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Sunny side up



After a summer of unusual weather, it should not be surprising to see plants take on odd characteristics. Here, a sunflower grows from the trunk of a locust tree at the Twin Falls Municipal Golf Course.

College cost rise outpaces income growth, inflation

The Associated Press reports that the average tuition and fees at four-year private universities and colleges rose 6 percent to \$11,025, room and board brought the total to \$15,818. The average cost of two-year private junior colleges went up 7 percent, to \$6,175.

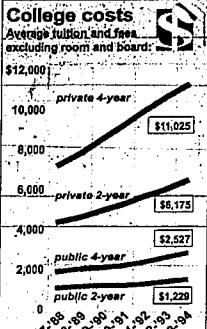
BOSTON — The cost of higher education continues to outpace income, inflation and financial aid this fall, even as colleges and universities slash services, according to the College Board.

The average tuition, room and board climbed 6 percent to \$6,207 at four-year public universities and 5 percent to \$15,818 at four-year private colleges, the College Board reported in a survey being released today.

The increases were about the same, or slightly less, than last year's, as competition sharpened for the dwindling number of potential students.

"Colleges have simply come to realize that the very markets they wish to serve could not afford them at the rate of increase they were following," said David L. Warren, president of the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities.

White inflation was 2.8 percent from last



Source: The College Board AP/Wm. J. Costello

Idaho Power seeks to get out of Wiley project

By Mick Normington
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Idaho Power Co. has announced it expects a surplus of electricity in the future and wants to scrap plans to build six dams along the middle Snake River.

Hydroelectric projects that would be canceled are:

- The 86-megawatt A.J. Wiley project near Bliss.
- Expansion of hydroelectric plants at Upper Salmon Falls.
- Expansion of the Shoshone Falls plant.

But first, the Idaho Public Utilities Commission must change regulations that require Idaho Power to purchase electricity from any hydroelectric plant on the river, the company says.

Idaho Power sent a 35-page statement to the state Public Utilities Commission on Friday urging sweeping policy changes.

Idaho Power argues that those changes could save its customers as much as \$145 million a year by 1998, or \$467.44 to the average customer's annual bill.

The proposal has won some support from an environmental group.

"I can't emphasize how strongly we support Idaho Power's trying to change the regulations," said Liz Paul of Idaho Rivers United, a conservation group that has often battled the utility over hydroelectric dams.

"They (Idaho Power) are on the right track. They are trying to help their customers. And whether they intended to or not, they are doing the right thing for the environment — the river," she said.

But a changing marketplace, rather than environmental concerns, is the motivation behind the new "concept," said Jim Taney, spokesman for Idaho Power.

"Our world is about to change," he said. "The U.S. Energy Department is relaxing federal regulations on utility companies and allowing them to now take competitive bids from private electricity suppliers. Relaxing of federal regulations is the result of the National Energy Policy Act of 1992, that is now going into effect," Taney said.

So if federal and state regulations continue to relax, then Idaho Power won't be forced to buy power from local hydroelectric plants. And that's power the utility doesn't need, Taney said.

"We think we have an adequate power Please see POWER/A2

Dowd wants off council, Talkingington wants on

By Sean L. McCarthy
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — Pam Dowd has become the second councilwoman to announce that she will not seek re-election to City Council, while a former mayor said he wants back into City Hall.

Dowd, 46, said Tuesday she will step down in January after serving only one four-year term on the council. Her announcement leaves Councilman Jim Vickers as the sole incumbent among the three council positions up for election in November.

Councilwoman Mary McClusky announced last week that she would not seek reelection Nov. 2.

Dowd said Tuesday that she has enrolled in a nighttime paralegal class at the College of Southern Idaho which will conflict with council meetings. "It would be unfair to the voters of Twin Falls to give them a part-time council member," she said.

"I've been thinking about (retirement) for quite a while — since July," Dowd said. Dowd said the paralegal training will



Dowd Talkingington

prepare her for a future political bid, but declined Tuesday to outline her plans in detail. "I don't want to wait until I'm 50 years old to take the paralegal classes," she said.

Dowd said she has "gone as far as they will let you go" on the council.

Dowd has complained publicly that the seven-member council is dominated by a four-member majority that often disregards the wishes of the other three, including Dowd.

Dowd said she will continue to serve as

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President courts health plan supporters ahead of speech

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — In a run-up to his big speech on health reform, President Clinton courted capital pundits and MTV viewers alike Tuesday.

He said he is anxious for Congress to debate the details and is open to changes "if somebody's got a better idea."

"The moment" for health care reform has arrived, the president said in one of a series of interviews. First Lady Hillary Clinton, at the table for a power lunch with columnists, predicted lawmakers would deliver legislation to her husband's desk within a year.

At 7 p.m. MDT today, Clinton delivers

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what may be the most important speech of his presidency, laying out his vision for a health-care system that would offer affordable coverage to everyone — regardless of income or medical status — by the end of 1997.

A day before formally presenting his plan to Congress, Clinton defended the financial underpinnings of the package yet made it clear that much was open to negotiation. "I want an honest, open discussion on this," he said.

Said Mrs. Clinton, chief architect of the Please see HEALTH/A2

Yeltsin ignites struggle for control of Russia

The Baltimore Sun

MOSCOW — President Boris N. Yeltsin suddenly dissolved the hostile Russian Parliament Tuesday night and announced popular elections for a new legislature, setting off a struggle that could end in anything from outright victory for the president to civil war.

Moving to cap the debilitating yearlong confrontation with his anti-reform foes in the legislature, the defiant president finally took the step that he had avoided through a succession of earlier skirmishes that sapped his authority and blocked his economic reforms.

He told the members of Parliament — holders of the Communist Party — to go

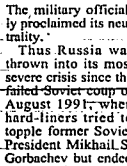
home, and dared its leaders to do something about his action.

But the legislature, defiant to the last, refused to leave. Instead, it convened a midnight session and proclaimed Vice President Alexander Rutskoi as the new president of Russia.

Barricades were thrown up around the White House, the riverside building where the Parliament meets. Heavily armed police were deployed at key spots in Moscow.



Yeltsin



Rutskoi

The military officially proclaimed its neutrality.

Thus Russia was thrown into its most severe crisis since the failed Soviet coup of August 1991, when hard-liners tried to topple former Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev but ended up toppling themselves and the Communist regime.

As of this morning the country had two presidents, each declaring the other to be outside the law. It had two centers of pow-

er, the Kremlin and the White House.

In Washington, President Clinton said he fully supported Yeltsin's decision to dissolve the Parliament and call for popular elections. He spoke to Yeltsin by telephone shortly after the announcement in Moscow.

The Russian president's sudden and sweeping declaration, broadcast in a 20-minute nationwide television address at 8 p.m., left little room for backtracking or compromise.

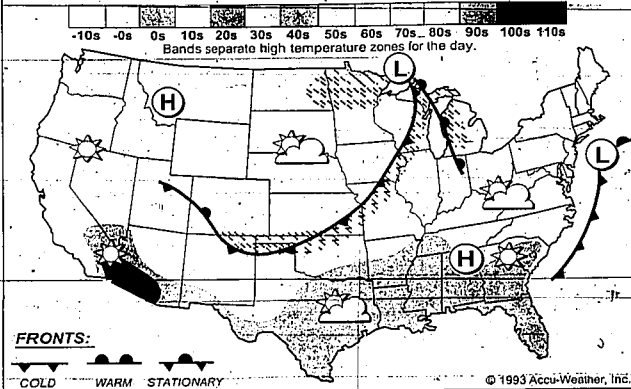
The powers of the Congress of People's Deputies and of the smaller standing parliament, the Supreme Soviet, said, "are terminated as of today."

Yeltsin said the "senseless and futile struggle" with the Parliament was threatening the peace and stability of Russia.

Weather

NATIONAL Weather

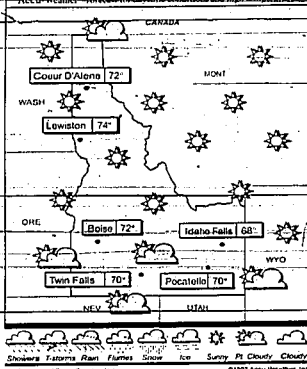
The Accu-Weather® forecast for noon, Wednesday, Sept. 22.



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IDAHO Weather

Wednesday, Sept. 22
 Accu-Weather's forecast for daytime conditions and high temperatures



City	Max	Min	Pcp
Albuquerque	89	52	
Albany	88	71	01
Albion	87	57	27
Chicago	63	57	27
Dallas	95	72	21
Denver	85	48	
Des Moines	73	48	
El Paso	61	53	30
Honolulu	88	69	
Houston	93	75	
Indianapolis	71	58	
Kansas City	76	52	
Las Vegas	92	62	
Los Angeles	76	65	
Memphis	90	64	
Miami Beach	89	82	
Milwaukee	61	52	01
Minneapolis	60	52	01
New Orleans	93	73	
New York	62	52	09
Oklahoma City	90	66	
Omaha	77	49	
Phoenix	102	71	
Pittsburgh	72	58	05
Portland, Me.	59	39	
Portland, Ore.	74	42	
Reno	77	40	
St. Louis	78	57	
Salt Lake City	71	47	
San Francisco	67	54	
Seattle	65	43	
Spokane	57	34	08
Washington	74	60	37

Twin Falls

Day	High	Low	Pcp
Yesterday	63	33	
Today	78	46	
Normal	77	41	
Sunset today	7:36 p.m.		
Sunrise tomorrow	7:28 a.m.		
Lunar phase	First quarter		
Sept. 22, full Sept. 30; last quarter Oct. 8, new Oct. 15.			

Idaho

City	Max	Min	Pcp
Boise	65	30	
Burley	69	41	
Fairfield	62	18	
Gooding	63	30	
Hagerman	74	37	
Idaho Falls	64	35	
Jerome	61	35	
Lowland	64	41	
Malad	m	34	
Malta	m	m	
McCall	60	23	
Payette	65	37	
Salmon	63	28	
Stanley	57	11	
Sun Valley	55	22	

Forecasts

Twin Falls, Burley, Rupert, Jerome and Gooding: Sunny today and Thursday with a warming trend. Highs today near 70 and Thursday 70 to 75. Lows tonight in the lower 30s. Light winds today.

Camas Prairie and Wood River Valley: Sunny, and not so hot today and Thursday. Highs today in the lower 60s and Thursday mid-60s. Lows tonight 15 to 20.

Extended forecast: Southern Idaho - Friday through Sunday sunny days and clear cool nights. Lows in the upper 20s to lower 30s. Highs in the mid-60s to mid-70s.

Northern Utah and Nevada: Utah - Sunny today. Highs in the lower to middle 70s. Tonight fair. Lows in the upper 30s to middle 40s. Thursday mostly sunny and a little warmer. Highs middle to upper 70s.

Elko County: Sunny this morning and partly cloudy in the afternoon. Highs in the 70s. Tonight fair. Lows upper 20s and 30s. Thursday mostly sunny morning. Partly cloudy afternoon. Highs in the 70s.

Weather summary

A few rain and snow showers were reported over northern Idaho on Tuesday as a weak disturbance moved across the Pacific Northwest.

The remainder of the state was dry but cool.

Skies were mostly cloudy in the north Tuesday afternoon, partly cloudy across the central portions and mostly sunny over the south although a few high, thin clouds passed overhead during late morning and early afternoon.

The afternoon winds were generally less than 15 mph.

The temperatures were mainly in the 50s and 60s as high pressure began moving into the intermountain region.

Frost was expected across the Magic Valley and most of southern Idaho this morning with temperatures dropping into the 20s on the final morning of summer. Autumn will arrive at 5:22 p.m. today.

The highest temperature in the state Sunday was 74 degrees at Hagerman; Stanley reported the lowest at 11 degrees, which was also the lowest reading in the nation.

Elsewhere in the nation Tuesday, the highest temperature was 106 degrees at Gila Bend, Ariz.

Pollen count

Not available

Fire danger index

Public range lands: Low
 Public forest lands: Low

Snow falls in Montana high country; tornadoes on Plains

The Associated Press

Thunderstorms rumbled over the central Plains on Tuesday, bringing funnel clouds and large hail.

The unseasonably cold Pacific Northwest posted record lows, and a foot of snow draped the Montana mountains.

A tornado watch was posted for parts of eastern and northeastern Kansas and west-central and northwestern Missouri, the National Weather Service said. Numerous funnel cloud sightings were reported, it said.

A tornado touched down briefly north of Westminster, Kan., but no damage or injuries were reported, the weather service said.

Wind gusted to 65 mph during thunderstorms at Emmett, Kan., and hail as big as golfballs fell north of Emmett and near Barnes, Kan., it said.

Elsewhere at midday, showers and thunderstorms also extended across southern Texas, the northern Plains, north-

ern Minnesota, much of the Ohio Valley, the lower Great Lakes, and along much of the East Coast.

Heavier rain during the six hours up to noon MDT was 1.27 inches at Sumter, S.C., and .86 inch at Charleston, S.C.

Snow fell during the night and into the day in the mountains of northwestern Montana. Logan Pass, at an elevation of 6,645 feet on the Continental Divide in Glacier National Park, received 12 inches of snow from Monday morning to Tuesday afternoon, the weather service said.

The Northwest had record lows of 30 at Boise and 34 at Oquillyville, Wash. Astoria, Ore., tied its Sept. 21 record of 39; Medford, Ore., tied its record of 34; and Olympia, Wash., had its record of 32.

Tuesday morning's low for the Lower 48 states was 18 at Truckee, Calif.

Temperatures around the Lower 48 states at 1 p.m. MDT ranged from 39 at Cut Bank, Mont., to 98 at Gila Bend, Ariz.

Pesticide use rule revision sought

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration on Tuesday proposed a reassessment of all pesticides used on America's fruit and vegetable crops, and a seven-year deadline for meeting new health and safety standards.

The administration asked Congress to adopt a broad food-safety package that would also change the pesticide approval process so that economic considerations cannot outweigh health concerns in approving use of anti-pest chemicals.

The proposal would replace the current, often-conflicting food safety laws with a uniform standard requiring "a reasonable certainty of no harm" to public health because of a pesticide's use.

It was developed by the Environmental Protection Agency, Food and Drug Administration and Agriculture Department seeks.

"The reforms we present today would establish for the first time a strictly health-based approach to the regulation of pesticide residues in food," said FDA Commissioner David Kessler.

EPA Administrator Carol Browner said the package is aimed at reducing pesticide use as well as assuring chemicals in use meet the safety standard.

Because many pesticides have been on the market for decades, it is not known how many might not comply with today's more precise health standards, officials said.

Council

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coordinator for the Magic Valley Children's Medical Fund and as a member of the Attorney General's Task Force Against Child Abuse. She will serve also on the Twin Falls School District's long-range planning committee, she said.

Adding to the mix is former Mayor Chris Talkington, 47, who told *The Times-News* Tuesday that he intends to run against Vickers in the Nov. 2 election.

Talkington served on the council from 1976 to 1983. The last two years as mayor. In the interim, he has worked as a business consultant and managed King Videocolor for seven years.

would eliminate "secret" council meetings.

Vickers, 50, said Tuesday that he will be seeking "a third-and-final term" to the council.

"I feel that this will be it," Vickers said. "I feel that there is a strong need for a particular chemistry on the council, and I fill a void for small business."

Vickers contended that he is the most conservative voice on the council in financial matters. "The taxpayers have sent a message to us," he said, "and I will try to tighten the purse strings."

Vickers is currently a city representative on the regional "councils" of the Idaho Chamber of Commerce on city beautification.

Vickers said that a third term on the council would allow him to complete his tasks on these committees.

"I'm still very interested in what happens in this city," he said.

Vickers said that although the city is "going through terrible growth," he believes the city is headed in the right direction and wants to maintain an active role in the urban renewal of Twin Falls.

Two candidates are seeking McClusky's seat: her son, Dr. David McClusky and Planning and Zoning Commission Chairman Jeff Gooding.

Girl halfway to flight goal

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — A sixth-grader trying to become the youngest girl to fly across the United States was halfway through her journey Tuesday.

Victoria Van Meter, 11, was given a rousing welcome that included being made an honorary mayor and an application from the Ninety-Nines — an Oklahoma City-based club for female pilots.

Victoria, of Meadville, Pa., has another five weeks before she is eligible for a pilot's license.

Power

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supply until after the year 2000," he said.

By November, Idaho Power will submit specific plans for the financing of the A.J. Wiley project. Cancelling that project will save the utility an estimated \$265 million in future payments on a project the utility already has federal approval for initial development.

"Cancelling hydroelectric expansion at Upper Salmon Falls, saving \$24.2 million to \$67.8 million."

"Cancelling expansion at Shoshone Falls, saving \$25.3 million to \$76.3 million."

Cancelling plans for five other plants at Lake, Snake River, between Minner Dan and Glenn Ferry.

These changes can cut Idaho Power's future costs, creating savings that can be passed onto the utility's 310,000 customers, Toney said.

"Idaho Power is the lowest-cost producer in the nation. And we want to stay the lowest-cost producer," he said.

Also, Idaho Power will tighten its staffing. "We're going to be laid off, the utility will hire fewer people and not replace some employees who retire or quit, he said.

"There will be tremendous pressure to hold-down costs. We'll want to keep our staffing lean," Toney said.

Health

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plan: "What its exact contours will be and how it will be implemented I don't think anybody can predict right now."

Democrats have generally been supportive of Clinton's plan, and Republicans have expressed support for health care reform, saying they are ready to work with the administration.

Special-interest groups provided a preview of the battle ahead.

"The AFL-CIO pledged to 'support this historic initiative.' The American Hospital Association cited 'serious concerns' about key elements of the president's plan, including cuts in Medicare and Medicaid."

Hit from all sides with questions about how he would pay for the new health benefits, Clinton replied: "I'm not trying to sugarcoat it. I have worked harder to get better cost estimates on this than anybody else has."

But aides said a final decision was still to be made on at least one contentious matter: How to meet out new "sin taxes" on tobacco and perhaps alcohol.

Summing up the main goal, he said simply, "You would be able to

get health insurance; it would be adequate benefits, and you wouldn't lose it."

Recalling that universal health coverage has been talked of since the days of Franklin Roosevelt, Clinton declared: "I believe very strongly that this is the moment when it is likely to occur because that's the shared consensus that the costs of the system, the escalating costs ... are greater than the cost of change."

Employers would be required to pay 80 percent of average health-care premiums, with workers paying the rest. Small businesses and low-income workers would get federal subsidies to help them pay their share.

Pitching the plan with gusto on the eve of its formal unveiling, Clinton shuttled between interviews with radio talk-show hosts and rock-video station MTV — and sold his plan to newspaper columnists over pinwheels of chicken breast and asparagus at an East Wing luncheon.

"I'm anxious for this debate to begin," Clinton told the columnists.

The administration made it clear that much of the plan is open to negotiation — but not the ultimate goal of universal, affordable coverage.

Idaho lottery

BOISE (AP) — Winning numbers drawn Tuesday in the Fantastic Five game are:

7-12-13-14-26 (seven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, twenty-six).

Lottery officials said the estimated jackpot is \$169,600.

Correction

A story Sunday misspelled the name of the owner of Cactus Petes casino in Jackpot. The owner's name is ...

The Times-News regrets the error.

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Clinton signs student public service bill into law



President Clinton signs the National and Community Service Act of 1993 Tuesday at the White House as Vice President Al Gore, right, and other officials look on.

WASHINGTON (AP)

Promising it will help the nation "strengthen the cords that bind us together," President Clinton signed legislation Tuesday allowing students to trade public service work for college tuition money.

The law, a watered down version of Clinton's initial plan, gives as many as 100,000 youths' tuition money, modest stipends, health insurance and child care in exchange for community service.

The president, who promised during last year's campaign to press for such a program, said he had "harbored this dream for years." He dubbed the first new program of his administration "AmeriCorps" and appointed Eli Segal, his chief lobbyist for the legislation, as the program's new head.

Clinton used two historic pens to sign the legislation during a carefully choreographed campaign-style rally on the South Lawn of the White House. One was used by President Franklin D. Roosevelt to create the Civilian Conservation Corps and the other by President John F. Kennedy to set up the Peace Corps.

He was backed by members of youth conservation groups from Maryland, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C.

More than 1,000 people involved in various community-service programs gathered under a massive white tent to watch the bill signing. Overhead, gray skies threatened more of the showers that had soaked the nation's capital overnight.

The president received a raucous welcome under a massive white tent to watch the bill signing. Overhead, gray skies threatened more of the showers that had soaked the nation's capital overnight.

"If we beat this, the gap will be greater than if we pass it," he said. "In effect, they're making the perfect the enemy of the good."

But opponents hailed Gephardt's decision. Jim Jontz, director of the Citizens-Trade Campaign, an umbrella group for labor unions, environmentalists and others opposed to the pact, said Gephardt's decision would likely sway other undecided Democrats in the House.

"This is one more nail in the coffin of NAFTA," he said. "Gephardt's rejection of the notion that it is this agreement or nothing is critical."

House Speaker Thomas S. Foley, D-Wash., a supporter of NAFTA, refused to criticize Gephardt. "All the issues he has raised are valid issues. We have an honest disagreement," Foley told a news conference.

"I don't think this is a personal test for anyone," Foley said, adding that members will vote based on how the treaty would affect their constituents, not based on trying to please the leadership.

Key provisions of AmeriCorps

The Associated Press

Key provisions of the legislation creating AmeriCorps, President Clinton's national service program:

- A federal Corporation for National Service will make grants to states, public and non-profit organizations and colleges and universities, which then would either run service programs themselves or make grants to others to do that.
- Participants will receive \$4,725 a year for up to two years to apply toward college tuition or to repay loans. Payment will be made directly to the school or lender.
- Educational awards will have to be used within seven years after service was completed.
- Participants will receive living allowances during their national ser-

vice of at least \$7,400 a year. The government would provide 85 percent of \$7,400 and the service program the remainder.

• Participants must be at least 17 years old; a U.S. citizen or permanent resident and have a high school diploma or agree to earn one. Graduate students could participate.

• Spending would be limited to \$300 million in the first year of the program, \$500 million in the second year and \$700 million in the third year.

• An estimated 20,000 people could participate in the first year, 33,000 in the second year and 47,000 in the third year.

• The program is authorized for three years and would have to be renewed after that.

"help us to remember ... that what each of us can become is to some extent determined by whether all of us can become what God meant us to be."

The new law will allow students who complete two years of community service work to earn \$4,725 a year to apply toward college tuition or student loans. Participants also would earn living allowances of at least \$7,400 a year and health-care and child day-care benefits.

The first programs could be up and running by the middle of next year.

The plan allows 20,000 participants in 1994, which is a higher total than ever achieved by the Peace

Corps.

In the second year, 33,000 could be involved and by the third year 47,000 would be in the program.

Spending would be limited to \$300 million in the first year of the program, \$500 million in the second year and \$700 million in the final year.

A public corporation with a board of directors will run the program, with the help of new state commissions.

The measure also establishes a new bureaucracy, pulling together the government's efforts in existing community service programs involving children, college students and adults.

House majority leader confirms he will vote against trade pact

WASHINGTON (AP) — A prominent House Democrat, Majority Leader Richard Gephardt, declared on Tuesday that he would vote against what he called a "deeply flawed" North American Free Trade Agreement.

President Clinton insisted that the defeat of the No. 2 Democrat in the House would not be fatal but opponents hailed the announcement as "one more nail in the coffin" of the effort to erect a continent-wide free trade zone.

Gephardt told a packed news conference that supplemental agreements negotiated by the Clinton administration did not go far enough to address fears that U.S. companies will continue to move plants to Mexico to take advantage of lax enforcement of environmental and labor laws.

