression.

But the debate leading up to the 90-9 vote had no Nov. 6 outcome of 25 years ago, when a similar act opened the way to escalation of the Vietnam War.

Senators after confirming Souter said they thought it was important to signal U.S. unity for future military moves. In fact, Souter seemed inclined more to scaling back than expanding the military's role in the Persian Gulf.

This resolution is not an authorization for the use of force, now or in the future," said Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine. "This resolution is not a blank check. This resolution is not a Gulf of Tonkin Resolution."

In 1964, Congress approved a resolution giving President Johnson the au-

thority to retaliate for an attack on two vessels in Vietnam's Gulf of Tonkin.

The resolution later was used as authorization for a widening of the U.S. war effort.

Tuesday's vote came a day after the House approved a similar resolution on a 380-39 vote. Senators said they thought it was important to signal U.S. unity by giving legislative support to Bush's moves so far.

Votes against the measure were Sens. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., Mark Hatfield, R-Ore., and Bob Kerrey, D-Neb. Not voting was Sen. Pete Wilson, R-Calif.

The resolution "strongly approves the president's leadership" in winning approval of eight resolutions in the United Nations Security Council that impose a global trade embargo on Iraq and call for the withdrawal of Iraqi troops.

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## Nation

**Briefly****Noted anti-Klan lawyer back in court**

**TORONTO** — A lawyer who bankrupted a Klan-style Knights of the Ku Klux Klan with a \$3 million civil judgment is going after another white supremacist group with a lawsuit on behalf of the family of an Ethiopian who was beaten to death.

The \$10 million wrongful-death suit goes to trial Monday in British Columbia, where the group is attacking racist groups through their wallets.

Three Klansmen confessed to bludgeoning Muhammad Saeed, 16, to death with baseball bats. The lawsuit contends Tom Metzger, the founder of White Aryan Resistance, incited the killing by sending agents to a Portland skinhead group with a message of hate for blacks and Jews. Metzger denies the charge.

The lawsuit will be argued by Morris Doggett, lawyer for the Alabama-based Southern Poverty Law Center. It was a \$2 million civil judgment three years ago against the United Klans of America after two Klansmen from Mobile, Ala., killed a 19-year-old black man.

**Last of a generation of subs retires**

**SAN DIEGO** — Fins and rear-torsos marked the retirement of the last U.S. diesel-powered attack submarine and the launch of a new era for the Navy, which now has an all-nuclear underwater attack fleet.

Port and present officers and crew of the USS Blueback said farewell to the vessel Monday during the ceremony at the submarine base on Point Loma.

**Shuttle Discovery set to blast off**

**CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla.** — NASA completed final preparations Tuesday for the countdown of space shuttle Discovery, due to lift off this week with five astronauts and a plutonium-powered sun probe.

The countdown clock was to start ticking at 3:30 a.m. Wednesday. Liftoff is scheduled for Saturday morning.

A generator containing 23 pounds of plutonium-238 was installed Tuesday in the satellite, tucked inside Discovery's cargo bay. The satellite, called Ulysses, will use electricity generated from the decaying plutonium during its five-year journey in space.

**Study links alcohol with earlier deaths**

**NEW YORK** — Men who habitually drank at least two alcoholic drinks a day were nearly twice as likely to abstainers to die before age 65, and the difference for women was threefold, a study found.

Even people who drank at lower levels than such "heavier" drinkers showed higher death rates than abstainers. The study was based on a national sample of people who died in 1986.

For women, 40.7 percent of so-called heavier drinkers died before age 65 versus 13.2 percent of abstainers. For men, the figures were 22.3 percent versus 22.4 percent.

The numbers cannot be interpreted as indicating risks of early death because of the way the study was done, cautioned study co-author Darryl Herbolzheimer.

**Bill would allow firing at drug planes**

**WASHINGTON** — If Rep. Lawrence Coughlin, R-Pa., has his way, the Coast Guard would have the authority to shoot down aircraft suspected of carrying illegal narcotics.

On Tuesday, the Pennsylvania Republican presented the House Merchant Marines subcommittee with a scenario in which his legislation would enable U.S. officials to stop drug traffickers. Coughlin believes legislation with the threat of force might stop an smuggling of illegal drugs. Bush administration officials disagree.

Philip Brady, the Transportation Department's general counsel, said pilots operating under visual flight rules outside U.S. airspace are required to have a radio transponder, a two-way radio able to monitor specific radio frequencies.

In addition, if the United States adopts such legislation, other countries may follow suit — some of which could be far less stringent than the United States, Brady said.

Coughlin said his legislation did not pose a threat to innocent pilots.

**Seattle tops business location list**

**SEATTLE** — Seattle is the best place in the nation to locate a business, elbowing out Atlanta for the top spot in an annual survey of corporate executives.

More than half of the 400 executives polled ranked Seattle as "excellent," citing quality of life for employees and the likelihood that economic conditions will improve during the next year. It finished second to Atlanta behind Atlanta in the survey by the commercial real estate firm Cushman & Wakefield. Atlanta dropped to third this year.

Second place this year went to Sacramento, Calif., which was 13th last year. Austin, Fort Worth, Ore., moved up from 24th place to third.

rounding out the top 10 were Norfolk, Va.; San Diego; Atlanta; Columbus, Ohio; Dallas-Fort Worth; Minneapolis-St. Paul and Tampa Bay.

**Deliberately 'objectionable' art shown**

**NEW YORK** — While a Cincinnati art gallery and its director stand trial for obscenity, the Brooklyn Museum is showing deliberately "objectionable" artworks funded in part by the National Endowment for the Arts.

Museum officials called the display of nude children, embracing lesbians and homo-erotic paintings from their own collection, in response to what they call the current climate of censorship.

The exhibit, "The Brooklyn Museum Collection: The Play of the Unmentionable," also includes three Robert Mapplethorpe photographs, including a study of a nude black man. Twenty percent of the funding came from the NEA and the rest from donations, museum officials said.

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**Elderly upset with proposed budget**

**SAN DIEGO (AP)** — Eighty-seven-year-old Charlotte Brooder likes having an occasional glass of wine with dinner and wouldn't mind having one to balance the budget, but she has a message for President Bush and Congress: Don't mess with the rates.

"I try to rein in the misframing budget deficit," Bush administration leaders have reluctantly agreed to increase the Medicare premium for 34 million Americans, many of whom like Brooder rely on fixed-income pensions.

Leaves on gasoline, cigarettes, alcohol and other luxury items also could rise.

But it is the provision raising the Medicare premium that most bothers Brooder, a retired schoolteacher and librarian who moved to San Diego from Sheridan, Wyo., in 1973.

Brooder and other low-income elderly living in the Green Manzana high-rise complex said in interviews Monday that the burden of balancing the federal budget always seems to fall heavily on the poor and the elderly.

**'Radio postcards' maintaining link to gulf**

**WASHINGTON (AP)** — "Hi, Johnny, we're having three granddaughters, not two," Michelle is having twins," wrote the joyful message to one of more than 900 American hostages in Iraq and Kuwait.

You're in my thoughts constantly, constantly,"

Family of those captured in the Middle East began sending messages to their loved ones Tuesdays, taping them on a hotline set up by the Voice of America.

"These are radio postcards," said VOA Director Richard Carlson.

The families have been told to keep their messages personal, to refrain from expressing political views and to avoid using last names so they don't tip off Iraqi authorities searching for Americans in hiding.

A State Department task force has started calling the families and giving them the hotline number, along with instructions on what type of messages to prepare.

The first calls to the hotline were primarily to one to Sergio "from the west coast of Mexico," said Carlson. "Missy will be coming home for Thanksgiving. I pray you'll be here, too. Love Mickey."

Another was to Bob "from his loving wife, Sue." Assuming her family was doing well, he added: "We're praying for your safe return. We miss you very, very much. Come home soon."

There were also some humorously cryptic messages. One to Mike from Jeff, said the caller had spoken to "Mrs. W. in New York." Notre Dame has won its first three games. We think about you every day."

The 30-second greetings will be aired during the 30-second greetings will be aired during Thursday on the government-owned radio network VOA, which since the gulf-crisis began

has increased its English and Arabic-language programs to 24 hours a day with broadcast messages in three five-minute segments during each hour of the station's morning news program.

On the first day, the messages may be aired in a 15-minute segment.

An estimated 600 to 700 Americans — mostly men — are believed trapped in Kuwait, with another 300 to 350 in Iraq. Most of their families were allowed to leave.

Iraqi authorities have rounded up about 100 Americans and moved them to industrial and military facilities as "human shields" to guard against U.S. bombings.

The rest of the Americans in Kuwait are being held in various locations, including houses, schools, and military facilities as "human shields" to guard against U.S. bombings.

Referring to landmarks, one American said he had that the school board

chambers said they would be, Justice Thurgood Marshall, the court's only black member and the

attorney in the 12th Circuit that nullified racial segregation in public schools, engaged both State and Day spirited exchanges.

At one point, O'Connor asked whether Oklahoma City school officials would be required to comply with some kind of desegregation plan "100 years from now" if blacks and whites still lived in predominantly one-race neighborhoods.

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**World**

# U.S. aircraft carrier enters gulf; freighter draws warning shots

The Associated Press

forces in the Persian Gulf on Tuesday with the arrival of the aircraft carrier USS Independence, while a French ship fired warning shots at a freighter suspected of violating the U.N. embargo on Iraq trade.

