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Good morning

Today's forecast

Partly cloudy today with a high near 45. Cloudy and cool tonight with patchy fog and a low near 20.

Magic Valley

Patriotic peddlers

A group of local folk called Operation Desert Ribbon is working hard to garner support for military personnel and has opened a store to raise money to send them mail and news from the Mini-Cassia area.

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Symms challenge?

Second District Congressman Richard Stallings of Rexburg is considering challenging U.S. Sen. Steve Symms in 1992 and there is a number of other possible Democratic contenders as well.

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Sports

Crash aids Daytona winner

A crash near the end involving the race favorite helped Eric Irvan win his first Daytona 500 Sunday.

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Like money in the bank

The Pittsburgh Pirates saved themselves \$1 million or so Sunday when a salary arbitrator sided with them against National League MVP Bobby Bonds.

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Avoiding asthma attacks

Asthma attacks are set off by triggers such as pollen, dust and cigarette smoke. But there are ways to cope with asthma.

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Don't expect perfection

Columnist JoAnn Larsen suggests that couples who expect a perfect marriage may be disappointed. She shares tips on how to have a wonderful imperfect marriage.

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Ruffling feathers

President Bush will make a few enemies with his assault on entitlement programs for the well-to-do and the middle class. But those entitlements are overdue for an overhaul, a columnist writes.

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Fighting words

Four weeks of war have added some new jargon to our language. But much of it is what allied commander Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf calls "bovine scatology."

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World

Mayor at risk

Detroit Mayor Coleman Young feels the heat as a \$2.6 million embezzlement case proceeds against former police chief William L. Hart, one of his close associates. The result could be Young's retirement, either by choice or by angry voters in an upcoming election.

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Deadly disease

Peru's cholera continues to spread and health officials warn it could easily become a far more dangerous situation than currently exists. Neighboring countries are taking steps to prevent the spread of the disease, and Peru's economy is suffering as some of its exports are embargoed for fear of contamination.

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Allied troops mass along Kuwait border

Chicago Tribune

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DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia — Allied forces massed along Saudi Arabia's border with Iraqi-occupied Kuwait Sunday, ready to launch a ground offensive against Saddam Hussein's dug-in troops if diplomatic efforts fail.

Sharp skirmishes between allied and Iraqi forces were reported along the border Sunday as speculation rose that a full-scale ground war would start within days.

From his family retreat in Kennebunkport, Maine, President Bush said he hoped the occupation of Kuwait would end "very, very soon. ... We are determined to finish this job and do it right."

Hopes for a diplomatic settlement receded with talks in Moscow Monday between Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev and Iraqi Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz. The Iraqi official traveled to the Soviet capital via Iran, where he was quoted as saying he would not

offer a new peace proposal in his talks with Gorbachev.

"We have taken our step and now it is the turn of the other side to show its good will," Aziz said.

Bush, who on Friday rejected Hussein's highly conditional offer to withdraw from Kuwait as a "small loss," said the Soviets are trying hard to seek an end to the conflict. But his words gave no hint of much hope that the negotiations in Moscow would succeed.

Once again, administration officials rejected Iraq's bid for a "cease-fire." They also would not comment on persistent reports that a ground war could come as early as this week.

"We are on the eve or the pre-eve of the

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Talks seem futile to U.S.

Los Angeles Times

WASHINGTON — President Bush and his top advisers offered little hope Sunday for a diplomatic solution to the Persian Gulf war as Iraqi Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz arrived in Moscow for talks Monday with Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev.

Aziz and other Iraqi diplomats continued to press for negotiations on Baghdad's offer, made Friday, to withdraw from Kuwait if a series of conditions are met. Iraq's foreign minister said Sunday that he was not considering any new proposal to Moscow.

"We have taken our step, and now is the turn of the other side to show its good

will," Aziz told reporters in Tehran, according to Iran's official Islamic Republic News Agency. Aziz had traveled overland from Baghdad to Iran, where he boarded a Soviet Aeroflot jetliner bound for Moscow.

Also Sunday, Abdul Razik Hashimi, Iraq's ambassador to France, said that the series of conditions attached to Baghdad's offer to pull out of Kuwait were intended, in effect, as an opening offer meant to lead to negotiations.

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Analysis

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The Associated Press

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Spinning her wheel



Weather conditions for a bicycle ride were good, but a flat tire threw a wrench in Jennifer Sheen's plans. The 9-year-old walks with her dismantled bike to her grandfather, Glen Sheen, to return with a new inner tube Friday afternoon at the home of her grandparents on Eighth Avenue East in Twin Falls.

Budget deficit outstrips Bush estimate \$255 billion

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\$117 billion and spending of \$123.3 billion, leaving a deficit of \$63.1 billion.

Even at the time, critics charged the deficit was wrong.

They complained that its assumptions about the economy were overly rosy, that Congress would never go along with the administration's proposed budget cuts and that the administration had "low-balled" spending needs in certain areas.

The Congressional Budget Office estimated the 1991 deficit would be \$138 billion — at least on paper.

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\$9 trillion bond a bit steep, says suspect's brother

The Associated Press

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — A judge criticized by the mayor for being too soft on national lawbreakers raised a theft suspect's bond to \$9 trillion, nearly three times the national debt.

Mayor Richard Arrington complained at a City Council meeting last week that District Judge Jack Montgomery repeatedly enabled suspects with serious criminal backgrounds to be released by setting low bonds.

Arrington cited Isaac Peterson, 34, who he said has been arrested seven times since July on charges of burglary and receiving stolen property.

Each trip, bond ranged from \$500 to \$5,000. But for someone with his criminal history it should be higher, the mayor said.

Peterson again was arrested Jan. 22 on a theft charge. His bond, initially set at \$5,000, was raised by Montgomery on Thursday to \$9 trillion, said a deputy at Jefferson County Jail, where Peterson remained Sunday.

"This is so he doesn't get in any more trouble," the judge said. "I could have set his bond at nothing, or I could have let him out on his signature."

The judge declined to explain how he arrived at \$9 trillion — which compares with a national debt of \$3.2 trillion.

No one had contacted him about reconsidering, he said.

Peterson's brother, James, who lives in San Francisco, called The Birmingham News on Sunday and Saturday to complain.

"The bond is disproportionate to the crime," he said. "Our national debt is not even that large."

Neither the mayor nor Peterson's lawyer, George Andrews, could be reached by telephone for comment. Montgomery said he has set high bonds before, including \$2.6 billion bond in one case he could not recall.

"I have a big mouth and people are always taking potshots at me," Montgomery said. "I have gone so far out on a limb that I've built a nest out there."



If the call comes, Sgt. Roger Haro, left, and Sgt. Jesus Diaz say they will take their M-1 tank skills to the Persian Gulf War.

Burley tank crews ready to go

By Christopher R. Clark

Times-News correspondent

BURLEY — They're "revved," says their commander. They don't want to go to war, but they will get the job done if they are called to the Persian Gulf.

They are the Burley-based 2nd Battalion, 116th Cavalry National Guard unit.

"None of these guys wants to go to war, but they will if the need arises," said company commander Capt. Steve Knutzen, 32.

Knutzen explained that not all of the men in his unit agree with why American troops are in the Middle East.

But to them, that is not the issue. The issue is that if they are called, they will be ready and they will go, he said.

Knutzen spoke of the men who train at the Burley National Guard Army while they stood in formation awaiting instructions for their monthly training session.

The mood was somber. And though there was some kidding and joking, the guardsmen trained with a "let's take care of business" attitude.

"Some people think that these guys are only here for the check, but for several of them, the pay doesn't even cover the travel expenses that these men have to incur," said Knutzen, who lives in Post Falls, a suburb of Coeur D'Alene.

"These men come from all over at their own expense to train together.

They travel from towns as far away as Louisa, Utah, Boise, Idaho Falls and Potlatch.

Although there are two M-1 tanks located at the armory to train with, much of what is done there is done outside of the tanks.

Last weekend was spent tearing down and rebuilding machine guns, checking equipment and studying vehicle identification.

Sgt. Jesus Diaz said the guard members have to be able to identify a tank by its outline — they have to be able to identify what type of tank it is and what country it is from.

Diaz, 33, who described himself as a "jack-of-all-trades," has been in the National Guard for 10 years. He lives in Rupert and works at the Rupert Les Schwab Tires.

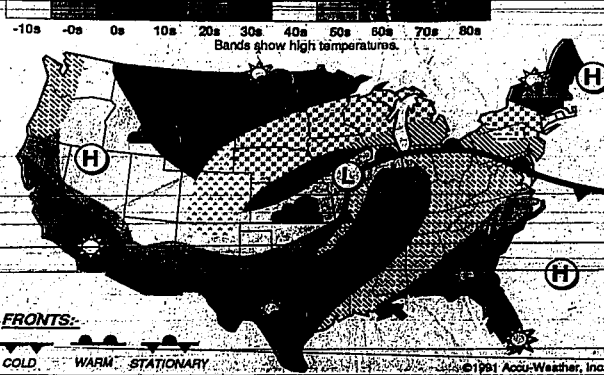
Diaz is married and has three children. He also said he helps his family.

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Weather

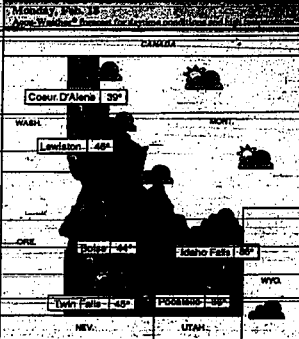
NATIONAL WEATHER

The Accu-Weather Forecast for near Monday, Feb. 18



FRONTS: COLD, WARM, STATIONARY
Bands show high temperatures
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IDAHO Weather



Location	High/Low	Forecast
Boise	48-37	Partly cloudy
Idaho Falls	42-28	Partly cloudy
Lewiston	45-33	Partly cloudy
Blackfoot	45-33	Partly cloudy
Arden	45-33	Partly cloudy
Blaine	45-33	Partly cloudy
Butte	45-33	Partly cloudy
Chubbuck	45-33	Partly cloudy
Donnerstag	45-33	Partly cloudy
Driggs	45-33	Partly cloudy
Elgin	45-33	Partly cloudy
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Franklin	45-33	Partly cloudy
Garden Valley	45-33	Partly cloudy
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Home	45-33	Partly cloudy
Jerome	45-33	Partly cloudy
Mayfield	45-33	Partly cloudy
Minidoka	45-33	Partly cloudy
Mountain Home	45-33	Partly cloudy
Northwood	45-33	Partly cloudy
Opportunity	45-33	Partly cloudy
Payson	45-33	Partly cloudy
Power	45-33	Partly cloudy
Shoshone	45-33	Partly cloudy
St. Leon	45-33	Partly cloudy
Timberline	45-33	Partly cloudy
Trustee	45-33	Partly cloudy
Victor	45-33	Partly cloudy
Wilder	45-33	Partly cloudy
Yamhill	45-33	Partly cloudy

Weather summary
Idaho hosted a cool and moist upper level trough for much of Sunday, but the weather system was moving out of the state and into Wyoming by nightfall, the National Weather Service said.
Meteorologists predict another Eastern Pacific storm will bring increasing clouds to northern and southwestern Idaho Friday afternoon with some shower activity spreading across the state Monday night.
Alice and Beaville, Tex. recorded the nation's highest temperatures Sunday with 83-degree readings. The country's coolest spot was Guilford, Maine, at 11 degrees below zero.
In Idaho, the highest temperature in the state was 56 degrees in Lewiston. Stanley reported the state's coldest temperature at 21 degrees.

Snow falls in New England, Dakotas, some Western states
The Associated Press
Snow fell Sunday in parts of New England, the Dakotas and some of the western states. Rain drenched the northern Pacific Coast and parts of the South.
Snowfall stretched from central New York state through parts of Maryland, Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Virginia, South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Utah, Wyoming, Colorado and the mountains of central Washington state.
Up to 4 inches of snow fell in the northern mountains of Utah during the morning and by late morning up to 2 feet of snow covered some areas.
By late afternoon, snow covered almost all of South Dakota except for the extreme southeast. Some areas of the Black Hills received up to 6 inches.
Rain was scattered over the northern Pacific Coast and through parts of Nebraska, Texas, Arkansas, Missouri, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi. Freezing rain hit northeast Kentucky.
Snowfall during the six hours ending at 1 p.m. EST included 4 inches at Lander, Wyo., 2 inches at Charleston, W.Va., and Rapid City, S.D., and 1 inch at Atlantic City, N.J., Cleveland, Ohio, New York, and Pierre, S.D.
There were no reports of heavy rainfall during the same six hours.
The cold continued Sunday in Florida, where several low temperature records were tied or broken, including 37 in Fort Myers, 40 in Hollywood and 34 in Tampa.
Florida farmers and growers, who had worried about frost damage to crops, said they escaped the weekend cold snap with minimal damage.
Temperatures around the nation at 3 p.m. ranged from 16 degrees at the Air Force base at Grand Forks, N.D., to 86 degrees at McAllen, Texas.
The morning low for the Lower 48 states was 10 degrees below zero at Houlton, Maine.

Amphibious force strike-ready

IN THE PERSIAN GULF (AP) — Thirty-one amphibious assault ships with thousands of U.S. soldiers on board have gathered in a small area of the Persian Gulf in preparation for a possible ground assault on Kuwait.
Capt. Mike Falkey, commander of the landing ship USS Portland, said it was the largest gathering of such vessels since the Korean War battle at Inchon in September 1950.
"We represent the cutting edge of the U.S. Navy," Falkey said. "We are the only means the president has to project sea power onto land. We can make a political difference."
The task force includes four helicopters and jet assault ships — the Jwo Jima, Tarawa, Nassau and Guam — carrying 30,000 sailors and U.S. Marines and their support equipment.
On Friday, the task force completed its fifth intensive landing exercise, practicing for the first time since 1978.
Falkey said only he and two other officers aboard the Portland had been in combat before but the crew's mood was good.
"Since the war began, morale has actually gone up," he said. "People realize it is likely to be a short war so they want to get it over with and go home."
Inside the belly of the ship are the "landing" craft — utility or LCU boats that carry several M-60 A-1 tanks, heavy weapons, and supplies.
Lt. Jim Parker, commander of a tank platoon, said the American tanks were "probably the best in the desert. This tank can easily take on a tank-specific job in the desert."
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"War is not a simple thing," he said. "But with the airplanes, the combined arms and the navy, I'm assuming we're going to beat the hell out of them."
The Portland's 442-foot-long well deck carries dozens of vehicles. The LCUs in the ship are lined up to ferry tanks and troops to the shore, repeating the operation several times during battle.

Ground war

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Judging from the increased allied activity over the last week, many American soldiers are saying the same thing: Allied commanders say Iraq defenses have been considerably weakened and the allies are close to launching a major offensive.
An American general in Saudi Arabia said "the table is set for an attack later this week, but U.S. Marine Brig. Gen. Richard Taylor said he didn't have a date for the ground offensive. "I don't know the date and I don't think there is a date," he told reporters.
Reports of an imminent ground attack have surfaced over the last few weeks. But now diplomats and military officers are voicing near certainty that the assault is about to begin. "This week, not next," one European diplomat said.
The New York Times reported Monday evening that American planes are using a new night-fighting tactic to destroy as many as 200 Iraqi tanks and troops in the desert.
American fighter bombers are using an improvised technique combining laser-guided bombs and night-vision goggles.
"Newly aggressive allied forces should soon be smashing through Iraq's defenses," the Times said.
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Tank

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care for his 2-year-old niece and 5-month-old nephew whose parents are both in Saudi Arabia.
But once a month Diaz belongs to the National Guard.
"When this war first broke out, I was really worried about having to go and fight," he said. "But as things have changed, I've begun to realize that if I have to go, I have to go. Now I don't worry about it so much."
Tank commander Sgt. Roger Hare, who works for Gen. Sisi's Security seconded Diaz's comments.
"There isn't any of us that want to go, but if we need to, we will go and do our jobs and get it done."
Hare said local people have been very supportive.
"As the Burley-Mimico basketball team, we're really giving a lot of standing ovation," he said. "And I made me feel kind of good — even though Mimico did lose."
Tank commander Lt. Don Schultz, who is a shop teacher at the Gooding School, said that while training during the week, explained the capabilities and limitations of the M-1 tank that is used by the U.S. Army.
"The tank has a four-man crew — a tank commander, a gunner, a loader and a driver," Schultz said. "Each man has a specific job to do in the vehicle."
The M-1 tank is the major piece of equipment that the crew in the Burley unit are trained to use.
"The tank itself weighs 50 tons and under ideal conditions, ungrounded, can go about 47 miles. The Zickel metal that armor the tank is a special type of metal designed at the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory."
And with the help of special computerized target data systems, judging the target distance and "locking on" the target, assuring a more accurate shot.
"Even as the tank bounces over rough terrain, once locked in, the tank will keep the target in the scope until you are ready to fire it," Schultz said.
Two video-type games with the words "Top Gun" on them sit at the Burley armory and at first glance seem out of place.

Deficit

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ion. While that was more than double the administration figure, the CBO was a long way off as well.
The reason for the big miss is that the CBO and the administration both erred in their assessments. For economic growth and the amount of money needed to resolve the savings and loan mess.
Struggling to meet the Gramm-Rudman deficit target while honoring the president's 50 new states compromise pledge, the administration included a token amount for recouping failed S&Ls of \$7.3 billion for 1991.
The other big miss involved the strength of the economy.
"The administration last year didn't forecast the current recession," Schultz said.
In July, the administration stuck to the assessment that the country would be able to avoid a recession. It put the 1991 deficit at \$23.4 billion, higher than \$63 billion but still below \$118 billion. Even as late as October, the recession was not included in planning.
The deficit target was \$19.50 for 13 weeks. Student and military service delivery, \$2.30 per week, \$28.00 for weeks for daily and Sunday.
"A charge of \$15 will be levied for all missed checks," Schultz said.
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Nation

Latest trouble may be mayor's final chapter

DETROIT (AP) — He's weathered scandals before, but Mayor Coleman Young has announced some more damaging than the embezzlement indictment that toppled his police chief — Young, 72, who defied a police commissioner in 1973 to become Detroit's first black mayor, built his political career on reforming a Police Department many blacks considered a hostile occupation force.

But last week's federal indictments, which accused Chief William Hart and a former deputy on charges of stealing \$2.6 million from a secret police fund, shake the foundations of Young's political machine, political analysts said.

"It hits him at his most sensitive



Young Hart

been "a personal tool of his... He is going to have a hard time restoring confidence in it."

During the 18-month probe, the Young administration waged a war of words with Federal investigators. And U.S. Attorney Stephen Markman said Young's help was "rapid at best" and the mayor's staff seemed more intent on impeding federal agents than finding the missing money.

In turn, Young accused the FBI and Markman of gunning for him as part of a war on black leaders.

The probe found no evidence to charge Young with a crime, Markman said.

When Young first ran for mayor, relations between the Police Department and the city's blacks were highly polarized, said political scientist Wilbur Rich, Wayne State University.

The department used rough, often deadly tactics in handling crimes in black neighborhoods, said Rich, author of the 1989 book "Coleman Young and Detroit Politics." Fewer than one in five of its officers were black.

Young disbanded the hated STRESS decoy program, which stood for "stop the robberies, enjoy safe streets" and had produced scores of shootings of black suspects. He also reined in police brutality and speeded up the firing of blacks until they made up more than half the 4,400-strong force.



Workers remove mail from the DC-9 Sunday.

Cargo plane crashes near Cleveland; 2 die

CLEVELAND (AP) — Witnesses said they saw an explosion shortly before a cargo jet carrying mail crashed early Sunday morning, killing the two crewmen aboard. But authorities said they had no reason to suspect a bombing.

The DC-9 slipped upside-down onto the snow-covered main runway at Cleveland Hopkins International Airport, demolishing the cockpit containing Capt. David Reay and First Officer Richard Dunney.

Witnesses to the crash included passengers aboard a Continental Airlines flight from Denver that had landed and was taxiing as the cargo jet was preparing to take off.

"It looked like it exploded right in the middle," said passenger Damien Wheeler. "It looked like it flipped, and then it slid right up side down on the runway. It was 200 feet from us at the most."

"It's odd. I didn't hear anything. But it lit up my eyes and it felt like my heart stopped. Everybody on board was freaked out."

He said the Continental pilot calmed passengers by saying the accident apparently involved a cargo plane, not a commercial flight with passengers.

Another Continental passenger, Jeff Glidden, recalled that the pilot said, "Let's say a short prayer for the crew."

Officials refused to speculate on the cause of the 12-20 a.m. crash or whether the cargo, U.S. mail, might have contained an explosive.

Airport spokesman Mark Cousins, when asked whether a bomb might have been planted in the plane's cargo, said: "We have no reason to believe that is a possibility."

More Edelein, a Federal Aviation Administration spokesman in Chicago, said there were flames in the jet's left engine as it tried to take off.