"Under this agreement we will not be doing the best for our people. We will reduce our abundance," Gephardt said, "drawn down by the lower wages in Mexico, our standard of living will continue to stagnate or decline."

The administration had worked hard to win Gephardt's support for NAFTA with the supplemental agreements that would allow the United States to impose trade sanctions against Mexico for failure to enforce



Gephardt

its labor and environmental laws. "But Gephardt said that the arbitration process that the United States would have to go through before imposing sanctions was too convoluted."

"Despite the best efforts of the President Clinton and his administration to remedy the flaws in the Bush-negotiated NAFTA, the agreement is not a sufficient force for progress," Gephardt said.

"I am announcing that I will vote against this NAFTA," Gephardt's opposition followed the defeat of the No. 3 Democrat in the House, Rep. David Bonior, D-Mich., who has been actively trying to line up votes against NAFTA.

The administration hopes to overcome heavy losses from Democratic ranks by appealing to Republicans, who generally are more inclined to support proposals that reduce trade barriers.

Asked about Gephardt's decision, Clinton said, "It doesn't help, but I don't think it's fatal."

The president acknowledged that critics have complained that the side

Nominee faces no opposition

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton's choice for chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff faces no opposition on the Senate Armed Services Committee despite reports of his father's service in a Nazi Waffen SS unit.

"I think he is in good shape," committee chairman Sam Nunn, D-Ga., said Tuesday of Army Gen. John Shalikashvili, whom Clinton tapped to command the nation's military.

"The committee must confirm Shalikashvili as the successor to Gen. Colin Powell, and Nunn said he knew of no opposition to the nomination among the Democrats and Republicans on the panel — an

assessment reflected in lawmakers' comments.

"I'm very favorably disposed," said Sen. Joseph Lieberman, D-Conn. "General Shalikashvili has an entirely impressive record. He seems very well-suited."

Added Sen. Jeff Bingaman, D-N.M., "I don't know of any opposition. I certainly support him."

In August, Clinton nominated Shalikashvili, who has served as commander of NATO for the last year, to replace Powell when his term expires on Sept. 30. Late last month, archive documents showed that the general's father, Dimitri, served in a Nazi unit that fought the U.S.-led allies in World War II.

When the reports surfaced, mem-

bers of the Armed Services Committee reaffirmed their support for Shalikashvili, with Sen. Carl Levin, D-Mich., saying the activities of the general's father were not relevant.

Committee review of the archive documents and individual meetings with Shalikashvili have done little to change the panel's initial reaction to the reports.

Nunn said Congress does not operate on the general premise that children will be held accountable for what their parents did.

Shalikashvili is expected to address the issue in his opening statement to the committee at his confirmation hearing today.

Ex-Army secretary admits shoplifting

ALEXANDRIA, Va. (AP) — Former Acting Army Secretary John W. Shannon admitted shoplifting women's clothing from a post exchange when he arrived for his campaigning last year. Clinton expressed hope that AmeriCorps will represent "a series of challenges, to help us rebuild our troubled but wonderful land."

He also said he hoped that it "will help us to strengthen the cords that bind us together as a people" and

Shannon, 59, was arrested outside the Fort Myer post exchange in Arlington, Va., on Aug. 26 after store detectives saw him put items worth about \$30 into a bag and leave the store without paying. U.S. Attorney Helen F. Fahey said in a statement.

The admission into the diversion program means he will not have to appear Oct. 22 before a federal magistrate on a federal misdemeanor charge.

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Taxpayers pay cost of security for secretary

WASHINGTON (AP) — When in Venice, the duties of the men and women assigned to protect a U.S. defense secretary do not stop at the water's edge.

Les Aspin's security detail demonstrated as much by spending more than \$1,000 for "water-taxis" to patrol the famous canals of the romantic Italian city while Aspin and five days last May.

Aspin paid his own way, but U.S. taxpayers picked up a \$42,000 tab not only for the security crew's exotic water transportation but also the female friend vacationed there for them and the rest of the Aspin party, including staff members and a physician.

Travel vouchers released by the Defense Department on Tuesday indicated that Aspin's security agents billed the government as much as \$2,002 each for their rooms at the Danielli, the posh hotel where Aspin and his friend stayed five nights.

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Hillary Clinton: Rewriting policy — and first lady's role

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hillary Rodham Clinton has been a listener, a strategist, a diplomat, an instructor and an advocate in her eight months as head of the health-care reform task force.

She's also changed what it means to be a president's wife.

"Hillary Clinton is rewriting the role of first lady here, and doing it on an issue that probably takes the prize for being the most difficult," said Sen. Barbara Boxer, D-Calif.

No presidential spouse has ever had such a far-reaching, complicated, controversial job, leading some to question the arrangement.



AP photo
Hillary Rodham Clinton has been a major force on the president's health care reform task force.

The task force and Mrs. Clinton came under fire for trying to work in secrecy. And Ira Magaziner, the Clintons' health policy guru, had an alienating bedside manner.

But the plan, to be announced tonight by President Clinton, is viewed as serious and potentially historic.

The enduring images of the past months are of the first lady listening sympathetically to harrowing medical tales across the land. She's helped policymakers determine what is problematic and what is palatable, and fostered some trust in a cynical populace.

Her public profile rises even higher Tuesday, when she'll be the lead-off witness when Congress opens hearings on the plan. She's also due to appear early next month on CNN's Larry King Live.

Mindful of precedents and bad images, the Clintons and their aides are carefully stressing that it's his plan and not hers.

But by many accounts, Mrs. Clinton has left her mark: in the rapid phase-in-of-universal-coverage, the caps on insurance premiums, the long-term care benefits,

scale is hardly likely.

The first lady has had some 130 meetings of Capitol Hill. "It was just a complete open door. We were invited to ask her anything, tell her any concerns we had. She said call me, don't feel you have to call anyone else," said Boxer.

This week Mrs. Clinton held a series of "Health Care University" seminars for lawmakers. When a Republican congressman said businesses in his district were concerned, Boxer said, Mrs. Clinton "left the door completely open to work with this individual."

Mrs. Clinton also supervised task force meetings with 1,500 interest groups, including thousands of doctors. The goal was "making sure every facet of the industry was listened to and every idea for reform was considered," said Clinton political adviser Mandy Grunwald.

The first lady has critics on the right and the left. Most dislike the market-based system of consumer alliances at the core of the Clinton plan. Some blame her for sticking with Magaziner and the intensive, idiosyncratic process he devised to get the job done.

But she's shown a diplomat's gift for keeping egos soothed and channels open.

Rep. Jim Rostenkowski, R-Ill., marveled Friday that he'd spent six hours "dialoguing" with her longer than with the House policy chief in his own party, Sen. Paul Wellstone, D-Minn., and he works well with Mrs. Clinton despite his support of a government-financed system.

"I push very hard. I think she expects it from me," he said.

Senator. Mrs. Clinton said later "hardly." "I'd be disappointed if you didn't keep pressing."

the emphasis on preventive medicine, the myriad programs expanding care for low-income Americans.

There are 10 to 20 major initiatives for the really poor. That's the imprimatur of the first lady," says Drew Altman, president of the Kaiser Family Foundation.

Mrs. Clinton apparently is sensitive to the high-powered standard she's setting for first ladies to come.

"People shouldn't feel pressured that they would have to do it exactly the way she did it," said Tipper Gore, the vice president's wife and a mental health adviser.

A repeat performance on this

Task force makes preventive care a major part of reform proposal

WASHINGTON (AP) — There's more than an ounce of prevention built into President Clinton's health care reform package.

For the first time, all Americans would be guaranteed no-cost physical exams and diagnostic screening for such things as breast cancer and cholesterol levels, according to a widely circulated draft of the Clinton plan. All childhood immunizations would be covered.

These basic benefits are a major selling point of the plan, since they are not included in most traditional health insurance policies. Yet there are limits to the plan's reach.

Some doctors disagree with the rigid schedule set for physical exams, mammograms and Pap smears. Preventive dental care is provided for children but not for adults. The same is true for eyeglasses. And it wouldn't be until 2001 that mental illness would be treated more on par with physical ailments.

The plan, to be formally unveiled by Clinton Wednesday night, would give a National Health Board discretion to add benefits "if savings from reform and budget resources permit." The first expansion is likely to encompass wider dental coverage.

Most preventive services would be provided at no cost to the consumer. Other services require co-payments, with the maximum annual cost to the consumer set at \$1,500 for an individual and \$3,000 for a family.

Dr. Kathleen Weaver, an internist in Portland, Ore., said patients tend to have physical examinations more regularly if their insurance pays for them.

"You can catch things earlier, there are so many screening tests," she said. "You get to see them over a period of time so you can see if there are changes in their physical, behavioral or emotional status."

And that, she said, should lead to

healthier Americans.

Hospital services would be covered, as would use of the emergency room. So would hospices and home health care. The plan also covers a portion of doctors' fees and prescription drugs.

Family planning is covered, as are pregnancy-related services. But the plan won't cover in vitro fertilization.

Also covered are classes "that encourage the reduction of behavioral risk factors and promote healthy activities."

Among them: smoking cessation, nutritional counseling, stress management, skin cancer prevention and physical training classes.

The plan establishes a regular schedule for physical examinations: every three years for adults age 20-39, every two years for those 40 to

65, and annually for those 65 and older.

Dr. J. Leonard Lichtenfeld, an internist in Baltimore, likes to see patients annually after they turn 50.

"An annual exam is a lot more than the laying on of hands," he said. "It's a chance to make sure the patient is getting counseling about risk prevention and family history. It establishes something with respect to the relationship between doctors and patients."

For children, the plan allows for seven well-child visits for newborns to age 2, two for children ages 3-5 and five for those from 6-19. Child immunizations are covered.

Dr. Howard Pearson, president of the American Academy of Pediatrics, said it was "very worthy" of the administration to waive co-payments for physicals and immunizations.

Canada faces tough solutions to keep system going

TORONTO (AP) — Canada's \$38 billion health care system is the largest single industry in the economy, providing free medical care to all and allowing no one to fall through the cracks.

But can the country still afford it? As some Americans look toward Canada as an example of how to provide health care, Canadians are faced with tough economic decisions about their own program. Virtually unanimous in their support for universal health care, some now wonder just how free should free medical care be.

A Canadian going to the doctor or the hospital merely presents a health insurance card, never receiving a bill. Physicians collect pre-set fees directly from the government. Hospitals get an annual operating sum and have to support themselves from that.

"Let's face it, I feel secure," said Toronto travel agent Diane Souccar. "I know that regardless of what happens to me, I'm going to see a doctor. I don't live in fear of bankrupting myself. The concept is fantastic."

But the rising cost of the Canadian system has brought calls for Canadians to pay at least a token fee

when they visit a doctor or hospital.

The idea is to pump more money into the system and prevent people from running to the doctor with every sniffle. Few like the idea, but tough economic times are forcing governments to consider it.

But many fear user fees will mean an end to universal coverage, fore-

shadow far higher fees in the future and shift the burden of paying for health care to the sick rather than spreading it out equally.

Health care in Canada cost \$66.8 billion (in U.S. dollars) in 1991, or 9.9 percent of gross domestic product. That's \$1,870 for each of Canada's 27 million inhabitants. Of the total,

\$36.4 billion came from tax revenues. The rest was paid by patients for such things as dental care, drugs, cosmetic procedures and private hospital rooms, which are not covered.

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U.S. Rangers capture Aidid aide

MOGADISHU, Somalia (AP) — U.S. airborne Army Rangers captured the chief aide to fugitive warlord Mohamed Farrah Aidid Tuesday.

Aidid's militia has been blamed for killing 50 U.N. peacekeepers. About 50 of the elite Rangers arrested Osman Atto and three other Aidid supporters after arriving in six helicopters and raiding an area near Digfer Hospital, said U.N. military spokesman Maj. David Stockwell.

Militiamen opened fire on the Rangers with small arms and at least a dozen rocket-propelled grenades, but no U.S. forces members were wounded, Stockwell said. The operation came about three hours after militiamen killed three Pakistani U.N. peacekeepers and wounded seven others in an attack on an armored convoy not far from United Nations headquarters in Somalia.

Stockwell described Atto, a wealthy Somali businessman, as the principal adviser and chief financier to Aidid, Somalis consider Atto to be Aidid's No. 2 man.

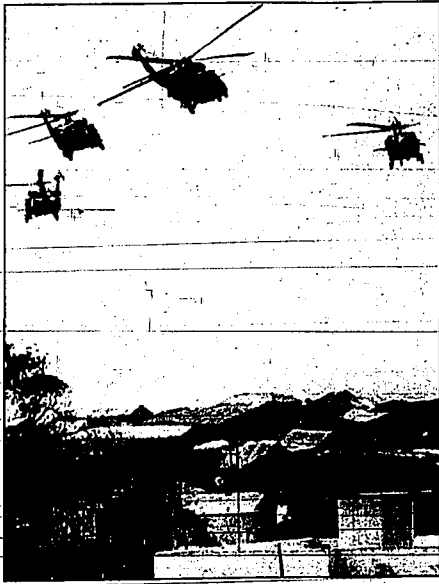
The capture was the first major success for the Rangers, who were sent to Somalia with the mission of seizing Aidid himself. Twice the Rangers made serious gofers in searching for Aidid — accidentally raiding a U.N. office and arresting supporters of Aidid's chief enemy, Ali Mahdi Mohammed.

Supporters of Aidid immediately demanded Atto's release, saying he was not a U.N. installation in Mogadishu if he was not freed in four hours. But the deadline passed with no major attack.

Stockwell said the U.N. force was taking extra security measures to understand "the importance of detaining him and the potential emotional outburst that may follow this," he said.

One of those arrested with Atto was shot in the leg when he tried to resist arrest, Stockwell said. He said the man had an AK-47 assault rifle.

Stockwell said some militiamen were killed in the firing but no civilian casualties were reported. Unconfirmed Somali reports said Aidid's forces suffered two dead and several wounded.



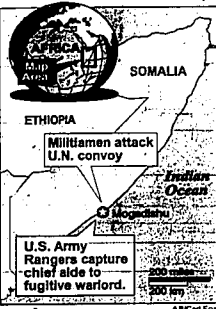
U.S. helicopters fly over Mogadishu during Tuesday's raid that netted an aide to fugitive Mohamed Farrah Aidid. The man, Osman Atto, is said to be Aidid's chief adviser and financier.

Stockwell said Atto was arrested under the authority of U.N. Security Council Resolution 837, which calls for the punishment of those responsible for the deaths of 24 Pakistani peacekeepers in an ambush on June 5.

More than 27,000 foreign soldiers are involved in a U.N. operation to help Somalia recover from its famine and civil war. But the troops have wound up in almost daily bat-

les with the Aidid's militiamen. U.N. officials ordered Aidid's arrest after the June 5 attack and offered a \$25,000 reward for his capture.

In Tuesday's attack on Pakistani troops, militiamen opened fire on a column of two tanks and two armored personnel carriers. One of the APCs was hit by a rocket-propelled grenade and set ablaze, said another U.N. representa-



The fire sent gunshots spraying randomly from the vehicle and the crewmen clambered out to seek safety in the other vehicles.

Three of the injured had serious wounds, McDevitt said. After the attack, about 15 helicopters circled overhead, and U.N. ground troops also were deployed to seek the attackers.

The militia attacks on U.N. troops have become increasingly brazen. The first sent gunshots spraying randomly from the vehicle and the crewmen clambered out to seek safety in the other vehicles.

In an effort to stop attacks on U.N. forces, warnings were broadcast over loudspeakers from helicopters Monday night. One shopper was seen firing 30mm cannon fire, and McDevitt said it fired a burst into an empty field "just to get their attention."

Briefly

Gunmen kill officer, official in Egypt

ASSIUT, Egypt — Gunmen killed a police officer and Christian school administrator on Tuesday in separate ambushes near this stronghold of Islamic militants.

None claimed responsibility for the attacks, but authorities blamed Muslim extremists. The assailants in both attacks escaped.

The killings came amid a police crackdown on Muslim fundamentalists in Assiut, a center of Islamic extremist violence 200 miles south of Cairo.

In Cairo, the Interior Ministry declared a state of alert along a 340-mile corridor from Minya to the southern city of Aswan, where a security officer was assassinated over the weekend. The area includes Assiut.

Security officials have been targeted by extremists since they began a bloody escalation of their confrontation with the government 20 months ago.

Assailants assassinate Arafat comrade
GAZA CITY, Occupied Gaza Strip — Assailants shot dead a leader of PLO chairman Yasser Arafat's mainstream Fatah faction in the Gaza Strip on Tuesday.

The slaying came after a rally celebrating the peace accord between Israel and the PLO, hospital officials said.

It was the first assassination since the Palestine Liberation Organization and Israel signed the agreement Sept. 13, handing over the occupied Gaza Strip and the West Bank town of Jericho to Palestinian self-rule within four months.

Muhammad Abu Shaban, 35, was killed as he left the rally, Arab reports said. Two cars filled with masked men forced his car off the road; the reports said, felling him with a hail of bullets when he stepped from the car.

Japanese leader opens Parliament
TOKYO — Prime Minister Morihiro Hosokawa opened a new session of Parliament on Tuesday by promising sweeping anti-corruption reforms and steps to revive the shrinking economy.

He also said his first meeting with President Clinton this weekend would involve "two leaders of the same generation cutting for change" in bilateral and international issues.

Like Clinton, Hosokawa is a former farmer. He took office six weeks ago with a mandate to clean up Japanese politics and break cozy ties between businesses, bureaucrats and politicians.

Compiled from wire reports.

Pope, rabbi hope to meet in Jerusalem after historic talks, but no date is set

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope John Paul II and Israel's chief rabbi held historic talks Tuesday, exchanging the greeting "Shalom," and the hope they will meet again in Jerusalem.

The pope did not set a date for the trip his spokesman said he so wants to make, but the rabbi suggested it could be soon.

The 30-minute meeting at the papal retreat in Castel Gandolfo near Rome was the first between the religious leader of the Jewish state and the leader of the world's 900 million Roman Catholics. It was a sign of warming ties between the Vatican and Israel, helped by Israel's peace accord with the Palestinians.

Rabbi Yisrael Lau repeated an invitation made a year ago by

Foreign Minister Shimon Peres during a visit to the Vatican.

"The Holy Father expressed his heartfelt thanks and said, 'I hope that Divine Providence one day will allow me to again make a pilgrimage in the Holy Land,' a Vatican account of the meeting said.

John Paul visited Israel 30 years ago, when he was an archbishop in Poland.

Papal spokesman Joaquin Navarro said the meeting was not the forum to discuss a date for the trip but emphasized the pope expressed "great desire" to make the pilgrimage.

Italian news reports quoted Lau as telling reporters at Rome's airport, before returning to Israel, that "the time (for the trip) is nearing."

signed a peace agreement last week, published reports said the pope was planning a trip around Christmas or early next year.

Pope Paul VI, the first modern pope to travel outside Italy, visited the Vatican calls the Holy Land in 1964, but that was before Israel took over predominantly Arab East Jerusalem in the 1967 Middle East war. Paul spent 12 hours in Israel, but the trip focused on visits to the Christian shrines in what was then Jordan.

The Vatican has diplomatic relations with more than 100 nations but has resisted establishing formal ties with the Jewish state.

The two sides have been discussing the establishment of diplomatic relations.

Rebels shoot down plane

TBILISI, Georgia (AP) — Abkhazian rebels in a gunboat shot down a passenger jet Tuesday as it tried to land at the besieged city of Sukhumi, officials said. All 28 people aboard were killed.

The twin-engine jet, carrying Russian and Georgian civilians, crashed into the Black Sea after being shot down, the officials said.

It was one of the worst incidents involving civilians in the war between Georgia and separatists in its Abkhazia region. More than 3,000 people have been killed since Abkhazia declared sovereignty from the Tbilisi government a year ago, including more than 100 this week alone, officials said.

Vata Djordjika, a spokesman for Georgian leader Eduard Shevardnadze, said the 22 passengers and six crew members aboard the TU-134 were civilians. He denied an earlier report by another Georgian official that the body of a Spanish journalist had been recovered.

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Opinion

Editorial

Users should pick up tab for county parks

It may be just a matter of time before the kind of toll booth that stands at the entrance to the city's Shoshone Falls Park sprouts in Twin Falls County parks as well.

A tight budget has eliminated funds for capital improvements in the county's five parks for the next fiscal year, and money is so tight that the park board recently approved putting envelopes in the parks soliciting contributions.

That's a noble effort by the volunteers who serve on the park board, and by the county's park director, Darrell Heider, to keep access to the parks free, but one that is increasingly at odds with reality.

The reality is that use of the county's parks has outstripped the county's ability to pay for anything more than mowing and watering the grass.

For a long time, those parks were the best-kept secret in southern Idaho.

That changed last year when Centennial Park, a Snake River Canyon treasure built largely with private funds, opened to thousands of visitors, many of whom hadn't opened a picnic basket along the river since their third-grade field day at Dierkes Lake.

They've come back in ever-increasing numbers, for Centennial Park turned out to be everything those who

envisioned it hoped: scenic, accessible with a minimum of hairpin turns, a place for families that want to boat, fish, hike or just watch hawks and eagles soar on the thermals along the canyon rim.

So much so that the park, along with Rock Creek Park on Twin Falls' western perimeter, is drawing visitors in numbers that rival the city's parks. On almost any weeknight between spring and fall, you'll find people there, many of them locals looking for a little elbow room, and in increasing numbers, out-of-county visitors.

Rock Creek Park has become a mecca of sorts for group gatherings, and there are evenings when the parking lot is crowded with the vehicles of picnickers and the park's traditional constituencies: hikers and bikers.

Too many visitors, in fact, to be accommodated by a maintenance budget for very long.

Sooner or later, the county parks are going to have to be expanded, upgraded and improved, and either the taxpayers or the users are going to have to pick up the tab.

We'd prefer the latter.

A buck a carload is a small price to pay for watching hawks and eagles soar.

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Letters

Fair games cost too much

There is a troubling aspect to the Twin Falls County Fair. For years, the cost of playing games at the carnival booths has been getting more expensive. Throwing darts at balloons or basketballs at hoops can cost as much as \$1 a game, draining a budget in very short time.

But there is a fine line between paying too much for a game and being ripped off.

I've accepted spending a dollar to throw three balls at milk bottles. I do feel you are being cheated when the going rate is \$2 for just one ball or \$1 for just one dart, as some booths charge.

The carnival is a fun place to take the family. Spending a dollar for any game is grossly unfair; 25 cents is more like it. You want your child to have fun, but he has no chance to win when only one ball or dart or basketball is allowed.

Some booth managers enjoy children and give leeway in their winning a toy; others are totally indifferent.

I believe the county fair board should set standards and reasonable rates for games at the carnival booths if it has not done so.

Rates above \$1 should not be allowed. The carnival should be a place to have fun — not to throw money away.

DAVID LEWIS
Twin Falls

Seize wages to balance budget

I don't see how the "American people" can let these politicians pull the wool over their eyes. Here they cry "Let's vote these incumbents out of office," and they just turn around and vote them back in again.

They should know by now that the speeches these politicians make they paid someone else to write for them. I, for one, am against them raising my taxes to pay for the deficit. They made the deficit — not the "American people." These politicians should have their wages garnished to pay for the deficit. Maybe next time, they will learn to keep their hands in their own pockets.

EDWARD B. JOHNSON
Elko, Nev.

Seeing grant is hypocritical

I don't suppose that it seems odd to anyone other than myself that the proposed solution to our county law enforcement financial crunch is a grant of federal money.

It just doesn't seem that long ago that the county commissioners dispatched the very fiscally conservative Republican Sen. Dirk Kempthorne, the man with a smile of substance, to D.C. to whine about the evils of federal mandates. How dare they attempt to save us from our own waste? I say let's reopen the Murtaugh dump where we can dispose with expediency all hazards and cots be passed to the future generations.