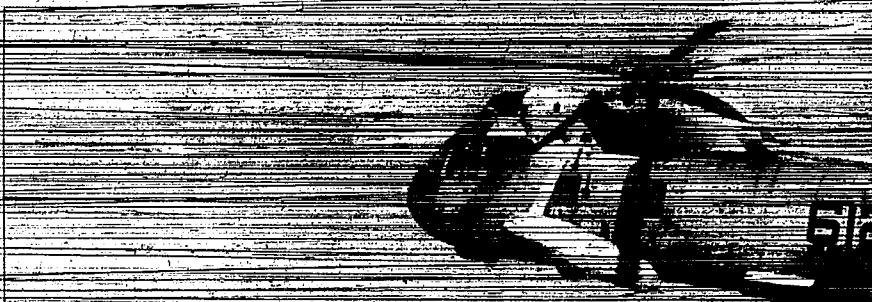
As the gulf crisis entered its third month, U.S. military sources in Saudi Arabia said Baghdad had strengthened its forces in southern Iraq and Kuwait and had more deployed near the heavily landlocked country's border with the occupied territories.

In Jordanian waters over the past two weeks, jumped to the surprise when a faulty siren signaling air attack sent friendly aircraft scurrying into bomb shelters.

The missile took place less than 24 hours after the government announced it would distribute gas masks to all Israeli citizens.

In other developments:

- In a reaction to President Bush's U.N. speech Monday, Iraq challenged Uncle to demand that Israel dispose of its nuclear weapons arsenal in return for the removal of other weapons of mass destruction in the



American helicopter keeps watch over mother ship USS Independence.

hundreds of the Arabs. The statement was carried by the official Iraqi News Agency.

A European Community official said the trading bloc has agreed to give \$2 billion in aid to Egypt for

military personnel and material to help offset the impact of the gulf crisis.

Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu of Japan began a Middle East tour after promising the United Nations that Tokyo would contribute non-

carriers entered the strategic, narrow waterway. The USS Constitution did so in 1974 on a peacekeeping mission, according to Navy records.

U.S. Cmdr. Mark Walker, a Navy spokesman, said the Independence will be "a visible demonstration of the operational capabilities of a carrier battle group to our friends and allies in the region," and was not meant to increase tensions.

But a military source said the Independence was certain to show that U.S. naval air power could easily be employed against targets in Iraq and Kuwait.

There are 15 U.S. ships currently in the gulf along with two hospital ships. Twenty-two more are deployed just outside and possibly in the Strait of Hormuz, leading into the Gulf of Oman and the Arabian Sea.

For the first time Tuesday, France used naval firepower to help enforce the trade embargo against Iraq. The warship *Doubs*, de La Perouse, fired warning shots at a North Korean freighter near Djibouti in the Bab-el-Mandeb strait.

## Briefly

### Protest rally ends in violent rampage

NEW DELHI, India — A student rally protesting the government's job policy erupted into a rampage Tuesday, with a mob setting fire to government buildings, looting shops and destroying vehicles.

Police said one officer was killed with a homemade pistol fired from the crowd, and two rioters died from police gunfire.

Eighteen people suffered gunshot wounds, including some wounded by armed rioters. Two policemen were seriously injured, one of them beaten and in critical condition, said New Delhi Police Commissioner Vijay Kumar.

### U.S. strengthens relations with Chile

WASHINGTON — The Bush administration took another step Tuesday to strengthen relations with Chile's new democratic government by allowing the Overseas Private Investment Corp. to resume operations there.

The announcement came during the first Washington visit of President Patricio Aylwin since his March inauguration brought democratic rule back to Chile. Aylwin met President Bush at the White House Tuesday.

OPIC is a quasi-governmental organization that facilitates investment by U.S. firms in foreign countries.

### Troops shoot, kill civilians in India

HANDWARA, India — Paramilitary troops shot and killed 17 civilians and set 40 houses on fire in the troubled Kashmir valley after an ambush attempt by Muslim separatists, witnesses and a local official said Tuesday.

United News of India said 20 people died. The shootings broke out around noon Monday in Handwara, an upscale town about 40 miles from the Jammu-Kashmir state capital of Srinagar.

The government said Moslem militants hurled a grenade at Border Security Force troopers patrolling the town market. The grenade missed the troops, but ignited a fire in a shop that killed four people, it said.

### Former leader of Sandinistas dies

MANAGUA, Nicaragua — Carlos Nunez Tellez, a government leader in Nicaragua during the decade when it was ruled by the leftist Sandinistas, has died in a local Sandinista radio station said today. He was 59.

Nunez died of an illness for which he was undergoing treatment in Cuba, said Radio Orinoco, the main Sandinista radio station.

It did not say when Nunez died. It has been rumored for some time that he had leukemia or some other form of cancer.

### Barge, ferry boat collide, killing 85

LAGOS, Nigeria — A ferry boat caught in a storm smashed into a barge and broke off climbing dozens of its passengers into a swift-running river where about 85 of them died, newspapers reported Tuesday.

The disaster occurred Monday on the River Oluwoye in the southern state of Bendel, the Lagos Concord reported.

Compiled from wire service reports

### Site where last czar died goes to church

MOSCOW (AP) — The site where Czar Nicholas II and his family were murdered in 1918 will be rebuilt and a memorial plaque erected to the Tsar, Orthodox Church leaders said Tuesday.

Soldiers acting on Bolshevik orders shot Nicholas, his entire family and several servants in a house in the Ural Mountains city of Yekaterinburg in 1918. Nicholas had been forced to abdicate as Russia's last czar in 1917, as revolutionary discontent swept the country.

The decision to restore the site, due in 1990, but was said real authorities

### Hijacked Chinese jetliner crashes; 127 die

CANTON, China (AP) — A hijacked Chinese jetliner crashed into two residential apartment buildings Tuesday, setting off a fiery explosion, killing at least 127 people and seriously injuring 46 others, officials said.

"The plane split the jets into pieces," said a Chinese man who witnessed the crash. "It was a horrific explosion. The whole sky went red and the airport shook like an earthquake."

Money, passports, watches and clothes were scattered along the tarmac. The crash occurred at 3:24 a.m., but ambulances waited late into the night.

Although it was a domestic flight from Zhuhai to Canton, at least two Americans were on the hijacked plane, U.S. Embassy spokesman Sheridan Bell said. Erin Lynn Thomas of Oklahoma City, Okla., was hospitalized in good condition with a broken limb, he said. She reported a second American woman had been sitting next to her, but Bell said the second woman was missing.

Chinese officials, Western diplo-

mats and witnesses provided con-

flicting accounts of the disaster and the resulting casualties.

A Western survivor said there was

a struggle in the cockpit of the hijacked Boeing 737 as it landed at Canton International Airport, caus-

ing the plane to career into an emp-

Boeing 707 and a Boeing 757 full of passengers bound for Shanghai.

Other unconfirmed reports said two hijackers, Chinese men, wanted to force the plane to Hong Kong or Taiwan, exploded a bomb on the jet.

— A CAAC spokesman, Wang Chunfu, said only one Chinese man was responsible for the hijacking.

Wang told a news conference 127 people died in the crash and 46 others were seriously injured. He said 100 people, including the injured, survived.

"Among those killed, he said, were foreigners and Chinese from Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan. He declined to release further details.

Premier Li Peng went to the crash site near China's main southeast city and visited survivors at hospitals.

The accident was the worst pub-

licly acknowledged air disaster in

China. Previously, in 1982, a CAAC

flight crashed in the southern city of Guiyang, killing 112 people. China rarely disclosed air disasters before the 1980s.

An airport security officer, who

only identified himself as Chen, said the pilot released the hijackers, believing they were leaving China.

Other unconfirmed reports said the hijackers realized the truth as the jet approached Canton.

As the hijackers argued with the pilot, Chen said, the plane circled the airport for about 40 minutes. Then it crashed.

Witnesses said the 737 spun out of control down the runway, sideswiping the empty plane before hitting the 757.

"The plane was snapped in half like a match stick," said a Westerner who saw the crash scene. "All that was left of the fuselage was charred metal. It looked like a crematorium."

The conflicting reports on the number of people killed or injured could not be reconciled immediately.

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western diplomats said 104 per-

sonnel, including 16 crew members,

were aboard the hijacked plane.

Diplomats said they learned of only nine survivors, including the Ameri-

cans who can women.

### Synod rules out debate on celibacy, women priests

VATICAN CITY (AP) — The moderator of the worldwide synod of bishops said Tuesday there should be no debate on rules requiring priests to be celibate and forbidding the ordination of women.

The synod, an advisory body attended by more than 1,000 bishops, was called by Pope John Paul II to discuss the formation of Roman Catholic priests.

The monthlong assembly, which opened Sunday with a Mass in St. Peter's Basilica, began its official

working sessions Tuesday.

The pope has made it clear he has no intention of changing the church position mandating priests celibacy and an all-male priesthood. Brazilian Cardinal Luiz Fernando Gomes, the synod moderator appointed by the pope, emphasized that those issues would not be up for debate at the meeting.

One of the reasons cited for the decline in the number of priests is the requirement that they be celibate and forsake marriage.

"Celibacy is not sufficient to deal

with certain questions as

celibacy of priests; women priests,

priesthood for married men," he told

the assembly. These issues have already been dealt with in a definite way in other forums.

Some bishops, however, are ex-

pecting to raise the question of how

they can persuade more young men

to become priests without abandoning the celibacy rate.

Earlier Tuesday, the International Federation of Married Catholic

Priests held a news conference in Rome to complain that the "opinion of an important minority has no voice" at the synod.

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the press for changes allowing ordina-

tion of women and married men.

Pastero said his federation is rep-

resented in 26 countries. Of the

400,000 priests in the world, about

90,000 are married, he said.

### Drug lab blows up

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — A cocaine laboratory blew up Tuesday in a house next to a school in Medellin, killing eight people and leveling several buildings, police said.

Three of the victims were children, the radio network RCN said.

Twenty people were injured and several buildings and cars were destroyed, RCN said.

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## Idaho/West

# State, railroad union oppose waste from Amtrak on tracks

**BOISE (AP)** — The state of Idaho and a railroad workers' union say public health and safety is endangered by allowing Amtrak, the national rail passenger service, to continue dumping raw human waste on railroad tracks.