Investigators for the FAA and National Transportation Safety Board arrived Sunday to sift through the wreckage, seeking the flight data recorder and cockpit voice recorder as well as other clues.

The overturned fuselage had a churning, gapping hole, and the wings were bent off.

Alan Follock, a spokesman for the NTSB team, said the investigation would probably take about a week.

Abused kids affected in long term, study says

WASHINGTON (AP) — Children who are abused or severely neglected have twice as many mental health problems, a study says.

The study goes beyond earlier work showing that abused children were 53 percent more likely to be arrested as juveniles and 36 percent more likely to be arrested for a violent crime, said the study's author, Cathy Spatz Widom of the State University of New York at Albany.

"The harm to children from abuse and neglect may have enormous long-term consequences," she said Saturday at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

"Other negative outcomes may be more common than delinquency and violent criminal behavior," she said.

Similar findings were reported by Byron Egeland of the University of Minnesota, who compared 23 physically abused children with 75 similar children who were not abused.

During their preschool years, the abused children were more likely to get angry, refuse to follow instructions and lack enthusiasm.

By the time they entered school, they were hyperactive, distractible, lacking in self-control and not well-liked by their peers, he said.

"Abuse had an effect on almost every variable we looked at," he said.

The distorted view of the world that seemed to be shared by the abused children was reflected in the way they told stories, he said.

Abused children asked to relate an incident or tell a story couldn't proceed from beginning to end, often became distracted and jumped to other stories, and didn't seem to understand the reasons for the actions they described, he said.

Washington (AP) — Fruit and vegetable growers are keeping a wary eye on free trade negotiations with Mexico, fearing competition would mean cutting profits for U.S. producers.

"Anybody who grows (produce), or who works for growers has a considerable stake in this matter," said John McClung of the United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Association.

And Wayne Showers, president of Griffin and Brand Inc. in Texas' Grande Valley, one of the country's largest produce growers and exporters, says "there will be some serious competition here on certain fruits and vegetables."

The industry fears, and a government study confirms, that U.S. growers could face significant competition from Mexican produce, harvested with far cheaper labor, if tariffs and other trade barriers are lifted under a free trade agreement.

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The industry fears, and a government study confirms, that U.S. growers could face significant competition from Mexican produce, harvested with far cheaper labor, if tariffs and other trade barriers are lifted under a free trade agreement.

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Sunday's blast killed at least 22 people in Medellín. AP Laserphoto

Drug traffickers claim deadly bombing theirs

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — Drug traffickers claimed responsibility on Sunday for a car bombing in Medellín that killed 22 people and wounded 140, a radio station reported.

The bomb exploded Saturday near the bullfighting ring in Colombia's second biggest city as thousands were flooding out of the arena. It was one of the worst attacks since the government de-lavet a war on drug traffickers in August 1989.

The bomb was aimed at police providing security for the event, said Gen. Gustavo Pardo, an army commander in Medellín, 180 miles northwest of Bogotá.

Nine police officers were among the 22 killed, said Col. Jorge Ernesto Ferrero, the Medellín police commander.

Hospital authorities said the death toll was likely to rise because many of the wounded were in critical condition.

The Canal radio network reported Sunday it had received calls claiming responsibility for the explosion by terrorists working for drug traffickers. Ferrero said police would "evaluate" the call.

Authorities suspect that one of the young gangs that work in- quently for the Medellín cocaine cartel may be behind the terrorist attack.

About 250 police officers were killed last year in attacks by the Medellín cocaine cartel. Traffick- ers said they were retaliating for the anti-drug crackdown.

Colombia also has been shaken by attacks by leftist guerrillas.

Elite 'Black Berets' cast shadow of fear in Latvia

RIGA, U.S.S.R. — The fear and violence that have gripped Latvia for weeks have many names but just one face: the Black Berets.

An elite band of Soviet parami- lary troops, the Black Berets mean- ing the highest profile of the struggle between Latvia and the Kremlin, Black Beret troops staged a night-time assault on the Latvian Interior Ministry a month ago that was widely viewed as a coup attempt.

The attack failed to topple Latvia's pro-independence govern- ment but it left four people dead and cast a shadow of fear over the republic that is no less palpable or intimidating than the extra clips of ammunition strapped to Andrei's Kalashnikov assault rifle.

Andre is a Black Beret, a major who shot his way into the Interior Ministry building. Our duty is to uphold law and order. Neither I nor my unit plans to leave" Andre '42, a republic that is no less palpable or intimidating than the extra clips of ammunition strapped to Andrei's Kalashnikov assault rifle.

He talked about how Russians al- legedly face Nazi-like persecution in Latvia.

"Under the cover of a fight for democracy in the Baltics, fascism is reviving," he said.

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Nicaragua promises full probe in ex-Contra's death

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — An official from the Sandinista-controlled security police Sunday promised a full-scale probe into the slaying of former Contra chief Enrique Bermudez, whose death cast doubt on government assurances for the safety of other rebels who laid down their arms.

But a right-wing, radio station blamed the slaying of Bermudez late Saturday on Sandinista sympathizers, some of whom cheered the news of the killing.

Officials said they had no suspects and no one immediately claimed responsibility for the killing.

A gunman shot Bermudez, 58, outside a restaurant near the downtown continental Hotel Saturday night then fled on foot.

Vice Interior Minister Jose Pellaes said it appeared Bermudez was followed, and was shot twice from a distance of five to six feet.

Sports Minister Carlos Garcia, who graduated from the Military Academy in 1952 with Bermudez, said he saw the former Contra leader in the hotel bar shortly after 9 p.m. on the night Saturday.

Bermudez told him he had been locking in some- one. "I'm leaving," Garcia said Bermudez told him he didn't want to get you hurt."

There are people here who think only of their own interests.

Minutes later, Bermudez was sprawled on his back next to his Jeep with two bullet holes behind his left ear. Police said he never had a chance to use his Walther PPK pistol.

Taxi driver Rene Sanchez said a man looked at the body and said, "This man died by the hands of the 380," Enrique Bermudez, then he hurried away. Bermudez's nom de guerre was "Comandante 380."

Garcia added that the slaying clouds the government's ability to guarantee the safety of ex-Contras.

Bermudez only months earlier said he regretted death at the hands of the Sandinistas.



Bermudez

Marine injured in Chile attack

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP) — An anti-tank missile and automatic weapons were fired on a vehicle in front of the residence of U.S. Embassy security personnel, slightly injuring one Marine, officials said.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility for the attack late Saturday.

Police sources said the rocket malfunctioned and did not explode, although the impact damaged a vehicle parked in front of the house in Las Condes, a residential neighborhood in eastern Santiago.

An embassy spokesman, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the wounded marine is an embassy guard, but refused to identify him "for security reasons."

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Idaho

Legislature leaves work undone but decision time draws near

BOISE (AP) — The Idaho Legislature wound up its sixth week with a lot of work still undone, but lawmakers could reach the moment of truth on some tough issues this week.

The Senate faces the question of what to do about a House-passed bill transferring to the state costs of medical indigency programs now funded through counties.

Democratic Gov. Cecil Andrus says the measure will cost the treasury \$5 million more than an alternative he has proposed, and dropped a broad hint last week that he might veto the legislation if it hits his desk.

But House Appropriations Committee Chairman Kathleen Gurnsey, R-Boise, was the only Republican to vote against the measure, joining by 18 Democrats.



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sponsors said the legislative alternative would allow local property taxes to be cut \$11.5-million per year. But the impact also was calculated last week at \$122 million, \$9.9 million and \$13 million.

Meanwhile, the governor's alternative, adding the medically needy to state coverage, is supposed to cost the state \$5 million. But the figure was set at \$4.8 million and \$12.5 million during the week.

The House also had its problems making decisions last week.

On Friday, members voted 40-39 to kill a plan to subsidize bean tables for more families.

Later, they voted 45-29 to reconside-

er-after Rep. Fierman-Duncan, R-Coeur d'Alene, said he didn't understand the bill when he voted against it. It's expected to be debated again Monday.

Also left unfinished was a bid to take \$1 million from the state surplus to create an endowment fund for the arts.

Opponents argued the state can't afford it this year, and if \$1 million goes into the endowment, it will have to be at the expense of other programs.

As opposition mounted, sponsor Rep. Bill Deal, R-Nampa, got House members to postpone a final vote until next week.

House Republicans announced last week that they want to adjourn for the session March 15, which would be two weeks earlier than last year. But they will have to clear out two logjams in major committees to do it.

Officials investigate bizarre break-ins of summer homes in Priest Lake area

SANDPOINT (AP) — More than 100 summer homes in the Priest Lake area have been ransacked since January, but Bonnie Crook says only a few items were stolen in the bizarre break-ins.

Sheriff Chip Roos said the culprit is a pry open doors or break windows and rummage through clothes and other personal belongings.

"There's some fabulous stuff in some of these cabins, but they aren't interested in that," Roos said. "On numerous occasions, the furniture is being rearranged."

Ronald Dube of Rosalia, Wash., has a vacation home in the Hunt Creek area that was broken into and stolen in the break-ins.

"It's a kooky bunch of person doing this," said another victim, Mandelle Irvin of Cheney, Wash.

near Hunt Creek was ransacked. Irvin drove to the lake with a relative. She said drawers for clothes and magazines were disturbed. Some pictures of women were ripped out of the magazines and were lying on a table.

Bob Sparks of Newport, Wash., said he had the same experience. When he went to his cabin in the no-go, snowmobiling, he discovered the cabin door ajar. He dumped all the drawers and went through the magazines, evidently looking for girls pictures," Sparks said. He passed up some neat things."

Elderly Rexburg man, wife killed

RIGBY (AP) — An elderly Rexburg man and his wife of seven months were killed, and his grandnephew was critically injured Friday when their car hit a truck at an intersection on U.S. Highway 20 south of Rigby.

Josephine Luce of Shelley remained in critical condition Saturday at Eastern Idaho Regional Medical Center in Idaho Falls.

Fermin Luce, 77, and Lola Tuckett, 67, died at the scene of the crash shortly before 7 p.m. An Idaho State Police dispatcher said 8-year-old

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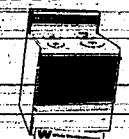
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Opinion

INEL statements mask dangerous reality of plutonium disposal

In 1991, should the INEL be allowed to lie about their plan to rebury plutonium particles in trenches at the INEL? If you stop by the local INEL office, ask for the November 1990 fact sheet on the Radioactive Waste Management Complex. There are three lies on this "fact sheet."

This fact sheet is designed to cover up the reality that plutonium particles can still be labeled as low-level waste and buried at the INEL.

All "low-level" plutonium particles can usually be buried in the INEL. If they become the DOE's plutonium cluster like they plan, this amount will increase.

The first lie occurs in the definition of low-level waste. The INEL claims the low-level waste they bury at the INEL "decays within a few hundred years."

Peter Rickards Reader comment

But plutonium particles last up to 240,000 years—even when they are called "low level."

Because the DOE declassified the definition of plutonium particle waste 10-fold in 1982, the INEL, in their own documents, plans to bury "approximately 1 million cubic feet of the 2.3 million cubic feet of Rocky Flats waste."

This waste, from the 1970s-1980s, is above ground already! Despite our senator's plea that we need to force open WIPP in New Mexico to save Idaho, over two-thirds

of the buried and stored waste will stay in Idaho, buried and reburied over the aquifer, according to DOE documents.

The second lie occurs when the INEL fact sheet claims "They have perfected technologies for disposing of waste."

"Perfect" is a term we may be able to use in 240,000 years.

The DOE's WIPP manual said, "there is no suitable geology to bury these very radioactive materials at the INEL because the very important Snake River Plain Aquifer under lies the INEL."

The INEL chooses not to explain this contradiction of logic.

While the Snake River Alliance turns the other cheek for Saddam Hussein and pushes peace through disarmament, the INEL's silence works better than explaining

the contradictions!

Lie No. 3 occurs when the INEL denies that they had one positive test for plutonium at 240 feet deep when they claim plutonium's only "110 feet down." I suppose you could say it doesn't matter if the INEL leaves billions of plutonium particles in Idaho. As long as we call it clean, spend some money and have lots of meetings and print lots of paper, maybe that's good enough for Idaho.

The INEL speech team, according to their documents, "visited over 7,000 school children last year and over 2,000 adults" in order to pass along this misinformation.

To explain his preference for children, the INEL's Bob Skinner said, "It's important to teach children when they're young and receptive to ideas."

And, excited children often take their new-found knowledge and enthusiasm home to their parents." (July 5, 1990)

Saddam Hussein uses naked aggression, like we paid and helped arm him to do against Iraq.

The INEL uses very well-covered aggression. It's time the DOE stopped treating us like America's version of the Kurds or Lithuanians.

Don't misunderstand me, I love America. The human nature of leaders is the same worldwide; but in America, there is less hope and the chance to change things. We all support our troops, but don't let your eyelids droop.

Twin Falls pediatrician Peter Rickards is active in nuclear waste issues.

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Army makes U.S. orphans

"This morning when I left the 2-year-old was just getting started when I went out to the plane. He wanted to go with me, and he was really shaken up."

— Holly Parman

Send both parents of two infant sons into a war zone? Both parents at the same time? It has happened. It is happening now.

James and Holly Parman are a young married couple. They have two baby sons—James Keith, 29 months old, and 5-month-old Stephen Matthew. James' wife, Holly, is in Saudi Arabia. He buried those boys at the tanks on huge trucks to bring them up toward the front. If the U.S. Army proceeds as planned, Holly will soon be in Saudi Arabia, too.

James joined the Army because times were tough in Oklahoma; he had been out of a job. His wife Holly was pregnant with their second child and she had already put in her paperwork for a discharge from the Army. Holly did get a discharge. However, when Operation Desert Shield became Desert Storm, James was sent and Holly was reactivated.

She has already been transferred from her home base, Fort Sill, Okla., to Fort Eustis, Va. The next stop could be Fort Dix, N.J., the final stop before the Gulf.

So toddler James and his infant brother have been farmed out to an aunt somewhere in Texas.

They may be shuffled between that aunt and an aunt in Oklahoma. The Texas aunt has three young children of her own and a husband who is in the Army and who may be going to Saudi Arabia soon himself.

Holly tried to get someone to listen. Nobody at the Fort Sill military base had time for her problem. She didn't know enough to call the local Red Cross office where one can begin processing a request for a hardship deferment.

And so Holly is at Fort Eustis, not knowing when and if she will see her babies again. Not knowing whether she or her husband will see them again. And her infants are living with an aunt in Texas.

Without intending it, the U.S. Army is creating a temporary or permanent war orphans in America.

There may be thousands of cases like this in our country. There's a grandmother in Casper, Wyo., who is caring for her grandchildren because both father and mother are in Saudi Arabia, according to the

Charles Levendosky

county Red Cross office.

Larry Van Dyke, who lives in Newport News, Va., told me a cryptic story about a neighbor. She is a medical technician in the U.S. Army Reserve. She's divorced and has an 8-year-old child. She hasn't heard from her former husband for years and doesn't know where he is. Recently, she received a telephone call from military officials saying she had to be ready to leave for the Gulf the following day. Her parents had to fly down from Pennsylvania immediately to pick up their grandchild. The Army cut her no slack; she's gone.

Obviously, this situation wasn't anticipated by the magnitude of it. Had it been, the Pentagon bureaucracy still didn't manage to get a humane policy in gear. And it hasn't yet, although the Army is trying to deal with the problem, piece-meal fashion.

The press officer for Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Georgia, said that this problem may be raised in a meeting of the Senate Armed Forces Committee, for which Sen. Nunn is chairman. That meeting may help others; it will be too late for Holly.

Once sent to the Gulf, it takes more than an act of Congress to get a parent back home to a parentless child—it takes a serious illness or death.

Of the number of cases in Oklahoma that Sen. Boren's office is aware of, they have been successful in bringing only one mom back home—when the substitute parent, an aunt, had a stroke.

According to Holly and friends of her husband's back home, James Parman has been frantic. He told people in his outfit that he'd do anything to keep Holly with their children. The Army says that's unrealistic. Holly said, and an officer took his weapon and put him under 24-hour surveillance. Treat the symptom, not the problem.

Have plans been made for someone to take care of children should something happen to both Holly and James? Yeah, we both have wild ideas. Yeah, if something should happen to us, we've got it down in our wills. The military requires a will in this case.

— Charles Levendosky writes for the Casper (Wyo.) Star-Tribune



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Persian Gulf War has taught us something: Strange new words

Four weeks of war in the Persian Gulf have affected millions of people in thousands of ways; but one effect has been universal.

Everyone from Florida to Saudi Arabia has had to learn a whole new language of military jargon, acronyms, weapons systems and propaganda buzzwords just to keep up with developments in the desert.

Raise your hand if you ever heard of a Warthog, Scud, Patriot or Wild Weasel before last Jan. 16. And go to the head of the class if you knew the meaning of "EPW" (enemy prisoner of war), "BDA" (bomb damage assessment), "MEL" (mobile reactor launcher) or "APC" (armored personnel carrier) before they became staples of the daily military briefing.

There are about within range of a television set who does not know by now that Iraq's best fighters are the "elite"

Tom Kolly

Republican Guards?

Or that "collateral damage" has nothing to do with faulty banking practices, but simply means civilians who happen to get in the way of errant bombs?

Too many of the strange new words coming out of this conflict have already earned the pungent definition offered by that eminent linguist Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf, commander of allied forces in Saudi Arabia: "Byzantine acrology," the general labeled one rumor. That's "B.S." for short, a handy abbreviation also useful for a more polite synonym, "barnyard sophistry."

This war already has set new records for the breadth and depth of its B.S. quotient. From Washington to Moscow to Baghdad

to Tel Aviv, the spin merchants have been working overtime to try to put the best possible face on the facts and figures of a war that is being fought not just in the skies and on the sand, but in the palaces, parliaments and parlors of a world joined at its nerve endings by television.

Determined not to repeat the perceived errors of Vietnam, American military leaders are managing this war like a Jim Henson-Muppet show. We are out of the "body count" business; they insist, just before rattling off the latest, and equally meaningless, "sortie counts."

"This will not be another Vietnam," President George Bush keeps reminding us. Yet he has been able to fulfill only two-thirds of his pledge that the use of American force against Iraq would be "swift, massive and decisive." Sudden and massive it has been, but we are still waiting anxiously for decisive.

Bob Moos

elderly who are ill."

Settle down, congressman.

What Bush proposes is modest by all accounts. Of the 33 million Medicare beneficiaries, only the richest 500,000—about 2 percent—would be affected. If older Americans making \$125,000 a year complain that they can't afford to pay 305.00 more each month for their own health care, I'd sure like to know what they are doing with their money.

Even with the higher premium, the government will be subsidizing their treatment to the tune of \$1,700 a year. In a country where an estimated 37 million younger people aren't receiving ANY health care assistance from their government, the griping about this smart cut for wealthy older Americans strikes me as terribly trivial not to mention selfish.

The president's other entitlement cuts are just as reasonable. The additional cost to a middle-income family for school lunches would amount to pennies a day. And families that might be denied college grants still would be eligible for loans.

There's considerable cynicism about Bush's decision to target upper- and to a lesser extent, middle-income entitlements. Pundits are saying the president is simply trying to deflect the Democrats' criticism that he only looks out for the affluent. The proposals, they argue, serve as a counterbalance to his work on behalf of lower capital gains taxes.

Maybe. But if Bush were doing this

merely to gain political advantage, I doubt he would have gone after college grants for middle-income Americans. There are millions of families struggling to pay their children's college expenses and undoubtedly will be peeved by the president's austerity.

More likely, Bush has decided to curtail certain entitlements mostly because it makes good fiscal sense. Entitlements are the biggest dog that is eating up the federal budget. Back in the Kennedy administration, the ravenous fellow consumed 28 percent of all spending. Now, he devours more than half of the budget every year.

Sorry, as much as we may enjoy the fellow's companionship, we can't afford to keep him as a house pet any more. Not with a \$281 billion yearly deficit knocking at our door.

The interest on the national debt takes 14 cents out of every dollar our government spends. That's the third-largest component of the budget; after entitlements and defense. It's also money down the drain.

If entitlements are to be reined in, as they must be, it only seems logical that we start at the upper end and work down. We need to target our help to those who need it most.

Together, the president's cuts would trim only about \$47 billion over five years—out of entitlements totaling more than \$335 trillion. At best, they add up to a symbolic gesture. But that's exactly what is important: the principle. And it's precisely why Bush deserves support on this one.

— Bob Moos is an editorial writer and columnist for The Dallas Morning News.

Tom Kolly is an editorial writer and columnist for the Star-Sentinel of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Fundamentalists attack in Tunis

World

TUNIS, Tunisia (AP) — About 30 Islamic fundamentalists stormed the ruling party headquarters Sunday and left four people injured, including two guards, in a bloody takeover.

The Ministry reported that the officials said the attackers were members of the outlawed En-Nahda movement, which has been the target of a recent crackdown by the government of President Zine El-Abidine Ben Ali.