Sallegre is working at the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory. How often have we danced with the devil on other public-works projects in the last 20 years? Where was it we got the money for

our several attempts to build a functional sewage treatment plant? Did the feds make us buy that spiffy little tin bar on East Addison? I can't remember now, but it sure seems like one of their schemes to help us sustain our current offspring.

It is possible that there might be a grant out there to help us buy someone who can run a budget — worth checking into, anyhow.

CHARLE LENKNER
Twin Falls

Support Tousey vs. commission

I wanted to write in and voice my opinion about your editorial as to how Sheriff Wayne Tousey needs to drop his attorney and go on with business. Your idea about getting the deputies' wages raised over a 10-year period is all well and good. You volunteer to have your wages lowered to \$1,350 per month and see how you can do for this year on that wage and then expand that over the next 10 years and let me know how you feel. I also don't see you in your position placing yourself at risk of at least physical injury or worse on a regular basis for that kind of pay.

It is true I knew what the wage was when I came, and I took the position and stay here because the people I serve with are some of the finest anywhere; so also are the majority of the citizens. However, most other places give their employees at least a token raise just to keep them working there and, certainly, raises follow any promotions.

My record of service is unblemished, and I hold numerous training certificates in law enforcement. But at my present wage, I only make \$200 a month more than I did 10 years ago fresh out of the academy. This is a poor testimony of the value a community places on the officers who protect them.

It is my opinion that the county commissioners would rather spend money on the tangible things they can show to the citizens than on hiring and rewarding good, experienced personnel. This applies to all the county offices, not just Sheriff's personnel. It is time for the employees to be made a priority in the budget.

I say Sheriff Tousey, spend my tax dollars on a good lawyer and fight for what is fair and right.

If there are any others in the area who feel this way, please write and show your support for Sheriff Tousey. You elected him to bring about change. Only with your support will be better for all of us.

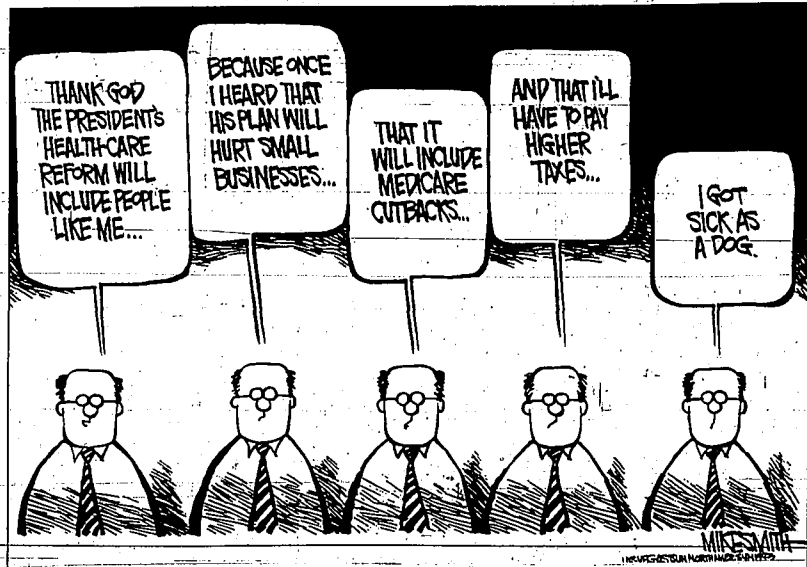
TODD L. PETERSON
Buhl

Gooding murder story 'sick'

Please cancel my subscription to *The Times-News*.

If I wanted tabloid press, I could be getting it from the grocery store checkout. The allegations of the Allen-Mangum murders by Normington and McCarthy was insensitive, irresponsible, sensationalistic and sick. I have had enough.

SHARON HAYES
Kimberly



Inhofe tears down wall of secrecy

WASHINGTON — The small coterie of senior Democrats who run the House of Representatives, and who by their manner of running it have stirred the public's desire to raze that institution to its foundations and pulverize the foundations, are not having as much fun as they are used to having. Good.

The river of life seems to them suddenly strewn with sharp rocks, the worst being named Inhofe. The Democratic barons believe the world would be a sweeter and better place if Mr. and Mrs. Inhofe had never conceived their son Jim, who grew up to become a Republican congressman from Oklahoma. He has raised a terrific legislation from an arcane thing called a discharge petition. His ruckus could, ere long, lead to a revolution.

Discharge petitions are instruments for prying legislation loose from the grip of committee chairmen who do not want the legislation to go to the House floor for a vote, because the legislation would be inconvenient if passed and politically hazardous to vote against.

You may never have heard of discharge petitions because successful ones are like Halley's comet: They do not come around often. Why?

Two reasons. A successful petition requires 218 signatures. And more important, a House decree dating from 1932 requires that the names on the petitions must be kept secret. In the 61 years since that gag rule was imposed, only 45 petitions have acquired 218 signatures.

Make that 46. Inhofe's discharge petition has broken the Rules Committee's iron grip on his legislation that, if passed, would end the gag rule that shrouds the discharge process in secrecy.

Although six Jello-like Democrats bent beneath the pressure of their leaders and removed their names from Inhofe's peti-



George F. Will

tion, he, with the help of *The Wall Street Journal* and Ross Perot's legions and talk radio, got 218 signatures—173 of the 176 House Republicans and 45 of 259 Democrats. He won by being naughty.

Barred by the gag rule from revealing who had signed his petition, he instead gave *The Wall Street Journal* a list of 223 members who were refusing to sign. Talk radio took up the cry and Perot's United We Stand America took up a "round-the-clock vigil outside the Boston office of Rep. Joe Moakley, chairman of the Rules Committee where Inhofe's bill was buried.

The purpose of the vigil was to embarrass Moakley. How apt. To try to embarrass an entrenched congressional baron is like trying to embarrass a sofa: The object cannot experience the emotion.

But Inhofe won sufficient signatures from some Democrats who fear publicity about doing their leaders' bidding even more than they fear their leaders.

Why do the leaders—and many lesser members—fear making discharge petitions public, and therefore more likely to succeed? Because that will complicate the task of tricking constituents.

Some proposals that are immensely popular with the public would be, if passed, hugely inconvenient for the political class. One example is term limits, which are favored by more than 70 percent of the electorate—large majorities in both parties and all regions—and are enacted wherever the political class cannot prevent them

from being voted on. As long as popular proposals that threaten the contentment of political careerists can be strangled by committee chairmen, a representative can be tricky. He can tell constituents that he really favors the proposals, but the secrecy surrounding the discharge petition process will hide the fact that he refuses to help bring the proposals to the floor for votes. So it is with term-limits proposals, which die in that dungeon called the Judiciary Committee. It is chaired by Jack Brooks, a Texas Democrat who was elected the year King George VI died—1952—and who has been entrenched in Congress longer than Henry VIII reigned.

If Inhofe's measure to end the secrecy passes, representatives will no longer be able to smother in Washington some of the bills they praise in their districts. Representatives will not be able forever to hide from the hazardous activity of voting on those bills.

Those barons who bother to argue in defense of keeping the names on discharge petitions secret say this: "Publicity would mean 'plebiscitary' government and the end of the House as a 'deliberative' body. But the secrecy is really part of a scheme to prevent deliberation about important measures.

Moakley, now in his third decade in Congress, might try various parliamentary ploys to defeat Inhofe's reform of the discharge process. He and other careerists might even try abolishing the process. But the public is awake and watching. So the barons mourn and cannot be consoled. Good.

George F. Will writes for *The Washington Post*.

Letters

Recent editorial was 'excellent'

Bravo! Your editorial on Sept. 21 regarding the environmentalism movement was excellent.

There have been a number of books recently published about the chicken-litness of the environmentalism movement, including "Eco-Scam" by Ran Bailey, "Environmental Overkill" by Dixie Lee Ray and "Apocalypse Not" by Ben Bolch and Harold Lyons.

Anyone who is concerned about the difference between rhetoric and science when it comes to the environment should read these books. Once again, thank you for having the courage to print the truth about the risks of listening to environmentalists.

GALE L. POOLEY
Sun Valley

Woman outraged by flat tires

To the person who flattened all my tires Monday night, one question. Why?

What did I ever do to you? Why don't you have guts enough to come to me. I think it's pretty cowardly to do what you have been doing to my car.

If anybody has seen who did this to my 1991 Camaro on Scotts Avenue East, please let the police know. I'm a single mother of four, and I work two jobs just so I can raise them. I can't afford to buy new tires or get my car repaired because of some jerk. Any information would be gladly appreciated.

PATRICIA GARCIA
Twin Falls

Visit Boise park this fall

A great fall trip for your family is to visit

the Morrison Knudsen Nature Center, located on the green belt in Boise by the Municipal Park.

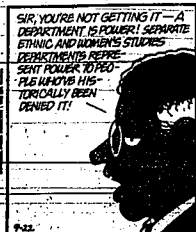
It is a wonderful man-made river and wildlife habitat right in the city. Teach your children and yourself about river ecosystems and see the live fish (especially the life cycle of the salmon) through glass windows at different locations in the river stream — it's a great outing.

Thanks to Idaho Fish and Game for this great area. Can we have one too? If anyone has seen a Hard Rock Specialized mountain bike painted fuchsia and purple, it's mine. I'm very distressed that this happened in Twin Falls.

Please return Ellen Goodman to your editorial page.

CAROLYN D. BAIRD
Twin Falls

Doonesbury



BY GARRY TRUDEAU

Briefly

Canadian police find body of hiker

BURNS LAKE, British Columbia — The body of an Idaho hiker has been recovered from a mountainside in Tweedsmuir Provincial Park near Burns Lake.

Search and rescue workers found the body of Robert Matthew Tyler Jr., 46, of Boise, about 6,300 feet up the peak on Monday.

Tyler was an experienced backcountry hiker who last year had travelled a similar route through the park, about 250 miles northwest of Vancouver.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Burns Lake said Tuesday that they had not yet established a cause of death.

Court sides with 2 brothers in loan case

BOISE — The Idaho Court of Appeals has sided with Melvin and Ardiel Hoopes in a lawsuit between Caribou County brothers.

Melvin and Ardiel Hoopes sued Melvin's brother, Lowell, to recover his losses after Melvin pledged \$290,000 in certificates of deposit as security for a farm loan.

The loan was defaulted and in 1989, a federal agency seized the CDs to pay off Lowell's loan.

District Judge Wallace Transtrum ruled for Melvin Hoopes and awarded interest for a total judgment of \$566,679.

The Court of Appeals upheld the judgment, which included \$188,892 for attorney fees, but said the interest must be recalculated which also means recalculation of the attorney fee since it was based on one-third of the judgment.

Judge throws out sewage lawsuit

CHUBBUCK — A judge has struck down the city of Chubbuck's lawsuit against Pocatello Sewerage treatment costs.

Sixth District Judge Wallace Transtrum granted summary judgment to Pocatello last Friday.

Chubbuck argued that Pocatello overcharged Chubbuck residents for treating their sewage. The rates were so high, Chubbuck argued, that they were illegal.

Chubbuck's attorneys claimed breach of contract and violation of the Revenue Bond and Federal Clean Water acts. But Transtrum rejected all three claims. The lawsuit was basically a contract dispute, he wrote, and the contract was valid and had not been breached.

Transtrum ordered Chubbuck to pay court costs and attorneys' fees, which an attorney for Pocatello said would be more than \$200,000.

Suicide hotline running low on funds

BOISE — If the Idaho Suicide Prevention Hotline shuts down in nine months, it is not because people aren't calling for help.

The problem is there are only enough funds to keep the southern Idaho line running.

"If we don't see some community support over the next nine months, we'll have to seriously consider winding down," said Peter Wollheim, a member of the board that oversees the hotline.

The toll-free crisis line, at 1-800-564-2120, receives an average of three calls a day from the area.

With an average of 160 Idahoans committing suicide each year, Wollheim is concerned about shutting down.

Weapons stolen from state office

LEWISTON — Someone has broken into the Idaho Department of Fish and Game offices in Lewiston and stolen more than a dozen weapons, officials report.

Regional conservation officer Dwight Kilgore said the break-in occurred Sunday and was discovered when the staff arrived Monday morning.

Sixteen guns were taken, including muzzle loaders, rifles and shot-guns. Some are used to teach children gun safety, and many had been donated. Kilgore estimated the loss at thousands of dollars.

Woman charged with husband's death

BONNERS FERRY — A Boundary County woman has been charged with first-degree murder and denied bond in the shooting death of her husband.

Patricia Gallagher, 42, had to be supported by the bailiff as she returned to her jail cell after the Monday hearing.

Boundary County deputies found Jim Gallagher, 51, with a head wound early Saturday morning at his home in the Hall Mountain area, 23 miles north of Bonners Ferry, County Sheriff Bruce Whitaker said. He later died in a Spokane hospital. Mrs. Gallagher was taken into custody at their home.

Security tightened for prison escapee

BOISE — Convicted robber Steven Lee Hyde may have been plotting another jail escape when Canyon County authorities found some items tucked away in his cell.

"We're more careful with him. Once they've shown us they want to escape, we beef up the security," Canyon County Sheriff George Norse said.

An Ada County jury recently convicted Hyde of robbing a Boise Jehovah's Witness congregation on Feb. 18. He also is charged with the robbery of another Jehovah's congregation near Nampa the same day. Hyde, 36, escaped from the Ada County Jail in May, but was recaptured three days later.

Another U of I fraternity may go dry

LEWISTON — Another fraternity at the University of Idaho likely will become the second to get tough on drinking in the wake of a serious accident on campus.

Phi Kappa Tau president Dan Beck on Monday said the chapter membership is reviewing a new, drier system.

On Aug. 19, UI sorority pledge Rejena Coghlan of Spokane was paralyzed from the waist down after she fell from the fire escape at the Alpha Phi sorority house.

Last week, the Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity voted to ban alcohol on its premises.

Compiled from wire reports

Panel passes project funding

IDAHO FALLS (AP) — A Senate Appropriations subcommittee approved full funding for the Integral Fast Reactor in what Idaho's senators called a majority victory.

A full Appropriations Committee vote is planned Thursday.

The Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development on Tuesday approved \$112.8 million for the program, which would fund research and development for the next five years at the Argonne National Laboratory project at the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory and Chicago.



Craig Kempthorne

Saving the funding package would save about 800 jobs at INEL.

"It doesn't mean the money's in the bank, but the check has been written," Sen. Larry Craig, R-Idaho, said after Tuesday's vote.

He and Sen. Dirk Kempthorne, R-Idaho, expect opposition in the full Appropriations Committee. But they said the project has the full support of Sen. J. Bennett Johnston, D-La., chairman of the Defense, Energy and Water Development Committee and a member of the Appropriations Committee.

"We're back where we wanted to be," Kempthorne said. "This is a major step forward."

The Integral-Fast-Reactor is an advanced reactor designed to recycle and burn its own fuel and plutonium from nuclear weapons. Engineers are in the process of testing the huge machines at the INEL that they hope will demonstrate the concept works on a large scale.

Last week, the Clinton administration changed its mind about scrapping the program and proposed funding it at \$97.4 million. That amount still would have meant a loss of about 50 of the 800 jobs at Argonne-West at the INEL. The House killed the program in June, but it has been revived in the Senate.

The issue is expected to reach the Senate floor sometime next week. After that, it will be debated in a conference committee with House members.

Rexburg mother pleads guilty but maintains her innocence

REXBURG (AP) — A Rexburg woman charged with felony injury to a child in the death of her 21-month-old son has entered conditional guilty pleas as part of an agreement with Madison County prosecutors.

Gayle Stephens told 7th District Judge Brent Moss on Tuesday that she pleaded guilty "because I feel that if I have a jury trial there's enough evidence to convict me."

But she maintained her innocence in the April 24 death of her son, Christopher Purcell.

Moss accepted the plea agreement and set a Dec. 6 sentencing date.

Prosecutors allege Stephens, 20, knowingly left her son in danger when she allowed her boyfriend to baby-sit him. Stephens knew Darrin Carter, 21, also of Rexburg, had previously abused the child but continued to leave him with Carter, according to court documents.

Carter was being held without bond Tuesday in the Madison County Jail awaiting a Feb. 2 trial on a charge of first-degree murder in the boy's death. The child died of head injuries, according to an autopsy report.

At Carter's June preliminary hearing, Stephens testified she left Christopher with him at their Rexburg mobile home when she went to work. When she returned later that night, she said Carter told her he had dropped the boy. Christopher died the next day at an Idaho Falls hospital.

Stephens' trial was scheduled to begin Tuesday when she pleaded guilty to the felony charge and a misdemeanor charge of failing to report past incidents of child abuse.

Grass farmers will ignore burning ban

COEUR D'ALENE (AP) — Field burning season officially ends Thursday on the Rathdrum Prairie, but that will not stop Idaho grass farmers.

With no one in Idaho to enforce the Field Burning Summit Agreement, a growers spokesman said they will probably continue torching fields until they get the job done.

"Can you take an artificial time period you set in advance, and set the (burning) window?" said Al Haslebacher, executive director of the Intermountain Grass Growers Association.

Farmers are firing to burn off bluegrass stubble and shock the plant into producing more seed. But it creates a pall of smoke hated by area residents and the tourism industry.

In 1991 and 1992, farmers were able to burn their fields within the pre-agreed number of days. But this year is different, they say, because of July's rains and cooler fall temperatures.

Asked why growers agreed to a fixed burning season if doing so would inconvenience them, Haslebacher said, "Why did Mother Nature set things back a month?"

"I think the term 'extenuating circumstances' is there for a reason," he said.

Prairie residents also can expect smoke on Fridays and weekends. Farmers consider re-burning to be outside the scope of the summit's terms.

Spokane County, Wash., growers are attempting to get their season, which ends next Monday, extended as well.

Unlike Idaho, where any limits are voluntary, Washington growers must get the approval of the Spokane County Air Pollution Control Authority.

INEL highway poses problem for city, EG&G

IDAHO FALLS (AP) — Idaho Falls emergency medical response officers and firefighters are unclear about who will respond to car accidents along highways within the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory.

While the city's head of emergency medical services said Monday that he was told replacements for striking INEL firefighters would not respond to highway accidents, EG&G Idaho said Tuesday that its replacement firefighters would respond if called or otherwise made aware of an accident.

"This was the policy before the strike and continues to be the policy during the strike," EG&G spokesman John Walsh said in a news release.

Firefighters from the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers' Union continued their strike Tuesday after walking out Aug. 25 over pay and working hours. There have been few contacts with EG&G Idaho talks since a federal mediation session Sept. 3 failed to make progress.

Dennis Johnson, head of emergency medical services for Idaho Falls, said he understood firefighters from the Energy Department's Rocky Mountain Laboratory, which are replacing striking INEL firefighters, would not respond to accidents along U.S. Highways 20 and 26.

INEL firefighters are not required to respond to accidents along the two highways that traverse the 800-square-mile site, but in the past they have provided ambulance responses as a courtesy.

Without the INEL response teams, Idaho Falls officials say it would take 40- to 60 minutes to reach accident sites on those roads.

Johnson said Idaho Falls ambulance crews had not been called to respond to any accidents within the INEL since the strike began. The Idaho Transportation Department says 1,800 to 2,700 vehicles per day use U.S. 20 west of Idaho Falls.

EG&G Idaho's contingency fire plan says the same number of medical staff and ambulances are available as before, but it does not specifically mention whether those teams will continue to respond to highway accidents.

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Geologists warn Oregonians of strong aftershocks



An earthquake near Klamath Falls, Ore., scattered glass and bricks on city sidewalks.

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (AP) — Crises cleared earthquake debris of bricks and broken glass from streets and sidewalks Tuesday and half-eaten meals still sat on restaurant tables where diners had fled hours earlier.

Geologists warned that buildings damaged by Monday night's quake could collapse as aftershocks rumbled through the area.

More than 100 people refused to spend the night in their homes after the tremor, including one family who left California to get away from quakes.

One motorist was killed by a rock slide. An 82-year-old woman died of an apparent heart attack after she was frightened by the quake.

The earthquake, which struck at 9:29 p.m. MDT Monday, was upgraded Tuesday from 5.4 to 5.7 on the Richter scale by the U.S. Geological Survey in Menlo Park, Calif. It was followed within three hours by aftershocks measuring 5.5 and 4.8 on the scale.

"At that magnitude or greater, you can expect some damage," said George Priest, regional geologist for the state Department of Geology and Mineral Industries. "You can expect that buildings are going to be rattling

down there for up to a month."

The earthquake was felt more than 200 miles to the north in Salem, and more than 100 miles to the south, in Redding, Calif. No significant damage was reported in Northern California.

More than 100 people stayed in two Red Cross shelters, some of them sleeping in tents outdoors, some in their cars and some on cots set up in the gymnasium.

Kathy and Charles Heard moved here with their daughter in 1987 after an earthquake in Whittier, Calif.

"After the second one, he said, 'Maybe we should try Wyoming,'" Kathy Heard said. After the second aftershock, "He said, 'I can't handle it. I've got to get out of the house.'"

The family spent the night in their car.

Another quake veteran was Steve Anderson.

"I was in L.A. for that big one in '75," he said. "I can honestly say this one felt worse than that one did. I'm amazed to see these old brick buildings standing."

"It felt like you were on a raft going over a rapid," said police Officer John Dees, who moved from Los Angeles because he wanted to get away from earthquakes.

Though Klamath Falls sits on the eastern slope of the Cascade Range, a series of volcanoes, the town doesn't have a reputation for earthquakes.

At the Classico Italian Ristorante, plates of pasta and half-eaten on tables diners had fled when the quake hit.

The Klamath County Courthouse and the library were declared unsafe and 27 other buildings were damaged, said Alan A. Barnes, the county director of building safety. He said damage appeared likely to exceed \$1 million.

Ten downtown blocks were cordoned off Tuesday and schools were closed.

Three highways into Klamath Falls, a city of 18,000 just north of the California border, were closed because of damaged bridges and rock slides.

A magnitude 5.5 quake can cause considerable damage in a populated area. A quake measuring 6 on the Richter scale can cause severe damage.

Last spring, a magnitude 5.6 quake struck about 200 miles north of Monday's quake, causing \$14 million in damage in Oregon's Willamette Valley.

Earthquakes aren't new to Oregon

The Associated Press

Here is a list of major earthquakes centered or felt in Oregon above magnitude 5 on the Richter scale:

- Sept. 20, 1993 — An earthquake of magnitude 5.7 centered 15 miles northwest of Klamath Falls kills a driver in a rockslide, closes highways and a bridge.
- March 25, 1993 — An earthquake of magnitude 5.6 centered near Woodburn rocks most of the state and causes damage to bridges and the State Capitol.
- Feb. 13, 1981 — An earthquake with magnitude 5.5 centered near Mount St. Helens shakes the Portland area.
- May 30, 1968 — A magnitude 5.1

quake hits Adel-Warner Lakes area near Lakeview in south-central Oregon.

- April 29, 1965 — A 6.5 quake centered between Seattle and Tacoma is felt in the Portland area.
- Oct. 1, 1964 — A magnitude 5.3 quake in Sauvie Island area near Portland.
- Nov. 5, 1962 — A 5.5 magnitude quake centered in Vancouver, Wash., is the largest quake then recorded in the immediate vicinity of Portland.
- Dec. 16, 1953 — A magnitude 5.6 quake shakes the Portland area.
- April 12, 1949 — Portland suffers damage and injuries from a magnitude 7.0 earthquake centered between Olympia and Tacoma, Wash.
- Dec. 29, 1941 — A magnitude 5.6

quake shakes the Portland area.