But Amtrak contends a new state law against the practice is improper because federal and state passenger rail regulations, and in any event, Amtrak says it is unable to stop spilling waste water from its passenger train cars into the tracks because there is no legal authority to do so.

On Aug. 1, a new state law went into effect, banning the discharge of untreated hu-

man waste from railroad trains. But Amtrak went to court with a lawsuit to bar enforcement of the law.

A temporary restraining order was granted to the law, which is enforced until the Amtrak lawsuit in U.S. District Court is resolved.

In response to the Amtrak lawsuit filed by the state this week, Idaho says the practice should be stopped because it violates the Clean Water Act, the Safe Drinking Water Act and state environmental protection laws.

The suit, which is brought to reduce hazards to the public welfare and the environment of the state of Idaho caused by the dis-

charge of raw human waste from trains providing intercity rail passenger service in Idaho and other states, and the state claims.

The disclosure of raw human waste being dumped and is maintaining a public nuisance and is a violation of the law," the state argues.

The state's claim is answered for removal claims in the lawsuit this week. In addition, the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees asked permission to intervene. The union brief said railroad workers are exposed to hazardous conditions because they

must work around raw human sewage, and the practice should be stopped.

Because of the potential health hazard, the state says, the law will allow it to regulate the discharge of raw human waste from railroad tracks. The law has been issued by the federal Environmental Protection Agency to allow such discharge.

Since any train running over a body of water probably will discharge human waste into that body of water, federal and state water quality laws also are involved, the state says.

Amtrak, in its lawsuit, contend that if the state law is enforced, it will have to al-

ternative, other than to stop rail passenger service through Idaho.

Because of connecting trains, John L. Tercero, director of marketing planning and forecasting, estimated that stopping Amtrak runs through Idaho would result in the loss of 500,000 passengers per year, \$30 million in revenue and additional mail service revenue.

Court documents said Amtrak operates four round-trip a day through Idaho, which in the year ending in September of 1985 included 44,000 passengers traveling from or to Idaho.

## Briefly

### Issue of religion in schools continues

**REXBURG** — Proposed talks on religious free exercise in Rexburg schools have fallen through, says a pastor named by the Madison School Board last summer to field complaints about alleged religious intrusion and mediate discussions with disgruntled patrons.

Larry Burnell, the Community Presbyterian Church said Tuesday that he has tried since July to negotiate a settlement between parents and district officials, but has been unable to get the two sides to the table.

Burnell said he also has been unable to get the community's religious leaders to settle the issue.

Stephen Pever, an American Civil Liberties Union attorney in Denver, said he is putting together a federal lawsuit against the Madison School District he expects to file in House based on concerns raised by local families.

### 2nd lawsuit filed to block prison camp

**ST. ANTHONY** — A St. Anthony couple has filed a second lawsuit in their bid to block conversion of the old Fremont General Hospital building into a minimum security prison camp.

Blane and Vicki Foster contend the city officials violated a conflict of interest and failed to comply with state requirements in granting a special use permit and zoning variance for the prison conversion.

Residents in the Pioneer County also raise fears of the hospital building being stampeded until the city has complied with state law.

No date has been set for a review of the claim by Judge Ted Wood, who was out of town until Oct. 9.

The Fosters maintained one member of the St. Anthony Planning and Zoning Commission, apparently Linda Pope, is married to an employee of the state Corrections Department and should not have participated in the matter. She disqualify herself before the vote, the suit said, and took an active role in questioning those who appeared at the hearing.

### Man allegedly divebombed houses

**COEUR D'ALENE** — A private pilot faces charges for reckless flying after allegedly "divebombed" several Priest River residences Friday evening.

Philip Randy Blinn, 37, of Priest River, was booked into the Kootenai County jail on misdemeanor charges of reckless operation of an aircraft, obstructing an officer and failing to produce a pilot's license.

Blinn was arrested at Coeur d'Alene Airport after Priest River police noticed Kootenai County Sheriff's deputies that a tan and white Cessna operating without lights had been divebombing houses, coming within 20 feet of the rooftops.

last year, Blinn's pilot license was suspended for 90 days following a reckless flying incident in Priest River, said David Purill, aviation safety inspection officer at Spokane's regional Federal Aviation Administration office.

### Firm cutting the staff at troubled mill

**LEWISTON** — The Potlatch Corp. Wood Products Division will eliminate 100 jobs by mid-November, 110 more employees and another 16 to 21 salaried workers will be cut by January.

Potlatch officials Monday restaffing of the shift schedule at the McCarver Lumber Mill prompted the cutback.

Officials at the Lewiston-based company said the cuts would increase efficiency at the mill, which has been plagued by production troubles since it began operations in 1984.

### Company charged with illegal actions

**BOISE** — The state of Idaho has filed legal action against a California precious metals company and four officers and salaried staffers of the company of the Idaho Community Credit, which prohibits the use of false information and fraudulent acts in connection with the company's credit investments.

State Finance Director Belton Patty said Tuesdays in the 4th District Court lawsuit named Morgan Whitney Trading Group, Inc., Venice, Calif. It also listed officers and salaried for the company, Thomas F. Edwards, Jr.; Thomas F. Edwards III; Richard Albano and Derek S. Sherman.

The suit claims the defendants offered and sold interests in gold, silver and platinum without being properly registered in Idaho.

The lawsuit said the number of Idaho investors is not known, but at least \$14,000 was invested with the company. The lawsuit will seek to identify all Idaho investors.

Compiled from wire service reports

### Circus train delayed when car derails

**SPRINGVILLE, Utah (AP)** — A car in a Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus train derailed Saturday, causing the circus to delay rail travel after a two-hour delay, authorities said.

The train, running along a Denver & Rio Grande Western line, halted about 6 p.m. when one car left the track.

"Apparently, it was just a broken wheel. They got it fixed and back on track and going about two hours later," said Springville police dispatcher Laurie Lancaster. She said no animals escaped and no injuries were reported in the accident 50 miles south of Salt Lake City.

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## Experience an issue for EchoHawk, Kole

**IDAHOT FALLS (AP)** — The Republican and Democratic contenders to become Idaho's next attorney general went to face again Tuesday, focusing the debate on the difference in their experience rather than their positions on the issues.

But during an hour-long appearance on KIFI radio, Idaho Democratic Prosecutor Larry EchoHawk and former Republican deputy attorney general Pat Kole agreed there were constitutional questions raised by the restrictive abortion bill Gov. Cecil Andrus vetoed six months ago.

Kole said the bill could have been defended in the courtroom and passed successfully before the current U.S. House of Representatives.

Both candidates acknowledged the bill's opponents drew the line over their experience in those areas.

The battle symbolic of the conflict between human and grizzly habitat maintenance, became entangled over the Yellowjacket sale outside Ashton, about four miles from the western boundary of Yellowstone National Park.

The Idaho-St. Paul Mill in St. Anthony wants to cut more than \$60,000 for the Yellowjacket sale. Its 2 million board feet of logpole pine is considered critical to the mill, which laid off 20 workers in July.

Environmentalists say the Yellowjacket sale and nine nearby timber sales violate the federal Endangered Species Act. The sales would threaten important bear habitat on the Yellowjacket, where grizzly numbers appear to be lower than elsewhere.

Grizzlies, and decided to set aside travel corridors where in greater Yellowstone ecosystem.

The struggle came to a head Friday.

Targhee put up for sale, and the stud mill bid \$425 acre for it. It almost tripled the Forest Service's advertised price of \$293 per acre.

Meanwhile, environmentalists sent

their appeal to the Forest Service's regional headquarters in Oden, Utah.

But the Yellowjacket sale and grizzly numbers

became entangled long before Friday.

Targhee officials prepared an environmental assessment for the sale. That never-released report called for an 1,100-acre cut. It even won the blessing of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, which oversees grizzly protection, said Dee Sessions, a resource officer in the Targhee's Ashton office.

But then the forest decided to study the cumulative effects of the area's 10 timber sales.

It concluded that a wholesale timber cut could affect

the bears and still allow a timber harvest.

Michael Scott of the Wilderness Society in Bozeman, Mont., credits the Targhee for doing the study, but still spearheaded the Yellowjacket appeal.

It contends the Yellowjacket sale would tear up

large areas of mature and overmature forests

which are vital grizzly habitat, and would

leave clearcuts and openings that would deprive

the bears of adequate cover.

It appears that the Forest Service chose to ignore generally acceptable methods of calculating impacts to habitat, the appeal alleges.

Meanwhile, Tom Warden, division forester for Idaho-St. Paul Mill, who was disappointed but open

to the outcome, said

he was just "unstated."

"Gosh, Larry, lighten up," he said. "Talk about what we're going to do about real issues."

EchoHawk emphasized his criminal experience both as a prosecutor and defense attorney. He pointed to deliberately attempting to deceive voters.

Kole admitted he wrongly claimed firsthand experience in first-degree murder cases during a newspaper interview last week.

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**Editorial****Fairchild's plight reflects a lousy campaign season**

**S**hhh... listen. Do you hear that faint hiss? That's the last breath of vitality, slowly leaking out of the November election.

The late campaign has been Fairchild's last gasp. Monday, that he was nearly out of money, nearly out of hope and thoroughly out of patience with the Idaho Republican Party.

After choosing him to lead the ticket in the governor's race, the party has deserted him, he said. It has given him only \$300...

...Can that be right... \$300 for the top of the ticket? Idaho Republicans spend more than on cocktail weenies...

Republican leaders claim that they haven't abandoned Fairchild; it's just that this is a tough year to raise money...

And whose fault is that? Maybe the Idaho Jesters, which have allowed 1990 to be a year of unbridled timidity in Idaho politics...

Look at the major races...

A year or more ago, Republicans decided tiny Cecil Andrus was invincible, even though he barely had squeaked by David Leroy four years ago. So they consigned the race to Fairchild's quixotic campaign and then sat on their hands...

Democrats did much the same thing in the U.S. Senate race. So Rep. Larry Craig will likely waltz to Washington in the arms of at now-too-enthusiastic electorate...