The ministry said police arrested some of the assailants, who wore masks and were armed with knives and clubs when they entered the Constitutional Democratic Rally party building.

The number of people arrested was not immediately released.

According to the ministry, the fundamentalists tied up two security guards, doused them with a flammable liquid and set them on fire. Two party leaders in the building were attacked with knives and clubs.

The ministry did not say how long the fundamentalists occupied the headquarters. Sunday is a non-working day in Tunisia and few people were in the building.

In the recent crackdown, at least 200 En-Nahda activists have been arrested and held in jail and are expected to face trial in military courts.

African islanders choose president for 1st time

PRAIA, Cape Verde (AP) — Voters in this African archipelago nation on Sunday chose their head of state for the first time in a presidential election following the end of one-party rule.

Aristides Pereira is defending the president's post he has held since independence from Portugal in 1975.

He faced Antonio Mascarenhas Monteiro, a former Supreme Court judge who is widely favored to win.

Mascarenhas Monteiro has the backing of the Movement for Democracy Party, which swept to power last month in the islands' first multiparty legislative poll.

The party captured 56 of the legis-

lature's 79 seats, with the remainder going to the leftist African Party for the Independence of Cape Verde, which supports Pereira.

Voting in Sunday's election was to end at 7 p.m. (1 p.m. MST).

First significant results from the elections are expected this morning.

Peru facing long, dirty cholera fight

The Washington Post

LIMA, Peru — At Maria Amparo's school hospital just south of the city, the faces of children just south of the city, less with uncomprehending eyes. They see the faces of cholera, and they are likely to be with Peru for some time.

Health officials here say that an epidemic of cholera has begun to spread in the area. But they warn that even after the outbreak is over, it may be difficult to control.

Officials will almost certainly recommend that Peru's water supply be shut off until the cholera is under control.

Only massive investment in sewage treatment, hygienic sanitation, and changes that are similar to those that have helped control cholera in other parts of the world will give Peru a critical economic boost.

When a cholera epidemic strikes, it can be deadly.

Dr. Mario Celis, an epidemiologist from the Pan American Health Organization, predicted that after the epidemic is controlled, Peru will see a "low, constant level" of cases of cholera.

"We are seeing a possible conversion of Peru into a zone where cholera is endemic," said Dr. Carlos Carillo, technical director of the Peruvian National Institute of Health.

Cholera causes violent diarrhea which leads to rapid and near-complete dehydration. Death can follow within days or even hours. But if caught in time, cholera is easily treated — there have been fewer than 100 deaths in the country since the epidemic began.

Peruvian health officials have been praised for their quick response.

The appearance of cholera here is believed to be part of a worldwide outbreak, or pandemic, that began in 1961. This is the pandemic's first firm foothold in the Western Hemisphere, and while its spread to other countries can be controlled, experts say, it probably cannot be prevented.

"We have no effective way of keeping cholera from appearing in other countries," said Dr. Horacio Lopez, an epidemiologist based here. "Quarantine is totally ineffective."

Libel said that three-fourths of those infected with the bacteria that causes cholera do not get sick, and in fact show no symptoms at all.

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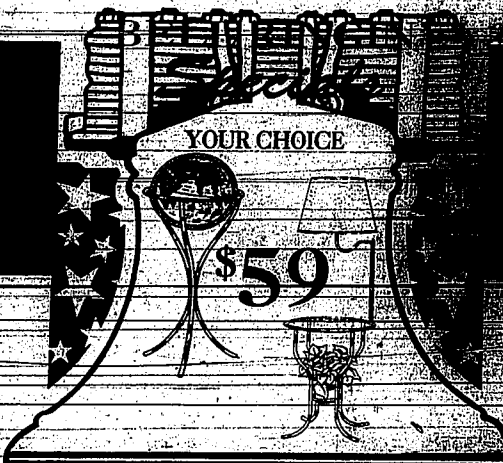
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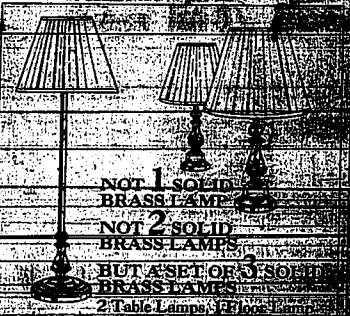


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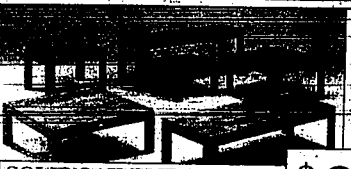
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Spending urged for Gem wilderness

States News Service

WASHINGTON — Environmental groups have urged Congress to increase spending for the acquisition of new wilderness areas, including Idaho's Sawtooth National Recreation Area, Hells Canyon and the Snake River.

Should the federal money and the \$200 million in matching funds be approved by Congress, Idaho would receive \$1.891 billion, the groups said.

The coalition of 20 national groups, including the Wilderness Society, Sierra Club, and The National Wildlife Refuge Association, released a plan last week to urge Congress to create a trust fund that would guarantee minimal investments of \$4 billion in wilderness areas across the country.

"Once forests, fields and streams give way to fast-food strips and office buildings, they're gone forever," said George Framp-

Idaho lawmakers pledge support of law seen by some as harmful to environment

The Associated Press and The Times-News

BOISE — When President Ulysses S. Grant signed the Mining Law of 1872, he unleashed a land rush by miners who staked their claims and strike-it-rich hopes on the mineral wealth of the western territories.

"Now the 119-year-old statute is being besieged by lawmakers and conservation-

ists who contend it led speculators to take over public land at 19th-century prices and leave an ecological mess in their wake.

"It's at least 100 years out of date," said Mike Medberry, public lands coordinator for the Idaho Conservation League. "It doesn't allow for protection of the environment. It desperately needs a change."

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\$200 million be granted in matching funds to states and communities for various recreational projects.

"If we put off these investments, either we'll lose the lands or end up paying a steeper price," Frampton said.

On the groups' wish list for Idaho in 1992 are requests for \$1 million for the City of Rocks National Reserve to protect cultural resources and \$2.6 million for the Sawtooth National Recreation Area for continued public land consolidation.

The Wilderness Society is urging the passage of the American Heritage Trust Act that would create a trust fund for wilderness acquisition and preservation.

Money for the acquisitions would come from the Land and Water Conservation Fund, which consists mostly of revenue from offshore oil drilling. According to the

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Around the valley

Memorial service set for Idaho-based fliers

MOUNTAIN HOME — A memorial service for the two Mountain Home airmen killed in Saudi Arabia last week will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 20, at Chapel One on the Mountain Home Air Force Base.

Capt. Douglas Lloyd Emdet, 29, and Capt. Brent Richard Eichenlaub, 39, died Wednesday when their EF-111A jet crashed south of the Kuwaiti border.

The service is for immediate family and six-base personnel only. The families have requested memorials in lieu of flowers.

Memorials in Brad's name can be made to the Bible Baptist Church, 1455 American Legion Blvd., Mountain Home, 83647.

Memorials on Eichenlaub's behalf can be donated to a scholarship fund established for his two children at the Pioneer Federal Credit Union, 250 W. Third St., Mountain Home, 83647.

Funeral arrangements for the two men will be made in their home states. Brad was from Houston, Tex., and Eichenlaub was from Bentonville, Ark.

Jerome youth seriously hurt after being pinned by pickup

JEROME — A 13-year-old Jerome boy remained in serious condition at Magic Valley Regional Medical Center Sunday, one day after being pinned against his garage by a pickup.

Jack Lesher Jr. was unloading something from the back of the pickup Saturday afternoon when the accident occurred, Jerome Police Chief George Silver III said.

The vehicle's engine was turned off, but the key was in the ignition and the standard transmission was in reverse when Lesher's right hand slipped. The driver climbed in and turned the key, Silver said.

The truck lurched backwards and the tailgate hit Lesher in the chest, pinning him against the garage, he said.

Jerome County hearing set for work near truck stop

JEROME — Jerome County will conduct a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the courthouse on a proposed Community Block Development Ordinance to widen Highway 93 from Interstate 84 north, and to install a traffic light at the crossroads of Idaho truck stop.

The county is considering applying for the grant through the Idaho Department of Commerce. Money would come from the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development and state highway funds.

The grant application probably will be in the \$300,000 to \$350,000 range, said Region IV Development Association Director Joe Herring. Herring is preparing what he called the pre-application for the project.

A late-November accident at the truck stop prompted the need for road improvements, Herring said.

"It's a safety issue now," he said. A hearing on the proposed application brought angry protests from people in mid-November who said the truck stop had created the need for the improvements.

But representatives for the truck stop said the grant was justified because it could create up to 50 jobs by the end of 1990. A Jerome County Historical Society member also favored the grant because improvements by the truck stop would aid an agricultural museum planned for the area.

Bill that would end driving for 14-year-olds to be heard

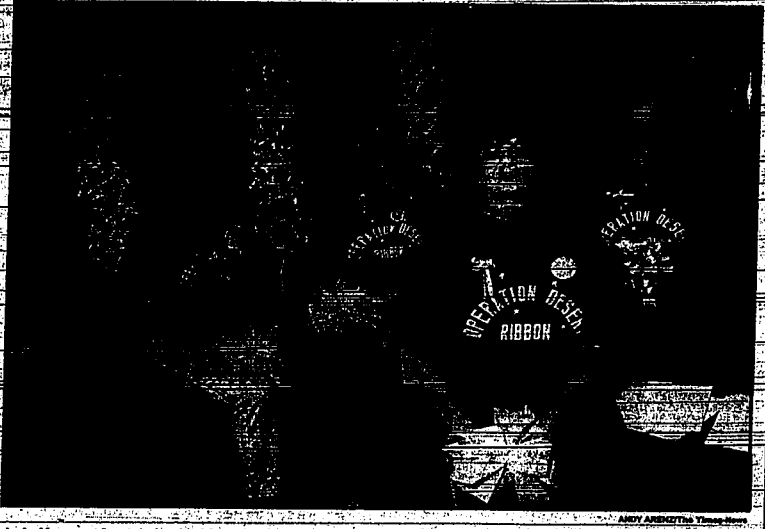
BOISE — A bill proposing an end to Idaho law giving restricted driving privileges to 14-year-olds will be debated during a public hearing before the Senate Transportation Committee Tuesday.

Senate Transportation Committee Chairman Sen. Dennis Hansen, R-Soda Springs, is sponsoring the bill. He said his proposal is an effort to address several inconsistencies with the current law.

Hansen said Idaho's current law is enforced differently in each of the state's 44 counties.

Under the proposal, 14-year-olds will not be able to obtain a driver's license. But 15-year-olds who have completed an approved driver's education course will be able to obtain a license. They would still only be allowed to drive during the day, however.

Compiled from staff and wire reports



Judy Morgan, front, helped initiate the Operation Desert Ribbon store in Burley. Among the volunteers who staff the center and have loved ones serving in the gulf are Charlotte Lewis, left, Julie Bell and Nita Wells.

Making ties with Desert Ribbon

Mini-Cassia group raising funds to help troops in the gulf

Christopher R. Clark Times-News correspondent

BURLEY — There's no fancy sign and there's no flashy window display. But Operation Desert Ribbon isn't out there competing because there isn't any.

While the troops toil in the Middle East, this group of local folk are working hard at home to drum up support for military personnel and to raise money to send memorabilia such as T-shirts and baseball caps. The proceeds help pay for a variety of services and functions.

For instance, Operation Desert Ribbon paid the postage bill for valentine cards mailed to soldiers stationed in Saudi Arabia from the two third-grade classes at Southwest Elementary School.

Operation Desert Ribbon was started by Judy Morgan and Debbie Griggs to help themselves and others deal with the fears

and problems that have arisen since the war began, said Jerry Schroeder, the group's spokesman.

Morgan, Griggs, Schroeder and many other Operation Desert Ribbon participants have raised 200 stationers in Saudi Arabia.

But anyone is welcome to join. "When we first started our Desert Ribbon was for people who had friends and relatives in Saudi," Schroeder said.

"But then we realized that there might be people who would like to join us that had a friend or relative that was in the service, but maybe not in the gulf. We've opened it up to them," he said. "Now it is open to anyone who feels that they would like to join."

The organization has begun a weekly support group for those with loved ones in the gulf. Guest speakers have included a Vietnam War veteran and a Red Cross representative who answered questions about contacting a service person in case of a family emergency.

"We laugh and we cry, all at the same time," said Mary Thompson, who attends the weekly support group.

The group plans to publish a newsletter

for soldiers on the mailing list so they can keep up on Mini-Cassia goings on.

"And it has started an 'adopt a soldier' program. 'All you need to do is to come into our store in the mall and pick a soldier's name and address off a tree that we have,'" Schroeder said.

Information such as a mailing address, hometown and birth date are supplied.

Schroeder also said that Magic Valley residents are welcome to put the names of friends or relatives in the service on the tree and cup for adoption. Desert Ribbon's mailing address is Snake River Plaza, 342 E. Fifth, Space 5-N, Burley 83318.

He said he has enjoyed writing to people whose names are on the tree.

Operation Desert Ribbon has survived thanks to the generosity of local businesses, but it may have to extend an open hand to others.

"The business community has been very supportive of this program while we were getting started," Morgan said. "But we are going to have to rely on donations and sales to keep it going because we realize that we cannot continue to go to the businesses when we need money."

Stallings, Peavey, others eye Symms' seat in '92

By Anis Dennis Times-News writer

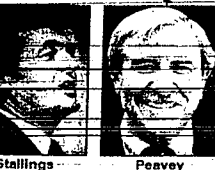
BOISE — A number of Democratic names have been tossed in the ring, but no one has definitely decided to challenge 11 Sen. Steve Symms in 1992.

Potential Democratic contenders include state Sen. John Penney of Carey, Sen. Mike Burkett and Sen. Karl Brooks, both of Boise, and Bannock County Commissioner Tom Katsilometes of Pocatello.

But their decisions rest in part on whether or not 2nd District Congressman Richard Stallings of Rexburg enters the race.

"I have some interest, yes. Most everything depends on Richard Stallings," Katsilometes said. If Stallings enters the race, Katsilometes said he won't.

Stallings is seriously considering a Senate bid.



Stallings Peavey

will decide in the next two months.

"Idaho needs more of a representative in the Senate," Stallings said, adding that his short record in the House of Representatives is "far superior to Symms' achievements in 18 years in the House and Senate."

But Stallings, who has represented Idahoans for six years in Washington, also anticipates that his record could be "twisted."

and losing seniority in the House, Stallings said.

Peavey is in the early stages of his decision-making.

"You have to take the temperature of the water out there," the Senate Democratic Caucus chairman said. Because Senate races are about 18 months long, his decision "can't be too far off," he said, but he

is "strongly inclined to stay in Rep. Stallings'."

If he runs, Peavey said, "I would be running against a good deal of what the Republican agenda was. It's been a disaster."

He cited increased poverty, a "warped" distribution of wealth affecting the market place, lack of a national energy policy and the deregulation of the airline and the savings and loans industries under the former president's administration.

has "the best shot" at winning.

Nonetheless, Burkett, who is serving his second term as a state senator, knows what he would do in Washington.

"I want to strengthen military defense and at the same time run it much more efficiently," he said. "I believe in a strong family farm concept and the necessity for our nation to rely on family farms as well as the nation's industry."

Katsilometes said the economy will be the issue in '92, and his experience butting a county budget for eight years is "hardly needed in the national arena."

Brooks, a third-term state senator, is also waiting for Stallings' announcement and will definitely enter the race if the congressman does.

He said his record in the State Legislature mirrors Idahoans' priorities in terms of supporting education and working toward natural resource management.

And Symms, Brooks said, has not at

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Wilderness

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Wilderness Society, the fund began operation in 1965 and is designed so that a portion of money generated from federal resource development is invested to benefit the environment.

Don Hellman, an attorney for the Wilderness Society, will testify before the House Appropriations Committee Feb. 28 and try to convince the panel for full funding of the projects.

"In general we have been pretty lucky," Hellman said. "We are pleased that the president has increased the budget for water and land purchases. We are very hopeful for Idaho this year."

Also proposed for Idaho are:

- \$700,000 for Birch Creek Headwaters to protect marsh land and waterfowl along with prime trout spawning areas.

\$180,000 for the Boise-Front-to-protect elk range, land deer and upland birds.

\$441,000 for the Bowen Canyon ACEC to acquire 280 acres of private land to protect bald eagle roost site.

\$1.66 million for the Challis National Forest to acquire 160 acres for recreation, large wetland area.

\$424 million for Hells Canyon National Recreation Area, for 4,700 acres or private tracts near the Snake Wild and Scenic River.

\$30,000 for Ireland Canyon to protect land for mognifying, mule deer.

\$150,000 for the Middle Fork of the Clearwater Wild and Scenic River to acquire six tracts of land along the river and protect other areas from logging.

\$124 million for the Owyhee Wild and Scenic River to acquire four parcels of land along the river.

\$140,000 for the Payette National Forest to buy 480 acres surrounding three sides of the Lost Valley Reservoir.

\$500,000 for the Salmon Wild and Scenic River to acquire beach parcels from a willing seller.

\$1.24 million for the Sands Elk HMP to protect large winter elk range.

\$1 million for the Selway-Bitterroot Wilderness for two parcels of land.

\$590,000 for the South Fork of the Snake River to protect it from encroaching residential and recreational development on privately owned land.

\$140,000 for the Targhee National Forest to buy a parcel of land in a wetland and a logging area which is the habitat of moose, bald eagles and sandhill cranes.

\$900,000 for the Thousand Springs/Chilly Slough Wetlands to protect large wetland area.

\$234,000 for the Vineyard Creek ACEC to buy 40 acres to protect trout.

\$150,000 for the Wolf Lodge Bay to buy up a parcel of land recently zoned for commercial development.

On the agenda

Here's a list of governmental meetings that are scheduled this week in the Magic Valley. This list is compiled from advance schedules. The Times-News suggests that you confirm the information by calling the appropriate clerk's office before attending.

MONDAY Presidents' Day.

TUESDAY

Calderford School Board, 7 p.m., high school. Fliler School Board, 7 p.m., superintendent's office.

Hagerman City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall. Jerome City Council, 8 p.m., City Hall. Rupert City Council, 7 p.m., City Hall. Twin Falls County Commission, 8:30 a.m., county courthouse.

WEDNESDAY

Blaine County Hospital Board, 7:30 p.m.; hospital conference room. Minidoka County Planning and Zoning Commission, 8 p.m., courthouse. South Central District Health Department Board, 2 p.m., 324 Second St. E. in Twin Falls. Twin Falls County Commission, 8:30 a.m., county courthouse.

THURSDAY

Gooding County Memorial Hospital Board, 7 p.m.; conference room. Kimberly School Board, 7:30 p.m.; Kimberly High School. Sun Valley City Council, 3:30 p.m., City Hall. Twin Falls County Commission, 8:30 a.m., county courthouse.

FRIDAY

Twin Falls County Commission, 8:30 a.m., county courthouse.

Mining

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That change may come in the form of legislation anticipated in Congress. But members of Idaho's congressional delegation have played a key role in defending the 1872 law and are prepared to beat back another onslaught.

They have the backing of Idaho miners who say they already are bound by dozens of environmental guidelines and revamping the mining law would juggle the small prospectors' business.

"One hundred years ago, we had a lot of alloy miners," said Pat Holmberg of the Independent Miners Association, a regional group with 600 members. "It's not that way now."

The 1872 law allows prospecting of hardrock minerals such as gold or silver on most federal lands. If a

valuable deposit is found, miners file a claim giving them the right to work the land and sell its minerals without paying the government holding fees or royalties.

Claimants can obtain title to the parcels by patenting them for \$2.50 to \$5 an acre — the price of wheat — grazing and farm lands in 1872. They must perform at least \$100 worth of drilling, excavating or other development every year.

The outcome of the debate could have a large impact on the future of gold mining in the South Hills, where there are hundreds of claims. To the east, Pegasus Industries will soon open a gold-mining operation in the Black Pine Mountains southwest of Malia.

Perhaps the 1872-Mining Law's greatest champion was recently re-elected Idaho Sen. James McClure, a ranking Republican on the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee. He voted the law from an attack last fall by Sen. Dale Bumpers, D-Ark.

Now Bumpers is back with new legislation.

Freshman Sen. Larry Craig, R-Idaho, has vowed to pick up McClure's standard in the Senate, and on the way of the guy who wants to go in and actually mine the metal," said Phil Hocker of the Mineral Policy Center, a Washington, D.C.-based group working to reform mining regulations.

The U.S. General Accounting Office condemned the mining law in a 1989 study. It said the annual work requirement did not spur development, instead prompting some operators to dig for the metal if it appeared they had invested labor and money.

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Bumpers is pushing for a government royalty on the minerals taken, the same as in coal mining. He also wants improved environmental protection and land reclamation.