- July 16, 1936 — A magnitude 5.8 quake is centered in the Milwaukie area.
- May 13, 1916 — An estimated magnitude 5.7 quake is centered in Richland, Wash.
- March 7, 1893 — An estimated magnitude 5.7 quake is centered in Unamailla.
- Feb. 4, 1892 — An estimated magnitude 5.6 quake shakes the Portland area.
- Oct. 12, 1877 — An estimated magnitude 6.7 earthquake shakes the Oresham area.
- Nov. 23, 1873 — An estimated magnitude 6.3 quake is centered in Crescent City, Calif., area.

Treed photographer phones for help

VERNAL, Utah (AP) — A photographer who was treed for two hours by a mountain lion used his cellular phone to call for help.

Jeffie Burr, 40, was photographing fall colors Sunday morning in the southern Utah Mountains near Vernal when he first saw the cougar on the trail 25-30 feet ahead.

"I yelled and screamed and tried to get him to move, and he walked off the trail into the brush," Burr said. "Then I caught something out of the corner of my eye. He had circled around behind me."

Burr dropped his camera and tripod and scrambled up the closest tree. The lion remained on the ground below.

"I threw my hat at him, but that didn't scare him," Burr said, and the only escape routes were a gorge that dropped off behind him or the trail where the cougar was.

So Burr used his cellular phone to call a friend for help. The phone was almost out of calling range, so Burr climbed to the top of the tree and waited 45 minutes before he could get a call out.

Meanwhile, the cougar, who never tried to climb the tree, paced around on the ground below until two passing hunters scared him off.

State Division of Wildlife

Resources biologist Keith Day said conservation officers arrived shortly afterward and saw the lion's tracks.

Burr, who had never seen a mountain lion in the wild before, said he regretted not getting a photograph.

"Here I sat with one almost posing for me and I could not get a picture," he said, "but I didn't think I was going to get out of there."

Day said the lion likely was a younger one who was just curious.

"He obviously wasn't after this

individual or he would have climbed right up the tree," Day said.

Wildlife officers in the area respond to about 6 incidents of people encountering lions each year, Day said, and most of the lions are "pretty harmless."

However, Day credits Burr with presence of mind.

"Apparently he dropped all his camera gear, but he did keep his phone," he said.



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Magic Valley

Students crowd into CSI

By Kirk Mitchell
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS - Empty parking spaces and unoccupied classroom seats are becoming increasingly rare at the College of Southern Idaho.

The college has about 350 more students than last year, according to final CSI fall enrollment figures.

In all, there 3,840 vocational and academic students are on campus this semester, or 9.1 percent more than last fall, CSI Registrar John Martin said.

This year, more students are attending classes part time than usual.

For example, although 48 more students signed up for vocational classes than last year, the "full-time equivalency" -

number of students taking a full class load - in the vocational department dropped by about 1 percent.

The number of academic students rose 10 percent to 3,044, but the FTE rose only 6.6 percent to 2,031.

Many students have to work and can only attend class part time, Martin said.

About two-thirds of CSI students had jobs and almost one-third had full-time jobs, said Ken Campbell, director of institutional research.

About 11 percent of CSI students already have an associate's or bachelor's degree and are returning to school to learn a new profession, Campbell said.

CSI enrollment has consistently increased every year for a dozen years, Martin said.

"It's kind of amazing," he said. "We keep growing."

A larger population and more students coming here from surrounding states with higher college tuition are some of many reasons contributing to the school's growth.

Also, "Our reputation is getting out there as we are a good school," Martin said.

Around the valley

Registration nears for fraud prevention class

TWIN FALLS - Business managers and others interested in attending a fraud-prevention seminar next month must register by Sept. 30.

The Idaho Fraud Investigators Association will put on a one-day seminar from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 6 at the Weston Plaza. Cost is \$24 per person and includes lunch. Those who do not preregister by Sept. 30 must pay \$28.

The seminar will include sessions on spotting bad checks, preventing computer fraud, credit card fraud and counterfeiting, consumer fraud, armed robbery, retail security and embezzlement.

Preregistration payments can be sent to: Idaho Fraud Prevention Association, Mike Ricbs, P.O. Box 4411, Boise, Idaho 83711-4411.

For more information, contact Sgt. Bill McDaniel at the Twin Falls County Sheriff's Department, 736-4040.

Foul play unlikely in Elko death, undersheriff says

ELKO, Nev. - The still-identified skeleton found northwest of Jackpot Sunday probably was that of a murder victim, the Elko County undersheriff said Tuesday.

The body, thought to be a male, was found by a group of hunters about one mile south of the Idaho-Nevada border near Salmon Creek.

Undersheriff Claire Morris said people from all over the country who have loved ones missing have called his office since the body was found.

A pathologist was examining the remains in Elko Tuesday afternoon and evening in a search for clues to the person's identity, Morris said.

"There doesn't appear to be any foul play involved," he said.

Morris added that the body was not found in a rugged area where a fall was likely to have caused the death.

Water meetings scheduled today in Twin Falls, Gooding

BOISE - A pair of public meetings are scheduled today and tonight in the Magic Valley to discuss changing water management rules, the Idaho Department of Water Resources announced Tuesday.

A meeting in Twin Falls is scheduled for 1 p.m. in the KMVT-TV public meeting room at 1100 Blue Lakes Blvd. North. A second meeting in Gooding is set for 7 p.m. in the multi-purpose room of the Gooding City Hall at 308 5th Ave. West.

The public is encouraged to attend both meetings.

Water meetings scheduled today in Twin Falls, Gooding

These meetings are the last of six held by the department in eastern Idaho and the Magic Valley. The first four meetings were marked by heavy turnout among irrigators, who were concerned about lawsuits that could force the state to curtail some groundwater pumping and aquifer discharges.

Idaho Housing office closes Thursday, Friday for meeting

TWIN FALLS - The Twin Falls office of the Idaho Housing Agency will close Thursday and Friday while staff members attend the agency's annual employee meeting in Boise. The office will re-open Monday.

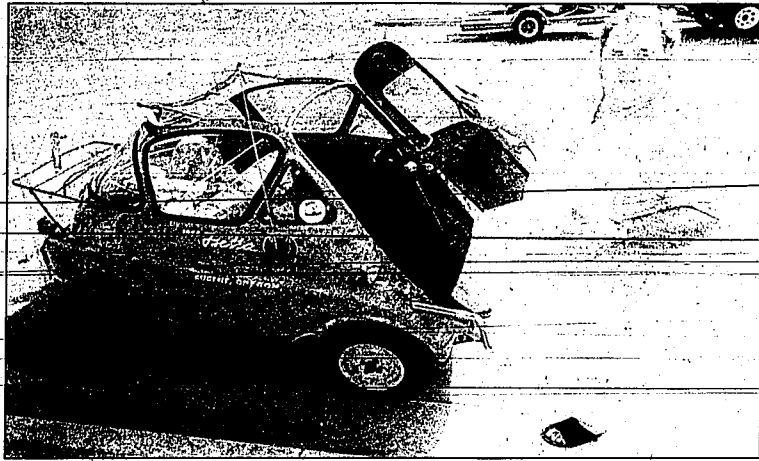
Questions about Idaho Housing Agency programs and services can be directed to the main office at 1-800-327-0261.

The agency's Twin Falls office is located at 488 Blue Lakes Blvd. N., Suite 106. The telephone number is 734-8531.

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Tiny traveler



Bill Darland says his 1956 Isotta has a lot more room inside than what appears. Below, Darland opens up the throttle on the one-cylinder classic, racing up to 45 mph on Interstate 84 near Twin Falls.

Tiny car putts through valley en route to New Jersey show

By Brad Bowlin
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS - On the back of Bill Darland's business card is stamped a message: "A little goes a long way."

The Eugene, Ore., resident is putting that adage to the test by driving his tiny Isotta automobile across the country to a car show in New Jersey.

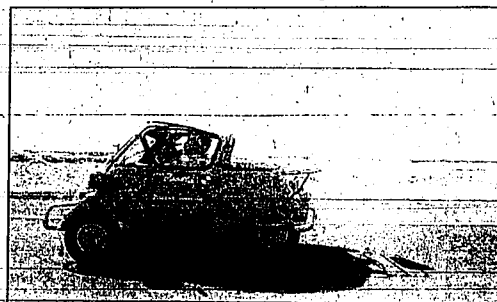
He stopped at Petro 2 truck stop on Interstate 84 Tuesday morning for food and fuel and to talk about his 770-pound red and white car that makes a VW bug look like a limousine.

"Actually, there's a lot of room once you get inside," said Darland, peering in the window. Darland is well known in the United States and Europe for his Isotta restorations. There are about 75 of the teardrop-shaped cars in the United States today, he said.

Just how tiny is the Isotta 300? The body measures 7 1/2 feet long from front to back, and is 4 feet, 5 inches high and is carried on 10-inch wheels.

To get his 300-pound frame inside, Darland opens the car's front - and only - door, which swings out just like a refrigerator door. In fact, the Isetta (pronounced I-zet-a) was designed by an Italian refrigerator company in the early 1950s.

The BMW company, famous now for much roomier models, had great success



building Isettas in Germany, but the bubble-window version Darland has was discontinued in 1957.

He spotted the car, painted day-glow orange, outside a friend's house 20-some years ago.

"I said 'I've gotta have that,'" he recalls, and paid between \$75 and \$125 for the car. Brand-new Isettas sold for \$998, but Darland estimates his mini-car is worth \$17,000 or more.

Months after he found the car, and af-

ter looking high and low in find parts and linking up with other Isetta lovers in America and Europe, Darland drove up to his friend's house and beeped the horn.

He uses the car as his primary vehicle, which has made him one of the most recognizable drivers in Eugene.

"I think everyone in town knows where I live," Darland said.

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Wendell enrollment grows 11%

Trustees approve \$57,643 emergency levy for staff

By Terrell Williams
Times-News correspondent

WENDELL - Wendell is getting a new high school just in time.

Already filled beyond capacity last year, Wendell School District enrollment jumped this fall with more than 100 additional students.

The district has been scrambling to handle this 11-percent increase.

At a special board meeting, trustees approved an emergency levy for \$57,643. They decided to hire two additional teachers for the junior-senior high school, a half-time elementary teacher and a half-time elementary office aide.

The levy will not completely cover the added cost of such a large enrollment increase, Superintendent Larry Manly said. But the amount of the levy is the most allowed by law.

The levy will help pay for the additional teachers as well as desks, textbooks and other expenses, he said.

A recent poll of Magic Valley superintendents showed that the number of new students in Wendell was second only to Blaine County's increase of 150 students, Manly said. Twin Falls was third with about 75.

Many of the new students came from other states, including California and states surrounding Idaho, he said.

Over the years, the number of students in Wendell has increased gradually, Manly said. But this year the graph line jumped straight up, far above the highest expectations. Student schedules at the junior and senior high schools will have to be reassigned when the additional teachers are hired, Manly said.

Meanwhile the new high school building - from light bulbs to landscaping - is on schedule, he said. Students should be in the building by the beginning of this school year's second semester. The move will be made sometime in December, Manly predicted.

In other business:

- The trustees decided not to move the district office this year.
- They rescinded an earlier motion approving a lease option to buy office space downtown. The present offices are located in the front of the junior high school gymnasium.
- Trustees accepted the resignations of elementary secretary Barbara Hosack, who is retiring. Marvian Hill also resigned from the hot lunch program.

- Trustees hired Tanna Hatfield as a full-time kindergarten teacher and Dale Bitelli as a half-time custodian. They approved a Consultant Specialist certificate for Harold Jones to teach photography and accepted Tina Jones as a student teacher with elementary teacher Debbie Lancaster.
- The regular school board meeting time was changed to the third Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m. Manly said this change will allow the trustees to attend the extracurricular activities of their children.

Know someone with a story to tell?	
Have a news tip? Know any unusual heroes or someone with a unique hobby, unusual occupation or lifestyle? We'd like to hear from you. Send story ideas to The Times-News city desk, Box 348, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303, or call 733-0971, ext. 204.	
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Idaho Power sells Bald Mountain equipment

By Mick Normington
Times-News writer

HAILEY - Idaho Power Co. is preparing to sell \$150,000 worth of electrical distribution equipment on Bald Mountain to the Sun Valley Co.

Dan Olmstead, Idaho Power district manager, said the Sun Valley Co. would get underground power lines, switches and transformers that provide electricity to the company's ski lifts, snow-makers and lodges.

Olmstead said Wally Huffman, manager of the Sun Valley Co., approached him years ago and said the company wanted to own the equipment rather than lease it. "Our customers won't be affected by this," Olmstead said.

And the sale agreement calls for the Sun Valley Co. to allow Idaho Power to use the equipment after the sale in case of emergency.

Idaho Power will continue to provide electricity to the radio and television transmitters on top of Bald Mountain, but can use the Sun Valley Co.'s equipment in case of a power outage, he said.

Sun Valley Co. workers are running new power lines to the resort, Olmstead said.

Idaho Power has asked the Idaho Public Utilities Commission for permission to sell the equipment to the Sun Valley Co. And the commission is taking public comment on the sale until Oct. 13, after which time the commission will decide.

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Back yards or office lawn? Status of canyon rim project uncertain

By Sean L. McCarthy
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS - A plan to allow greater public access to the Snake River canyon rim is still alive.

Maybe.

In August, city staffers had recommended commercial development along the rim with stringent building and sign codes to protect public access to the canyon rim and its scenic views.

But Monday night, the City Council approved a plan to build 12 houses on the rim as part of a 74-acre residential subdivision on the land between

Washington Street North and Perrine Coulee.

The plan was presented by the "MOVE" partnership of Richard Messersmith, Bruce Olsen and former mayor Doug Vollmer.

So what's what?

Both city officials and MOVE representatives said Tuesday that the city has asked developers to present a plan for mixed-use development of the 74 acres along the rim.

"We were concerned that public access along one of the prettiest areas would be blocked off forever," said LaMar Orton, the city's community development director.

"We suggested a mixed-used concept," he said.

Dale Riedesel, chief engineer for the MOVE project said the mixed-use project will involve a two-step zoning change. The first step happened Monday when City Council approved residential zoning for the farmland near the rim. Next, the land may be zoned commercial.

"At the city's request, we have submitted a rezoning from a residential designation to a commercial one," Riedesel said.

The preliminary plan for mixed-use development along the canyon rim will be presented Tuesday.

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Gooding citizens will plan new school buildings

By Terrell Williams
Times-News correspondent

GOODING — Local residents need to help now to plan for new buildings for the Gooding School District.

"We've got some crowding problems in the elementary and junior high and we're trying to get an idea of what the public wants," said Tom Morrison, who is helping the district organize some building plans.

A building-needs committee will be organized to help prepare the district for growth, Morrison said.

"It's nothing very earth-shattering at this stage," he explained. "We're at the ground level. We're trying to get the public involved. After all, it's their school."

Meeting scheduled

A public meeting is set for 7 p.m., Thursday in the Gooding High School All-Purpose Room to discuss plans for new buildings in the Gooding School District.

We're trying to pick their collective brains to see what they want and what they're willing to pay for."

With these ideas laid out on paper, Morrison said, the district will be ready with some long-range plans to take advantage of state funding or to pass a bond when the current bond ends in 1995.

"We're trying to get a jump on it," he said.

"All Gooding is trying to do is anticipate this so we know what our needs are when the time comes."

Superintendent Henry Kilmer said the high school also is crowded and the middle school has handicapped access problems. At the elementary and middle schools, fire trailers are being used for classrooms, he said. These have no plumbing, so the students, including kindergarten children, have to walk across the play area to the main building to go to the bathroom.

Kilmer said Gooding also needs to update its technology programs with improvements that might include installation of fiber optic cables.

"We want to make sure we are preparing kids to have the skills that employers and

(colleges) desire when they get out of high school," he said.

Technology improvements need to be included in new building plans, Kilmer added. Comments from the public, he said, will help the district decide what kind of technical education students need today and how to add the facilities for that education.

In other business:

- A proposed policy change will require that athletes pass all classes in order to participate in sports. The current policy requires only a passing grade average.
- "This way, you can't fail anything," Kilmer explained.

The proposed policy also has an added rule that requires athletes to be good citizens and have good attitudes. Trustees will

vote on the policy changes at the next school meeting on Oct. 13.

Board trustees approved a request from parents for safety bushes where there are no sidewalks. Students closer to the school, generally not eligible to ride buses, will be able to ride in these hazardous areas.

Elementary Principal Rich Thompson, along with middle school teachers Donna Pence, Lani Shevemaker and Van Kierstead, will attend a three-day conference in Portland, Ore., in November. The conference, funded by a Chapter II grant, covers developing middle-school concepts, such as emphasis on decision-making skills and a home room class rotation with more control than a high school system.

Rocio Cheney was hired as migrant aide for the elementary school.

Hagerman plans for well, water lines move forward

By Terrell Williams
Times-News correspondent

HAGERMAN — By the time spring arrives, the city hopes to have a new well, a water tank and new water lines ready to go in as soon as the ground thaws.

J-U-B engineer Rex Harding said Monday that plans for the project are moving along fine.

The engineers have completed a preliminary map of the city that shows location of houses, existing lines and proposed new lines. And a well permit has been approved by the Department of Water Resources. Harding said.

"So we're finalizing specifications for the well, drilling to submit to (the Division) of Environmental Quality," he explained.

"Once that is approved, then we'll bid it out to get the well drilled."

DEQ, he noted, has 30 days to approve the engineers' specifications.

The well will be located on Hagerman Avenue near the existing water treatment plant. Water lines will be installed according

to priority and availability of funds. Harding said Main Street will be one of the first to get new lines, while East Avenue and State Street are the lowest priority because they already have fairly new lines.

All plans are expected to be finished by the first of December and ready for bids, Harding said.

Following a recent public hearing on the progress of the new water system project, Mayor Jim Martin said he was not surprised by the low turnout.

"We try to give people information as they ask for it," he said. "Everybody knows it's slow."

Public hearings are a condition of the grants Hagerman has received, he added.

Martin said Mark Bolduc, Frank Erwin and other members of a citizens' water committee have been representing the public in meetings with J-U-B engineers and with city officials. These representatives will help with a variety of decisions as the project continues, he said.

Joe Glick of Region IV Development said the next public hearing will be sometime next spring when the new lines are going in and people are more likely to have questions or suggestions.

Meanwhile, everything is falling into place and the well might be completed by mid-October, he said.

"In talking with (Hagerman) city engineer Scott Bybee this morning," he said, "he feels pretty confident, as I do, that we'll have those wells drilled sooner than we had thought."

Glick said the entire project could be done within one year from now, depending on the weather.

"This will be a new, updated modern system that will put Hagerman in compliance with all the requirements of the EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)," he said.

The project is expected to cost \$2.25 million. The city has been awarded \$1.75 million in federal grants and local residents passed a \$300,000 bond to cover the rest. The bond will be paid by water user fees for 20 to 30 years.

Services

Betty Mae Samuelson, of Twin Falls, memorial services, 9 a.m. today, St. Edward's Catholic Church, and 3:45 p.m. Saturday, Rose Hills Memorial Park Rainbow Chapel in Whittier, Calif. (Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls).

George Jasper, of Los Angeles and formerly of Buhl, memorial service, 10:30 a.m. today, St. John's Lutheran Church in Buhl.

Ben L. Perrenoud, of Gooding, 10:30 a.m. today, Demary's Gooding Chapel.

Iva Kendrick Lehman, of Buhl, 10:30 a.m. today, Baptist Church, (Francis Funeral Chapel).

Gloria Batis, of Ketchum, mass at 10:30 a.m. today, Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church in Hillyer. (Wood River Funeral Chapel in Hillyer).

Lillian Mae Struck, of Jerome, 11

a.m. today, Jerome LDS 6th Ward Chapel, 26 N. 100 E. (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel).

Victor E. "Vic" Cummins, of Twin Falls, crypts service, 1 p.m. today, Sunset Memorial Park Mausoleum, (Reynolds Funeral Chapel).

Harold H. Bean, of Twin Falls and formerly of Jerome, graveside service, 2 p.m. today, Jerome Cemetery, (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome).

Alfred Moffin, of Jerome, graveside service, 2 p.m. today, Jerome Cemetery, (Hove-Robertson Funeral Chapel in Jerome).

Walter E. Pascoe, of Boise, 2 p.m. today, Wood River Funeral Chapel in Hillyer.

Mary Margaret Alexander, of Shoshone, memorial service, 1 p.m. Friday, First Baptist Church in Shoshone, (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Edith A. Stephens, of Burley and formerly of Twin Falls, graveside service, 11 a.m. Saturday, Twin Falls Cemetery, (White Mortuary in Twin Falls).

Harry C. Serr
[AU] — Harry Carl Serr, 75, of Paul, died Tuesday, Sept. 21, 1993, at the Minidoka Memorial Hospital in Rupert. Arrangements are pending and will be announced by Hansen Mortuary in Rupert.

Cynthia Taylor, all of Burley; Heidi Browning of Rupert; and Denise Powell of Puyallup, Wash.

Birbs
A baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bautista of Burley.

MARY ANDERSEN, Roger Hare and Mandi Reed, all of Rupert.
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Dolly Freiburger of Rupert.
Birth
A daughter was born to Mandi and Jeffrey Reed of Rupert.

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Deaths
She was raised in Twin Falls, graduated from Twin Falls High School in 1932 and later received a bachelor of arts in education from San Jose State College in California. She taught school for 12 years, from 1938 to 1956, in California elementary schools, including Los Lomas in Menlo Park, and later worked at Stanford University. She married Gullford Jones Lovelace of Susanville, Calif. in 1941. She was an active member of the Episcopal Church, the American Legion and Widowers Bridge Club, and did volunteer work at the El Camino Hospital.

Wayve C. Lovelace
TWIN FALLS — Wayve Christina Hall Lovelace, 48, of Sunnyside, Calif., and formerly of Twin Falls, died Tuesday, July 6, 1993, in Sunnyside, Calif.
She was born July 23, 1914, in American Falls, the daughter of Oliver Charles Hall and Julia Math-

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Released
Evelyn Anzlec, Martin Bautista, Maurice Holm and

Obituaries

Norma W. Robertson
TWIN FALLS — Norma W. Robertson, 83, of Twin Falls, died Monday, Sept. 20, 1993, at Magic Valley Regional Medical Center.

She was born April 25, 1910, in Twin Falls, the daughter of Joseph and Myrtle Willis Wesson. She grew up in Twin Falls and the Holtzler area. Norma and John B. Robertson were married Sept. 3, 1932, in Twin Falls. She was an active member of the Episcopal Church, Blue Lakes Country Club and Camp Fire Girls.

Survivors include four daughters, Arlene Livingston of Huntington Beach, Calif.; Nathalie Fox and Martha (Bill) Salliers, both of Twin Falls; and Sara (Denisse) Lowe of Jerome. Six grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, one son, Stella-Bell of Twin Falls; two nieces; and one nephew. She was preceded in death by her husband in March 1971, one sister, one son, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She was raised in Twin Falls, graduated from Twin Falls High School in 1932 and later received a bachelor of arts in education from San Jose State College in California. She taught school for 12 years, from 1938 to 1956, in California elementary schools, including Los Lomas in Menlo Park, and later worked at Stanford University. She married Gullford Jones Lovelace of Susanville, Calif. in 1941. She was an active member of the Episcopal Church, the American Legion and Widowers Bridge Club, and did volunteer work at the El Camino Hospital.

She is survived by a sister, Aurora Milligan of Boise; two daughters and their husbands, Judith Anna Boore of Los Alamos, Calif., and Jean Carole McCabe of Eugene, Ore.; and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband and a sister, Fern Melges.

By her request, no service was planned.

For obituary rate information, call 733-0931, extension 278

Buhl prepares for fall bond election

By Bertilla L. Redfern
Times-News correspondent

BUHL — The School Board hopes to pass a bond in November for the district's building program.