And the 2nd Congressional District's...

**Correction**

Tuesday's editorial inadvertently substituted "million" for "billion." The con-fight for new tax revenues under the federal budget compromise is \$134 billion.

*The Times-News* regrets the error.

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**Letters****Newcomb completed term**

I was amazed while listening to the Party Line program on KIX Radio last Friday in when Ken Pedersen says that Russ Newcomb did not complete his term in the Legislature and, in fact, turned it over to someone else. Since Ken Pedersen is Gary Robbins' campaign manager and a past chairman of the Democratic Party, I would think he would have a clear understanding that a term is two years. But he must have two years and chose not to run for a second term.

I therefore can only believe that Mr. Pedersen was trying to misrepresent the facts in order to lead the public to believe that Russ Newcomb is too busy to be involved with the Legislature. The facts speak differently, as he was able to accomplish much during the term that he served. Russ does not take on jobs that he feels he cannot complete or do well.

It is this kind of misrepresentation and distortion of facts that causes many people to ask: Why would anyone want to get involved in politics anyway?

CAROL NEWCOMB  
Twin Falls

**Editorial misses the mark**

The guest editorial in the Oct. 1 paper is headlined with "Syring: Ignorant blisss" the only ignorant blisss with the issue discussed is that of the editors of *The Times-News* and the Daily Astorian. Our senator has spoken truth regarding Alaskan oil reserves, bureaucratic and environmental interference and questionable actions of President Carter and others involved. You fail to verify the truth - instead, you are attempting to undermine the health and safety of our environment. This is not the first time you have not news but mind holding. I forced you to do my thinking for me.

Sufficient natural gas to supply all of the United States with cheap energy is currently being pumped back into the ground at Prudhoe Bay. Its export to Asia has been blocked by infinite regulations that pipelines can only be built through Canada to get to us. This completely undermines any argument Jimmy Carter signed the bill to accomplish this.

The largest discovery of oil in the world has been hidden from us and the oil companies. This is fear Prudhoe Bay has been definitely proven not to be part of the Prudhoe Bay. This alone would be the most costly mistake. Why? Because the oil companies allowed this silence. Reclusive sources comment that under-table dealings are underway to give this American oil to Russia. Why? Because we are asking World War III to pre-

**Opinion**

HOMELESS MAN

SURE FEELS GREAT TO BE A LEADING ECONOMIC INDICATOR AGAIN...

**Land belongs to public, not ranchers**

JIM PRUNTY

Reader comment

Just a reminder to national forest users: When you're hunting, camping or hiking, take a good look at your national forest. This land belongs to you and 750 million other Americans.

When you are perhaps hunting this fall, check the forest improvements that have been constructed around the forest. The ranchers and the Forest Service list cattle guards, stock tanks and barbed-wire fences as "improvements." Do you share the pleasure of these improvements? Or do you believe that only a few people receive any benefit from the 300 miles of barbed-wire entanglement strung around the South Hills? The stock tanks are listed as improvements for wildlife. Do you believe wildlife habitat is enhanced by these improvements?

Check the condition of the streams and the range in general. Are there riparian areas in good condition? Are there any deep dry washes? Should you be in the Fawn Springs area, you might check out salt blocks that the ranchers put out for cattle. They are in the middle of an area that has recently been planted to trees. It costs us, as taxpayers,

about \$350 an acre to plant trees. If the rancher had any concern for good management, they would not salt cattle in these areas.

Hunters should take a special interest in the areas where they hunt. Wildlife and recreation should be considered just as

much as livestock grazing. If an area looks like it has been grazed to the point that nothing is left for wildlife, you should write the Forest Service or Bureau of Land Management and let them know your feelings. You do not need to hold back because of fear.

Permittee Mr. Whitley of Oakley only threatened to sell the timber if the forest ranger

wasn't around. If an area looks like it has been grazed to the point that nothing is left for wildlife, you should write the Forest Service or Bureau of Land Management and let them know your feelings. You do not need to hold back because of fear.

If they were doing as good as you as they try to make us believe, they would welcome public opinion.

Don't believe that the Forest Service or BLM will listen to the public without the help of someone who can feel. The livestock industry has ruined public land since the beginning of the Forest Service and BLM.

An example of this is how the Forest Service has treated ranger Don Oman. He is

the first land manager to try to enforce the contract between the government (you) and the permittees. It takes a strong man to stand up for you and now is your chance to show you care. After all, it is you land, too.

Who controls the land?

A good example of how the Forest Service is controlled is the notable absence of the Forest Service Public Information Officer, Ed Waldapfel. As you remember, last fall he was quick to be on local television to defend a stockman whose cows had just trashed Harrington Campground. With the local issue between Don Oman trying to look out for the interests of the general public, where is Mr. Waldapfel? Whose interests is he trying to protect now?

It is clear that the Forest Service officials above the rank of ranger are trying to protect the ranchers above all other users. Now is the time to let the government agencies know how you feel. The public land belongs to the public and just a few ranchers.

Stand your ground. E. Dale Robertson, Clinton Forest Service, USDA, 12th and Academy Ave. S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250; or J.S. Tixier, Regional Forester, Federal Building, 524-25th St., Ogden, UT 84401.

Your letters are important!

Jim Prunty is a Twin Falls resident.

on a hay raise. He does not represent me and hopefully not a majority of Idahoans.

WILLIAM HOUSE

McCall

YFCA explains money use

On behalf of the Magic Valley YFCA Board of Directors, I would like to clear up some misconceptions that recent articles in the results of the United Way survey may have generated.

The YFCA is a non-profit agency of the United Way Service Providers Team, responsible for community-related Wayne. It is used for specific programs and services. The amount of allocation is determined by a United Way Committee of community representatives based on a perceived need documented by financial and statistical information, as well as oral presentation.

The YFCA received an allocation of \$24,400 for 1990 to fund the following youth programs and services:

After-school childcare, high school youth and government; swimming lessons, fitness classes, youth overnight vacation day care, flag football, swim team and financial and career guidance youth in programs and leadership services.

So far this calendar year, over 2,520 youth have been served for an average of 40 hours per participant. This equates to an average subsidy of 24 cents per hour per participant.

An evaluation as to whether this is too much money, about right or not enough money isn't possible, based on the limited information in the survey.

The participating agencies provide many needed and worthwhile programs and services that would not be possible without the United Way support. In the case of the YFCA, no United Way money is used to fund adult activities such as aerobic classes, use of the weight room, recreation swimming or construction and maintenance of our new tennis courts. Membership fees cover these activities.

There are many generous people in the Magic Valley that support the United Way and we want them to know that their donations are and have been used in a worthwhile way.

JOHN H. BONNETT  
President, YFCA Board of Directors  
Twin Falls

ness Bill that gives the liberal control of Idaho's water. Stalling spent the taxpayers' money on homo sexual art. Stalling brought the Flat Burning Tom Foley to Idaho to campaign for him. Stalling wants to lock out the cattlemen, hunters and four-wheelers along with gun rights. The 100,000 acres of lava beds. Stalling is so ineptual on farm issues that the sugar beet growers have taken a 2-cent hit, the wheat farmers are almost busted and everyone else is running scared.

The challenger, Sean McDevitt, has learned more in nine months of running for Congress than Stalling has learned in six years of being in Congress. Sean is a proven leader who takes responsibility for his actions. Stalling is a winner - always blaming someone else for his own inadequacies.

To make a long story short, Sean McDevitt stands with the people of Magic Valley in fighting those things we all hate: pornography, flag burning, gun control, inefficiency and *The Times-News* - not necessarily in that order.

JIM BURNETT  
Rupert

Falwell may be the fraud

Over the last several thousand years, there have been many religious groups who have predicted the end of the world and often set the date when it would happen.

No doubt these were all good people who were misled by prophecies and scriptures that had been written by other people, for they most unlikely could not have dreamt it up by themselves in one generation.

The Rev. Jerry Falwell has often stated either Jesus was born or the weather greatest event and wherever he walked that earth and wherever he walked that earth.

The stories we have about Jesus all indicate that he was a good man interested in the gospel and the prophecies that were being circulated in his generation, including the four thousand years of religious gospel the Bible has no record of.

It is also quite clear that his main desire was to fulfill these scriptures, even at the cost of his own life.

Now if it were possible that he could have been misled by the gospel and prophecies of his day like so many others were, it would not make him a fraud, and a deceiver like Mr. Falwell has so often stated.

In fact, if anyone is a fraud it would be Mr. Falwell, for there is much more knowledge and wisdom of the world available today than what Jesus had 2,000 years ago.

WILLIAM HAFFNER  
Twin Falls



West

## Unusual aircraft spotted

WASHINGTON (AP) — Several large, relatively quiet, triangular-wing-shaped aircraft of unknown origin have been spotted in the air near Air Force bases in California and elsewhere in the West, Aviation Week and Space Technology magazine said Monday.

"A different aircraft whose engines produce a loud roar that resembles heavy rocket engines" has been spotted, the magazine said.

The AP reported, declined to either confirm or deny that the sightings represented new warplanes.

The magazine's reporting in this week's edition says the triangular aircraft may possibly prototypes of the Air Force B-2 or Navy A-12 aircraft.

The A-12 is a new attack craft under development, which has not been displayed. The B-2 is the "stealth" bomber, which has been displayed, and its shape is well-known.

"Aviation Week" published what appeared to be pictures of the A-12 without specifying whether they were actual aircraft in flight, artists' conceptions, models or something else.

The magazine said the triangular craft did not resemble the production B-2 with its distinctive low-visibility trailing edge.

It quoted "well qualified observers" as reporting that the aircraft are "fairly flat" and triangular-shaped with a rounded nose, rounded wings and probably no vertical tail surfaces.

The observers were not otherwise identified.

One observer in Nevada was quoted as saying the shape of the aircraft was "like anything."