Rahall would impose more specific development requirements instead of the \$100 annual work guideline, set a land rental fee to help finance reclamation of hardrock mines in the West and strengthen the U.S. Forest Service's authority to manage mining on its lands.

Critics focus on the law's small patenting fee. They say land management agencies lack authority to limit mining as they do other activities on federal lands, and they contend many use the mine status as "equivalent rights" and do nothing with the land.

There are a number of places where changes could be made, such as the speculative holding of claims for 10 to 20 years. That gets in the way of the guy who wants to go in and actually mine the metal," said Phil Hocker of the Mineral Policy Center, a Washington, D.C.-based group working to reform mining regulations.

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Bumpers is pushing for a government royalty on the minerals taken, the same as in coal mining. He also wants improved environmental protection and land reclamation.

Rahall would impose more specific development requirements instead of the \$100 annual work guideline, set a land rental fee to help finance reclamation of hardrock mines in the West and strengthen the U.S. Forest Service's authority to manage mining on its lands.

Critics focus on the law's small patenting fee. They say land management agencies lack authority to limit mining as they do other activities on federal lands, and they contend many use the mine status as "equivalent rights" and do nothing with the land.

There are a number of places where changes could be made, such as the speculative holding of claims for 10 to 20 years. That gets in the way of the guy who wants to go in and actually mine the metal," said Phil Hocker of the Mineral Policy Center, a Washington, D.C.-based group working to reform mining regulations.

The U.S. General Accounting Office condemned the mining law in a 1989 study. It said the annual work requirement did not spur development, instead prompting some operators to dig for the metal if it appeared they had invested labor and money.

The agency suggested an annual holding fee to replace the work requirement.

Rep. Larry Craig, D-Idaho, agrees with some provisions of the

Services

GOODING - Mass of the Christian Burial for Justo "Tony" Barria, 38, of Gooding, who died Thursday, will be celebrated at 2 p.m. today at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Gooding with the Rev. Timothy Richey officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Justo Barria Memorial Fund, c/o a charity of the donor's choice. Contributions may be left at or mailed to: Denmar, 4 Gooding Chapel, 737 Main St., Gooding, ID 83339.

GOODING - The funeral for Walter J. Gesford, 87, of Gooding, who died Wednesday, will be at 10 a.m. today in the Christian Church in Gooding with the Rev. Harold Hake officiating. Burial will be at the Elmwood Cemetery in Gooding. Memorial contributions may be made to Meridian Young Life, in care of Tim Swanson, 6921 Butte Court, Boise, ID 83704.

RUPERT - The funeral for Ray R. Dudley, 64, of Rupert, who died Thursday, will be at noon today at the Rupert LDS Stake Center, 324 E. 18th St., with Bishop Michael Berg officiating. Burial will be at the Rupert Cemetery with military gravesites. Friends may call one hour before the funeral at the church. Arrangements are under the direction of Hansen Mortuary in Rupert.

BURLEY - The funeral for June Sorenson, 75, of Carlsbad, Calif., and formerly of Burley, who died Saturday, will be at noon today at Denmar's Wendell Chapel. Burial will follow at the Riverside Cemetery in Heyburn. Friends may call before the service Saturday at the funeral chapel.

TWIN FALLS - Mass of the Christian Burial for Stanley Rose Jr., 63, of Lincoln City, Ore., and formerly of Twin Falls, who died Thursday, will be at noon today at St. Augustine's Catholic Church in Lincoln City with the Rev. Michael Lau as celebrant. Burial will follow at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Heyburn. Memorial contributions may be made to the Rotary Foundation for the Paul Harris Award or Folio Plus projects, Box 3241, Twin Falls, ID 83301. Arrangements are under the direction of the Pacific View Memorial Chapel in Lincoln City.

KIMBERLY - The funeral for Raymond Kindred, 79, of Kimberly, who died Friday, will be at 1 p.m. today at White Mortuary in Twin Falls with the Rev. Stephen Strickland and Carolyn Jacobson officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls.

RICHFIELD - The funeral for Dorothy A. Seward, 82, of Richfield, who died Friday, will be at 2 p.m. today at the Richfield Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Paul Springer officiating. Burial will be at the Richfield Cemetery. Friends may call from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Bergin Funeral Chapel in Shoshone.

EDEN - The funeral for Georgina Bullock, 64, of Eden, who died Tuesday,

will be at 2 p.m. today at Reynolds' Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls with the Rev. Travis Jacobson officiating. Cremation will follow. Friends may call from 9 a.m. until the time of the funeral at the funeral chapel. The family suggests that memorial contributions be made to the Valley Quick Response Unit, Contributions may be left at or mailed to Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E., Twin Falls, ID 83301.

CASTLEFORD - The funeral for Marie Caste Snetken Blietz, 79, of Castleford, who died Thursday, will be at 2 p.m. today at the Castleford United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jim Kidder-Missen officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls. Friends may call from 2 to 11 a.m. at the Farmer Funeral Home in Castleford.

WENDLE - The funeral for Serene Carrie Dentinger, 69, of Wendle, who died Thursday, will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Denmar's Wendell Chapel. Burial will follow at the Wendell Cemetery. Friends may call from 1 to 7 p.m. today at the funeral chapel.

HEROME - The funeral for Larry Gene Rathel, 49, of Jerome, who died Friday, will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Howe-Roberson Funeral Chapel in Jerome with the Rev. Elroy Weixel officiating. Burial will follow at the Jerome Cemetery. No viewing is planned.

HAGERMAN - The funeral for Colton E. Taylor, 79, of Hagerman, who died Friday, will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Burley 3rd and 7th ward LDS Church, 2200 Oakley Ave. Burial will follow at the Pleasant View Cemetery in Burley. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the church. The family suggests that

memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society. Contributions may be left at or mailed to White Mortuary, P.O. Box 845, Twin Falls, ID 83303.

Surviving are his wife of Hagerman, two sons, Gary Grigg of Kansas City, Kan., and Mark Grigg of Burley; two step-children, Marilyn of Boise and Allen of Minnesota; seven brothers, Paul of Mesa, Ariz., LaMar of Huntington Beach, Calif., Wells of Boise, Joseph of Salt Lake City, James of Ontario, Ore., Harold of Nyssa, Ore., and Richard of Hialeah; three sisters, Leah Dyes of Ontario, Ore., and Kathleen Williams and June Carey, both of Burley; and 12 grandchildren.

WENDLE - The funeral for Malcom J. James, 68, of Wendle, who died Friday, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Christ Lutheran Church in Wendle with the Rev. Richard L. Klein officiating. Burial will follow at the Twin Falls Cemetery. Friends may call from 1 to 7 p.m. today at Denmar's Wendell Chapel. The family suggests that memorial contributions be made to the Christ Lutheran Church Memorial Fund.

BUHL - The funeral for M. Denny Pabek, 69, of Jerome and formerly of Buhl, who died Friday, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the United Methodist Church in Buhl with the Rev. Gerry Hill officiating. Burial will follow at the West End Cemetery with music provided by the Buhl Lodge No. 53. No public viewing is planned. Memorial contributions may be made to the Southern Idaho Regional Cemetery, in care of the Magic Valley Regional Cemetery Foundation, Box 2231, Twin Falls, ID 83301. Arrangements are under the direction of the Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl.

TWIN FALLS - The funeral for John Marolt, 89, of Los Angeles, Calif., and formerly of Twin Falls, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at White Mortuary in Twin Falls. Burial will follow at a later date in Rose Hill Cemetery, Whitman, Ore. Friends may call Tuesday at White Mortuary from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Memorial contributions can be made to The Friends of Hospice-Donations may be left at or mailed to White Mortuary, Box 845, Twin Falls, Ida., 83303.

Lillie M. Hopkins Allen
BUHL - Lillie M. Hopkins Allen, 83, of Buhl, Idaho, died Sunday, February 16, 1991, at a Twin Falls care home.

Services are pending and will be announced by the Farmer Funeral Home in Buhl.

Obituaries

Carl L. Grabert
TWIN FALLS - Carl L. Grabert, 92, of Twin Falls, died early Sunday, February 17, 1991, at a local nursing home.

Services are pending and will be announced by Reynolds Funeral Chapel.

Robert C. Leazer Sr.
TWIN FALLS - Robert C. Leazer Sr., 65, of Burley, died Saturday evening, February 16, 1991, at Magic Valley Regional Medical Center following a sudden illness.

Services are pending and will be announced by Reynolds Funeral Chapel.

John Marolt
TWIN FALLS - John Marolt, 89, of Los Angeles, Calif., died Sunday, February 17, 1991, at the Magic Valley Regional Medical Center of a heart attack.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at White Mortuary.

Lillie M. Hopkins Allen
BUHL - Lillie M. Hopkins Allen, 83, of Buhl, Idaho, died Sunday, February 16, 1991, at a Twin Falls care home.

Services are pending and will be announced by the Farmer Funeral Home in Buhl.

Hospitals

MAGIC VALLEY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER
Admitted
Dawn Marie Wooten, 46, of Shoshone, Michel Heiske of Oakley, and Jacklyn Lester of Jerome.
Released
Debbie Packard and daughter, Tammy Rae Stewart, 45, of Twin Falls; Eric J. Watson, 40, of Burley; and Carolyn Jacobson officiating. Burial will follow at Sunset Memorial Park in Twin Falls.

TWIN FALLS - Kimbra Romers and son, Brenda Watkins and daughter, all of Buhl; Josephine Bailey of Rogerson; Mary Davley and son of Gooding; and Wiletta Harris of Rupert.
Burial

CASSIA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Admitted
Arlene Earl, Martha Johnson, Vera McClain, Ray Mitchell, Robert H. Thompson and William Muntz, all of Burley; Fern Adams, of Malma.
Released
Hilary Blair, Virginia Kelsey and Marilyn Moon, all of Burley; Margaret Baas, Maria Graham, Michael Kechter, and Esther Rose, all of Rupert; Helen Gonzalez and Loren Ravenson, both of Heyburn; Barbara Richardson of

Challenge

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laid Idahoans' concerns for a responsible federal government.

"Symms is part of the problem, not part of the solution," he said. "Democrats who gained a seat in Congress and numerous seats in the state Legislature in the 1990 election, say the right challenger can defeat two-term incumbent Sen. Symms in 1992."

"The question is, are the people of

Idaho satisfied with (Sen.) Steve Symms and do the people of Idaho want to see new representation and a new style of leadership? I think the answer is probably yes," Burket said.

Symms expects a run for the money. "I would think they (the challengers) would mount a serious challenge," he said.

But he pointed out that he has faced tough Senate races in the past,

"I think it's a question of access," Frank Church in 1980 and former Gov. John Evans in 1986.

Katsilometes agreed the race would be a fight, but that doesn't discourage him.

"I used to be a boxer so I'm used to fighting," Katsilometes said. And the 1992 U.S. Senate race will be a tough one, he said.

"It's going to go 15 rounds. It'll be a real battle."

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Magic Valley

This week at CSI

Here's the schedule of the meetings and events this week at the College of Southern Idaho.

MONDAY

College closed for Presidents' holiday.

TUESDAY

Brin Boosters meet at 7 a.m. in the Taylor Building cafeteria. Students on Recovery meet at 1 p.m. in Desert 113. Magic Valley Trustees meets at 5:30 p.m. in the Taylor Building board room.

Re-entry Adult Support Group meets at 5:30 p.m. in the student conference room of the Taylor Building. Military testing will be held at 6 p.m. in Shields 207. Magic Valley Symphony rehearsal will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Fine Arts 121.

WEDNESDAY

State Department of Education Early Childhood Education for Minorities seminar will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Aspen 108. Re-entry Adult Support Group meets from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the student conference room of the Taylor Building. Stage Band rehearsal will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Fine Arts 121.

THURSDAY

Snake River Symposium lecture: Harris Lenowitz, 6:30 p.m., Shields 117-118. Ag Energy seminar will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Aspen 118. Practical Nursing Capping ceremony will be held at 6:30 p.m. in Shields 117-118. CSI Drama Department presentation of "The Pigman" will be held at 8 p.m. in the Fine Arts auditorium. Magic Valley Chorale rehearsal will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Fine Arts 121.

FRIDAY

Region IV Development conference will be held from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Aspen 108. Bob Sneyer "Hot Day" competition will be held at noon in the Eagle's Nest. Agri-Action '91 will be held from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. in the Expo Center.

Women's basketball vs. Ricks College at 5:30 p.m. in the gym. Men's basketball vs. Ricks College at 7:30 p.m. in the gym. "The Pigman" will be presented at 8 p.m. in the Fine Arts auditorium.

SATURDAY

Math Counts competition will be held from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Shields 117. Idaho Personnel Exams will be given at 8 a.m. in Shields 205. Military testing will be held at 10 a.m. in Shields in 207. Agri-Action '91 continues from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Expo Center.

Women's basketball vs. North Idaho at 5:30 p.m. in the gym. Men's basketball vs. North Idaho at 7:30 p.m. in the gym. "The Pigman" will be presented at 8 p.m. in the Fine Arts auditorium.

For the record

Recent court activity in Twin Falls County included the following:

Driving under the influence charges filed:
 Jose D. Galvan, 35, 322 5th Ave. N. DeWayne A. Plocher, 22, Route 4, Rupert. George A. Fisher, 32, 216 First St. Terry Johnson, 42, 193 West, 300 South. Michael A. Miller, 27, 422 Jefferson. Vasile Lupa, 29, 343 Second Ave. N. Brent L. Paichert, 26, 2123 Sheryl Circle. William J. Vary, 19, 873 Mountain View Dr. Frederick R. Starr, 37, P.O. box 786, Twin Falls.
 Thomas L. Knutson, 24, 1851 19th St., Hoyburn. Joe Lopez, 28, 414 Park St., Hazelton. Henry R. Lowman, 37, Route 4, Buhl. Marciano H. Sanchez, 25, 1893 Second Ave. E.
Driving under the influence arraignments:
 Linda M. Rogers, 47, 359 Second Ave. N., pleaded innocent, bond set at \$500, preliminary hearing requested.
 Robert V. Burkhan, 21, 511 Fifth Ave. N., pleaded innocent, public defender appointed, bond set at \$500, preliminary hearing requested.
 Jay B. Arnold, 26, Idaho Falls, pleaded innocent, also to possession of drug paraphernalia, public defender appointed, bail set at \$1,000.
 Daniel C. Rodriguez, 32, 508 Heyburn Ave., pleaded guilty.
Driving under the influence sentencing:
 Today, 82, 900 on two counts, also arraigned on charge of invalid drivers license. 30. Filer, 90 days in jail, 85 days suspended, \$500 fine, license suspended 90 days; must attend court alcohol school. 20. James V. Bingham, 25, Jackson St., 180 days in jail, \$500 fine, driving privileges suspended 180 days, two years probation, can apply for work release after 30 days. 20. Shannon D. Hanson, 27, 1724 Hemlock, Rupert, 90 days in jail, \$200 fine, \$250 suspended, two years probation, must attend court alcohol school. 20. Linda Lee Anthony, 26, 155 Elm St., two years probation, must continue alcohol treatment and marriage counseling. 20. Samuel L. Johnson, 33, 1925 Poplar St., 180 days in jail, \$500 suspended, \$500 fine, two years probation, driving privileges suspended 180 days. 20. Carl Ann Kooplin, 26, 1314 Fourth Ave. E., 90 days in jail, \$500 fine, \$300 suspended, two years probation, driving privileges suspended 90 days, must receive alcohol treatment. 20. Mary VanWagoner, 31, 259 Pleasant Rd., \$500 fine, \$250 suspended, two years probation, 10 months monitored, driving privileges suspended 90 days. 20. John D. Mudd, 24, 202 Elm St., Buhl, 90 days in jail, suspended, \$300 fine, two years probation, 10 months monitored, driving privileges suspended 90 days, must attend court alcohol school.
Felony charges filed:
 Justin B. Henshall, 18, grand theft, public defender appointed, preliminary hearing requested, released on his own recognizance. 20. Shawn E. Shepard, 21, first-degree burglary, two counts, public defender appointed, bond set at \$5,000.

State of Idaho, Bureau of Child Support Enforcement, on behalf of a minor child vs. Silya Balthagor of Twin Falls:
 State of Idaho, Bureau of Child Support Enforcement, on behalf of a minor child vs. Jeanne L. Watt vs. Richard Carpenter, aka Richard Budd of Elk, Nev.
 Merry Angela Byrnes Hershkovitz vs. Jeff Herold Hershkovitz of Reno, Nev.
 State of Idaho, Bureau of Child Support Enforcement, and Linda Lee Anthony vs. Michael T. Anthony.
 State of Idaho, Bureau of Child Support Enforcement, and the State of Utah on behalf of minor children vs. Nina Bodenhofer of Jerome.
 State of Idaho, Department of Health and Welfare on behalf of a minor child vs. Monica L. Ahrendsen of Kimberly.
 State of Idaho, Bureau of Child Support Enforcement and Susan D. Cox vs. Scott Alan Lane.
Other civil lawsuits filed:
 Kenneth A. Kauter and Laura Kauter vs. Earl Larson. Personal injury lawsuit from automobile accident.
 James William Brooks and Wesley V. Brooks vs. Sandra R. Vickers, aka Jim R. Vickers and James Lee Vickers, husband and wife and First American Title Company Inc. Real estate dispute.
 United States of America, acting through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture vs. Jesse R. Kindred and Debra K. Kindred, husband and wife; Michael D. Franklin and Vickie K. Franklin, husband and wife; Robert Larson and Ryan Larson, as surviving children and heirs of Kay L. Larson, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, successors and claimants of Kay L. Larson, deceased; and Magic Valley Regional Medical Center, Foreclosure.

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Magic Valley legislators agree on contractor class

The Times-News - Here's how Magic Valley lawmakers recently voted on selected legislation that came before the House and Senate.

In the House:

H4 - Amends existing law to allow a Class A licensing class for contractors who execute public contracts that do not exceed \$60,000. Passed 81-2 and sent to the Senate.
 Yes: Steve Antonio, R-Rupert; Rep. Lee Hamrick, R-Hunt; Rep. Martin Bell, R-Jerome; Rep. Ron Black, R-Twin Falls; Rep. Celia Gould, R-Buhl; Rep. Doug Jones, R-Twin Falls; Rep. Jim Kempton, R-Ketchikan; Rep. Pat Salazar, D-Wendell; Rep. Bruce Newcomb, R-Burley; Rep. Ralph Peters, R-Riverton; Rep. Clint Stenmetz, D-Cochran; Rep. Mark Stubbins, R-Twin Falls.
H5 - Amends existing law to increase the time requirement for hearing charges against engineers and land surveyors for fraud, deceit, incompetence or misconduct, and to provide the executive secretary of the board the power to make and file the charges. Passed 79-1 and sent to the Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H31 - Amends existing law to provide that Idaho forensic laboratory chemical analyses of respondent substance may be accepted as prima facie evidence in prosecutions under Controlled Substances Act, without the presence of a criminal: Passed 82-0.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H35 - Amends existing law to provide that a person who uses a dog when hunting must obtain and have in possession a bound hunter permit, and to establish a fee for such permit. Passed 68-15 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones,

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Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H51 - Adds to existing law to provide for the creation of a Library Improvement Account. Passed 79-3 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H55 - Amends existing law to provide for the obligation of household members in the calculation of circuit breaker ad valorem tax relief. Passed 79-0 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H58 - Repeals and amends existing law to require state funding for the medically indigent program. Passed 63-19 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Peters, Stubbins.
H63 - Amends existing law to bring the inspection fee for commercial fertilizers into conformance with the actual controlling inspection fee of 15 cents per ton. Passed 79-1 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H73 - Amends existing law to provide that the weights and measures used as state standards be maintained in such calibration as

prescribed by the National Institute of Standards and Technology. Passed 81-0 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H74 - Amends existing law to provide for the sale of butter in random weight packages on premises where the butter is produced. Passed 81-1 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H78 - Repeals existing law to eliminate a requirement that a county treasurer and auditor must disclose their personal indebtedness to public depositors, to a board of county commissioners. Passed 81-2 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H79 - Adds to and amends existing law to define accumulated contributions and regular interest under the retirement fund for firefighters, to provide for payment of interest when accumulated contributions are withdrawn, and to provide for the optional repayment of contributions and interest upon reemployment. Passed 81-0 and sent to Senate.
 Yes: Antonio, Barnes, Bell, Black, Gould, Jones, Kempton, Nafziger, Newcomb, Peters, Stenmetz, Stubbins.
H83 - Amends existing law to provide for the redistribution of unexpended funds in the county vessel account to the state vessel account. Failed 38-45.
 Yes: Jones, Nafziger.
H84 - Amends existing law to provide for the redistribution of unexpended funds in the county vessel account to the state vessel account. Failed 38-45.
 Yes: Jones, Nafziger.
HCR 12 - Expressing the support and endorsement of the Idaho Legislature for "Opera Homefront," a national effort to support servicemen and women serving in the Persian Gulf War and their families at home. Adopted on voice vote and sent to Senate.
HCR 13 - Recognizing County Government Week to be observed in the state April 7-13, 1991. Adopted on voice vote and sent to Senate.
 In the Senate:
S1001 - Amends existing law to eliminate the requirement for annual hearings on real estate examination fees and license fees unless changes in such fees are proposed by the Real Estate Commission. Passed 39-3 and sent to House.
 Yes: Denton, Darrington, R-Doon, Sen. Joyce McElberich, R-Twin Falls, Sen. Russ Newcomb, R-Twin Falls, Sen. Laird Noh, R-Kimberly, Sen. John Penney, D-Cary, Sen. Lynn Tominga, R-Rupert.