Board members plan to inform the public about the Nov. 2 bond election. But no specific dollar amount has been set yet.

Public information meetings will be conducted in Buhl, just as they were before residents passed the bond for the new City Hall. The Buhl Economic Council will help organize town meetings, so people can learn about the district's building program.

Car

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Darland said he got 65 miles per hour on a 36-gallon gas tank, but on the highway it averaged about 48 mpg.

"That means Darland can't pass up too many gas stations. His tank holds less than 36 gallons of gas. The 13-horsepower, single-cylinder engine struggles with hills, but Darland said he never dipped below 25 miles per hour climbing King Hill between Mountain Home and Twin Falls.

"He left Eugene Sunday and plans to be in Clinton, N.J. by Oct. 9, for a

The building program is the result of two years of work by citizens' committees. Building committees examined all three school buildings and determined the needs for each. Cost estimates at the time were \$11,000,000.

A district-wide committee studied the building committee's reports and made a recommendation to the school board.

When the recommendation for a new middle school and improvements at the elementary and high schools was presented in April, cost estimates were shaved to about \$5,000,000.

If the bond is passed, Buhl will

get a new middle school for grades five, six, seven and eight. Other improvements include enlarging the elementary library and office, modernizing the heating system and adding air conditioning, and three new classrooms and a weight room for the high school.

The new middle school also would have a multi-use facility to be shared with the high school. This facility would be used as a lunch area and also for art, music and drama.

A regular auditorium instead of a multi-use facility will be a separate issue on the November ballot, and then I see a smile," Bloesinger said.

A group of bikers roared past the pair early in the trip and gave Darland the thumbs-up sign as they went by.

The vehicle drew plenty of attention outside the truck stop Tuesday morning. One curious onlooker asked if the car was electric. Another suggested someone might as well ride a Moped.

Darland said he feels safe in the car, and has never been in an accident. Neither have his children, ages 18 and 21, who are allowed to borrow the car whenever they want.

Bald

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If the commission gives its approval, then Idaho Power will sell the equipment almost immediately. Olmstead said.

While Idaho Power will continue to provide electricity to the Sun Valley Co. at the same rates it has been, workers for the utility are already preparing for the change.

The Sun Valley Co.'s will soon

Rim

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ed at the Sept. 28 meeting of the city planning and zoning commission.

Riedesel said that the two-step zoning change had been part of the MOVE plan all along. He and Vollmer said that MOVE pursued the residential designation first to provide a fall-back for the developers in case the mixed-use plan is rejected.

Earlier, the city had approved the developers' plan for a commercial zone on the land east of Washington Street North, north of Pole Line Road, and west of the Concept '91 subdivision.

"According to Riedesel, if the second-rezone is approved for the firm by the planning and zoning commis-

micro- and miniature-car convention. Darland said he travels to similar gatherings in England about twice each year.

"This year, I decided I want to see my own country," he said.

A close friend, Bobby Bloesinger, follows in his pickup with a trailer and a complete set of spare parts.

Motorists passing the pickup usually don't even notice the Iselta until they have already gone by. Darland said.

"I imagine a lot of people will be getting neck therapy" from craning to look behind them once they get a glimpse of the car, Darland said.

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Mini-Cassia/West

Minidoka board OKs facility study

By John J. Harberth Times-News correspondent

RUPERT — The Minidoka County School Board approved a comprehensive study Tuesday to keep their schools current with technology.

A proposal, presented by Assistant Superintendent Dr. Richard Goodworth included forming a 36-member committee to update and redefine recommendations-made by a 1991 review panel.

The 1991 panel was formed following a statewide review, whose purpose was to bring schools up to a level to handle technology," Goodworth said.

Superintendent Michael Bishop said the statewide review showed that the district needed \$8.3 million in upgrades to meet state standards. The review board said statewide needs totaled about \$706 million.

The review board made several recommendations to the state Legislature to implement its plans. These recommendations included the state funding 35 percent of any facilities built, possibly by increasing the sales tax and having a standardized model building, Bishop said.

The board also suggested amending the Idaho Constitution to lower the majority needed to pass a bond. The review board proposed lowering it to 55 percent from the present 66.6 percent. The legislature has yet to decide on the recommendations. Some of the trustees questioned the need for 36 members on Goodworth's committee.

Goodworth said that many were needed to "receive input from a barrage of constituencies in the district."

The new committee would gather information, create an action plan for the district. It also would develop one-, five-, 10- and 15-year time lines for the plan. Goodworth said the study should be completed by May.

In other business, the board determined a proposed policy of determining employee benefits based on the number of hours worked weekly.

Rupert considers 16% electricity hike

By Liz Wright Times-News writer

RUPERT — To retired landlady Katherine Carson, a 16.6 percent rate increase in her electrical bill could mean the difference between keeping her renter signed on the lease.

And she'd hate to lose the young women renting her home, Carson told the Rupert City Council at Tuesday evening's meeting.

The proposed increase, recommended by the Bonneville Power Administration, would affect everyone from county residents and business owners to farmers.

The City of Rupert Electrical Department buys its power from BPA. A part of the federal Department of Energy, BPA sells the electricity

generated at federal dams operated by the Army Corps of Engineers on the Columbia and lower Snake rivers.

Councilman Dwinelle Allred said the BPA recommended the rate increase to pay for the electric department's needed repairs. The old downtown electrical department is in bad shape and needs about \$1 million in new transformers, wiring and other repairs, Allred said.

"If we don't do it, the system will become so depleted that we can't service the customers," Allred said.

Whether it's one person living alone or a whole family, the new rates would increase minimum monthly charges to \$10 from \$8, and 4.182 cents for each kilowatt-hour. A kilowatt hour is a unit of electrical power consumed when 1,000 watts

are used for one hour.

For businesses and non-profit organizations, monthly customer charges would also increase — to \$14 from \$12.50 for "single phase" small users; \$22 from \$20 for larger users.

Business owners would see a 10.6 percent increase overall. They would have to pay 5.4 cents per kWh for the first 5,000 kWh used, 4.33 cents for the next 10,000 kWh and 2.867 cents for anything over 15,000 kWh.

Churches and other non-profit organizations would pay only 0.03 percent of an increase in their "off-peak" rates.

People who use water for irrigation would pay the same rates as businesses.

The council will make a decision Oct. 5.

Lawmakers threaten to delay Interior spending

By Stacy Joyce States News Service

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 — Sens. Ben Nighthorse Campbell, D-Colo., and Malcolm Wallop, R-Wyo., threatened Tuesday to delay the entire interior appropriations package unless Congress puts the breaks on President Clinton's proposed grazing reforms.

Decrying the administration's land management policies as an attack on resource-based economies, Campbell said, "I'm willing to hold the whole thing up until we get some fairness."

Last month, Interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt unveiled a proposal that would more than double grazing fees over the next three years and reform rangeland practices. Senate lawmakers voted 59-40 last week to derail the administration's plan, saying it would send ranchers to the unemployment office.

To graze animals on federal lands, ranchers currently pay the government \$1.86 cents per animal unit month, which is the amount of forage needed to feed one cow and her calf for one month.

Sen. Pete Domenici, R-N.M.,

'Taking a year off and doing nothing is literally a recipe for gridlock and not reform.'

— Rep. Mike Synar on the Senate's moratorium

inserted language into the spending bill last week that would prevent the Interior Department from spending any money in fiscal year 1994 to implement a grazing fee increase or new rangeland policies.

Before that action takes effect, however, a House-Senate conference committee must approve the provision, and the president must sign the legislation. The House already has approved its appropriations measure — which did not address the grazing issue — so the Domenici amendment will go next to a House-Senate conference committee for consideration.

In the meantime, Reps. Mike Synar, D-Okla., George Miller, D-Calif., and other Democratic advocates of grazing reform are trying to rustle up support for Clinton's plan.

Rep. Ralph Regula, D-Ohio, will try to convince House negotiators this week to reject the Senate's proposed moratorium.

"Taking a year off and doing nothing is literally a recipe for gridlock-and-not-reform," Synar said.

"We cannot do this very small thing for taxpayers, we will never be able to convince the American public that we are serious about holding the line on deficits," Synar said. "This goes way beyond the parochial issue of grazing fees. It goes to the very heart of the future of land management in this country and most importantly deficit reduction."

Even if House and Senate conferees hammer out a plan that's unacceptable to western interests, Wallop, Campbell or any senator could filibuster the spending bill in an attempt to win concessions.

At this point it's unclear how the contentious issue will play out.

Twice in 1991, and once in 1992, the House voted to change the grazing fee formula. But every time the issue came up, western senators shot such proposals down.

The Senate's attempt this year to derail grazing reform "is a very, very narrow special interest trying to gag the public from having a discussion about how we, the federal government, spend their money," Miller said.

Wallop and Campbell bristled at that characterization.

"I don't think it's a gag order at all," Campbell said. "We've introduced a bill to increase grazing fees and there will be hearings."

How can anyone say it's a gag rule when we've got a bill in?

Earlier this year, Wallop and Campbell sat down with industry representatives and developed an alternative. Under the Wallop-Campbell bill, grazing fees would be based on the forage value, and would take into consideration costs borne by public-land ranchers.

Police arrest 4 following marijuana bust at hotel

By Liz Wright Times-News writer

BURLEY — Police arrested four men after traces of marijuana were discovered by housekeepers during the men's week-long stay in their motel rooms.

Close to 95 grams of marijuana and assorted paraphernalia were confiscated by police from two adjacent rooms at the Best Western Burley Inn at about 4:40 p.m. Friday.

The men apparently are construction workers from Texas working at a local construction site, said Lieutenant Alan Smith of the Cassia County Sheriff's Department.

Housekeepers told police they had cleaned out marijuana from the men's rooms for about a week and

saved it to show police, according to a police report.

Police set out and waited for the men to return at 5:50 p.m., according to the report.

Ten minutes later the men walked up the stairs to their balcony rooms, smelling of marijuana smoke, the report said.

The men were jailed and booked on the following charges: Raymond Mendoza, 24, and Frank Orozco, 30, were charged with misdemeanor possession of a controlled substance; Lorenzo Zepeda Jr., 18, was charged with a misdemeanor for frequenting a place of drug use; Moy Mendoza, 20, was charged with felony possession of a controlled substance.

More than 3 ounces of marijuana were found in a large bag Mendoza said was his, the report said.

Briefly in Mini-Cassia

Mini-Cassia Chamber plans tour

RUPERT — The Mini-Cassia Area Chamber of Commerce has planned its Business After Hours event for 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the DeMary Memorial Library, 417 Seventh St.

The event will feature tours of the library and the old jail and horse-drawn buggy rides around the Rupert Square. Refreshments and door prizes will be available at the library. All chamber members are encouraged to attend.

Single adults dance slated for Friday

BURLEY — A single adult dance is set to begin at 8:30 p.m. Friday at the LDS Church at 16th and Almo streets.

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Western senator assails memo on grazing fees

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Republican senator accused a Clinton administration official Tuesday of undermining the will of Congress in a continuing dispute over efforts to increase livestock grazing fees on federal lands.

A week after the Senate voted to impose a moratorium on planned land management changes, Sen. Larry Craig of Idaho assailed a memorandum written by Jim Baca, director of the Interior Department's Bureau of Land Management.

"Our bottom line is this: we will deliver grazing reform both to increase grazing fees and improve our on-the-ground management and regulation of the public range," said the memo. "If the House and Senate can agree how to do that, great; if not, we will be implementing it administratively."

Craig said that Baca's memo to the directors of BLM's state offices, "says to the Senate and the House, 'We don't give a darn what you do; we're going to do it our way.'"

It was the second time in as many weeks that Craig released an inter-

nal Interior Department memo that he said cast the agency in a poor light with respect to the fight over grazing fees.

A week ago, Craig released a memo revealing that the administration viewed its proposal to increase the grazing fee as "a strategy that would draw attention from a much broader goal: vast changes in management of federal lands."

The Senate subsequently approved 59-40 a moratorium on the pending \$13.3 billion Interior appropriations bill which would place a moratorium on any fee increases until Sept. 30, 1994. Senators from Western states led the fight for the delay, but colleagues from other regions backed the effort.

That provision will now have to be worked out in a House-Senate conference committee. Craig told colleagues Tuesday that he believed Baca's memo, taken together with the one released a week earlier, shows the administration was willing "to do anything to work its will on the West."

"We want to maintain the kind of working cooperative relationship

that we have had on our lands with the Department of the Interior. So, Mr. Baca, hear me again. When we spoke last week, we spoke for involvement (by Congress in land-management policy making), not a walk-away."

Using his administrative authority, Interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt has proposed more than doubling the grazing fees over three years — to a level still well below that charged on private range land — along with implementing several changes in the government's management of the lands.

An Interior Department spokeswoman denied Tuesday that the Bureau of Land Management was trying to undermine congressional will.

"I guess Mr. Baca is stating his opinion," said Stephanie Hanna. "Until it (the moratorium) becomes law, it doesn't have any effect on the department's operations."

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Briefly

Baldy Hill Climb tackles Warm Springs

KETCHUM — The Sun Valley Ski Education Foundation will hold the 15th Annual Baldy Hill Climb Saturday.

The run and walk climbs 3,120 feet over the 1.78-mile Warm Springs Run. Walkers start at 10 a.m. and runners at 11 a.m.

The entry fee is \$12. Advance registration is available at Backwoods Mountain Sports and The Elephant's Perch in Ketchum. Race day registration is 9-10:30 a.m. at the SVSEF office above Apple Bar and Grill. A family class for three family members has been added this year. Participants should bring warm clothing that will be transported to the top of Bald Mountain by race organizers. For more information, call the SVSEF office at 726-4129.

3 Idaho cowboys qualify for world rodeo finals event

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. — Mike Smith of Jerome, Kent Cooper of Albion and Dee Pickett of Caldwell have qualified to compete in The Original Coors Rodeo Showdown here Oct. 10.

The trio will be among 79 competitors in the world finals event. Smith will compete in steer wrestling, Cooper in saddle bronc riding and Pickett in team roping.

The season's top 10 finishers in each of seven categories from 60 Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association events tagged as Original Coors Chute Out rodeos qualified.

Annual Diamondfield Jack Endurance Ride scheduled

TWIN FALLS — The Magic Valley Arabian Horse Association will hold the third Annual Diamondfield Jack Endurance Ride at 8 a.m. Saturday. The event for all breeds will start at Porcupine Springs in the South Hills.

The cost is \$15 for 10 miles, \$29 for 25 miles and \$55 for 50 miles. There will be a pot luck dinner at 7 p.m. Friday and a Dutch Oven dinner at 4 p.m. Saturday. For more information call Bill or Jan Peters at 733-3731 or 733-9937.

Swim team tryouts planned for Saturday at YFCA

TWIN FALLS — The Magic Valley Y Swim Team will hold tryouts at 5 p.m. Saturday at the YFCA.

For more information, contact Jim Bieri or John Twiss at 734-6666.

Would-be franchise owner will add investor to group

CHICAGO — The leader of a group trying to get an NFL expansion franchise for St. Louis added a mystery element to the bid Tuesday, saying he was ready to add another major investor to his group.

Jerry Clinton, who became managing partner earlier this month, would not identify the investor to the league's finance and expansion committees.

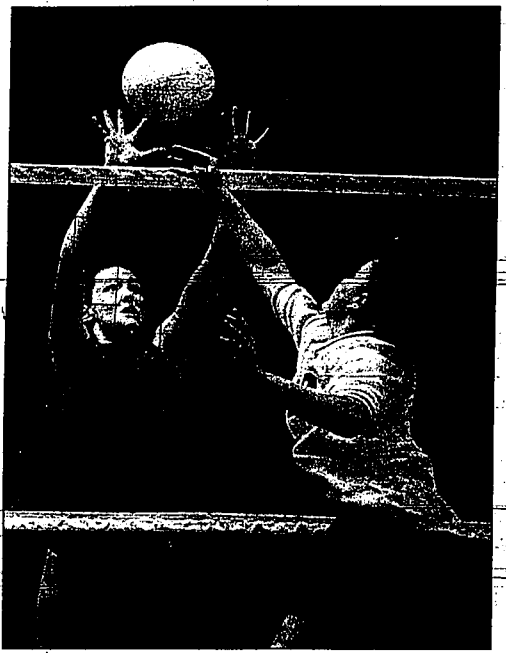
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“If we waited until a country qualifies for sainthood, no one would make it.”

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—Olympic Committee secretary Richard Pond on China's bid to host the 2000 games



Gail Fennen of Buhl, right, hits the ball Tuesday past the outstretched arms of Wood River's Glory Maxey.

Tigers claw way past Wood River, Buhl

By Mike Maller
Times-News sports editor

BUHL — Jerome overpowered Wood River and Buhl Tuesday to take an early lead in A-2 District 4 volleyball.

Showing the strongest attack and backing it with steady defense, the Tigers handled Wood River 15-4, 15-7 and Buhl 15-1, 15-2.

"I'm pleased with our effort," said Jerome coach Brent Clark. "It's nice to start 2-0."

In Jerome's closest call, Buhl took a 13-10 lead in the first game. But the Tigers scored the last five points of that game and the first 13 of the next.

Clark lauded the defensive effort of the Tigers, and especially that of Gwen Roberts.

"Our team defense was very good, and she was the one who kind of held everything together for us," Clark said.

The coach also singled out the play of setter Janae Tolman, who fed the Tiger hitters.

"I was really disappointed with the way we came out against Buhl," Clark

said. "I knew they'd be ready to play us. They stuck it to us. They elevated their game, and we didn't."

"We got a lot of work left to do. Those teams are going to get better."

Jerome blitzed Wood River in the first game and started the second with seven straight points served by Roberts. The Wolverines closed to 9-7 before the Tigers finished the contest.

"I think we were scared of their offense," said Wood River Coach Reamy Godwin. "Not that I don't think we can play with them, but for the first time we saw them, we were scared of them."

After an easy win in the first game against Buhl, the Wolverines fell behind 11-3 in the second. Wood River cut the margin to 13-11 and 14-13 before the Indians evened the match.

In the deciding game, Summer Hanson served nine straight points to close out the match from a 6-5 Wood River lead.

Wolverine middle blocker and outside hitter Glory Maxey dominated net play throughout the match.

Jerome also won both of its JV matches.

Both Ryder Cup squads receive some good news

The Associated Press

SUTTON COLDFIELD, England — European prospects took a turn for the better Tuesday in the first full day of practice for the Ryder Cup matches against the United States.

European captain Bernhard Gallacher said he's optimistic Masters champion

Bernhard Langer will play in the biennial matches that begin Friday at the Belfry.

"And, as to the problems involving Jose Maria Olazabal, Gallacher said he doesn't know what all the fuss is about."

Langer has a neck injury that has made him a questionable starter for the 12-man team that will attempt to regain Ryder Cup.

That decision will be made Wednesday.

Gallacher said, but added that "if Langer can play like he played today, that's good enough for me."

"I watched him quite a lot today. He was playing very well, swinging well," Gallacher said.

The neck problem, Gallacher said, "gets him on his knoskying. It's just a little pain. I'm very optimistic he'll be able to play."

More good news came from the pairing of Olazabal and Seve Ballesteros, as the two Spanish stars who were among Gallacher's three wild-card picks to the European squad.

They played as partners in an 18-hole practice session and produced some of the magic that once prompted Ballesteros to say that once prompted Ballesteros to say that.

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Nike camp threatens prep players' eligibility

The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — Dozens of the nation's top high school basketball players may have jeopardized their eligibility when they played in a Nike-sponsored all-star tournament in Oregon earlier this month.

By attending the two-day tournament, which supplemented Nike's annual summertime camp, the 36 players may have violated high school rules governing all-star game participation and amateur eligibility.

Accepting money or gifts — such as the \$100 gift certificate Nike gave the players — is a violation of amateur status rules in all 50 states governed by the National Federation of State High School Associations.

Nike held the two-day, four-game tournament in Beaverton, Ore., on Sept. 11-12, after the start of the school year, to meet NCAA regulations. But Nike apparently didn't check with the National Federation or its 50 state associations to see if the tournament violated their rules.

"All of the state high school athletic associations should have been contacted," said Brad Cashman, executive director of

Nike Fab 40 high school participants

PITTSBURGH — The 37 high school basketball players who played in the Nike Fab 40 tournament Sept. 11-12 in Beaverton, Ore., according to Nike:

Dan Fortson, 6-9 Sr., Pittsburgh; Norman Nolan, 6-8 Sr., Baltimore; Jerod Ward, 6-9 Sr., Clinton, Miss.; Felipe Lopez, 6-5, Sr., New York; Stephen Marbury, 6-1, Jr., Brooklyn; Bob Lazor, 6-8, Sr., Norwich, N.Y.; Tyrone Manlove, 6-3, Soph., Portland; Pete Litsky, 6-3 Sr., Whitehall, Pa.; Johnny Miller, 6-1; Sr., Caryville, Va.

Tim Young, 7-1, Sr., Santa Cruz, Calif.; J.R. Henderson, 6-8, Sr., Bakersfield, Calif.; Toby Bailey, 6-5, Sr., Los Angeles; Trajan Langdon, 6-4, Sr., Anchorage, Ala.; Cameron Murray, 6-1, Sr., Glendora, Calif.; Omni Givens, 6-10, Sr., Aberdeen, Wash.; Bob Brannan, 6-8, Sr., Cincinnati; Shea Cotton, 6-5, Fr., Bellflower, Calif.; Miles

Simon, 6-4, Sr., Santa Ana, Calif.; Prince Fowler, 5-9, Sr., Las Vegas.

Kevin Garner, 6-10, Jr., Mauldin, S.C.; Alex Sanders, 6-7, Sr., Mouth of Wilson, Va.; Ron Mercer, 6-7, Jr., Madison, Tenn.; Sam Jacobson, 6-5, Sr., Cottage Grove, Minn.; Jabua Benjamin, 6-4, Sr., Concord, N.C.; Mark Blount, 6-11, Jr., Mouth of Wilson, Va.; Michael Maddox, 6-7, Sr., Atlanta; Curtis Staples, 6-2, Sr., Mouth of Wilson, Va.; Kareem Reid, 5-10, Sr., Bronx, N.Y.

Lawrence Wright, 6-10, Sr., Memphis; Corey Louis, 6-9, Sr., Miami; Charlie Miller, 6-6, Sr., Miami; Ricky Price, 6-5, Sr., Gardena, Calif.; Jelani Gardner, 6-5, Sr., Bellflower, Calif.; Lexter Eak, 6-8, Soph., Baton Rouge, La.; Bryan Nairn, 6-4, Sr., Chicago; Ronnie Fields, 6-3, Soph., Chicago; Allen Edwards, 6-4, Sr., Miami

School gym in Beaverton was open both days to Division I college coaches and one day to the public.

Among the players was 6-foot-9 Dan Fortson, a two-time all-star from suburban Pittsburgh who is considered one of the nation's top 10 players. He sat out all but two games last season after his district ruled he switched schools for athletic reasons.

Other Fab 40 players included Lorenzen Wright, a 6-11 center from Memphis; Trajan Langdon, a 6-4 point guard who is the most recruited player ever from Alaska; and Ronnie Fields, a 6-3 sophomore from Chicago.

Upon learning he may have violated that rule, Fortson said he returned the Nike gear he obtained by cashing in his gift certificate.

"I feel really mad," Fortson told the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette. "They are like vulgures out to get me. Everything I do, they want to see if I'm breaking rules."

The PIAA, Pennsylvania's high school athletics regulatory body, asked its districts to investigate the participation of three state players when it learned of the tournament through a newspaper story.

China called a top candidate for 2000

The Associated Press

MONTE CARLO, Monaco — China seems to have weathered the controversy over human rights and its participation in the Atlanta Olympics, leaving Beijing as a front-runner to host the 2000 Games.