The magazine said there have been at least 11 sightings of the triangular aircraft near Edwards Air Force Base in California and near Edwards, Calif., so said there have been other sightings of similar aircraft in central Nevada test ranges operated by the Air Force and the Energy Department.

It described the odd sightings of the loud craft called the "moser," the sound remaining after all the sound, varying up and down in intensity once or twice a second, plus other reports of the sound, often at night.

It said that typically the pause aircraft are seen flying a southwest to northwest track near Edwards Air Force Base and the China Lake Naval Weapons Center.

This evening would suggest the aircraft are returning from test ranges or "work areas" off the western U.S. coast where airline pilots have reported seeing very high-speed vehicles at altitudes above 50,000 feet, the magazine said.

**Idahoans back Bush**

WASHINGTON (AP) — Idaho's congressional joined in supporting George Bush's presidential bid for the Persian Gulf crisis.

On Monday, both Democratic Richard Stalling and Republican Larry Craig voted to support the president when the House considered that resolution, which passed

200-196.

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# Magic Valley

## Around the valley

### 7 teen-agers will face charges in burglary

**TWIN FALLS** — Seven teenagers are being charged with burglarizing a少年的 clothing store this weekend, police say. Of the seven boys and girls aged 14 to 16 years old, four actually entered the building and three kept watch outside in a car, said Twin Falls Police Detective Jim Kistler said.

Police recovered \$4,000 worth of stolen clothes and suitcases at the teenagers' homes. Other juveniles believed to also be involved have not yet been questioned, Kistler said.

Roper's on Main Avenue West was broken into sometime before 9 a.m. Saturday. Shoe boxes and hangers were strewn around the store.

An anonymous call to police spurred the investigation and the youths were interviewed by police Sunday and Monday, Kistler said.

### ZCMI approaches decision on opening store at mall

**TWIN FALLS** — Salt Lake City-based Zion Cooperative Mercantile Industries probably will decide soon whether it wants to open a store in the Magic Valley Mall.

ZCMI is "taking a close look at the market," Executive Vice President Keith Saunders said. The retail clothing company has been looking at the mall since 1985, when it was rumored to be an anchor tenant at the mall.

ZCMI will probably make a decision later this year whether it will open a Magic Valley Mall store.

ZCMI, which is owned partly by the Mormon Church, is thinking about opening a 20,000-square-foot store, about one-half the size of The Bon Marche.

### Service award recognizes hospital administrator

**SUN VALLEY** — A man who helped preserve obstetrical care in rural southern Idaho has been recognized with a service award.

The Idaho Hospital Association has given Ed Richardson, administrator of Minidoka Memorial Hospital, its distinguished service award.

### Twin Falls council decides to increase recreation fees

**TWIN FALLS** — For the first time in almost 10 years, the fees for city recreation programs will be increasing.

The City Council on Monday raised the fees 10 percent. The increase includes adult and youth programs and will take effect immediately.

### Shuttles delay opening of hotel at Cactus Pete's

**JACKPOT** — A luxury hotel at Cactus Pete's Resort Casino will open for business in stages in a few months, but later than planned because of labor and material shortages.

The tower is part of a \$10 million expansion and was slated for completion by Labor Day. But the tower's construction firm, Nielsen and Company, experienced delays in material shipments and finding workers. Cactus Pete's Marketing Director Carmen Sims said:

"There's a labor crunch everywhere," Sims said.

Cactus Pete's should have some rooms open in December and some in January, Sims said, and has planned a grand opening ceremony in February.

The massive 204-room hotel will be the highest building between Boise and Las Vegas. The casino is also adding 20,000 square feet to its casino and 20,400 square feet for restaurants and other facilities.

### Council seeks applicants for building code board

**TWIN FALLS** — The City Council is looking for applicants for the Building Code Advisory Board.

The board is comprised of two representatives of the residential building industry, one member of the commercial sector and one each from the architecture, engineering and surveying sectors.

Interested applicants can contact City Manager Tom Courtney, Community Development Director LaMar Orion, or City Engineer Gary Young.

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## Stiff winds fan Oakley fire to 150 acres

By N.S. Nokkensson  
Times-News writer

**TWIN FALLS** — Stiff winds in the Cache Peak area kept a forest fire and firefighters hopping Tuesday.

Winds of 30 to 35 miles per hour blowing all day have pushed the Green Fire to 150 acres and made it jump from tree to tree while burning little on the forest floor.

At times the fire jumped up to a half mile from the main fire.

One firefighter was quoted as saying that

if the wind would just quiet the fire would almost go out by itself, Forest Service spokesman Ed Waldspel said.

The efforts wound down Tuesday.

Fresh firefighters were on the way to help the 41 Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management firefighters already battling

the blaze.

The reinforcements, however, won't be sent out to fight the fire until Wednesday, and those already on the fire will pull off at dark.

Incident Commander Dennis Schwartz,

said the fire threatens nothing valuable enough to risk lives, according to Waldspel.

One firefighter was sent to hospital Tuesday after a hot ember in his boot severely burned his ankle.

The high winds made the aircraft assigned to the fire useless. It was too rough

for the helicopter, and the wind would disperse any fire retardant dropped by an air tanker.

Temperatures at the 9,000-foot altitude where the fire is burning dropped into the

30s Monday night and remained at below 50 Tuesday.

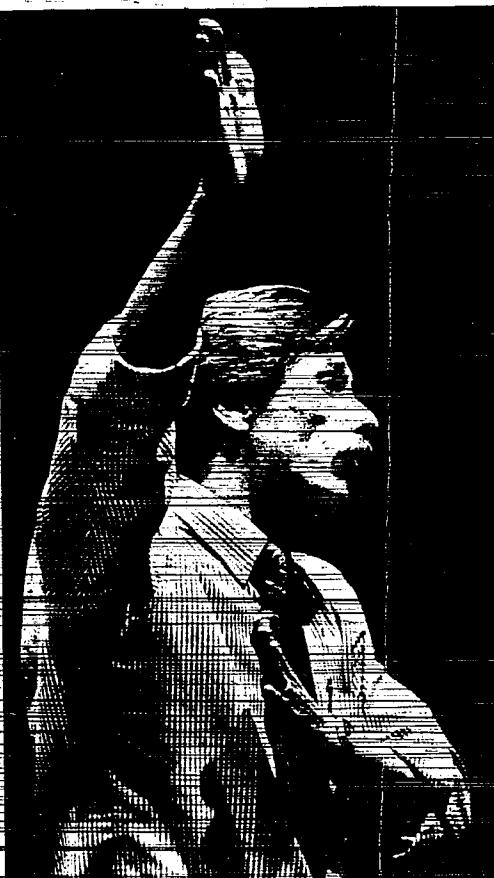
The fire covered about noon Monday, is believed to have been man-caused because it started next to a trail in an isolated area. The cause of the fire still is under investigation, Waldspel said.

Public land managers also urged caution by backcountry users on the eve of elk hunting season.

"We are very concerned because tomorrow is the opening of hunting season,"

Please see FIRE B3

## Discrimination and AIDS



Much of Richard Carper's energy goes to educating Americans about AIDS.

AIDS activist speaks about own experience

By Kirk Mitchell  
Times-News writer

**TWIN FALLS** — What is AIDS discrimination?

AIDS discrimination is when your landlord and utility set a table with plastic plates and utensils and equip the bathroom with unrented portable toilets for your special needs an AIDS activist says.

Richard Carper, who walked across America last year to draw attention to the AIDS epidemic, told a house crowd of 30 Tuesday night that it is like to be a person with AIDS.

"I've been stabbed, shot at," he said. "People have tried to run me over with a car. I lost an \$80,000-a-year job. I lost visitation rights to my two children from a former marriage."

Carper blames much of the spread of the HIV virus on ignorance and prejudice.

Some people like to think that the AIDS virus is only for "bagels and addicts," to be concerned about, he said. They believe the disease was divinely engineered to eradicate the two scourges.

However, AIDS is killing newborn children and is the eighth-leading cause of death among women in the country, he said.

AIDS, or acquired immunodeficiency syndrome, is an infectious disease that can be spread through sexual contact, sharing of needles and prenatal transmission from an infected mother to her unborn child.

Carper, in town as part of AIDS Awareness Month in Idaho, said he contracted AIDS while an intravenous drug user.

What is needed is more education, Carper said.

"We need to start talking about that S-word: sex," he said.

People need to learn words like monogamy, abstinence and "safe sex," he said.

But Carper has a word he doesn't like: the V-word: victim.

"I don't want to be a victim. I want to be a person," he said. When

Please see AIDS B2

## Jail panel seeks land for facility

By Angie Deppa  
Times-News writer

**JEROME** — The joint board planning a new regional juvenile-education center decided Tuesday to begin the paperwork to acquire Bureau of Land Management property for the center.

At the same time, the board will negotiate with the owners of the Southern Idaho Youth Center — which closed at midnight Sunday — to lease the facility until the new center opens, and possibly to buy and build there.

Twin Falls County Sheriff Jim Dunn urged other officials from Blaine, Camas, Jerome, Gooding and Lincoln counties to expedite the process because he needs the facility pronto.

Five juveniles in Twin Falls County needed detention this weekend and he had to scramble. Two were placed in Ada County's detention center, two were held in an old cell in the sheriff's office and one was given home detention with a brand-new electronic monitoring system, Dunn said.

"We've had a nightmare since midnight Sunday," he said. While other counties may not be up against the walls, the sheriff said, Twin Falls County is under pressure.

"Mic... particularly. It's going to kill. We're really at a loss for what to do," he said.

Lincoln County Commissioner Jerry Nine reported that he met with John Devine, a closed youth center's partner-owner, who agreed to lease the facility for 18 to 24 months for \$5,000 a month.

County officials thought that was too high. They offered \$3,100 a month, five thousand dollars below the asking price. I think everyone would agree with that," said Blaine County Prosecutor Ned Williamson. The board agreed to ask Devine if he will lower his price.