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Sports

Earnhardt's spin aids Irvan to win

The Associated Press

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Ernie Irvan, who tried all week to convince people he had a real chance to win the Daytona 500, went out Sunday and did just that, out-running heavily favored Dale Earnhardt and pole-winning Davey Allison when it counted.

"It just proves people better listen to me next time," Irvan said before a laugh. His victory was aided considerably by Earnhardt's continuing ill fortune in NASCAR's premier stock car race, with a spin three laps from the end curtailing his chance of winning it for the first time and sending Irvan on to the victory under a caution flag.

Earnhardt, whose heart was broken here a year ago when he shredded a tire about one mile from the end of what appeared to be a certain victory, tried hard to be philosophical.

"The defending Winston-Cup champion said, 'They're going to run another one of these things in '92 and I'll be back.'"

For Irvan, there was pure joy and some disbelief in his second Winston Cup victory and a trip to Daytona's Victory Lane — especially since he nearly ran out of gas after the biggest triumph of his 32 years seemed assured.

Irvan was second to Earnhardt and Allison when the field was given the green flag with seven laps remaining following the eighth caution period of the race.

By the end of lap 194 around Daytona International Speedway's 2.5-mile track, Allison was up to third and he and Irvan were hooked up chasing down Earnhardt.

Irvan's yellow Chevrolet Lumina that took control, moving to the front on lap 195 and leaving Earnhardt's Lumina and Allison's Ford Thunderbird in a side-by-side duel behind him.

"I figured I could have stayed behind him and pushed him to the Daytona 500 win or he could push me to the Daytona 500 win," Irvan said. "I can't think of anybody I'd rather see win this race, because he hasn't won it yet, but I decided I'd rather him push me."

Irvan cracked by Earnhardt-Irvan kept a close eye on what was taking place behind him. "I think I looked more in my mirror than straight ahead."

"I remember looking up and seeing them behind me and thinking I'm going to get in line and run me down. So I just tried to run as hard as I could hoping they wouldn't catch me," Irvan said.

The two chasers didn't seem to be making up any ground on the leader when, suddenly, Earnhardt's car skidded and began



Rick Wilson balls out of his burning Buick racer after hitting the wall on the second turn at Daytona Sunday.



Ernie Irvan has his second Winston Cup victory.

sliding. He bumped Allison, toward the wall on the backstretch and Allison also spun wildly, eventually winding up against a dirt bank in the infield.

Please see DAYTONA/B5

Pit rule for tire changes played to mixed reviews

The Associated Press

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — A new rule that limited tire changes in Sunday's Daytona 500 left pit crews safer but confused and drew mixed reviews from drivers.

The rule, prohibiting tire changes on yellow-flag laps, was one of several procedures introduced by NASCAR this season after a member of Bill Elliott's crew was struck and killed by a race-car last November.

"The tire rule is not a good rule," said Dale Earnhardt. "Everybody is running around on their own worn tires, and it caused a lot of accidents today. It's tearing up too much equipment, and it ain't saving that much money on tires to pay for that equipment."

Reluctant to pit under green-flag conditions with the field going over 190 mph, most teams changed tires only two

or three times instead of 10 or more as in the past. Drivers said the rule was a factor in the eight wrecks and spin-outs.

"All I can say is that a lot of cars got torn up," Richard Petty, who finished 19th, said. "It might have been all right in the pits, but not on the race track. I think we need to come up with something different."

Elliott's brother and crew chief, Ernie Elliott, dismissed such contentions.

"I think that's a bunch of baloney," Elliott said. "Everybody can stop and get tires if they want to. ... What do you want? You want people run over on pit roads?"

"Dick Beatty, NASCAR Winston Cup director, said he was pleased with the way things went on pit road. He said there may be further adjustments in the pit procedure, but not until after next Sunday's 400-mile race at Richmond, Va.

Morning line

Sunday's scores

Basketball

College

College
Georgia Tech 62, Arizona 56
Iowa 81, St. Peter's 66
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At Gooding High School
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Sports on TV

10:30 a.m. — Channel 12, Women's Basketball: Oregon vs. UCLA All-Stars

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Cleveland
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Ski report

Sun Valley — Snow 18 inches at the base, 20 on top of the mountain. Hours 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

3:30 p.m. — Magic Mountain — Closed for the season

4:30 p.m. — Magic Mountain — Snow 32 base, 40 top. Hours 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Briefly

Birdies lift Lee Trevino to Actna tourney title

NAPLES, Fla. — Lee Trevino sank a 12-foot putt on the 18th hole for his sixth straight title of the day and then Bob Boroski by one stroke in the Senior PGA Tour's Actna Challenge on Sunday.

Trevino shot a bogey-free 66 to overtake Douglass, the 18- and 36-hole leader, who shot a 68, also without a bogey. Trevino finished at 205, Douglass at 206. The two duled throughout the day over the par-72, 6,682-yard South course at the Vineyards.

The win was the first of the season for Trevino, the defending champion who won seven tournaments and a record \$1 million as a rookie on the 50-and-older tour last year.

Saints' Heyward tarnishes halo in scuffle with police

RANKIN, Pa. — New Orleans Saints' running back Craig Heyward sustained a gash in his scalp when he scuffled with police, who arrested him outside a nightclub in Allegheny County.

Police said they used force Saturday to subdue the former University of Pittsburgh player, who they said refused to cooperate when they tried to tow his car. "Free at last. Free at last. Thank God almighty we're free at last," Heyward told reporters upon his release Sunday morning. He has spent most of the night in jails in Rankin and Swissvale.

Lendl outduels Sampras at U.S. Pro Indoor Tennis

PHILADELPHIA — Top-seeded Ivan Lendl finished off Pete Sampras with three consecutive aces and beat the reigning U.S. Open champion 5-7, 6-4, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3 Sunday in the \$1 million U.S. Pro Indoor Tennis Championships.

Lendl, the world's third-ranked player, served 23 aces during the 3-hour, 19-minute match, the last three coming after Sampras had opened the ninth game of the fifth set by hitting a return long.

Compiled from wire reports

Sportsquote

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There's no way I'm going to go out my front door and take off down the street and run. Now if my wife takes me and drops me five miles from the house and says, 'Come on home, baby, I'll be waiting on you,' I'm going to run home.
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— Golfer Lee Trevino, on running to keep in shape

Bonds loses in arbitration, despite MVP

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Winning the National League's MVP award wasn't quite good enough to pull out a victory for the former Cincinnati Reds' Barry Bonds. The Pittsburgh left fielder lost his arbitration bid for \$3.3 million on Sunday and was awarded \$2.3 million instead.

It was the second straight victory of sorts for the Pirates. On Sunday, right fielder Bobby Bonilla lost his request to receive an arbitration record of \$3,475,000 in 1991 and will make \$2.4 million.

Bonds hit .301 last season with 33 homers and 114 RBIs in leading the Pirates to the NL East title. When negotiations for a long-term deal stalled, Bonds said he wanted to be traded and would someday come back and join the Pirates.

Meanwhile, Cleveland pitcher Greg Swindell won his arbitration case to leave the owners with a 6-5 lead. With less than a week remaining in arbitration, 17 players remain scheduled for hearings.

Please see BASEBALL/B5

Ohio State downs Indiana, 97-95

The Associated Press

Second-ranked Ohio State put its second heroes on James Jackson and Treg Lee on Sunday to win its Big Ten showdown with Indiana in a dramatic double-overtime game.

Lee's 10-foot baseline jumper with four seconds left in the extra period was the game-winner in the Buckeyes' 97-95 victory that gave them a one-game lead in the conference over the fourth-ranked Hoosiers. It was a duplicate of a shot from the other side that tied it in the first overtime.

Jackson, meanwhile, helped erase a 5-point Indiana lead with a final-minute layup with a steal and a basket that tied the game with a rinate left in regulation and made the pass that set up Lee's winning basket. He finished with a career-high 30 points for Ohio State (22-1 overall, 13-1 in the conference). "We didn't get the kind of help on Jim Jackson that we needed at the end of the game," Indiana coach Bob Knight said.

Ohio State coach Randy Ayers saw things from a more general perspective.

"That was a tremendous game. I've never been involved in a better one," Ayers said. Indiana (22-3, 10-2) was led by a career-high 32 points by freshman Damon Bailey. Calbert Cheaney, who fouled out at the end of regulation, had 26 points.

The win ran Ohio State's home winning streak to 13-and-stopped Indiana's road streak at eight. The Hoosiers also had a six-game overall winning streak broken.

Georgia Tech 62;

Arizona 56

Jon Barry scored 19 points and forced a turnover with 30 seconds to play to lead Georgia Tech. The Yellow Jackets (14-9) almost had to win the game to keep alive any at-large postseason chances. They did that without a stirring effort from Kenny Anderson, who finished with 15 points on 6-for-21 shooting, with six turnovers.

Arizona (20-5) went on a 12-4 run capped by Matt Muehlebach's 3-pointer with 1:25 left that brought the Wildcats within 57-56. But two free throws by Malcolm Mackey and Barry's steal helped clinch it.

LSU 88, Alabama 81

O'Neal had 36 points and 19 rebounds and blocked seven shots to lead LSU. Five of O'Neal's points were foul shots in the final two minutes as he led LSU (17-7) into a tie with Alabama for the SEC lead at 10-4, Alabama, which had a six-game winning streak snapped, in 16-77.



Georgia Tech's Jon Barry goes to the basket.

Houston 82, Texas 73

Byron Smith scored 29 as Houston beat

Please see COLLEGE/B5

Spartans may feel most effect from Bobcat move

The move of Burley to Class A-2 beginning next fall evidently will have more ripple effect on the Minico Spartans than the Bobcats.

Burley will round out a four-team A-2 Fourth District "All-American" getting bid out that first-round bye among Wood River, Jerome and Buhl in basketball.

Minico, which hasn't won a football game for a while, will evidently take Burley's place in that Class A-1 Division II playoff system. Spartans will be playing Mountain Home and Hefner for the right to advance to the Division II state playoffs.

That apparently was caused when new state definitions for what comprised what "classifications" found "Potlatch" and



Larry Hovey

Sports writer

Highland's schedules waiting for Class A-1 Division I teams. That is because the Gem State Conference now basically has become predominately Division II.

So to qualify, Potlatch and Highland will pick up Twin Falls, the Bruins and Bobcats again shelving their on-off rivalry.

Why the Bruins want to get back into that clutter isn't really understood here

but they will be opening a week earlier than the rest of the state against Highland. And that means they'll be starting practice five days earlier than the rest, too.

The Bruins still are trying to get into an athletic accommodation with the Boise area in all sports, including basketball.

"We foresee life day when Class A-1 will have just three regions — north Idaho, Twin Falls and the Boise area and Minico on east," said Activities Association executive secretary Bill Young here last week.

But Twin Falls will not be wanting in basketball in the west until someone drops out.

"They don't want to get above an eight-team tournament because that becomes so

unwieldy," says Bruin Athletic Director Bill Jones.

Jones said about the only scenario he could see that could lead to the Bruins going west is if "the air force would take a wing out of Mountain Home.

That probably would drop them under the A-1 limit."

College of Southern Idaho men, if successful in winning the Region 18 basketball tournament, will have to visit Arizona for one of those bi-regional that the national body has called the first-round of the national tournament for so many years.

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Knicks show their best, rout Pistons

NEW YORK (AP) — Patrick Ewing scored 28 points and New York Knicks played their best game of the season Sunday, outscoring Detroit 62-34 in the middle two quarters en route to a 116-88 victory.

With another loss at Madison Square Garden, the Knicks would have had the worst home record in the NBA. Even with the victory, they are 11-15, an embarrassing decline from their 35-6 record at home two seasons ago.

Instead, New York recovered from a slow start to rout the defending champion Pistons, outscoring them 18-4 after turnovers in the pivotal second and third quarters.

Detroit lost for the fourth time in six games, although it is still 7-4 since Isiah Thomas was lost for the remainder of the season after wrist surgery. John Salley also missed the game with a bad back.

Pro basketball

Pacers 113, Kings 110
BALTIMORE (AP) — Mitchell Williams scored 22 points, including two free throws with 11 seconds left, to hand the Sacramento Kings its 18th consecutive road loss.

Rik Smits also scored 22 points for the Pacers, followed by Reggie Miller with 21. Antoine Carr led the Kings with 15 points, and Lionel Simmons scored 19.

Chuck Person's two free throws gave the Pacers, who never trailed and led by as many as 20 points, a 111-108 lead with 15 seconds left.

Celtics 126, Nuggets 108

DENVER (AP) — Larry Bird scored 17 of his 24 points in the first period against Denver, sparking Boston to its seventh straight victory.

The Celtics breezed to a 26-23 lead after one quarter and opened a 67-41 lead at halftime. Although us-

ing their reserves for most of the second half, the Celtics shot 32.7 percent in handling the Nuggets their fifth straight win.

Orlando Woolridge had 23 points, Chris Jackson 20 and Reggie Williams 19 for Denver. Kevin Gamble scored 21 points, Reggie Lewis 17 and Dee Brown 16 for the Celtics.

Bucks 111, Magic 103 OT

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Milwaukee overcame a five-point deficit in the final 1:20 of regulation for the second time in three days when it outscored Orlando 13-3 in the first three minutes of overtime.

The Bucks won for the second straight time since trading All-Star guard Ricky Pierce to the Seattle SuperSonics, despite shooting only 32 percent from the field in the first three quarters and playing without starters Jay Humphries and Frank Brickowski.

Bullets 108, Cavaliers 104

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) — Rookie A.J. English had 31 points and 10 assists as Washington ended Cleveland's three-game winning streak.

English, forced into the starting lineup because of injuries to the Bullets' regular guards, made 12 of 20 field goal attempts to surpass his previous career-best of 30 points.

The Bullets blew most of an eight-point lead in the final 5:49. Down 105-102, Cleveland had a chance to tie in the last 11 seconds, but Craig Ehlo and Steve Kerr missed 3-pointers.

Utah's Blake has 1st PGA win

SAN DIEGO (AP) — A fit of anger last Monday may have paved the way for Jay Don Blake's first PGA Tour victory Sunday at the Shearson Lehman Brothers Open.

The 32-year-old Blake threw his old putter — one he'd used since his high school days — into a pond at Palm Springs, Calif., while playing with some friends.

"I don't know what came over me," Blake said. "That's very much out of character for me. I'd just got tired of missing all those short birdie putts, missing the par-5's in two then 3-putting."

"I was playing with some friends, and we had a few dollars going, and I wasn't making anything. Finally, I missed a short putt on the 17th hole. I just turned around and threw the putter about 30 yards into the middle of a pond."

With that blade putter gone, he went to back-up blue Goose putter he'd been carrying around when he crossed the mountains to the California coast for this event.

"He made two critical birdie putts down the stretch and pulled away to a two-shot victory Sunday, the first in five seasons on the PGA Tour since the 1980 National Collegiate champi-



AP Laserphoto

Blake, of St. George, Utah, won this one — and gained entry to such exclusive events as the Masters, the Clarettons and World Series of Golf — with a Sunday par 67 in the final round at Torrey Pines and a 268 total, 20 under par.

He separated himself from a tightly bunched field with a downhill 10-foot birdie putt off the back of the 15th green, and another from about the same length on the 17th.

Bill Sandner, a former national amateur champion who has yet to win in a 14-year Tour career, finished off a 66 with a birdie on the final hole and won the largest check of his life, \$108,000, with a solo second at 270.

Don Forsman and Ben Crenshaw, both very much in the title hunt until Blake rolled in the decisive putt on 15 and 17, finished third and fourth, respectively.

Forsman, the defending title-holder, shot 68-71. Crenshaw, who damaged his chances with consecutive bogeys early in the day, was 69-72.

They were followed by Steve Patz, Jim Hallet and Robert Wrenn at 273. Hallet had a 70 over the last 18 holes and Wrenn 71.

on. "I always thought I had the game to win out here. I just hadn't done it," he said. And he gave full credit to the new putter. "If I'd still had that old putter, I might have kept on missing putts and messing up and not won today," he said Sunday.

College

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back a second half challenge to snap a 10-game winning streak by the Longhorns (17-6, 1-2). Smith threw 2 of 18 shots in his two previous games, both Houston losses, but combined with Alvaro Teheran, who had 22 for Houston (15-8, 7-5), including 10 straight free throws in the second half.

UNLV 86, New Mexico State 74
Anderson Hunt scored 27 points

Blake birdies the 17th hole
AP Laserphoto

And Larry Johnson added 13 to Nebraska's 20-13 Big West lead in its 33rd straight victory. Reggie Jordan led the Aggies (19-3, 11-2) with 18 points and William Benjamin had 12.

East Tennessee 96, North Carolina-Charlotte 80
Mister Jennings scored 19 to lead six players in double figures for East Tennessee (23-3). The Buccaneers became the second team in 73 games dating back to 1971 to defeat the 49ers at their on-campus gym.

Rich King scored 17 of his 19 points in the second half and Nebraska (21-4, 7-Big Eight) handed Oklahoma (11-10, 6-6) its seventh loss in eight games.

Princeton 59, Yale 54
Kit Mueller had 18 points and six assists as Princeton (18-2, 9-0 Ivy League) hit 77 percent of its shots in the second half to beat the Bulldogs (11-11, 5-5).

Scores and stats

Basketball

NBA standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE		WESTERN CONFERENCE	
Team	W-L	Team	W-L
Atlanta	17-10	Los Angeles	17-10
Boston	15-12	Golden State	16-11
Brooklyn	14-13	Phoenix	15-12
Charlotte	13-14	Portland	14-13
Chicago	12-15	Sacramento	13-14
Cleveland	11-16	San Antonio	12-15
Dallas	10-17	Seattle	11-16
Denver	9-18	Utah	10-17
Detroit	8-19	Wash. Post	9-18
Houston	7-20	Phoenix	8-19
Indiana	6-21	Portland	7-20
Los Angeles	5-22	Sacramento	6-21
Memphis	4-23	San Antonio	5-22
Minnesota	3-24	Seattle	4-23
New York	2-25	Utah	3-24
Oklahoma City	1-26	Wash. Post	2-25
Philadelphia	0-27	Phoenix	1-26
Pittsburgh	0-28	Portland	0-27
San Diego	0-29	Sacramento	0-28
San Jose	0-30	San Antonio	0-29
Washington	0-31	Seattle	0-30
Wash. Post	0-32	Utah	0-31
Wash. State	0-33	Wash. Post	0-32
Wisconsin	0-34	Phoenix	0-33
Yale	0-35	Portland	0-34
Zion	0-36	Sacramento	0-35
Alabama	0-37	San Antonio	0-36
Arizona	0-38	Seattle	0-37
Arkansas	0-39	Utah	0-38
California	0-40	Wash. Post	0-39
Colorado	0-41	Phoenix	0-40
Connecticut	0-42	Portland	0-41
Florida	0-43	Sacramento	0-42
Georgia	0-44	San Antonio	0-43
Illinois	0-45	Seattle	0-44
Iowa	0-46	Utah	0-45
Kansas	0-47	Wash. Post	0-46
Kentucky	0-48	Phoenix	0-47
Louisiana	0-49	Portland	0-48
Maine	0-50	Sacramento	0-49
Marion	0-51	San Antonio	0-50
Michigan	0-52	Seattle	0-51
Minnesota	0-53	Utah	0-52
Mississippi	0-54	Wash. Post	0-53
Missouri	0-55	Phoenix	0-54
Montana	0-56	Portland	0-55
Nebraska	0-57	Sacramento	0-56
Nevada	0-58	San Antonio	0-57
New Hampshire	0-59	Seattle	0-58
New Jersey	0-60	Utah	0-59
New Mexico	0-61	Wash. Post	0-60
New York	0-62	Phoenix	0-61
North Carolina	0-63	Portland	0-62
Ohio	0-64	Sacramento	0-63
Oklahoma	0-65	San Antonio	0-64
Oregon	0-66	Seattle	0-65
Pennsylvania	0-67	Utah	0-66
Rhode Island	0-68	Wash. Post	0-67
South Carolina	0-69	Phoenix	0-68
South Dakota	0-70	Portland	0-69
Tennessee	0-71	Sacramento	0-70
Texas	0-72	San Antonio	0-71
Utah	0-73	Seattle	0-72
Vermont	0-74	Utah	0-73
Virginia	0-75	Wash. Post	0-74
Washington	0-76	Phoenix	0-75
Washington State	0-77	Portland	0-76
West Virginia	0-78	Sacramento	0-77
Wisconsin	0-79	San Antonio	0-78
Wyoming	0-80	Seattle	0-79

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Golf

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Focus

Iraq could keep power unless routed in ground war



U.S. Marines from the 2nd Marine Division wade as they move north in the Saudi desert.