Beijing and Sydney, Australia, remain the favorites to carry Thursday's vote by the International Olympic Committee, with Manchester, England, given an outside chance as a compromise candidate.

As the five candidates continued to lobby the 89 voting IOC members and hold a series of news conferences, there were indications Tuesday that Beijing is the city to beat.

"They are certainly front-runners," said Dick Pound, a powerful IOC executive board member from Canada. "I think they're there. They're major players. I think they could win, no question about it."

Pound added that Sydney and Manchester also have a chance.

"There are different scenarios you have to get to put each one into first place, but they're all there," he said.

The other two candidates are Berlin and Istanbul, Turkey. An overall majority of 45 votes will be needed for victory, with the city receiving the fewest votes eliminated after each round.

For the first time, the IOC members will not be given the vote totals after each round. The change was made to discourage tactical and sympathy voting, meaning that members will now presumably vote for their first choice from the start.

There has been speculation that Beijing could win on the first ballot.

"We haven't done that in recent memory," Pound said. "If there is a first-round win, it would be more likely that Beijing would do it than any other candidate."

Some feel, however, that if Beijing does not win on the first round, it will fall to pick up the necessary votes for victory in the later rounds. Under this scenario, Sydney and Manchester would pick up most of the votes that went to the early-round losers.

"I think it's still too close to call," said IOC vice president Kevan Gosper of

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Atlanta's Ron Gant beats the tag from Montreal catcher Darrin Fletcher at home plate Tuesday.

Braves pound Expos

The Associated Press

MONTEAL — Fred McGriff and Terry Pendleton teamed for five hits, three home runs and nine RBIs in just two innings, and the Atlanta Braves blew out the Montreal Expos 18-5 Tuesday night and broke open both NL races.

The Braves' victory, coupled with San Francisco's 6-0 loss in Houston, put them 3 1/2 games ahead in the West. The Expos' loss, combined with Philadelphia's 5-3 win over Florida, dropped them 5 1/2 games behind in the East. The Braves' magic number to clinch is nine and Philadelphia's is seven.

Atlanta has won 32 of 39 and the loss was just Montreal's fourth in 23 games.

The other games — B5

Otis Nixon doubled on the second pitch of the night, and Atlanta never stopped hitting as it tied a team record for runs. The Braves' hit three home runs, two by Pendleton and a grand slam, by McGriff, and six doubles.

By the end of the evening, the game was so out of hand that it looked like a spring exhibition in West Palm Beach, where the teams share the same training site, rather than a game in the pennant stretch.

The Expos actually led 3-1 going into the fourth inning, but the Braves turned on the power and got the biggest of their 16

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NBA, Turner reach deal on television broadcasts

NEW YORK (AP) — The NBA and Turner Broadcasting announced a four-year extension of their television contract Tuesday that will bring a game of the week to TBS and assure that every playoff game will be on national TV network.

Turner will pay \$350 million for the four years, beginning in the 1994-95 season, representing an increase of about 25 percent over its price for the first year.

"We have concluded a lengthy and very amiable negotiations to not only keep the NBA for TNT, but also, to expand to a game on TBS," Turner Broadcasting president Ted Turner said at the joint announcement with NBA commissioner David Stern.

"The Turner people are delighted with this extension," he said.

Under terms of the agreement, TNT will broadcast about 45 regular-season games, down from the

present 50. TBS also will televise a Thursday night in each of the 25 weeks of the season, while moving its Atlanta Hawks games to the Turner-owned regional sports network, Sports South, or other local independent stations.

Turner owns both Sports South and the Hawks.

TNT will continue to do about 35 playoff games, and TBS also will do about 10.

"The addition of those games on TBS means that every playoff game now will be available on a national TV network," Stern said. "We're very pleased about that."

Earlier this year, NBC negotiated a \$750 million, four-year extension with the NBA, also to run through 1997-98 and also representing about a 25 percent increase.

At the time, NBC president Dick Ebersol expressed concern about the number of regular-season NBA games on cable. Stern said the new Turner contract should help remove those fears.

King, Riggs will battle again on tennis court

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Twenty years and two days after their battle of the sexes, Billie Jean King and Bobby Riggs take to the court again. This time, Riggs is bringing reinforcements — Martina Navratilova. "I'm definitely not looking for a rematch, at least not in singles," Riggs said.

Riggs remembers losing 6-4, 6-3, 6-3 on Sept. 20, 1973 to King, who was 29 at the time. The former champion tried to hit a lot of junk at King, who retaliated with floated shots and long rallies that tired the 55-year-old.

Their duel drew 30,472 to the Houston Astrodome, still a record for a tennis match, and paved the way for the success of the women's pro tour.

"Billie and I did wonders for women's tennis," Riggs said. "They owe me a piece of their checks."

On Wednesday, the checks collected will raise money for the Elton John AIDS Foundation. The entertainer, who in 1975 released "Philadelphia Freedom" for King,

'Billie and I did wonders for women's tennis. They owe me a piece of their checks.'

— Bobby Riggs, Billie Jean King's opponent

will be King's partner at a doubles match in the Forum in Inglewood, Calif.

"And let me tell you, Elton John plays tennis much better than I, sing," King said.

The King-Riggs match, viewed by a television audience estimated at 50 million, meant more off the court than on, with many heralding King's victory as proof that women can be as athletically accomplished as men.

"I think it helped a lot of people realize that everyone can have skills whether you are a man or woman," King said recently. "I talked about opening the game up to everybody as well as helping men and women understand each other and also help women to have higher self-esteem, to just believe in themselves and go

for their dreams." The match also did a world of good for the popularity of women's tennis.

"A lot of people were having parties around it and betting. Sororities, fraternities, everyone comes up and tells me their stories. I've had couples come up to me and say that the only reason they met was because of that match. It says a lot about people getting to see tennis for the first time."

"Everyone was getting into the man vs. woman thing," King said. "At that time it was the height of the women's movement; 1973 was when everything was changing." It was in 1973 that women's tennis took off, when champions

including Chris Evert, Evonne Goolagong and Rosie Casals had a chance to play in a unified tour instead of split between the USTA and the fledgling WTA. It was also a year after mandated Title IX scholarships in which women, for the first time, could have their college education paid for because they were athletes.

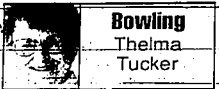
King said she was never comfortable with the battle-of-the-sexes label.

"Anyone that knows my philosophy of life knows... everyone is supposed to cooperate and help each other," she said. "I grew up in a family where my mom-and-dad helped each other as a team, so it was very foreign to me to think in those terms. I don't think in terms of man vs. woman, to me that is just outrageous."

That may be how many fans think today and it could explain why a gender-clash match between Jimmy Connors and Navratilova didn't garner as much attention as the Riggs-King match did.

Buhl bowler wins tourney

Ron Romero of Buhl took the championship at the monthly N.A.B.L. tournament held at the Bowladrome Saturday night. He won over Randy Gentry of Twin Falls 201-171. Third place went to Phil Smith, followed by Darren Nickerson and Bruce Slaughter.



Bowling
Thelma Tucker

The handicap side pot winners were Nickerson 235 & 222, Mary Miller 231 & 229, Smith 267 and Spaky Tucker 268. The turkey shoot winner was Tracey Hoffman with Nickerson and Tucker taking the Match Play. Bruce Slaughter and Tucker teamed up to take the doubles event.

The next monthly tournament will be at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 16 at the Bowladrome.

Kenny Vanderham, bowling in the Dartsmen's League at the Jerome Bowl rolled a 300 game Saturday night. Congratulations Kenny!

Hawaii Bowl winners for the month of August at the Bowladrome were Rick Murray, Don Camps, Linda Stokes and Linda Brittsan. These winners are eligible to bowl the season end roll-off for a trip to Hawaii for two.

Plans are under way for the opening Swiss 900 tournament at the Magic Bowl. Call for more information.

ODDS & ENDS: Bowling the most pins over average during the past week were Tracey Hoffman 174, Kenny Davis 138, Bev Walker 111, Ed Hoisington 92, Valerie Brown 79 and Jane Berdine 66.

Stars of the Lanes: Billie Joy and Marie Fisher. Jo Slinger rolled a 127 triphole. Ann Dean picked the 5-10 split. Dean Durland rolled an award winning game of 298. Steve Gentry had a 705 series his first ever 700.

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Mexican worker wants fair, not necessarily free, trade

The Associated Press

TIJUANA, Mexico — Like her U.S. union counterparts, Maria Teresa Jasso, a resident of the working class neighborhood of Colonia Chilpancingo, says she wants fair — not necessarily free — trade.

"They have to negotiate the salaries," said Jasso, 42, who earned about \$7 a day as a solder in a maquiladora assembly plant up the hill from her apartment. "They have to pay the people so they don't go to the United States," Jasso said, lighting up a cigarette at her kitchen table. "They look at Mexico as a country of workers, not as a competing country. There's no transfer of technology."

The North American Free Trade Agreement, if and when it is approved by Congress, is almost certain to boost trade between California and Mexico, the state's third-largest trading partner after Japan and Canada. But experts say cross-border trade

"The government shouldn't support it. The salaries they're going to pay don't compensate for the work."

— Maria Teresa Jasso, Tijuana, Mexico

will continue to boom with or without the pact.

Players on both sides of the NAFTA debate acknowledge the stakes are huge.

Thirteen-year-old Colonia Chilpancingo sprouted with the dozens of foreign-owned assembly plants up the hill in Ciudad Industrial that produce furniture, electronics, computer equipment and other products for export.

A rocky footbridge helps pedestrians cross a murky ford of the Tijuana River; traffic slows to a crawl to negotiate the bumpy, dusty dirt roads and alleys that crisscross Chilpancingo, now home to 700 families.

The maquiladoras brought plenty of jobs here, and, some say, pollution. A study by the Autonomous University of Baja California



Maria Teresa Jasso, 42, a resident of Tijuana, Mexico, said she opposes NAFTA because it doesn't address the issue of different pay for similar work.

Health Coalition. Storm drains run directly from Ciudad Industrial into the neighborhood below.

Potable water is now trucked in and stored in drums at a cost of 4,000 pesos, or about \$1.30 a drum.

That's one expense Jasso must meet for her family of two sons, ages 17 and 18, on her husband Jose's salary of 60,000 pesos a day — about \$20, a good wage because he has a "qualified" job as a boiler man.

She rattles off the list: • 200,000 pesos, or \$66, a month to send her sons to high school; • 14,000 pesos, about \$4.60, for a kilogram (2.2 pounds) of meat; • 4,500 pesos, or \$1.50, for a kilo of beans; • 6,600 pesos, or \$2.20, for a gallon of milk; • 5,000 pesos, or \$1.60, for a batch of eggs; • Rent averages 250,000 pesos a month, about \$83, but Jasso owns her own home. "It's very precarious," Jasso said. "The situation here in Tijuana is very hard."

Jasso quit her job two years ago. "I didn't like the internal politics. They'd watch the time if you went to the bathroom."

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Markets

Dow Jones

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Business

New housing hits 3 1/2-year high NAFTA

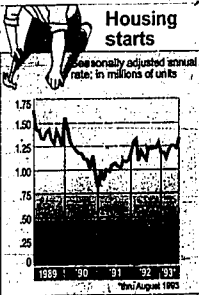
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Housing starts bounced back in August from an early summer slump to the highest level in 3 1/2 years, stimulated by low mortgage rates that builders hope will trigger sales despite a slow-growing economy.

"Clearly the interest rates were the dominant factor," said economist David E. Seiders of the National Association of Home Builders. "Job growth is still slow. Household formation is still slow."

Construction of new homes and apartments starts jumped 7.8 percent to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.32 million in August, highest since a 1.44 million rate in February 1990, the Commerce Department reported Tuesday.

It was the biggest increase since starts advanced 11.1 percent a year earlier. Starts were up in every region



except for the Northeast, but the drop there was the first in five months.

Earlier in the summer, new construction fell 1.7 percent in July after remaining flat in June. So far this year, it is 3.2 percent above those of the first eight months of 1992. "One month does not a trend make, but this is the first real sign that lower interest rates and lower prices seem to have a positive impact on the housing industry," White House spokeswoman Dee Dee Myers told reporters.

Economists expect rates to remain low in the months ahead. During August, fixed-rate, 30-year mortgages averaged 7.11 percent. They were at 6.96 percent last week, near a 25-year low and below 7 percent for a fourth straight week.

Federal Reserve policy-makers were meeting privately Tuesday, and analysts believed they would vote to hold short-term rates steady because inflation remains in check and the economy continues to grow modestly.

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But she needs to work. And the North American Free Trade Agreement?

"The government shouldn't support it," Jasso said. "The salaries they're going to pay don't compensate for the work. Why don't they pay us the same that they do over there (in California)?"
More jobs for men are needed, too, she said.

"Nearly all of the (assembly) work is for women. Work for men is very scarce," Jasso said.

The mostly female maquiladora employees in their teens and 20s work six days a week and get their pay docked if late for work. A "punishment" to be applied toward basic staples, Jasso said.

"The worker has no guarantees," she mused. "Aside from social security, there are no guarantees."

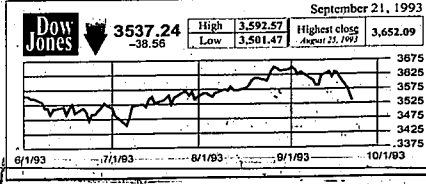
Dow down 38 after 67-point dive on Russian turmoil

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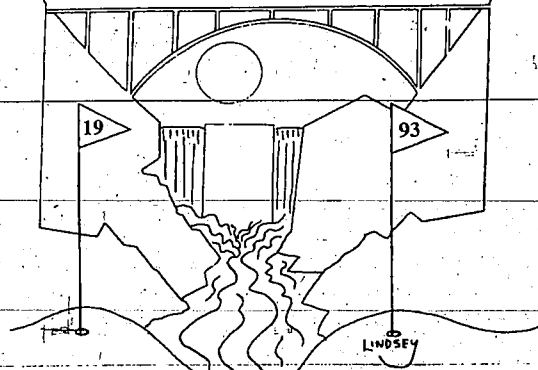
NEW YORK — The Dow industrial fell 38 points to close at 3537 Tuesday, their lowest finish in two months, after a sharp, late sell-off reflecting worries over new political turmoil in Russia.

Shortly after midday, news items from Russia painted an increasingly grim picture of political stability in the largest of the former Soviet republics: Russian President Boris

Yeltsin had dissolved the parliament, decreeing new elections for Dec. 11-12. The Russian Constitutional Court had met in emergency session, during which one of the Court's members referred to Yeltsin as a criminal.
There was also a report that Russian Vice President Alexander Rutskoi had declared himself president pending the elections, at the same time labeling Yeltsin's decree unconstitutional.



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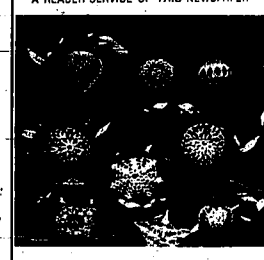
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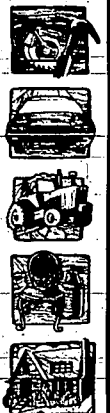
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Food facts

Most college students try their own cooking

They're packing up their books and heading off to college.

But don't forget to pack some pots and pans for those kids, too. After a year or so of college meal plans, many students opt to make their own.

In fact, about 80 percent of college students prepare their own meals an average of five times a week, according to a survey of 10 colleges by the McIlhenny Co., makers of Tabasco sauce.

The top reasons they give for becoming cooks include longing for home-cooked food and saving money. So, it makes sense that their major food concerns are taste, nutrition, cost and convenience.

Sixty percent say they're decent cooks who are able to follow a recipe using fresh and convenience products. But their time is at a premium: Most things they cook take 15 to 30 minutes.

Students who'd like tips and recipes can write for a new booklet, "Culinary Hooks for Campus Cooks." It's available free by writing to McIlhenny Co., Avery Island, La. 70513.

Vending machine tries hand at dispensing whole pizzas

You can get soda, coffee and beer. You can get cold snacks and hot foods ranging from sushi to burritos.

Now, for your on-the-go dining pleasure, vending machine inventors have concocted what they're calling a quantum leap in eating convenience: the instant Hot Pizza Retailer.

The \$12,500 machine is essentially a computerized robot that can put four varieties of frozen pizza into a super-microwave and deliver them to the customer in seconds.

Microwaved pizza isn't new. But Built-right Products Inc. of Perkasie, Pa., says the machine advances the art because it doesn't make the dough gummy and tough, heats the pizza much more quickly, stores frozen pies for long periods, and has few moving parts.

Little Caesars joins Pizza Hut in adding spaghetti to menu

Speaking of pizza, the Little Caesars pizza chain is diversifying its menu by offering spaghetti as a main dish to take home. Pizza Hut already has spaghetti on its dine-in and take-out menus. Domino's Pizza Inc. has no plans for takeout spaghetti.

U.N. Worldwatch warns food supplies slowing down

You and the world's 5.47 billion other people are sharing a dinner table that is slowly shrinking.

Degradation of the world's croplands and grazing fields and depletion of its fisheries — as well as an ominous decline in the effectiveness of fertilizers — are beginning to slow and in some cases reverse the growth of food supplies, warns the Worldwatch Institute and U.N. experts.

Start on next meal as you whip up tonight's dinner

Land O'Lakes has a somewhat involved scheme that could save cooks time as well as money.

As you prepare one dietarily correct meal, you're automatically getting the ingredients ready for the next two.

Two of these sets of interlocking meals (calling, of course, for Land O'Lakes Light Sour Cream) are spelled out in a guide that you can get free if you send your name and address, preferably on a postcard, to Land O'Lakes Light Sour Cream, Land O'Lakes Inc., P.O. Box 26341, Shoreview, Minn. 55126-0341; or telephone (800) 782-9602.

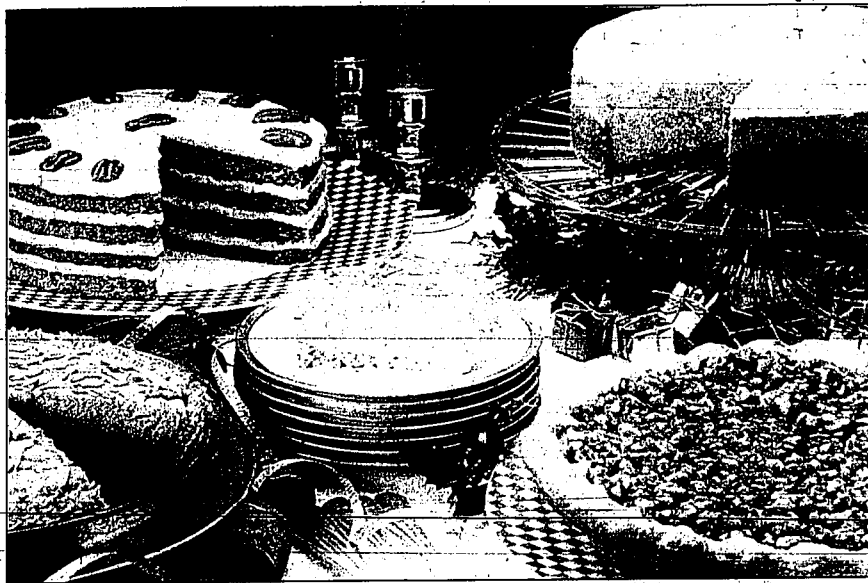
Real men in NFL eat more vegetables, foundation says

The Produce for Better Health Foundation is a joint program of the National Cancer Institute and the produce industry, two outfits that want us to eat more produce.

The foundation recently queried the National Football League teams and found all but one of the 28 trainers volunteering that players are eating more fruits and vegetables these days.

In camp, pro ball players average six servings of fruits or vegetables a day. (The National Cancer Institute recommends five; the average American manages three.)

Compiled from wire reports



Usher in fall with, clockwise from bottom left, Pumpkin Butterscotch Mousse Pie, Pumpkin Vermont Spice Cake, Pumpkin Cheesecake and Walnut Crunch Pumpkin Pie.

Beyond pumpkin pie

Sinfully-delicious recipes use traditional fall squash for much more than simply filling pastry crust

Canned pumpkin is finding its way into new and exciting recipes.

Carving out a niche as a healthy, versatile ingredient, pumpkin is being used more often by chefs and cooking experts in fabulous desserts beyond the traditional holiday pumpkin pie.

The Nestle Test Kitchens have recently developed six sinfully delicious Libby's Pumpkin recipes to showcase the versatility of pumpkin in decadent desserts that can be prepared year-round.

Walnut Crunch Pumpkin Pie combines the smooth, creamy sweetness of pumpkin, evaporated milk and spices with the satisfying crunch of walnuts. The nutty flavor adds unexpected taste and texture.

Pumpkin Vermont Spice Cake, has classic New England charm, with traditional nutmeg, ginger and cinnamon flavors laced with a maple cream cheese frosting.

Try a new holiday tradition with the cool creaminess of **Pumpkin Butterscotch Mousse Pie** and **Pumpkin Cheesecake**. The **Butterscotch Mousse Pie** is a butterscotch and coconut crumb crust filled with pumpkin mousse. The **Pumpkin Cheesecake** offers a delicious departure from the ordinary.

Finally, pumpkin adds a tantalizing twist to two traditional favorite dessert recipes — **Pumpkin Dutch Apple Pie** and **Pumpkin Pecan Pie**. **Pumpkin Dutch Apple Pie** combines pumpkin pie with a crunchy, crumb-toppled apple pie. **Pumpkin Pecan Pie** is a nutty-flavored pie sure to be remembered as a holiday treat.

WALNUT CRUNCH PUMPKIN PIE

- 1 1/2 cups coarsely chopped walnuts
- 1/2 cup packed light brown sugar
- 1 unbaked 9-inch (4-cup volume) pie shell
- 2 eggs, lightly beaten
- 1 1/2 cups (16-ounce can) solid pack pumpkin
- 1/2 cup granulated sugar
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves

- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/2 cups (12-ounce can) undiluted evaporated milk
- 3 tablespoons melted butter

Mix walnuts and brown sugar in small bowl; place 1/2 cup in bottom of pie shell. Reserve remaining mixture for topping.

Combine eggs, pumpkin, sugar, cinnamon, ginger, cloves, salt and evaporated milk in bowl; mix well. Pour into pie shell.

Bake in preheated 425 degrees oven for 15 minutes. Reduce temperature to 350 degrees, bake for 40 to 50 minutes or until knife inserted near center comes out clean. Cool on wire rack.

Add butter to remaining nut-sugar mixture; stir until moistened. Sprinkle over cooled pie. Broil about 5 inches from heat for 2 to 3 minutes, or until bubbly. Cool before serving. Makes one 9-inch pie.

PUMPKIN-VERMONT-SPICE CAKE

- Cake
- 1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
- 1/2 cup butter, softened
- 3 eggs
- 1 1/2 cups solid pack pumpkin
- 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 1/2 cup undiluted evaporated milk
- 1/2 cup water
- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- 3/4 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt

- 1 1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon each ground cloves and ginger
- 10 to 15 walnut or pecan halves

- Maple Frosting
- 11 ounces cream cheese, softened
- 1/3 cup butter, soft-

- ened
- 3/4 cups sifted powdered sugar
- 2 to 3 teaspoons maple flavoring

For Cake: Cream sugar and butter in mixer bowl. Add eggs; beat for 2 minutes. Add pumpkin and vanilla; mix well. Beat in evaporated milk and water.

Combine flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and spices. Gradually beat into pumpkin mixture.

Spread evenly into 2 greased and floured 9-inch round cake pans. Bake in preheated 325 degrees oven for 35 to 40 minutes or until knife inserted near center comes out clean.

Cool in pans on wire racks for 15 minutes. Remove from pans; cool completely.