Susanne Colvin of Jerome, the daughter of the property owners, told officials Devine leases the property for \$1,300 a month.

Colvin said her parents, Donald and Elsie Colvin, of Kingman, Ariz., will sell the land and buildings for \$175,000.

Meanwhile, Devine has a lease on the property, with an option to purchase it, till June 1993. He offered to sell it for \$280,000.

Although the six counties agreed they'll

Please see JAIL B3

## Ketchum council hears plan for affordable housing

### Woman gains support in controversy over feeding wildlife

By David R. Langford  
Times-News correspondent

**KETCHUM** — Efforts by the city of Ketchum to spur private sector solutions for the affordable housing shortage have been met with a developer who has proposed a 22-unit apartment complex in town.

At Monday night's City Council meeting, Michael Blash outlined a plan to build 22 two-bedroom apartments on land he owns west Ketchum owned by Roger Bergdahl.

The plan capitalizes on an idea that the council has worked for nearly a year and that the Ketchum Community Foundation has invested recently to give development

midroad right of way that would prohibit the city from using the property in this manner. According to City Administrator Jim Jaquet, the land was intended to be used as a permanent transportation corridor.

"But this is subject to interpretation and the parking area that is proposed for that part of the property may be unacceptable," he said.

"The parking area could serve as city-owned access to the bike path which is a daytime need," Jaquet said later in a telephone interview. "Whereas the parking requirements are a nighttime need."

But addition to the right-of-way question, setbacks, requirements and density require

ments — the number of units allowed per acre — may have to be waived. Despite these hurdles, the mood of the council was upbeat.

"This is the first concrete affordable housing solution that we've had," Councilman Jim Coles said. "I'm excited."

City Attorney Ed Lawson said he will research the findings at the next council meeting. According to Lawson, the final interpretation will lie with the title company, not the city.

Without a guarantee of clear title, no financing would be available for the project, developer Blash said, though many questions remain. Young

Please see KETCHUM B2

## Burley residents might pay more for city services

By Christopher Clark  
Times-News correspondent

A list of different options and price estimates.

Proposed rate increases for several city services are based on estimates submitted by city staff.

Garbage rates would increase from its current rate of \$4.75 per month to \$5.50 per month if the City Council approves the hike at its next meeting.

Adult plots at the city cemetery would increase from \$100 to \$250. Other plots would also cost more under the proposed rate increase. The mayor said it has been at least 10 years since the last hike, but city officials noted that the hike may never

next meeting, scheduled for 8 p.m. Oct. 15. The meeting will be held at the city water building.

At the meeting, City Attorney Bill Stehr recommended the city increase rates and requested public input on the increases at its next meeting.

In other business, the council

passed a motion to increase salaries for certain city employees. The pay increase does not however pertain to the mayor, city clerk or any of the council members.

Awarded bids to both Bewon Oil and Smith Oil for fuel to city equipment.

Accepted a mural of the city of Burley as it might have looked in 1910 and a plaque telling about the mural from the County Centennial Committee. The mural can be viewed in the council chamber.

Decided to buy three half-ton pickup trucks from Bonanza Motors for \$32,024. And decided not to buy a three-quarter-ton truck at this time.











# Features

## Tomato season brings joy

Everyone has a favorite season. Most kids proclaim summer with its absence of school, proliferation of sports and no bad times as the best. Many husbands would choose fall with hunting, football and the death of the leaves as the best. For me, it's tomato season. That ephemeral period beginning with the appearance of the first red tomato in my garden and ending with the first hard frost.

Oh, the joy of biting into that velvety,

red-to-the-center, sweet, juicy red live tomato. Soon it will be back to the waxy and gassed pink-harboody impersonators sold in the stores.

But it's the fresh-picked creation of the 100-year-old Florida signature for supermarket sales. MH1 dropped from six feet tall to survive unblemished. No Better Boy or Early Girl can compete with that.

Charles Rick, a retired plant geneticist, claims however, that genetics are not responsible for inferior store tomatoes. Interviewed in *Natural History* magazine, he claims we have no right to demand a fresh tomato in January. The fault is with green picking, long transit times, the low January lights and gas ripening that produces poor tomatoes. He claims that studies done with vine-ripened commercial varieties pleased consumers.

MH1, grown mainly in Florida and Mexico for fresh consumption, is picked by hand when green, sprayed with wax and fungicide, packaged and trucked thousands of miles. Gassed with ethylene en route, these tomatoes arrive ripe.

Canned tomatoes, of which 80 percent come from California, are allowed to wind-ripen and are canned nearby. These develop full flavor and a natural-deep color.

Esthetes aside, tomatoes pack a nutritional wallop. *Natural History* (as well as other sources) reports that the tomato is one of the top four sources of nutrients among all fruits and vegetables. It's also the most popular hot and cold condiment. Broccoli, spinach, Brussels sprouts and 12 other vegetables are more nutritionally dense, (that means vitamins and minerals per calorie), but because we eat so many tomatoes, they become our chief source.

They are a favorite crop in home gardens, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Of course, we are not eating all these tomatoes fresh. We eat more processed tomatoes than fresh. Fifty percent of the processed tomatoes are peeled and canned. 40 percent are juiced and the remaining 10 percent become pulp transformed into juice, paste, sauce and ketchup. I was unable to find out what percent of the tomato production ends up as pizza sauce.

One ripe tomato contains less than a half a gram of fat, as much carbohydrates as one-half slice of bread, 16% protein than a teaspoon of peanut butter and only 24 calories. This tomato harbors only one-sixth of the recommended dietary allowance of vitamin A, one-third the RDA for vitamin C, 200-milligrams of sodium and less than important amounts of potassium and folacin. One half cup of canned tomatoes, if packed with calcium salts, can supply up to 3 percent of the adult RDA for calcium according to Consumer Reports.

Sodium levels vary widely with the canned brands - 750 milligrams is an average. Buying the no-salt option and adding other spices to perk up the flavor is especially a good idea if you have high blood pressure but not a bad idea for anyone.

Pesticides, nematocides, herbicides and fungicides are all used in tomato production. Up to 100 chemicals have been licensed for use on tomatoes, including 23 known or suspected carcinogens according to Consumer Reports. The EPA journal reports that tomatoes may be sprayed every five days at the height of the growing season. Insects in the journal article detailed on tomatoes are navel galls, common + Report contracted with an independent lab to test tomatoes for pesticide residue. None were found in any canned tomatoes. Presumably, peeling and washing dispelled them. Fresh tomatoes did contain traces of bromopol, a fungicide that has a supposedly negligible cancer

Please see SLICKERS/C7

## Short-cut to create a cozy bistro dinner

**E**ven bistro's bistro - those small, cafe-style restaurants come simple, hearty, no-fuss food. For many, bistro fare reflects the heart and soul of French home cooking. To help weeknight cooks experiment with this cuisine, the Lipton Kitchens developed simple directions for a short-cut version of a bistro meal. To minimize preparation time, use pre-cooked foods from the local deli and packaged convenience foods that may already be in your pantry. Redefine cooking time to minutes by popping the dishes into the microwave oven.

Oh, the joy of biting into that velvety,

### PANTRY SHOPPING LIST

Makes one serving  
1 envelope instant harvest vegetable or onion soup mix  
1 small loaf French bread  
2 tablespoons mayonnaise  
1/4 teaspoon garlic powder  
3-4 ounces smoked sausage  
1/2 pound deli vinaigrette-style potato salad  
Salad greens  
Beaujolais wine  
Fruit tart  
Tea bag(s)

"Traditionally, soup is an important part of a bistro meal, but with a small bowl of Harvest Vegetable or Onion Soup topped with French bread spread with a vinaigrette-style mayonnaise, it's a quick fix."

To prepare, pour instant soup mix into a microwave-safe bowl. Add 1/2 cup water; stir until dissolved. Microwave at HIGH (full power) 1 1/2 minutes or until boiling. Let stand for 1 1/2 minutes. Tea should not boil. Let stand for 1 1/2 minute to desired strength. Remove tea bag; squeeze.

### QUICK & EASY MENU

French-Style Harvest Vegetable or Onion Soup  
Warm Sausage with Potato Salad  
Beaujolais Wine (optional)  
Fruit Tart  
Fresh-brewed Tea

Blend mayonnaise with garlic powder, spread on a slice of French bread and warm in the microwave oven 10-12 seconds, until topping is melted. Float in soup.

The main dish is a bistro classic - steaming sausage served with warm vinaigrette-style potatoes. To prepare, slice the sausage, combine with potato salad and cook at HIGH (full power) until heated through, about 2 1/2 minutes. (Stir after 1 minute.) Serve on salad greens.

If you drink wine with dinner, try a glass of Beaujolais.

As with its main dishes, bistro desserts are simple, with fruit liquefied easily heading the list. Enjoy a fruit tart along with a pinot noir or a bottle of hot tea brewed in the microwave oven.

To brew one serving, place 1 tea bag in a microwavable cup, then fill with 6 ounces cold water. Microwave at HIGH (full power) 1 1/2 minutes. Tea should not boil. Let stand for 1 1/2 minute to desired strength. Remove tea bag; squeeze.



Clockwise from top left: Beaujolais wine, fresh-brewed tea, onion soup, fruit tart and warm sausage with potato salad.

## Try hot and cold cuisine to jump-start taste buds

By Larry Brown  
Seattle Times

In the market for something to jump-start your taste buds? Whip up some cold soups.

All too often, recipes instruct us to "serve immediately" from the oven or "serve warm." That's not the case with these cold soups.

So why do they advise to "serve hot and cold"? But today, we're helping to fill that gastronomic gap with recommendations for palate-exciting creations combining the two temperature extremes.

In my mind, I can imagine a good example of hot and cold cuisine - though it was yesterday instead of more than 20 years ago. The dessert specialty of the house, a delectably puffed chocolate souffle, from the oven to our table, where we spooned our steaming meringues quickly, glazed them with a cold-dark-chocolate sauce. It was an adult version of a hot fudge sundae. It was heaven on a plate!