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WASHINGTON — Despite the pounding it has taken during the past month, Iraq still boasts a formidable military machine that some analysts say could continue to threaten Persian Gulf neighbors unless routed in a decisive ground war.

Secretary of Defense Dick Cheney told the U.S. Chamber of Commerce last week that the Iraqi president spent one-third of his gross national product on the military in the 1980s.

"There's no doubt in my mind that ... his long-term intentions were to occupy a significant portion of the oil-producing regions of the Persian Gulf, to dominate that part of the world, and to use the enormous wealth that that control would generate to produce even more sophisticated military capabilities," Cheney said.

Before the allied air attacks began Jan. 16, Iraq's armed forces were the fourth-largest in the world.

Its army numbered nearly 1 million with another half-million in the air force, navy and reserves. There were more than 6,000 tanks, 4,200 of them in Kuwait — and thousands of other armored vehicles and artillery pieces.

And Iraq's combat aircraft totaled more than 700, including such sophisticated jets as the MiG-25 and Mirage F1 housed in hundreds of fortified aircraft shelters.

Since the start of the war, Pentagon spokesmen say, Iraq has lost 1,400 tanks, scores of aircraft — including more than 100 from Iraq — nearly all of its small navy, 1,200 artillery pieces and 800 armored personnel carriers.

U.S. military analysts say that Hussein's nuclear and biological weapons facilities have been wiped out along with nearly all of his ability to produce chemical munitions and missile fuel.

Citing those losses along with an apparent choking of supplies to Iraqi forces in the Kuwait theater, Lt. Gen. Tom Kelly, director of operations for the Joint Chiefs, said last week that the current Iraqi military situation is "precarious."

But should Hussein decide to avoid a ground war and manage to retain power, his most loyal troops, the elite Republican Guards, would remain largely intact despite heavy allied air raids. Iraq also hopes to recover from Iraq dozens of top-line aircraft among the 138 combat jets and transports after the war ends.

Though there are no official estimates of Iraqi military casualties, one Pentagon official says the total runs "not in the tens of thousands, more like thousands." And intelligence sources report that 95 percent to 97 percent of Iraq's munitions are intact, including much of its chemical artillery shells and at least some "Scud" missiles and launchers.

Barry Posen of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Defense Studies Program said that if a ceasefire comes before an allied ground attack, Iraq's military "would not be helpless by a long shot."

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Sunday's events in the gulf

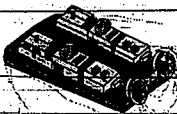
The Associated Press

Here are developments in the Persian Gulf war around the Gulf

An American Apache attack helicopter firing hellfire missiles destroyed two American military vehicles, killing two soldiers and wounding six, during a pre-dawn skirmish, the U.S. Command said Sunday. It was the worst friendly-fire accident since Jan. 29, when a U.S. jet hit a Marine reconnaissance vehicle during a furious tank battle along the Saudi-Kuwait border and seven American soldiers were killed. Since the war started, a total of 35 allied troops have been killed in action, including 16 Americans.

American and Iraqi patrols clashed along the border with Saudi Arabia in seven separate engagements between 5 a.m. and 10 a.m. Sunday, the U.S. Command said. In

Landing Craft



Landing Craft, Air Cushion High-speed, ship-to-shore amphibious vehicle. LCACs can carry troops and medium tanks through surf and onto the beach.

British military officials admitted Sunday that a bomb from an RAF Tornado veered off course into the western Iraqi town of Falluja during an attack on a bridge last week. Iraq has claimed that 130 people were killed and 78 wounded when the bomb hit an apartment building and an outdoor market on Thursday.

Allied bombers took off into clear skies Sunday along the northeastern Saudi coast and headed for Iraqi targets. But there was rain in the central desert, where some major troop movements were under way.

Iraq claimed it shot down four more allied warplanes in the past day but did not give the nationalities of the aircraft, Associated Press correspondent Salah Nasrawi reported from Baghdad. Nasrawi said the Iraqi capital had its quietest night since the war began Jan. 17, with no air raids late Saturday or early Sunday.

Saddam wants to be like revered warrior

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Saddam Hussein wanted to be like Saladin, the revered 11th century Muslim warrior born in his hometown of Tikrit.

He wanted to be like Gamal Abdel Nasser, the Egyptian leader adulated by Arabs for defying the West.

He wanted to be like Genghis Khan, the invader of the West, the imagination of crowds from Pakistan who sought to bomb him out of Kuwait.

Will he still be a hero if he's forced to withdraw? Can he convert his military defeat into a political victory?

Much depends on whether he has anything to show for the agony inflicted on his people, say scholars of the region.

If the allies stick to their guns and insist on an unconditional withdrawal, Saddam "can't emerge a hero," said Martin Indyk, director of the Washington Institute for Near East Studies. The outcome could be different if Saddam manages to keep two Kuwaiti islands he covets or if any of the conditions he presented Friday are met.

Those included demands that Israel withdraw from occupied territories, that Kuwait's government be changed, and that the allies rebuild



Saddam Hussein

Iraq and leave the region. The President Bush faces the same problem today that troubled people all fall," said Richard Brubly, the Reagan administration's top Mideast official.

"How do you let that Iraqi military machine stay intact and withdraw the coalition? What's to keep them from moving back again in six months, 12 months after we've gone?"

And the Arab countries that remain in Saddam's neighborhood — Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Egypt — have additional fears.

"He'll be a wounded snake, but still with enough venom to rise and strike them" in the future, Indyk said.

Saddam is "a survivor who plans to come out of this as a hero to the dispossessed of the Arab world, very much hoping to inherit the mantle of Nasser," said Jerrold Post, a psychiatrist who has studied the Iraqi leader.

Saddam also has repeatedly compared himself to Saladin, who expelled his rule from Iraq to Syria and Egypt and confronted the crusaders who swept down from Europe to convert the Muslims to Christianity.

He may try to claim victory, even if he's forced to withdraw from Kuwait. But he can't do a Nasser," argued Michael Mandelbaum, an analyst at the School of Advanced International Studies of Johns Hopkins University.

Nasser won the hearts of the Arabs in the mid 1950s by expelling British colonial rule from Egypt, nationalizing the Suez Canal and withstanding efforts by France, Britain and Israel to force him out.

But history wasn't so kind to him a second time.

He took on Israel in 1967, was vanquished within six days and died three years later, a broken man.

And Nasser didn't reduce much of his country to rubble the way Saddam has.

Saddam has been crippled by a month of bombings that has destroyed significant parts of his military and reduced his 18 million subjects to life without water, electricity and medicine. His country, already sapped by an eight-year war with Iran, has been bankrupted by the international economic blockade imposed last August to punish him for invading Kuwait. Reports of dissent, unheard of under his autocratic 11-year rule, have begun to emerge from Baghdad in the form of graffiti and grumblings.

"He'll have much to answer for at home," said Laurie Myrliak, who has written a book about the Iraqi president. "I'd be surprised if he stays in power."

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Iraqi artillery, rocket launchers bombed

Knight-Ridder News Service

DIJAHRAH, Saudi Arabia — Allied jets are paying the war for a ground war by bombing thousands of Iraqi artillery pieces, including some capable of hurling chemical and conventional shells much farther than allied cannon.

Allied commanders say knocking out the artillery will be decisive in stripping away the last layer of protection for the Iraqi army and clearing the way for ground assaults through mine fields and revetments.

"He is heavily dependent on his artillery forces, and his positions in such a way as to complement his forward line of troops, more specifically to complement his obstacle barrier," said a U.S. military officer.

"Battlefield preparation is hitting the barrier system, hitting the forces that complement that barrier system and, most importantly, hitting the artillery that is going to service that barrier system," said the officer, who spoke on condition that his name not be used, at a briefing in Saudi Arabia.

U.S. commanders claim to have destroyed 1,200 of the estimated 3,200 Iraqi artillery pieces of ground-to-ground rocket launchers in Kuwait and southern Iraq.

But they offered no breakdown on whether the "kills" included any of the 300mm "super-cannon" in the region — South African-made G-5 and Austrian G-H-N45 guns that hurl rocket-assisted shells to a range of 25 miles.

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Rockets fired from launchers streak toward Iraqi positions.

getting eyes, well-trained crews and radars that compute the origin of incoming rounds, U.S. crews hope to "shoot and scoot" before the Iraqis react.

Allied air supremacy will give attacking jets a virtually free hand in bombing and strafing Iraqi artillery

positions inland, while U.S. battle-ships can pound strongholds near the coast with their mighty 16-inch guns.

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The Associate Press

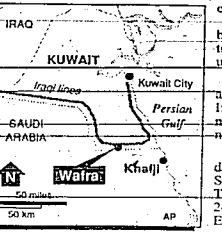
DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia — At a Saudi factory, young Americans tried on tan suede boots without the thrill that comes with new shoes. Soon, they knew, the boots would stain with mud, grease and maybe blood.

With a ground war ready to start, all the talk and training is suddenly sinking in.

Sonic troops are anxious for a chance to bring down a tyrant they have come to hate. Mostly, however, they are reluctant warriors who know the only way home is through Kuwait.

On Sunday, the boot buyers included men of the 623rd Field Artillery, Kentucky National Guard.

It's glad to see those pants



They spoke confidently, clear about the dangers of war but not particularly worried about them. Only one word triggered that look of concern, common to most troops of Op-

eration Desert Storm: gas.

"That's really the only thing that bothers us," US said. "But we've trained for it, prepared for it. If he uses that stuff, we'll nuke him."

A handful of regular army troops and reservists echoed their remarks. If war was their business, they were not especially fond of it. But it was necessary.

"I knew we'd be here when Saddam Hussein invaded Kuwait," said Sgt. Clint Wilbur, 16 years of age, Tribune, Kansas, a firefighter with 24 years of reserve duty in the 467th Engineers.

"I told everyone in the unit, and they all laughed at me," he said. "They ain't laughing now. But I fancy it will be over soon."

Spec. 4 Eddio Martinez of Brooklyn does not think he will be home

soon. He's with the 401st Civil Affairs company, whose job it is to re-secure desert spots of order in a reoccupied Kuwait.

"I'm not crazy about it," he said, reflecting on the idea of a ground war. "This puts a real halt on my life. I've got a wife and a house. I was just about to go to school."

At the Saudi Shoe Company, soldiers paid \$40 for soft, hand-sewn desert boots designed by U.S. command Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf. Troops are allowed to buy their own boots.

They replaced bulky black footwear, designed for European forests, and Vietnam-era jungle boots with leech netting that lets in powder-dry Arabian sand.

As soldiers sprawled over seats lining all four walls and paved over

a mountain of boots in plastic bags, the atmosphere was mixed.

Webb, a size 9½ wide, cradled one pair tenderly. He eyed the rounded toe carefully as though he expected soon to be able to aim it at Saddam himself. "I found me my boots!" he chuckled.

Then, talking to a reporter, the men shifted to a more somber mood. Brown has three kids who don't "quite understand what's come home. His 7-year-old, Chastity, asked him not to go. His 5-year-old, John, shushes up his sisters whenever the news comes on television.

For a minute Webb confused the news. "I'm sorry, but it's so hard to think about this," he said.

Webb had, even more, trouble thinking about Nicholas 11, who is in Tompkinsville with his mother.

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TWIN FALLS COUNTY MINUTES
 Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 2, 1990: 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
FAIR BOARD APPOINTMENT
 Commissioners met with Carl Feldhusen and appointed him to the Fair Board for a term of four years, to replace outgoing board member, Roy Jessor.
MEETING
 Commissioner Fraloy attended meeting of the Steering Committee for the Centennial Waterfront Park in the evening.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 3, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 3, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
REVIEW COMMITTEE
 Commissioner Blasz attended with Review Committee.
MEETING
 Commissioner Hempleman met with South Central Community Action Agency regarding FEMA audit.
MEETING
 Commissioner Fraloy met with Terry Cummins and informed him he had been appointed to the Fair Board, for a term of four years, to replace outgoing board member, Roy Jessor.

CLAIMS APPROVED
 Claims were approved and warrants were ordered issued for the month of December. Totals by department are as follows:

DEPARTMENT	SALARIES	WITHHOLDING	EXPENSE
Assessor	786.40	7,280.00	432.83
Auditor	222.83	8,478.89	984.17
Commissioners	2,273.91	2,273.91	0.00
Coroner	0.00	115.06	950.01
County Agent	0.00	533.67	4,187.60
Public Defender	2,045.47	2,045.47	0.00
Electrician	0.00	758.80	2,283.70
Janitor	0.00	2,048.71	12,997.27
Prosecuting Attorney	3,381.49	2,935.33	2,145.28
Recorder	1,210.58	12,917.37	32,884.88
Treasurer	2,828.15	3,672.36	742.98
Zoning	0.00	920.40	4,700.28
Weeds	0.00	978.94	4,000.31
Animal Husbandry	0.00	1,311.11	2,588.48
Solid Waste	203.98	1,142.10	10,431.03
Ad Valorem	0.00	2,699.57	10,431.03
Jury Clerk	0.00	382.54	99.23
Judicial Court	1,290.18	2,202.47	11,173.86
Juvenile Probation	0.00	273.74	405.00
Misdemeanor Probation	0.00	1,187.78	1,775.83
Probation	3,108.43	8,951.08	22,640.32
Poor	0.00	234.40	0.00
Civil Defense	0.00	0.00	104,658.07
General	0.00	0.00	0.00
Public Health	0.00	0.00	0.00
Revenue Sharing	0.00	0.00	0.00
Toll	0.00	0.00	0.00
Job Construction	0.00	0.00	1,578.42
Landmarks	0.00	0.00	2,401.15
Snowmobiles	0.00	0.00	18.20
Waterways	0.00	0.00	0.00

NEW EMPLOYEES:
 Anne Fritz has been appointed part-time secretary to the Public Defender's Office beginning January 2, 1991. Salary will be \$6.60 per hour.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 3, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 8, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
JCRMP
 Commissioner Fraloy in St. Anthony, Idaho, on JCRMP business.

SEMINAR
 Commissioner Hempleman attended the Twin Falls, Snake River and Balanced Rock Soil Conservation Districts' Legislative meeting and luncheon.
MEETING
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BEEF LICENSES APPROVED
 Licenses for bottled or canned beef to be consumed on the premises were approved and issued to the following: B&B Grocery, Larry's Quick Service, Howa, dba Kelly's, Miller's Magic Bowl, Bowditchme, Inc., County Cafe, Mandarin House, Wok n Grill, Twin Falls Rod and Gun Club, Sportsman's Hill Resort, Grapo Escape, Jim's Lounge, Cavazos Mexican Food, Aroma Italian Cuisine and W. McDonald Bar.
 Licenses for draught and bottled/canned beef licenses were approved as follows: Freddie's Bar, Beacon Club, Benchwarmer's, Copper Glass, Sandpiper Restaurant, Pizzeria Hot, Pizzeria Hot, Addison Ave., LaCasita Restaurant, Ground Round, Pizzeria, The Windbreak, Me-De-E's Pizzeria, Honker's Place, Maxie's Place and Farjia, Pioneer Club, The Club, Rib Ranch, The Hideout, South Park Bar, Canyon Springs Inn, The Log Tavern, Skipper's Seafood and Chisler, Jim's Place, Klover Klub Lounge, Cafe Oia, Royal Restaurant and Lounge, Gibb's Oyster Store, BPOE #1183, Sunstar Bow Inn, and The Pocket.

B&B Grocery for bottled or canned beef to be consumed on the premises were approved and issued to the following: B&B Grocery, Larry's Quick Service, Corner Merc, Rod's Beverage and Sporting Goods, West Addition Sportman Supply, Warent #12, Kluge's Food King, Blue Lakes Sporting Goods, Person's IGA, Jackson's Country Corner, Mr. Gas, Smith's Food and Drug #35, Play Less Drug Store, Maverick County Store #224, Albertson's Food Store, Maverick County Store #224, Maverick County Store #224, Albertson's Food #119, Gamma Bar and Tackle, Snake River Oyster, Made in Idaho, United Oil #1078, Circle K #1078, Swenson's Magic Market #1, Swenson's Magic Market #4, Swenson's Magic Market #2, Fearless Farris Sinker Store, Rib Ranch, Fearless Farris Sinker Store, 800 Addison W., Fearless Farris Sinker Store, 2259 Addison, Lynnwood IGA, Cunny County Store, 7-Eleven #1783, 7-Eleven #129886-D, 7-Eleven #22373, Dairy Mart, Corner Market Woods' Thriftway-Petro Shoppe, Kimberly, Petro Shoppe #224, Maverick County Store #224, Albertson's Food #129886-D, 7-Eleven #22373, A. Dan's Market, Corner Mart, Woods Thriftway, Petro Shoppe I, Petro Shoppe II, Sun n Grub, Anderson IGA, Williams Market #2, Williams Market, Duane's Market and Mall's Mini Market.

WINE LICENSES APPROVED
 Wine by the drink licenses were approved and issued as follows: China Garden, Sizzler Restaurant, LaCasita Mexican Restaurant, Doris' Bar, Maxie's Pizza and Pasta, Pioneer Club, South Park Bar, Country Cafe, Mandarin House, Wok n Grapo Restaurant, Sportsman's Hill Resort, Skipper's Seafood and Chowder, Grapo Escape, Cavazos Mexican Food, Aroma Italian Cuisine and Litesborough.
RETAIL WINE LICENSES
 Retail wine licenses were approved and issued as follows: Larry's Quick Service, Corner Merc, Rod's Beverage and Sporting Goods, Warent #12, Kluge's Food King, Person's IGA, Jackson's Country Store #224, Albertson's Food #119, Gamma Bar and Tackle, Snake River Oyster, Made in Idaho, United Oil #1078, Circle K #1078, Swenson's Magic Market #1, Swenson's Magic Market #4, Swenson's Magic Market #2, Fearless Farris Sinker Store, Rib Ranch, Fearless Farris Sinker Store, 800 Addison W., Fearless Farris Sinker Store, 2259 Addison, Lynnwood IGA, Cunny County Store, 7-Eleven #1783, 7-Eleven #129886-D, 7-Eleven #22373, Dairy Mart, Corner Market Woods' Thriftway-Petro Shoppe, Kimberly, Petro Shoppe #224, Maverick County Store #224, Albertson's Food #129886-D, 7-Eleven #22373, A. Dan's Market, Corner Mart, Woods Thriftway, Petro Shoppe I, Petro Shoppe II, Sun n Grub, Anderson IGA, Williams Market #2, Williams Market, Duane's Market and Mall's Mini Market.

LIQUOR LICENSES APPROVED
 Liquor licenses were approved and issued as follows: Benchwarmer's, Copper Glass, Sandpiper Restaurant, Rock Creek Restaurant, Turf Club, Lantern Lounge, The Windbreak, Honker's Place, Skipper's Seafood and Chisler, Jim's Place, Log Tavern, Klover Klub Lounge, Cafe Oia, Royal Restaurant and Lounge, Gibb's Place, Twin Falls Elks Lodge-1183 and The Pocket.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 7, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 7, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioner Blasz met with Juvenile Justice Oversight Committee on Saturday, January 5, 1991.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Richard Ruedinger and Dale Vawter of Kimberly School District. They requested a waiver of building permit fees on construction of new middle school in City of Kimberly. Request was denied because Twin Falls County does not issue building permits for City of Kimberly.
MEETING
 Commissioner Hempleman attended a meeting of Region IV Elected Officials Association in Burley.

Sheriff's Fees report for the month of December 1990 was approved.
JOINT MONTHLY REPORT
 Joint monthly report of Operations in Funds of the Auditor and Treasurer for the month of December 1990 was approved.

JOINT QUARTERLY REPORT
 Joint Quarterly Report of Operations in Funds of the Auditor and Treasurer for the first quarter 1990-91 fiscal year was approved.
MEETING
 Commissioner Fraloy and Blasz attended Fair Board meeting.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 8, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 8, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioner Blasz attended the Transportation Committee meeting.
MEETING
 Commissioner Blasz attended a meeting with U.S. Forest Service in Hagerman regarding park status of Hagerman Fossil Beds.
DIVIDEND
 Twin Falls County received a dividend check from the State Insurance Fund in the amount of \$19,470 for the 1989 Policy year.

MEETING
 Commissioner Blasz attended Juvenile Detention Board in Jerome in the evening.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 9, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 9, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioner Hempleman attended an E911 meeting.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 10, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 10, 1991
MEETING
 All Commissioners and Elected Officials attended and elected official training.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 11, 1991.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.