For Frosting: Beat cream cheese, butter and powdered sugar in mixer bowl until fluffy. Add maple flavoring; mix well.

To Assemble: Cut each cake in half horizontally with long, serrated knife. Frost between layers and on top of cake. Garnish with nuts.

Note: To make 2 layer cake, frost between layers, over top and on sides of cake. Makes one 9-inch cake.

PUMPKIN-BUTTERS-COTCH MOUSSE PIE

- Crust
- 1 1/2 cups shredded coconut
- 1/2 cup graham cracker crumbs
- 1/2 cup butter or margarine, melted

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Cook's profile

Years of cooking results in card file of favorites

By Joan Bean
Times-News correspondent

TWIN FALLS — Once every six weeks it's Ardell Ricks' turn to prepare the main dish for the dinner group she and her husband, Vance, have belonged to for the last five years. On the weeks in-between, when they are not hosting the dinner, she makes a salad, rolls, dessert or whatever the hostess requests. She usually tries to come up with something different to make for these occasions. She looks to her card file for inspiration.

listing of all the recipes. After looking this over and finding one that has possibilities, Ricks' search is helped by her notations of "good" or "very good" on the cards.

Ricks began filing her favorite recipes fifteen years ago. Some are taken from cookbooks, others came from friends and relatives, some were obtained at church relief society meetings.

She has recipes she hasn't tried. Until she does, they won't be filed. "I want to try them before I put them in," she said. "If it isn't good, I get rid of it."



Ardell Ricks says her card file comes in handy when deciding what to prepare for special occasions.

In the front section of the file box is a

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Valley life

Club calendar

WEDNESDAY
Addictions Anonymous (Wu Wu)
 8 to 9:30 a.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
Adult Children Anonymous
 7:30 p.m. at Episcopal Church Annex in Rupert.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon, 5:30 p.m.; Spanish speaking at 7 p.m. and 8 p.m., at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. Call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous (closed meetings, non-smoking alcoholics only)
 7:30 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. Call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Cherrywood Apartments, 2026 Elizabeth Blvd. Call 734-0590.
Alcoholics Anonymous "On the Edge" Jacket Group
 7 p.m. at Hope Lutheran Church, Cactus Pete's Trailer Park in Jackpot, Nev.
 Noon at Hope Lutheran Church, Cactus Pete's Trailer Park in Jackpot, Nev.
 7:30 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. Call 736-0918.
Al-Anon Family Group
 Noon at Home Place Restaurant.
Buhl Senior Citizens
 Noon at senior center.
Burley Elks
 8 p.m. at the lodge.
Burley Elks Club
 Noon at Price's Cafe, 2444 Overland Ave.
Burley Optimists
 Noon at Burley Inn.
Burley Overeaters Anonymous
 7 p.m. at Burley Public Library Conference Room. Call 678-9523 after 4 p.m.
Burley Sororities
 Noon at the Burley Elks Lodge.
Cocaine Anonymous
 Noon at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. Call 736-0918.
Emotions Anonymous
 A support group for people with emotional stress or turmoil, meets at 7 p.m. in Room 113 at the College of Southern Idaho Desert Building.
Filet Senior Citizens
 Cutting, trimmers and potluck dinner at 6 p.m. at Filet Senior Citizens Building.
Gooding Overeaters Anonymous
 7 p.m. at Walker Center.
Gooding Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Hagerman Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Jerome Optimist Club
 6:30 p.m. at Rio del Inn.
Jerome Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at the senior center.
Jerome TOPS Chapter No. 48
 6 p.m. at Public Library.
Magic Valley Duplicate Bridge Club
 1 p.m. at Magic Valley Bridge Center, 246 Falls Ave.
Magic Valley Pinocchio Club
 7:30 p.m. at Disabled American Veterans 113 on Harrison Street and Shoup Avenue. Open to the public. \$2 donation. Prizes.
Mini-Casita Area Narcotics Anonymous-Burley Chapter
 8 p.m. at Enterson Grange Building, 400 S. 850 W. in Heiburn. For more information, call 736-0918.
Mini-Casita Optimists
 Noon at Yorba Linda Restaurant in the Burley Elks Lodge.
Overeaters Anonymous
 6:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, 910 Shoshone St. E. in Twin Falls. Use Ninth Street entrance.
Richtfield Grange No. 151
 Members' homes. For more information, call 437-0813.
Rupert Alcoholics Anonymous
 8 p.m. at Episcopal Church, 902 Sixth St. N. in Rupert.
 9 to 11 a.m. at Minidoka County Courthouse. For more information, call 436-7185.
Rupert Rotary Club
 Noon at Rupert Elks Lodge.
Rupert Sororities
 Noon at Rupert Elks Lodge.
Severely at Noon (a narcotics anonymous meeting)
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. in Twin Falls.
Shoshone Golden Years Senior Citizens
 Lunch at noon at senior center.
Snake River Canyon Kennel Club
 Meetings at 7 p.m. and program at 8 p.m. at KMYT Community Room.
Spanish Al-Anon
 7 p.m. at McDonald Building, 625 Fremont Ave. in Rupert. For more information, call 436-6324.
Step-Parents Support Group (for stepparents and their spouses)
 7 p.m. For more information or a schedule, call Diana Paulk at 736-0070.
Survivors of Incest
 12 to 1 p.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
Teen Support Group
 4 p.m. at 2042 Overland Ave. in Burley. Facilitated by Mary Christy, M.A., director of Canyon View Counseling Center, with peer counselor Matthew Moyer. For more information, call Christy at 677-4723.
Teen Support Group
 4 to 5 p.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
The Writers Group
 7:30 p.m. at 100 S. 325 E. For more information, call 436-4918.
Twin Falls Lions Club
 Noon at Weston Plaza Hotel and Convention

Center, 1350 Blue Lakes Blvd. N. Twin Falls Rotary Club
 Noon at Turf Club. Lunch is 55 for guest members.
Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center
 Dinner at noon. Call 734-5084.
Twin Falls TOPS D2-308
 7 p.m. at Valley Vista Village, 653 Rose St. N.
THURSDAY
Adult Children Anonymous
 7:30 p.m. at Episcopal Church in Burley.
Adult Children Anonymous (ACA)
 A support group for adult children of alcoholic/dysfunctional families meets at noon at the First Presbyterian Church, 209 Fifth Ave. N. in Twin Falls.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon and 8 p.m. for men's stag at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Cherrywood Apartments, 2026 Elizabeth Blvd. Call 734-0590.
Buhl Rotary Club
 12:05 p.m. at Ramona Restaurant.
Buhl Senior Citizens
 Lunch at 7 p.m. at center.
Buhl TOPS
 7 p.m. at Buhl Church of Christ. For more information, call Mary Morris a 543-4134 or Joyanne Smith at 736-0783.
Burley Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon at 1187 Block Building, 1650 Overland Ave.
Burley Overeaters Anonymous
 7:30 a.m. at Law Enforcement Center Conference Room 129, East 14th Street.
Edon-Hagerman Senior Citizens
 9 a.m. at Edon Senior Center.
Filet Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at Filet Senior Haven.
Filet Senior Recreational Opportunities Group (FROG)
 A handicapped consumers group, 3 p.m. at Durkin's in Twin Falls.
Gooding Ferry Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at Three Island Senior Center.
Gooding Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Gooding TOPS, Chp. 241
 8:30 p.m. at Senior Citizens Building.
Hagerman Senior Citizens Center
 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for arts and crafts and noon for lunch.
Halley Rotary Club
 Noon at Deacon Blues Restaurant.
Jerome Kiwanis Club
 Noon at China Village Restaurant.
Jerome Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Lincoln Alcoholics Anonymous
 8 p.m. at Senior Citizens Building in Shoshone.
Magic Valley Credit Professionals International
 7:30 a.m. at Weston Plaza Hotel & Convention Center, 1350 Blue Lakes Blvd. N. in Twin Falls.
Magic Valley Duplicate Bridge Club
 7:30 p.m. at Magic Valley Bridge Center, 246 Falls Ave.
Magic Valley Spinners (a group of spinning wheel users)
 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Filet Public Library, 219 1/2 Ave. For more information, call 326-5673.
Medicare Aid Supplemental Insurance Assistance for Senior Citizens
 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Minidoka County Senior Service, 702 11th St. N. in Rupert.
Mini-Casita Area Narcotics Anonymous-Rupert Group
 7 p.m. in the basement of the Catholic Rectory, F and Eighth Streets in Rupert. For more information, call 678-1230.
Minidoka County Senior Citizens Center
 English and Spanish classes taught from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the center, 702 11th St. N. in Rupert. For more information on either class, call the center at 436-9107.
Mount Harrison Quilting Guild
 1:30 p.m. at Burley Public Library.
Narcotics Anonymous
 10 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Narcotics Anonymous "On the Edge"
 8 p.m. at IOOF Hall, 1358 Oakley Ave. in Burley.
Narcotics Anonymous (non-smoking)
 Noon at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Southern Idaho Gay and Lesbian Alliance
 Meets every other Thursday at a member's home. For more information, write to SIGLA, P.O. Box 2540, Twin Falls ID 83303.
Stop Light Club
 A diet club, this group meets at 1:30 p.m. at the senior center in Hagerman.
Twin Falls Kiwanis Club
 8 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. in Twin Falls.
Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center
 Noon at Turf Club.
Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center
 Dinner at noon and pinocchete at 1 p.m. For more information, call 734-5084.
Wendell Lions Club
 Members' homes. For more information, call 536-6696.
Women in Recovery
 Noon to 1:15 p.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
FRIDAY
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon, 5:30 p.m. and midnight at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Cherrywood Apartments, 2026 Elizabeth Blvd. For more information, call 734-0590.
Alcoholics Anonymous "On the Edge" Jacket Group
 Noon at Hope Lutheran Church, Cactus Pete's Trailer Park in Jackpot, Nev.
Al-Anon (non-smoking)
 Noon at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. Call 736-0918.
Buhl Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Buhl Lions Club
 Noon at Price's Cafe, 2444 Overland Ave.
Compassionate Friends
 7 p.m. at Reformed Church of Twin Falls, corner of Polietine Road and Grandview Drive.
Filet Senior Citizens
 Dinner at 6 p.m. at Filet Senior Haven.
Gooding Grange
 8 p.m. at Grange Hall, 2148 S. Main St.
Gooding Rotary Club
 2:15 p.m. at Lincoln Inn.
Hagerman Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Jerome Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Magic Grange No. 233
 8:30 p.m. at Grange Hall, north of Shoshone.
Magic Valley Duplicate Bridge Club
 7:30 p.m. at Magic Valley Bridge Center, 246 Falls Ave.
Mini-Casita Area Narcotics Anonymous-Burley Group
 7 p.m. at H&R Block Building, 1650 Overland Ave. For more information, call 678-1330.
Narcotics Anonymous
 7 p.m. at Odd Fellows Hall in Hagerman.
Narcotics Anonymous
 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
Rupert Alcoholics Anonymous
 8 p.m. at Episcopal Church, 902 Sixth St. N. in Rupert.
Severely at Noon (a narcotics anonymous meeting)
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. in Twin Falls.
Severely Seeks Al-Anon
 8 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 516 Main St. in Buhl. For more information, call 547-5792.

Shoshone Golden Years Senior Citizens
 Lunch at noon at senior center.
Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center
 Lunch at noon and bingo just before dinner. For more information, call 734-5084.
SATURDAY
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon and midnight at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Cherrywood Apartments, 2026 Elizabeth Blvd. Call 734-0590.
Al-Anon Family Group
 9 a.m. at Canyon View Hospital, 228 Shoup Ave. W. For more information, call 734-5222.
Buhl Senior Citizens
 Dinner at noon at senior center.
Burley Senior Citizens
 Dance from 8:30 to 11 p.m. at senior center.
Cocaine Anonymous
 5:30 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Gooding Valley Chess Club
 6 to 10 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 910 Shoshone St. E. in Twin Falls, use Ninth Street entrance to basement.
Gooding Valley Duplicate Bridge Club
 1 p.m. at Magic Valley Bridge Center, 246 Falls Ave.
Mini-Casita Area Narcotics Anonymous-Shoshone
 8 p.m. at H&R Block Building, 1650 Overland Ave. For more information, call 678-1330.
Narcotics Anonymous
 7 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Overeaters Anonymous
 10 to 11:30 a.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
Severely at Noon
 5 to 6:30 p.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
Wood River Center Grange No. 87
 8:30 p.m. at Grange Hall, northwest of Shoshone.
SUNDAY
Adult Children Anonymous (non-smoking)
 A support group for adult children of alcoholic/dysfunctional families meets at 5 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon and 7 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Cherrywood Apartments, 2026 Elizabeth Blvd. For more information, call 734-0590.
Alcoholics Anonymous "On the Edge" Jacket Group
 7 p.m. at Hope Lutheran Church, Cactus Pete's Trailer Park in Jackpot, Nev.
Buhl Senior Citizens
 Potluck dinner and social hour at 1 p.m. at senior center.
Narcotics Anonymous
 7:30 p.m. at Canyon View Hospital, 228 Shoup Ave. W.
MONDAY
ACBL Beginning Duplicate Bridge and Rubber Bridge Game
 7:30 p.m., with players from 0-50 master points eligible to play at the Magic Valley Bridge Center, 246 Falls Ave. An instructor will be present to help the novice player with bidding and playing problems.
Al-Anon

5 to 6 p.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon and Spanish speaking at 7 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. Call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
 Noon until 1 p.m. at Cherrywood Apartments, 2026 Elizabeth Blvd. Call 734-0590.
Alcoholics Anonymous "On the Edge" Jacket Group
 Noon at Hope Lutheran Church, Cactus Pete's Trailer Park in Jackpot, Nev.
Al-Anon
 8 p.m. at Senior Citizens Building in Shoshone.
Al-Anon
 8 to 9 a.m. at Orchard Valley Head Start, 1998 Bob Burton Road in Wendell. For more information, call Judy Crut at 536-6661.
Buhl Center of Commerce
 Noon at The Home Place.
Buhl Senior Citizens
 Lunch at noon and cards at 6 p.m. at center.
Burley Immunization Clinic
 9 to 11:30 a.m. in the basement of the Cassia County Courthouse. For more information, call 678-8221.
Burley Senior Citizens
 Pinocchete at 1 p.m. at the center.
Gambler's Anonymous
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Cactus Petes

Valley life

Valley happenings

Desert Sage Quilters meet Thursday

JEROME - The Desert Sage Quilters Guild of Magic Valley has planned its regular meeting for 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Jerome Public Library. For more information, call Rose Schulte at 736-4616 or Georgia Hartman at 324-3519.

Valley seniors plan Chuck wagon meal

EDEN - The Silver and Gold Senior Center has planned a Chuck Wagon Dinner for 5 to 8 p.m. Friday at the center, 203 Wilson. The menu includes barbecue beef, fried chicken, baked potatoes, baked beans, salad, biscuits and cowboy pie. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 10. The public is invited.

Retired persons group to gather

TWIN FALLS - Twin Falls Chapter 4352 of the American Association of Retired Persons Inc. will meet at 1 p.m. Friday at the Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center, 618 Eastland Drive. Anyone wishing to have lunch should arrive at 11:45 a.m. Lunch is served at noon, and the meeting will follow lunch. Cyl Dillon of the South Central

Community Action Agency will speak. Issues of Medicare and health care will be followed closely by anyone interested in called ahead.

Twin Falls church plans garage sale

TWIN FALLS - The First Christian Church has planned a garage sale for 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m. to noon Saturday at the church, 601 Shoshone. St. N. Many different items will be available for sale, including baked goods.

Jerome Canning Kitchen will close

JEROME - The Jerome Canning Kitchen will close for the season this weekend. The last day of canning operations will be Saturday. For more information, call Berniece Couch at 324-2729.

The Times-News welcomes news of community events. Send material to The Times-News, Valley Happenings, P.O. 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.

Wife drafted as hostess unhappy

DEAR ABBY: I heard my husband talking on the phone this morning. He said, "Sure, Mom, it's OK... it will be just fine... no problem for us."



Dear Abby
Abigail VanBuren

After he hung up, I asked him what that was all about, and he hit me with the news that it was his mom's turn to have the annual family party at her house, but she had volunteered our house for the occasion.

I got really upset because he didn't even ask me - he just agreed to take it over, without consulting me. Our house is small, but we have a large porch and a pool.

I know we will end up paying for all the food and drinks, and nobody in his family will offer to lend a hand in the work involved before, during or after the party. I flew off the handle and told him I would go away for the weekend and he would handle the whole thing himself.

He says I'm overreacting because I hate his family, which is not true. He's got a couple of sisters I'm not crazy about, but I don't hate them. I guess I'm upset because he didn't consult me before agreeing to have the party at our place. Am I wrong, Abby? And what should I do?

DEAR ABBY: I just read a letter from a female medical student who was studying to become a doctor. It reminded me of a riddle that I heard recently:

A teen-age boy had been in a seri-

ous car accident. The hospital called his father so he could sign a consent form to authorize surgery if it was needed. His father went to the hospital and signed the form.

After the boy was wheeled into the operating room, the doctor looked at the boy and exclaimed, "I can't operate on him! He's my son!" Question: Who is the doctor? Answer: His mother.

- PROUD NOT TO BE STEREOTYPED, CHERRY HILL, N.J.

Calendar

Continued from D2
7 to 8 p.m. at Walker Center, 219 Shoshone St. N. in Twin Falls.
Covering Lions Club
6:45 p.m. at Lincoln Inn.
Hagerman Senior Citizens
Breakfast from 9 a.m. to noon at senior center.
Jerome Business and Professional Women
7 p.m. at Jerome Citizens Center.
Jerome Senior Citizens
Dinner at noon at senior center.
Kippen Senior Citizens Building
8 p.m. at Senior Citizens Building in Shoshone.
Narcotics Anonymous
8 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Overseas Anonymous
6 p.m. at Clear Lakes Agency, 1114 Main in Buhl. For more information, call 543-5792.
Overseas Anonymous
3:30 p.m. at College of Southern Idaho, Deser Building, Room 112.
Richfield Senior Citizens
Lunch at noon at the Community Building.
Rupert Lions Club
8 p.m. at Rupert Elks Lodge.
Rupert Lions Club
8 p.m. at United Methodist Church, 605 H. St. in Rupert.
Seniority at Noon (a narcotics anonymous meeting).
Noon until 1 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. in Twin Falls.
Shoshone Al-Anon
8 p.m. at senior center.
Shoshone Al-Anon
8 p.m. at senior center.
Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) No. 322
2:45 p.m. at Minidoka Memorial Hospital Conference Room. For more information, call 436-1181, 436-9935 or 436-9935.
Twin Falls Novice Bridge
1 p.m. at Magic Valley Bridge Center on Falls Avenue across from the College of Southern Idaho.
Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center
Dinner at noon and bingo at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call 736-5084.
Wendell Senior Citizens
Dinner at noon at senior center on West Avenue A.
Youth to Youth
7 to 8:30 p.m. at KMVT Community Room. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call 734-9363 or 543-5939.

TUESDAY
Adult Children Anonymous (non-smoking) A support group for adult children of alcoholic/functional families meets at 6 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
Noon and 8 p.m. at Magic Valley Fellowship Hall, 801 Second Ave. N. For more information, call 736-0918.
Alcoholics Anonymous
Noon until 1 p.m. at Cherrywood Apartments, 2026 Elkhawk Blvd. For more information, call 734-0590.
Blue Lakes Rotary Club
7:30 p.m. at Westgate Hotel & Convention Center, 1350 Blue Lakes Blvd. N.
Burley Alcoholics Anonymous
8 p.m. at H&R Block Building, 1650 Overland Ave.
Burley Immunization Clinic
2 to 4 p.m. at Cassia County Courthouse basement, Call 678-8322.
Burley Rotary Club
Noon at Burley Inn.
Center for New Directions (a support group for individuals who are job hunting) 4:30 to 6 p.m. at College of Southern Idaho. There is no cost to the participants. For more information, call the Center for New Directions at 736-0070 or 733-954, ext. 468.
Christian Alcohol and Drug Recovery Meeting
7:30 p.m. at 257 Main Ave. W. in Twin Falls, next to Inky's. For more information, call 736-5113.
Cocaine Anonymous
6:30 p.m. at H&R Block Building, 1650 Overland Ave. in Burley.
Eden-Hazelton Senior Citizens
Dinner at noon at senior center in Eden.
Filer Al-Anon
8 p.m. at Peace Lutheran Church.
Filer Kiwanis Club
Noon at Filer United Methodist Church.
Filer Senior Citizens
Dinner at noon at Filer Senior Haven.
Gilzanna Ferry Senior Citizens
Dinner at noon at Three Island Senior Center.
Gooding Alcoholics Anonymous
8 p.m. at Walker Center.
Gooding Optimist Club
7:30 p.m. at Woodlawn Inn.
Gooding Senior Citizens
Dinner at noon at senior center.
Hagerman Senior Citizens
Breakfast from 9 a.m. to noon at senior center.
Heyburn Lions Club
7 p.m. at China First.
Interdenominational Prayer Meeting for Women
7:45 a.m. at Wok 'n Grill Restaurant. For more information, call Beverly Rhoads at 734-4455.
Jerome Country Neighbors
7:30 p.m. at members' homes. Visitors welcome. For more information, call Idina Reate at 324-2579.
Jerome Rotary Club
Noon at Jerome Civic, 628 S. Lincoln.
Jerome Senior Citizens
Dinner at noon at senior center.
Ketchum Senior Valley Rotary Club
12:10 p.m. at Louie's Restaurant in Ketchum.
Magdalen's Barbershop Chorus
8 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, basement, 360 Shoshone Street East.
New Partners for Better Relationships
7 p.m. at Twin Falls Mental Health Building, 423 Harrison St.
Parent Support Group
7 p.m. at Head Start, 296 Falls Ave. W. in Twin Falls. For more information, call Pharis Stanger at 736-3020.
Rupert Immunization Clinic
2 to 4 p.m. at Minidoka County Courthouse. For more information, call 526-7185.
Rupert Kiwanis
Noon at Rupert Elks Lodge.
Senior Citizens of Squares
Dinner meeting at noon at Golden Years Senior Center, 218 N. Rail St. W. All merchants welcome.
Support Group for Sexual Trauma Victims
7 p.m. For location and more information.

call 736-7258.
Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) No. 256
6 p.m. at Cassia County School District office in Burley. For more information, call 678-5815.
Twin Falls Novice Duplicate Bridge Club
1 p.m. at Magic Valley Bridge Center on Falls Avenue across from the College of Southern Idaho.
Twin Falls TOPS Chapter No. 3
1 p.m. at City Hall.
Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center
Dinner at noon and bingo at 1 p.m. For more information, call 736-5084.
Victims of Foreign Wars Post No. 3043
7:30 p.m. at old Rupert Armory, 13th and D Street.
Victims of Foreign Wars Post No. 4068
8 p.m. at American Legion Building in Jerome.
Wendell Kiwanis Club
Noon at Cavazo's Mexican Food.

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DEAR MARRIED: He should have consulted you before making the commitment, but don't make a federal case out of it. The fat is in the fire. Make a list of things to do before the party. Food to be served, and then appoint your mother-in-law as your co-hostess. Call her - and between the two of you, decide who should bring what. Paper plates and cups, and plastic forks, knives and spoons should make your picnic-style party a breeze. By cooperating, you will save face for your husband and avert a lifetime of possible resentment from his family.

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Food

Pumpkin

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2 cups (12-ounce package) butter-scotch flavored morsels, divided

Filling:
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1/3 cup apple juice or water
1 package (3 ounces) cream cheese, softened
1/3 cup granulated sugar
1/4 cups solid pack pumpkin
1/4 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
1/2 cup heavy whipping cream
1 tablespoon granulated sugar

For Crust:
Mix coconut and graham cracker crumbs in medium bowl; add butter and mix until moistened. Press onto bottom and sides of 9-inch pie plate. Bake in 300 degrees oven for 20 to 25 minutes or until light golden brown. Remove from oven.