Another happy food memory, dating back

to childhood, is wilting lettuce salad, a family dinner favorite made by tossing chilled pieces of lettuce with a hot dressing made of bacon, bacon fat, cider vinegar, white sugar, salt and pepper.

One of the most popular hot and cold combos are hot beef soup accented by a dollop of cold sour cream and vanilla ice cream with rum-flavored banana Foster cherries, juice, hot berry sorbet or hot apple pie.

But this tempestuous mix works equally as well in some less obvious ways, such as those in some of today's recipes.

Green Chile-Curry Chicken with Cucumber Salad is a sterling example of point-counterpoint in flavor, as well as temperatures.

Chilled cucumber slices and yogurt are spiced with mustard and cumin seeds, while the chicken is sauteed in oil and cilantro. Chicken breasts sliced into thin strips are stir-fried, then mixed with a sauce enhanced by jalapeno peppers, ginger, curry powder and turmeric.

Hot Fudge Sundae with Branded Cherries. Fresh cherries are chilled in a sweet sauce with a bit of butter, a swirl of chocolate sauce and a scoop of vanilla ice cream with a hot fudgy chocolate sauce.

Another happy food memory, dating back

## Some hot, cold cuisine recipes

Seattle Times

1/4 teaspoon vegetable oil, divided  
2 whole boneless and skinless chicken breasts, cut into thin strips about 1/4 inch or less by CeCe Sullivan, Seattle Times  
1 medium onion, peeled and finely chopped  
3 medium cloves garlic, peeled and minced

GREEN CHILI CURRY CHICKEN WITH CUCUMBER SALAD (5 servings; approximate preparation time 25 minutes)

**Salad:** 2 medium cucumbers, 1/4 to 1/2 inch cubes  
1/4 cup plain low-fat yogurt  
1/4 teaspoon turmeric  
1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper  
2 teaspoons minced cilantro  
1/4 cup shelled cashews, coarsely chopped

**Chicken:** 1 to 2 medium jalapeno peppers, seeded and finely sliced  
2 large ripe tomatoes, seeded and cut into 1/2-inch cubes  
1 cup chicken broth  
1 tablespoon finely grated fresh ginger  
1/4 cup plain low-fat yogurt  
1/4 teaspoon turmeric  
1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper  
2 teaspoons lemon juice  
1 teaspoon minced cilantro  
1 lime, cut into wedges

**F. To prepare the salad:** Peel the cucumbers. Please see RECIPES/C7

## Cook's profile

### 'Checkbook' helps Mottern-High cut fat from family's diet

By Joan Bean  
Times-News correspondent

TWIN FALLS — Since Janis Mottern-High read a book called "Choose to Live," a Food Lover's Guide to Permanent Weight Loss, she has been trying to cut about 10 percent of her fat intake.

The book, written by Dr. Ron Goor and Nancy Goor and published by Houghton Mifflin, offers a fast counterpoint to the "low-fat" books like a "low-carbohydrate-and-schlock" regular in a "follow-up" case. One of the "regulars" part is information about fat in various foods.

The book is there to record how much fat has been consumed each day.

She and her husband, Ken, ordered this handy "checkbook" a few months ago, and have been using it to keep close track of their family's fat intake.

I think we try just about as firmly now to eat more fruits and what we have around the house," she says. "We no longer have chips in the house because they are really high in fat content."

Mottern-High says her family is quite conscious of the amount of butter they eat and they drink only 1 percent or skim milk and eat very few eggs. She also does some substituting, such as spreading jelly instead of butter on toast.

Instead of sour cream, she uses nonfat yogurt. She says if one knows ahead that sour cream will be called for in a recipe, the yogurt can be adjusted to have a consistency more like sour cream. To do this, she might before make a slice of cheese cloth to a bowl with a piece of string or rubber band and place the yogurt on the cloth, and refrigerate. This draws the water from the yogurt.

"But I have done it sometimes where I

have just tossed the yogurt in some equivalent - maybe a little bit less - and never really had any trouble with that," she says.

She says, "I'm not marginal - have the same amount of fat in the diet as the other," leaves it out, without substitution, or cuts it down in their day's quota. When she sautes, she cuts down the amount of fat called for. If it says use two tablespoons butter, maybe she'll use two, or maybe even try to get by with one, she says. "If it looks like it's not going fat enough, I add a little bit more."

But all of this attention to fat detail could become fatiguing without an occasional treat.

"We belong to a gourmet club, and we love to cook - that's kind of our splurge," she says. "When we go to parties, we take the checkbook out, leave the door and don't think about it."

Here is a tasty dish she says has only eight grams of fat per serving:

CALIFORNIA CHICKEN SALAD

1 pound chicken

1 small onion, quartered

1 large carrot sliced

1 bay leaf

1/3 cup light mayonnaise

1/4 cup sour cream or yogurt

1/4 cup low-fat milk

2 tablespoons minced green onions

1/4 cup white wine vinegar

1 teaspoon dried tarragon leaves

1/2 teaspoon salt

2 cups seedless green or red grapes, halved

1 cup celery sliced

Lettuce

Cook the chicken with the onion, carrot,

bay leaf and enough water to cover it.

Simmer (or bake at 350 degrees) for 30

minutes.

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Cutting fat in her family's diet is an everyday routine for Janis Mottern-High.

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## Valley life

# Neither name, hair color nor nose reveals a person's faith

**DEAR ABBY:** I have a question for a new friend and need help in developing a sensible approach. The new friend has the potential to play a significant role in my life. If the answer is yes, or if it is no, I couldn't care less either way, but I would like to know if he is Jewish.

How can I find out if he doesn't volunteer? He claims he is nonreligious. He is from a large family in upstate New York. Those tell me nothing. His father is French and I don't know about his mother. His complexion and hair are very dark. He is jokingly referred to as "Jesus." He's attractive, how can I know without sounding too concerned? What I really am?

**CURIOUS DOWN SOUTH**

**DEAR GIBRIOUSS:** I'm surprised you are drawing your conclusions on the basis of his name or his nose, because both are easily changed. Having a French father doesn't tell you anything about his religion. There are French Jews, Mormons, Christians, Moslems, Buddhists and atheists. And don't draw your conclusions on the basis of hair-color or complexion. Jews come in all colors.

Also some Jewish people jokingly refer to Jews as "Jews," "the Jew,"



**Dear Abby**  
Abigail  
VanBuren

as you say, "in awe." Friend has the potential to play a significant role in your life. If you're still seeing each other in December, ask if you can attend Christian services with him.

DEAR ABBY: I have been wanting to write this letter for years, but

capped places. Those places are meant for people who are in wheelchairs, writers or others like there no decency left in this world?

**DEAR DISGUSTED WITH CHEATERS**

I'm finally getting around to it. I used to respect the signs that read "Parking for Handicapped Only."

No more. In my community drivers have special license plates issued for handicapped people and do you know what person's handicap is?" Hard of hearing? Why on earth would a person who is hard of

hearing need a special place to park?

I also know a man with a handicapped license who is supposed to be disabled. He goes dancing four nights a week until 1 a.m. Why should he be given a special place to park?

Another person I know borrows a car from a handicapped relative so she can park in reserved for-handicapped spaces.

DEAR ABBY: Add this to your collection of unbelievable hospital bills. In 1984 my wife gave birth to a baby girl. Before checking out of the hospital, we were presented with the following bill:

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## Valley happenings

### Jerome Task Force for Seniors to meet

**JEROME** — The Jerome Task Force for Seniors will meet at 9 a.m. Friday in the conference room at St. Benedict's Family Medical Center, 709 N. Lincoln St. Participants will evaluate the seminar recently sponsored by the task force.

### Church plans annual harvest bazaar

**TWIN FALLS** — Twin Falls First Christian Church will have its annual harvest bazaar starting at 9 a.m. Friday in Fellowship Hall, corner of Shoshone Street and Sixth Avenue, North. The bazaar will feature arts and crafts, country slows and other booths. Luncheon will be served starting at 1 p.m.

### Church Women-United plans meeting

**TWIN FALLS** — Church Women United of Magic Valley will meet at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Valley Christian Our Savior Lutheran Church, 1708 Heyburn Ave. All are welcome. For more information, call 733-3796.

## Experts offer tips on getting organized

By Sheila Anne Feeney  
New York Daily News

Your life is an unorganized crime. You're watching budget blues, yet getting less done. Getting out the door in the morning requires the aid of memory. Your desk has deteriorated into an ad hoc paper-recycling center, and your home looks like landfill.

You can't recoup the dividends of extra hours yielded from being well-organized if you never invest the initial effort. You say organization experts.

"You have to file every week," admonishes Millie Emory, of the Manhattan clutter clearing firm Emory & Mills. Do it. For most clients, "The single biggest problem is paper flow...if you skip it once, you fall back in it old ways."

Purses and pockets should be emptied of receipts, carbons and cab tabs and filed appropriately in preparation for April 15, says Emory, who likes to use a flat folder to keep all artifacts that might count toward a break on taxes in the spring. Keep them by category — shelf and loose, expenses for magazines and publications, office equipment — so you or your accountant can whiz through the categories.

As far as household objects and clutter go, keep like objects together. The big decision is how to group them: Is it more efficient to keep all sling-backs in the same pile, or to clump slippers by color?

Modify your decision if it doesn't work well for you.

Jeffrey Mayer urges that desk clutter be minimized by dealing with each piece of paper as it comes in and keeping files in accordion folders — not hanging files arranged according to frequency of use or importance.

Mayer, author of "If you haven't got the time to do it right, when will you find the time to do it over?" (Simon & Schuster, \$17.95), also suggests keeping a master list of all calls to be returned, calls to return,

and errands to run, crossing each off as it's completed. (Doesn't everyone already do this?) Don't ever put a piece of unfinished work into a folder unless you've entered the task to be done on your master list. Don't let down notes to yourself on little pieces of paper, says the organizer man. The purpose of the list is to remind all your chores so you can see, at a glance, what your priorities are to be each day — and what you can work in if you have the time.