MEETING
 Commissioners attended Ad Hoc Committee on Dairy Ordinances.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Ron Madson, Airport manager.
OPEN HOUSE
 Commissioners attended the Open House for retiring County Clerk Richard Panca.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 11, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 14, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time in Regular January Session with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
RECORDS
 Commissioner Fraloy made a motion nominating Commissioner Hempleman as Chairman of the Board. A motion to second the motion was made by Commissioner Blasz and upon roll call the vote was as follows:
 Commissioner Hempleman-aye
 Commissioner Fraloy-aye
 Commissioner Blasz-aye
 Commissioner Fraloy then made a motion nominating Commissioner Fraloy Vice-Chairman of the Board-the motion was seconded by Commissioner Hempleman and upon roll call the vote was as follows:
 Commissioner Hempleman-aye
 Commissioner Fraloy-aye
 Commissioner Blasz-aye
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
 Commissioner Hempleman, Chairman of the Board called for the newly elected County Officials to stand and the oath of office was administered to the following: Doris Hamby, Assessor, and Bonnie Bruning, Treasurer.

MEETING
 Commissioners attended Hospital Board meeting.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 15, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 15, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioners Hempleman and Fraloy attended Airport Board meeting.
WORKSHOP
 Commissioners Hempleman and Fraloy attended a Reduce, Reuse, Recycle Environmental Workshop in Boise in the afternoon.
MEETING
 Commissioners Hempleman and Fraloy met with attorneys in regard to the Proceedings Manual.
NEW EMPLOYEE
 Anne Fritz was hired in the Public Defender's Office as a part-time legal secretary beginning January 2, 1991. Salary will be \$6.60 per hour.

PART-TIME EMPLOYEE
 Jane D. Toupin has been hired as a part-time clerk in the Sheriff's Office. Salary will be \$5.00 per hour.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 16, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 16, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioners attended a meeting with the Highway Districts regarding E-911 and addressing system.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 17, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 17, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Thruway Builders and Ray Coates, Vice President of Triple C Concrete, concerning property lines at Rock Creek Park.
MEETING
 Commissioner Hempleman attended a meeting and news release stating Magic Valley Spawning is now NASGAR sanctioned speedway.
MEETING
 Commissioner Blasz attended Region IV Development meeting.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 18, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 18, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
LEASE AGREEMENT
 Commissioners entered into a lease agreement with Paul Smith for rental of office space.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 22, 1991.

Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman
 Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 23, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present. Commissioner Hempleman absent on county business attending C.A.T. Board meeting in Boise, Idaho.
OATH OF OFFICE
 Commissioner Fraloy administered the Oath of Office to Cal Edwards for Twin Falls County Coroner.
MEETING
 Commissioner Fraloy attended the Middle Snake River Study Group meeting in Jerome.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Jon Wells of the Castledale Quick Response Unit.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 23, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 23, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present. Commissioner Hempleman absent on county business attending C.A.T. Board meeting in Boise, Idaho.
MEETING
 Commissioners Fraloy and Blasz attended Idaho Department of Agriculture Noxious Weeds Seminar in Burley.
NEW EMPLOYEE
 Armando Soliz has been hired as a part-time dispatcher in the Sheriff's Office. Salary was set at \$5.00 per hour.
PROMOTION
 Donald Newman has been promoted to Patrol Division in the Sheriff's Department. Salary was increased to \$1200.00 per month.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 24, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 24, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Blaine Gillman regarding Centennial Waterfront Park.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Russ Lively regarding 4th floor of courthouse.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 25, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 25, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioners attended Ad Hoc Committee on Dairy Ordinances.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Ron Madson, Airport manager.
OPEN HOUSE
 Commissioners attended the Open House for retiring County Clerk Richard Panca.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 25, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 26, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioner Fraloy attended a program at College of Southern Idaho in the morning.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with C.H. Snider and Noah Oliver regarding Centennial Waterfront Park.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Dr. Cindy DeMone, Bill Baker and Dave Wood regarding the fair grounds.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 26, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 27, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
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 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 28, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioner Blasz attended Southern Idaho Economic Development Council.
MEETING
 Commissioner Fraloy met with Fred Harder, First Security Bank, concerning handicap facilities at the county fairgrounds.
ORDINANCE REPEALED
 Commissioner Blasz made a motion to repeal with legal staff to repeal Ordinances #4 and #12. Seconded by Commissioner Fraloy, motion carried.
REAPPOINTMENTS
 Commissioner Blasz made a motion that the following department heads be reappointed for two years:
 Leo Taylor, Planning and Zoning Administrator, annual salary of \$24,494.
 Bob Saylor, Weed Director, annual salary of \$19,814.
 Daniel Harder, Solid Waste Director, annual salary \$25,425.
 Larry Ringler, Veterans Service Officer, annual salary of \$17,010.
 Marian Wolfe, Bailiff, \$4.60 per hour salary.
 Seconded by Commissioner Fraloy, motion carried unanimously.

MEETING
 Commissioner Blasz attended Planning and Zoning meeting in Jerome in the evening concerning BLM land for Juvenile Detention Center.
PROMOTIONS
 Jerry Woolley, deputy clerk, was appointed Record Management Supervisor for the Courts. Salary was increased to \$16,000 per year.
 Sheri Broyles was appointed to the position of Chief Deputy to the Clerk of the District Court. She will be chief court manager. Salary was increased to \$22,250 per year.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 29, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 29, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Fay Kemp concerning cleanup of county owned property.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with representatives of AT&T and Linda Wright, Clerk regarding telephone.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Mike Dahmer concerning E911.
 Routine business was transacted until the hour of 5:00 o'clock P.M., when a recess was taken until the hour of 8:30 o'clock A.M., January 30, 1991.
 Attest: Linda E. Wright, Clerk; Marvin Hempleman, Chairman

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 30, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with representatives of the Balanced Rock Twin Falls and Snake River Soil Conservation Districts regarding funding.
MEETING
 Commissioners met with Kim Castleberry regarding personal property taxes.

Twin Falls, Idaho
 January 31, 1991, 8:30 o'clock A.M.
REGULAR JANUARY SESSION
 The Board of County Commissioners met at this time pursuant to recess with all Commissioners and the Clerk present.
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service needs and recom-
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alternatives; develop cri-
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identify potential program
participants; provide input
into statewide policy and
program development; and
provide services to identify,
select and coordinate
additional program develop-
ment needs; and advise
parents and other service
groups on program-related
issues. Among the require-
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of early childhood health
care, education, and devel-
opment; ability to work
effectively with other profes-
sionals, community re-
sources, and eligible citi-
zens; and the ability to
work with citizen
advisory groups and com-
munity based organizations
in writing. Any interested
individuals should contact
Dawn Ralston, Director,
IDH Ralston Office (734-
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hold duties for single ma-
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Some health care facilities. No
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Honda 90, clean, good condition

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136 Heavy Equipment

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1979 John Deere 420

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good rubber, Cummins, diesel, recently repaid, good for quick sale. \$2500. 733-2885.

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1988 Chevy 1-ton PU, \$2000. Call 733-5172.

1989 Dodge 1 ton V8, 4 speed, dual, 10-OBECO

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1978 Ford 250, 4 speed, new tires, new radiator

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1978 Ford Courier, 2.3l good condition

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1980 Chevy 3.5 Malibu

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1984 GMC Suburban, 6.2l diesel, Sierra Classic

\$4500. Phone 733-7272 ask for Dick or 324-7293.

1986 Dodge Ram 50, looks & runs good

\$3200. Call 324-4155.

1986 Ford F150, 4x2, 4 spd, 31,000 actual miles

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1987 Toyota, new tires, roll bar, AC, lights, 54,000 miles

\$7500. Call 543-5176.

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Call 734-7717 or 733-7723.

Ford F-250, 1988, 4x4, 5 speed, custom, 4 door, headliner, 2 tanks, all maintenance records

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1988 GMC 3000, 6 wheel truck, runs exc, new tires with overload, also includes pillar, side loader for hauling out of hole, \$4000 or best offer. Call 678-2440.

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1986 Chevy duty dual cab

truck, 4x4, 454 V-8, auto, AC, 18,000 miles, new tires, Colorado, absolutely perfect condition. \$14,000. Call 678-2703.

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Features

Straining for the breath of life

Asthmatics find ways to cope with ever-present dangers of attack

By Roy Vieira
Times-News correspondent



Part of Blake Moffitt's daily treatment for his asthma is to breathe in medication through a nebulizer.

ANDY ARIZZI/The Times-News

Blake Moffitt, 15, the problems of asthma hit home.

"It always starts as a kind of tickling in my throat. Then it cuts off to where I can't breathe. It's like being really tired except it doesn't stop. For some bad attacks I won't be able to sleep all night and I'll be sweating all the time. Lots of times I feel like I'm going to pass out," he said.

"Asthma is many things. It's an inflammation in the small airways in the lungs and it's constriction of the small airways in the lungs and it's mucus production by the small airways," said Dr. Gregory Kadlec of Twin Falls. "This prevents the air from moving back and forth as easily as it should," he said.

Interest in asthma has been increasing in the last few years. Asthma afflicts 3 million children under the age of 18. It is the greatest cause of school absenteeism with about 36 million school days lost to asthma every year.

More dramatic, however, is the fact that the number of children hospitalized for asthma rose 46 percent between 1983 and 1987, according to December 1990-January 1991 issue of Health magazine. In addition, the death rate for asthma has increased more than 30 percent in the last seven years, according to Health.

Kadlec believes it's a matter of correct diagnosis. "We always had people dying of asthma, but it was diagnosed as respiratory failure or respiratory insufficiency or other respiratory infections. It just wasn't labeled asthma. I don't think we're having an increase in asthma deaths."

Another possibility is an overdependence in new effective asthma medications that may kill patient or doctor into underestimating the severity of asthma.

Also, the greatest increase of asthmatics has been among children who live in urban and inner-city neighborhoods. One of the problems may be air pollution. Children are usually outside and most active at the time of greatest air pollution—between 3 and 5 p.m. Smog is certainly one of the triggers of asthma.

Although asthma is believed to be inherited, an attack is set off by certain triggers which may vary with the individual. These include some of the more common allergens such as cut grass and hay, dust, mold, pollen, cigarette smoke and animal dander as well as things such as exercise, stress or cold air.

Specific triggers are usually discovered only through direct experience. Sometimes this can come at an unexpected or inconvenient time.

For example, during the Moffitts' vacation one summer, Blake had a severe attack triggered by a visit to the zoo. It took the hospital six hours to stabilize his condition. The doctor recommended they cut their vacation short and return home, where Blake could be treated by his regular doctor, Kadlec.

Even under Kadlec's care, it took 48 hours before Blake was back to normal.

What does Blake do to prevent or mitigate an attack? For one thing, he sleeps on a waterbed to reduce the dust collected by a regular mattress. He takes medication orally in the morning and at night. He has a nebulizer, a machine which converts medication into a mist which is then inhaled through a tube.

He always carries an inhaler, a hand-held container that administers measured amounts of medication in spray. A humidifier often helps. In severe cases Blake goes in for an injection.

"As with most things avoidance is the best method of prevention. When I'm going to be out, I go hide out in the basement and close all the windows."

"I learn to cope with it," Blake says. "I still go out and do stuff, but I can't go full out—it limits me." Nevertheless, Blake seems to have met, and to some extent overcome, the special challenges provided by his asthma.

He misses very few days of school attending even when "whooped up." He is active in football and has a paper route. Furthermore, he has compensated by expanding into other areas: he plays the piano and synthesizer and is something of an artist. Blake seems to see his asthma as "just another part of life rather than as a constraint on living."

"He's not been ashamed of it, but he's never made a thing of it," says his mother, Cheryl Moffitt. "He's never used it as an excuse."

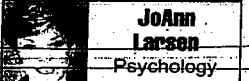
This may be in part because of Kadlec's attitude toward asthma: "Who himself has an asthmatic daughter) (About 6 percent of Americans have asthma or the propensity for asthma. So it's a very common disease and it's undiagnosed and frequently untreated. I feel that all child asthmatics should be able to run and play, participate in all sports, should not miss school, feel inferior and asthmatics we should try for the same goals; but at least they should be able to lead a fairly normal life."

For further information on asthma, contact your local American Lung Association or call one of the following toll-free numbers: Asthma—1-800-222-2762; The Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America—1-800-7-ASTHMA; and Mothers of Asthmatics at 1-800-878-4403.

Rare is the perfect marriage

Do you believe that somewhere out there is a marital union in which two people are so in love and well-suited for one another that there's never any conflict, any strain, any pain?

Your head may tell you that no couple could exist in such an idyllic state, but your heart may want to believe otherwise. If so, your heart is leading you astray.



JoAnn Larson
Psychology

says Linda Wolfe, author of an article called "Imperfect Marriages." Wolfe, who's out to shatter any notion that marriages come in perfect packages, challenges: How, in fact, can there be perfect marriages, when there are no perfect people?

Wolfe blames the myth of the perfect marriage largely on the media, which, she says, generally portrays marriage as an ideal state, constantly drumming the myth of "happily ever after" through books, television, movies, songs, even-greeting cards.

Believing in the perfect marriage comes in part on glamorizing others people's relationships, continues Wolfe. "They're so perfect together," you hear. "They were meant for each other." Never mind that most couples are reluctant to admit, except to their closest friends, the imperfections that riddle their relationships, so that we often imagine such relationships to be idyllic and totally satisfying.

There are dangers in accepting the myth of the perfect marriage, Wolfe warns. Couples can become dense to the possibility of working out problems in marriage—dealing with an imperfect marriage, as opposed to landing in the perfect one—because they think that the world is full of endless options for them. This notion—like belief in the perfect marriage—is utterly fallacious but persistent.

Further, couples who believe in the perfect marriage are apt to get an "all-is-lost-feeling" when a normal difference emerges in the relationship. "They tend to think the whole relationship is wrong. The next thing you know, they're talking about separating."

Couples may abandon a present marriage, imagining that the imperfections in their relationships will disappear if they find new partners. Rarely does this happen. Instead, old flaws simply resurface in new relationships because they were caused—not by their partners but by themselves.

Notes Wolfe: "When people marry, they bring with them as a kind of dowry their own personalities and problems. And if they divorce and remarry, they take that dowry with them. Many people imagine that if only they had a new partner, everything would be all right. They forget that they themselves are the same old people who negotiated the trou-

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Looking good

Fashions sewable in 2 hours

Simplicity has created fashions, pre-tested to be sewn in 2 hours. Simplicity has designed the 2 Hour Express Collection to quicken the sewing pace. Various shortcuts are used, which reduce the time without eliminating the spontaneity of these fresh fashions. The 2 Hour Express Collection is not exclusive in any sewing level. It's great for beginners, who need the extra simplicity, while advanced sewers will also enjoy the ease of sewing clothes.

Examples of this collection's fashions are found in pattern No. 7273, the shift dress—a return to the '60s with an update to the '90s. The shift is a simple and flattering design, hot off the European runways. The versatile, wrap-wrapped dress, pattern No. 7212, is a flexible design.

A wide variety of fabric choices make it easy to wear to the office or for casual occasions.

Most women buy at sales

Sixty-five percent of American women buy most of their clothing at sale prices, according to a nationwide survey of 2,034 women conducted for Glamour magazine. The survey found that the typical woman spends 27 percent of her annual clothing budget on career/work clothes, 24 percent on weekend/leisure clothes, 18 percent on shoes, 12 percent on evening wear, 11 percent on accessories and 8 percent on lin-

Group formed for those with pulmonary problems

By Roy Vieira
Times-News correspondent

The Magic Breathers Club provides support for people with pulmonary diseases from asthma to bronchitis to emphysema.

"Living and caring is what we're about," says president Kathy Fenton. "We provide a community service for a large spectrum of people that are hurting."

Bill Smith, program director for the American Lung Association of Idaho, describes the problematic situation that people with a respiratory disease face: "A chronic disease is often isolating. A person with respiratory problems often gravitates from home to doctor to hospital and then home again."

This [organization] provides an opportunity to share concerns and questions with professionals as well as with others who experience similar challenges.

Once a month the Magic Breathers get together to socialize, have light refreshments and listen to a guest speaker. Past speakers have included a psychiatrist speaking on mental health and a doctor speaking on stress.

A talk is planned in the near future on holistic health.

The Magic Breathers Club meets at 2 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every month from March to November. They do not meet in December, January and February, the months when those with most pulmonary problems have the greatest troubles breathing and may find it hard to attend a meeting.

Unfortunately, asthmatics are the exception to this with most finding winter preferable to summer, due to increased allergens in summer air (spores, molds, farming, lawn-cutting).

Health notes

TREATING ALCOHOLISM If your mate is an alcoholic, joint therapy with you may prove more effective in the long run than counseling the alcoholic alone. That's according to a study by Thomas G. Bowers, assistant professor of psychology at Penn State. "The profile of an alcoholic often includes a disintegrating marriage and relationship problems both at home and at work," Bowers says. "If the alcoholic's family life can be stabilized, his or her prognosis is better."

SAY AHI! Baby boomers, quit procrastinating and get a checkup. People 25 to 44 are the age group least likely to see a physician regularly, American Demographics magazine reports.

A YAWN OF A STORY? Elderly insomnics, you may be able to trade in your sleep pills for a simple series of relaxation exercises. So says Kenneth L. Lichstein, a Memphis State University sleep researcher, who taught women 60 and older an eight-minute relaxation procedure. Participants were told to find a comfortable position, relax their muscles, take slow, deep breaths, close their eyes and visualize a hammock near a quiet pond, a beautiful sunrise or other peaceful scenes. After six weeks, those on sleeping medicine were able to cut back without losing sleep.

THE END: Are there such things as "near-death experiences"? University of Virginia researchers found many similarities in reports from people who almost died and people who thought they were going to die, suggesting these were psychological responses to the perceived threat of dying, according to the Consumer Reports Health Letter. But there were intriguing differences—more of those near death reports included strong light and experiencing enhanced cognitive powers.

LABOR AND EXERCISE: Well-conditioned women who continue to exercise regularly throughout pregnancy do better during labor than non-exercisers and so do their babies, reports a study in the December issue of the American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology. Researchers at the University of Vermont College of Medicine said that women who exercised started labor about five days earlier, had shorter labors, had fewer C-sections and had babies with less acute fetal stress. The exercising women also had lower-weight babies than non-exercisers. The study noted, but this was because their babies had less body fat—a condition that "may actually turn out to be an advantage in terms of cardiovascular risk in later life."

STRESS-FREE SEX: If you want to relieve stress, the best thing to do is make love. That's according to Men's Health magazine, which, in a list of best and worst health ideas, says sex produces a profound sense of relaxation. The worst stress-relieving idea is alcohol, which Men's Health says can cut down on your ability to sleep, making the next day even more stressful.

KEEPING ONE'S DISTANCE: If you subscribe to the unproved theory that watching television too

Please See HEALTH/D6

Simplicity's catalog goes on sale in March.

Valley happenings

Gooding Child Protection Team meets

GOODING - The Gooding County Child Protection Team will meet at noon Wednesday in the Wood River Inn, 530 Main St. Topics will include committee reports, plans for Child Protection Month in April and promotion of parenting videos available for free rental in Gooding County. For more information, call Holly Thomas at 934-5001.

Twin Falls Class of '71 plans reunion

TWIN FALLS - The Twin Falls High School Class of 1971 will have a 20-year reunion planning committee meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Obenchain Insurance, 264 Main Ave. S. Anyone interested is welcome. For more information, call Dave Sasse at 734-2500.

Doctors to discuss cancer treatments

SHOSHONE - Dr. John Gamboa and Dr. Glen Heggie from the Southern Idaho Regional Cancer Center will present a public meeting on "New Developments in Cancer Treatment" at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Shoshone Senior Center. The event is sponsored by the Lincoln County Cancer Unit.

Workshop on relationships scheduled

TWIN FALLS - Wednesday is the registration deadline for "The Magic of Difference," a workshop on love and relationships set for 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday in Room 8 at Our Savior Lutheran Valley Christian Church, 1760 Heyburn Ave. E. Counselors Jim C. Palmer and Barbara Hughes-Crumrine will present the program. Couples and singles alike are welcome. Cost is \$20 per person or \$35 per couple. Lunch is not included. To sign up, call 733-8346.

Technology talk set for secretary group

TWIN FALLS - The Twin-Ida Chapter of Professional Secretaries International will meet at 5:30 p.m. Thursday in the Taylor Building cafeteria at the College of Southern Idaho. John Kirk of Kirk and Co. Seminars of Boise will give a talk on technology and its impact in the workplace and people's personal lives. All members, guests and any other interested people are invited. For more information, call Alice at 333-1023.

The Times-News welcomes news of community events. Send material to The Times-News Valley Happenings, PO Box 548, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0548. Please submit news at least a week in advance and include a phone number where you can be reached.