Melt 1/2 cup morsels in small, heavy saucepan over low heat; carefully scrape in bottom of crust; chill.

For Filling:
Soften gelatin in apple juice in small saucepan; stir over low heat until dissolved. Cool.

Melt 1 cup morsels; cool. Beat cream cheese and 1/3 cup sugar in large mixer bowl until fluffy. Gradually beat in gelatin mixture, pumpkin, melted morsels and pie spice. Chill until slightly thickened. Beat whipping cream with 1 tablespoon sugar in small-mixer bowl until stiff peaks form; fold into pump-

kin mixture. Spoon into pie crust. Chill for at least 3 hours or overnight.

For Garnish:
Melt remaining morsels; spoon into small plastic bag. Snip small corner from bag; drizzle over chilled pie.

Makes one 9-inch pie.

PUMPKIN CHEESECAKE

Crust
1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs
1/4 cup granulated sugar
1/3 cup butter or margarine, melted

Cheesecake
3 packages (8 ounces each) cream cheese, softened

1 cup granulated sugar
1/4 cup packed light brown sugar
1/4 cups (16-ounce carton) solid pack pumpkin
2 eggs
2/3 cup (5-ounce can) undiluted evaporated milk
2 tablespoons cornstarch
1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg

Topping
2 cups (16-ounce carton) sour cream, at room temperature
1/4 to 1/3 cup granulated sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

For crust:
Combine graham cracker crumbs,

sugar and butter in medium bowl. Press onto bottom and 1 inch up side of 9-inch springform pan.

Bake in preheated 350 degrees oven for 6 to 8 minutes. Do not allow to brown. Remove from oven; cool.

For cheesecake:
Beat cream cheese, granulated sugar and brown sugar in large mixer bowl until fluffy.

Beat in pumpkin, eggs and evaporated milk. Add cornstarch, cinnamon and nutmeg; beat well. Pour into crust.

Bake in preheated 350 degrees oven for 55-to-60 minutes or until edge is set.

For topping:
Combine sour cream, sugar and vanilla in small bowl. Spread over surface of warm cheesecake. Return to 350 degree oven, and bake for 5 minutes.

Cool on wire rack: Remove side of pan; chill several hours or overnight.

Makes one 9-inch pie.

PUMPKIN DUTCH APPLE PIE

Apple Layer
2 medium-size green apples, peeled, cored and thinly sliced (about 2 cups)

1/2 cup granulated sugar
2 teaspoons all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon

1 unbaked 9-inch (4-cup volume) pie shell with high fluted edge

Pumpkin Layer
2 eggs, lightly beaten
1/4 cups solid pack pumpkin
1 cup undiluted evaporated milk
1/4 cup granulated sugar
2 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1/4 teaspoon salt

Crumble Topping (recipe follows)

For Apple Layer:
Toss apples with sugar, flour, lemon juice and cinnamon in medium bowl; place in pie shell.

For Pumpkin Layer:
Combine eggs, pumpkin, evaporated milk, sugar, butter, cinnamon, nutmeg and salt in medium bowl; pour over apples.

Bake in preheated 375 degrees oven for 30 minutes. Remove from oven; sprinkle with Crumble Topping.

Return to oven; bake for 20 minutes or until custard is set. Cool on wire rack.

Crumble Topping:
Combine 1/2 cup all-purpose flour, 5 tablespoons granulated sugar, 3 tablespoons softened butter, and 1/3 cup chopped walnuts in medium bowl, with pastry blender, until

crumbly.
Makes one 9-inch pie.

PUMPKIN PECAN PIE

Pumpkin Layer
1 egg, lightly beaten
1 cup solid pack pumpkin
1/3 cup granulated sugar
1 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
1 unbaked 9-inch (4-cup volume) pie shell

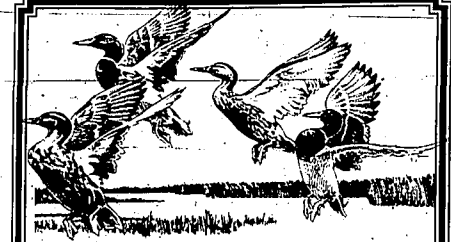
Pecan Layer
2/3 cup light corn syrup
2 eggs, lightly beaten
1/2 cup granulated sugar
3 tablespoons butter or margarine,

melted
1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
1 cup pecan halves

For Pumpkin Layer:
Combine egg, pumpkin, sugar and pie spice in medium bowl. Spread over bottom of pie shell.

For Pecan Layer:
Combine corn syrup, eggs, sugar, butter and vanilla in same bowl; stir in pecans. Spoon over pumpkin layer.

Bake in preheated 350 degrees oven for 50 minutes or until filling is set. Cool on wire rack.
Makes one 9-inch pie.



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File

Continued from D1

Ricks was diagnosed with diabetes six years ago and has had to cut down her sugar intake. Now, instead of sweet desserts, she eats mostly fresh fruits. Or, she might look in her card file and find the sugar-free apple pie recipe her sister gave her several years ago.

Here is the...

PIE CRUST FOR 2 FRUIT PIES

In a mixing bowl, put:
2 1/2 cups flour
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
1 cup shortening
Beat:
1 egg
Put beaten egg in one cup and add water until full. Add 1 teaspoon vinegar. Cut into flour mixture and knead lightly to make dough. Roll out dough for 2 pie shells on floured board. Place in 9-inch pie pans.
For the filling, put into saucepan:
1 (12 ounce) can frozen sugar-free undiluted apple juice

1-tablespoon-Brown Sugar Twin (This is about 1/2. Ricks said the filling is sweet enough without it)

Add:
10-12 medium size apples, sliced*
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

*Simmer until apples are soft. Then thicken with about 2 level tablespoons corn starch mixed with enough water to dilute it. Pour into pie shells. Add:
1 teaspoon butter or margarine.

Roll out top crusts and place on pies.

Brush tops of pies with:
1 beaten egg white
Cut a little circle in center of top crust or just cut a slit. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes to 1 hour.

*If desired, berries or raisins may be added to filling, or other kinds of fruit may be substituted.

"We all like it," Ricks said. "My family can't tell if it's got sugar in it or apple juice."

That is quite an endorsement, considering the size of her family - six children, 18 living grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Here's another Ricks family favorite. It's called...

ROUND STEAK CASSEROLE

Serves 8

1 pound round steak, cut into small pieces

1 large onion, chopped
1 bell pepper, chopped
2 cups chopped celery
1 cup raw rice (she uses brown rice)

1 can cream of mushroom soup, undiluted
1 can of vegetable soup, undiluted

1 can water
Brown the meat. Add 2 tablespoons water and simmer about 10 minutes, or until meat is tender. Add pepper, celery and onion. Sauté until onion is translucent. Stir in rest of ingredients. Pour into covered casserole dish and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

Stir a couple of times while baking. If it's somewhat dry, add a little more water.

"The cream soup makes it quite creamy," Ricks said, "and the meat comes out tender."

Serve with a tossed salad or Jello salad and ...

FRENCH BREAD

Makes 2 large loaves or 3 small 1 quart warm water (as warm as a baby's bottle)

1/2 dry yeast cakes, sprinkled on top of the water
1/2 cup dry milk
Whip with a whisk. Let sit for about 4 minutes. Add:
1 beaten egg
1/2 cup butter or oil (she prefers the oil)

2 tablespoons salt
1/4 cup sugar
8 cups flour
Mix warm water, yeast cakes and milk together. Add other ingredients, beating with an electric mixer. Let stand 10 minutes. Then add:
4-5 cups flour

Knead well on floured (about 1/2 cup) board. Add rest of flour, working it in. Dough should be fairly soft. Cut into bowl. Pat top with butter or oil and cover with clean cloth. Let stand about 1 hour. Punch down. Butter or oil top and let rise again about 15 minutes. Divide dough into 2 large or 3 small loaves. Brush tops with butter or oil. Let stand about 15 minutes.

Form loaves into triangles, on a floured board (about 1/2 cup - don't use too much) roll from wide end to

narrow end with a rolling pin. It will be about 2 inches thick. Then roll up, starting from wide end of triangle up to the point. Place joined sides on cookie sheet sprayed with Pam. Two loaves will fit on one sheet. Let rise 15-20 minutes or until about double.

Make a couple of slits with bread knife. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Remove from oven and brush top with:
1 beaten egg white
Sprinkle with:
Sesame seeds or poppy seed (optional)

And here is a favorite of Ricks' children. It's called ...

BROCCOLI CASSEROLE

Serves 12
Bring to a boil and drain:
3 packages frozen broccoli spears
2 packages frozen chopped broccoli

Place in buttered baking dish. Mix together:
2 cups cream of vegetable soup
1 pint sour cream
Spread on top of broccoli. Top with:
2 cups grated cheese

Bake at 350 degrees for approximately 15 minutes, or until hot and bubbly.

"That's a real quick meal," Ricks said. "Serve it with any kind of meat, but chicken or fish is really good with it."

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I HEARD SOMETHING LIKE THAT MYSELF LAST NIGHT...

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MA'BE WE'LL GET IN THE PAPER! I BET SOMEBODY'S LOOKING FOR IT NOW!

SEND A FEW MORE CARDS DOWN-FRAY THEM! IT'S A TROUBLE.

By Lynn Johnston

SEND A FEW MORE CARDS DOWN-FRAY THEM! IT'S A TROUBLE.

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HAVE YOU BEEN READING ABOUT THE "ELECTRONIC SUPERHIGHWAY"?

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BUT DAD SAYS HE LIKED IT BETTER WHEN YOU HAD TO COMMUNICATE BY MAIL, AND YOU KNEW YOU WOULDN'T HEAR BACK FROM ANYBODY - FOR AT LEAST A WEEK.

OF COURSE, YOUR DAD THINKS TRANSPORTATION SHOULD STAY IN A 19th CENTURY FAMILY.

I'M A 21st CENTURY KID TRAPPED IN A 19th CENTURY FAMILY.

Blonde By Dean Young & Stan Drake

IT'S SUPPOSED TO GET A LITTLE COLD TONIGHT...WELL, COTTAGE FLANNELS.

IT'LL BE A LITTLE COLD BUT IT WON'T BE THAT COLD...JIMMY.

I FLANNED IT! I SPOKE TO COTTON BOTTOMS!

NOW THEN, I OAGWOOD!!

The Far Side By Gary Larson

DOWN IN FRONT!

At the Vulcan's movie theater

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WHAT IS IT THAT JOHN DALY LOOKS FOR IN A GOLF BALL?

I THINK IT'S THE WINDINGS.

ASK THE PRO

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NOW THEN, I OAGWOOD!!

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HEY, JON, HOW'S THIS FOR AN INNOCENT SMILE?

NOW WHAT HAVE YOU DONE, GARFIELD?

HMMMM, MORE WORK.

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I CAN'T DO MANY TRICKS 'YET BECAUSE THE ONLY MAGIC WORDS I KNOW ARE "PLEASE" AND "THANK YOU!"

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...with silver bells and taco shells...

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YOU KNOW THAT SWEET LITTLE BABY OF OURS WITH THE BRIGHT SUNNY POSITIVE PERSONALITY?

YES

SHE LEARNED A NEW WORD TODAY

NO! NO!

The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart

SOMEBODY WANTA MARK THAT DUCK?

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I DON'T LIKE THE LOOKS OF THOSE GUYS WE'RE PLAYING TODAY

I'VE NEVER SEEN A TOUGHER, MEANER-LOOKING BUNCH...

YEAH... AND THOSE ARE JUST THE CHEERLEADERS!

Beetle Bailey By Mort Walker

YOU'RE LATE FOR OUR TEE-OFF TIME

SORRY, I HAD TO SNEAK AROUND

I DIDN'T WANT TO SET A BAD EXAMPLE FOR THE OFFICE STAFF

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WHAT IS THE REASON YOU NEED TO BORROW SOME MONEY FROM US?

BECAUSE I'VE SPENT ALL OF MINE!

The Born Loser By Art Sansom & Chip

JAY! DAVID! TED!

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Sydney Omarr Horoscope

IF SEPTEMBER 22 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You broke from family tradition, could have been separated from one or both parents at relatively early age. Current cycle spotlight business, career, commercial-enterprise, marital status, possible addition to family. You've proven resilient by surviving last year's emotional crisis. Indications were that you would fall flat - instead, you survived.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Status quo must go - you won't be satisfied until you rewrite your "script." No more bowing down to "arbitrary" tradition; Break away from style, recent travel, creative endeavors.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Study Aries message for valuable hints. Stress independence, creativity, style. Let others know you are not afraid of controversy. You have money coming to you - invest on faith.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Individual you thought was indifferent will come to your aid in connection with partnership or legal dispute. Accent the unorthodox, emphasize elements of timing, surprise, Aquarian involved.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Diversify but don't scatter efforts. Sagittarius moon highlights pet ownership, dependents, resolutions relating to health. Social affair tonight results in added popularity, financial gain.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Replace tools that have been worn threadbare. Check references, be aware of latent source material. Focus on style, creativity, physical attraction.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Get viewpoint across via words; both speaker and listener. Short trip with member of opposite sex proving exciting, rewarding. Be analytical, maintain emotional balance, self-esteem.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Listen carefully! You'll hear and create music. Sound of your inner voice dominates. Focus on family, home, marital status; back in tune. Review!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Someone is hiding something - don't let them in the dark, find out reasons why. Money involved, lost article is returned once you insist.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Power play! All stops out, emphasis on organization, promotion, production, infuse love relationship. Let go of inhibitions, status quo.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Attention revolves around home, property, security, direction, marriage - decent meeting elevated self-esteem, buoyed confidence.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): No more whining! Get going on independent course. You have more allies than might be suspected - turn on charm, exhibit sense of humor. Discard manuscript is back in tune. Review!

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Those who said you were not psychic will be in for rude awakening! Focus on the unorthodox, mystery, intrigue, glamour. Lunar position highlights prestige, respect from those you respect.

Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE SOLVED:

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ARBO **GLAD** **I LOVE**
HARE **TAW** **SNERD**

Fun with Dante and Fibber

Cloud-Nine was the ninth and highest heaven in Dante's Paradise. Not all street trollers read Dante. "So," asked a child, "how did 'Cloud Nine' get into the vernacular as a synonym for bliss?" It was their "radio 'comedian'" at yesterday, Fibber Magee, who popularized it.

Claim is a slug can eat its weight in one sitting.

At the city limits of Newfoundland's St. John's is a sign that reads: "Only six motorists killed by moose this year!"

One man in history earned \$100,000 a year by doing nothing but allowing women to kiss him. Told you about him, Charles S. Strath, otherwise known as General Tom Thumb, P.T. Barnum's mascot. Women paid Barnum 25 cents each to kiss Tom, and Barnum paid Tom for his acquiescence. It was not the only sizable sum ever earned in a kissing career, but it was sort of different.

When T. H. Napoleon who said, "The Difficult can be done immediately, the impossible takes a little longer."

A. George Santayana said something like that, "What Napoleon said was: 'Impossible is a word found only in the dictionary of fools.'"

The only recipe for disaster even devised by most humans worldwide is the turtle.

Q. Do heroin and cocaine addicts drink a lot of liquor?

A. Going up, no. Coming down, yes. So say the experts.

Researchers with magnifying glasses and callipers have peered over group photographs of graduating classes and military units and fraternal clubs. To their chagrin, they meet in other states, generally. But Tennessee men have longer noses.

L.M. Boyd
What's what?

Home/garden

Young trees need extra care

"We've planted trees here I don't know how many times, and they've never grown. What are we doing wrong?"

My neighbor was exasperated. Her naked lawn would have looked nice with mature trees in the spots she'd indicated.

It turns out that she had only watered the new trees when the sprinklers were on the lawn. Until things get established — probably until the third year — they need a little extra care.

We have sandy/siltly soil in most of the Magic Valley (where we don't have a spook of clay; anyway). Baby trees and shrubs need extra water to get through the initiation period, and, in our porous soil, they hardly get enough to get by on just with a sprinkler.

Other neighbors had their yard professionally landscaped. New automatic sprinkler system, new foundation plantings, the works. Being careful people, they put "leaky hose" in all the new beds except one.

The sprinkler system would be plenty, they reasoned. In all but one bed, their new

Green Thumbprints
Cathy Walworth

shrubs grow to enormous proportions. So much so, in fact, that they dug out 10 of them and gave them away because they were too big for their spots. In the bed without the extra water from the leaky hose, the plants came out with the root ball still a silhouette of the one-gallon container it began life in. The top of the plants were the same size they were the day they were planted.

Sprinklers, automatic or not, are fine for lawns, but new trees and shrubs want the hose dribbling slowly until the well around them has filled — a couple of times a week. Or a drip system that delivers sufficient water to the young roots. Or a leaky hose. Anything. Just make sure you give them more water than you think they could ever need.

If you're in doubt whether the plant wants a drink-or-not, dig around in the soil with your finger and see if it's dry. Nobody in my back yard has ever complained about wet feet.

Cathy Walworth is an avid Twin Falls gardener. Write to her in care of The Times-News.

Repair scratched vanity surface yourself

Q. The plastic-laminate surface of my built-in bathroom vanity is scratched and out of date. How can I update or resurface it without removing it? —J. Leddy

A. There are a couple of options. One is to resurface the vanity with plastic laminate, installing the new on top of the old. This can be done if the surface is flat and basically sound. Surfaces with rounded or formed edges can't be resurfaced because the stiff laminate can't be bent around the curved edges.

Plastic laminate is sold in sheet form at most home centers under brand names such as Formica and Nevamar.

Clean the existing plastic-laminate thoroughly to remove wax, grease and dirt that might cause poor adhesion of new laminate.

To clean, scrub with a strong detergent, rinse and let dry. Wipe with a cloth moistened with paint thinner to remove remaining wax or grease. Let the laminate dry and sand with



Do it yourself
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medium-grit sandpaper to degloss the surface.

The new sheet of plastic laminate can be glued to the old with contact cement, available from laminate dealers.

To install: cut the new surface a bit oversize and trim the edges, after gluing, with a file or laminate-trimming bit in a router.

It is also possible to paint the old plastic laminate, but special paint is needed to do a long-lasting job.

One such paint is Kyanize Melamine Super Interior Enamel Finish, which is recommended for use on plastic-laminate countertops and other hard-use surfaces. For information, call Kyanize at 800-368-2076.

Q. I want to replace an old electrical outlet, which has two slots for a plug, with the newer type with three openings for the plug. What do I do with the green screw on the new outlet? There are three terminals on the outlet, including the green screw, but only two wires coming out of the junction box. —P. Curson

A. If in doubt about any phase of electrical wiring, it pays to have the work done by an electrician. However, here is some background:

The green screw on the new outlet is the grounding terminal, designed to reduce the possibility of electrical shocks. Modern electrical wiring has three wires instead of two, with the third wire (often uninsulated) being the grounding wire. When a three-wire outlet is installed with modern wiring, the ground wire of three-wire cable is attached to the green terminal. The white insulated wire (neutral wire) is attached to the outlet's silver-colored terminal, and the black-insulated wire (hot wire) to the

brass-colored terminal.

The best bet is to have an electrician install three-wire cables from the home's electrical entrance panel to the three-wire outlets, to insure proper grounding.

An alternative that is sometimes used, when a junction box has only two-wires, is screw a short piece of wire to the metal junction box and attach it to the green terminal of the three-wire outlet. If the two-wire cable has an armored or metal casing, as is often the case in old wiring, it can ground the new outlet.

A three-wire outlet can be checked for proper grounding with an inexpensive plug-in tester, sold at many home centers and electrical-supply stores.

Readers' questions and comments are welcome and should be sent to Gene Austin, the Philadelphia Inquirer, Box 8263, Philadelphia, Pa. 19101. Questions cannot be answered personally.

Don't wait until weekend to finish a home project

By Nick Harder
Orange County Register

It's Saturday. Traditionally, it's the day to get things done. Trouble is, there are so many things to do around the house that you don't know which to tackle first.

Or if you do start a project, it's late afternoon and you find you don't have the proper pizza. So you head to your local do-it-yourself store and spend an inordinate amount of time trying to decide what size gizmo you need because you forgot to measure.

Then you return home only to be so tired that you decide to put your feet up awhile and watch TV. So much for your Saturday project.

Sound familiar? It describes more homeowners than you think. The reason I'm so familiar with it is that I do it all the time.

But it doesn't have to be that way. Today, before you do anything else, decide what you want or need to get done around the house. Divide your goals into maintenance chores and home improvement so you can alternate between the two. Now decide which job you can get done the next weekend. Don't pick a big job at first. Choose something that you realistically can expect to finish in one or two days.

In fact, pick a super-short do-it-yourself job so you can get it done and feel good about yourself. Nothing

like a little positive reinforcement to make you feel like tackling a larger project. List the materials and tools you'll need. There might be times when you can't put down exact sizes because you're making things up as you go along, but whenever possible, include them.

Now list the steps you'll take to complete the project. This is an often-neglected step.

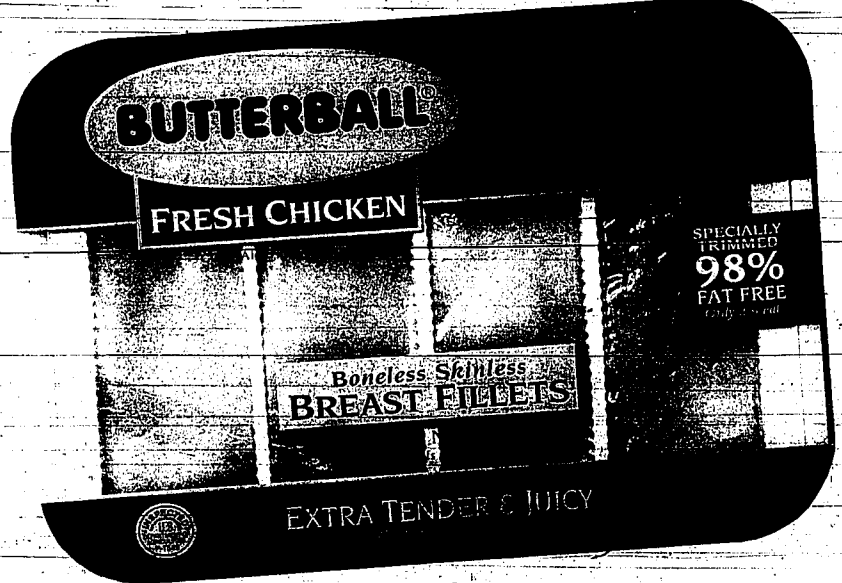
OK, you've done your planning. Now just wait until next weekend and you're ready, right? Wrong! Get those tools and materials together as soon as possible. If you've got all the tools you'll need, that's one step you can check off.

But the materials you'll need, that's something else. Oh, sure, you can wait until next weekend to get those materials, but then you'll be using valuable time.

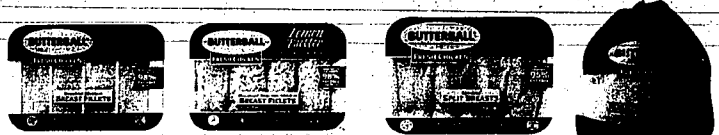
Try this instead. Some night next week, take the list of materials to your hardware store or home center. If you'll need lumber, try to go on a Wednesday or Thursday evening. Chances are a lot of the lumber most people will pick through on weekends will be delivered on one of those evenings. You'll get the pick of the best if you get there ahead of all your fellow weekend do-it-yourselfers.

Besides, if you get to a store on Wednesday or Thursday evening, you won't have to stand in those extra-long lines on the weekend.

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