Among the more "devious" solutions to saving time are Mayers'

ideas for discouraging interruptions from co-workers. Just as you should schedule appointments with yourself, so too should you clean your desk, you should schedule "deadlines" and keep appointments on your calendar to achieve the most pressing of your job's duties.

For most people, the most productive time is the morning. Avoid scheduling meetings and shun interruptions during this "appointment with yourself" for creative work and "deadline" meeting. Says "Rewards," such as easy-to-accomplish tasks, for after you've completed the chores you dread most.

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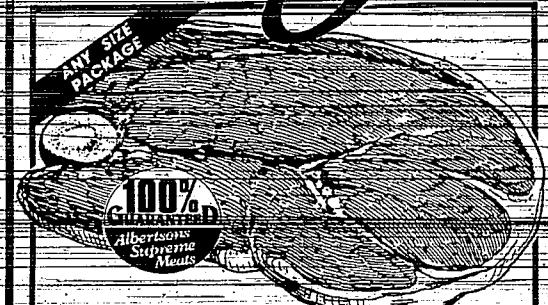
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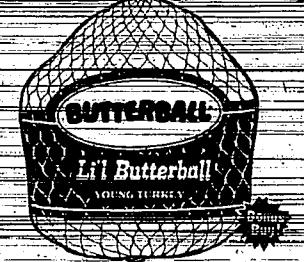
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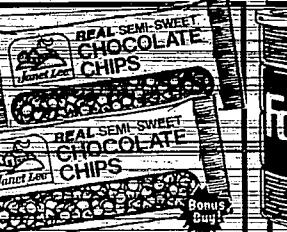
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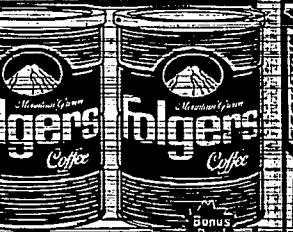
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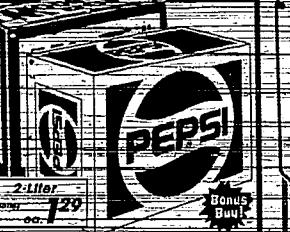
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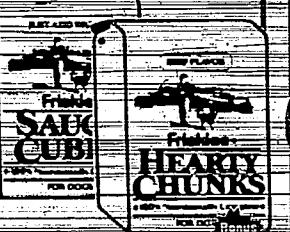
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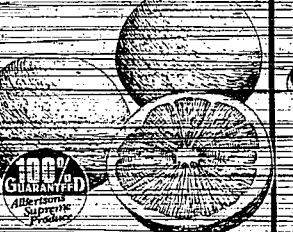
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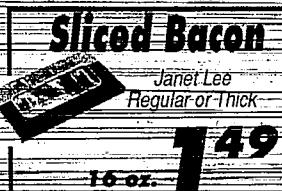
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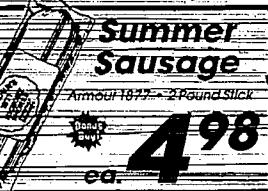
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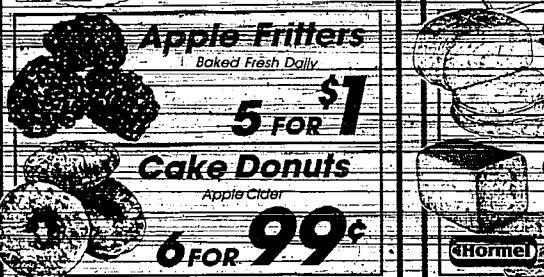
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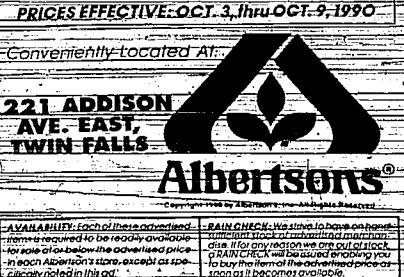
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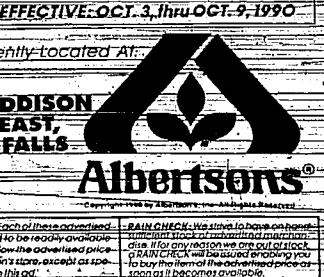
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**Home/garden****Fall is best time to kill perennial weeds everywhere**

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Fall is the very best time of year to kill perennial weeds in lawns, gardens, flower beds and around shrubs.

Perennial weeds are those which will live through the winter and be back next spring to baffle you. Some of the worst perennial weeds are dandelions, quack grass, clover, bindweed and this list. They are some of the toughest weeds to kill because they store large food in underground parts even after tops are removed or killed.

Right now weeds are sending food down to these underground storage organs. Weedkiller applied now will be sent down to the roots and kill the entire plant.

The kind of weedkiller to use depends upon the weeds and where it is growing. For broadleaf weeds such as clovers growing in lawns, a lawn weed killer containing 2,4-D or similar compounds such as MCPP and Banvel should be used.

Products which contain a combination of products such as 2,4-D and Trimec are more effective in hard-to-kill weeds such as clover. Lawn weed killers are available in liquid concentrations, ready-to-spray cans and the granular products combined with fertilizer.

A spray can is handy if you only have a few scattered weeds. The combination weed and feed granules are excellent if you have not fertilized your lawn in the last couple of months. Now is the best time to feed lawns. Fertilizer applied now will make the lawn stay green longer into fall and green up quicker in the spring.

As soon as you have harvested the last vegetables of frost has killed the flowers, glyphosate can be sprayed on quackgrass,

bindweed or other perennial weeds. Glyphosate is sold under several brand names including Roundup and Kleenup. It is a non-selective weed killer which kills most plants to which it is applied.

Once the vegetables and flowers are harvested or dead, the weeds can't be controlled. However, tightening the boards from above gives temporary help. It is to spray powdered graphite or silicone lubricant between the boards in squeaking areas. Sweeping talcum powder into cracks is another quick treatment.

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However, tightening the boards from above is generally the only reasonably permanent approach when second-story floors squeak. Pinpoint the noisy areas by walking around on

**Squeaking 2nd-story floors often difficult to fix**

Q. The hardwood floors in our upstairs bedroom and hall squeak. Is there any way to repair this short of ripping up the floor?

A. Squeaks in floors are generally caused by movement of loose parts, such as gaps in joints and between floorboards and the subfloor. If the squeaking is sharp, it is easy to cure. If it occurs in floors over joists or small spaces, where the floor structure is exposed and the location of gaps or loose parts can be detected from underneath, tightening the structure by shimming gaps or adding braces will often silence the squeaks.

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When remailing, drill pilot holes slightly smaller than the nails to avoid splitting the wood. Nails should be driven at an angle to improve their grip. One good system to use pairs of nails angled toward each other at the top.

Q. I am having a house built and want to insulate well and correctly. The attic will have blown-in insulation. I want to put a plastic vapor barrier under the insulation, but the

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Gene Austin

binder says that will make the house too tight and could invalidate the insurance warranty. Is this true?

A. The vapor barrier could do a lot

of good by helping to keep moisture from rising into the attic, where it would cause condensation problems.

It is true that the vapor barrier will not do any harm. When insulation properly placed, the vapor barrier is usually accounted for. When there are any doubts, however, find out what kind of insulation the builder plans to use and get another opinion from the manufacturer.

Q. We have combination storm

screen windows with aluminum screens. The screens corrode and do

not hold up well.

A. Painting the screens probably

is the best bet. I would use a spray paint suitable for metal, such as Rust-Oleum's flat black. Before painting, clean the screens with a household cleaner and soft brush and rinse thoroughly. Do the painting outdoors on a calm day and observe all cautions and instructions on the paint container.

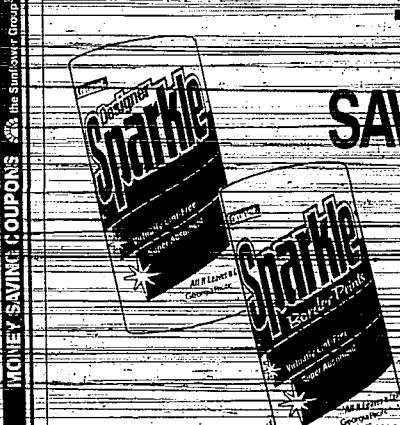
Q. The mortar between some bricks on my outside stairs and patio is deteriorating, and some of the bricks are loose. Can I fix this and how?

A. Mortar mix sold at most home centers and hardware stores can be used to make the repairs. A small trowel, chisel and hammer will also be needed. Wear goggles when using the chisel. Remove loose bricks; then chisel out a cavity of the old mortar to make space for a new layer of new mortar. Also chip loose and deteriorated mortar from between bricks that are still adhering, making grooves at least an inch deep.

Mix water into the dry mortar to produce a stiff mixture. Use the trowel to spread enough mortar on areas where loose bricks were removed to bring the bricks to the level. Start and patio surfaces. Place each brick carefully in its original position and tap it into place with the handle of the trowel. Also use the trowel to pack more mortar into the gaps between bricks, filling and smoothing them to match the other joints. Clean up any excess of spent mortar immediately.

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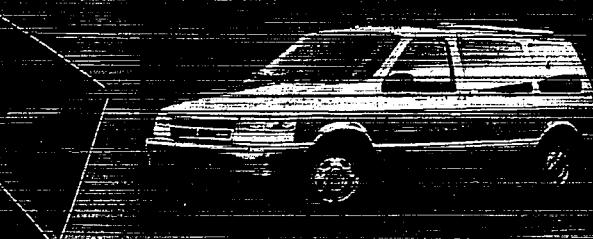












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