It's right to break up a bad marriage

DEAR ABBY: A writer signed "From the Tall Corn State" asked, "Are there any other children who want to thank their parents for splitting up?"



Dear Abby
Abigail
VanBuren

Count me in. When my father moved out of the house, it was the biggest favor he could have done for my family. He should have done it a lot sooner. I was a teenager when Dad moved out. He and Mom never got along. After he and Mom divorced, believe it or not, they became good friends. They both met other people and eventually married. Their only regret was waiting so long to end a marriage that was all wrong from the beginning.

So tell "From the Tall Corn State" she is not alone - there are many children who are glad their parents had the courage to split. Sign this **FOR KIDS FROM THE LONE STAR STATE.**

DEAR KIDS: I received a surprising number of letters from you (and some not yet grown) children voicing the same sentiments. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: My parents finally divorced after 22 years of "staying together for the sake of the kids."

They were just kids themselves when they eloped, and when they finally grew up, they grew in different directions.

I don't believe people should be condemned to a lifetime of unhappiness because of one mistake made

when they were too young to know any better. By that time, they wasted a lot of good years. As I look back, I realize that their staying together while we were growing up was no favor to us. We were affected more by their unhappiness together than we were by their divorce.

I wish parents would be more honest with their children instead of trying to pretend that everything is OK when in reality it's a mess. I can still remember my sister and I pulling the covers over our heads at night to drown out the yelling and cursing of those late-night family fights.

I'll bet you get a lot of mail on this subject.

— ALSO FROM THE TALL CORN STATE

DEAR ABBY: Speaking of staying together for the sake of the kids, I think our parents probably hold the record.

They split up at least a dozen

times in my recollection. They were actually divorced twice during their first 15 years of marriage; but got married again.

My mother said she'd rather live with the devil she knew than the devil she didn't know. There's was a very poor example of what a marriage should be.

They had all kinds of excuses for getting back together after they split. There were four daughters and two sons in our family, and my mother kept reconciling because she thought every father owed it to his daughter to walk her down the aisle. After each wedding, there was a big fight and Father moved out of the house for a while.

Deep down, we kids always had the feeling our folks tried to stay together for our sakes, which laid a terrible guilt-trip on us. If I could give young couples one piece of advice, I would tell them not to have any children until they were absolutely certain they could get along with each other.

Staying together for the sake of the kids is a big mistake. A lot of couples should split for the sake of the kids. And STAY split.

If you print this, please don't say where it came from.

— ONE OF THE KIDS

Everything you'll need to know about planning a wedding can be found in Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." To order, send a long, business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

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A: Any sudden acceleration or deceleration of the human body that snaps the head backward, forward, or to the side can seriously injure the neck's tissues - popularly called whiplash. The cause may be almost any misdirected action involving momentum of force such as a fall on the stairs, a sports mishap, a fall on ice... any accident which causes a snapping movement of the head and neck.

Some symptoms may show immediately or within a few hours following a whiplash injury. But damaged, injured tissue often degenerates slowly, so symptoms sometimes don't develop for several days. Sometimes several weeks go by. Occasionally, months elapse before symptoms present themselves.

A whiplash victim should get a thorough chiropractic examination as soon as possible after the accident to determine the extent of the injury before it gets worse. Due to their unique expertise in recognizing and treating structural problems, chiropractors are able to give whiplash injuries special attention and care. Symptoms May Include: Headaches, Numbness, Dizziness, Fainting Spells, Altered Sense of Balance, Ringing in Ears, Frequent Nausea, Low Back Pain.

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Research boosts hope for diabetes sufferers

CHICAGO (AP) - Researchers report they have narrowed the location of a gene they say causes a common form of diabetes, a breakthrough that could lead to early identification and treatment of people who develop the disease.

The gene is believed to cause adult-onset diabetes, also called non-insulin dependent or Type 2 diabetes. Of the estimated 14 million diabetics in the United States, 90 percent suffer from the non-insulin type, usually developing after age 40.

The tracking of the gene was reported in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences. One of the researchers, Graeme Bell of the University of Chicago, said the gene was tracked to the long arm of chromosome 20.

The nucleus of every cell in the body has 23 pairs of chromosomes. The chromosomes carry the genes that determine a person's hereditary characteristics.

"We have the neighborhood for the gene, but we don't have the address," Bell said. "We started out with 3 billion possible genes. We've narrowed it down to 10 million."

"It brings us closer to an understanding of the cause of Type 2 diabetes - which we can devise

ways to prevent and cure it," said Richard Kahn, chief scientific officer of the American Diabetes Association.

The researchers - from the University of Chicago, University of Pennsylvania and University of Michigan - located the gene by studying the work of Dr. Stefan Fajans. The University of Michigan endocrinologist has spent 22 years tracking one family - with more than 275 members spanning five generations - in which more than 40 people suffered from non-insulin dependent diabetes.

Diabetes develops when the body does not produce enough insulin or when it fails to respond properly to insulin - thereby preventing cells from adequately using glucose, a sugar that serves as their fuel.

Glucose then builds up in the blood, damaging arteries in the heart, eyes, kidneys, legs and other extremities. The damage can lead to heart disease, blindness, kidney failure and other problems.

Many people with Type 2 diabetes don't know they have it until it has caused significant damage.

Early detection can permit them to take drugs that enhance the action of insulin.



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- Free Breast Screening Educational Program.** By appointment only. Call 737-2900. The MVRMC mammography facility is accredited by the American College of Radiology. Learn how to perform your own breast examination. You may schedule a mammogram (\$76) following your appointment. If you are 40 years of age or older, have never had a mammogram, and do not have insurance coverage for a mammogram or have an unmet deductible over \$50, YOU qualify for a free mammogram under the MVRMC Mammography Grant Program.
- The ChildLife Program** at MVRMC needs volunteers for the **Head Smart Campaign** to teach children the use of bike safety helmets. We need you for any amount of time you can give during the campaign (February 28 through September 15). Call Blossom Mathews at 737-2430.
- Cesarean Childbirth Class** * Monday, February 18, 7-9 p.m., 2nd floor conference room. Single class to help parents learn more about Cesarean childbirth. Cost: \$5. Call 737-2900 to register.
- "Diabetes and the Heart"** by Kevin Kraal, M.D. * Tuesday, February 19, 7:30 p.m., 2nd floor conference room. Free monthly discussion group open to anyone concerned about diabetes. For more information, call Joan Huston, R.N., patient educator, at 737-2903.
- Walkers Club Monthly Program** * Wednesday, February 20, 7:30 a.m., Magic Valley Mall Courtyard. "Seventy Something: Fresh Expectations in Growing Older" by Jan Mittlender, CSI physical education instructor. Call the Senior Connection for further information: 737-2065.
- Core Stress Management Class** * Wednesday, February 20, 7-9 p.m., 3rd south conference room. Learn easy, effective ways to control stress. Facilitator: Richard Marshall, physical therapist. Cost: \$8. Call 737-2900 to register.

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THE FAR SIDE

Quick, Mr. Sulu! Get those defense shields up!

The crew of the Starship Enterprise encounters the floating head of Zsa Zsa Gabor.

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I'M GOING SHOPPING. MONEY, I'VE GOT TO COME ALONG.

I'D RATHER BE WITH MY DOG.

HOW LONG WILL YOU BE GONE?

OH, UNTIL I'VE RUN OUT OF MONEY.

OH, SECOND THOUGHT, I THINK I WILL TAG ALONG.

THE AMAZON RIVER IS FOUR THOUSAND MILES LONG.

THE OHIO RIVER IS THIRTEEN HUNDRED MILES LONG.

AND AN EMPTY SUPPER DISH IS TWO MILES WIDE!

THERE ARE CAT PEOPLE AND THERE ARE DOG PEOPLE.

AND THEN THERE ARE PEOPLE LIKE ME.

YOU'RE CROWDING US.

STUPID PEOPLE.

HI THERE! I WONDER IF I COULD HAVE A MINUTE OF YOUR VALUABLE TIME?!

WHY DO SALESMEN ALWAYS SEEM TO CALL RIGHT AT DINNERTIME?

OH, LOOK, DEAR! THESE KITTENS FROM DON'T YOU JUST LOVE MUSIC IN THE HOUSE?

BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

FROM THE ANTI-BARK PROTESTERS, THERE'S BEEN PROGRESS IN FRONT OF THIS WHITE HOUSE SINCE PRESIDENT.

TRUMPETING NO KIDDING! ALTHOUGH I THINK I HAD A FEW BARKS TO MAKE MY POINT.

I CAN'T HEAR YOU! I'M IN THE KITCHEN.

BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

BEETLE, YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO WEAR A TIE ON GUARD DUTY.

AW, WHO'S GOING TO SEE ME OUT THERE?

NICE TIE.

NOT WALKER.

DO YOU NEED A HIGH CHAIR FOR THE BABY?

YES, PLEASE!

HE FORGOT THE LOW CHAIRS FOR EVERYONE ELSE.

DO YOU THINK THE COUNTRY IS IN A RECESSION?

I CERTAINLY HOPE SO.

WHAT?

I WOULD HATE TO THINK THAT THESE ARE THE GOOD TIMES.

WELL, HERE WE ARE IN TOMATILLA, SOUTH AMERICA!

Corky! Ask that guard where a good hotel is!

Uh... Donde esta... Oh... la finca... de los... pollos?

Good! Good! Good!

Señor? You wish a chicken farm??

DID YOU DO SOLDIERS KILLING EACH OTHER SOLVE THE PROBLEMS?

I THINK GROWN-UPS JUST ACT LIKE THEY KNOW WHAT THEY'RE DOING.

HURRICANE IS COMING TO THE COLISEUM 'TSEE THE FAMOUS CYNODESALES.

CAN I GO TOO, PAPA?

YOU'RE TOO YOUNG FOR ROCK CONCERTS!

THANK YOU, MARGARET, BUT THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT WHEN I ASKED YOU TO BEING IN MY EXECUTIVE DUMBBELLS.

JOEY'S CAT HAD KITTENS AND JOEY DIDN'T EVEN KNOW SHE WAS MARRIED.

"Daddy, have you seen a jar with my bug collection in it?"

51 Obtain by effort

52 System of signals

53 Lustrous fabric

54 Registrar of days

58 Reconnoiter

62 Opera melody

63 Humorous garment

64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-1222-1223-1224-1225-1226-1227-1228-1229-1230-1231-1232-1233-1234-1235-1236-1237-1238-1239-1240-1241-1242-1243-1244-1245-1246-1247-1248-1249-1250-1251-1252-1253-1254-1255-1256-1257-12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Flag fashions tap consumer patriotism

NEW YORK (AP) — A sequined flag unitard on a \$120 T-shirt in the window of the Marble boutique on Park Avenue.

It's a popular item, along with countless other depictions of the Stars and Stripes on everything from blouses to coffee mugs that are selling in thousands of shops and upscale stores alike.

War in the Persian Gulf has incited a surge of patriotism that has consumers hankering for pieces of the national emblem. As retailers stock up on merchandise in red, white and blue, they see a firm, bright spot in an otherwise slumping industry.

"People feel real inadequate about what they can do about the war," said Ann Stock, a spokeswoman for Bloomingdale's, which amassed all the flag-related merchandise spread throughout its flagship Manhattan store in a "Stars and Stripes" department two days after war erupted.

It wasn't long before the shop had sold out of a \$40 Ralph Lauren flag coffee mug. Other hot sellers are a \$22.50 flag baseball cap and Terry cloth bath sheets in a flag motif for \$14.99 apiece.

"This is really in response to what's going on in the world," Stock said. "Sales have been very good, but we weren't looking at that. If we could close the shop tomorrow and end the war, we would."

Until then, however, Bloomingdale's plans to open "Stars and Stripes" shops in other stores.

Designers and clothing manufacturers, who typically work six months in advance, couldn't have foreseen the Gulf War. Indeed, interest in



New York City's Bloomingdale's department store carries a variety of items in its Stars and Stripes section.

The flag as fashion has been growing since George Bush moved into the White House, if not before.

"There are people who might say that interest in the flag reflects a package of political points of view represented by the Bush presidency," said Bernard Beck, an assistant professor at Northwestern University.

Emotional debates over pledging allegiance to the flag in schools and a proposal to amend the Constitution to ban flag burning are associated with Bush. The end of the Cold War has given Americans fresh pride in the contention that "our system works better," Beck said.

Current flag fashions are a stark turnaround from the 1960s Vietnam era, when flags were worn defiantly — sometimes upside down on denim jackets. The counterculture painted peace symbols over flags on shirts and jeans to deride the emblem as a symbol of a war-mongering establishment.

But attitudes have changed since Yippie Abbie Hoffman was arrested for wearing an American flag.

A spokeswoman at Lauren's headquarters in New York attributed the interest in Old Glory to "that American heritage feeling that Ralph is so interested in."

Ralph Lauren introduced a flag sweater for men and women in the fall of 1989. Since then the designer has unveiled flag denim jackets, bibs, tank tops, tote bags and a line of tablewear including placemats and the ever-popular coffee mugs.

The sweaters, which go for several hundred dollars apiece, have been good sellers since their introduction, the company says, though there is no particular increase in sales since the war began.

Proposal aimed at infant mortality

DALLAS (AP) — The nation's top health official is proposing a program aimed at reducing infant mortality by up to 50 percent, partly by improving family life.

Secretary of Health and Human Services Louis Sullivan proposed a program he called Healthy Start to deal with the health problems of low birthrate babies and dysfunctional families.

Sullivan blamed the nation's high infant death rates on some parents' ignorance of proper health methods, poor child-raising skills, addiction to drugs or alcohol, and weak family structures.

He said 25 percent of the nation's mothers do not get prenatal care and that the United States is ranked 24th in the world in the number of infants who survive after birth, with an infant mortality rate of 10 deaths per thousand births.

Each year, 40,000 babies die in this country before their first birthday, Sullivan said.

The initiative will focus specifically on 10 troubled cities, but Sullivan did not identify them.

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Caesarian birthing class scheduled for tonight

TWIN FALLS — The Magic Valley Regional Medical Center has scheduled a caesarian childbirthing class for 7 to 9 p.m. today in the conference room, second floor.

The program, designed to help parents learn more about caesarian childbirthing, features a one-session class offered the third Monday of every other month. The next class is scheduled for April 22.

Topics covered include the medical indications for a caesarian birth, hospital procedures, delivery and recovery.

The cost is \$5. To pre-register, call the Women's Health and Education Center at 737-2900, weekdays between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Water exercise at YFCA runs Tuesdays, Thursdays

TWIN FALLS — The Magic Valley YFCA has started a new water exercise class to be held at 8:30 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

This one-hour class will include cardiovascular training as well as strength and endurance muscle work, ending with full-body stretches.

The class is led by a certified Carolyn Neilson and the class fee is \$12 per month. For more information, call the YFCA at 733-4384.

Heart and diabetes topic of talk at MYVRCM

TWIN FALLS — Kevin Kneel, M.D., will speak on the topic "Diabetes and the Heart" at the Magic Valley Regional Medical Center Diabetes Discussion Group at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the MYVRCM conference room, second floor.

The session is open to anyone concerned about diabetes and is offered at no charge. For more information, call Joan Huston, R.N., and patient educator, at 737-2903.

CSI instructor to address walking club for elderly

TWIN FALLS — The "I Walk for the Health of It Club" will meet at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday in the Magic Valley Mall courtyard.

Jan Mittleider, physical education instructor at the College of Southern Idaho, will present this month's program, "Seventy Something: Fresh Expectations in Growing Older."

For more information, call the Senior Connection at 737-2665.

Cholesterol tests offered Friday in Twin Falls

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Childbirth refresher class set near end of February

TWIN FALLS — A prepared childbirthing refresher class for persons who have previously taken a prepared childbirthing class will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Feb. 25 at the Magic Valley Regional Medical Center, second floor.

Childbirthing preparation and medical center procedures will be reviewed. A film, a discussion on sibling adjustment and a tour of the labor/delivery unit will be included.

The fee is \$5 and participants must pre-register by calling the Women's Health and Education Center at 737-2900, weekdays, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Childbirth class for those expecting in April set

TWIN FALLS — A prepared childbirthing course for parents due in April will begin Feb. 26 at the Magic Valley Regional Medical Center.

The Lamaze-based series of six classes will be held from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the Women's Health and Education Center conference room, second floor. The course fee is \$30.

Designed to prepare parents for childbirthing and early parenting, the course includes films, slides, and physician question and answer sessions. The expectant mother is asked to wear comfortable pants and to bring two pillows. A support person is encouraged to attend.

Pre-registration is required. To pre-register or for more information, call the Women's Health and Education

Volleyball for youngsters among Jerome programs

JEROME — The following programs, sponsored by the Jerome Recreation District, begin on the dates specified or when a minimum of 10 participants have registered. Call 324-3389 or stop by the Jerome Recreation District at 2444 S. Lincoln.

A 4 p.m. aerobic class instructed by Tammy Boer begins today at the recreation center. The fee is \$20 for a six-week session and class will be Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Pre-registration is required.

A mini aerobic class for kids will be at 3 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays and at 4 p.m. for fourth-, fifth- and sixth-grades at the Jefferson Elementary School Cafeteria. The fee is \$8 for a six-week session.

A pee-wee volleyball tournament for the third- and fourth-grade girls will be held at 3 p.m. Friday at the Jerome Recreation Center Gym, 2444 S. Lincoln. There is no charge.

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 bid relationship in the first place."
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 "There are no easy answers, of course, but try these ideas:
 • Recognize that, after the courtship phase, the role of relationship stays the same - the passion will dwindle. No relationship can escape periods in which it goes a bit stale or produces arguments and quarrels. So plan on it.
 • Increase chances of an imperfect - but perfectly viable marriage - by utilizing "selective insensitivity," the habit of overlooking annoying habits in each other.
 • Lois Leidman Davitz, author of the article, "The Big Secrets of Ador-

ing Couples," cites a case in point - a happily married couple of some 40 years. Every time they went to a restaurant his wife complained about the cost of the dinner and a stomachache from the seasonings. Davitz reports:
 "Did this drive this man crazy after 40 years? Not at all, she says. He practiced selective insensitivity; if he had listened and reacted and been sensitive to her remarks, they would have had battles every time they dined out.
 Advises Davitz: Identify in your own mind what is worth being sensitive to and what demands "selective insensitivity." The next time you find yourself irritated at your mate, ask yourself these questions: Is this issue life-threatening? Is it worth making a fuss about? Will my life change, or will I truly be happier, if I vibrate right now?
 • Mind your manners. Most potential "imperfect but perfectly viable

marriages" sour when couples lose their manners. Often partners somehow often manage to square their expectations that they have a right to the best of manners from a spouse while they are themselves are being ill mannered.
 Speaking of "marital manners," Judith Voigt, author of an article called, "What Makes Your Marriage Work," reports: "I used to believe that marriage meant I could say, straight out, whatever I thought and felt. I used to believe that using tact and diplomacy and - mannerliness and kid gloves was, in a close relationship, kind of phony. I've subsequently discovered that the courtesies of life make the marriage machinery run more smoothly. My feelings now about marital manners is, 'Have some.'"
 JoAnn Larsen is a Salt Lake City family and marital counselor. Her column appears every Monday in The Times-News.

Health

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 close to the set can harm your eyes, a small New Jersey electronics company makes a product that may interest you, Ambico, a Bergen County firm, is selling Eye Guardian, a small black box that emits an infrared beam. If your child sits too close to the TV, the beam will be broken and the set will shut off. The Eye Guardian costs \$69.95. For more information, write Ambico, 50 Maple St., Norwood, N.J., 07068-0427.
 HEALTH HAZARD: Loneliness may be hazardous to your health. University of Michigan researchers have found that socially isolated, lonely adults have as great a risk of developing heart problems and dying prematurely as cigarette smokers do.
 TALK TEST: Take "talk test" for safe exercise: If you're too out of breath to comfortably carry on a conversation with another person as you dance, run, or swim-dunk your way to fitness, you're probably working too hard and should slow down.
 IMPROVE VISION: Loosen your tie and see better. Dressing for success may propel you toward the top, but not toward top-notch vision. Research at Cornell University suggests a necktie that is knotted too tightly can interfere with blood flow to the brain and sensory organs - namely, your eyes.

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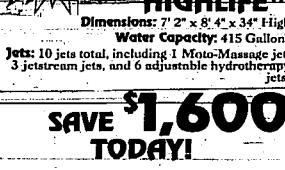
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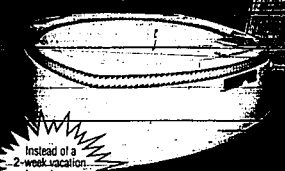
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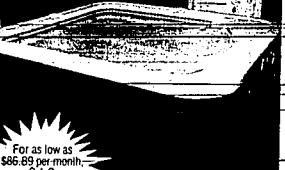
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